

BIG UTILITY PROGRAM HAS BEEN STARTED

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Assistant Secretary of War Louis Brownell today announced the start of a \$1,000,000,000 national power program to coordinate the power resources of the nation.

The program was described by President Roosevelt as an attempt to provide feeder lines between cities and cities that could be brought into play if facilities in a city were cut off.

Johnson, chairman of the national defense power committee, said the committee had received commitments from leading companies in the nation's war material centers to make immediate purchases of equipment.

President Roosevelt on Sept. 27 appointed a committee to draft a program to remedy a potential wartime power shortage.

Former Eastland Man Applies For Patent On Machine

By United Press

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Dayton Schools Closed Indefinitely

By United Press

DAYTON, Ohio, Oct. 28.—The city's 34,000 public school children and 1,300 teachers started an indefinite vacation at the end of classes today. The school board has broken its credit exhausted after a six week holiday was in respect.

If the board receives its \$240,000 share from the state school foundation the school may open Oct. 3, if not school is out for the rest of the year.

Fact Finders Will Make Their Report

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—President Roosevelt said today his emergency fact finding committee would report to him tomorrow recommendations for averting a threatened nationwide strike of more than 900,000 railroad employees in protest against a 15 per cent wage cut.

Grand Jurors to Meet On Monday

By United Press

Eighty-eighth district court grand jurors have recessed until Monday morning. Criminal District Attorney Earl Conner, Jr., reported Friday.

They'll Plan Presidents Birthday Parties



The "Eight Minute Paralysis" committee, named to conduct the national campaign climaxed with the annual President's birthday balls throughout the country on Jan. 30 is pictured here at its first meeting with the President in Washington. Left to right, Mr. Roosevelt, Keith Morgan of New York, renamed chairman; George E. Allen of Washington, campaign director; Joseph Schenck of Los Angeles; Basil O'Connor, New York; George W. Baker, Jr., San Francisco. Funds from the birthday parties are used to fight infantile paralysis.

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Ruling On Retail Wages-Hours Given

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Wage-hour Administrator Elmer Andrews ruled today that retail department stores and local service establishments would be covered by the wage-hour bill only if more than 50 per cent of their business is interstate.

Mexican Electrocuted At Huntsville Today

By United Press

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Oct. 28.—Selanes Canedo, 43-year old Mexican from San Antonio, calmly went to death early today in the electric chair at the penitentiary here.

His execution was stayed five times to allow investigation of his case. He was convicted of murdering Joseph Daly, a taxicab driver, during a robbery in San Antonio, Nov. 25, 1936.

Health Program of Nation Approved

By United Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 28.—The American Public Health Association today approved the broad general plan of the \$850,000,000 National Health Program, proposed by a committee of doctors and government representatives.

Two Civil Cases Are Set For Monday

By United Press

Two civil cases have been set for trial Monday in 11st district court, Judge George I. Davenport stated Friday.

District Masonic Meet Is Tonight With Byrd Leader

By United Press

A district Masons meeting is to be held tonight at Brownwood, according to announcement.

Zone Chairman Harvey Byrd will be in charge of the program, it was stated. Past Grand Master Jewel P. Lightfoot of Fort Worth has been invited to speak.

A barbecue will be a feature of the meeting.

Presbyterian Young People Will Meet In Abilene On Sunday

By United Press

The Presbyterian Fifth Sunday Young People's conference will meet Sunday, October 30, at 3:30 o'clock in Abilene, to which all have been invited to bring a basket lunch.

A fine program for young people has been outlined, and they have been urged to form parties today to get ready to go.

A year or two in the past Ranger took the banner for two meet-meetings.

Rain Only Help For City Police On Hallow'en Night

By United Press

DALLAS, Oct. 28.—Rain, Dallas police have decided, is the only practical preventive of their annual Hallow'en upheaval.

"Maybe nature will be on our side again this year," Inspector Robert Stewart, who is in charge of the "Hallow'en worrying department," hazarded when Chief of Police E. L. Jones called him in to make plans for controlling rowdianism the night of Oct. 31.

"For the last two years now it has rained on Hallow'en," Stewart continued. "That was very fortunate. We have a rain now that is long past due. Maybe it will come just about the right time."

"Always there is trouble on Hallow'en because hoodlums, and potential hoodlums, and nice people with hoodlum inhibitions come out and do things. It is all very nerve racking."

Stewart and Jones ended their conference with the agreement that rain was the only thing they could count on to save them from a harrowing evening.

Narcotic Farm In Fort Worth Opened

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Texas, Oct. 28.—U. S. Public Health officials today dedicated a \$4,500,000 "farm" here for curing non-dangerous narcotic addicts.

The project supplements a narcotic hospital at Lexington, Ky., and the first 50 patients for the institution here will be selected from those at Lexington.

Oil and Gas Men Now In Meeting At San Antonio

By United Press

SAN ANTONIO, Oct. 28.—The Texas Mid Continent Oil and Gas association today went into the second-day program of its annual convention.

The oil and gas men yesterday heard W. Lee O'Daniel suggest that they divert part of their money from petroleum investments into other types of Texas industry.

"If we still tax you so heavily you can't stay in business," O'Daniel said, "you can put your money in our state industrial program, and thus cut your own taxes by building up other sources of revenue."

O'Daniel restated his intent to pay \$30 a month to all over 65.

Twenty-Seven Girls From This County Attending T.S.C.W.

By United Press

DENTON—Twenty-seven Eastland county girls are among the 2700 now enrolled at Texas State College for Women. Final tabulations show that the school is again the largest residential woman's college in the United States, with students from 220 Texas counties, 26 states and 7 foreign countries.

Included in the Eastland county list are Misses Beulah Irene Bowles and Mary Rose O'Neil of Ranger; Dora Lillian Blackburn, Betty Eyla Clark, Volvee Pearl Wood and Joy Miller of Cisco; Johnny Jolene Arnold and Dorothy E. Parks of Gorman; Mary Dell Stewart of Desmond and Mary Ruth Shrader from Scranton.

Anne Clark, Carolyn Cox, Gladys Marie Davis, Dorothy Marie Galloway, Mary Lou Harbin, Loma Faye Hearn, June Hyer, Edith Brown Meek, Nellie Lee Mille, Josephine E. Murphy, Joyce Newman, Alice Plummer, Edith Elaine Rosenquest, Helen Jeanne Rosenquest, Nelda Bess Wood and Beatrice Aleta Young from Eastland.

With opening activities completed, the students are now in the midst of a full schedule of work and entertainment, including classes all day, college and club picnics, dances, teas and other social affairs, and an unusually crowded calendar of dramatic, musical and other attractions on the drama series and artists' course.

T. S. C. W. students will have their first holiday Nov. 5 for the A. & M.-S. M. U. game in Dallas, other holidays being scheduled for Thanksgiving, Nov. 23-28; Christmas, Dec. 17-Jan. 2; and Spring, April 6-12.

Six WPA Workers Arrested In Strike

By United Press

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 28.—Six men were charged with disturbing the peace today as a result of a "sit-in" strike by WPA workers and sympathizers at the office of Walter Whitson, relief director.

The demonstration resulted from rumors that 1,400 WPA workers probably would be laid off here in December.

Patient Is Taken To Wichita Hospital

By United Press

A. D. Carroll, deputy sheriff, took a mental patient Thursday to the Wichita Falls State hospital.

THREE COUNTY BRIDGES WILL BE WIDENED

By United Press

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 28.—Items in a \$516,825 fund set aside today by the State Highway Commission for road maintenance included:

Widening bridge on Highway 67, 12 miles south of Breckenridge, \$1,992.

Retaining wall, cutting hill and filling ditches at Sweetwater creek on Highway 80, \$3,077; widening culverts on U. S. 80 west of Roscoe, \$7,000.

Rebuilding Russell creek and Colony creek bridges on U. S. Highway 80 and Sabana creek bridge on U. S. 283 in Eastland county, \$13,314.

PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

By United Press

The following proceedings were held Friday in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Reversed and Remanded L. H. Flowers vs. Mary Klump, Community survivor, Stone wall.

Trustee of Robinson Springs school District No. 76, of Comanche county, Texas, et al. Comanche.

Motion Submitted City of Dublin vs. P. M. Hicks, appellant's motion for rehearing. Cases to be Submitted Nov. 4, 1938.

Josie Richie Averitt, et vir vs. Douth Casualty Co., vs. Chas. Wesley Dyer, Taylor.

Oil Accounts For One Third of U. S. Wealth In Minerals

By United Press

The petroleum industry by far is the leading producer of mineral wealth in the United States, it is reported by the U. S. Bureau of Mines. Values of crude oil and natural gasoline produced by the nation's oil wells in 1937 was \$1,627,265,000, or 30 per cent of total value of all minerals produced. The 1937 petroleum output value was 26.7 per cent above that of 1936, and 67.6 per cent above that of 1935.

The bureau's "Statistical Summary of Mineral Production" reveals that the proportion of total mineral wealth represented by petroleum has more than quadrupled since 1911, when it was only seven per cent. Production of bituminous coal and anthracite was second to petroleum in 1937 with a dollar value of \$984,598,849. Pig iron was third with \$731,139,435. Total value of all minerals produced was \$5,440,000,000.

Evidence that petroleum production has not only increased in value, but has kept pace with demand is presented in the book, "The Mineral Industry During 1937," which says:

"In the middle twenties it was feared by many that the time was near when the known reserves could no longer maintain the rapidly increasing output, and that the production curve would soon inevitably take a turn downward, but this has not yet come to pass, due to the discovery of new reserves and the improvement of recovery methods. As a matter of fact, although petroleum production since that time has amounted to more than the known reserves were then, the reserves have continued to grow and are now greater than they were then."

Raid Is Based On 'Exaggerated' Report

By United Press

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Justice Edgar Lauer of the State Supreme Court said today the raid on his home by eight U. S. Customs officials, hunting for goods, was the result of "an exaggerated story told by a discharged German maid."

The agents ended a six-hour search of the Lauer apartment and carried away four suitcases, menace to the cantaloupe crop.

Bubbling Over With Joy



Figuratively bubbling over with joy, 4-year-old Phyllis Petrelli is pictured as she had some pre-Christmas fun with a new doll that blows bubbles. Little Miss Petrelli got acquainted with the bubble-blowing doll when, with four other children of working parents, she was the guest of the Toy Manufacturers of the United States at their New York annual pre-view of the latest playthings.

Farm Satiation Is Talked by Group At a Conference

By United Press

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—President Roosevelt discussed the farm situation today with Edward O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau federation, and other federal officials.

O'Neal said they approved the farm program as it now stands. Commenting on Secretary of Agriculture Wallace's proposed two-price system O'Neal said that it was not an untried field and might work.

The group also discussed with the president the means of enlarging the cotton export market as a solution for a 13,000,000 bale surplus.

Fewer Traffic Deaths For 1938 Is Reported

By United Press

CHICAGO, Oct. 28.—The National Safety Council reported today that the nation's traffic deaths for the first nine months of 1938, totaled 22,130, a reduction of 5,820 or 21 per cent from the same period last year.

Nearly Every County In Nation Receives Aid From the WPA

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Public Works Administration improvements are found in 3,068 of the nation's 3,071 counties. WPA Labor Advisor Ray C. Kirkpatrick said during a visit here.

The national program embraces 25,000 projects, he said, on which \$1,206,000,000 has been paid in wages and \$3,890,000,000 for materials. The \$1,865,000,000 program instituted this summer will furnish \$516,000,000 more in wages.

Kirkpatrick, who stopped at the regional WPA office here en route from Washington to the American Federation of Labor convention in Houston, said that only 36 per cent of the money spent for wages goes to workers at the construction site. The other 64 per cent goes for materials.

The material supplies, he added, create five hours employment in the factories and mills for each two hours labor provided on the actual project.

THIRD TRIPLETS FOR FAMILY

By United Press

CAPE TOWN.—For the third time in 12 years triplets have been born to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Goenevald, of Franfort, in the Orange Free State. Mr. and Mrs. Goenevald have 14 children. A fund has now been raised for the last set of triplets.

CRICKETS MENACE MELONS

By United Press

Farmer Loses Suit Against School On Saluting the Flag

By United Press

GALVESTON, Texas, Oct. 28.—L. D. Shinn, Brazoria farmer, today had lost his 22-month fight against the right of school officials to suspend his children from class for refusing to salute the U. S. flag.

The state court of civil appeals dismissed Shinn's appeal from the district court at Angleton, which sustained the school authorities in suspending the farmer's two small children.

The children objected for religious reasons.

Loan Rate Urged By One Grand Jury

By United Press

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 28.—Travis county grand jurors were on record today with a recommendation that charging interest over 10 per cent a year be made a crime.

The report was filed with District Judge Roy Archer.

Grand Jurors said their investigation showed that loan companies charged high rates, in some instances up to several hundred per cent.

Polish Jews Being Held By Germany

By United Press

BERLIN, Germany, Oct. 28.—Many thousands of Polish Jews were rounded up by police throughout Germany today and held for deportation to Poland, unless there is a last-minute agreement between the two nations.

The Polish foreign office said an agreement had been reached, but officials here said the announcement was premature, although negotiations were in progress.

Death of Oil Men Being Investigated

By United Press

GOOSE CREEK, Texas, Oct. 28.—Justice of the Peace R. R. Zerlein investigated today the death of E. A. Lirette, 30, and A. A. Ashwood, 49, oil company employees, at Baytown yesterday.

Roosevelt to Speak At Dedication Nov. 4

By United Press

GERMANY HAS CANCELED HER ORDER ON JEWS

By United Press

Germany has agreed to cancel its deportation order which would have dumped thousands of Polish Jews across the border into Poland, the Polish foreign office said today at Warsaw.

The foreign office said Germany's decision was made after negotiations.

The Nazi action, attributed to fear that Polish regulations would stand Polish Jewish nationals in Germany, was a sensational stroke in a broad picture of world affairs that included:

1—A declaration by Japan in connection with the U. S. protest against trade restrictions in China, that the nine-power treaty governing policy of the great powers in China must be revised.

2—A protest followed by a threat of military action by Japan to France against alleged shipments of war materials to China through French Indo-China.

3—The new Japanese ambassador to Italy said the power of England in Eastern China was ended and Japan would dominate the nation.

4—Indications from Geneva that a purge of the League of Nations' secretariat was underway, with dismissal of one high French official to smooth the way for eventual return of Germany and Italy to the league.

Elsewhere: Mexico.—The government petroleum administration announced arrangements to sell expropriated British and American oil to Italy. Czechoslovakia.—The government observed the 20th anniversary of independence by an appeal by Premier Gen. Jan Syrovky for cooperation of all elements in the republic.

China.—Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek issued a declaration that war against Japan would go on and Chinese troops were reforming inland from Hankow in expectation of "decisive battles."

Labor Opposed To Chain Store Tax

Labor's opposition to the proposed Patman bill that would put a "death sentence" tax on chain stores was written into the closing session of the American Federation of Labor national convention at Houston. Forceful resolutions instructed labor's executive council "to study and act."

The 58th annual convention's committee on legislation went "on record as condemning and disapproving the Patman bill and all forms of taxation which prostitute the taxing power of the government to a weapon for the destruction of worthy enterprises by business rivals." It recognized that "the object of this proposed punitive tax is not the raising of revenue but the openy-stated destruction of one form of retail distribution for the benefit of other forms."

"The destruction of chain store operation which would result from this proposed law," the labor group protested, "would dislocate upwards of one million wage earners, many, and an increasing number of whom, are members of organized labor, and have an immediate effect on living costs."

In urging the executive council to action, the Federation's legislative committee reported:

"Aside from the interests of the very large number of wage earners involved, are the interests of the entire population as consumers. Chain store operation results in lower prices of the necessities of life. If these prices are the result of the exploitation of labor, the remedy lies through the vigorous and successful campaign now going on for their unionization. If they are made possible through unfair trade practices, abundant legislation already exists for the correction of these practices and further safeguards can be provided as the need is developed."

"Labor clearly realizes that it cannot obstruct the growth of technological efficiency. It is our function to see that the wage earners and the public receive their share of such improvements in better working conditions and in lower prices and better quality of product."

"Your committee believes that the so-called Patman bill runs in direct opposition to the entire trend of modern industrial development and of established policy on the part of the public and organized labor."

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BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor

Calendar for Friday

At 6 o'clock Friday evening the West Ward Parent-Teacher association opens its Halloween Carnival in the School.

Reviews "My Son, My Son"

"My Son, My Son," by Howard Spring, was reviewed by Mrs. E. E. Eyschlag at the Tuesday evening meeting of the Business and Professional Women's club.

The meeting was held in the Rooster room of the First Methodist Church with Miss Roberta Pickett presiding.

Maurice Harkin, was presented in two vocal numbers as a musical interlude.

Social Held by Class

The Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist church entertained with the monthly social Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Frank Castleberry with Mrs. L. E. Martin, Mrs. J. Frank Davis, and Mrs. J. W. Miller as cohostesses.

During the short opening period, Mrs. Castleberry announced that Rev. P. W. Walker will teach the Martha Dorcas Class Sunday.

And also, plans for a Rummage Sale to be held Saturday in the Frost building were made.

Mrs. Martin has charge of the social hour presenting Mrs. Hagerty in a reading, Mrs. Charles C. Roberson related the trip the Pioneer Women's club made to Dallas

Tuesday for an all day meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pettit there.

Halloween motif was carried out in all appointments and decorations with a refreshment plate of cream topped pumpkin pie and coffee served by the hostesses.

Mrs. Castleberry, as has been the custom presented birthday gifts to Mrs. W. O. Tyson, Mrs. W. B. Harris and Mrs. F. L. Drago. She also presented a gift to Mrs. Cal Harvey of Lenapah, Okla., as out-of-town guest.

Others present were Meses, W. F. Mullins, O. M. White, F. W. Mullins, Earl Harvey, Geo. Lane, A. A. Edmondson, Fred Hale, Roy Stokes, Frances Jones of Houston, Iva B. Foster, Geo. Brogdon, C. H. Smith, G. W. Webb, R. E. Sikes, C. E. Owen, Ed T. Cox, Jr., W. H. Davidson, Robert Ferrell, B. O. Harrell, Guy Quinn, J. R. Morgan, Jack Ammer, L. C. Loomis, Jack Dwyer, Bill Tyson, F. A. Jones, Charles Robey, Bert Clifton, C. W. Young, C. W. Hoffman.

Eastland Personal

L. E. Haynes was a visitor Thursday at Wichita Falls.

Operation Will Aid Youth Calling Cows

CLARENDON, Tex. — James Welch, 21, soon will undergo his 20th operation to correct a palate impediment by which the young agricultural student will "be able to call cows."

Nineteen operations to remedy the condition already have been performed.

"I'll be able to call cows when the job is done," the ambitious stock farmer predicted.

Commerce Chiefs Have Monthly Meet

The Eastland Chamber of Commerce held its monthly luncheon Friday at noon in the Connellee hotel, discussing business matters.



Edward G. Robinson, as a fighting special prosecutor, is starred at the Lyric Theatre, in "I Am the Law." Above is an artist's conception of the film, in which Mr. Robinson is originally seen as a mild-mannered law professor who later joins the war against organized crime. Barbara O'Neil, Wendy Barrie, John Beal and Otto Kruger are principal members of the supporting cast.

New Report Cards Of Public Schools Puzzle for Parents

By United Press

EL PASO, Tex.—Mothers and fathers who, when they went to school carried home "plain old readin', writin', and rithmetic" report cards, now are puzzling over new style reports their children are bringing home.

El Paso city and county schools systems have brought their report cards to such highly efficient states that one joker claims "the most innovation probably will be a report card for parents, grading them on how well they understand the cards their children bring home."

Supt. of Schools A. H. Hughey explained the city schools' new system of double-appraisal reports on pupils. One card appraises the pupil in regard to his progress as well as to his ability.

The plan is based on a principle that there are three ways to measure a child's learning: comparison of what he does in the light of his previous progress; comparison of his progress with that of his classmates; and measurement of what he is learning and what he is able to do in comparison with what a particular subject requires.

Pupils are rated both by letter, denoting their standing in a subject, and by number, indicating their effort or interest.

Grading on the card is explained as follows: "If a child is doing conspicuously well in a subject, the letter A is written in the proper space and following it is the number 1. If the child seems to be doing his best, the number 2 follows if the child's effort is simply satisfactory—if he is not trying, or falling clearly short of what the teacher believes him easily capable of doing.

"Thus a D-1 grade means that a child probably is wrongly classified and is trying something too difficult. An A-3 child should be promoted to a higher grade."

Gabs' With King and Shocks Court



When Robert J. Watt, above, American labor delegate attending a royal audience in Buckingham Palace, strolled up to King George VI and, hands in pockets, engaged Britain's ruler in conversation he couldn't see why etiquette-bound courtiers gasped in dismay. Watt, who is secretary of the Massachusetts State Federation of Labor, said he and the king "just gabbed." Later, he chatted with Queen Elizabeth and reported that "she is a most beautiful and intelligent woman."

W. T. C. of C. Soil Project Is Largest In Entire World

By United Press

ABILENE, Texas. — The West Texas chamber of commerce claims that its 70,000,000-acre soil and water conservation contest is the largest in the world.

The WTCC soil and water utilization contest embraces 70,000,000 acres in 108 West Texas counties, 42 per cent of the total area of Texas.

The contest was arranged and a \$1,000 prize offered several years ago when drought and improper farming methods caused great concern among West Texas business leaders. Much of the area where prizes are sought for conservation now were in the worst of the Panhandle dust bowl.

"The smallest benefit received," said WTCC Manager D. A. Bandeen, "is the prize. The permanent benefit will be the conservation of soil and water."

Besides the new rating system, new ideas have a place on the cards under a heading of "personal qualities of school importance." Included are such listings as "ambition, courage, industry, energy, good manners, obedience, neatness, carefulness."

Schools of El Paso County have new-fangled report cards, too. A letter-number grading system supplants the old grades and percentages. Grading is done on basis of "progress and mastery" of the subjects, with S and U for satisfactory and unsatisfactory.

What used to be department now is termed "personal qualities." Under it pupils are graded on such things as "whether you brush your teeth regularly, go to class with hair fit for a rat's nest, and whether you say 'yes, ma'am' or 'uh-huh.'"

Second and third grade students have a place on their cards, for nature study, while English is a subject having two places for grades—one for how the pupil speaks it and one for how he writes it.

Ten thousand loyal subjects standing with arms raised in salute to Hitler may look a little silly to most of us in a democracy but it must look like a picnic to a pickpocket.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AS ABILENE DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE CITY OF EASTLAND, TEXAS, DEBTOR.

NO. 1838 IN BANKRUPTCY Publication Order NOW, on this 20th day of October, 1938, came on to be considered the petition of the City of Eastland in Eastland County, State of Texas, a municipal corporation, petitioner, in the above numbered and entitled cause. The court having considered the pleadings and papers filed herewith, and being duly advised, and having by order entered concurrently herewith, approved said petition as filed under Sections 401, et seq., of Chapter 10, Title 11, United States Code, and it appearing to the court that the following order should be entered:

IT IS FURTHER CONSIDERED, ORDER AND DECREED BY THE COURT, as follows:

I That all creditors of the City of Eastland, Eastland County, State of Texas, are commanded to appear and file their sworn claims in this cause in person or by duly authorized agent or committee on or before the 16th day of January, 1939, at ten o'clock A. M.; that said proofs of claim shall each set forth the name and address of the holder thereof, shall identify the bonds, warrants, or other certificates of indebtedness held by such creditors by such certificates of indebtedness and what, if any, security is held by such creditor for such indebtedness; and if such claim is based upon a judgment procured in a suit upon such bonds, warrants or other certificates of indebtedness and or coupons pertaining thereto, said proof of claim shall set forth the date of such judgment, the court in which the same was rendered, the title and number of the cause and name of the bond or warrant issue, serial numbers and denominations of the bonds, warrant issue, serial numbers and denominations of the bonds, warrants or other certificates of indebtedness and/or coupons pertaining thereto upon which the judgment was rendered and the amount of such judgment showing what part thereof consists of coupons, interest on coupons to date of the judgment, principal of the bonds, warrants or certificates of indebtedness to date of judgment, interest on judgment since the date thereof, court costs, and amounts, if any, and the dates thereof, of the payments made on said judgment.

II All creditors of petitioner, City of Eastland, in Eastland County, State of Texas, are hereby notified that this cause is set for hearing at ten o'clock A. M., upon the 16th day of January, 1939, at Fort Worth, Texas, at which time and place and at any adjournment or adjournments of said hearing, the court will pass upon and determine the issues presented by the petition and all answers which may be filed controverting any material allegations thereof and for the purpose of considering the plan of composition attached to the said petition; and whether said plan of composition is fair, equitable and for the best interests of creditors and does not discriminate unfairly in favor of any creditor or class of creditors; and whether said plan of composition complies with the provisions of the pertinent statutes and has been accepted and approved as required by said statutes; and whether all payments to be made by the petitioner for services or expenses incident to the plan of composition have been fully disclosed and are reasonable; that the offer of the plan and its acceptance are in good faith; and whether the petitioner is authorized by law to take all actions necessary to be taken by it to carry out the plan and all other matters in connection with said petition and proposed plan of composition which may be presented to the court.

Done at Abilene, Texas, this 20th day of October, 1938.

T. WHITFIELD DAVIDSON, United States District Judge. Filed October 20, 1938, at 2:35 p. m.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original thereof now in my office.

Attest: October 20, 1938. GEO. W. PARKER, Clerk. By Ida M. Jones, Deputy.

How to Ease CHEST COL MIZER FIRST—massage the chest, and back with VapoRub at bedtime. relieves the distress. THEN—to make its long-continued action last even longer, spread a thin layer of VapoRub on the chest cover with a warm cloth. LONG AFTER sleep comes, Vapo keeps working—loosens phlegm—muscular soreness or tightness—clears passages—eases coughing—relieves local congestion. Often, by morning the worst of the cold is over. VICK VAPOR

Advertisement for VICK VAPOR chest mizer with text and logo.

Advertisement for Nyal Mineral Oil with text and image of a bottle.

Advertisement for DR. R. C. FERGUSON, 208 Exchange National Bank Building — Eastland, Texas.

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\$10.00 REWARD for return of information of black and white, bob tail, female fox-terrier, Strayed Oct. 17. Notify Mrs. D. E. THRONE, or Texas Gas Engine & Tool Co.

FOR RENT: Bedroom.—MRS. MAE HARRISON.

Advertisement for ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, Texas Electric Service Co.

Advertisement for S. L. (LEON) BOURLAND, featuring a list of meat products and prices.

Advertisement for SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, featuring a man in a uniform and a woman, with text about telephone service.

Large advertisement for a home improvement store, featuring the headline "IT TAKES A HEAP OF BUYING TO MAKE A HOME" and various promotional messages.

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- Black Pepper**
 - Tomato Juice** 9 Oz. Can
 - Green Beans** No. 1 Can
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Farm Relief Pins a Medal on Abundance

Secretary Wallace's "two price" scheme for disposing of American farm surpluses by subsidized cut-rate sales to the needy may be wildly impractical, dangerously socialistic, or just plain screwy, but there is one thing to be said for it. It is the first farm-relief measure which treats bumper crops as a blessing rather than a curse.

So far we have tried to handle the farm problem by assuming that the age-old goal of agriculture—to make the earth yield as bountifully as Divine Providence would allow—was somehow wrong.

We have talked about over-production of farm produce and about surpluses of foodstuffs just as if every mortal in the land were getting all he could eat of every desirable food, day in and day out; and to follow a policy like that at a time when some millions of people would be starving if it were not for government help is a certain way to get into confusion.

So we had, first of all, the outright destruction of crops that were ready for the market—the burning of wheat, the killing of pigs, and so on. All this amid scenes of widespread want.

Next we had acreage reduction, with federal government—which meanwhile was providing food for millions of its citizens—paying farmers to produce less and less.

More recently we have had elaborate schemes for dumping our surpluses on foreign shores; and when you study that plan for a minute, it appears to be the queerest of all. For the net result of this would simply be to make American-grown foodstuffs available to foreign consumers at bargain rates, and at the expense of the American consumer and taxpayer. If anyone is going to benefit in that way, shouldn't it be the American rather than the foreigner?

Now this new rabbit sticks a tentative muzzle over the edge of the hat. We shall probably get some six months of argument, pro and con, before the exact shape of the plan is clear. Meanwhile, it can at least be said that the proposition does represent a new and slightly more logical approach to the problem.

For the underlying trouble with these other schemes is that they all operated on the thesis that abundance is a disaster. Far from giving us the answer to this generation's baffling problem about want in the midst of plenty, they accentuated that problem. They represented a national refusal to face the implications of the age of plenty.

The new plan at least heads in the other direction. Difficulties in the way of putting it into effect probably will be many. He would be a dullard indeed who couldn't think of at least half a dozen, just offhand.

But for the fact that it does represent an effort to make plenty mean plenty, we may all be thankful.

PROLIFIC AUTHOR

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pictured American author
- 9 To run away
- 10 Sphere
- 12 Brought into line
- 14 Kind
- 16 Gem cutter's cup
- 17 To suffice
- 18 Lava
- 20 Go on (music)
- 21 He was unusually person
- 22 Anesthetics
- 24 One who delves
- 28 Onager
- 29 Viscid fluid
- 31 Capuchin monkey
- 32 To tip
- 34 Frog-kent
- 36 Elf
- 38 Indian
- 39 Eggs of fishes
- 40 Sesame

Answer to Previous Puzzle

DEANNA H DURBIN
OLD EFFUSES ARA
IMPROMPTU DINE
I TIRKRES EGGV
NORAPERIES LEO
SPAT ORANT PERI
TILIA AULE MUSICAL
ANGLOIN S OON SIE
NET WIP SW
TISARBCAIT DEANNA
RIG HAM W
SIDLE ICE R
ADOLESCENCY

VERTICAL

- 2 On board ship
- 3 To snip
- 4 Mother
- 5 Hissing sound
- 6 Senior
- 7 Fiber knots
- 8 Idarits
- 9 You and me
- 10 Sun god
- 11 Official decrees
- 12 He wrote stories of men
- 13 Ages
- 15 To praise
- 18 Doleful
- 21 Exploit
- 23 Healthy
- 25 To drink dog-fashion
- 26 Emulated
- 27 Caribou
- 29 Pay house
- 30 Train of attendants
- 33 Passages
- 34 Boggy ground
- 35 Noise
- 37 Spacious
- 39 Files
- 41 Leprous person
- 42 To dress in
- 43 Musical note
- 44 He was the matter
- 45 most popular writer for
- 46 Titles
- 47 Alleged force
- 48 Measures
- 50 Baking dish
- 51 He died at
- 52 the of
- 53 Custom
- 54 Purple
- 57 Coloring matter
- 58 Antiquated
- 59 Titles
- 60 Leprous person
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JOYOUS SEASONS

In winter there are no roses blooming in the deserted, wind-swept, snow-covered garden; nor in summer do crystal snowflakes fly. Each season has its own work, its own beauty, and by hands of another season this work cannot be done, this beauty cannot be breathed. And so of man's life. Each season has its own duties and its own joys; and if they are not laid hold of no other season can make up the loss; they are gone down the dim, untraversed river forever. Each day, indeed, has its own duty, its own smile, its own tear, its own heart-throb. If only it be lived in for itself, life would be fuller and richer in everything; and the clusters of blessedness hanging from the boughs of each day would proclaim life's every season to have wrought well, and to deserve well, for what lies before. Alas! That we let the burdening tomorrows crush the energy and strength out of today, so that its work is undone or marringly done. Give your today a chance, my friends. Give it only its own work to do, and evening will find you laughing over the beauty and faithfulness that smiles up to you from the well-done duties; and the eternal tomorrow will meet you with kisses of tenderness, not with wounding blows.

ADVERSITY

Adversity is but the stepping stone to loftier peaks, if we but master its purpose. We too often succumb when the dark veil is lowered and the shaded curtain of doubt lets not the sun shine in.

We are most times victims of adversity when we let self and selfish motives and desires predominate the inclination of our minds. Great men fall when self is exclusively the pilot. However great the initiative of man, it should not be his desire or will to do for self, but the will of God let me do.

Nations fall, kingdoms crumble and adversity novers when people pull the stained curtain of man-made wisdom over the mantle of the human soul and say, "I am my own pilot; I will set my own sail."

THE BELL-ROPE OF HEAVEN

Prayer pulls the rope below and

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



EVERY FIFTEEN MINUTES, ON THE AVERAGE, SOME PERSON IN THE UNITED STATES IS KILLED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT.



ANSWER: Yes. There are numerous authentic records of rains of fish. Small fish, swept into the air by hurricane gales, may be carried considerable distances and dropped with rain.

the great bell rings above in the ears of God. Some scarcely stir the bell, for they pray so languidly; others give an occasional pluck at the rope; but he who wins with Heaven is the man who grasps the rope boldly and pulls continually with all his might.

SMILES

Grandma's Mistake
Johnnie (to new visitor): So you are my grandma, are you?
Grandmother: Yes, Johnnie, I'm your-grandma on your father's side.
Johnnie: Well, you're on the wrong side; you'll soon find that out.

Not Particular
Porter: This train goes to Buffalo and points east.
Old Lady: Well, I want a train that gets to Syracuse and I don't care which way it points.

Extracurricular
A man in an insane asylum sat fishing over a flower bed. A visitor, wishing to be friendly, walked up and said, "How many have you caught today?"
"You're the ninth," replied the man.

One of the Family
Lady (reading sign on kangaroo cage, "Native of Australia") And my sister just wrote and said she married one of them!

A DOLLAR AND A PENNY
A big silver dollar and a little brown cent.
Rolling along together they went;
Rolling along the smooth sidewalk.
When the dollar remarked—for the dollar can talk—
"You poor little cent, you cheap little mite,
I'm happier and more than two times as bright.
I'm worth more than you, a hundredfold.
And written on me, in letters so bold
Is the motto, drawn from the pious creed,
'In God We Trust,' which we all can read."
"Yes, I know," said the cent,
"I'm a cheap little mite,
And I know I'm not big or good or so bright, and yet," said the cent, with a meek little sigh,
"You don't go to church half so often as I."

COMMUNITY NEWS
Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Alford of Ranger spent Sunday with Mr. Alford's father, Mr. B. F. Alford.
Mrs. J. K. Ford has returned to her home in Lueders after a month's visit with Mrs. Clayton Todd and son, Clayton Wayne.
Juanita Fuelton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mother Hazel Heford of Eastland.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holliday and son, Miss Mackie Alford, Mrs.

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Bird Dog Trials Set for Nov. 26-27

By United Press
BOWIE, Texas.—Bird dog fanciers have responded enthusiastically to the announcement that the Fort Worth Pointer and Setter club would hold its first field trials near here Nov. 26 and 27, the local sponsors have reported.

The field trials will be over the course where one of the nation's most famous meets was run annually during the 1920's. The affair then was known as the Oil Belt Field Trials, and its entries included the greatest names in the hunting dog world.

The 10,000-acre course reportedly has good cover and plenty of quail this year. Quarters for the dogs are being erected. The dates

Clayton Todd and son, spent Saturday in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wheeler and family visited Mrs. Wheeler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sharp of Eastland, Friday evening.

Mrs. Fannie Vinson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vinson Sunday.

Mr. D. J. Ogden and Mrs. H. Brashears visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brashear of San Saba Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Griffin is reported at this writing to be on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Vinson visited W. S. Vinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hindman visited Jack Lee and family one day this week.

Misses Nellie and Billie Seay spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Juanita and Alenia Fox.

Elwood Fox spent Saturday night with Hervey Fox.

P. T. Vinson and family visited W. S. Vinson and family Sunday.

Rev. E. D. Gregory and Rev. R. D. Gregory and wives visited in the home of their nephew and grandson, D. R. Holliday, Tuesday.

Rev. E. D. Gregory was a resident of this community 27 years ago.

D. R. Holliday and family, Rev. E. D. Gregory and wife, and Rev. R. D. Gregory and wife visited in the home of Mr. Holliday's father, D. P. Holliday, at Kokono, Sunday.

POEM—SPRING

BY STUART UTLEY
Silly stuart! Spring goes,
And winter comes with its pinching toes.
When in the garden bare and brown
You must lie your harrow down.
Now, while the spring is still,
Let's profit by these garden days;
How much wiser you should be,
If you would play at war with me.

are immediately following two regular state trials, the Texas Open championship in the Miles Derden ranch near Bethal, in East Texas, and the Northwest Texas trials at the Hapgood ranch, in Clay county. Three classes will be run here, an all age, amateur, and a showing-dog stakes.

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SERIAL STORY

MURDER TO MUSIC

BY NARD JONES

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
MYRA N. NORTH—heroine.
Wife of the sensational swing band leader.

never met before, simply a subtle build-up toward asking for a spot with the band? The questions swam through Narda's tired brain as he helped Nelda Starr with her luxurious evening wrap in the foyer of the Golden Bowl.

That, Bob Tait was to discover, was a masterpiece of understatement. He followed her out under the spacious marquee of the Pacific-Plaza, saw the doorman fuss with his signal box the moment he recognized Nelda. Almost immediately there rolled to the curb a small car that was like a jewel in the world of automotive engineering.

"Do you mean," Nelda Starr asked, "that the band won't play 'The Cat's Meow' any more?" She seemed genuinely affected by Tait's news.

"Perhaps in a year or two—but by that time, of course, it may not be popular at all." I've been wanting to hear it all evening," Her glance swept Archie Mackey and Tait. "I've a record of it at my apartment. Let's go there and have a cocktail and hear the song."

"Oh, but it will!" The girl's eyes music and the song "The Cat's Meow" were almost abnormal. Tait's mind went back to his visit with Leonard Mackey when the latter had insisted that the addicts of swing—the jitterbugs and the ickies—were a study in abnormality.

Ex-Football Stars Name Best Players For Football News
In the current issue of the Humble Football News, weekly football news-magazine published by the Humble Oil & Refining company and distributed free by Humble service stations and dealers, recent Southwest conference start named the best football players they ever played against.

Four Grid Games to Be On Air Saturday
Four football games featuring Southwest conference teams are scheduled for broadcasting by the Humble Oil & Refining company Saturday.

suddenly. "It's—so unusual. May I ask what it is?" Nelda Starr laughed. "If it isn't unusual," she said, "someone is going to get into a lot of trouble. It doesn't have a name—unless you want to call it Nelda Starr—because it was made especially for me."

"Somehow," said Tait, "it suits you. It's enticing and yet—well, dangerous." She turned her gaze to him. "Dangerous?" "Yes. Isn't that what you wanted it to be?"

SOMEHOW the remark startled Tait. Even though he told himself not to be a fool he experienced a queer chill. "It did prove dangerous, didn't it, for Lud Dombey?" That was, he knew, a reckless remark to make. But if Nelda Starr received any connotation beyond the words themselves she gave no sign of it. She only said, "Poor Lud."

HE could no longer detect the faint perfume which had revealed her to him among all that crowd in the Golden Bowl. His sense of smell had grown accustomed to it now. Yet, he told himself, it was Nelda who wore that perfume. It was that perfume he had caught on that night when death had missed him by the merest fluke—the anxiety of a taxi driver to be of service. Had the attacker been this slight girl beside him? And was even her seemingly harmless invitation to really another attempt to take his life? It was not a comfortable feeling, but it was with Bob Tait as he rode through town with the fragile, lovely Nelda in her car that had been built for her and nobody else.

Detective Squad to Probe Sex Crimes Under Dallas Setup
DALLAS, Texas.—Police Chief R. L. Jones is experimenting with the idea of creating a special squad of his detective division to handle only sex crimes and to make thorough analysis and research into all cases.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll
HE'S CRASHING! MY BIG BLUFF WORKED! BUT MR. SPIDER WAS A HEADACHE TO THE BITTER END... AND OOH! WHAT A HEAD!

ON THE GROUND, MYRA AND JACK DASH TO THE TWISTED WRECKAGE OF THE "BLACK BULLET" PLANE

JACK: LOOK! GREAT GUNS! LOOK AT THAT PLANE WOBBLE!

ALL THEY NEED IS A FUNERAL... THANKS TO THE COURAGE OF WHITEY!

Charming 26-year-old Chiyoko Sakamoto of Los Angeles, beams her elation as she gets the good news that she is the first Japanese woman to pass the bar examinations in America.

offenders; that only one woman was arrested in connection with any of the 89 investigations; that 42 per cent of the offenders were married; that the 89 offenders were engaged in 33 occupations; and that rape by force was the most common offense.

"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



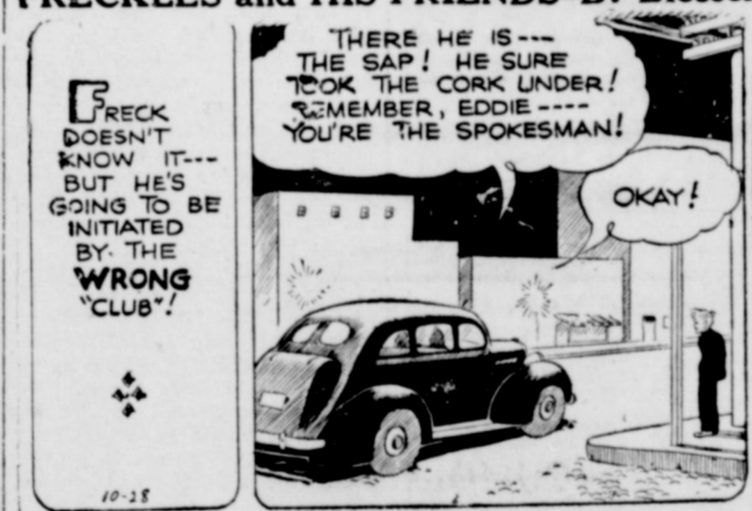
ALLEY OOP - - - - - By Hamlin



SCORES A 'FIRST' and She's Pleased



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON.—Without relying on Howard C. Hopson of Associated Gas & Electric, the New Deal warfare on the public utility front would be as dull as a Mae West picture with no Mae West.

Sport Glances. By Grayson

SYRACUSE.—Wilmeth Sidat-Singh, Syracuse's storybook passer, is a product of Harlem sandlots. He did not play football in high school.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX NEA Service Staff Writer
COOKIES must be invited to every informal party. So let's toss up a batch for Halloween and make them something to wonder at.

German troops have just entered and occupied two nerve resorts. More coals to Newcastle.

HIGHWAY WIDENED
By United Press
EL PASO, Texas.—Traffic over State Highway 54 has been diverted and work has begun on widening 2,100 feet of the highway within the city limits. The section will be closed for approximately 40 days while the roadway is widened to 40 feet, officials said.

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LENS SHOWS UP MARS
By United Press
OAKLAND, Cal.—Alfred Leach president of the East Bay Astronomical association, has built a telescope in his garage with a 9-inch Newtonian reflector that has permitted him to make observations of Mars that have convinced him the planet has life on it.

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Clark Gable will be co-featured with Wallace Beery in "Hell Divers" at the Lyric Theatre Halloween Show Monday night at 11:30. "Hell Divers" is said to be one of the most thrilling Aviation pictures ever filmed and will have you sitting on the edge of your seat with excitement.

Increase In Red Cross Members Is Need Says Official
The following data in regard to the Red Cross and its work has been released by R. C. Kinnaird, Eastland, chairman of the Eastland County Chapter.
"A larger Red Cross membership more in proportion to the population of Texas is necessary for the expansion of services within the state this coming year. The Red Cross membership in Texas now represents only 2.9 per cent of the population while nationally the enrollment is 4.38 per cent."
"The organization hopes for an increase of 50,000 members or more when the 239 Texas chapters offer residents of every community the opportunity and privilege of joining the Red Cross this coming Thanksgiving. Last year, 172,067—not as many people as live in some of our larger cities—answered the Roll Call of their local chapters, but this was an increase of 36,000 over the previous year, hence encouraging."
"Local chapters are dependent upon their enrollment each year for volunteers as well as for funds to carry on disaster relief and other Red Cross safety, health, educational and welfare services in their respective communities. The greater portion of membership funds are kept by the chapter and all contributions in excess of membership fees (\$1.00) are kept, only fifty cents of each membership fee being sent to the National organization for administration of Red Cross work throughout the nation."
"This nationally allotment reverts back to Red Cross work in individual communities. In the last three and one-half years to date, for example, the National Organization made available \$253,773 to add to the \$176,146 raised within Texas for emergency relief and rehabilitation of Texas families stricken by disasters occurring in this state."
"During the first nine months of this year the Red Cross assisted 3,029 Texas families, which included more than 13,000 persons, who suffered losses caused by six tornadoes and three floods. The \$65,125 contributed by Texans was supplemented by \$56,017 from National Headquarters to provide necessary medical care, food,

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SINGING A SONG OF THE PLAINS!
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clothing, shelter, replacement of household goods, livestock, implements and other equipment to enable stricken families to again 'get on their feet.' To bring it closer home, before the Government took over relief, Eastland county, on account of drouth, sent out an SOS call and the Red Cross responded to the tune of \$55,000 in food, clothing bedding, etc.
"We weren't hit by disasters this last year, but they hit all around the edges. Clyde, in the county on the west, Ivan, on the north and DeLeon on the south and east. The Red Cross was there with aid almost before the dust settled."
"Texans have demonstrated their willingness to assume responsibility through the Red Cross whenever disasters have reached proportions of major calamities, as witness the assistance given after the Colorado River flood from McCullough county on down to the Gulf last July.
"Opportunity will be given more than ever before to share in this work during the coming year through participation in the coming Roll Call."

Promise Gay Time For Carnival In Frost's Building
A gala time is promised by the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association for Halloween merry makers Saturday night in the Frost building.
The annual Halloween Carnival by the Association will be staged that night with all the color and gaiety of the traditional carnival, it was said. Amusements for all will be open with the "County Store" a highlight of the evening.

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WELCOME EVERYBODY!
Now's the time GET READY---
— SEE THE KING AND QUEEN CROWNED ON THE COURT-HOUSE LAWN—
Promptly at 8 p. m.!

The "merchandise" for this was contributed by the parents of South Ward children, the merchants of Eastland and others of the city. This is to be an annual concession to the P.-T. A. carnivals.
Hot dog stands, hot and cold drink concession booths, candies and popcorn booths and noise makers aplenty will be offered to the holiday celebrators. Bingo games, mystery booths, and the fortune tellers crystal will add to the evening fun.
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