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## Eastland Congratulates Lone Star on Birthday

### BANKER KILLED IN LABOR WAR IN KENTUCKY

**By United Press**  
HARLAN, Ky., July 12.—One man was killed, five persons were wounded by gunfire, and a number of others clubbed by National Guardsmen in two riots between union and non-union miners' guardsmen in "Bloody Harlan county" today.

### Blame Again To Open Homes For Inspection Tour

**By United Press**  
WISCONSASSET, Me.—The anniversary of civic enterprise which hopes this picturesque little village every summer has struck again and next month, for the consecutive year, Wisconsin gave another practical demonstration of the benefits of community cooperation.

### Chamberlain Will Not Outline Where Aggression Starts

**By United Press**  
LONDON, July 12.—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain refused, in the house of commons today, to draw a line at which Britain would consider aggression had been committed in Danzig.

### British Warships Launched Weekly

**By United Press**  
LONDON.—Warships for the British navy are being launched by shipyards at an average of more than one a week.

### FIREMAN STARTS STOVE FIRE

**By United Press**  
NEWTON, Mass.—Mrs. Edward W. Breaux turned the tables on the local fire department. "I can't start a fire in my stove," she telephoned fire headquarters. Fireman Willard White was dispatched to her home, and soon had a cheery blaze crackling in the kitchen range.

### Says Goebbels DID Get Beating



Supporting last December's rumors from Germany, Gita Alpar, Hungarian film star shown with daughter, Julika, says that her ex-husband, actor Gustav Froelich, did attack, beat Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels. But, she says, assault occurred at least year earlier than that, and December attack must have been waged by Froelich's friends.

### OIL MAN MAY LOSE YACHT BY VIOLATING LAW

**By United Press**  
GALVESTON, July 12.—Erling P. Halliburton, millionaire oil and cement man, was fined \$13,000 today for sailing his \$1,600,000 yacht Vida into Mexican waters without proper clearance papers.

### Gets Certificate From Texas R.M.A. For Work Efficiency

The Retail Merchants Association of Texas has awarded a certificate of efficiency for the years 1933-1944 to H. J. Tanner of the Eastland R. M. A. for having successfully completed a prescribed course of study and having completed all other requirements established by the Texas Credit Bureau, Inc.

### Vacuum Cleaner Dandelion Killer

BRATTLEBORO, Vt. Agent F. M. Webber of the Central Vermont Railway has found a means of ridding the station lawn of unwelcome dandelions.

### Regular Meeting of Masons Scheduled

Officials of the Masonic Lodge at Eastland have announced a regular meeting will be held on Thursday night at 8 o'clock at the Masonic temple.

### CREEK VERDANT

SPOKANE, Wash.—Lush vegetable now are grown along Hangman's creek, which got its name in the 1850's during the Indian wars in Washington when U. S. army officers hanged several tribesmen at its banks.

### BORDER PATROL OUTLINES DAYS OF 6-GUN MEN

TUCSON, Ariz.—The hard-ridding, straight-shooting cowboy who was the U. S. Border patrolman of the 1920's has gradually been supplanted by the scientific criminologist of today.

### County Fair and Peanut Show Are Topics at Meeting

Plans for the annual county fair and Texas Peanut Festival, Sept. 28-30 at Eastland were to be discussed at a meeting of fair committee members this afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce in Eastland.

### R. L. Maddox to Lead Mexia Band

**By United Press**  
MEXIA, July 12.—Robert L. Maddox, Cisco, today was elected band director of Mexia High School.

### Second Ranks Are Given at Meeting

Second rank was conferred Tuesday night on D. H. Dillard and Louis Pitzer at a meeting of the Knights of Pythias lodge in Castle hall at Eastland. Both candidates are of Eastland.

### State Departments Face New Economy

AUSTIN, July 12.—Heads of state departments today faced the problem of how to trim expenses \$5,051,624 by September 1.

### Meteor Falls Over Lake Erie Sector

DETROIT, Mich., July 12.—A meteor, apparently of tremendous size, streaked northward through the sky over Lake Erie last night and disintegrated with a terrific explosion over Canada.

### Screen Test—For Drunken Driving



Camera won't lie even if driver does. So Fresno, Calif., uses movie method on drunken driving suspects. Under direction of Police Sergeant Joe Brady, suspect tries to walk straight line while Leland Frenel, police photographer, shoots action. In first 100 trials of plan, 86 pleaded guilty.

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### HEAVY RAINS BRING THREATS OF NEW FLOODS

**By United Press**  
HOUSTON, July 12.—Heavy rainfall, varying from showers to downpours totaling as much as 14.90 inches soaked South and Southeast Texas today. Continued rain was predicted.

### FOX FAMILY REUNION TO BE AUGUST 4

Descendants and relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Hile Fox will meet Friday, August 4, at the W. U. Fox home between Ranger and Eastland for their annual reunion.

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### Hollywood Hunts For Them



Mysterious Disappearance of 10-year old Penny Standish, top, and 12-year old brother, Schuyler, lower, from Hollywood home started intensive search by police. Both are movie child actors.

### Poet Laureate On Tour to Appear at Several Programs

Lexie Dean Robertson, poet laureate of Texas, accompanied by her secretary, Mrs. H. C. Gracey, Rising Star, left by automobile Monday on a personal appearance trip that will take her over the greater part of the western and northwestern parts of the United States and into British Columbia.

### Iowa Girl, 12, Has 'Store Bought' Teeth

**By United Press**  
DES MOINES, Ia.—At least Dunova Gibbs, 12, won't have to worry about inlays and bridges for her teeth when she grows up.

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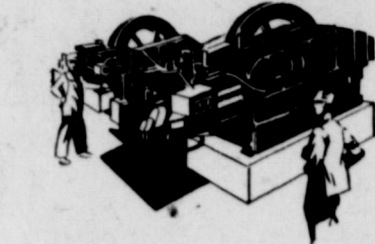


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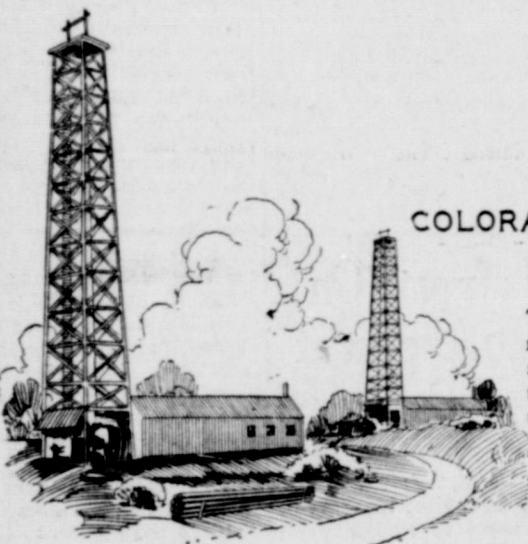
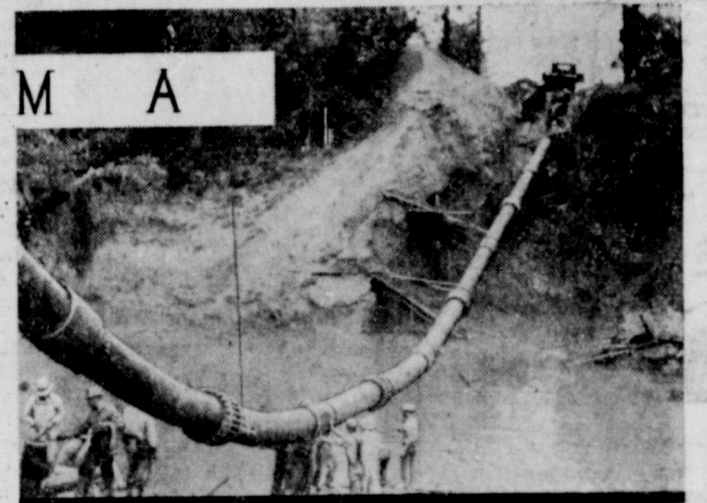


L. B. DENNING, President  
LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM

Today, through its modern facilities, including 4,700 miles of interconnected pipeline transportation system paralleling old trails blazed by early settlers, Lone Star Gas System brings to more than 300,000 homes and industries a modern, dependable fuel service that stands among the foremost in the world.



Lone Star Gas System's dependable facilities for transporting natural gas through the company's main lines include giant compressor engines totaling more than 35,000 H.P. capacity.



The 4,700 miles of interconnected main pipeline system, stretching across 116,000 square miles of territory, is supplied from more than 1,000 gas wells located in 46 separate fields.

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**LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM**

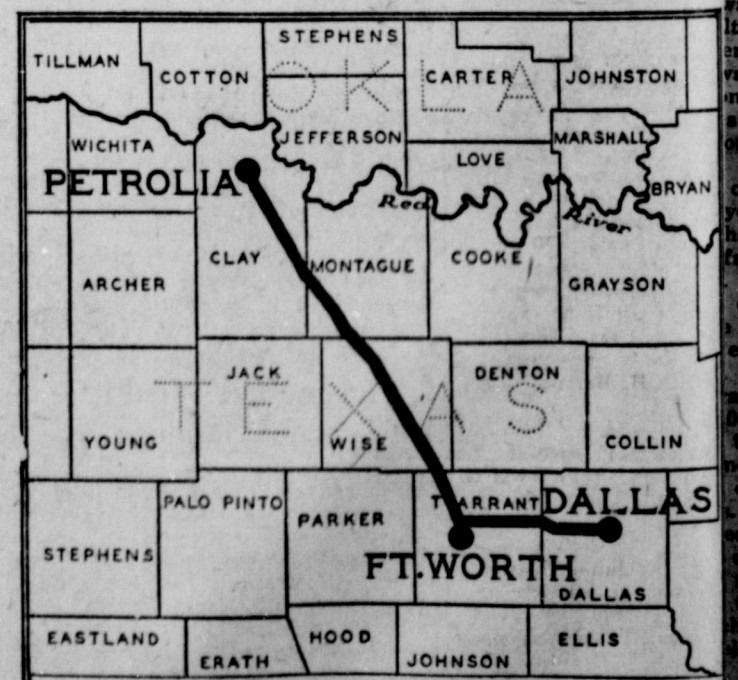
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- ★ 1,000 GAS WELLS IN 46 SEPARATE GAS FIELDS
- ★ 3,000 TRAINED AND EXPERIENCED EMPLOYEES

**A**S we reach our thirtieth birthday, we are mindful of the responsibility that goes with our job. We renew our pledge to the policy that has guided us through the years—"First, find out what is the right thing to do . . . then, what is the right way to do it."

We know that homes must have heat and that many depend entirely upon our service. If we should fall down on the job, there would be inconvenience, discomfort, suffering in many

homes. We realize that, even though our customers seldom think about it, they have confidence in our ability to render dependable service and rely on it being available instantly and without interruption day or night, throughout the years, regardless of the weather. We know it is the responsibility of each of us of Lone Star never to fail that trust.

*L. B. Denning*



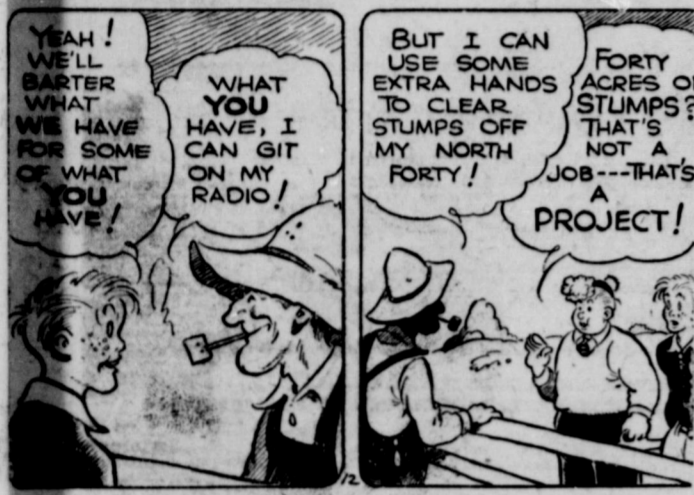
**30 YEARS AGO**

In 1909 Lone Star Gas Company pioneered the development of natural gas in Texas. The first natural gas pipeline, 126 miles long, from Petrolia, Texas, to Fort Worth and Dallas, was an epochal event in Southwestern progress and indicative of a greater growth and development to come.

Partial view of another page from the newspaper, showing the right edge of text and some illustrations.



CKLES and HIS FRIENDS



own County's Irrigation Project Will Furnish Water For 10,000 Thirsty Acres

BROWNWOOD. — When Brown county's new million dollar irrigation project, financed by the Public Works Administration, is completed early in the fall, 10,000 acres in what is potentially one of the most productive agricultural areas in Texas will receive a life-giving flood of water.

Red Cross Prints 1400 Braille Books

PHILADELPHIA—A one-room publishing house, operated by the American Red Cross, last year turned out 1,400 volumes for the blind.

Rooster Adopts A Brood Of Chickens

GLASTONBURY, Conn.—It's not often a rooster takes his domestic responsibilities seriously, but Mrs. Lucy Bugiel has one with a real mothering instinct.

NYA Wood Shop In Ranger Is Building New Furniture Now

The National Youth Administration wood shop at Ranger, of which W. J. Barr is supervisor, is now turning out a large order of mahogany furniture, part of which will be placed in municipal and school offices in Ranger and Eastland, and the remainder to be used at an NYA resident project.

State Fair Plans Huge Farm Show Of Chemurgy Plan

DALLAS, Texas—Another gigantic portrayal of Texas Agriculture will be presented during the 51st annual State Fair of Texas, October 7th to 22nd. Featured in this agricultural picture of Texas will be chemurgy—this new road to cash crops on Texas farms.

Zululand Boasts 'Champagne' Tree Variety of Palm

DURBAN, Natal, South Africa—Water is scarce in the north of Zululand, but the Zulus don't care so long as champagne continues to grow on trees.

Boys Pay Fine For Damaging Long Man

LONDON.—Five youths were fined \$7.50 each for damaging the "Long Man of Wilmington," 240 feet giant outlined in stone on Windover Hill, Sussex.

YOU'LL GET More Pleasure FROM THIS ALL-STAR COMBINATION



For More Pleasure at the movies see the all-star combination of MELVYN DOUGLAS and JOAN BLONDELL in GOOD GIRLS GO TO PARIS COLUMBIA PICTURES CORPORATION'S current hit.

Dinosaur Bones Found In North

GRANDE PRAIRIE, Alta.—Plowing on his farm near Grande Prairie in the Peace River country of Northern Alberta, Robert Cochran unearthed a quantity of what appeared to be flat or chipped pieces of stone.

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Singing Barber Gets Amateur Haircut

NEW BRITAIN, Conn.—It is doubtful whether Rosario Tata, "The Singing Barber," ever will let another customer cut his hair.

YOUNG PRISONERS PLAY

CLAYTON, Mo.—Juvenile prisoners confined in the St. Louis county courthouse may take a daily swim in a Y.M.C.A. pool in downtown St. Louis, ten miles away.

Now is the time to Dig for Diamonds!

These are the days fortunate souls set out for the four wide corners of the earth... and the rest of us settle down at home—minding the office, minding the children, trying not to mind the temperature!

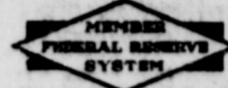
Well—the man in Dr. Conwell's famous sermon searched the world over for diamonds and found them in his own back-yard, didn't he?

Maybe all the luck isn't packed in suitcases bearing resort and steamship labels. This is the year luck has a date with you right in your own back-garden, maybe!

Why not let the advertisers in this publication give you the newest hints on how to spend a modern summer... aided by all the enjoyable, inexpensive conveniences now available. Swings, porch and garden furniture, tools, cars, summer furnishings, cool clothes, good new things to eat and drink—all contribute to happy living. Why not be cool, relaxed, comfortable, this year... right in your own back-yard!



# CONGRATULATIONS LONE STAR GAS COMPANY — And All Employees Of —



BEST OF GOOD WISHES  
AND A  
PROSPEROUS FUTURE  
**EASTLAND NATIONAL BANK**



We are proud to extend best wishes to the Lone Star Gas Company and its employees and are grateful for the privilege of having served those who are citizens of this community. It is through good will and close relationship that we work hand in hand for the progress of Eastland and community and we look forward to a happy association with the employees of this great industry.

## Eastland Furniture Company

West Main Street

Eastland

"TRY TO BUY IT IN EASTLAND FIRST"

We Specialize In All Kinds of Furniture—Awnings—Floor Coverings and Venetian Blinds.

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR THE COOPERATION EXTENDED TO EASTLAND AND COMMUNITY BY THE LONE STAR GAS COMPANY AND THEIR EMPLOYEES. WE EXTEND CONGRATULATIONS TO THEM ON THEIR 30th ANNIVERSARY

## EASTLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

CONGRATULATIONS

— to —  
**LONE STAR GAS CO.**  
and its  
**EMPLOYEES**  
On Their  
**30th**  
**ANNIVERSARY**

Tired of Ordinary Cleaning  
THEN TRY SANITONE



In every step of the cleaning process, you get the advantages of MODERN'S superior experience and skill. The methods used are the latest and the best. That's why so many people prefer SANITONE cleaning to all others. You will too. Take advantage of our services, they'll save you money without the sacrifice of quality!

SEND US YOUR SUITS, DRESSES, SWEATERS, GLOVES, HATS

## MODERN DRY CLEANERS

South Seaman St.

Dyers - Hatters  
Phone 132

Eastland

With a feeling of real friendship and fellowship the business interests of the community extend the handshake of greetings to officials and employees of the Lone Star Gas Company. Eastland has gained a most valuable spirit of progress by having direct participation in the importance of its continued growth to the worthwhile welfare of the community. Through taxable properties, contributions and an unselfish desire to put itself into the hearts of the people as worthy of every consideration. As a token of appreciation the firms and business interests herewith contribute

Best Wishes for a Great Industry and its Employees



### MUIRHEAD MOTOR CO.

Pontiac - Buick - Sales and Service  
East Main St. Eastland

WE WISH TO EXTEND BEST WISHES AND CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LONE STAR GAS COMPANY AND ITS EMPLOYEES

### HOFFMANN & PAGE

Producers of Gas and Pipeline Supplies

Home folks are those who make our everyday lives worthwhile. We are grateful for the privilege of extending the hand of fellowship to an industry and its employees that are truly numbered in our book of good wishes for their continued prosperity in the community.

### CONNELLEE HOTEL and COFFEE SHOP

As the conveniences of Natural Gas are so well known so is our service to those who wish to fill up their car with gasoline and oil. We extend greetings and best wishes to the Lone Star Gas Company and its employees.

### Mitchell's Storage and Service Station

Where There Is Always A Welcome  
Across from Connellee Hotel Eastland, Texas  
Magnolia Mobilgas and Mobiloil

The City of Eastland represented by its Commissioners extend Best Wishes and Congratulations to the Lone Star Gas Company and its employees on their 30th Anniversary.

### CITY OF EASTLAND

The fine spirit of cooperation of the Lone Star Gas Company and its employees with the community which it serves is a meritorious argument for good will aid fellowship. We join with the masses in extending good wishes and congratulations of their 30th anniversary.





# LONE STAR GAS COMPANY Our 30th. Anniversary



J. G. Beskow, President of Lone Star Gas System

GOOD LUCK



IN THE LAND OF PROGRESS WITH MEN OF VISION TO SERVE MANKIND, AN ACHIEVEMENT OF 30 YEARS OF SERVICE DESERVES MERIT AND CONFIDENCE.

CONGRATULATIONS FROM  
**Texas Electric Service Co.**

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BEST WISHES TO LONE STAR GASOLINE CO. AND ITS EMPLOYEES FROM ANOTHER PROGRESSIVE INDUSTRY



CALL 20



Clean Clothes ARE COOL CLOTHES

You can't possibly be cool in hot weather if your clothes are soiled and spotted. Air cannot circulate through greasy, clogged fabrics. However, we will remedy that situation... we'll clean and renew summer clothes so they'll be comfortable, smart, cool! PROMPT SERVICE

**Harkrider Dry Cleaners and Dyers**

West Main Street

Phone 20

Eastland

As one good fellow to another we extend Congratulations to the Lone Star Gas Company and its Employees on their 30th Anniversary.

**THE FASHION**

North Side Square

Eastland

Exclusive But Not Expensive Ladies' Ready To Wear and Shoes

To the officials and employes of the Lone Star Gas Company, we extend our sincere good wishes for all time to come on this their 30th Anniversary.

**EASTLAND DAILY TELEGRAM**

WEEKLY CHRONICLE

The Economy Valued Good Will Gas Companies.

Congratulations to Lone Star Gas Co., and Employees on their 30th Anniversary.

From

**PIPKIN'S PIGGLY WIGGLY**

Serving West Texas With Quality Foods at Economy Prices  
Eastland - Ranger - Breckenridge  
Graham - Olney - Monahans - Odessa

J. J. INC. West Eastland

It is at the table of hospitality that we can think and talk better over the values of a community and its industries. Our cup of good will is extended to all officials and employees of the Lone Star Gas Company.

**ANDREWS CAFE**

East Side Square

Eastland

Service line of built-in hand with maintains a progressive attitude they and its employees.

No greater service can be rendered to a people than that of a valuable industry that helps support it. We join with the citizenship in extending the hand of fellowship to the Lone Star Gas company on its 30th Anniversary.

**LYRIC--CONNELLEE THEATRES**

Fine Clean Motion Picture Entertainment

Hartlett any West Eastland

Master builders are those who serve with a purpose. The Lone Star Gas Company has maintained a standard of service that enriches the community. Best Wishes to them and their employees. We take pleasure in serving master builders with lumber and supplies that stand up for quality and service.

**CROWELL LUMBER COMPANY**

West Main St.

Eastland

Take number they and its employees work on this committee extend the for conference.

Happy landing to the Lone Star Gas Company and its employees on this, their 30th anniversary. Did you know that Dr. Beskow has taken post graduate course for the past four years for the care of the eyes and gives 21 point analytical eye examination? For best eye service come to

**Beskow Jewelry and Optical Company**

West Main Street Next to Penneys Eastland

STORE Eastland

We've just come here but we're glad to join hands with the citizenship in extending Best Wishes to the Lone Star Gas Company on their 30th Anniversary.

**KING - BALL MOTOR COMPANY**

West Main St.

Eastland

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Peace When There Is No Peace

The startling part of Viscount Halifax's speech to the Royal Institute of International Affairs was, of course, the one that made the headlines. It was the defiant passage about how the British were ready to fight, on the sea, in the air, and on land.

And that, of course, is the part which belonged in the headlines. The unfortunate part of it is that probably most people read no farther. If Halifax, the British foreign secretary, had done nothing more than to shout a loud defiance at Germany, his speech would have been no more than another of those "You dastent!" and "I dast too!"s which have passed for diplomacy in Europe's recent years.

But he did go farther. Down in the part of the speech which most people probably did not read, Halifax indicated the way out for Europe and the world. Peoples who feel that they need "lebensraum," or living room, should seek it by breaking down barriers of isolation and ill-feeling, rather than by physical conquest. Then, and only then, can the whole world profit by the immense benefits which science has brought within reach.

"But no such society of nations can be built upon force," he reminded his hearers, "in a world which lives in fear of violence and has to spend its substance in preparing to resist it."

"And there is no more urgent need, if we are ever to find a workable system of international organization, than to invent a peaceful means whereby such changes can be handled. . . . Today, when the European nations, forgetful of their common civilization, are arming to the teeth, it is more important than ever that we should remind ourselves of the essential unity of European civilization."

Halifax then based British foreign policy on two stones: first, the determination to resist force, and second "recognition of the world's desire to get on with the constructive work of building peace."

The trouble is, that when the first line is taken the second is forgotten. In the very resistance to violence with violence, the resister becomes no less violent than the aggressor, with the result that the world's dream and desire for peace flies out the window and another Versailles after the bloodletting becomes inevitable. For it is very hard to imagine a peace closing another European war which would be better than the one made at Versailles, or one which would really solve any of the world's problems.

It is not the destructiveness and horror of another war that dissolves the imagination. It is its utter futility.

The Slovak government has urged that girls marry instead of going to work. This will call for stern measures from Mr. Hitler.

The President asks Congress for \$250,000 to help the immigration service keep up with its work. Wouldn't it be simpler to give it less work?

PINK-FLESHED FISH

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pink-fleshed ocean fish.
6 It is known for its endurance.
13 Eminent.
20 To cancel.
22 Audibly.
24 Electrified particle.
25 Circular ornament.
26 Supped.
27 Short coat.
28 Publicity.
29 Organ of hearing.
34 Label.
36 Folding bed.
38 Dance.
40 Sorcery.
42 Assault.
43 Performed.
45 Opposed to warp.
47 Kind of banana.
48 Dry.
50 Hush!
52 To mock.
53 Like.
55 To accomplish.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

Word puzzle grid with letters and numbers.

VERTICAL

- 41 It is an important fish.
43 Form of "a."
44 Serrated tool.
46 Dress.
48 Tennis point.
49 Negative.
51 Wild cattle.
52 Work of genius.
53 Rodent.
54 Discerned.
56 It is a finned fish.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers.

I'm Just About Ready to Go Nuts!



ONE YEAR TO GO

PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITIES

BY BRUCE CATTON



Secretary Wallace—an idealist who compromises with expediency. HENRY AGARD WALLACE'S chances to become president of the United States depend on various things which are more or less out of his control. One of them is the state of agricultural prosperity, or otherwise; another is the state of mind of President Roosevelt. For the first, Secretary Wallace will be held largely responsible. As director of the most spectacular and costly campaign ever undertaken to improve the farmer's lot, he must stand or fall on the cold-fact results of the drive. Right now he is sort of betwixt and between: farm prices are better now than they were when he took office, but are not as good as either Mr. Wallace or the farmers want them to be. As to the second factor—a die-hard New Dealer, Mr. Wallace could hardly dream of seeking his party's nomination if Mr. Roosevelt wanted it for himself. Until the third-term issue is definitely settled, the secretary's budding campaign will have a hard time coming to flower. A sincere idealist, Mr. Wallace has had to make compromises with expediency. An apostate of plenty, he has had to reduce crop output. He has had to embrace export-subsidies, which he dislikes. If he comes forward as a candidate, the 50-year-old secretary will come as a "favorite son" of Iowa. A complicating factor is that Secretary of Commerce Harry Hopkins is also setting up shop as an Iowan. HIS ASSETS: Considerable influence in the farm belt; an informal, but effective "machine," set up under AAA; a pleasing personality; effective speech-making ability; a record of sound New Dealism. HIS LIABILITIES: The opposition of certain farm groups; indifferent success of the current save-the-farmer campaign; city folks' feeling that he is pretty much a farm-problem man; accumulated resentments piled up by the various triple-A programs. HIS CHANCES: Just fair, with the future unpredictable.

Playing Wild West Proves Expensive

EL PASO, Texas.—Everardo Muniz had a lot of fun playing like the old, wild west was back again. He "shot up" a South El Paso bar. He fired two shots into a mirror behind the bar,

then he fired another bullet through a plate glass window. But he didn't have any fun at all when he was taken into court. He was charged with discharging firearms inside the city limits. The judge decided that \$200 was about the right price for Muniz to pay for the fun he had.

Try Our Want-Ads

A Mirthful Moody



Helen Wills Moody has had the reputation of being a poker face for so long that it's almost an unusual sight to see the former tennis champion break into a broad smile. Something at the Louis-Volante fight in New York caught her fancy in this case.

Rural Route From Ranger Is to Be Extended July 16

A. E. Crawley, acting postmaster of Ranger, announced today the extension of rural route service on one route out of Ranger, which will be effective July 16. The extension is 10 miles on Ranger Route 3, of which C. B. Osteen is carrier. Beginning July 16 the 10 miles, extending east of Leaca, to the Bob Gasscock Ranch will be added, giving better mail facilities to approximately 36 families. Most of these have formerly been served by routes out of Strawn and Caddo.

Advertisement for Hotel Mayfair, Dallas, featuring 'Same Price for One or Two' and '200 250 300' rates.

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CALENDAR WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week prayer services at 8 o'clock at Baptist Church. All members of the Young People's Department are asked to be present at 7:30 for special services. CALENDAR THURSDAY: Choir practice, 8 o'clock, Baptist Church. CALENDAR FRIDAY: Mrs. Claude Strickland will en-

tertain with an "Arkansas party" at her home Friday night. Attend Camp Bullis: A group of Eastland boys, Claude Williams, Carl Van Geem, Bill Gattis, Leon White and John Frank Williams, left last week for Camp Bullis near Fort Sam Houston and plan to be there for the remainder of the summer.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

Advertisement for 'STARS' with text: 'ARE MADE UP OF MATTER VARYING IN DENSITY FROM 0.000014, THAT OF AIR, TO 4,500, THAT OF LEAD.'

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Advertisement for 'SOUTH AMERICA HAS 20,000 KINDS OF BUTTERFLIES; NORTH AMERICA, ONLY ABOUT 700.'

Texas Furnishing 36 Per Cent Of The Gas For The Nation

DALLAS, Tex.—Texas furnished last year over 36 per cent of all the natural gas produced and marketed in the United States, according to a report recently completed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. The development of natural gas resources in Texas has closely followed that of oil development. The Panhandle gas field is the largest natural gas reservoir in the world, from which natural gas is piped to a large number of consuming states. Texas is not only the largest producer of natural gas but also the heaviest consumer, even though large volumes of gas are transported out of the state by pipe lines. Interstate movement of natural gas involves large receipts from surrounding states to offset heavy shipments of the State. Nearly 76 per cent of all the marketed natural gas production in Texas is consumed within the State for industrial and domestic purposes. As a result of the State's large natural gas production, numerous allied industries have been created which furnish employment to thousands of Texas people. Among these are the production of natural gasoline from gas and the manufacture of carbon black from so-called "sour" gas. These allied industries, along with the natural gas business, comprise a substantial part of the State's sources of tax revenue. Since 1927, the production of natural gas in Texas has increased from 17 per cent to 36 per cent of the nation's output; natural gasoline production within the same period increased from 19 to nearly 32 per cent of the national supply, while the production of carbon black has in this 11 year period shown an increase from 28 per cent to 82 per cent of the entire output of carbon black in the United States.

Anniversary—

(Continued from page 1) obtained at Austin by L. B. Denning, now president of the company, and his associates. The first long-distance pipeline was built by Denning and his associates from Petrolia in Clay county to Fort Worth and Dallas. The system now serves 299 towns in Texas and Oklahoma. There is 4,700 miles of pipe and a total of 3,000 employees in the system. The history of the Lone Star Gas company is considered one of the most interesting in business in the Southwest and the nation in that it has developed from an undertaking, the start of which was viewed with skepticism, to a major industry which offers a vital service to the public. All business channels in Eastland and the area have been enriched to a great degree because of the Lone Star company.

Eastland Man at Chevrolet Meeting

A. J. Blevins of Harvey Chevrolet Company at Eastland attended at Abilene this week a school for discussion of parts. Gene Burson, of the Dallas regional office, Chevrolet Motor Division, was one of the instructors. ADDRESSES THE SAME By United Press WILMINGTON, Del.—A Wilmington stationary fireman and a Philadelphia woman—with identical addresses in their respective cities—were married here by Mayor Walter W. Bacon. The couple are William T. Richardson, 77, of 2712 Palenorth Street, Wilmington, and Mary W. Harrison, 57, of the same address, Philadelphia.

Wrong Way Corrigan 'To Wed On Tuesday'

EL PASO, July 12.—Douglas (Wrong Way) Corrigan fixed an ailing airplane at the airport today, then resumed a straight course for San Antonio and matrimony. Confessing that he "kinda" dreaded the big church wedding, which will make Miss Elizabeth Marvin of San Antonio his wife next Tuesday, Corrigan said he otherwise was ready. COCKTAIL "HAIR-RAISING" By United Press BOSTON—A new kind of cocktail, both antiseptic and hair-raising, was revealed with the arrangement of two men before a U. S. commissioner on charges of possessing tax-unpaid liquor. Reportedly sold at 15 cents a bottle, the cocktail was composed of hair tonic, bay rum and water, investigators said.

145 New Charters Granted During May

AUSTIN, Tex.—Business expansion in Texas climbed during May with 145 charters granted to corporations seeking to operate in the State, The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported today. This number was a gain of 14.2 per cent over April and 18.9 per cent ahead of May last year. Total capitalization of the new concerns was up 5 per cent over April and 67 per cent above May, 1938. Britain's 500,000 homing pigeons are to be conscripted at the outbreak of war. Along with the dove of peace,

Vertical column of various advertisements including 'LYRI', 'CHAS. LAUGHTON', 'CLARK GABLE', 'MUTINY', 'THE BOUND', 'CLASSIFIED', 'ROPE A BARGAIN', 'WORLD OF TOMORROW', 'LOW FARES TO ST. LOUIS', 'Go WABA', and 'TRY OUR WANT-ADS'.



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GI' ST DETOUR

BY OREN ARNOLD

to haul lumber to the highway. When Dick offered to help him, Franklin murmured. "Listen, mug," his friend told Dick. "You originally figured to come to Goldcrest on a mining idea you had. Well, you keep at it. I was going to read books. Now books can wait, but every chance you get you go on and investigate the ore dump, see?"

FRANKLIN LARRAWAY had been the surprising one of the four young people. That first morning he had appeared full of bubbling fun and wisecracks, but as time had passed he had changed into a much more serious-minded person. Christine knew the type. Really very shy at heart, he made initial gestures of affability to cover the shyness he felt. She had somehow liked him for it. Except for his two-day trip to Los Angeles, she had been with Franklin Larraway most constantly, she reflected now. She hadn't quite realized that herself, and sitting here on the scaffolding she decided that much of it hadn't been accidental. Franklin had maneuvered to be with her constantly and now she thought startled her a little bit. Especially since he was asking to work with her still more, petitioning humbly as a child might do.

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



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

RED RYDER . . . . . By Fred Harman



community. "In communities where liquor is prohibited the people are stiff, radical, even fanatical. But where there are barrooms, it's entirely different. The people are always ready to welcome you, shake your hand--they're human. "It's entirely against the constitution and the spirit of democracy to say: "You can't do this, Liberty never killed anyone and neither will drink." Despite his stand on the drink-

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—The State Department is studying a plan whereby the United States government could clamp a tight embargo on imports from Japan without any new legislation by Congress. The plan was called to the department's attention by Congressman Earl Lewis, Ohio Republican. Under existing law, the Tariff Commission may, after investigation, raise duties on any imports sufficient to make the price of an imported article equal to the price that article sells for when produced in the United States. It must do so if it is formally requested to do so by either house of Congress. Congressman Lewis suggests that labor costs in Japan are notoriously far below American labor costs. Hence the commission could easily find a sky-high duty on goods from Japan in order. He conferred with State Department officials about it, and the whole scheme is now being given careful scrutiny. Clad in a startling frock coat of cream-colored cloth, ex-Senator Tom Hefflin haunts the Senate cloak rooms these days like a substantial, but somewhat wistful, ghost. He is here for a job, and coals of fire are being heaped on his head. He once was famous as the most rabid anti-Catholic in public life. Now he is about to be attached to the government payroll—and the two men who are going to do the trick are those very devout Catholics, Jim Farley and Frank Murphy. Those summer cruises the Annapolis midshipmen are taking now are no idle holiday trips. The mids really have to work. Most fun is had by the first-class men, who, together with the second-class men, are cruising on the battieships New York, Texas, and Arkansas. They get to fill the parts of enlisted men, all through the three months of the cruise. By turns they are oilers, water-tenders, electricians' helpers, and so on; wear dungarees and get their faces and hands beautifully dirty. By the time the cruise is over, each of them has served in each division of the ship's company—in the most lowly and menial of capacities. Second-class men cruise on destroyers, for 3½-week periods. They perform the duties of petty officers. When they get back to Annapolis they fill out the summer by studying intricate subjects like radio operation and procedure, aeronautics, electricity and marine engineering, take a few practice dives on submarines. Senator Norris of Nebraska is getting on in years; he is also, extremely mild and peaceful in his demeanor. But he apparently is a tough man to tangle with. He was the Senate's half of a conference committee considering TVA legislation. The House had passed a bill severely limiting TVA's chances for expansion, and selected House conferees had a number of sessions with Norris trying to work out some agreement. One of them emerged after an especially fruitless session and wiped his brow despairingly. "That old man," he said, "will do you right out of your eyeteeth if you don't watch him every minute."

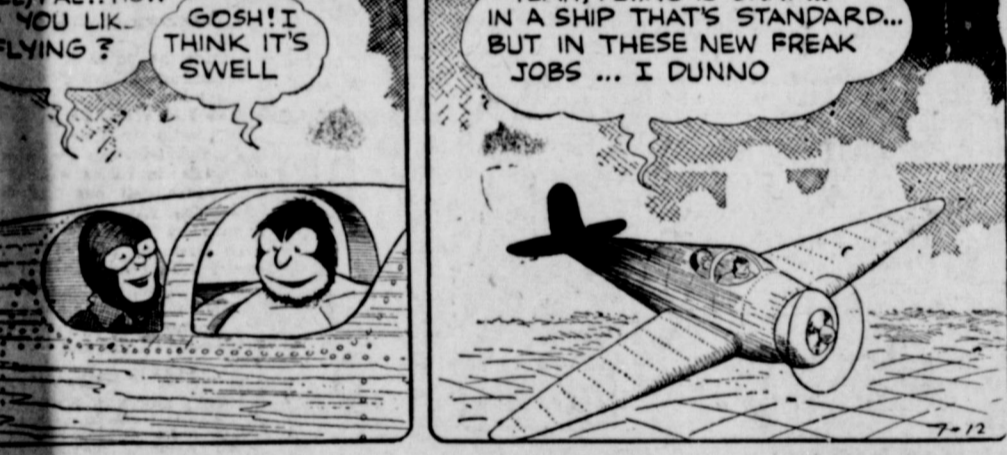
question, Titus has spoken many times before W.C.T.U. groups, Y.M.C.A. and anti-saloon groups. "I guess they like to hear my poetry," he said.

Thief Fixes a Flat Then Steals the Car

EL PASO, Tex.—It wasn't so much the theft of his automobile that disgusted Leslie C. Maska, as it was the fact that the thief fixed a flat tire on the car before driving it off. When a tire went flat just as Maska drove up to the hotel where he stays, he thought that the flat was certain protection against theft. A bellboy said later that he saw someone fixing the tire, but supposed that Maska had ordered the work done. Congress turned down Admiral Byrd's request for another Antarctic expedition. With the civilized world at its present state, they may have been afraid he'd like it well enough to stay there.

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By Hamlin



Actions Cannot Be Alienated Psychiatrist, Backed By Law

FRANCISCO—Alienation actions is not only impossible but an infantile absurdity, according to Dr. S. L. Katzoff, a psychiatrist of the San Francisco Institute of Human Relations. The statement was made in an enactment by California's "gold digger" measure. A breach of promise, seduction or a legal age and other actions are out of the question of affection gigantic swindle that occurred," Dr. Katzoff said. "I'm delighted that the legislature and other states are taking cognizance of this leech-like practice. A breach of promise is the legal basis of alienation of affection. Most love letters from a man are extracted by cunning, and fraud. Especially in the early days of the marriage it should have no bearing factor as to their abilities or their real intentions. Letters are too often accepted as reliable evidence. "The woman who sues for heart-balm is a parasite. An honorable girl appreciates the fact that she has found out—before marriage—that she and the man she kept company with are not mated for each other. As a result of such knowledge they should part in a friendly way. They both should be thankful that they understand and agree that marriage is not for them, so far as the two of them are concerned. "How about girls who throw a ma novel?" asked Dr. Katzoff. "Haven't men a hearts? If men have no hearts, why do women want such heartless beings. Why make it a business of sue those who have money instead of those who haven't."

John Henry Titus Says Barrooms Are Town Barometers

PITTSBURGH.—A barroom is the only true barometer of a community's personality, declares the man who wrote "The Face on the Barroom Floor." "Schools are no indication of a community," said 93-year-old John Henry Titus. "Public buildings and other aspects mean absolutely nothing when one tries to judge a place. It's the barroom which really shows what a community it is." Titus has a pleasant way of making a living. He travels about the nation examining bars and lecturing. In the past 67 years he has averaged 20,000 miles a year and crossed the ocean 18 times. He spends his winters in Florida. Titus wrote the poem which made him famous in 1872. It concerns a vagabond who staggers into a barroom and draws the face of his beloved on the saw-

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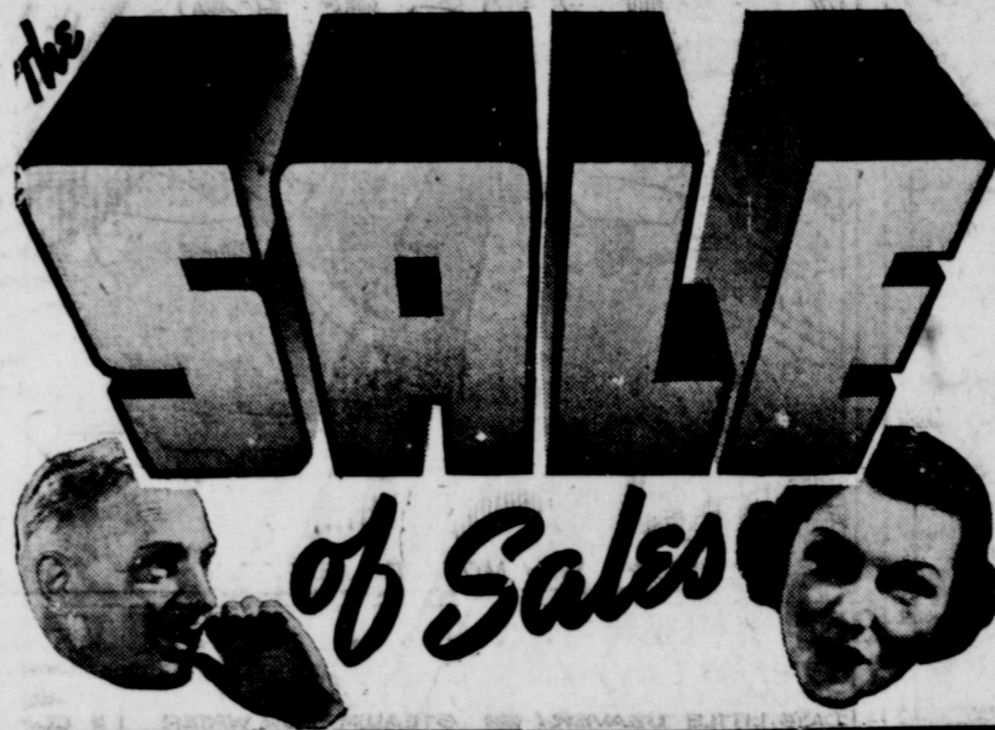
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