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Blasting State 'Tariff' Walls

There isn't a state in the Union that hasn't tried to protect its own industries in some way by regulating the free flow of goods from its neighboring states. There are no tariffs within the United States; but some of the discriminatory measures enforced today are so close to being downright tariffs that the difference is only a technical one.

Secretary of Commerce Harry Hopkins recently suggested an inter-departmental conference among the Labor, Justice, State, and Agricultural departments and the Federal Works Agency and the National Resources Committee to see what could be done about smoothing the roads for interstate commerce.

A good many of the trade walls were erected around states when the going began to get tough after 1929. A few of the states felt the least they could do for their industries was to take every possible step within the limits of the Constitution to eliminate annoying competition from outside.

If trucks from state A couldn't get into state B without paying a mileage tax, the only thing for state B to do was to set up its own licensing or tax regulations for outside trucks. Such control measures naturally affected states C and D, also neighbors, and these states found it necessary to regulate their out-of-state influx.

An idea like that gets around. Most states now not only have fees and taxes to regulate truck shipping, but many levy taxes directly on farm and industrial products shipped in from other states. A few states have even levied taxes against the products of specific neighboring states in retaliation for restrictive measures.

If a committee under the federal departments is appointed to study this intricate situation, a painless way of easing the commercial tension may be uncovered. Much better would be action coming directly from the states involved.

FOOTBALL CELEBRITY

HORIZONTAL

1, 6 Pictured football coach.

12 Dye stuff.

13 Maniple.

14 So be it.

16 Crucifix.

17 Notion.

19 Peers through a crevice.

21 North Carolina.

22 Form of "a."

23 Malt drink.

24 Electric term.

26 Trying.

32 Carpet.

33 Contrives.

34 Sloths.

35 Over.

37 Before.

38 Little devil.

40 Preposition.

42 To corrupt.

44 Genus of grasses.

45 Compass point.

46 Fills with longing.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

15 Aside.

18 Firedogs.

20 Cutting off of vowels.

21 He was born in —.

25 His — of coaching is still in use.

28 Self.

29 Half an em.

28 Hall!

29 Green.

30 Numeral.

31 Aperture.

32 To sin.

39 To entangle.

41 Wigwag.

43 The banteng, a wild ox.

44 To analyze.

45 Intelligence.

47 Surface measure.

49 Dug.

52 Neither.

53 Ever.

55 Street.

56 Scottish.

58 Common verb.

59 Transposed.

VERTICAL

1 Parrot.

2 Ordinary.

3 Consumed.

4 Moth.

5 Measure of type.

7 Relating to his day.

8 To heel over.

9 Bud.

10 Hangman's halter knot.

11 Finale.

61 Sawmill device.

62 Pair.

51 Transgressors.

54 Onto.

55 Observes.

57 Short letters.

58 He was the — coach of his day.

60 He was also a college chemistry —.

A crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1 through 61. The grid is partially filled with letters, and a small portrait of a man is integrated into the puzzle.

SERIAL STORY 5 WOULD KILL BY TOM HORNER

Yesterday, Dawson scans the evidence against each of the four remaining suspects. Decides his best case is against Douglas. He calls the young engineer. He wants that he tell the truth. Hoping to save Ara, Douglas admits he was in the study, within half a minute after Benthorne was killed.

CHAPTER XX
"BUT I did not see who killed Benthorne!" Douglas went on.

"You see, after getting away from Flynn, I ran to the study window — Ara evidently had noticed it was open during her first visit with Benthorne and had suggested my trying it. When I heard Flynn's whistle, I thought I had been seen, and I flopped down behind some shrubbery. Then, when the other patrolman passed by where I was hiding, I decided to get inside the house quickly.

"As I rose and started to push the window up I heard Benthorne shout 'YOU!' and a soft voice answered, almost in a whisper. I couldn't make out the words. There was a shot. I hesitated long enough to draw my own revolver — it's an old style Colt .45 — then pulled myself through the window.

"Benthorne was dead, on the floor beside the desk. The killer was gone. The study door was closed. I braced this heavy chair against it, and as I did I found a red button. Ara told me this morning that it must have dropped off her sleeve early last night. I searched the room, the desk, the safe, even some of the books, while the officers pounded on the door. When they started to take off the hinges I went out the window."

"There was another officer stationed at the back gate," Dawson put in. "Weren't you afraid he might see you?"

"I knew where he was — Ara and I checked the layout pretty thoroughly when we decided we'd have to get to Benthorne some way. He did just as I expected — ran to the nearest call box and put in the alarm, then went back to the rear gate. I had no trouble getting out the front and walking down to where I was to meet Ara and Nick. But they were gone."

"You told me you met them, in your first story, Douglas," the captain reminded him.

"That was to protect Ara," Douglas explained. "I didn't want you to know she had ever left the cab. I didn't know it myself until this morning."

"How about that revolver? Where is it now?"

SERIAL STORY 5 WOULD KILL BY TOM HORNER

thorne had recognized his murderer. Both had said they heard Benthorne say "YOU!" just before he was killed.

It was unlikely that both of them would have told the same story unless it actually had happened. There was little chance of their getting together to compare notes.

Of the five he had named in his note, there was only one whom Benthorne had never met — John Douglas. Still, Douglas might have been lying about not being able to get to see Benthorne. But if he had met him once, why should he take such a desperate chance to confront the man again?

That left Benthorne's wife, Alston. She and the girl. Too bad the girl knew about the cat, but it couldn't be helped, now.

Dawson returned to the desk, to glance again at the note Flynn had handed him. "Benthorne killed with a .32 caliber bullet," the patrolman had written. "Markings indicate possibility of ordinary revolver."

Joey had warned him not to forget ballistics. If he could only find that gun. Joey had carried a .38 automatic. Douglas had mentioned a .45 Colt. Being a westerner, Douglas would probably own that type of gun. A woman might own a little, light .32. She might even carry it in her purse.

Then there was the cat, Flynn's luck again. Had someone, knowing Benthorne to be superstitious, put this cat deliberately in his way? That person would have to know him well. Neither Ara nor Douglas knew that much about Benthorne — or did they?

Benthorne's note had mentioned other warnings. Dawson pulled the paper from his wallet, studied it again.

"OUT OUR WAY" By William



RED RYDER By Fred Harma



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By United Press
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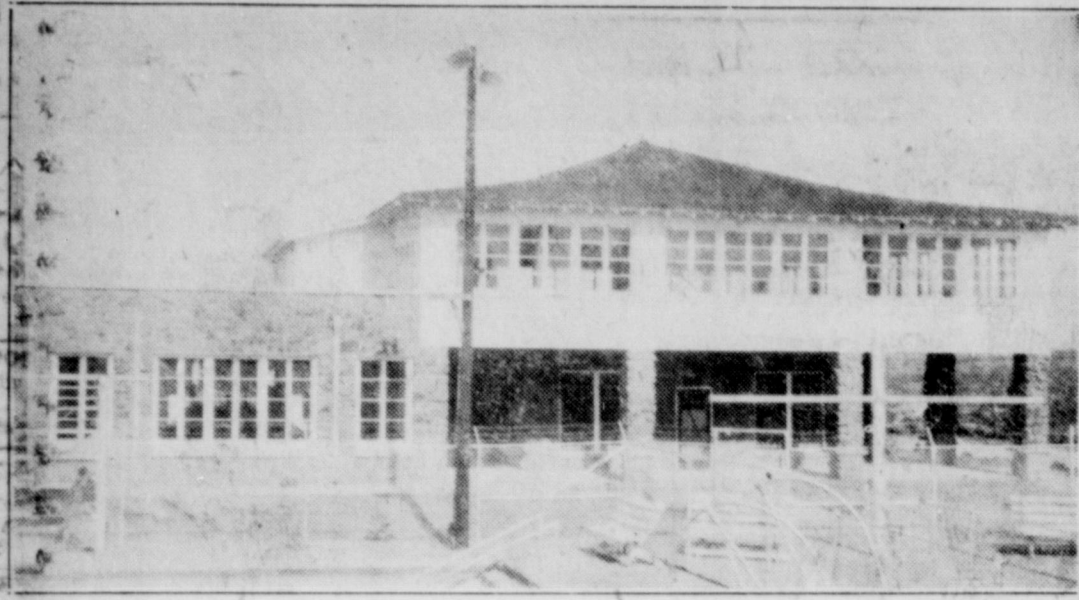
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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
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 EASTLAND, TEXAS

Building To Be Dedicated at Program at Eastland



Above is pictured the clubhouse at the City Park in Eastland which has been leased from the City of Eastland and is to be dedicated in a program Saturday and Sunday. On the left is the meeting-recreation room. At the top right is the banquet-dance floor. The bottom right is where the kitchen is located.

POST COMMANDER



Henry Johnson, who heads the Eastland Legion Post, which is dedicating the clubhouse Saturday and Sunday.

Japan Diet To Get Sterilization Plan

By United Press
 TOKYO.—A bill providing for the compulsory sterilization of all Japanese suffering from serious hereditary diseases will be introduced in the next session of the Diet, it is understood here.
 The measure to be offered by the welfare ministry, would make operations mandatory only in extreme cases but would open the door to voluntary sterilization of those less seriously affected.

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The Hands of Good Will And Bargains Are Extended!

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Paper Again To Publish Letters To Santa Claus

Children of Eastland and of the surrounding territory are again reminded that this newspaper, as its usual custom, will again print Santa Claus letters this season. The letters may be brought by the children or their parents to the office of publication at 106 Plummer street or sent by mail. As a grammar school activity, it is suggested that teachers have their students write letters to be published. In past years hundreds of letters have been published, advising Santa Claus of the wants of children.

Tallest Cagers To Get A New Center

CANYON, Tex.—West Texas State Teachers' College basketball team—published as the "tallest team on earth"—is getting a new center. He's Charley Halbert of House, N. M., and Charley skims the rafters at 6 feet, 10 inches. West Texas starts its 1939-40 season Dec. 11 and 12 with a pair of games against New Mexico State College of Silver City. The games will be here and will be followed Dec. 19 and 20 with the West Texas Buffaloes playing Drake University's powerful Missouri Valley Conference quintet.

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HAPPY RELIEF FROM PAINFUL BACKACHE Lumber Industry Sees Good Business AUSTIN, Tex.—Southern lumber mills nudged their production during October to a point 1.2 per cent above October a year ago and 2 per cent above September, 1939, the University of Texas business research bureau has found. Average weekly production was 304,313 board feet last month, while weekly shipments climbed 4.3 per cent ahead of October last year to total 362,818 board feet. Average unfilled orders per unit at the end of the month jumped 41.3 per cent above October, 1938, to total 976,202 board feet. Both shipments and unfilled orders declined from September, however, the former 2.9 per cent, the latter 16.4 per cent.

Free Show For Kids Saturday

Eastland merchants are sponsoring a free show for children of Eastland and the surrounding territory at the Connellee Theatre at 10:30 Saturday morning, it was announced. Admission will be free, it was emphasized. The feature attraction will be "Heroes of the Hills," with "The Three Mesquiteers" in the prominent roles. The show is being given by the merchants in cooperation with Cecil Barham, resident manager for Texas Consolidated Theatres, Inc.

Rudolph Friml, the composer, says he gets his inspiration from the Ouija board. It's reassuring to know some of it comes from something other than a woman's eyes.

TO RELIEVE HEADACHE FAST! DEMAND GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN. 228 pairs ladies Shoes, brogue sizes, from our regular \$2.98 line. All sizes in the group at exactly 1-2 price choice \$1.49. ECONOMY STORE

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Sunday-Monday TO THIS ROLE... ABOVE ALL OTHERS... HE GIVES THE FULL SCOPE OF HIS GENIUS! PAUL MUNI in JAMES HILTON'S Sensational Novel "WE ARE NOT ALONE" —ALSO— Merrie Melody Cartoon Fagin's Freshmen "LATEST NEWS"

Tuesday-Wednesday THE KILLER-DILLER OF THRILL SHOWS! BOB HOPE Paulette Goddard in "THE CAT AND THE CANARY" With John Beal Douglas Montgomery And All This Too— Cary Wilson "A FAILURE AT FIFTY" Ray Whitley "CUPID RIDES THE RANGE"

THURSDAY—ONE DAY ONLY GLORIA JEAN—ROBT. CUMMINGS NAN GREY—VIRGINIA WEIDLER MARGARET LINDSAY—BILLY GILBERT "THE UNDER - PUP" ALSO—A Comedy and Stranger Than Fiction

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Society Notes

Fete
Members of the J. O. Y. of the First Baptist Church will be host tonight at a Christmas tea in the lower assembly of the church honoring mothers. The tea will begin 8:30 and will be followed by a feature of the evening, a Christmas tree gift exchange.

Girl Born
Mrs. Paul Brashiers announce the birth of a baby girl regularly Thursday, December 7, at the Hospital. The baby weighed 2 pounds.

Congratulations
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster of

HOT ONE—54 inch woolens in stripes, plaids or plain colors. Regular \$1.98 values, Friday and Saturday Special .67 yard.

ECONOMY STORE

Scranton announce the birth of a baby girl, weight 8 pounds, which was born Thursday morning, December 7, at the Payne Hospital. The baby has been named Mamie Frances.

"I'VE GOT HAIR ON MY CHEST— BUT IT DOESN'T KEEP ME WARM"

"I stopped being one of the polar-bear boys last year. When the trees shed their leaves, I shed my Summer underwear and climb into comfortable HANES middleweight WINTER SETS."

Gentlemen, HANES middleweight WINTER SETS take the shivers out of Winter winds. Yet indoors, you don't feel itchy and bundled-up. And the HANESKMIT Crotch-Guard gives you gentle athletic support with the convenience of a buttonless fly-front. Choose one of the WINTER SET styles. See your HANES Dealer today. P. H. Hanes Knitting Company, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Hanes Winter Sets 50c to 79c



HANES HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

Proof of the Kill Is In the Picture



Here is photographic proof of the hunting prowess of four Eastland sportsmen who, as the picture shows, killed five turkeys on a hunt in Kimble county. Left to right, City Manager M. H. Kelly, City Commissioner C. T. Lucas, Mayor C. W. Hoffmann and Guy Patterson, Cosden dealer.

Eastland Personals

C. F. Sheppard was confined to his home today because of illness.

Special Variety of Cotton Sells For Price of \$180 Bale

MOBILE, Ala.—Cotton recently brought \$180 a bale in Mobile. It wasn't the ordinary variety, however. It was sea island cotton, grown in Mobile and Baldwin counties.

Agents for a Boston firm bought the cotton at the second annual sale, paying from 29 to 36 cents a pound for it. Twenty-seven bales were sold, at an average of 33 cents a pound.

Excessive rains cut down production this season, growers reported, but normally an acre of land will produce one-third of a bale.

Men's Red Wing Cowboy Boots, sizes 6 to 10, regular \$10.95 values at choice \$7.83
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- PORK SAUSAGE, Country Style, lb. 18c
- PICNIC HAMS, 4 to 6 lb. avg., Tenderized, lb. 19c
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- BACON SQUARES, Not Jowls, lb. 17c
- SALT PORK, No. 1 Sides, lb. 13c
- HENS, Fresh Dressed, lb. 15c
- BABY BEEF ROAST, Choice Cuts, lb. 18c
- BABY BEEF STEAK, Choice Cuts, lb. 25c
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- IOWANA BACON Lb. 23c
- Peanut Butter FULL QUART 25c
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- Baking Powder 32 OZ. GOLD LABEL 13c
- Rice 2 Lbs. 15c
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- P. & G. Soap 5 Bars 19c
- Salad Dressing Per Quart 25c

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- TURNIPS AND GREENS 3 Bunches 10c
- CARROTS 3 Bunches 10c
- GREEN BEANS, 2 lbs. 10c
- CELERY, Medium Stalk 13c
- APPLES, Winesap, 2 dozen 29c
- BANANAS Medium Size 2 Dozen 22c
- TOMATOES, Fresh Ripe, 2 lbs. 15c
- LETTUCE, Good Firm Heads, 2 for 9c
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Rayon Satin Princess Slips with lace trim, adjustable shoulder straps. Special for Christmas.

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Rich, deep, soft... tufted Chenille Robes. Slenderizing stripes, both front and back. An ideal Christmas Gift! Colors, White and Tearose.

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Cozy and warm Bod JACKETS for her for Christmas... Colors Blue and Tearose.

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Princess Slip—Straight cut. Embroidered front... of excellent Rayon Satin. Color, Tearose.

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Magazine Rack—13 inches high. Walnut finish.	RADIO TABLE—12 x 18. 24 inches high. Walnut finish.
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for HIM:

No man ever has too many things to wear! Our holiday season showing is complete—Garments worth much more than Burr's prices could indicate. We suggest Early Shopping!

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Men's Boxed Suspenders—leather ends, 40 in. long... fancy designs... a large assortment. Ideal for a Christmas Gift.

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Give him Shirts on Christmas morning! You'll find in our store glorious new patterns and colors and at prices that are right.

98c and \$1.35

Men's Leather Jackets—He will appreciate a Leather Jacket for Christmas. We have many styles and different leathers from which to choose

\$6.95 and \$9.90

GIFT SUGGESTIONS... for HIM:

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Men's Blanket Robes made of the famous Ombre Beacon Cloth. The sure fire Christmas Gift.	
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3 Pairs... \$1.00	

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All Wool Plaid Scarfs—fringed ends. Size 12 x 46 in. Assorted styles in colors of wine, brown, navy, black and white.

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98c

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