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oters Battle in Streets at Heated Louisiana Primary



ere was fighting in the streets down in old Louisiana as its Long political machine tussled at the polls with four "reform" candidates. James A. Noe, one of nominees in state's heated Democratic gubernatorial primary, figured in two street battles and was arrested.

COLD HAMPERS EUROPE'S WAR AGAIN TODAY

Cold weather in Europe doubled the hardships brought on because of the two major wars that are in progress, both for the soldiers on the front lines and for those who have remained at home.

Despite the cold the Russians continued their slow withdrawal from the Salla front, where Finns had reported an encircling movement, but which they now admit was failing as the Russians had apparently avoided the same traps which had caused the downfall of the 163rd and 44th Russian divisions.

It was indicated that the withdrawal was more strategic on the part of the Russian forces than a forced retreat caused by Finnish counter attacks, and it was indicated that the Russians were much stronger in that area than the Finnish report had indicated. It is estimated that fully 40,000 Russian soldiers are engaged in the retreat, which has already covered more than 30 miles.

It is expected that, with the withdrawal completed, Soviet officials will keep a large number of troops massed across the border from the Salla front, in an effort to break through the Finnish waistline toward Norway with the coming of Spring and warmer weather. It is here that the real test of Russian and Finnish strength is expected in the spring.

Three air raid alarms were sounded in Helsinki, with more than 200 explosions reported. The raids were on the north, west and east outskirts of the city, none of the planes reaching the central section of the city. The planes flew so high they could not be seen from Helsinki.

Reports of explosions, probably due to air raids, were reported from the coast. Meantime Russia sent a note of apology to Norway and Sweden in answer to protests about Russian planes flying over their frontiers.

ail Seizure By Britain Extends To Airplane Mail

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Protests to Great Britain over seizure of mail from the United States on the high seas were forestalled today by resentment in Britain's answer to the foremost protest lodged by the secret state.

Although state department officials withheld any comment upon Britain's reply to the protest, it was revealed that they held it a violation of international law.

ouths Preparing To Enter Stock In Show Of Section

All 4-H club boys who have been getting prepared for shows of their area and the state, according to a report today of A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent.

Two of the initial shows are tentatively set for March 1 and 2 at Cisco and March 7 at Cisco, said Pratt.

There are 15 or 20 boys who have registered dairy cows and calves who will enter them in town. Ten youths have from Morton Valley have registered hogs which they will enter in the exhibitions. Probably six boys will enter fat steers in the various shows, Pratt also stated.

Testimony Heard In Accident Case

Introduction of testimony continued today in the trial of Tilman Stubblefield, charged with murder without malice in connection with the automobile accident which several months ago of Lee Guy of Abilene.

The case is to be decided by a jury, Judge E. W. Patterson is presiding. Representing the defendant is F. D. Wright of Cisco, Grady Owen of Brownwood and W. D. R. Owen of Eastland. Earl Conner, Jr., criminal district attorney, is representing the state.

Court was recessed this morning as a witness was being sought. The court was to begin again this afternoon at 1:30.

PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

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

Affirmed on Certificate: Vada W. White, et vir, vs. Cisco Mortgage Loan Co., Stephens.

Dismissed: Willis Ralph Smith, et vir, vs. Mrs. Ollie D. Reed, et al, Eastland.

Motions Submitted: Vada W. White, et vir, vs. Cisco Mortgage Loan Co., appellee's motion to affirm on certificate, Vada W. White, et vir, vs. Cisco Mortgage Loan Co., appellee's motion to dismiss appeal, Willis Ralph Smith, et vir, vs. Mrs. Ollie D. Reed, et al, appellant's motion to dismiss cause, Randolph Junior College vs. E. Buford Isaacks, appellant's motion to postpone submission.

Motions Granted: Carrie Ella Tipton, et vir, vs. Josephine Tipton, et al, appellee's motion for postponement of submission and extension of time for filing brief, J. G. Terry vs. D. L. McNabb, et al, appellant's motion to extend time for submission and filing briefs, Vada W. White, et vir, vs. Cisco Mortgage Loan Co., appellee's motion to affirm on certificate, Willis Ralph Smith, et vir, vs. Mrs. Ollie D. Reed, et al, appellant's motion to dismiss cause, Randolph Junior College vs. E. Buford Isaacks, appellant's motion to postpone submission.

Motion Dismissed: Vada W. White, et vir, vs. Cisco Mortgage Loan Co., appellee's motion to dismiss appeal.

Cases Submitted Jan. 19, 1940: W. R. Sipe vs. E. G. Sayer, et al, Fisher.

Cases to be Submitted Jan. 26, 1940: The State of Texas vs. Mrs. Ruby Davis, et al, Dawson. City of Ranger vs. Howard R. Gholson, Adm'r., et al, Eastland.

County Girl Takes Part In Conference

DENTON, Jan. 19.—Miss Jessie May Wrinkle who teaches in the Desdemona school system, took part in the Joint Conference of Student Teachers in Training and Teachers in Service held at Texas State College for Women recently.

Sponsored by the home economics department at TSCW, the program included discussion on the place of home economics in the modern curriculum and the various phases of homemaking programs in Texas schools. Miss Wrinkle aided in these panel discussions.

Narcotics Lead To A Series Of Crimes

FORT WORTH, Jan. 19.—Jack Stafford, 63, of Austin, arrested here in connection with holdups, stated today that a desire for narcotics caused him to stage tabac holdups in Austin, San Antonio, Waco, Dallas and Fort Worth.

Aged Ranger Man Will Be Buried On Sunday Afternoon

Frank Ramey Bowles, 84, who died in Ranger Thursday, will be buried from the First Methodist Church of Ranger, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Dr. G. Alfred Brown, pastor of the church, conducting the services, assisted by Rev. W. C. Childress of Fort Worth. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery, with Killingsworth in charge.

The deceased was born in Springfield, Mo., Dec. 16, 1855 and had been a resident of Ranger for the past 18 years. He was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Dora Bowles, four daughters, Mrs. A. C. Koeninger, Plainview; Mrs. W. C. Childress, Fort Worth; Mrs. Rex Outlaw, Evansville, Ind.; and Miss Beulah Bowles, Denton; one sister, Mrs. Lina Wetzel, Greenfield, Mo., 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The body will lie in state in the Methodist church from one o'clock Sunday afternoon until time for the funeral.

Snow Cruiser Has A Narrow Escape

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The navy department was informed today that the \$150,000 snow cruiser, built for Admiral Richard Byrd, and which is now in Little America, had narrowly escaped serious damage when it was being unloaded there.

The snow cruiser crushed the ramp on which it was being driven from the boat, and crashed into the ice. Only prompt action by the cruiser's driver prevented serious damage, messages stated.

Youth's Funeral Held At Eastland

Funeral services for Charles C. Hickman, 21, formerly of Eastland, who died this week at Fort Hill, Okla., were scheduled this afternoon in Eastland.

Services were to be at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor, officiating. Burial was set in Eastland cemetery.

Mr. Hickman was a nephew of Mrs. Della M. Harbin of Eastland. Hamner Undertaking Company was to be in charge of services.

Terracing Work Done By Agent

Terracing, according to a report from the county agents today, has been one of the main interests of the officials this month. County Agent Elmo V. Cook reported that he has run lines on 745 acres of crop and pasture land on 22 farms.

4-H Dairy Club Meets Saturday

A reorganization meeting of the Eastland County 4-H Dairy Club is scheduled to be held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 in the county agent's office.

A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent, stated today that all 4-H club members who are owners of registered Jersey calves or cows are expected to attend.

Joe Shelton of Brownwood, who is president of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club, will be a speaker at the meeting.

Pratt also said that anyone interested is invited to attend.

4-H Work Pays To Morton Valley Boys

Four-H work pays. Not only in knowledge gained from the experience in demonstrations but financially as well.

This was shown today when A. C. Pratt, assistant county agent, reported that six 4-H members at Morton Valley made from \$25 to \$90 on their hog demonstration last year.

The youths were Paul Eubank, Billy Crouch, Raymond Beck, Thomas Hulm, Shelton Tankersley and S. W. Lamineck, Jr. All of the youths except Lamineck bought registered Poland China pigs for their demonstration and the sows farrowed in September. Litters averaged six to eight pigs for each of the sows.

Lamineck bought a China boar which is considered very good for breeding. He bought the animal in the Spring of 1939.

Dr. Butte Will Be Buried In Austin

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Perry Jones of Austin and Dr. Felix Butte of Dallas, children of Dr. George C. Butte, 62, who died in Mexico City yesterday, stated today they would bring his body back to Austin for burial.

The Quick and the Dead on the Arctic Front



The war is over for ill-clad Russian soldiers pictured at top. Captured by Finns, they enjoy solace of cigarettes in a prison camp. Grim death on frozen battlefields overtook many of their comrades—such as slain Russian pictured below. Mate evidence of his tragic story is bandage and scissors, foreground, indicating he tried to bandage his wounded foot, and box of matches nearby, with which he probably tried to light a fire before deadly cold and loss of blood ended his suffering. Photos by Eric G. Calcraft, NEA Service staff photographer operating with the Finnish forces in the north.



SIX DIE FROM BURNS DURING COLD WEATHER

At least six deaths were attributed to the cold in Texas today, with that number having been fatally burned in fires at Austin and Fort Worth.

At Austin, where five were burned to death during the night, the cold's death list was the highest in the state.

Those fatally burned were Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Guzman, Pete and Joe Hernandez and Thomas Ruiz.

J. W. Stitt, 79, of Fort Worth, died as the result of burns he sustained when his bathrobe caught on fire when he was standing in front of a heater.

Many rural schools were closed, because of the cold weather, jails were thrown open to indigents and damage to citrus crops in the Rio Grande Valley ran into thousands of dollars.

Continued cold was forecast for tonight.

1940 Auto Tags Are Delivered

C. H. O'Brien, assessor-collector, has announced the receipt of automobile registration plates to be used this year.

The plates, manufactured by the Texas prison system, go on sale February 1 and April 1 is the deadline to secure the plates for operating automobiles.

State law forbids the use of the new plates, however, until March 1.

The passenger tags have purple letters on a white background and are numbered 356-551 to 363-250. The commercial license employ the use of orange letters on a black background and are numbered from 62-051 to 63-050.

Farm licenses are numbered from 35-601 to 36-350 and black letters are used on an orange background.

British Disclaim Knowledge of Port Being Closed Up

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—Nazi officials reported today that their naval warfare against British shipping had become so effective that England was now fearing for the safety of all her shipping, and had closed the port of Liverpool because of submarine activity in the vicinity and mines which were hampering shipping.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—The British admiralty today stoutly denied that the port of Liverpool had been closed to shipping, or that any such move was being contemplated.

It was pointed out that the Nazi sea warfare was having but little effect upon British shipping, despite German claims, and that England was not really feeling the pinch.

Meantime word was received here that another freighter had been sunk in the North Sea by a German submarine.

No Hope Is Seen For Borah Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Sen. William E. Borah, 74, republican, Idaho, was weakening steadily today from cerebral hemorrhage, following a fall at his home Tuesday.

Friends said that his death was considered certain and that it appeared the veteran senator had but a few hours to live.

Physicians today gave up all hope for his recovery.

County Group Will Attend AAA Meeting

A group from Eastland county is to attend an AAA range school Wednesday in Brownwood, according to announcement today.

Those planning to attend are C. W. Mainer, county AAA administrative assistant; Elmo V. Cook, county agent; T. E. Castleberry, R. R. Bradshaw, J. D. Guy, and E. E. Blackwell, the latter all members of the county AAA committee.

HARDEST COLD WAVE SWEEPS OVER NATION

Cold weather prevailed from Alaska through Western Canada, the Northwest and Mid-west United States and through the Southwest to the Gulf Coast today in the record cold wave in seven years of most sections.

Not since 1933 has the mercury dropped so low through most sections of Texas.

Below zero weather prevailed throughout the northwest, extending southward through Kansas and into parts of Oklahoma today. Coldest spot in the nation was Cody, Wyoming, with a reading of 32 below zero.

Other cold spots in the nation included Butte, Mont., 31 below; Yellowstone National Park, 20, and Des Moines, Iowa, 17.

Sleet covered much of the Gulf Coast area of Texas with snow falling in large areas of West Texas. The cold was indirect cause of many fires throughout the country, with many reported in Chicago, and 45 alarms being sounded in Dallas.

Sickness and suffering were reported in north central states, with pneumonia reported in Missouri, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana and Minnesota.

Freezing prevailed to the Gulf Coast of Texas.

British Probing London Explosion

LONDON, Jan. 19.—British Army Intelligence divisions joined Scotland Yard today in investigating possible sabotage in the blast which wrecked a North London powder plant Thursday, doing considerable damage and injuring scores of people.

The blast followed recent Irish Republican Army bombings, which have terrorized portions of London in recent months, and came on the heels of reported sabotage plots, originating in Germany which were supposed to be directed against bridges and railway stations in England.

Only 12 hours after the blast in London a similar explosion rocked Bogota, Colombia, where nine were injured.

Colombia officials denied that there was any hint of sabotage in the explosion there, however, stating that a short-circuited line was the cause of the accident.

Knights Columbus Gather In Ranger

The Ranger Council of Knights of Columbus met in Ranger at St. Rita's Catholic Church Tuesday evening at 7:30 when C. K. Walsh, state deputy of Wichita Falls was the principal speaker.

A dinner was served to members and visitors from Cisco. James O'Neal of Ranger was in charge of arrangements for the meeting.

Cooperation Given In Business Census Says Enumerator Cox

Ed T. Cox, Sr., in charge of the business census enumeration now being conducted in Eastland county, reports he is receiving, in most instances, wholehearted cooperation from businessmen and merchants.

The business census is expected to be completed in April at which time the general population census will be initiated.

Mr. Cox declared that some businessmen are suspicious of the nature of the census now being conducted. Replies are held in strict confidence, the enumerator pointed out, and the results of the census are only available to the Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

After Mr. Cox completes the securing of answers to questions from businessmen he will go into the rural areas of the county and conduct a census of farms and ranches which will be one of the most inclusive ever conducted.

The present census covers the names of the businesses, owners, type of organization, sales of the establishment, the present stock, the amount of accounts collectable and similar information.

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No matter how hard Americans try, they can't forget there is war in Europe. One can't be casual about it. It pervades all our national life. It hangs over us like a persistent ghost, and it's pretty hard to shrug your shoulders at a ghost.

For a little while before the President sent his budget message to Congress, people in this country were beginning to look at the war as something purely objective, something associated with the United States only remotely. The Christmas season helped that feeling along a little. We were sympathetic toward Finland, contemptuous of Russia. We sighed when the Graf Spee sunk off the coast of Uruguay and were grateful that the whole nasty incident didn't happen in some United States port.

Even though the war scene was brought closer to our front door, much of the fatalism concerning our eventual involvement had vanished. We had come to the conclusion that the war wouldn't touch us and that we needn't worry about it too much.

Then the President submitted his budget. Almost every item was clipped except one—national defense. The chief executive asked an appropriation of \$1,800,000,000 for defense—more than was requested for any other program. The unfortunate aspect of the whole thing is that we've got to spend money for defense, whether we'll need it or not. As a matter of fact, the more we spend, the less likely may be our need for it.

Even the \$1,800,000,000 isn't as much as most observers had expected. But it's a good deal more than can be comfortably laughed off. On the basis of 130,000,000 people in this country, that comes to about \$14 a head. To help meet this item, about 469,000,000 in new taxes must be raised, preferably, the President asked, through a super income tax plan.

Although we haven't taken up arms, it's difficult for us to forget for long that the god of war is abroad again. Everything we do as a government, from now until the conflicts are settled, will be influenced by events abroad. We are not self-sufficient; the world means a good deal to us.

Making one's way in a world that is being shattered requires some pretty agile footwork. The United States government must be careful in everything that it does, but no more careful than every citizen within the country must be.

It is the series of small, unimportant incidents that can pile a pand lead to a sudden explosion. We are still neutral, but the rights of a neutral nation aren't as exalted as we'd like them to be. Many of the routine things we do as a matter of course in time of peace are banned or restricted when war gets under way.

If we've got to spend \$1,800,000,000 for a war machine—and we probably shall—let's keep the machine bright and shiny. Let's try never to find an occasion to use it.

"OUT OUR WAY"

By Williams



Top Performer in Squash Racquets



Alfred (Scotty) Ramsey of Cleveland regained his National Professional Squash Racquets Championship when he defeated Eddie Schaeffer of Pittsburgh in the national tourney in Detroit. Ramsey was champion in 1928, but failed to defend his honors last year.

Frank E. Gannett Puts Hat in Ring



Frank Gannett, Rochester, N. Y., publisher and anti-New Dealer, answered his party's "call to duty" and announced his candidacy for Republican presidential nomination. He will fight with Thomas E. Dewey for New York's 92 votes at national convention.

TRAILS NEWS 45 YEARS
KAHOKA, Mo.—Sam Ball, 76-year-old publisher of the Gazette-Herald, believes he holds some kind of a record for bicycle riding. For 45 years Ball has used his bicycle in riding to and from work, in gathering news and in making short trips.

Women Seeking Honest Labels On Woolen Products

FORT WORTH, Tex.—The ladies auxiliary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association looked to congress this week for passage of a new "honest wool" statute.

These ladies—who's avowed job is to broaden the market for the products their husbands grow—can spot a good piece of wool at forty paces, day or night. Unfortunately, they claim, many other women can't.

Therefore the auxiliary started writing congressmen to enlist support for a so called "honest wool law." It would require the strict labeling of textile contents on any piece of goods. According to this women's group, the biggest racket on the market is shoddy wool. Shoddy wool, they say, is scraps

of wool reworked. The scraps may come from a garbage can, rag bag or almost any place except from a sheep's back. The reliable woolen goods is made from virgin wool. The new law would call for "honest" labels on all textiles, silk and cotton included. The auxiliary was organized a year ago in San Antonio and held

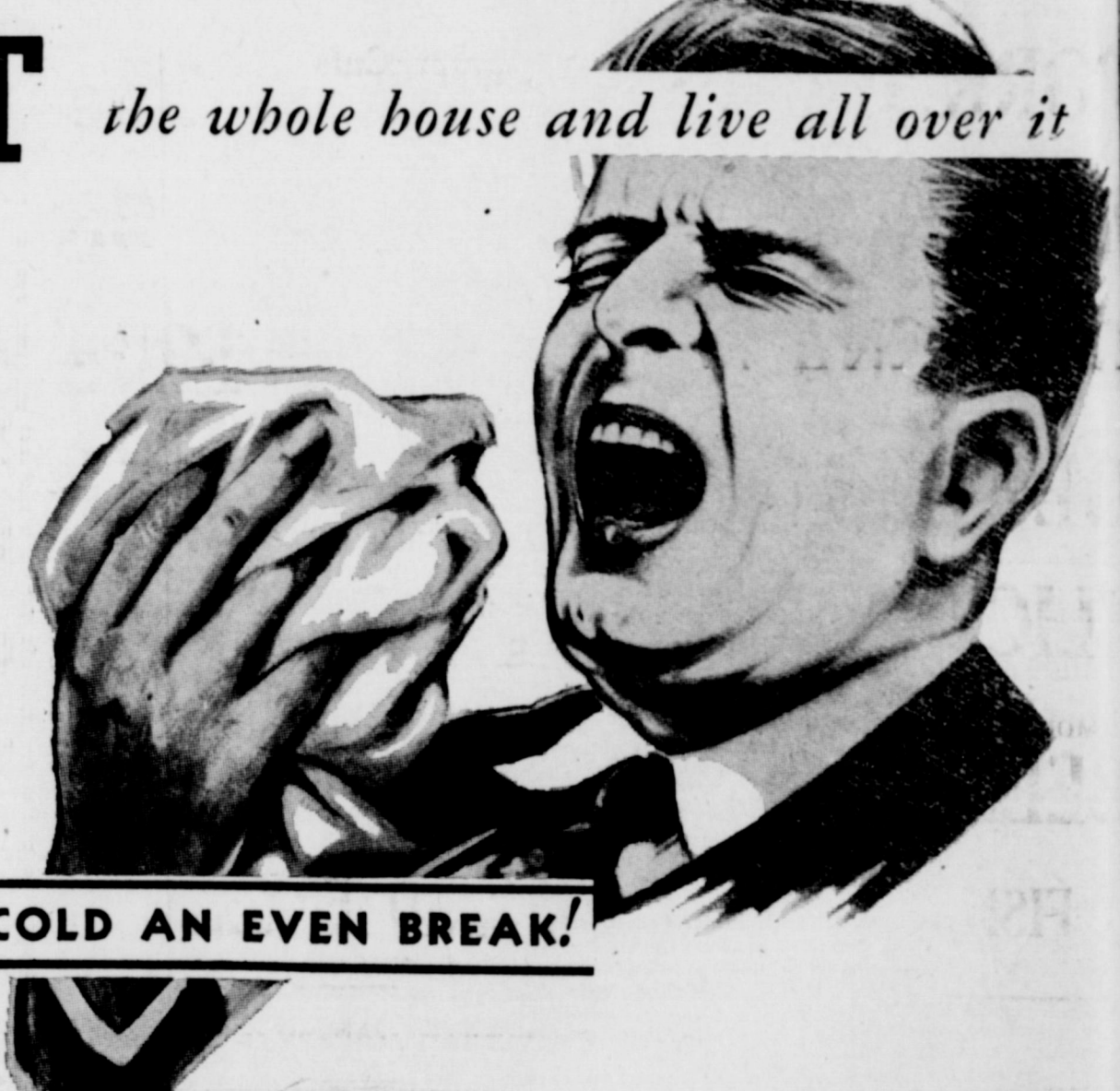
its first meeting in Fort Worth. In addition to clamor set up by textile law, the group will publicize lamb stew, mutton and other such delicacies. Congress probably will attend to the President's proposals. It will prefer its own way into the red.

HEAT the whole house and live all over it

A recent bulletin of the Texas State Department of Health warns against the danger of the common cold, which often leads to pneumonia and other serious winter illnesses.

In 1939 the number of Texans stricken with pneumonia ALONE was equal to one out of every ten homes located on the lines of Lone Star Gas System. Guard against the dangers of sudden changes of temperature by heating your entire home for your health's sake during the short winter season.

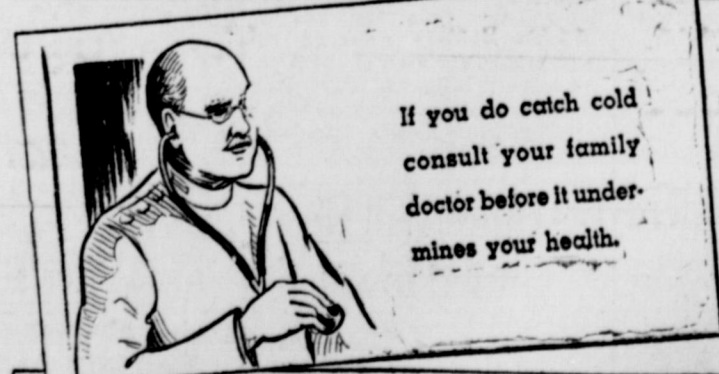
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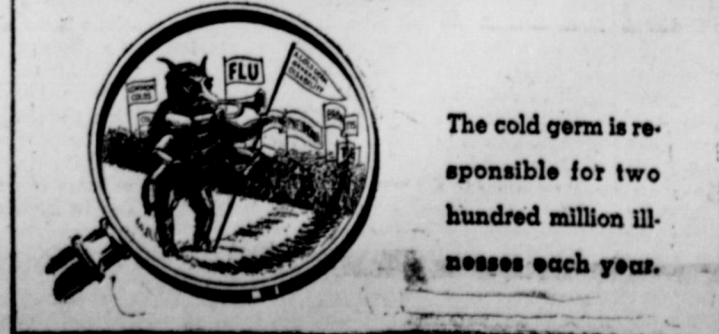
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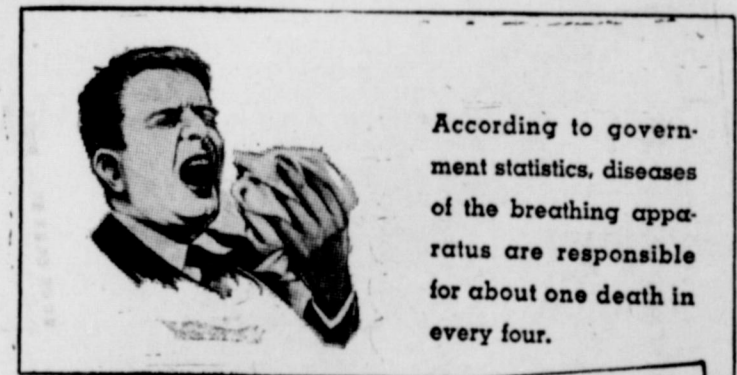
Only a cold—but serious disease may follow. Don't give a cold an even break.



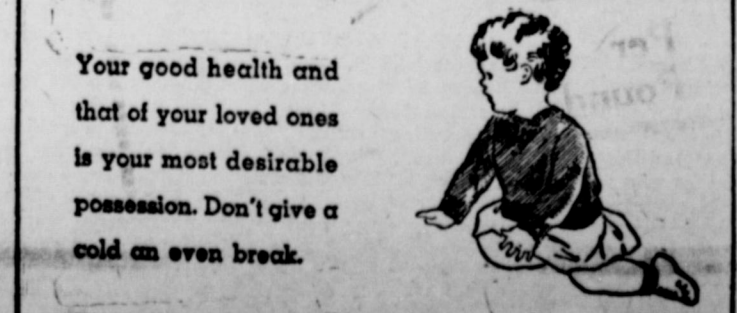
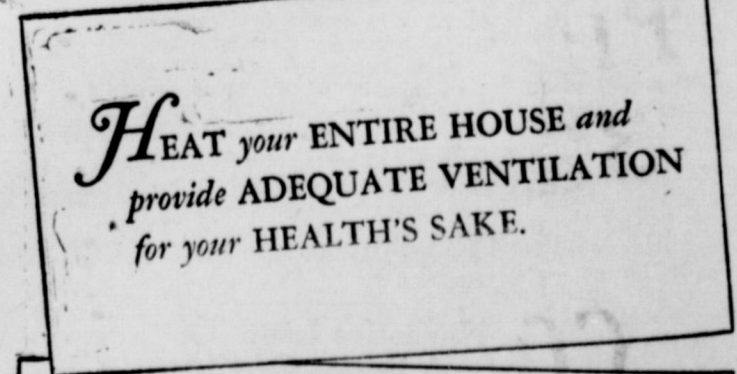
If you do catch cold consult your family doctor before it undermines your health.



The cold germ is responsible for two hundred million illnesses each year.



According to government statistics, diseases of the breathing apparatus are responsible for about one death in every four.



Your good health and that of your loved ones is your most desirable possession. Don't give a cold an even break.

A FAVORITE STAR

HORIZONTAL

1. 6 Late actress pictured here.

11 Secretes.

12 Harvester.

13 To bow.

14 Fruit pastry.

15 Issue.

16 Distinctive theories.

18 Railroad.

20 Ancient.

22 Striped fabric.

23 To originate.

29 Electric unit.

31 Auto sheds.

33 Insignia of an office.

35 Being.

36 Medical helmet.

37 Fodder vat.

40 Bag.

42 Still.

45 Innovation.

47 Membranous bag.

49 Biennial herb.

51 Entire range.

62 Female cattle.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

23 Curie.

24 Work of skill.

26 Myself.

27 Like.

28 Measure of area.

29 Salamander.

30 To hasten.

32 Cloths.

33 Noah's boat.

34 Rocking stone.

39 Egg-shaped.

40 To twist slightly.

41 Carrot.

43 Narrative poem.

44 Row of a series.

46 To discharge.

47 Painful.

48 Inspired reverence.

50 100 square meters.

52 Eccentric wheel.

53 Postscript.

56 Affirmative vote.

VERTICAL

1 Sound of pleasure.

2 To cover the inner surface.

3 Heathen god.

4 Tree.

5 Electrical term.

6 To subsist.

7 Fast and stage.

8 Common honeybee.

9 To opine.

10 Year.

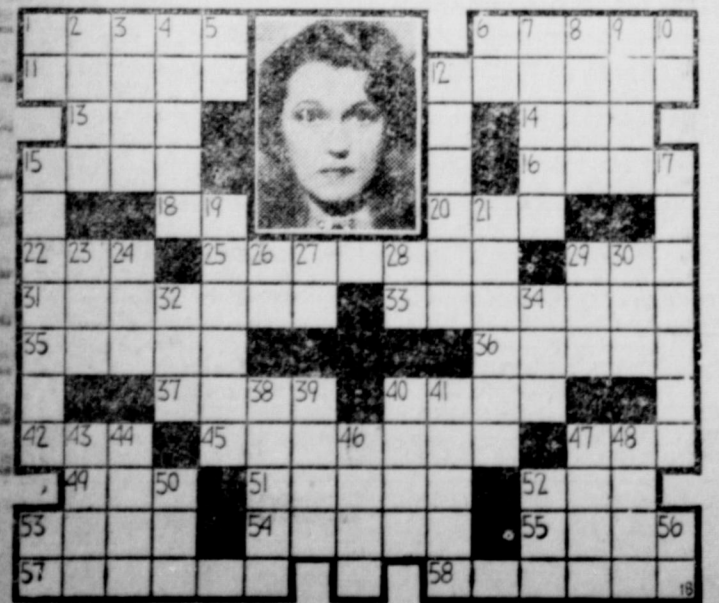
12 Distant.

15 She excelled in — on the stage.

17 Corporal.

19 To recover.

21 Bequest.



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SERIAL STORY BLACKOUT BY RUTH AYERS

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YESTERDAY: Even when she agrees to Vincent's pleas that they start over again, forgetting the Moravia and the weeks that followed, Mary knows something is lurking. Gilbert comes home unexpectedly, is delighted to find Mary's beauty restored. Mary tells him she intends marrying Vincent and Gilbert agrees. As he leaves, Mary knows she loves Gilbert, not Vincent.

CHAPTER XXII IN the same instant she knew she loved Gilbert Lenox, Mary Carroll realized her first loyalty was to Vincent Gregg.

They had been engaged and she'd promised to marry him when she was free. Gilbert had a brilliant career ahead of him and Vincent had nothing but her. Vincent needed her.

The newspaper she had brought home lay tossed aside on the table, its importance forgotten in the overwhelming surprise of Gilbert's return. Now in the sudden loneliness of the room after Gilbert's departure, Mary momentarily awaited Vincent's arrival. She must talk to him about this turn of events which would make her a witness in the reopening of the Moravia investigation.

When he didn't appear for their usual tea, she decided to stroll towards Trafalgar Square to meet him.

In the streets, the ever-present testimony of war defense could not be overlooked. You had to watch lest you fall into a dug-out or a sandbag against a sandbag. In the air, a floating stream of silver testified the presence of the Royal Air Force. A plane had gone but a few minutes when a chauffeur-driven car pulled up beside her.

"Lenox, I'd like to speak to you," a voice called from the chauffeur's window.

Mary looked up, startled. She saw a face to face with Carla Marchetta. But there was nothing about her that was disarming.

"Must forgive me," Carla smiled. "For this informal way of coming to you. I was, in fact, coming to your address when I recognized you."

"What do you want?" Mary asked.

Mary hesitated. Fear of Carla held her back, but the magnetism of the woman drew her on. After all, she was a friend of Vincent's. Why should Mary be afraid?

Before she realized she might be involving herself, she stepped into the limousine. But when she saw Carla exchange a look with her chauffeur, Mary felt she had been hasty about accepting the invitation.

CARLA chatted amiably. "I know all about you from Vincent. What a miracle it was that you're alive after that terrible disaster!"

The car drew up to a side entrance in Mayfair. The chauffeur helped them out. The house was far more luxurious than Mary had expected.

"We'll go upstairs to the drawing room," Carla directed. With a smile she turned to the chauffeur. "Will you bring us tea?" To Mary again she explained, "During wartime, I've had to cut down my staff. Felix is my man of all work."

Upstairs a fire was blazing in the richly ornamented fireplace. "You wanted to talk about Vincent?" Mary asked when they were seated.

"Yes," Carla answered, "I feel he's in very grave danger."

"Danger? How? From what?" Mary was alarmed.

Carla smiled pityingly. "Vincent is a very indiscreet young man," she replied. "For both your sakes, I believe it would be better if you did not testify when the Moravia investigation is reopened."

"But I must," Mary spoke with spirit. "I almost lost my life and if I can help in any way to prevent other lives being lost I'm going to do all I can."

A silver tray laden with a handsome tea service was brought in. Felix had changed his whipcord jacket to a starched, white coat.

Mary saw him look at Carla searchingly. Almost imperceptibly he nodded his head. Then: "There's a call for you on the wire."

"Will you excuse me?" Carla asked Mary. "Felix will pour your tea."

MARY sat before the crackling fire sipping her tea. Her hands shook and the cup slipped, spilling tea on the rug. A fresh feeling of alarm had flooded her with Carla's warning of Vincent's danger. Carla Marchetta had always been able to fill her with a sense of foreboding.

But despite all this she found herself relaxing. Drowsiness began to steal over her, a strange numbing drowsiness. She tried to fight it off. She wanted to stand up. But she could not rise from her chair.

HOURS must have passed. It was dark. Mary woke from a heavy, dreamless sleep. Where was she? She had no way to guess.

With the sharpening of senses that danger brings, Mary strained her ears. What she heard was so shocking, so unbelievable, she was fully awake at once. Carla's voice, high pitched and commanding. Felix's lower tones. Something about a ship. Mary held her breath.

She must get away on the instant. Outside her room were sounds of hurried packing, the flurry of footsteps back and forth.

She heard a man's voice: "What are we going to do with the girl?" "We'll take her with us," Carla Marchetta spoke sharply.

"To Bristol? To Von Blum's? You're crazy. Von Blum's not asking us for week-end party."

"Look her in then. She's got enough opiate in her to keep her unconscious for another 12 hours. We'll be safe by then."

"How about Vincent?" "Vincent can take care of himself. Did you send that message?" "Certainly. Static on the line signal."

MARY heard a key turn in her door. There was the sound of departing footsteps on the stairs and in the hallway below. An outside door closed. Then all was silent.

Despite her reeling head and weakness, she managed a few faltering steps. What she had heard was so unmistakable that she knew at last Carla Marchetta's role in the spy ring posting the enemy on British wartime orders. Mary was trapped in the room, locked and barred. She went to a window. The deserted street was far below. Even if she could scream no one would hear her. Then she had an intuitive flash. She groped for the light switch. The blackout might save her. (To Be Continued)

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



"OUT OUR WAY" BY WILLIAMS



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Federal Food Stamp Plan Operation In County Is Sought at Eastland

Eastland County, is hopeful that efforts to secure operation of the new Federal Food Stamp Plan will soon become successful. Work in securing the new plan in Eastland County has been in progress for one month. At present a questionnaire is being prepared by the Eastland Chamber of Commerce through relief agencies for submission to plans officials. The plan, according to reports in cities where it has been operated on experimental basis, is a business bonanza and is a much better way for disposing of federal surplus commodities. The food stamp plan, is the government's new effort to bridge the gap between a surplus of commodities and hunger and poverty. There are two kinds of food stamps-blue and the orange-for relief clients. Each stamp is worth 25 cents, and they come in books ranging from \$2 to \$10. The blue stamps, distributed free, are good only for surplus commodities, as determined by the Federal Surplus Commodities Corp and published regularly in a nation wide list. The orange stamps, which cost money, may be used to purchase anything usually sold in a grocery, including such items as mops and soap, but are not good for alcoholic beverages, tobacco, food and drinks usually consumed at the store. If a person is on direct relief or on WPA's list but not assigned to work, the government through a local agency allows \$2 worth of blue stamps for each member of his family each month. If a person is an old age pensioner in sufficient need, he may get \$2 worth of free blue stamps. If a person is on WPA or if a person is an old age pensioner with sufficient income he may secure a dollar's worth of orange stamps to get 50 cents worth of blue ones. The plan boosts the income of persons affected 50 per cent. Thus far the plan is nearly unanimously approved. Everyone is benefitted. The health of the workers is raised to a better level and he is more satisfied, even though he does not have private employment. Dog Is Cause Of A Traffic Case By United Press FORT WORTH, Tex.—A Boston bulldog, expectant mother, was the cause of a difficult situation here recently. Mrs. L. C. Crabb, wife of a veterinarian, was driving one of her husband's co-workers on an emergency call to deliver the bulldog's puppies. She was arrested for speeding by Fred Holland, motorcycle officer who also is a dog fancier. Holland told Mrs. Crabb and the veterinarian to go ahead, and he'd mail them a summons. The case came up in the court of Judge W. H. Gilmartin, who keeps a kennel at his home. The judge heard the testimony and took the case under abeyance. The dog, incidentally, gave birth to two puppies after a canine equivalent to a Caesarean operation. London is losing its title as the world's largest city through evacuation of all of which is probably just as well. Seemed the island was beginning to bog a little on one end.

SERIAL STORY BLACKOUT BY RUTH AYERS

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YESTERDAY: Mary meets Carla Marchetta. Carla warns her Vincent is in danger, urges Mary to her home. Mary's tea is drugged, but she spills half of it and awakes before Carla had planned. Mary is locked in a room. She overhears Carla and her chauffeur hurrying to escape. A mysterious message has been sent. Mary listens, hears more that confirms her belief that Carla heads a spy ring. She must capture Carla. A sudden thought—she ticks on the light switch.

CHAPTER XXIII AS Mary had hoped, the lights brought help. Almost out of nowhere wardens and chin-strapped London bobbies came running.

She could hear them in the street below and then on the front steps and pounding at the door. "Lights showing. Turn them off!" a dozen voices called at once. It did not take them long to discover that something was wrong. She heard the door crash open and thick-soled boots came pounding up the steps to the second floor.

"I'm locked in," she called when she heard them in the hall outside. "Put those lights out," she was commanded.

She had barely turned off the switch when they crashed into the room. A shadowed light cut the blackness. "Quick! Take me to Scotland Yard!" she commanded before they had time to challenge her for violating blackout rules. "I must see Inspector Babcock at once."

OUTSIDE, a taxi was commandeered and Mary found herself accompanied by a warden and a bobby en route to Scotland Yard. The cab crawled through the darkened streets.

It seemed interminable before she was face to face with the inspector. She introduced herself. Babcock had no difficulty in placing her.

"The airplane carrier, Regency, is to be torpedoed," she told him. "Enemy spies already know when she leaves Scapa Flow."

Inspector Babcock was electrified. "Do you know what you're saying?" he demanded.

Mary became suddenly calm. She managed to marshal her thoughts and her words. "I was kidnaped today by Carla Marchetta and her chauffeur," she

was saying. "They took me to her house in Mayfair. They drugged me but I came to before they expected. I distinctly heard Carla order Felix, the chauffeur, to inform the enemy of the sailing time of the Regency from Scapa Flow. Something about static on a time signal. That ship will be torpedoed."

"Go on," the inspector motioned. "They gloated about it. They intend leaving England. They're on their way to Bristol now in Carla's limousine."

Vaguely, Mary knew a call was being put through to the Admiralty. Orders were dispatched to a dozen different officers.

At last Inspector Babcock turned to her. "Tell me all you know about this," he spoke quietly.

His request made Mary realize the enormity of what she had done. She knew she had gone too far to keep Vincent out of it. She saw his name must come in—in connection with the Moravia, at least. Although she knew in her heart she loved Gilbert Lenox, if she betrayed Vincent she would have to stand by him. She leaned toward the inspector.

"Vincent Gregg, an American aviator, is innocently involved in this. If I've done anything to help, will you help him?"

Inspector Babcock studied her. "I can't make any promises. But I'll help if I can."

Mary's long narrative commenced with the air raid and the dinner in the restaurant when Carla and Vincent had first been linked. She told briefly of the Moravia and her suspicion that Vincent had been the one who had unwittingly revealed to Carla the secret time of sailing. When she came to the last horrible chapter, she broke down in sobs.

The story was interrupted by the insistent telephone. The Admiralty called back several times for Inspector Babcock. Reports came through from the Yard's own operators, all along the route to Bristol. After one of these calls the inspector nodded his head as if satisfied.

Mary felt relieved in the knowledge of what she had done to save the lives of a thousand British seamen. She was fully reassured when the inspector said: "You've done the country a great service. The Regency's sailing has been canceled."

He leaned back and regarded her thoughtfully. "In what you've done, I'll make every effort to save your friend. He'll be brought in for questioning and will be interned for the duration of the war. But I don't see you need worry about a squad."

Daylight was coming through the barred windows of the warden's office when the long over. A chair scraped. Babcock stood up. "Is this the woman?" In the doorway, hunched a Scotland Yard man, was Marchetta!

Rapier-like, her eyes haired at Mary. "Outside the sun of early ing struggled with the The clop-clop of heavy sounded unreal after the events of the night."

Mary started toward Square but found she an entirely different. Without knowing it, following the dictates. She had to see Gilbert once.

At the hospital she was into a waiting room. It was a minute—and then—the Gilbert's serious face. "I had to see you something I must tell you. I know where to start waited for her to go on. She back her head, the maze of her hair brushing her ders.

"No matter what happens began slowly, "I want you lieve this. I love you." There was a puzzled expression on Gilbert's face. He took closer. Then his eyes lighted unbelievable happiness. "Oh, my darling. This I've wanted—what I've wanted I've never stopped loving you never will, I guess. We'll married in church and the back home as soon as I've my my service in France."

Mary drew away. It was izing—this knowing that had right beside her and couldn't reach for it. "No, I be your wife," she said. "This is the end—goodby. I've home o for you, but now—well, I late. Vincent is to be arrested. Gilbert paused as full in her words reached him. "Babe, Christ n teacher. "Christ correction song by! Those G. Burl Black Thui J. B. E. Call ary Call Rust, M PO T. W Ph. I ADM CO WIRA SA BOU PK CRY! SO NO. PC CRIS LE ROSI PE BORI MI TEX. OF WIN AF ALI AB 15 PC CRY OA OLD CL GEN CU PC OUF SL NOI CI SA CH

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By Hamlin



Society Notes

Calendar Saturday
The Sub-Deb club will meet at 8 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the home of Frances Crowell.

Eastland Constable And Wife Improved

Hugh M. Carleton, Eastland constable, and his wife, both of whom are confined to home with influenza, were reported improved today.

Officer Has Trouble Keeping Music Off His Police Radio

EL PASO, Tex. — The only trouble with Captain Allan Falby's radio is that its reception is too good. It plays music when it ought to be devoting its reception to police calls.

Mercury Group Stops In Eastland

Eastland was visited today by a group who are proving that the Mercury, Ford Motor company product, an eight-cylinder car, gives 20 miles or more to the gallon.

DOG GOES TO HOSPITAL

CHICO, Cal.—Intelligence of German police dogs reached a new high when one with a crushed paw reported of its own instincts to the emergency entrance of the Enloe hospital, Dr. Enloe, took the dog in, gave it an anesthetic and amputated the paw that apparently had been crushed by an automobile.

FELONS FROM DUST BOWL

SACRAMENTO, Cal.—Dust, in addition to slums, breeds crime, it seems. Eighteen per cent of the inmates of San Quentin prison come from the four dust bowl states of Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. They have contributed 882 prisoners since July 1, 1936.

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PHILANTHROPIST

HORIZONTAL

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- 13 To look sullen.
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- 17 To sin.
- 18 To encourage.
- 20 Mitten.
- 21 Married.
- 23 He was a pioneer manufacturer.
- 26 Morass.
- 27 Omnibus.
- 29 Branch of learning.
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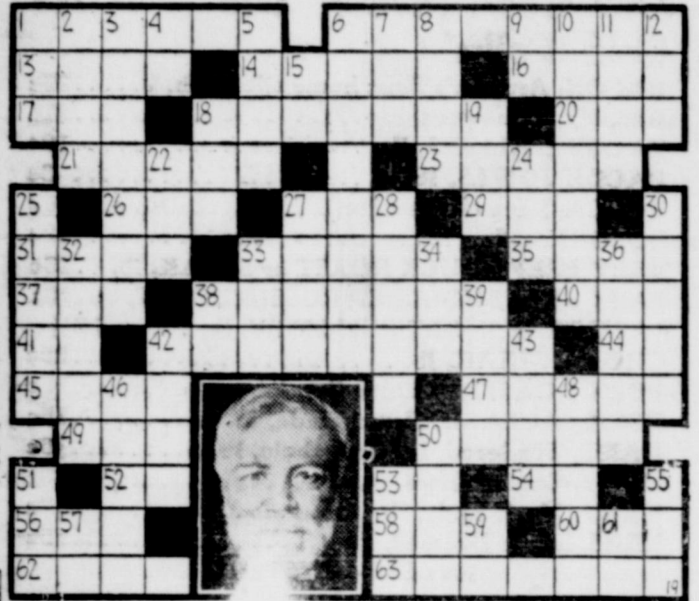
Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 44 Measure of area.
- 45 Actual being.
- 47 Candid.
- 49 Organ of hearing.
- 50 Long-billed bird.
- 52 Railway.
- 53 Nay.
- 54 Italian river.
- 56 Unit of work.
- 58 Sick.
- 60 Soft broom.
- 62 He was a boy by birth.

12 To devour.

- 15 Exclamation.
- 18 Wooden pin.
- 19 Greek letter.
- 22 Plaything.
- 24 Sea eagle.
- 25 He worked to promote World.
- 27 Slam.
- 28 Romantic legends.
- 30 Stiff.
- 32 Uneven.
- 33 Portuguese coin.
- 34 To permit.
- 36 To flog.
- 38 Ream.
- 39 Dexterous.
- 42 Weird.
- 43 To let fall.
- 46 Fish.
- 48 Smell.
- 50 Compositions for one voice.
- 51 Aye.
- 53 Nothing.
- 55 Furtive watcher.
- 57 Red Cross.
- 59 Pound.
- 61 Either.



Educator States Degrees Don't Win Positions for Many

BERKELEY, Cal.—Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California, has prepared statistics to challenge the assertion that university degrees are no longer helpful in getting jobs.

"Statistical books published by the Federal government as well as ours do not show," he said, "that accountants are a dime a dozen and nobody wants a half a dozen, or that doctors are as thick as fleas and that openings in the fields of dentistry, teaching, engineering, farming and so forth are non-existent."

Sproul's own statistics of 46,000 alumni of the University of California graduated from 1928 to 1935 show that 96 per cent of the men are employed or are studying for advanced degrees and 93 per cent of the women are employed or are busy as homemakers.

"They show also," Sproul said, "that of alumni eight years out of college only 1.5 per cent of the men and 3.6 per cent of the women were looking for employment and could not find it."

"Recent records of the bureau of occupations of the university show that there are more calls for accountants than we have graduates to answer them."

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- For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS
- For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON
- For County Treasurer: GARLAND BRANTON
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT
- For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE

SALEM NEWS

Rev. Slaughter of Eastland filled his regular appointment here Sunday at 11:00 and Sunday night.

Rev. Jones of this community will preach at the Salem school house next Sunday night, the third Sunday.

Dr. Rogers was called Saturday to visit Mrs. Sparfger. She is reported to be improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Redwine and children, Ruby and Floyd, drove to Newcastle Saturday and visited I. C. Redwine and family.

Mrs. R. M. Redwine has been staying the last few nights with Mrs. Sparger.

Mr. Cookey, Curtis and Grady Redwine, Alton Rogers and Bobbie Wisdom attended a meeting on

airy cattle at Rising Star Tuesday night.

Jim Moore and Raymond visited Curtis and Grady Redwine Sunday afternoon.

Imogene Jones visited Gloria Sullivan Tuesday night.

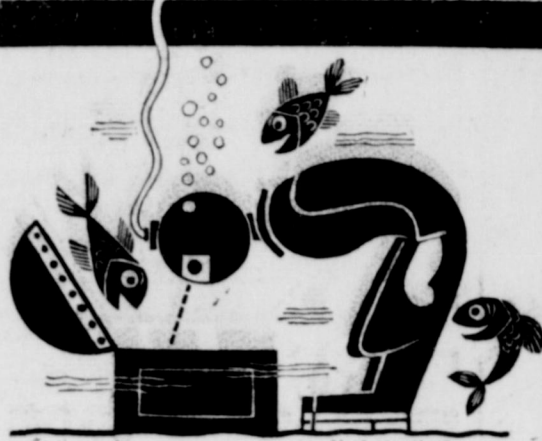
Mrs. Jewel Moore visited Mrs. W. H. Sparger Monday evening.

T. J. Raney is working at Ranger on the NYA.

Archeologists have discovered that Pompeians scribbled Pig Latin all over their walls, which would indicate that civilization is going around in circles.

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- PORK CHOPS or Steaks Lb. 18c
- Pork Roast All Cuts Lb. 17c
- Chuck Roast Fancy Baby Beef Lb. 18c
- Choice Cuts Steak Lb. 25c
- BEST GRADE Sliced Bacon Lb. 23c
- Macaroni And Spaghetti 3 Boxes 10c
- SALT 3c
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