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ENSE WORK GS IN ERA COLD LIGHT

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Press Financial Editor

DENVER—Demand for better illumination for the precision work involved in the defense program is as important as that of the incandescent lamp, according to engineers of electric-lighting companies.

General Electric Company, Westinghouse Electric and Edison Illuminating Company report they have developed a new fluorescent lamp for use in defense work.

The new lamp is a compact, energy-saving device for factories turning out products for defense and is expected to have widespread acceptance in the industry and the home.

David S. Youngholm, vice president of Westinghouse Electric, is in charge of plans for a new \$3,000,000 fluorescent lamp manufacturing plant at Fairmont, W. Va.

The new fluorescent lamp is produced by a new industry which is expected to continue to flourish after the national emergency is over.

Popularity of fluorescent lighting has increased since 1938 and sales in this country of this light source reached a total of about 7,000,000 units last year. Approximately 2,000,000 units were sold the previous year and only about 250,000 in 1938.

Fluorescent lamps contain no filaments. Invisible ultraviolet rays are produced by the discharge of electricity between electrodes at opposite ends of the tube. These rays excite chemical materials known as phosphors which coat the inner surface of the tube to produce light. Light is produced by fluorescent lamps, engineers say. Colors are available over the entire spectrum.

Lighting experts believe fluorescent illumination may mean radical changes in home lighting technique. The streamlined tubular shape of the lamp and its efficient production of white or colored light make the fluorescent lamp a good interior decorating tool, it is pointed out. At present use of this light in the home is limited because of limited availability of fluorescent fixtures which may be taken home and installed immediately.

General Electric engineers report development of improved fluorescent plastics, lacquers, enamels and dyes.

Carpets having patterns of fluorescent dyes found promising applications in theaters and fluorescent murals were included in the theater relighting program, they said. "Illuminating effects quickly discovered that fluorescent lacquers and paints applied to artist's sketches had most effective in illustrating the light effect of luminous signs, fronts and other lighted displays to prospective customers."

PHOENIX, Ariz.—The Hopi Indians want it understood that the famous snake dance is a ceremonial and is not to be performed by persons off the reservation.

trouble began when the read in a newspaper that a "white man and as they it, "misled Indians" were a "rattlesnake" dance in county in an attempt to attract tourists.

Immediately four Hopi leaders on the reservation in northern Arizona were dispatched here to protest.

At the first place, they said the dance is held on the reservation in August.

Secondly, the real dance is never advertised nor is admission charged, inasmuch as the dance is a sacred ritual and not intended to be a money-making venture.

Model of U. S. Ocean Navy Made

PHILADELPHIA — A scale model of America's future ocean navy has been presented at a Philadelphia exhibition.

The model, built to the scale of 1 inch to the foot, was sponsored by the Admiral Farragut Society of the Toms River, N. J., and the work of Charles A. Gunther of New York.

The model includes models of vessels in commission, under construction, or provided for in appropriations.

Bigger Program, Bigger Expense Is AAA Explanation

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. — The bigger the program, the bigger the expense.

That's how George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas AAA committee, explains the slight increase in the expense of administering the Agricultural Adjustment Administration program for the past four years as compared with the early years.

"When the farm program worked so well with the major commodities, producers of other commodities demanded similar programs," the chairman said. "Gradually, the program was expanded to include peanuts, vegetables, and other agricultural products."

Added expense has been incurred in holding a referendum each year in connection with the cotton program, in administering the cotton mattress program and various other phases of the overall program, and by the participation of practically all farmers, the chairman continued. This year the supplementary cotton program will require some additional outlay.

Under the early programs, it was necessary to measure only part of a farm's acreage, Slaughter said, whereas, today, it is necessary to measure practically all the acreage, and additional work is required in the checking of conservation measures carried out under both the range and farm programs.

Under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, expense of administering the program in the counties is deducted from payments to farmers. As the program has been broadened, the percentage deducted in some counties has been increased, but the increase has been slight and every effort has been made to keep it as low as possible, Slaughter declared. In 1938 the average deduction rate for the state was 3.1 percent; in 1939, 4.6 percent; and in 1940, 4.9 percent. The rate varies from county to county since in some counties, with a comparatively simple program and large farms, the expense is less than in counties with a large number of small farms and varied programs.

Argentine Beef Is To Be Allowed For United States Navy

WASHINGTON, Mar. 21. — Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley, Democrat, Kentucky, said today he would ask that the Senate Journal be corrected to show the amendment lifting restrictions on United States Navy purchases of Argentine beef had actually been adopted instead of being defeated.

Charges Are Filed In Bludgeon Murder

SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 21.—San Antonio police officials said today they had filed murder charges against J. A. Rupert and James A. Alford in the bludgeon slaying of R. L. Agnew, 40, refrigerator engineer, whose body was found in a gully near here last Monday.

Both the suspects in the murder case are still at large, the police stated.

River Jumpers

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PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

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

Reversed and Remanded
Mrs. Ruby West vs. The State of Texas, et al. Scurry.
Application for Writ of Mandamus Granted

Reversed and Remanded On Agreed Motion
H. V. Hodges, et al. vs. Gerdes Hodges, et al. Eastland.

Motions Submitted
A. D. Crews vs. Texas & Pacific Ry Co., appellee's motion for rehearing.

Motion Granted
H. V. Hodges, et al. vs. Gerdes Hodges, et al. Joint motion to reverse and remand.

Motions Overruled
J. R. Mayes, et ux. vs. West Texas Utilities Co., appellants' motion for rehearing.

Case Submitted March 21, 1941
S. F. Reynolds, et al. vs. W. L. Marr, Mayor, et al. Dawson.
Petroleum Producers Co. vs. W. L. Lon Stufens, et al. Jones.

Cases to be Submitted March 28, 1941
The Morris Association of Brownwood, Texas vs. W. L. Tatum. Comanche.

Bob Haynes vs. J. R. Eanes. Comanche.

Roy Stafford vs. W. Audrey Shillingburg. Erath.

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. — Cash income on approximately 1,000 Texas farms in 42 counties was increased by about \$122,000 this year through the sale of farm produce such as butter, eggs, fryers, fresh fruits and vegetables, canned fruits and vegetables, pickles, jellies and preserves.

Myrtle Murray, home industries specialist for the A. & M. College Extension Service, says this is not "pin money" now that the market for so-called cash crops isn't what it used to be.

These various products were sold at markets operated by home demonstration club women in Bexar, Caldwell, Dallas, Johnson, Potter, Nacogdoches, Polk, Smith, Tarrant, Taylor and Victoria counties. Other club women sold eggs and some live and dressed fryers through the poultry and egg-marketing associations in Uvalde, Hill, Navarro and Floyd counties.

One family, the Malcolm Jones near Seagoville, Dallas County, sold on a roadside market. Many others sold individually to special customers or to local dealers.

Dallas County's homemaker's market topped the list for high sales records during 1940 with a total of \$9,767, Miss Murray reports. Tarrant County homemakers followed with \$6,922. Eight women had sales between \$1,000 and \$2,000 and 22 women had sales from \$500 to \$1,000.

Mrs. A. W. Stevenson of Tarrant County, a regular seller on that market for years, received more than \$2,000 from her sales.

Middle Age Defined As Living In Past

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — When you start living in the past instead of adjusting yourself to changes in environment, you've reached middle-age, according to Dr. William A. O'Brien, University of Minnesota professor.

"When men start living in the past, senility is near at hand," he said. In some people this may come early in life, while with others it may be up to 60 or beyond.

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RESCUE



Badly frightened deer is this one, stranded on an ice floe in swift Hudson river near Poughkeepsie, N. Y., after being frightened onto ice by a passing train. Small boats tried rescue, but failed because of current and heavy ice. Finally a ferryboat nudged the floe . . .



The buck was washed close enough to bank for these men to lasso him. Then they secured his hooves with ropes, took him from the water and set him free.

If Texas Wants To Move Pike's Peak, Won On a Football Wager Three Years Ago, It Would Take 460 Years

DENVER—"I'll betcha," said former Gov. Teller Ammons of Colorado to former Gov. James V. Allred of Texas at the Cotton Bowl game in 1938 when Colorado and Texas clashed on the gridiron.

The Colorado governor put up a Pike's Peak against Texas' Big Bend Park. Colorado lost, so Pike's Peak—everything above the 10,000-foot elevation mark—goes to Texas.

Three years later Coloradans admit they're ready to pay off if Texas wants to collect.

Now it has been estimated that it will cost \$15,000,000,000—plus freight—to make the transfer.

The job could be completed in 460 years, to be exact on March 15, 2401.

Although the \$15,000,000,000 outlay would have to be paid by Texas, the state would get enough granite to pave all Texas roads. In round figures that's 38,000,000,000 cubic yards of rock.

Eastland Colored Choir To Sing In Church At Ranger

Singers from Jenkins Chapel, Eastland, will present a program at the St. Paul's Baptist Church (colored) of Ranger, this evening at 7:45, it was announced today by Wesley Johnson, lay leader of the church.

In addition to a sing-song a play will be presented, it was stated.

Both white and colored friends of the church have been invited to attend, and a special section for white people will be reserved.

Lindbergh Again Is Selling U. S. Short

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Cowboy Methods Save Deer From Icy Death

More Results In County Meet Are Announced Today

Additional results on interscholastic League Meet include:

Declamation
High Junior Boys—1. Clifton Reik, Eastland; 2. Billie Henderson, Morton Valley; 3. James Reynolds, Gorman.

Senior High Boys—1. Pete Pegues, Eastland; 2. Melton Stevens, Gorman; 3. Walter Lee Jackson, Ranger.

Ward Junior Girls—1. Margie Ann Lee, Hodges Oak Park, Ranger; 2. Gladene Womack, Eastland; 3. Delores Fae Williamson, Morton Valley.

Ward Junior Boys—1. Leon Smith, Rising Star; 2. Conie Alexander, Cisco Grammar School; 3. Buddy Eubanks, Hodges Oak Park, Ranger.

Typing
Towns in Typing—1. Gorman; 2. Ranger; 3. Eastland.
Individuals in Typing—1. Doris Mathena, Ranger; 2. Jane Mathews, Ranger; 3. Jene Poe, Carbon.

Story Telling
Tiny Tots Story Telling—1. Peggy Bob Rucker; 2. Carolyn Shaw, Cisco West Ward; 3. Sallie Ann Schooley, Hodges Oak Park, Ranger.

Second and Third Grade Story Telling—1. Joe Brandon, Gorman; 2. Joan Scott, Cisco West Ward; 3. L. C. Swinson, Morton Valley.

Rhythm Band
1. Morton Valley; 2. Gorman; 3. Rising Star.
Best Child Director—Christine Lindsey, of Gorman.

Shorthand
1. Dorothy Nabors, Eastland; 2. Frances Comer, Cisco; 3. Fern Hart, Cisco.

Playground Ball
Class H High School Boys—1. Cisco; 2. Eastland.
Class B—1. Scranton.
Ward Schools—1. Hodges Oak Park, Ranger; 2. Cisco Grammar, Rural—1. Flatwoods; 2. Okra.

Deadline Set For Conservation Fund Payment Mar. 31

COLLEGE STATION, Tex.—All applications for payment under the 1940 Agricultural Conservation Program must be signed in the county offices by March 31, Fred Rennels, assistant administrative officer in charge of the AAA in Texas, has announced.

The deadline applies to payments for soil-building and range improvement work as well as regular payments under the conservation program, the AAA official said. The closing date is applicable all over the United States.

To date, 361,628 applications for a total of \$43,314,700 have been certified for payment in the state office out of an anticipated 405,000 applications for \$50,000,000 in payment under the conservation program, Rennels said.

These payments brought to \$71,508,054 the amount received by farmers and ranchmen for cooperating with the 1940 AAA program, Rennels said. Estimates are that the total will reach \$78,775,000. Status of price adjustments on the major commodities follows:

Wheat—48,064 applications for \$3,483,285 out of an anticipated 48,1700 for \$3,485,000;
Cotton—337,523 applications for \$24,469,982 out of an anticipated 350,000 for \$25,000,000;
Rice—647 applications for \$240,087 out of an anticipated 800 for \$290,000.

Absolutely no extension will be made on the closing date, Rennels declared, and applicants who fail to meet the deadline will not receive payment.

Track Finals For County Meet To Be Staged In Ranger

Finals in track and field events of the Eastland County Interscholastic League meet, now being held in Eastland, will be staged at Bulldog Stadium, Ranger, tonight, beginning at 7 o'clock.

An admission charge of 10 cents, to defray lighting costs, will be charged.

This will be the second year in which track and field finals have been held at night, the practice having been started last year when Ranger was host to the Interscholastic League meet. The event proved so popular that it was decided to hold the events in Ranger again this year, with the preliminaries being run off in Eastland Thursday.

JUGOSLAVS TO SIGN A NAZI PACT AS SERBS SHOW THEIR DEFIANCE

Ranger Country Club To Handle Fishing Permits

Members of the Ranger Country Club, in meeting Thursday night, voted to accept an offer for the club to handle the fishing rights in Lake Hagaman this year, and a committee was appointed to work out all details of the new club project. Fishing permits will also allow duck hunting on the lake.

The committee named was composed of Pleas Moore, chairman; R. V. (Rip) Galloway, J. A. (Mickey) Sloan, C. L. Crews and R. L. Perkins, Jr.

It was tentatively decided at the meeting, with details to be worked out by the committee, that all members and associate members would be allowed fishing and duck hunting rights free with their membership fees. This will include members both in Eastland and Ranger.

At the meeting all members were urged to qualify for the annual club tournament before March 29, as match play will start early in April.

Sunday, March 23, members of the Breckenridge Country Club will visit the Ranger course for matches with members of the Ranger club.

British concern centered on reports that Germany's two crack battle cruisers may be at large in the Atlantic, preying on shipping toward the American side of the Atlantic. These cruisers are fast, heavily armed craft, which are capable of inflicting heavy damage on shipping, as they can outrun and outgun most of Britain's battle line, with the exception of the brand new George V class.

Special communiques from the German high command claimed that submarines had sunk another 69,000 tons of British shipping from a convoy off the African coast.

Rains Complicate Truck Load Law Debate In Senate

AUSTIN, Tex.—What happens to a truck load of goods when it rains gave the Texas Senate considerable trouble when it voted for a 38,000-pound maximum weight for both truck and contents.

Sen. Rogers Kelley of Edinburg proposed an amendment to the truck weight bill to permit 10 per cent allowance for "rained-on" loads. He explained that a truck loaded within the legal limit might have 10 per cent added weight by passing through a heavy rainstorm.

A load of sheep, for instance, would absorb enough water in the wool to change the weight considerably.

Sen. Rudolph Weinert of Seguin stopped the argument by asking: "What would happen to a load of sponges?"

The answer, of course, is to load the truck light enough to care for contingencies.

A special provision was made for lumber. Instead of lumber trucks being weighed, the weight will be computed from the board feet based on a schedule used by the Southern Pine Association since 1933.

Eight entries on County Clerk R. V. Galloway's criminal docket for the month of March to date shows five charges of swindling by check, two for possession of whiskey for the purpose of sale, and one for aggravated assault.

Eight Criminal Cases Filed In The County Court

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Strikes Tie Up Big Orders for Defense

The situation on the defense labor front was almost unchanged today.

A survey showed that there were 30 strikes in progress, involving approximately 40,000 workers.

The strikes effect materials worth more than \$100,000,000 which had been ordered for the United States defense rearmament program.

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Jugoslav statesmen leave tomorrow night for Vienna to sign a pact with Germany Sunday, it was learned today, unless the rising Serbian protests upset the present plans.

The Jugoslav cabinet, by a vote of 10 out of the 18 members, approved adherence to the compromise. Three Serbian members resigned in protest over the action.

The Serbs, representing the largest racial group in the state, stood on their protests, but their resignations had not been accepted by Prince Regent Paul.

It was reported in Belgrade that opposition to adherence to any agreement with the Germans was on the increase and two more cabinet members may retire. Their action, however, might open the way to appointment of new pro-German members of the cabinet.

Fighting on the Albanian front slowed down today, awaiting the outcome of the diplomatic tug-of-war in Yugoslavia.

The terrific pounding the Nazi bombers are now dealing British cities went on with Plymouth, embarkation point for the Pilgrims, when they left for America, as last night's victim.

The Royal Air Force concentrated on the German submarine base at Lorient during the night.

In Africa the Italians said their forces continued to hold out at Keren and the British said that Somaliatics in Northern Somaliland had revolted against the few remaining Italians left in that region.

Goes To Trial In 88th On Drunk Driving Charge

The case of the State of Texas vs. Robert Tittle, charged with driving an automobile on the public highway while intoxicated, was on trial before Judge B. W. Patterson of the 88th district court this morning.

The defendant entered a plea of not guilty.

Several witnesses including State highway patrolmen, Ranger City officers and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown of Fort Worth who were the occupants of a car in a collision at Ranger on the night of December 24, 1940, testified for the State before noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown sustained injuries in the collision, Mr. Brown's back being hurt and Mrs. Brown's right eye was injured, according to their sworn testimony.

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Society Club and Church Notes

50 YEAR PIONEER CLUB
HOST BY MRS. HAGUE
 Mrs. Callie Hague will be hostess for the 50 Year Pioneer Women's Club Tuesday, March 25, with an all day meeting at her home.

GUEST IN SAVENPORT HOME
 Mr. Caylor McRae of New York City, was a guest Wednesday of Judge and Mrs. George L. Daventon.

Mr. McRae is a representative of Reader's Digest and is visiting universities and colleges of the Southwest. This is his first visit to Texas and he is much impressed with the state as a whole, he

states, and is notably impressed by the school he has visited.

ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

Representatives of the Civic League and Garden Club returned last Saturday from Harlingen, where they attended the State convention of Texas Federation of Garden Clubs.

They were present for the convention, and also attended the opening of the Bougainvillea Trail which is to be an annual event each spring.

Mrs. Jack Ammer represented the Eastland club as delegate. Others to attend were Mrs. E. E. Layton, president of the Civic League and Garden Club, Mrs. Frank Castleberry, Mrs. Bam White, Mrs. John Sawyer.

MUSIC CLUB PRESENTS GUEST ARTIST WED.

The Music Study Club presented Mrs. Karl Moore and Miss Jennie Lou Moore of Brownwood, and Elwood R. Priesing of Ranger, guest artists in the guest day

program Wednesday at the Woman's Clubhouse. Mrs. Don Parker was leader for the program. Mrs. F. M. Kenny, president, conducted the opening session.

Mrs. Moore, organist at the First Baptist Church, Brownwood, and also director of the church's large orchestra is a noted pianist and marimba player. She has studied music in Fort Worth, the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago, and at Baylor University in Waco.

She played three numbers on the marimba accompanied by her daughter, Miss Moore. The numbers were: "Bolero," by Kreisler; "Les Patiniers" by Waldeufel, and as an encore, played Nevin's "Mighty Like a Rose."

Miss Moore, is a violin student at Baylor, and is studying organ and piano at Howard Payne in Brownwood. She played three violin selections accompanied by her mother. Her selections were: "Concerto in E Minor" by Pietro Nardini; "Sacelieno" by Bach; and "Hymne A. St. Cecile," by

Charles Gounod. Mr. Priesing, who is head of the Fine Arts Department of the Ranger Junior College in Ranger, is a graduate of Julliard School of Music, and is a noted pianist. He played five movements of Schumann's Concerto. As an encore, Mr. Priesing played "Prophet Bird" by Schumann.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor introduced Mrs. Moore and Miss Moore, and Mrs. Victor Ginn introduced Mr. Priesing.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Parker and Mrs. Guy Patterson, and approximately 60 members and guests were present.

A social hour followed the program and a tea plate was served.

FATHERS GUEST AT P-T. A. WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The South Ward Parent-Teacher Association will meet Wednesday evening in the school auditorium with the fathers as guests. The meeting will begin at 7:30.

Mrs. K. K. McElroy will review the book, "Life With Father."

A report of the nominating committee will be heard during the business session which will be conducted by Mrs. Joe Stephen, president.

WCS TO SPONSOR BOOK REVIEW FRIDAY

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins will review "One Foot in Heaven," by Hazteell Spence at the Methodist Church Friday night at 7:30. It was announced today. The review will be sponsored by the Women's Social Christian Service of the church.

An admission charge of 25c will be asked and the public is cordially invited to hear this review.

WCS CONTINUE MISSION STUDY COURSE MONDAY

The second study of the Mission Study Course, Dangerous Opportunities, being held each Monday afternoon by the Women's Social Christian Service of the First Methodist Church, will be held next Monday with Mrs. Garner Kinard as leader.

Cap-and-Ball Gun Relic of Dallas' First Bank Holdup

By United Press

DALLAS, Tex.—A cap-and-ball pistol, taken from a bandit who committed Dallas' first bank robbery, recalls memories at the police station of days when officers chased outlaws on horseback instead of in speed cars.

The .44 caliber weapon, a symbol of days when "Colt" law ruled the west, was presented to the Dallas police museum by Lieut. Louis Spencer, veteran member of the department.

The big pistol was taken from a robber who held up the Leonard and Adams Bank in 1877. Spencer's father, J. W. Spencer, secured the gun when the outlaw was overpowered after the robbery.

"As far as we know," Spencer said, "that was the first bank robbery in Dallas. I have often heard my father tell of how he and J. C. Arnold, later chief of police for 18 years, captured the bandit.

The topic for Monday will be China Awakened by the West. Mrs. Bert McGlamery is the leader for the study course.

Mrs. Titsworth brought the first chapter of the mission book which was heard last Monday at the Methodist Church. Mrs. Joe Collings brought a brief history of China in keeping with the theme of the program.

WCS meets at 3 o'clock Monday, March 24, at the First Methodist Church.

Eggs in Her Hair



The law Easter hair dress, complete with eggs, as modeled by Betty Stewart at International Beauty Show in New York. Albert of Fifth Avenue, the creator, has got to do something with his time.

"My father and Mr. Arnold," Spencer continued, "were the first mounted officers in Dallas."

The bandit rode to the bank and found the cashier alone. After hitting him on the head with the pistol, the gunman snatched several bags of money and raced away on his horse.

The robber was overtaken by officers at a saloon in what is now a busy part of Dallas, but then was several miles from town. He reached for the gun but the officers beat him to the draw and took him into custody.

Coolidge Paper Lost 72 Years Is Found

PLYMOUTH, Vt.—The paper recording the marriage of the parents of the late President Calvin Coolidge has been found after being "lost" for 72 years in misplaced files of the town clerk. The yellowed document, dated 1868, is in the handwriting of the

Camp Meeting Be Held In Pinto Co. Au

PALO PINTO, Tex.—Pinto County Methodist Meeting will be held at Springs camp grounds, to 10. A meeting preachers of the county unite plans for enlarging further meeting to enlist area. The pastors will preaching and holding

Rev. J. M. Bond, West district superintendent, gram chairman, and Willingham, Palo Pinto, charge of local arrangements further information of these men, or Rev. Crawford, Grafard, who tor of publicity.

The camp grounds on U. S. Highway 80-A, west of Palo Pinto, and from Ranger. There is room for camping amid natural scenery, flowing of pure water are right grounds, and every pre be made for the comfort who attend.

If there were as many per square mile through whole U. S. as there are Island—668—the nation population would equal the population of the whole

late President's grandfa as justice of the peace for the ceremony for his

vin's father—John Cal Victoria Josephine Moore Half a century later same bridegroom, as Calvin Coolidge, also a the peace, who by minist ministered the oath of his son as President of States.

Just a Bit Personal ...

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stephen and Stanley and Rodney Stephen were visitors Sunday at Camp Bowie in Brownwood.

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\$1.48 Suit
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 Cotton Batts
 25c ea.
 Made of new unbleached cotton
 100 NEW REMNANTS TO CLOSE OUT AT LOW PRICES!

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TERRY TOWELS
10c Each
 In solid colors or stripes and checks. Just received—you will want at least a dozen!

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SPORT SHIRTS
49c
 Sizes 6 to 18, assorted colors

1000 YARDS
 Fast Color
PRINTS
10c Yd.
 Look at this group of prints. You will surely find some that you want!

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SPRING HATS
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 In new pastel felts, also new straws

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 Ladies better quality hose in new spring shades. See our windows

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 A small quantity of men's better anklets. Sizes 10 to 12
 36-INCH FAST COLOR CRETONNE
10c Yd.
 This is a good quality, fast color Cretonne. Be sure and see this now!

Men's
Broadcloth Shorts
10c Each
 Fast color pre-shrunk, full cut shorts. Men, this is a real buy! Full range of sizes

CLOSE-OUT
MISSES' ANKLETS
5c Pr.
 Only about 50 pair and they won't last long at this price, so be here early
 800 YARDS 36-INCH Unbleached Muslin
5c Yd.
 This is good quality muslin. Stock up now at this low price!

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DRESS SLACKS
\$1.98
 New shipment just received, sizes 28 to 38, in pleated or plain fronts

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MEN'S TIES
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 Men's better ties to close out at this low price
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SPORT HATS
Women's white gaberdine Sport Hats. Elastic back. 4 3/4 in. brim. Wear them today. **59c**

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MISS KARKALITS
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LADIES' SPRING DRESSES
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Here is a RED HOT SPECIAL for Our Employees' Sale . . . Smartly tailored Spring Dresses in Sharkskins and Spun Rayons . . . novelty trim braids, with two zipper pocket openings . . . colors of Dusty, Aqua, Copon, Red and Wine, also in White Checks. A \$1.98 Value—
\$1.34

Special Ladies'
CHIFFON HOSE
Pure Silk Full Fashioned Chiffon Hose, slightly irregular . . . all new Spring Shades. Irregulars of our Regular 69c sellers. Special for our Employees' Sale—
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Special
LADIES GOWNS
98c value . . . for our Employees' Sale . . . those beautiful Rayon Crepe Gowns . . . smartly tailored with Sheered Front, Decollette cut. Ribbon trim, with 60 inch sweep . . . colors tearose and blue . . . Sizes 16 and 17.
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Men's solid color anklets, 3 pair for . . . **25c**



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Tied dots . . . fast colors. Solids, checks and plaids—
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W. A. GREEN, Manager.



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Patterns in latest stripes—
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CHATERETE
Spun rayon and Teca. Small floral patterns. Guaranteed washable—
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Each
36-In MUSLIN
6c Yd.

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Twinkle Rayon Taffeta Slips, adjustable shoulder straps. Sizes 34 to 44. Color tea rose. Special for Our Employees' Sale—
27c Each

LADIES' GOWNS
Stripe Rayon Taffeta Gowns. Square Cut Neck, Sheered Front, Cap Sleeves. Sizes 16 and 17. Color tea rose. Special for Our Employees' Sale.
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Pair

SLACK SUITS
Boys' slub Slack Suits. Nicely tailored. Sizes 6 to 16. Suit . . . **\$1.59**

KHAKI SUITS
Men's army twill sun tan khakis. "Dickies" the very best. For our Employees **\$1.87**
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Can We Be as Foolish as This?

It is disturbing to read that Mexican mercury, Brazilian industrial diamonds, quartz, mica and platinum are being bought right under our very noses in Central and South America by the Japanese. According to recent news stories from the south, Japanese agents are outbidding, outrading, and outguessing American agents in buying up huge supplies of these and other strategic materials in such quantity as to suggest that some of them are being transhipped to Germany.

Here is the United States, at peace, its shipping and delivery facilities unimpaired, sitting atop the biggest pile of gold in the whole world, allowing Japan to buy out from under its very nose strategic and industrial materials of the highest importance, thus increasing Japanese trade with countries in which the United States is hoping to do the same.

Take Mexico, for instance. It is the only producer of mercury from which the United States is almost certain not to be cut off. Mexico desperately needs American dollars with which to buy American products. Mexico produces mercury, a liquid metal vitally necessary to certain explosives. The Mexican monetary system could use some good strong gold backing. Yet we sit and watch the precious flasks of mercury go streaming off to Japan and from thence possibly to Germany, bringing to Mexico Japanese money and credits which must necessarily be exchanged later for Japanese goods.

For a mere decimal fraction of the gold buried at Fort Knox, the United States should be able to buy the last drop of Mexican mercury production at a higher price than the Japanese can pay.

Then what? The United States would have the vital mercury. Mexico would have the gold, a more stable currency better aligned to our own, credits with which to buy American goods she cannot now afford.

The same thing is true of half the countries of South America. We want to increase trade with them. All right. We have surplus gold. They have the strategic materials, now going to countries using them in aggressive war.

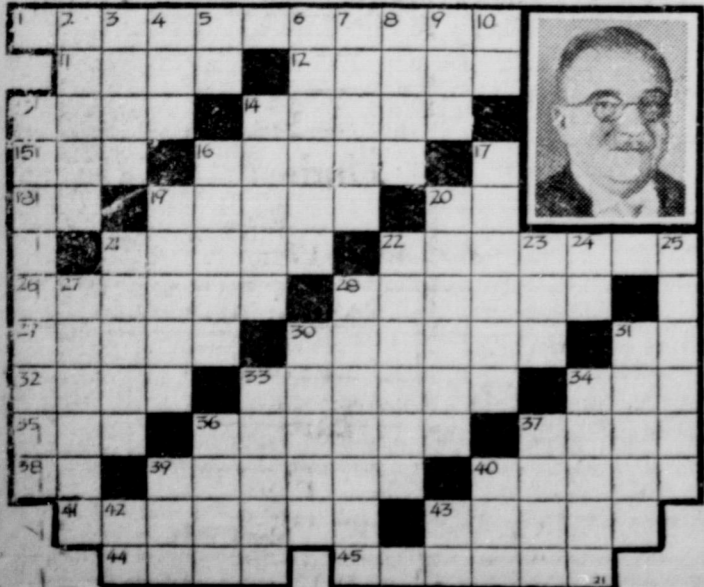
To permit this, to sit and see ourselves beaten at our own game, and a game in which we hold all the cards at that, is really too much. We even have the machinery set up: the Metals Reserve Co., the Defense Supply Corporation, and the Treasury itself, are already charged with buying up stockpiles of strategic materials.

Every dollar, every bar of gold sent south to buy these things before somebody else gets them may save its weight in blood later on.

We know the U. S. Navy "mosquito" boats will make a hit with the British—and we sincerely hope they will with the German subs.

LEADER OF GREECE

- Answer to Previous Puzzle
- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Late dictator of Greece.
 - 11 Squirrel skin.
 - 12 Heron.
 - 13 Custom.
 - 14 Regions.
 - 15 Kind.
 - 16 Fool.
 - 18 Toward.
 - 19 Highly flavored sauce.
 - 20 Mountain (abbr.).
 - 21 Fashions.
 - 22 Outer coat.
 - 26 Removed whiskers.
 - 28 Sugar-cane stalk.
 - 29 Semis.
 - 30 Canine.
 - 31 Pair (abbr.).
 - 32 Measure.
 - 33 Confining.
 - 34 Opposed to.
 - 35 Coin.
 - 36 Science of plants.
- VERTICAL**
- 2 Molding.
 - 3 Skirt of yarn.
 - 4 Insect's egg.
 - 5 Mister (abbr.).
 - 6 Coats with tin alloy.
 - 7 Deputy.
 - 8 Roentgen ray.
 - 9 Bronze.
 - 10 Street (abbr.).
 - 13 Under his leadership his country.
 - 14 Italian invasion.
 - 15 Intended.
 - 16 Undraped statues.
 - 17 He was called the "— man of Greece."
 - 19 Small depression.
 - 20 Rebellion.
 - 21 Heaven sent food.
 - 22 Salty.
 - 23 Mine shaft hut.
 - 24 Upon.
 - 25 He died of a — infection, recently.
 - 27 Fear.
 - 28 Gondola race.
 - 30 Destines.
 - 31 To iron.
 - 33 Laughable.
 - 34 Dish.
 - 36 Kanarese sect.
 - 37 Writes.
 - 39 School of whales.
 - 40 Pine tree.
 - 42 Each (abbr.).
 - 43 Myself.



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LETTERS FROM READERS

To the Editor:

Following is a copy of the letter, which I sent to a West Texas citizen in regard to the strike bill that I am introducing for Governor O'Daniel:

Mr. J. E. Sanders
Local Union No. 1565
Abilene, Texas

Dear Mr. Sanders:

Answering your letter of the 14th, I beg to advise as follows: I have every regard for union labor, and their rights to organize and bargain collectively, but I can not agree with you that the O'Daniel bill jeopardizes the rights of labor. It merely attempts to preserve the security of our people in the presence of a great and dangerous emergency. I wish to call your attention to the fact that it is as stringent on management as it is on labor. To those labor unions directed by good patriotic citizens like your-

self, it can have no ill effects, but to those dominated by selfishness and disloyalty as most of the CIO groups seem to be, it will have a suppressing effect, and that is exactly what it is designed to do.

France was destroyed last summer by the treachery of certain labor groups. Many loyal laborers, like a majority of the AFL Unions, are imposed upon by disloyal labor groups that regard their own interests as superior to the general welfare.

I have a boy nineteen years of age—a volunteer in the army. He is paid \$21.00 a month for his service to you and me and the rest of the country in this hour of peril, and I have no patience with the group of men in the defense industry who are drawing from \$8 to \$15 a day and that strike for higher wages and thus deprive that boy of the support that he and millions like him who are wearing uniforms, of the materials needed to properly defend the nation. He is willing to fire bullets at \$21 a month, labor should not haggle about furnishing him bul-

lets at \$8 to \$10 a day wage, and this same attitude applies to capital as well.

Thanking you and with all good wishes, I am

Very sincerely yours,
JOHN LEE SMITH

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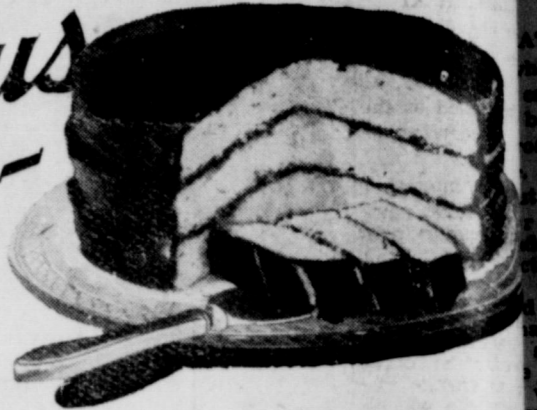
Relieve misery as 3 out of 5 mothers do. Rub throat, chest, back with VICKS VAPORUB

Senator Stubborn On His Announcement

By United Press
AUSTIN, Tex.—In absence of Lieut.-Gov. Coke R. Stevenson during a senate session this week, Sens. Clay Cotten of Palestine and Weaver Moore of Houston attempted to drown each other out in a noise contest.

Senator Moore persisted: "There will be a meeting of the State Affairs Committee—"
Cotten's gavel resounded vigorously, drowning out Moore's statement.
Moore started again, pounded louder, Moore Cotten banged more vigorously.
"You can do as you please," Moore shouted at Cotten.
Cotten ignored the question and the committee announcement.

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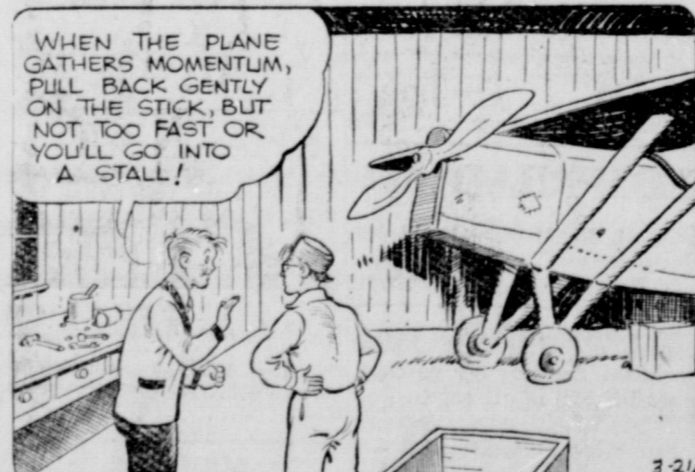
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Wait! Don't let this question depress you. Don't think of the answer in purely geographic terms. You are by no means so far away as you might imagine. Like a long-range telescope, the advertisements in this newspaper bring the scene in the new fashion centers.

The final and visible stage of this modern "television" is the advertising in these pages. Advertisements will give you the tip on the latest modes, they will direct you to the most alert establishments and they will attract you by the high quality and equitable prices offered. You cannot afford to ignore them.

DOLLARS TO DOUGHNUTS

BY ELLINGTON

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Miss Bee Davis, Huntington's boss, has been a success in selling. When she advises customers on suits they wear, she can't help but smile. From the buyer's point of view, Miss Bee is a floorwalker, cautious and a little too much advising. She says she would not suit her, she'll be glad to buy.

BEARNES HER PAY
CHAPTER XI

AT afternoon so long ago, she had slipped out of the subway, Beatrice had been frightened at the swift change of her marriage to Clarence had wanted to escape. Her interest in this Grandfather had been a turning point and the madcap masquerade. She had been so strongly that she had been here. There were many things about the store she had Grandfather would not approved, if he could know! wanted to change the store, or if. Now she was learning from the very bottom, in the intimate and revealing man-

ner, in the days that had, Beatrice was tempted to be on the sponge. This life was not for her. It was not for the thrill cry of the clock, drinking her black, battling for a new life, was not fun. She called "Miss Dane" not fun to be snubbed whose grammar was and whose manners were not fun to stand on her feet, enduring the burning soles and aching to her lips held the Huntington's in-

time she played with going back home, she Miss Dane's hard, and brusque voice. She had the voice of that Weeming's office. She Mr. Bradley's straight, and Toby's vivid, and face. "They can't take it, I can!"

ALLY, it had been hardest the first week when she edge of the bathtub with her feet soaking and the smell of her to break in two, any envelope fixed that will it had been! Money! Every penny of it is had torn the envelope open

Area Directors Attend Abilene NYA Conference

Orman L. Kimbrough, area director and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, supervisor of the Eastland non-resident girls center were in Abilene, Tuesday for a meeting of supervisors of resident and non-resident centers for NYA girls and representatives of the State

Robert Ray Cox, Rising Star; Allen Doyle Cooksey, Alameda; Hal Smith, Colony.

High School Junior Boys: Clifton Riek, Eastland.

Sub-Junior Girls: Ann Matthews, Young School, Ranger; Barbara Franklin, Morton Valley; Barbara Ann Wyley, Gorman.

High School Junior Girls: Mary Alice Huckle, Cisco; Ruby Dale Brown, Gorman; Madge Hatcher, Eastland.

High School Girls: Jane Matthews, Ranger; Bertha Lee Pickett, Morton Valley; Janice Titsworth, Eastland.

Senior Girls: Velda Jean Ours; Leola Snell, Flatwood.

Senior Boys: Wayne Tye, Little Flatwood.

Junior Girls: Bobbie Jean Ours; Joanne Burns, Okra; Flatwood.

Junior Boys: Royce Aek; Jack Royce Hale, Okra; Vaughn, Flatwood.

Sub-Junior Girls: Myrna Flatwood.

Sub-Junior Boys: Bobbie Hall, Flatwood; Burl Flatwood.

Declamation

Senior, Boys: Pete Boys, Ward School;

years of experience evident in the way she had never experienced before. Almost, she had gloated over that pay envelope. The small sum seemed more important, suddenly, than all the thousands of dollars the paying tellers at the trust company had handed her through their little wickets.

This pay envelope was a symbol of achievement. A reward for valor.

"I did stick with it, this whole week. This money is for my hurting feet; for smiling at customers, for letting Miss Dane insult me. This money means I'm worth something to Huntington's." She thought, too. "When I spend one of these dollars, I'll be actually buying for the first time in my life."

She still slept on the lumpy couch in Toby and Vera's apartment. "Don't move, Bee," they had pleaded. "With you here, chipping in, we'll pay the rent on time."

Toby added, "You'd only be moving back in a little while. Because you're gonna get canned, the way you're doing!"

For Beatrice was still hunting up dresses with good, simple lines and pushing them at customers hopefully. She was still handing out advice that directly contradicted the kind of dresses that hung in rows on the racks—the dresses Miss Dane had bought. Miss Dane's sharp eyes followed her with ever-increasing hostility, and Miss Dane's tight lips rapped out orders with undisguised dislike.

"She can't fire me while I make my quota, every day."

"Yeah, you're making it. The hard way. But Saturday, when you told that customer in the dressing room what constitutes the foundation of a good wardrobe, Miss Dane nearly choked."

The customer however, had bought three basic dresses and proceeded to the accessories on the main floor to purchase belts, collars and some perky pins.

Toby said, "When they start asking for you, Miss Dane will take it out on Getzie, watch."

GETZIE—Miss Getz—was the middle-aged woman with the carefully dyed hair and the determined air of sprightliness who had been so kind to Beatrice her first few days. Miss Getz had taken Beatrice into the stockroom and explained, in great detail, how to locate everything. She had shown Bee a quick way to tally up her sales, at the end of the day; and helped her get her stock all neatly hung. Miss Getz was a wizard with the stock, her long

Board for Vocational Education.

Miss Carmen Fagg, Eastland, employed by the State Board for Vocational Education, represented the home making training class. Miss Fagg will work with the local girls NYA project in this training program.

Miss Beaty, of Eastland, NYA health nurse was also in attendance.

Mr. Canady, of Eastland, who gives training in Visual Education and Mrs. Armer, who is giving health lectures, also attended. Mr. Canady and Mrs. Armer are each employed by the State Board for Vocational training and work in co-operation with the local NYA supervisors.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Effie Brooks, State Director for girls work and professional projects.

The program throughout the day was interesting and instructive.

Miss Fagg and Mrs. Satterwhite spent Wednesday at Brownwood in the girls non-resident center at that place.

(To Be Continued)

Mr. Bradley ironed out complaints and misunderstandings, saw to it that no customer remained unattended for longer than five seconds, o. k'd checks and charges, found out what had become of undelivered packages, supervised the sales girls, kept his eye on the appearance of displays and stock, and, in general, managed Budget Fashions as first lieutenant to Miss Dane, the buyer.

"Learning to be a merchandise man!" snorted Toby. "That's the line they hand 'em. Start from the bottom, work your way up. It's bunk. When they need a merchandise man, I've always noticed, they hire a big shot away from some other store."

"But Bradley's not a bad egg. When he first came, all the girls took a shot at fascinating him. No go."

She grinned suddenly. "Say, Bee, it's your turn now. How would you like to drag a date out of Bradley?"

him. "What companies?" his boss asked. "Light, water and telephone" was the reply.

A Dallas landlord said to a prospective tenant. "We keep our apartment house quiet; do you have any children?"

The applicant answered, "No" and then the landlord inquired, "Do you play any musical instrument or do you own a cat, dog or parrot?" And the man replied, "No—but my fountain pen does scratch a little sometimes."

You will get indignant when you read about the sufferings inflicted on the poor and friendless by loan sharks as described in a pocket-sized book, "A Century of Usury in Texas", penned by the brilliant Edmonds Travis of Austin.

When the Army reaches a strength of 1,400,000 men, approximately one-third of that number will be driving trucks and other motor vehicles or servicing them. This demonstrates the importance of motor transportation to national defense, a growth which Texas however has retarded by retaining an antiquated 7,000-pound load limit law.

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My favorite (and only) niece, Mary, accompanied her mother to the store in Jefferson to make purchases for the Spring garden and the 3-year old piped up, "I want some chewin' gum seed."

I GIVE YOU TEXAS . . .

By BOYCE HOUSE

A man whose fingers often have been smeared with printer's ink is Homer Leonard who, for years, was publisher of a newspaper in McAllen and still owns a job printing plant there. Leonard is Speaker of the House of Representatives, and colleagues declare that he is handling the duties with impartiality and ability and that the handsome and dynamic solon from the Magic Valley is rendering real service to Texas.

The best possum dog in this State is owned by William Dee Moore, or at least so we read in E. C. Lowe's Lometa Reporter:

This dog is so well trained that all Moore has to do is to show him a board that you stretch hides on, and he makes a break for the woods and soon returns with a possum whose hide fits the board shown him. In this way, it takes a lot of responsibility off the trapper as he does not have to hunt out the right size board to cure the hide on.

But this season, the hound disappeared and, after he had been gone two days, William D. went to look for him and found him gaunt and hollow-eyed, and had to haul the dog in. He asked Mrs. Moore what was the matter and she said that, two days before when she went to get her ironing board, the hound saw her with it and made for the woods and had been there all that time looking for a possum with a hide to fit the ironing board!

Chief argument against federal control of oil is that the State is doing a good job through its State Railroad Commission. Frank Buttram, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, recently pointed out that the advocates of federal control originally had based their arguments on the theory of prevention of waste but that all charges of waste put forth by these advocates were refuted with evidence in Cole Congressional committee hearings. So, when it was proved that federal control should not be adopted since the State Railroad Commission is performing its oil duties efficiently, it was proved also for the same reason that there is no necessity for a separate oil and gas commission in Texas, observers declare.

New Braunfels, founded in 1845 by Prince Solms of Braunfels, already is making plans for a centennial celebration. The city is rich with color—wide streets, venerable stone houses, picturesque, central park with the Confederate monument, the fine old bell tower of the First Protestant Church and the beautiful museum which houses a thousand documents, bits of yellowed lace, muskets and paintings that mutely record nearly 100 years of history. The tree is still standing under which the first school was taught and New Braunfels had the first tax-supported public school in Texas. It is known, too, as the "city of metal roofs", an ordinance passed in 1893 prohibiting wooden shingles and thereby gaining a reduction in the fire insurance rate. If you like "atmosphere"—and who doesn't?—you will enjoy visiting New Braunfels.

Did you hear about the Coleman man who asked his employer for a raise on the grounds that three other companies were after

RED RYDER

By Hamlin



OOOP . . .

By Hamlin

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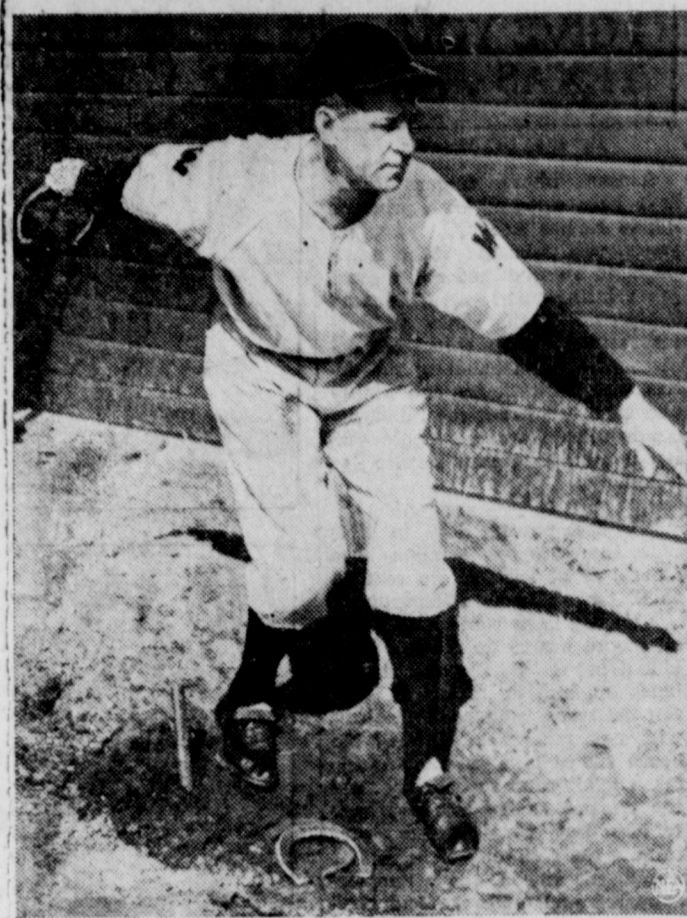
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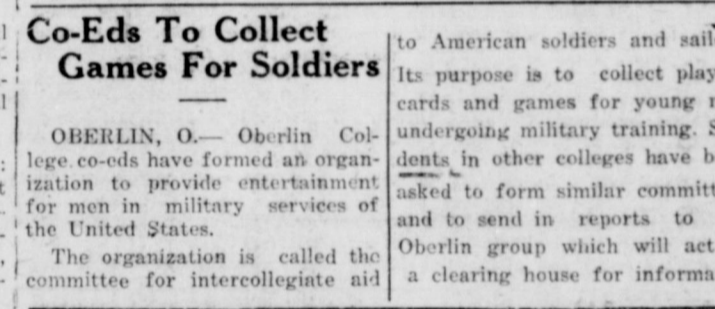


He Ought to Carry 'Em in Pockets



Bucky Harris pitches horseshoes at Orlando, Fla., base. The Washington manager really ought to carry them in his pockets, tack one up above the clubhouse door or wrap a few around the bats of his Nationals.

Freckles and His Friends—By Blosser



Postal Receipts In One Day In Dallas Equal Former Year

DALLAS, Tex.—A survey by Herman Bradshaw, post office employe for 56 years, shows that an average day's business at the Dallas post office now is equal to the total for the whole year of 1885.

The annual take 55 years ago was \$41,736. Bradshaw's chart shows, while the 1940 total of post office business set a record of \$4,957,832.

Ten clerks and 10 carriers did the job in grandpa's day, but today 386 clerks and 287 carriers, in addition to 332 other employes ranging from custodian to special delivery messengers, boost the total postoffice personnel at Dallas to 1,005.

Since 1885 there have been only seven years when annual postal receipts did not exceed the total of the year before, the report showed.

The first drop in receipts occurred in 1897, a panic year, when receipts of \$142,525 were \$9 less than those of 1896. In 1915, after the World War broke out, there was a drop of about \$3,000 in receipts, totaling \$1,073,651. Four depression years, 1930-31-32-33 showed decreases, reaching the low in 1933 with annual receipts of \$3,397,518.

There was another drop, and the last recorded, in 1938 when total receipts of \$4,323,884 were \$40,000 under those of the year before.

A Chicago clog dancer wants \$15,000 for a broken foot—probably claiming the jig is up.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Scaled proposals for constructing 5.956 miles of Emul. Asph. Stabilized Base & Asphalt Concrete Pavement from Blundell St. in Ranger East 6 Miles on Highway No. U. S. 80, covered by CWR 7-6-6, in Eastland County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., March 25, 1941, and then publicly opened and read. The wage rates generally prevailing in this locality, which are listed below, shall apply as minimum wage rates for those employees employed and paid by the Contractor, on this project.

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Compressor Operator	4.00
Pump Operator	4.00
Steel Setter (reinforc. steel)	4.00
Oiler	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less)	3.20
Flagman	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20
Teamster	3.20
Dumper	3.20
Watchman	2.80
Water Boy	2.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular government rates.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: 1. Missouri Waltz; 2. Smoke Gets in Your Eyes; 3. A Kiss in the Dark; 4. Japanese Sandman.

Texas Dove Limit Above Other States

AUSTIN, Texas—Texas' 1941 bag limit on doves probably will be higher than that of the southeastern states, Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, chief of the federal service which regulates the season and bag limit on doves, indicated.

A heavy freeze and ice storm suffered by the southeastern states in the winter of 1938-39 will probably cause smaller 1941 bag limits. The bag limit was cut from 15 to 12 birds by federal regulations last year. Texas' bag limit will probably remain the same as last year.

Texas has more of the sporty whitewings than any other state and the federal government is assisting the state game department in saving the birds which apparently are becoming more scarce each year, Will J. Tucker, executive secretary of the Texas Game Department, said.

You have to stand on your own feet before you can get up on your toes.

Annual Father And Son Banquet Friday, March 28

Fathers and sons of this section have a real treat in store for them, according to those in charge of the program for the 9:49 Bible Class's annual Father and Son banquet Friday night, March 28 at the First Methodist church.

M. J. Morrell of Dallas, who is to be the principal speaker for the banquet, is declared by those sponsoring the affair to be one of the outstanding Christian and civic leaders of that city. Born near Santa Anna, in Coleman county, Mr. Morrell is truly a West Texan.

For several years Mr. Morrell has been connected with the Magnolia Petroleum company as manager of that company's Industrial Relations Department.

To discouraged home-builders: Building material has about reached its peak and should gradually return to near pre-war prices within the next few months, according to a University of Texas architect.

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Co-Eds To Collect Games For Soldiers

OBERLIN, O.—Oberlin College co-eds have formed an organization to provide entertainment for men in military services of the United States.

The organization is called the committee for intercollegiate aid

to American soldiers and sailors.

Its purpose is to collect playing cards and games for young men undergoing military training. Students in other colleges have been asked to form similar committees and to send in reports to the Oberlin group which will act as a clearing house for information.

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Eastland Brother D Home In

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Grady and members of their family, who were in Eastland at the time of his death and were direct to Canyon, Texas, to be with the family in Canyon or left in receipt of the Pipkin's death for information regarding funeral arrangements available in Eastland, Texas.

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