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Says State Schools Should Accept Cut in Revenues

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—Governor Sterling said today it looked as though the revenues this year would be smaller than formerly and therefore he thought the state colleges should bear their share in the necessary curtailment of expenses.

The governor made the statement after being reminded of the resolution that had been introduced in the House calling for abolition of the 1931 summer schools.

ROTARIANS TO HEAR RED CROSS MESSAGE

The Ballinger Rotary Club will hear a full and complete discussion of the American Red Cross work in this county Wednesday when C. R. Stephens, county chairman, addresses the members on that subject. F. M. Pearce is responsible for tomorrow's program and announced Tuesday morning that Mr. Stephens would be the principal speaker.

The work of the Red Cross is of great interest to many at this particular time. Already much benefit has been received in this county from the organization. In the fall a large sum was allotted Runnels county farmers for the purchase of small grain seed with which to sow winter pasturage. This money was all spent and many farmers were enabled to sow oats, wheat, etc. At this time untold aid is being provided in the way of food for rural families. The movement works hand in hand with federal farm loans for feed, seed and fertilizer.

Other numbers on the Rotary program promise to be interesting and leaders are urging that every member be present tomorrow noon at the hotel.

Raises Best Hog Litter

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 3.—(AP)—Richard Bergen, an Oldham county farmer, is Kentucky's champion hog raiser, using the ton litter as a unit of production. He raised a litter of pigs to weigh 2,723 pounds when 165 days old and led the 60 farmers in the state contest.

Burglars Rob Dry Goods Store

Burglars broke into The Hub store here Monday night and an early check Tuesday morning showed considerable merchandise missing. The robbers entered the back door from the alley by prying off a panel of the door with a short iron bar.

R. E. George, manager of the department store, was called by City Night Watchman C. B. Armstrong when he discovered the broken door on his rounds. Mr. George hurried to the store and a brief inspection showed that five pairs of shoes, a suitcase or two, underwear, work pants and other garments were missing. The shoes were removed from the boxes and the empty boxes were strewn around the aisles. One pair of shoes stolen were mis-mates as an odd shoe was left in each of two boxes.

In the men's department several empty coat hangers were evidence that either suits or overcoats were taken. Several pairs of trousers were left in the floor, evidently being too bulky to cram in a suitcase already partly filled. A check was being made Tuesday in all departments of the store to determine exactly how much merchandise was stolen. Most of the stock was in good order and apparently had not been disturbed. All shoes taken were large sizes, ranging from tens to twelves. Three pairs were black and two were tan.

A number of shoe boxes were covered with finger prints and these were being saved for a Bertillon expert. Finger prints also were visible on the panel of the door where the robbers broke in and these were being carefully guarded until they could be examined for identifying suspects.

Local officers were busy on the case Tuesday morning and a close tab is being made in other West Texas cities for merchandise similar to that stolen here Monday night.

Recent Quakes in Mexico Produce Island in Pacific

(By Associated Press)
OAXACA, Mexico, Feb. 3.—Dr. Daniel Rueda, manager of the government observatory here, today announced the discovery of a new volcanic island, six miles off Puerto Angel, Oaxaca, in the Pacific Ocean.

Rueda declared that he believed the island emerged from the sea during the earthquake which rocked this state on January 14.

BLANTON BOY SUFFERS BROKEN ARM TUESDAY

Melvin King, 12, was brought here Tuesday at noon from the Blanton school suffering with a broken arm. Melvin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl King and was hurt while playing at the Blanton school at recess Tuesday morning. The break was in the elbow and after being set, local doctors thought he would soon be well again.

Runs Down Deer

DELAND, Fla., Feb. 3.—(AP)—Track coaches might look into this. Billy Mickle, local high school boy, went hunting and shot a deer, five times in all, but the deer kept going. Billy gave chase, caught the fleet animal and the Mickle's had venison for several days.

Build Egg Storage Plant at Bowie

Texas, home of many modern farming ideas, is fostering a new thought—a co-operative egg storage plant which a group of farmers believe will enable egg producers to obtain a greater portion of the profits from this farm product.

A 2400 case, electrically refrigerated storage plant is being constructed in the farm community of Bowie, Texas, and will be in readiness to operate by early spring. Summer eggs, ordinarily thrown on an unprofitable market, will be held for the more favorable fall and winter prices. The community egg storage innovation followed a chamber of commerce investigation of the success of small egg refrigeration plants, a number of which have been operated in the Lone Star State during the past two years by individual farmers and merchants of farming communities. Impressed, the Bowie egg producers decided upon the proposed plant, which is said to be twice the size of any now in operation.

One of the first of such plants was built by Lee Faulkner, Bellevue, Texas, merchant, who reported that during the first year he bought summer eggs for \$7.50 a case and sold them in November for \$12.50 a case.

"From the above figures," Mr. Faulkner stated, "it is evident that the plant, which cost \$3,000, not only paid for itself during the first year, but that such a plant is a valuable asset to a business like mine, or a farm community."

Senate Receives Committee Report

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The Senate interstate commerce committee today reported back to the Senate without recommendation, the nominations of three members of the federal power commission whose names President Hoover refused to return to the Senate after the Senate previously had confirmed them.

The nominations in controversy were Chairman Smith, and Commissioners Garsaud and Draper.

New Zealand City Wrecked By Quake; Many Homeless

Hines Opposes Cash Payments

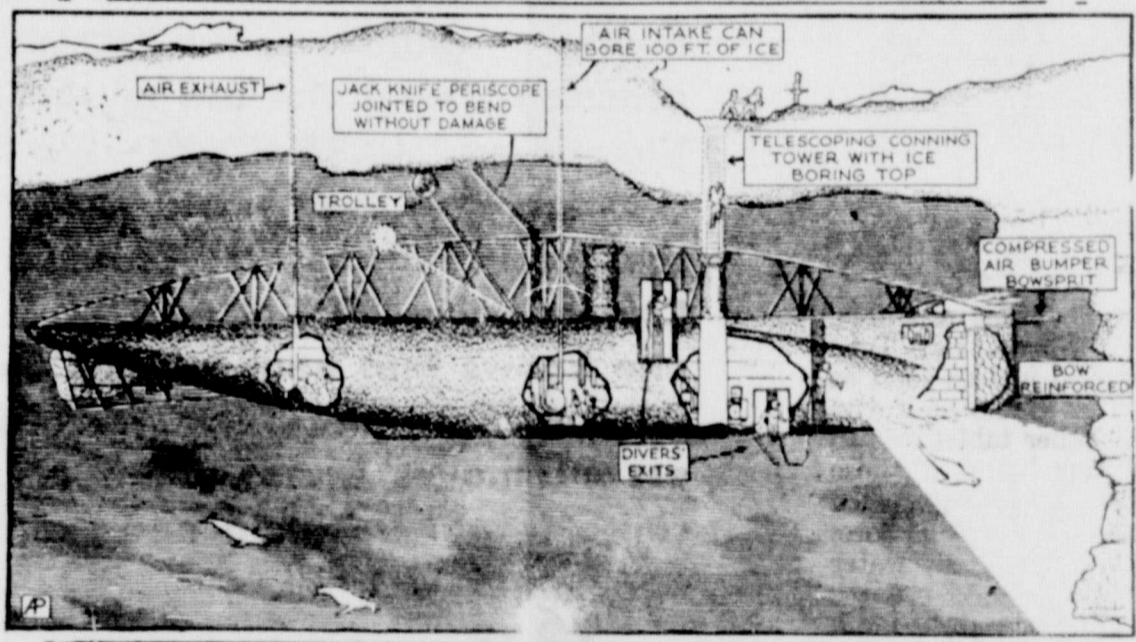
(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—Frank T. Hines, administrator of the United States veterans' bureau, today warned the Senate finance committee against the cashing of the veterans' adjusted service certificates, saying, "We have reached the point in connection with veterans' relief when we must give serious consideration to where we are going."

Sub Explosion Injures Several

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Feb. 3.—One man was seriously burned and several others were injured today as a result of an explosion on the British submarine X-1 during maneuvers in the estuary of the Thames River.

An admiralty report said it was believed that the explosion was not serious, but that details were slight.

"Inverted Sled," Riding Bottom of Ice Ceiling, Soon to be Tested for Trip "Under" North Pole



The Sir Hubert Wilkins submarine, equipped for probably the strangest of all scientific voyages from Spitzbergen to Alaska, has a bow that acts as a shock absorber, and her back is a sled for riding under imprisoning ice. She can drill a 13-foot long manhole through ice above or thrust air pipes up 100 feet.

By Howard W. Blakeslee (Associated Press Science Editor)
CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 3.—An electric refrigerator will be carried to the north pole, or under it, in a submarine next summer. Stranger than fiction, things never seen before on land or sea are included in the equipment of this underwater boat.

Upon them depends the safety of Sir Hubert Wilkins and his crew of 17 scientists who expect to start from Spitzbergen in July to sail to Alaska under ice floes of the top of the world.

There is the jack-knife periscope, the trolley, the sled top, the boring conning tower, and the forward deck light glass which has the tensile strength of carbon iron.

These and other fittings are being installed here under direction of Lieut. Commander Sloan Denahower, who is to navigate her and who expects to have her ready for launching on Washington's birthday.

The sled top is a pair of runners, four feet apart, arching from bow to stern over the sub's top. It is intended to ease the

(By Associated Press)
AUCKLAND, New Zealand, Feb. 3.—Earthquake and fire today leveled the city of Napier, New Zealand, leaving approximately 100 dead and 1,000 persons injured.

Besides the casualties at Napier four other nearby towns were wrecked, leaving an undetermined number of dead and injured. Quakes with sledge-hammer like blows hit Napier and the area north of the island while the city slept.

Napier now is only a tangled mass of charred ruins. Relief was rushed from Auckland, while slight shocks were reported to be continuing in the stricken area.

Fowler Is Improving After Serious Illness

Geo. Fowler, who has been in the Halley & Love Sanitarium for the past month is reported to be improving and expects to be able to leave the institution about Sunday. Fowler suffered an infection in a knee and blood poisoning resulted which has kept him in the hospital for some time. He was injured in a car wreck about a month ago on the San Angelo highway.

District Pro Law Is Sidetracked

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—The Senate today side-tracked the Powell bill, which would establish a stricter prohibition enforcement law for the District of Columbia, to consider the independent offices appropriation bill.

Patrolmen Told To Arrest Drivers With '30 Plates

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—The failure of local officers to enforce the motor vehicle registration law resulted in orders to state highway patrolmen to arrest every automobile driver operating with a 1930 license, L. G. Phares, chief of the patrol, said today. Several arrests already have been made. Phares said hundreds of cars are operating on old licenses.

Trial of Leopard Owner Postponed

(By Associated Press)
OLTON, Tex., Feb. 3.—The case of Captain Charles Howard, charged with negligent homicide as the result of his trained leopard fatally injuring a child in a drug store recently, was postponed today when the court deferred the trial of all criminal cases for one week.

New Railway for Tennessee
JAMESTOWN, Tenn., Feb. 3.—(AP)—Service on a new railroad, a branch of the Oneida & Western, has been started to Jamestown, home of the Alvin C. York Memorial Institute. Cost of the extension from East Jamestown to Jamestown was \$30,000, which was raised by merchants here and mountain folk.

Norton Man Dies from Self Inflicted Wounds

Drastic Economy Measures Favored By Both Houses

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—The Senate today adopted a concurrent resolution favoring a drastic economy program, providing for a joint committee from the House and Senate to study and recommend the elimination and consolidation of state bureaus and commissions.

Wilmeth School Closed Because of Diphtheria

The Wilmeth school is closed this week for the second straight week on account of diphtheria being bad in that community. One child died during the past week and several others are quite ill at the present time from the disease. The school was ordered closed to check the spread of the disease.

Band Contests in Abilene April 11

ABILENE, Feb. 3.—Plans for the third annual West Texas high school band contest are being inaugurated, according to Prof. D. O. Wiley, director of the Cowboy Band of Simmons University under whose auspices the meet will be held. The date is set for April 11.

Fifteen towns have indicated their intention of entering. They are: Lubbock, Wichita Falls, Ballinger, Midland, Abilene, Cisco, Breckenridge, Albany, Wink, Graham, Bronte, Haskell, Snyder, Colorado and Pecos. A number of others are expected to enter, Prof. Wiley said.

The contest is affiliated with the National high school band contest and the winners of this tourney will be eligible to compete for national honors at the nationwide meet at Tulsa, Okla., which is to be held in May.

Four classes will compete, corresponding with the divisions in the national association. They are class A, high schools with more than 750 students; class B, schools with 250 to 750; class C, schools with less than 250 and class D, schools which have not had a band as long as one year.

R. A. Dhoschi, director of the Magnolia Petroleum band of Beaumont, will act as judge.

Hoover Opposes Relief Measures

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—President Hoover today opposed the proposed relief appropriations as measures he claimed were striking at the root of self government, saying that the friendliness and charity of the American people can be relied upon to care for their fellow citizen in distress.

E. E. McGee, 40, farmer living one and a half miles south of Norton, died Monday evening about 7 o'clock from gunshot wounds. The verdict of the coroner who investigated the circumstances was that death was self inflicted.

According to information furnished by 14-year-old twin sons, Melvin and Wilmin, the father told them he was going to kill himself, making this statement about three days ago. Monday afternoon about 5:30 they said their father went to the barn and a few minutes later they heard a shot. When they reached the building the youths found their father wounded and in a dying condition. A physician was summoned from Norton and everything possible was done to save McGee but without avail. A six-shooter was used to inflict the wound near his heart which penetrated the left lung.

The family has been living in the Norton community for some time and is well known in that part of the county. Mrs. McGee had gone to the home of her parents near Wingate several days before and was there at the time of the shooting.

Three letters were left by the decedent, one addressed to his sons, one to A. T. Chapman, and one to C. G. Jennings, of Ballinger. Those who read the letters said the one to his sons was filled with good advice, urging them to live right and become good men. The note to Mr. Chapman among other things gave a list of relatives to be notified, and the one to Mr. Jennings furnished complete instructions for his funeral, including the place, the preacher, etc.

The widow and three sons, Melvin and Wilmin, and Va. S. survive.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday at the Wilmeth cemetery with Rev. W. M. Mann, Baptist minister, officiating.

Bridwell Named Home Storekeeper

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, Feb. 3.—The state board of control Monday afternoon confirmed the appointment of T. F. Bridwell, of Ballinger, as storekeeper for the Texas Confederate home.

Bridwell was nominated by R. R. Patterson, newly appointed superintendent of the home.

Friends of T. F. Bridwell will be glad to hear of his appointment to this position. Mr. Bridwell has engaged in various lines of business in Ballinger and has a host of friends here both in business and in social circles. He will assume his duties at the Confederate home at once.

Joe Spoons Resigns as Jailer and Deputy

Joe Spoons, deputy sheriff and jailer, tendered his resignation to Sheriff W. A. Holt Tuesday morning to take effect at once. He was preparing to move from the jail Tuesday and another family will be placed there at once by the Runnels county sheriff.

Mr. Holt stated that he had not appointed another jailer and deputy to date but expected to name a successor to Mr. Spoons some time Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spoons moved to the jail on January 1 and have taken care of the county bastille and prisoners since that time. The jail has had a large number of men confined in it during the month of January and some still await removal to the state penitentiary or trial here at the next term of district court.

The history of Virginia is to be put in moving pictures for use in the schools.

WEATHER FORECAST
(By Associated Press)
West Texas—Fair tonight. Increasing cloudiness Wednesday.
East Texas—Somewhat colder in the north portion tonight. Fair Wednesday.

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District court will open in Ballinger next Monday when the grand jurors are due to be sworn in and start their work. A number of cases have developed here within the last few days which will be carefully probed by the grand jury which is expected to be in session for the major part of the week. A petit jury will begin work Tuesday morning, at which time a number of cases have been set for hearing.

A campaign is being planned here which may provide a better yards contest for the spring and summer. These contests have been successfully operated in various West Texas cities and by the cooperation of the citizens civic improvements have been made which beautified the communities. The entire plan depends upon home owners co-operating, entering their yards in the competition, and following up with a diligent effort to win the prizes offered. Plans will be announced soon for such a campaign here.

Many Texans are entering the battle for some kind of legislation against the buses and trucks. The railroads are urging that the motor carriers be placed under the same rules and regulations that govern the steam carriers. Citizens are beginning to complain of the wear and tear caused by these heavy vehicles on the public highways, the increased traffic hazards due to them, and to the injury inflicted on certain businesses and markets. Among the businesses affected the interior compresses probably have been the hardest hit in sections where pavement connects with the ports. During the past several weeks many Ballinger business men have issued orders to their wholesalers and jobbers to ship nothing more to them by truck. Others who have practically been put out of business by the trucks include drayage firms in all towns. Trucks that deliver to the door eliminate the need of any local drayage and the towns are losing payrolls from this source as a result.

COMBATING AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

The automobile accident problem will require the use of all possible resources if it is to be successfully combated, in the opinion of William BroSmith, vice-president of the Travelers Insurance Company. He predicts that the insurance industry will pay even greater attention to accident prevention work in 1931 than in past years.

About \$300,000,000 was paid out by insurance companies during 1930 as a result of automobile accidents, and nearly four-fifths of this was for deaths and personal injuries. The total is close to the amount paid out for fire.

According to BroSmith, effective accident prevention work has been done through the National

HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by DR. LACIO GALDESTON For the New York Academy of Medicine

RING WORM

Ring worm is a disease which afflicts man and animals. It is caused by a fungus parasite belonging to the vegetable kingdom.

In a sense this parasite is a microscopic relative to the fungi which produce mold on bread and other exposed organic substances.

There are several forms of ring worm differently named according to the body area affected and according to the type of condition produced.

The most common locations in which ring worm may develop are the hands and feet and those regions in which the skin is tender, moist, warm and where parts of the body are in apposition to each other. Ring worm may affect adults and children.

In recent years there appears to have been an increase in the number of cases of ring worm affecting the hands and feet, especially the latter.

This increase is explained in part by an increase in the congregation of large numbers of

individuals at swimming pools, gymnasia and other places where they are liable to walk about bare foot.

The fungus of ring worm is passed on from person to person. Its control, therefore, largely depends upon personal cleanliness and the care exercised by those afflicted.

Ring worm of the face, arms and scalp is sometimes contracted by contact with lower animals, particularly from dogs and cats. An animal showing moth eaten patches should be avoided.

The disease as a rule is amenable to treatment although recurrences are the rule. Occasionally, however, it is exceedingly stubborn, disfiguring and incapacitating. This is particularly true when the fungi attack the nails.

A form of ring worm known as Favus is met with in children. When this condition attacks the scalp it is liable to cause destruction of the hair follicles with permanent spots of baldness.

(Tomorrow—Night Handicaps)

Safety Council, the teachers in thousands of schools and the police departments of hundreds of cities. During the past decade special effort has been given to teaching children the fundamentals of safety, with the result that, during a time when the death rate for automobile accidents has been steadily increasing among adults, it has been on the down-grade among children of school age.

Apparently it is time that adults followed the example of children and absorbed the common-sense knowledge that makes for safety on streets and highways.

BELGIANS ARE LITTLE—JUST DON'T GROW TALL

(By Associated Press)

BRUSSELS, Feb. 3.—The Belgians are mighty, as they have shown in time of war, but they are little men.

Figures issued by the government show that 29 per cent of the population ranges in height from 4 feet, 3 inches to 5 feet, 2 inches.

The next 69 per cent are not much taller, heights only running up to a maximum of 5 feet, 7 inches. And only 2 per cent are taller than that.

Be wise and advertise.

SUNDOWN STORIES



GREEN FROGS

By Mary Graham Bonner

There sat the Green Frogs in Frog Hollow, enjoying the brook and the pond and the shrubs just as their fathers and mothers and grandfathers and grandmothers had.

They felt very grown-up and important now. Were they not real frogs?

They had lived in a mass of jelly at first. Then they had changed into tadpoles, and now they were talking about their babyhood days and their adventures.

"Listen to them," the Little Black Clock suggested. "I'll leave you here for awhile. I have a few things to do and, as you can understand the language of all creatures because of my magic, you will hear what they say."

John and Peggy thought it would be great fun. They had often visited Frog Hollow, but

they had never before had this opportunity of actually understanding the conversations of the creatures who lived there.

They waved to the Clock as he went off, and then they took a place near the pond.

A handsome Green Frog was sitting on a stump. Around him were some of his brothers and sisters and other relatives.

"Well, well, well, goo-room, goo-room, goo-room," he began. "What a time we have had. We keep improving ourselves."

"Now people grow larger, but

they don't make the splendid changes we make. A baby has arms and legs and a face and they grow. But there is not much difference besides this.

"We change completely. We have little tails when we are young, yes, we are little wriggling tadpoles."

"But then we know that after our babyhood days of a year or two, we must change completely. A frog doesn't look like a tadpole. A frog improves himself."

"Each frog celebrated this by eating a bug, then they blinked

their eyes and said, "Goo-room, that's so."

"Goo-room, that is indeed so," said the Speaker Frog. "Let's have another bug and talk about the way we did it, eh?"

(Tomorrow—"Frog Fashions")

NEW GUINEA NATIVES LIKE OLD NEWSPAPERS

CANBERRA, Feb. 3.—One of the best "trade" items for the natives in the New Guinea hinterland is a bundle of old news-

papers, says the Australian commissioner in that mandated territory.

The bushmen cut the pages into small strips which they use to roll cigars, sticking them with tree gum.

So coastal traders and labor recruiters have been buying old newspapers in Australia in ton lots. A bundle of old newsprint is a greater argument than glass beads, blunt iron knives, violently-colored calico or even the popular gramophone needles, used as spear points.

SUNSHINE MELLOWS

Heat

Purifies

LUCKIES are always kind to your throat



The advice of your physician is: Keep out of doors, in the open air, breathe deeply; take plenty of exercise in the mellow sunshine, and have a periodic check-up on the health of your body.

Everyone knows that sunshine mellow — that's why the "TOASTING" process includes the use of the Ultra Violet Rays. LUCKY STRIKE — the finest cigarette you ever smoked, made of the finest tobaccos — the Cream of the Crop — THEN — "IT'S TOASTED." Everyone knows that heat purifies and so "TOASTING" — that extra, secret process — removes harmful irritants that cause throat irritation and coughing.



TUNE IN — The Lucky Strike Dance Orchestra, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening over N. B. C. networks.

"It's toasted"

Your Throat Protection — against irritation — against cough

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PUFFY



"In China I should have a queue," says Puffy, "to be in style."

There ought to be a store where I could take one out for trial."

"I beg your pardon," Bunny says, "with something of a smile: 'Why buy a queue when you have had a pigtail all the while?'"

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DOROTHY DARNIT



By Charles McManus

CHAS. MCMANUS

EVELYN BRENT in 'Madonna of the Streets' a COLUMBIA PICTURE From the story 'The Ragged Messenger' by W.B. Maxwell

WHAT HAS HAPPENED REVEALS Filled with bitterness for Peter Morton because an accident made him the legal heir to a million dollars which was intended for her May with her...

Chapter Three Of course he loved her, he thought, who wouldn't? But why had she seemed so greedy to him when he told her of the million dollar inheritance left him by his uncle?



Peter's heart gave a little jump. Yes, he knew what sometimes happens to girls who had nowhere to turn. He pictured the sad but beautiful girl in the murky waters seeking death in preference to starvation.

wanted to tell the fat, prosperous preacher what he thought of him and his lack of real spiritual feeling—but they didn't really matter—these people. Only Marion mattered—and she didn't understand.

NO PARENT-TEACHER MEETING WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Alex McGregor, president of the Ballinger Parent-Teacher Association, said today that no meeting of that organization is to be held Wednesday.

Founders Day will be observed on Friday night, Feb. 20, at the high school auditorium and will be the only night meeting of the local P.-T. A. this year for both men and women.

An American In Paris

By Adelaide Kerr

PARIS, Feb. 3.—(AP)—The Rue de la Paix, hailed as the world's richest short street and the rainbow of every small dressmaker's wistful dream, bustles these days with preparations.

Within the next few weeks Paris will launch spring styles for women throughout the world and provide designs for dressmakers from Maine to California.

No Skyscrapers

The Rue de la Paix, only a few blocks long, houses the courtiers, jewelers and milliners which outfit the best dressed women in the world, but many a famous dressmaker now is located on another thoroughfare, since the little street can't hold them all.



The Importance o' bein' Rich

"Ring for the Rolls Royce, said Lisle Tharp, who's the richest man in town. But if you don't mind, I'll walk.

"Which jest goes to show that it takes a rich man to do what he darn pleases, even when it costs less.

"Look at rocky fords, for instance. They only cost a nickel. But I notice that the men who smoke them are usually sittin' pretty every other way.

"After all, a cigar is made for smokin' an' not for wearin'. If it tastes good, payin' more don't make it taste any better."

Rocky Ford CIGAR advertisement featuring an illustration of a cigar and text: 'the better 5 CIGAR C-P. Lorillard Co., Inc. Rocky Ford WHEN IT'S GOT THE STUFF A NICKEL'S ENOUGH'

this. There is not a building on the street over seven stories tall. But the doormen who help clients from their limousines are "Alphonse and Gaston" in the flesh, and the windows before which they stand sparkle with jewels and flash with every tint of the rainbow.

Crowds Due Soon Even those windows reflect the spirit of the Rue de la Paix. No vast glass expanse here, no flashing electric signs, but small "vitrines," with backgrounds of purple black velvet.

Orders will be placed, fittings begun again and once more the Rue de la Paix and its neighbors will set in motion the style machinery of the world.

Sheriff's Sale THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels:

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Runnels County, on the 2nd day of February, 1931, by Georgia Singletary, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Three Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty-Five Dollars (\$3,465.00) and costs of suit, under a judgment and foreclosure of a lien

a newspaper published in Ballinger, Runnels County, Texas. Witness my hand this 2nd day of February, A. D. 1931. W. A. HOLT, Sheriff, Runnels County, Texas. d-3-10-17

Notice

We have taken over the plumbing of E. J. Carroll in connection with our roofing and sheet metal works and will continue to operate all three at the same location.

At 97, Mrs. Marcilla Taylor of Andrews, N. C., has started to read the bible for the 39th time.

Gov. Harry Leslie of Indiana has undergone 13 operations. He was injured in a Purdue football special wreck in 1904.

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Get Rid of Colds Before They Weaken You, Make You Liable to More Serious Troubles.

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JOB PRINTING That S-e-l-l-s! A good printer must do more than merely go through the routine of setting type, inking the roller, etc. He must know how to set up your message so that it will leap out of the paper to capture the reader's eye.

BUILD A PERSONAL RESERVE Any business man, personally, may have need of a little extra private capital someday, available in cash, outside of his business, unknown to others, and ready for any call.

There'll Be Something New Tomorrow Every time you feel like muttering "There's nothing new under the sun," take up your daily paper and read through the advertisements. Chances are, you'll change your mind.

EVERY WOMAN NEEDS Dr. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription

Want Ads

Rates and Rules
Two cents per word first insertion and no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents.

FOR RENT—Four room house on Tenth Street, \$12 per month.

WANTED—Practical nursing or house work. Call at Russell Tourist Camp, South Ballinger.

WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing, also hemstitching, prices reasonable.

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment, 709 Ninth St. Phone 1306.

FOR RENT—Practically new house, five rooms and bath. Has gas and electrical fixtures.

MOVIES

Ladies of Leisure Closes at the Palace Tonight
Ladies of Leisure, the Columbia all-talking drama of New York night life with Barbara Stanwyck, Lowell Sherman and Ralph Graves, closes its three-day run at the Palace Theatre tonight.

Soup to Nuts, Rube Goldberg Comedy in Film Coming
Comedy appealing to the general tastes of every man, woman, son and daughter in the land is said to be found in Fox Movie-tome's latest laugh picture, "Soup to Nuts."

66 MILES ON 1 GALLON OF GAS?
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WINGATE NEWS

There was church at the Primitive Baptist, Christian and Missionary Baptist churches Sunday.

Little Miss Anita Hensley spent Saturday night with Marie Shook.

We are sorry to report that Miss Nell Towler is leaving us. She is going back to Alice to attend school.

Mrs. Addie Barnett spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lina Smith.

Mrs. Ethel Sterns spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Shorty Cotton.

Miss Tiny Wood spent Thursday night with Mrs. Ethel Sterns.

The P-T. A. social at the school house Thursday night was well attended. Pollyanna, bridge, forty-two, flinch and a spelling match each drew its quota of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wood had as their guests Thursday Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McMillan and son, Troy, and Hubert Foreman, of the Oxien community.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Rodgers, of Sweetwater, visited relatives in this community this week-end.

Miss Anita Henley spent Saturday night with Miss Willie Mae Wood.

Miss Hattie Muriel Bishop spent Saturday night with Miss Edith Prewitt.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Jack Sanford is very ill. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

The farewell party given by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dean for Miss Nell Towler was well attended and everyone reported a nice time.

Miss Jewel Bishop spent Sunday night with Miss Era Poik.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company has been called by the Directors of said corporation.

What makes this picture really one of the prizes of the season is the superlative acting of the entire cast. The personnel includes in addition to the three stars mentioned above—Marie Prevost, George Fawcett, Nancy O'Neil, Juliette Compton and Johnnie Walker.

Secretary of Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe Railway Company, Dec 8-904d

SALARIES OF YOUNG PEOPLE
Ahlene, Texas, February 2, 1931. A survey that should be unusually helpful to young people in selecting a vocation has just been compiled by a leading authority for free distribution to those interested in it.

If you would like to have a copy of this survey, showing what young people like you may reasonably expect to earn in business positions, based on careful data from 50 firms, the chances form promotion, and other helpful information, clip and mail this to Draughon's College, Dept. BL, Ahlene, Texas, today.

Eight percent less turkeys are being grown in Oklahoma this year than in 1929.

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Bearcats Split Games with Brady

The Ballinger high school basketball team returned from Brady Saturday night after splitting a two-game series there. The Bearcats with all hands on deck won an easy contest Friday night by the score of 20 to 12.

Coach Harley Davis is working his players hard and will go to Winters Friday and Saturday of this week to enter the tournament there. The local quintet has lost one game to Winters this year but will have a chance to get even Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock when the Blizzards come here for a game on the court in the old Sykes Motor Company building on Hutchings Avenue.

The tournament at Winters will bring together all teams of the county on the court at the new gymnasium and games will be played day and night until the finals are reached.

All local players are expected to be in fine condition for the Winters game here and for the week-end contests.

WILMETH NEWS

The infant son of Stanley Harter died last Monday night at 9 o'clock. Interment was made on Tuesday in the Wilmeth cemetery, following services in the Wilmeth Baptist Church.

Hardy Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Freeman, died Sunday morning at 4 o'clock of diphtheria. Interment was made Sunday afternoon in the Wilmeth cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman have lived in the Wilmeth community for many years and their host of friends mourn with them.

Lila Jo Gouch is ill also of the disease. Dr. Hensley reported that she is doing nicely.

This is the second week that school has been closed in order that the spread of diphtheria may be minimized, as few children in the community have been immunized.

Counties in Florida have commenced a campaign to keep vagrants and hitch-hikers off the "gold coast" this winter.

Label Foreign Cars

BERLIN, Feb. 3.—Hereafter every foreign car brought into Germany must display, besides its number, an oval shaped plate showing the letters of its country of origin, such as U.S. for the United States; GB, for Great Britain; and SU, for the Russian Soviet Union.

Louisiana has a law prohibiting vehicles longer than 33 feet to travel upon the highways.

GOOD FOR DIZZINESS

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Laredo Planning Big Celebration On February 22

LAREDO, Feb. 3.—The annual celebration of Washington's birthday anniversary, an event that has become international in scope since the first such celebration was held in Laredo by the Red Men lodge in 1898 on a small scale, will be held this year February 20, 21, 22 and 23 on a most elaborate scale, with features on both sides of the Rio Grande, contributing to the program.

A meeting of the Washington Birthday Celebration Association of Laredo, Tex., or rather the board of directors of the organization, presided over by President B. A. Alexander, decided that despite the so-called depression existing over the country and other obstacles that the celebration be held. It was also decided that, as February 22 falls on Sunday this year, that the banner day of the celebration, with the street parade, trades displays, decorated automobiles, carnival features, comic features, military features and other parts that annually go to make the parade the most elaborate of its kind, will be held on the final day of the big event—Monday, February 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Drake, of the Mann community, spent this week-end with Mrs. Drake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Camp, and other relatives.

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BARNETT NEWS

Owing to the bad weather there has been no Sunday school for a long time. However, there was a large crowd out last Sunday and new officers were elected. They are as follows: Dave Forgy, superintendent; Roy Tyree, assistant superintendent; Thresa Laxton, secretary and treasurer; Clemmie Lee Laxton, pianist; Gene Norman, teacher for the men's class; Mrs. Doc Camp, teacher for the women's class; Mr. Howell, teacher for the seniors; Mrs. Toin Gibson, teacher for the intermediates; Mrs. Roy Tyree, junior class; Mrs. Hoot Gibson, the card class.

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GIRLS' 4-H CLUB IS ORGANIZED AT RUNNELS

Mrs. Hollingsworth met with the girls of Runnels community Monday, Jan. 26, at the school house at 9 o'clock and organized a girls' 4-H club, the first girls' club that we have ever had at this place.

We have twelve members, nine of whom are going to take gardening, two poultry and one dairying.

The officers are Imogene Oliver, president, Louise Nunn, vice president; Nellie Ruth Borders, secretary and reporter.

The members are as follows: Wilma and Willie B. Maddox, Marguerite Cox, Imogene Oliver, Louise and Madeline Nunn, Nellie Ruth and Helen Borders, Juanita Cathron, Freddie Sue Bloxom, Virginia Fowler and Angie Smith.

Each girl will have a well equipped sewing box and material to begin making a pillow case at the next club meeting which is the second Friday of February.

The work seems very interesting and each girl is going to do her best during the year if she is getting started late.

Club Reporter

TIMBER BAMBOO URGED AS FLORIDA FARM CROP

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 3.—Florida farmers may find in timber bamboo a new source of revenue.

Timber bamboo has been planted in various sections of the state by the United States department of agriculture for 28 years, and the results have been such that farmers are urged to develop the product commercially.

Some of the uses for the timber varieties include poles for ornamental fences, trellises, flower stakes, clothes poles, poles for gardening purposes and garden furniture. It grows rapidly and provides a good shade.

Many Officials on Air WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—An estimate says that 328 government officials appeared before NBC microphones last year.

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