

ENGINEER TELLS OF SUGGESTED DAM FINDINGS

Ten days' work on preparation of a survey of the proposed dam near Mangum has revealed a natural location for the structure and possibility of a lake having a capacity comparable to large ones in Texas.

That report was included in "shot gun figures," engineer's term for findings before complete investigations, given by P. A. Welty, Austin engineer in charge of the proposed dam data compilation, at the Chamber of Commerce smoker in Eastland Friday night. The affair was held at the Connelley hotel.

Incomplete data compilation which shows as favorable was reported as follows: natural location for reservoir and dam, stable lake area, soil would hold water good, natural site for spillway and rock available for base of dam.

Findings of the engineer, under whom are employed several others will be included in a project proposed to be submitted to the Works Progress Administration.

Breck, Brownwood Win Debate Meet

Breckenridge boys' team and Brownwood girls' team won the debate tournament sponsored by Eastland High School Saturday afternoon.

The Brownwood team argued the negative side of the subject, "Resoluer, That the Government Should Control Cotton Production," while the winning boys' team had the affirmative. The Breckenridge team won over the Eastland group in the finals while Brownwood won over the Breckenridge girls' team.

Semi-finalists in the girls' group were Breckenridge-Abilene and Baird-Brownwood. Semi-finalists in the boys' division were Graham-Breckenridge and Ranger-Eastland.

Former Eastland Man Succumbs In Lubbock Sunday

W. L. Brashear, about 55, former Eastland resident, died Sunday morning at his home in Lubbock and was buried that afternoon.

Brashear left Eastland about eight years ago for Lubbock. He was a pioneer, Eastland county resident, coming to the county in 1870.

E. L. and J. W. Woods, brothers of Mrs. Brashear, of Eastland, attended the funeral. They were accompanied to Lubbock by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunnam of Waco.

Funeral Is Held In Strawn Tuesday For a Young Girl

Funeral services for Donna Mae Bonney, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hon Bonney of McCamey, were conducted from the Strawn Merchandise Chapel at Strawn Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Rev. W. H. Rucker, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Strawn conducting the services. Interment was in Mt. Marion Cemetery, Strawn.

The girl died at the Rush Sanitarium, San Angelo, Sunday morning at 9:45 after a short illness. Surviving relatives are her parents, and a small sister, Patricia Ann Bonney, about one year of age. The girl's mother was formerly Miss Maude Hallfax of Strawn.

Desdemona Fire Insurance Rates May Be Changed

DESDEMONA, Dec. 18.—G. O. Doughty and Edward Mixson of the Texas Fire Insurance Department were here Sunday for the purpose of mapping and re-rating the rates for fire insurance.

Band Benefit Is Scheduled Friday

Members of the Eastland High School band Thursday were selling tickets for the organization's benefit show at the Connelley Theatre Friday.

Twenty-five per cent of the ticket sales by the band members will be used to pay a deficit on the band uniforms.

The band will give a 30-minute concert Friday night on the theatre's stage.

Attraction showing at the theatre for the benefit is "The Gay Decoy," with Francis Lederer and Frances Dee.

Tickets sold by the band may be used at either afternoon or evening showings of the film.

Room Mothers Are Named By P.-T.A.

Room mothers for the Morton Valley school were selected at a recent meeting of the Morton Valley Parent-Teachers association.

The following were selected: Mrs. T. C. Harbin for Opal Hearn room; Mrs. Fay Crouch for Mary Jane Gaines room; Mrs. Ed Castleberry for Inez Pickett room; Mrs. Lewis Smith for Flora Davis room; Mrs. N. A. Ramsower for Given Williams room; J. B. Rayfield for N. A. Smith room.

The association voted to adjourn until Jan. 14.

Members present were Mmes. A. J. Tarvery, E. Hensley, Till Wheat, J. B. Harbin, Josie K. Nix, Maud Whatley, Bill Wheat, T. C. Harbin, Ed Castleberry, Thad Henderson, C. D. Jones, Bernice Tankersley, Lewis Smith, Cecil Eubank and Luke Welsh.

Teachers present were Lewis Smith, Miss Katrina Moore, Mary Jane Gaines, Inez Pickett, Given Williams, Opal Hearn, Mrs. Flora Davis.

Visitors were Mmes. Roy Harbin, Claude Dabs, Newlin, Mathew, Hearn, Peoples, Miss Ruth Carter and Miss Hearn.

Testimony Taken In Damage Suit

Testimony was taken Thursday in county court in the second day of hearing of the case of Guy Quinn vs. Ernest Halkais.

The plaintiff asks \$301 for damages to his car which assertedly occurred in a collision east of Ranger in April. By cross action, defendant seeks \$198 from Quinn.

Turner, Seaberry & Springer represent the plaintiff while Milburn McCarty and Grisham Bros. represent Halkais.

Herbert Reid, reporter for the 8th district court, is acting in the same capacity in the case.

Jurors are C. S. Taylor, Gorman; O. W. Dean, Cisco; F. P. Meford, south of Eastland; J. W. Alvery, Cisco; W. G. Tate, Desdemona; J. M. Ballard, Ranger.

Clyde S. Karkalits Will Be Candidate

Definite decision to enter the tax assessor-collector race in 1936 was announced Thursday by Clyde S. Karkalits, Karkalits is chief deputy under Tom Hale. He also served as chief deputy under Hale's predecessor, T. L. Cooper.

Karkalits was born near Gorman and has been a resident of the county all his life.

Notice to All the Candidates In 1936 Primaries

For your information we herewith quote the prices of this paper for announcing for respective offices which will be carried daily in our announcement column through the run-off primaries in August.

In addition to having your name placed in the daily announcement column these prices will include personal historic news comment followed by your own statement over your signature without extra charge when you make your formal announcement and upon payment of same.

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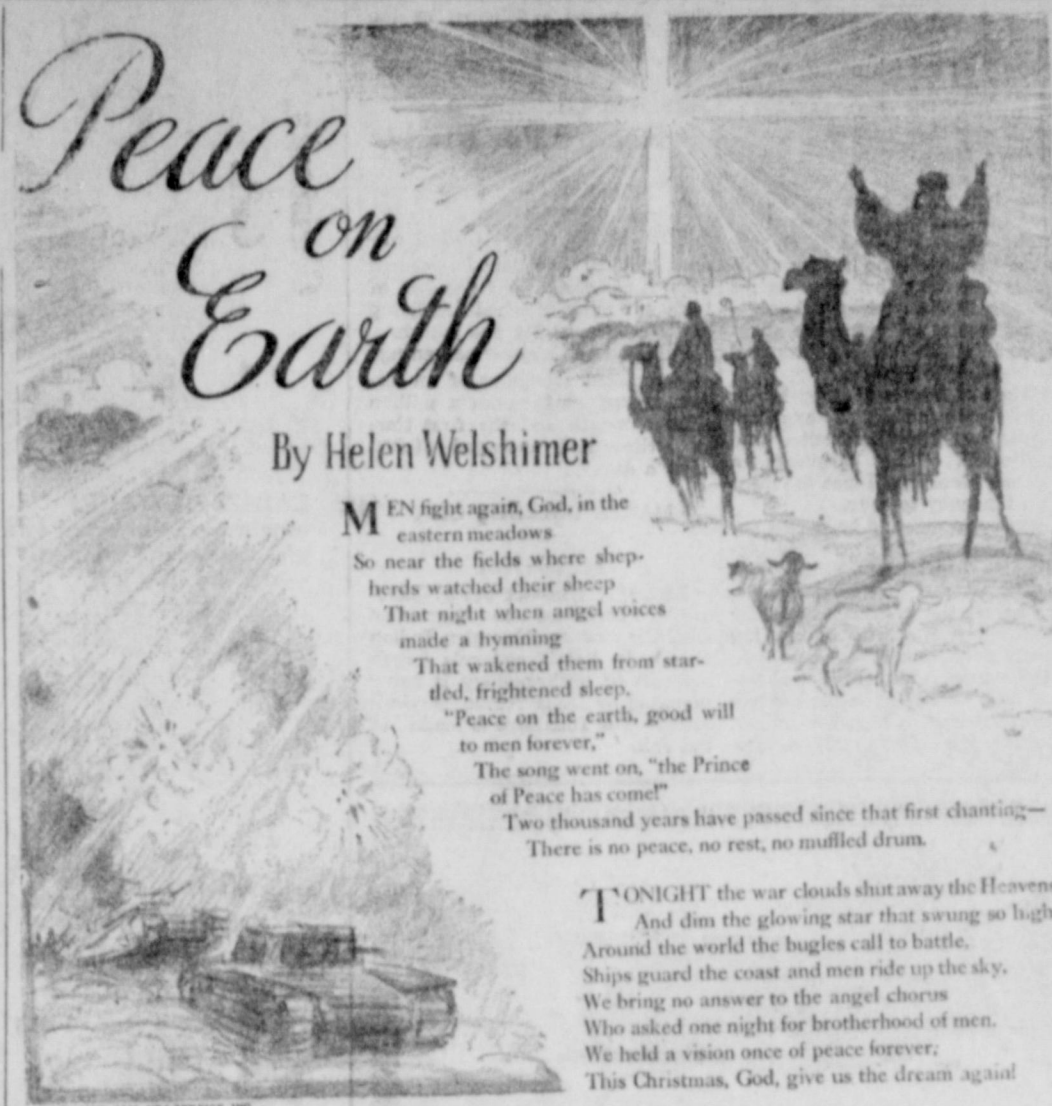
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Peace on Earth
By Helen Welshimer

MEN fight again, God, in the eastern meadows
So near the fields where shepherds watch their sheep
That night when angel voices made a hymning
That wakened them from star-dim, frightened sleep.
"Peace on the earth, good will to men forever."
The song went on, "the Prince of Peace has come!"
Two thousand years have passed since that first chanting—
There is no peace, no rest, no muffled drum.

TONIGHT the war clouds shut away the Heavens
And dim the glowing star that swung so high
Around the world the bugles call to battle.
Ships guard the coast and men ride up the sky.
We bring no answer to the angel chorus
Who asked one night for brotherhood of men.
We held a vision once of peace forever.
This Christmas, God, give us the dream again!

ENROLLMENT OF QUOTA TO START SOON

Eastland county's quota of 60 rehabilitation clients this year will be increased to 200 by Jan. 1, George L. Lane, county supervisor of the Resettlement Administration, announced Saturday. Enrollment of the new clients will begin at once.

The increased quota will offer farmers receiving the aid an opportunity of working back to independence, Lane stated.

Long-time farm plans will be worked out as rapidly as possible, but in the meanwhile, direct grants for subsistence will be made. All families accepted for either the permanent or the temporary program must be approved by the county advisory committee.

The supervisor expects to continue working out farm plans with the object of getting all families started on a permanent program early in the new crop season. Making the loan is merely the beginning of the supervisor's job. He must see that the client grows his living at home and earns enough to carry him through the winter—an average of 125 quart cans of food for each member of the family. Cash crops are permitted only after enough land has been set aside for food and feed.

The families will be required to make their own arrangements for renting land, after which loans will be made by resettlement.

The Texas Agricultural Association, represented by 1600 farmers from two hundred counties, at its meeting in Dallas recently, commended the Resettlement Administration and called upon Oklahoma farmers to join them in pushing through the Bankhead-Jones farm tenant bill, which would make an adequate sum available for purchase of farms and equipment for worthy tenants, without a down payment. Until some legislation is passed, the Resettlement Administration is confining its efforts in most cases to loans for teams, equipment and supplies. These loans draw five per cent interest and are repayable in one to five years.

For the purpose of administering relief, beginning Jan. 1, 1936, the state will be divided into 22 districts. The district in which Eastland county will be known as District No. 14, with headquarters at Eastland. Counties comprising this district are Eastland, Shackelford, Stephens, Callahan, Erath, Coleman, Brown, and Comanche. As a result of this re-investment program, some 3,000 Administrative Employees now on the Texas Relief Commission, will be dismissed as soon as the business of the present district organizations can be closed out. At any rate, not later than Jan. 15, 1936, thereby affecting the saving of approximately \$200,000 per month. Only a skeleton force will be maintained in each county for the administering of relief to unemployables. This force will consist largely of persons now working in the case work department. In this district, certified lists of unemployable persons and families will be submitted each month to the chief accountant at Austin, and checks will be mailed by him to the client semi-monthly. All unemployable clients in this district can expect their first check by mail on or about the 8th of January, and the second on or about the 24th of January.

Infant Son Buried At Acker Monday

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at Acker cemetery for the one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. (Bob) Langford. The services were conducted by Rev. K. C. Edmonds of Ranger. Interment was in the Acker cemetery. Funeral arrangements were by Killingsworth, Cox & Co.

Ranger Man Gets Suspended Term

Noah Welch of Ranger pleaded guilty to a charge of burglary of a railway car and was assessed a five-year suspended sentence in 91st District Court Monday.

Bob King Captain Of Furman Team

Bob King of Ranger, who is a junior at Furman College at Greenville, S. C., was elected grid captain of the 1937 team, according to reports from Greenville.

Roy Stevens, who is also from Ranger, was elected as an alternate captain.

King and Stevens played on the Ranger High school football team, and later played on the Ranger Junior college team before going to Furman.

IS INJURED Mrs. J. A. Burke of Paris, mother of John A. Burke, met with an accident Friday, in the explosion of a gas oven in a bake shop of which Mrs. Burke is proprietor.

Relief To Be Discontinued To All Employables By First of Year

Due to discontinuance of money grants by the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, it is necessary that the Texas Relief Commission discontinue relief to persons or families who are employable or who have employable persons either male or female, within the relief group. This action is taken by the Texas Relief Commission to conserve the funds now on hand for the use of those persons or families who are unemployable and who would suffer through the winter, which lies ahead of us. It is estimated that there are 50,000 such families in Texas.

While WPA will have absorbed a big majority of all employable families now on relief rolls by Jan. 1, we know that there will be some, who for one reason or another, will not have employment on WPA projects, but they will not be granted any relief from Texas Relief Commission funds. Therefore, each city and county must become aware of and realize the seriousness of the situation that will exist in some of the families in their communities, and we earnestly beg you to begin immediately the formulation of plans for assisting those families and individuals whom the Texas Relief commission will not be able to assist.

In Eastland county, there are now approximately 321 unemployable cases and it is estimated that the funds now on hand will provide in part only for these families until April 1. Some of the services that we have been in the past able to render, such as medical aid, hospitalization, dental care, and etc., cannot be rendered in the future, beginning Jan. 1. Therefore, it is important that each community and county be made aware of the responsibility that will fall on their shoulders Jan. 1, in order that they can immediately start preparations for rendering those services that the Texas Relief commission has formerly rendered but will be unable to render after Jan. 1.

We want you to know that we will be only too glad to work with you in planning for the future care of indigent people in your county, and if you will call on your local relief office or the district office in Eastland, we will be glad to assist you in any way within our power and ability.

In the near future announcement will be made as to the personnel in your county who will carry on the relief program from Jan. 1 to April 1, 1936.

COACHES PICK ALL-DISTRICT GRID ELEVEN

The coaches of the Oil Belt gave Breckenridge the lions' share of the all-district selections this year when they balloted on selections for the positions at the request of the Abilene Morning News.

Six Buckaroos made the all-district team with Abilene getting three, Eastland one, Ranger one, and Brownwood two, which makes a 13-man team, but Campbell of Abilene, Vernon of Brownwood and Jim Taylor of Eastland tied for one of the guard positions, so all three were listed.

Cisco was the only team in the district that did not place a man on the all-district team, though two came in for honorable mention.

Mellinger Jacoby of Ranger, who was all-district end for two straight years was again selected for the position while Dean Walsh, who played at tackle in 1933 and made all-district, but who was played at halfback in 1934 and 1935, was given honorable mention as a guard, while Troy Taylor of Eastland also was given honorable mention by the coaches.

The All-District, as selected by the Oil Belt coaches, is as follows: Pos.—Playback School E.—Hermion Abilene T.—Holt Breckenridge C.—Morriss Breckenridge G.—Campbell Abilene —Vernon Brownwood —J. Taylor Eastland T.—O'Rear Breckenridge E.—Jacoby Ranger Q.—Taylor Breckenridge H.—Moser Abilene H.—Clark Breckenridge F.—Thompson Brownwood

Honorable mention: Wende, Cisco; Troy Taylor, Eastland; Sternberg, Breckenridge; tackle —Bostick, Brownwood; guard—Walsh, Ranger; center—Jones, Abilene; backs—Beasley, Cisco; Clardy, Brownwood; Cuth, Abilene.

Steele Hill, Fred Davenport "To Run"

Steele Hill, deputy sheriff, announced Wednesday he had definitely decided to enter the race for Sheriff in 1936. Hill has been a resident of Eastland county all his life. He states that he will make his formal announcement at a later date.

F. M. Davenport stated Wednesday that he will make his formal announcement in the near future as a candidate for the office of Justice of Peace of Precinct No. 1 in the 1936 primaries. Davenport is well known over the county. He has lived here all his life.

Shell Oil Scout Moving to Abilene

L. B. Berry, oil scout for the Shell Petroleum company, and his family are moving to Abilene. Berry will cover an area from Throckmorton to Del Rio and Fisher to Palo Pinto.

County Licenses For 1936 Received

Number range of Eastland county license plates for 1936 was announced Thursday by the county tax assessor-collector's office.

The automobile license number range is 214-451 to 329-850. The truck plates begin with 45-151 and end with 46-150. Farm plate licenses begin with 21-191 and continue through 21-400.

Black numerals on the plates are on a cream background. The plates were manufactured at the Texas penitentiary in Huntsville.

An innovation in wrapping will aid deputies in sale of the plates. They are wrapped in paper through which the numerals may be seen without necessity of the paper's removal. Heretofore the plates were placed in envelopes with the numbers—which sometimes were wrong—written on the outside.

Charles Asher Gets Term In 91st Court After Guilty Plea

Charles Asher pleaded guilty to a charge of theft over \$50 and was assessed a two-year sentence in 91st district court Monday. The sentence was made retroactive, commencing Sept. 4.

Indictment charged Asher with the theft May 5 of 39 joints of oil well casing owned by E. P. David.

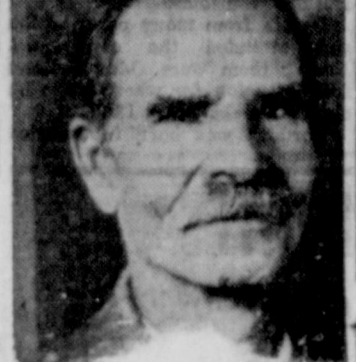
Observance of Stop Signals Is Urged

Persons who disregard stop signs in Eastland face payment of a fine, Police Chief W. J. Peters announced Saturday night.

The stop signs have been disregarded frequently by many Eastland citizens, it was said.

A check to observe whether the signs are observed will be made, Chief Peters indicated.

Claimed by Death



G. W. Fisher Dies At Home North of Eastland Sunday

G. W. Fisher, 73, rancher and stockman who had lived in Eastland county since 1903, died Sunday at his home four miles north of Eastland after an illness of two months.

Funeral services for Fisher, who was a director of the Eastland National Bank, were held Monday afternoon from the First Baptist church in Eastland with the Rev. Fred Eastham, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in the Eastland cemetery with members of the Masonic Lodge, of which Fisher was a member, in charge.

George Washington Fisher was born in Hill county, Texas, in 1862. In 1886 he and Miss Mary Day were married in Comanche county. Dec. 12 marked the couple's 49th wedding anniversary.

Of the 12 children surviving, only one, Edgar Fisher of Farmington, New Mexico, was unable to attend. Other children are Mrs. Girtie McCloskey, Lida, N. M.; Mrs. Maggie Tankersley, Morton Valley; Mrs. Mamie Tankersley, Morton Valley; Mrs. Pearl McCulloch, Morton Valley; Lon Fisher, Morton Valley; Olive Fisher, Morton Valley; Oscar Fisher, Morton Valley; Mrs. Lola Hammett, Morton Valley; Mrs. Edna Thompson, Olden; Mrs. Maude Dabbs, Breckenridge; and Mrs. Irma McCulloch, Morton Valley.

Besides the widow, other survivors include a half brother, Bob Murray, Ranger, and half-sister, Mrs. Annie Moody, Oklahoma City, Okla. Both attended the funeral.

Grandsons of Fisher served as pall bearers. They were Clifton Tankersley, Welburn Tankersley, Estes McCulloch, Bernard Fisher, Leonard Fisher, Leroy McCulloch, all of Morton Valley.

Mother of Frank Judkins Buried

Frank Judkins had returned to Eastland Tuesday from Odessa, where funeral services for his mother, Mrs. E. E. Judkins, 81, were held Saturday.

Mrs. Judkins died in El Paso Thursday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Thomas K. Burnett. She had gone to El Paso for an operation two weeks previously. Shortly after her arrival in El Paso, she fell and broke an arm. Pneumonia was contracted and on the third day of her confinement, she suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Mrs. Judkins, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bristor, was born in Lee county, Texas, in 1854. She was married in Giddings, Lee county, in 1876 to E. E. Judkins. In 1879 she moved to Taylor county, in 1898 to Scurry county and in 1905 to near Odessa, where she lived two weeks previous to her death.

Seven children survive and are: Frank Judkins of Eastland; his twin sister, Mrs. Horace Brandon, Alberta, Canada; Charles Judkins, with whom Mrs. Judkins lived at Odessa; Arthur Judkins, Midland; Dr. O. H. Judkins, San Antonio; Howard Judkins, California, and Mrs. Thomas R. Burnett, El Paso.

A sister, Mrs. J. A. Sprawls, Wallace, Texas, also survives.

Mrs. Judkins visited her son in Eastland several years ago.

Baby Named After Next U. S. Chief?

A son, born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Jordan of Eastland Saturday, was named after whom the father believes will be the next president—Gov. Alf M. Landon of Kansas.

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Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene is the present 17th district congressional representative.

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VAN CLEAVE IS GIVEN TERM IN ROBBERY CASE

Case of Mary Lou Howell, charged with murder of L. F. Threet, was continued for the term in 88th district court on agreement of attorneys for parties Wednesday.

Elmer Van Cleave, 23, co-defendant charged in cases growing out of the death of the Cisco rancher Aug. 15, 1934, pleaded guilty to a conspiracy to rob count and was assessed a two-year sentence. A murder charge against Van Cleave in connection with the death of Threet, also was continued for the term.

Van Cleave was assessed a two-year term on a burglary charge on his plea of guilty in the same court Wednesday. Not connected with the Threet case, an indictment charged Van Cleave with burglary in connection with entering the home of A. F. Hunt on July 15, 1933. The court revoked a five-year suspended sentence given Van Cleave Feb. 12, last year for the theft of a gun owned by Hunt. The sentences are cumulative.

In discharging the special venire of jurors summoned to try the Howell case, Judge E. W. Patterson stated in substance:

"That this was a companion case to the case of the State against Clifford Doggett, recently convicted of the murder of L. F. Threet and whose punishment has been assessed at death. The defendant Mary Lou Howell as well as Clifford Doggett have been previously convicted in the district court at Callahan county on the offense of robbery against L. F. Threet with firearms, which was the same transaction in which Threet was killed.

"The Court of Criminal Appeals in passing on the appeal of Mary Lou Howell from Callahan county held that evidence was insufficient to show her criminal connection with the offense of robbery and reversed the judgment of the trial court.

"The effect of the holding is that unless the state secures additional testimony against the defendant on another trial, the defendant should be acquitted.

"The evidence in this case on necessity is similar to the evidence adduced for the trial against the defendant in Callahan county. Unless the state secures additional testimony against the defendant sufficient to connect the defendant with the offense charge, the evidence in this case would be insufficient to sustain a conviction of the defendant.

"The state's attorney, Grady Owen, informs the court that he feels the state will be able to secure such additional evidence by the next term of the court; that he is unable to produce such evidence because of the illness of the witness knowing the facts."

Rural Residence Burns On Sunday

A house occupied by Ed Ledbetter and his family and owned by W. J. Holleman, a neighbor, was completely destroyed Sunday afternoon three miles west of Eastland on the Cisco highway.

Holleman's face was blistered by fire when he and Ledbetter saved practically all of the house hold furniture.

A. W. Hennessee, Eastland fire chief, who with the Eastland department, answered a call at the residence, said he was informed by Ledbetter it was believed the fire started from a grass fire near the residence. A leaky gas hose was also advanced as reason of the blaze.

When Eastland firemen arrived the roof of the residence had collapsed and despite use of 70 gallons of chemicals the remainder of the residence was unable to be saved.

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Cordova Foresaw Big Export Trade From Over State

AUSTIN.—Jacob de Cordova the man who founded Texas' great cotton export trade, built its first textile mill, first envisaged the Brazos river development now being sponsored by the government, and chartered the first Odd Fellows Lodge outside the United States—was re-interred in the

state cemetery here Dec. 8, with his wife, Rebecca. Dist. Judge Charles A. Wheeler, past grand master of the Odd Fellows in Texas, delivered the oration. The remains of Mr. and Mrs. Cordova were brought here from a burial site in Bosque county along the Brazos, under terms of an act sponsored by Rep. Conde Hoskins, Gonzales. People from many parts of the state attended the ceremonies. Among them were Odd Fellows from Houston for whose lodge he obtained a charter in 1838. Cordova was born in Jamaica

in 1808 of Spanish parents. He came to Texas in 1837. Previously he had lived in Philadelphia where he married Rebecca Sterling in 1829.

With the accomplishments of Texas Independence, Cordova began at once to colonize and develop Texas. His first shipments came from New Orleans to Galveston. Later he made Houston his home. By horseback and buggy he traveled over much of Texas and made its first official map, endorsed by Gen. Sam Houston, Thos. J. Rusk and others.

By visits to England and addresses to the cotton associations at Manchester and other places, he inaugurated the English cotton export market, which takes a major part of Texas cotton production. "If we raise vast amounts of cotton, we must be able to manufacture some of it," Cordova told Texas business men of that early day. With their cooperation he founded the first cotton textile mill. He also founded the city of Waco and gave the sites for early churches, schools and enterprises, as well as a city park there.

His plans for harnessing the Brazos were cut short by his death in 1868. His wife survived until 1887. Regardless of dangers and hardships, she had accompanied him on many of his surveying trips. His books on early Texas still are used as references.

Art of Pig-Sticking Is Much Discussed

By United Press
TYLER.—Pig-sticking time has arrived, and the art of hog-killing has turned out to be no easy matter, particularly since bacon is now dearer than turkey.

Take a few pointers from Elbert Gentry, a hog-killer from away back. Gentry is a county farm agent and qualifies as an expert. "The best method," Gentry claims, "is to kill the hog by sticking, rather than by shooting or knocking the beast in the head."

That was a score for the stickers, against the hog-shooters and knockers-in-the-headers. "When a hog is shot or hit in the head with an ax," he explains, "the animal becomes excited and over-heated. That prevents a thorough bleeding. Hence the meat has a tendency to sour."

Furthermore—and he scored another point for the confirmed pigstickers—shooting or killing a hog with an ax and dragging the carcass across the ground bruises the meat and that starts the souring process even sooner. Of course, even the hog-shooters and knockers-in-the-headers will agree that a hog, for killing, should weigh from 200 to 250

pounds and the flesh for future bacon, hams and side-ribs should be hardened by grain feeding, although the hog should not be fed for 24 hours before slaughtering. For home-curing, Gentry advises prepared salt cures as the best.

Airline Claims a Record For Flights

By United Press
PORTLAND, Ore.—United Airlines claimed two world's records when it completed 99.1 per cent of 1,500,000 miles of scheduled flying on its routes during one month.

This was the highest percentage of completed schedules of an airline flying more than a million miles a month and the first time an airline had averaged 50,000 miles a day.

MAKES COLLEGE GIFT

By United Press
BELOIT, Wis.—A set of hand-carved furniture to harmonize with the new southwestern Indian murals in Beloit college's Logan museum of anthropology is being prepared by Jesus Torres, Mexican artist. The furniture is made of red oak.

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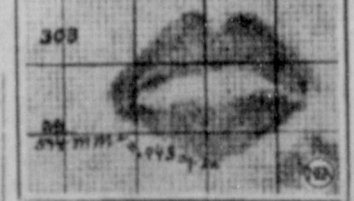
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By United Press
TOLEDO.—Policewomen whom

their supervisor described as "fat gymnasium classes was refused by and fortyish" look all right to Po-Wolfe because he feared the ex-liege Chief Daniel Wolfe. Sergeant cruise would be too much for "for-Margaret Slater's plea to resume tyish" women.

Christmas FOOD SPECIALS

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| HAMS, half or whole | | Lb. | 24 ^c |
| Fresh and Fancy | | | |
| SAUSAGE | | Lb. | 23 ^c |
| Pure Pork | | | |
| STEAK | | Lb. | 18 ^c |
| Veal Loin or T-Bone | | | |
| EGGS | | Doz. | 31 ^c |
| Fresh Country | | | |
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Mountain School News

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Carter motored to Corsicana last week and Miss Winnie Mae Carter, who has been attending school there, returned with them to spend the

holidays. W. E. Askew has been in poor health this winter. A Christmas program is being given at the school this week. The public is invited to attend. J. L. Fonville has been sick for the past several weeks. Ellis Fonville and family have

been attending the bedside of Tom Tanner, who has been critically ill in a sanitarium at Ranger. Mrs. O. H. Moore and children visited the school last Friday afternoon.

Ulmer Hogg was in Fort Worth with a truck load of cattle this week. The county road crew has been doing some much needed work in this community.

Mrs. Frank Fonville, who has been ill for several weeks, has improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Tidwell and J. L. Morrow attended the picture show at Gorman Monday night.

Bill Morrow and family, who have lived in the west this year, are returning to this community to make their home and their children will attend this school after the holidays.

School will be dismissed one week for the holidays, resuming work Monday, Dec. 23.

Tom Rainey and family are moving into this community and will reside on the J. L. Fonville place and their children will at-

tend school here. J. L. Morrow was in Lingville this week on business.

Jim Sparks, who has been confined to the house with illness for several weeks, is improving.

The peanut crop threshing in this and adjoining communities has been about finished. The rains caused much delay and worry about the crop this year.

Health Officer Urges Safety For Christmas Season

AUSTIN, Tex.—Christmas, the season of joy and happiness, will soon be with us and Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, urges every one to do their utmost to prevent accidents in order that the season of merriment be not changed to one of sorrow or suffering.

SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

New Red POTATOES 5c	MEATS
Purple Top TURNIPS Per pound 2 1/2c	BACON Swift's "X" Sliced. Lb. 37c
GREEN PEPPERS Per pound 12 1/2c	OLEOMARGARINE Per Pound 20c
Medium Size California ORANGES Dozen 14c	Fresh Country EGGS Doz. 33c
Medium Size Jonathan APPLES Each 1c	Baby Beef ROAST Lb. 17c
SWEET POTATOES Per bushel 35c	Round, Loin, T-Bone STEAK Pound 25c
CABBAGE Per pound 2 1/2c	STEW MEAT Per Pound 5c
MARSHMALLOWS 3 Half Pound Packages 25c	LAMB Legs Lb. 20c Chops Lb. 20c Shoulder Lb. 15c
Chase & Sanborn's DATED COFFEE Lb. 26c	BOLOGNA SAUSAGE 2 Pounds 25c
ROYAL GELATIN 3 All Flavors For 19c	PORK SAUSAGE Per Pound 25c
Borax WASHING POWDER 2 Boxes for 5c	Home-Made SOUSE Lb. 20c
Best Maid SALAD DRESSING Half Pint 10c Pint 19c Quart 29c	OYSTERS Baltimore Selects Pt. 35c
Swift's Naptha SOAP 6 Giant Bars 19c	PORK AND BEANS Any Brand Can 5c
CEDAR OIL 8-ounce bottle 10c	PUMPKIN No. 2 Size 10c
CORN 3 No. 2 Cans 25c	TOMATOES 2 No. 2 cans 15c
PINEAPPLE Sliced or Crushed 3 Flat Cans 25c	PEAS 3 No. 2 Cans 25c

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This season of the year brings with it an increase in the motor vehicle traffic. Thousands of persons, enjoying a vacation, are on the highways at this time. Like public health, and a great many other things, traffic safety depends upon effective partnership. Whether you are at the wheel or on the highway or street, your safety and that of the other fellow, depend upon both of you.

The speed mania and reckless driving, and all that they imply, in the lack of self control, disregard for laws and for the rights and lives of others, are responsible for a large part of the tragic deaths and unnecessary suffering. In the face of the hazards involved, absent-mindedness on the part of the driver or pedestrian, also be-

Small Sailboat Crosses the Pacific

VICTORIA, B. C.—After being tossed about the Pacific Ocean in a 45-foot sailboat for more than 80 days, and at one time almost given up as lost by friends and relatives, two Victoria men and a boy arrived safely here after a voyage from Hong Kong to Vancouver Island. It was the culmination of a life-long dream for Capt. E. P. Green, of Victoria, when he brought his sturdy little boat Romance to dock here. Accompanied by his son, Philip, and John Hunter, he left Yokohama after a voyage from Hong Kong. The entire trip covered 6,250 miles.

Green related a series of stirring adventures which befell himself, his crew of two and his small craft on the Pacific. They ran into typhoons, monsoons, waterspouts and terrific seas. At the time they were sighted just off Vancouver Island by the United States warship U.S.S. Okla-homa, curving in this area, they were two weeks overdue. The Romance is a two-masted ship, 45 feet long, square-rigged on the foremast, fore-and-aft on the mainmast. It has an auxiliary engine capable of about three knots, Pacific waves can climb higher than the masts. "President Roosevelt Leading Traffic War." Victory is only a question of time if the younger Roosevelts desert to his side.



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CALIFORNIA NAVEL ORANGES Doz. 25c	Pipkin's Special COFFEE Lb. 17c
EXTRA FANCY BOXED APPLES 2 doz. 35c	LIBBY'S PINEAPPLE 2 flat cans 19c
Delicious Doz. 25c	LIBBY'S FRUIT COCKTAIL No. 1 tall can 17c
Winesap Doz. 20c	Red Pitted CHERRIES 2 No. 2 cans 25c
BANANAS, selected fruit Dozen 20c	JELL-O 2 Pkgs. 13c
TEXAS SEEDLESS GRAPE FRUIT Full of Juice 2 for 5c	Extra Sifted No. 2 Can PEAS 15c
CRANBERRIES lb. 25c	Libby's Country Gentleman 2 No. 2 Cans CORN 25c
LETTUCE 2 for 9c	Libby's Picnic Can Asparagus 15c
SELERY stalk 15c	CANDIES
POTATOES U. S. No. 1 Idaho 10 lbs. 23c	POLAR MIXED ASSORTED JELLIES 15c
DATES 24-oz. pkg. 23c	Orange Slices 2 Lbs. 25c
El Food Bridge Glass Salad Dressing Thousand Island, Sandwich Spread and Mayonnaise 17c	Jelly Beans 25c
LOCUST BLOSSOM 3 No. 2 cans CORN 25c	Choc. Drops 25c
TOMATOES 3 No. 2 cans 25c	Xmas Mixed 27c
COMPOUND \$1.00	Chocolate-Covered CHERRIES 1-lb. Box 27c
CRACKERS 19c	SUGAR 10-lb. Bag 53c
Green Beans 9c	TEXAS KING FLOUR 48-lb. Bags \$1.78
	DILL OR SOUR PICKLES Quart Jar 15c
	KING KELLY ORANGE MARMALADE 21c
	COCOANUT Lb. 19c
	WALNUTS No. 1 Large Lb. 23c
	ALMONDS Lb. 27c
	BRAZILS No. 1's Lb. 19c
	PECANS Shelled 1/2 Lb. Pkg. 21c
	MIXED NUTS ALMONDS, WALNUTS, GRAZILS and PECANS 2 Lbs. 37c



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MEATS

X Brand Sliced Bacon	lb. 38c
Roast Baby Beef or Veal	lb. 18c
Steak, choice cuts baby Beef	lb. 25c
Butter, Clearbrook	lb. 40c
Cheese, full cream	lb. 25c
Loaf Meat or Hamburger	lb. 15c
Pork Roast, sho. cuts	lb. 25c
Sausage, home-made	lb. 25c
Stew or Pot Roast	lb. 12 1/2c
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Junior College Provides Others With Christmas

Following the tradition established several years ago the Junior College celebrated Christmas for others yesterday. Each student and each faculty member contrib-

tion was beautiful. Students who acted to Christmas for the needy. As admission to the college chapel each student and teacher brought a can of food. Two large boxes were placed at the doors and the presidents of the classes took charge of the cans and packed them in the boxes.

These Christmas gifts were in the real spirit of Christmas and the student body enjoyed having a part in helping those who have been less fortunate. The co-opera-

are working their way, earning practically all their expenses, contributed generously, some brought more than one can and a few as many as three or four.

Hodges Oak Given Lions Loving Cup As City Champions

Coach Bargsley of Hodges Oak Park and his entire football squad were guests of the Lions Club today and were presented with a loving cup for winning the ward school championship of Ranger. The cup is to become permanent property of the team winning it three years in succession. The presentation was made by A. N. Larson and the response by Bargsley.

P. O. Hatley had charge of the program and presented Miss Marguerite Adamson and Mrs. D. T. Wier. The latter sang two solos, accompanied on the piano by Miss Adamson.

It was reported that T. J. Anderson, who has been ill for some time, was much improved. Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Weldon Webb and J. C. Shaw.

Lie Detector May Be Used On Bruno At Own Request

TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 17.—Results of a lie detector and truth serum tests of Bruno Hauptmann's veracity will be included in an appeal for mercy in less than two weeks to the court of pardons, the condemned man's attorneys indicated today.

Hauptmann may appeal personally to Dr. John F. Condon, Bronx school teacher who served as contact man with the kidnaper of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's infant son, to submit to the same test.

C. Lloyd Fisher said that he and associate counsel would help Hauptmann obtain the test with a

lie detector and truth serum. He requested such a test yesterday in a letter to Gov. Harold Hoffman.

"If Hauptmann wants to take the test we will apply to the court for permission to do so," Fisher said.

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FOR SALE—1929 Chrysler "65" coupe, \$35. Pursor Service Station, Rust and Fine st.

FRESH young milk cows for sale. Harold Durham, at Clyde Davis, Ranger.

FOR RENT—Six-acre irrigated fruit and vegetable farm, mile from Main street, adjacent E. C. Shipp farm. Gas, electricity, good improvements.

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- Red Pitted CHERRIES 2 No. 2 Cans **21c**
- PINEAPPLE Sliced or Crushed in Flat Cans 3 for **25c**
- CORN 3 No. 2 Cans **25c**
- TOMATOES 2 No. 2 Cans **15c**
- CATSUP 2 Large Size Bottles for **25c**
- COCOANUT Fresh Ground . Lb. **22c**
- COCOANUT Fresh Ground . 1/2 lb. **12c**
- RAISINS Market Day 4 Pound Pkg. **32c**
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- CRACKERS 2 Pound Box **17c**
- KC BAKING POWDER 25-oz. can for **19c** 50-oz. can for **33c**
- POTATOES Extra Nice 10 Pounds **23c**
- SWEET POTATOES 10 Pounds **14c**
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Only Exclusive Furniture Store In Ranger Offers Public Many Items For Christmas Selections

New Chambers Stoves, Crosley Shelvadors and Perfect Prima Washing Machines Are Among Items Being Featured This Christmas.

The Ranger Furniture Exchange, only exclusive furniture store in the city, is offering to the public some real items in furniture of all descriptions. There are bed-room suites, living-room suites, table and floor lamps, linoleum, chairs and every conceivable piece of furniture imaginable that will help make the home more beautiful and happier not only for Christmas but for the years to come.

Colonel Brasher, manager of this large store has made arrangements with the F. H. A. to help all who are in the market for Crosley Shelvador refrigerators and radios and Perfect Prima washing machines to own any or all of the conveniences without any down payment and the first payment to come due next February.

The payments are so arranged that a small down payment is made next February and the balance to be carried over as long as three years. This offer is bound to attract many people who have been waiting for such an offer.

Every well kept home needs one or more of these appliances and it will be well worth the trip of anyone interested to inspect these utilities before making the final decision.

The building formerly occupied by the Robinson Supply Store has been leased by the Ranger Furniture Exchange and is now being used as a store room and display headquarters.

The large store or the four large stores that it takes to house this concern is jam full of a complete and up-to-date line of all merchandise that should be carried in a first class furniture store and Colonel Felton and Bill will be there at all times to take care of all customers and answer any questions pertaining to the easy and long time payment plan sponsored by this store.

Houston Will Get Big Paint Factory

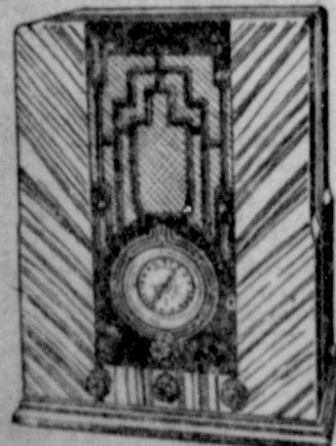
HOUSTON.—Plans to build a \$300,000 plant on the Houston ship channel within the next several months were announced by D. P. Joyce, vice president of the Glidden Company, paint manufacturers. Harvey Pace, local manager, said the company already owned property on the ship channel. Growth of business in Texas and advantageous water freight rates made construction of a Texas factory necessary.

INDIAN BONES IDENTIFIED

CALIFORNIA JUNCTION, Iowa.—Eight human skeletons that were found near here have been identified as Indians of the first Chiwere group, which were the ancestors of the Winnebagoes, Iowas, Otoes, Missouris and Mandanias. The skeletons were found during excavation for a building.

There's one place America could stand a little erosion—in some of its current novels.

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These utilities are all on display at the large store on North Rusk street and the plan can be explained in detail to anyone interested.

Enforcement to Be Under Way By First of the Year

AUSTIN, Tex.—Thirsty Texans are prepared to celebrate the Christmas holiday in their own way for the first time since statewide prohibition took effect in 1919.

Liquor dealers in scores of cities were expecting a big rush. Legally, most of the state still is dry, under local option elections prior to 1919. Many are expected to vote for repeal when another local option election is called.

Approximately 40 of Texas' 254 counties were wet or partially so when Gov. James V. Allred signed the control bill Nov. 15. Since Sept. 9 of this year, however, sales in those counties have been legal. Between Sept. 9 and Nov. 16 no provision was made for licensing and taxing sales.

State liquor administrator C. M. Miller expected to have enforcement well under way soon after Jan. 1, 1936. Package stores that do not sell wine or beer by the drink may dispense liquor in sealed containers. Wines and malt beverages up to 14 per cent alcoholic content may be sold by the drink with meals.

Dry areas are protected by two provisions of the control act—prohibiting drug stores from selling without prescription and recognizing that possession of more than a quart of liquor is prima facie evidence of intent to sell.

Texas legislators meet in another special session next month, which is expected to result in a renewed fight by wet members for sale by-the-drink of hard liquors.

ON HONOR ROLL
STEPHENVILLE, Texas, Dec. 19.—Nell Robert of Deadmona is listed among the 103 honor students of John Tarleton College who made 80 or above in all subjects for the second preliminary report, according to announcement from the registrar's office this week.

Cagney In Biggest Hit



James Cagney was the "Public Enemy" in 1930; he was the underworld's nemesis as the "G-Man" of 1935; now he's the despot of the world's wickedest mile of the vicious fifties, in Warner Bros.' "Frisco Kid," which opens at the Arcadia Theatre on Saturday.

Stars of Buffalo Bill's Show



Old-timers who remember Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show will recall Annie Oakley. This rifle shot who performed before potentates and paupers the world over is the central character of "Annie Oakley," whom Barbara Stanwyck portrays in the stellar role. Preston Foster, as her sweetheart, has a featured role in this RKO Radio Picture, opening Monday at the Arcadia Theatre.

STONE AGE CAVE FOUND

TIFLIS, U. S. S. R.—A cave of the stone age man has been discovered in a rocky locality, near the town of Dzbugely, Georgia. Flint knives, whole skeletons of cave bears and bones of other animals have been found in the cave.

"Sponges are a low form of animal life with power to eat and digest." And a supreme disregard

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LITERARY NEWS

We hope that all members of the community can be present at our program and Christmas tree Friday night, Dec. 20.

We hope to start our program promptly at 7 o'clock.

This will enable us to return to our homes before so late in the night.

and lots of nuts. With love, Dorothy Jean Parson.

Olden, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935.—Dear Santa: I am a little boy four years old. I don't go to school, but my sister, Cathreen, does. I want you to bring me a BB gun, a rope, and a pony. Your little friend, Buddy Conet.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

(Billie Hines)
Christmas is here with its peace on earth and good-will toward men. Will this season bring peace to us as a whole? I'm afraid that after one glance at our newspapers where the number of deaths during the season is recorded, that we cannot answer "yes." Something is wrong. Isn't it the wrong kind of Christmas spirit?

Man took it upon himself to honor the birthday and celebrate the event of Christ's birth on earth, therefore it seems to me that he should want to celebrate it in such a way as to be an honor and not a dishonor to Christ. He did not ask that we celebrate His birthday. In fact He did not even tell us when it was. But man, not knowing the exact date of His birth, set Dec. 25 aside. It is indeed sad that man will not adopt more of a Christ-like spirit and observe the day in a manner well pleasing in His sight.

EDITORIAL

The Christmas Spirit

Christmas comes but once a year and should at least bring us joy and cheer.

We often forget the true Christmas spirit and blaspheme the most holy birth date existing, or shall ever exist.

The first Christmas marks the birth of peace, compassion and above all, salvation. With it brings all that dear, pure, everlasting and enduring.

The true Christmas spirit is in the heart. It is in no way a formal affair. You will not find the Christmas spirit at the dance hall, or in liquor. There is no room in Christ's name for anything that is destroying or deploring.

There has never been a monument erected which is termed blessed that does not have in the essence of its structure, Christ, which is the jewel of all firm foundations.

Let's make Christmas a holy day—a day of peace, cheer and good will.

LETTERS TO SANTA

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935. Dear Santa: I am a little girl six years old and I have tried to be a good girl. I am going to school at Union. I've been a good girl and want you to bring me a doll and a doll bed and a little doll buggy, and some candy, apples, oranges,

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935. Dear Santa: We are going to have a program at our school next Friday night and surely want you to be here. I am going to school at Union and am in the third grade and have been studying real hard. I like my school and teacher. I want you to bring me a tractor, some fireworks, fruit, nuts, and candy. With love, Edward Markham.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935. Dear Santa: I am a little girl three years old. I have tried to be a good little girl. I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a little broom, and wash tub, and wash board, and some fireworks. He sure to bring some candy, apples, oranges, and nuts. I will close, hoping to see you soon. With love, Betty Alenia Fox.

P. S.—I forgot to tell you that I am going to say a speech for you Friday night.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935. Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good little girl. I am seven years old and am going to school at Union. I wish you would bring me a big doll and some crayolas and a pair of scissors and some candy, apples, oranges, and nuts. Your little friend, Wilma Jean Hallenbeck.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935. Dearest Santa: I am a little girl five years old and I have tried to be a good girl. I am not going to school, but I help my mother and daddy while my sisters are in school. Will you please bring me a little broom, a set of dishes, a ball, and a little basket with the quietest dolls in it. I want some candy, fruits and nuts. With love, Jimmie Fox.

Eastland, Texas, Dec. 17, 1935.

AT ARCADIA THEATRE FRIDAY



Hugh Sinclair and Elizabeth Bergner in "Escape Me Never," showing Friday only at the Arcadia Theatre.

Dearest Santa Claus: I am a little six-year-old school girl. I like to go to school and I like my two books and my teacher. I want you to bring me a doll and a doll bed, a horn, some fireworks, some apples, oranges, nuts, and lots of candy. Worlds of love, Jean Fox.

good little boys and girls in Olden before I reach your place. Please have a warm fire as my feet and hands will be cold. Your old friend, SANTA.

Vegetables Shipped From Valley Show A Marked Increase

SAN BENITO, Texas.—Total fruit and vegetable shipments from the Valley through Dec. 5 forwardings were 1,978 cars or 789 cars more than for the corresponding period of last year.

This year's totals include 1,747 cars of fruit, 226 cars of vegetables, and five cars of mixed fruit and vegetables. Last season's totals of the same date were 914 cars of fruit, 271 cars of vegetables, and four cars of mixed products.

This week's shipments were 183 cars of grapefruit, 12 cars of oranges, 22 cars of mixed fruit, 49 cars of mixed vegetables, 25 cars of snap beans, 12 cars of cabbage, five cars tomatoes, and one car each of English peas, parsley and greens.

More is heard these days of the Great Wall of China.

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HOLIDAY Specials



to Serve as Extra Treats!

We've let Santa take charge of our shop for the holiday season, and he's turned out all the old favorite cakes, pastries, etc., as well as a few newer, more tempting ones.

FRUIT CAKE
Extra rich with nuts and fresh, chopped fruit



We've made every effort to be sure that our Holiday Specials are worthy to be served at the most elaborate holiday feasts and luncheons. Wide selection to choose from, and don't forget our home-made date nut cakes.

Cookies for the Christmas Tree and the Children's Stockings!

EAT MORE BREAD FOR ENERGY AT LOW COST!

SCHOOLEY'S BAKERY

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MONEY LENDERS

AT COLLEGES
DES MOINES, Ia.—Two Drake University students, with a capital of \$50, have started a small "finance corporation," lending money to trusted fellow students. As security, the money-lenders hold school texts, clothing or jewelry.



SANTA SAYS:

- Cigars
- Cigarettes
- Tobacco

PIPES, TOBACCO—We are going to start out by saying TOBACCO IS THE IDEAL GIFT FOR MEN, until we suddenly realized that women smoke too—almost as much as men. So we'll revise our statement. . . Cigarettes and other tobaccos ARE the perfect gift for those who find pleasure in smoking.

- MAGAZINES
- LATE NEWSPAPERS
- Post Office Confectionery
- GEORGE PARSONS

WITNESS SAYS HOT OIL STILL FLOWS FREELY

AUSTIN, Dec. 16.—Testimony at a statewide oil proration hearing was interrupted today with an order from the state railroad commissioners to summon three persons named by geologist G. S. Hudnall of Tyler as his authority for an estimate that there is now a daily excess production of 15,000 to 20,000 barrels in East Texas.

When Hudnall gave the estimates Commissioner E. O. Thompson asked for his authority. Hudnall replied it was based on records taken from scouts in the field.

"Take down the names," Thompson directed the stenographer. He turned to Hudnall with the command, "Give us the names of the scouts, where, when and what they said."

Hudnall said he had promised not to tell and Thompson said, "I promise, you must tell us right now."

Hudnall named Charles Bradley, Tyler, Texas Company scout, and the Oil Scout Services issued by Howard Matthews, Longview and G. E. Wimberly, Kilgore. Summons were ordered for all three.

Wealthy Kidnaped Cuban Is Found

HAVANA, Dec. 16.—The army announced today it had found Nicolas Castano, wealthy sugar mill owner, who had been kidnaped and held for \$300,000 ransom. Castano was unharmed, the announcement said.

An army sergeant and a soldier searching the country came upon the kidnaped's hideout. The kidnapers fled, but two were captured. Castano and his chauffeur were safe.

Soviet paper reports "Stalin spoke briefly, one hour" urging Russians to be gay. If the brief speech marks a new trend, Stalin undoubtedly will have his wish.

ONE POTATO SERVES FAMILY

FILMORE, Sask. — Potatoes, each large enough to feed an average sized family, are being grown by R. D. Price. From one hill he gathered 45 potatoes which weighed a total of 60 pounds.

SKUNK RINGS ITSELF

MARLBORO, Mass. — Lester Skinner found it plenty tough removing the pelt from a skunk he caught in a trap. The animal had a 3-4 inch piston ring around its body. It had apparently ringed itself.

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CHRISTMAS TREES

CHECK YOUR SHOPPING LIST WITH THE GIFT SUGGESTIONS BELOW:

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Electric Waffle Irons
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Let us play Santa Claus for you and install a set of Firestone Tires on your car! You will be happy and safer!

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Pillsbury's Flour 48 lbs. \$2.15
24 lbs. \$1.15; 12 lbs. 59c; 6 lbs. 30c

Verigood Flour 24 lbs. 93c

English Walnuts, nice size lb. 17c

PURE CANE SUGAR

10 lb. bag . . . 53c
25-lb. bag . \$1.37

B.S. Pineapple No. 2 cans . . . 2 for 25c

Prunes 60-70 size lb. 5c

Sunnyfield Pancake Flour . 2 pkgs. 13c

Grandmothers Bread loaf 8c

8 o'Clock Coffee lb. 17c

Excell Crackers 2 lb. box 19c

Fleischmann's Yeast cake 3c

Fruit Cakes 1 lb. 39c; 5 lb. \$1.75

JEWEL SHORTENING

8-lb. carton \$1.00

MARKET SPECIALS

Deckers Tall Korn Sliced Bacon lb. 35c

Fancy Veal Loin Steak lb. 24c

Fancy Veal Seven Roast lb. 14c

Pork Chops lb. 25c

Dry Salt Bacon lb. 25c

Bulk Compound 2 lbs. for 27c

Texas ORANGES 252 size doz. 15c	Idaho No. 1 Potatoes 10 lbs. 21c
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Winesap Apples, 2 doz. 25c; Lettuce 4c
Celery, bunch 10c Cranberries lb. 25c
Grapefruit, nice size 96's . . dozen 30c


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Watch our windows for added specials

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Silverware
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Complete 26- and 29-Piece Set From
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Yuletide

May every one of our friends and patrons experience all the joys and happiness that this gala season affords, and long remember this Christmas as the very merriest and happiest you have ever known.

We thank you sincerely for the patronage you have given us this year and may the New Year be prosperous and happy.

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A dignified, beautifully conducted funeral service serves as an expression of the affection borne for those who have gone. Such funerals are held here, conducted with reverent care.

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A friend of ours was pinched for speeding, and he said that his mother-in-law had decided to go back home and he was just taking her there. You'd be excusable for speeding if you was hurrying to our shop to get your car serviced, for the cornerstone on which we have built our business has been good work always.

LETTERS FOR SANTA CLAUS

Dear Santa Claus: I live in Ranger and I have helped mother a lot, because I want to be ready when you ask me if I have been a good boy. I just had a birthday yesterday and had a party so I

won't ask for much. Now I am going to tell you what I want. I want a football and a watch, some nuts and fruit, that's all. But be sure you don't forget the poor children. With love, John L. McKelvin.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a football for Christmas. I have tried to be good but it is very hard. If you have been a little boy you

know. I want an air rifle for Christmas and some nuts, firecrackers and fruit. With love, Leland Jones.

Dear Santa Claus: How is Mrs. Santa Claus this Christmas? I want a Shirley Temple doll, a pair of gloves, and a pair of house shoes. Also a doll buggy, nuts, oranges and apples. With love, Elizabeth Berrier.

Dear Santa Claus: I live in Ranger and I am going to have a nice Christmas. I hope you will bring me what I want. I have been a good girl and I want a Shirley Temple doll or a bicycle, either one that you can bring me. A wrist-watch will do. I love on 413 Walnut street. Please come to see me and help all the poor children that want have a happy Christmas. With love, Minnie Sue Thomas.

Dear Santa Claus: How are you and Mrs. Santa Claus feeling? I am writing you this letter to tell you what I want for Christmas. I would like to have a football, a cowboy suit and a gun and holster. I would like for you to bring me some extra toys for the poor girls and boys, because everyone likes to have a happy Christmas. With love, Aneese Hassen.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 9 years old. I want a doll buggy, a Bible, and a sack of nuts, candy, apples, and oranges. I want some dresses, too. I have been a good girl. With love, Helen Ruth Watson.

Dear Santa Claus: I have been a good girl, I have done all my work and studied. If you think that I have been good, this is what I want. A yellow gold bracelet, candy, nuts, and fruit. Please bring every little child something for Christmas. With love, Mary Allen Lanier.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a little electric iron and lots of nuts, fruit, and candy. Don't forget the other children. With love, Earline Martin, 108 Cherry street.

Dear Santa Claus: I want a Mickey Mouse watch and a Shirley Temple doll and her coloring book. Santa, will you bring me a bicycle, and a movie projector, too? I don't care what else you bring me. Please bring me some oranges, apples and candy. Santa, don't forget the poor children either. With love, Betty Ruckar.

Dear Santa Claus: I am a little

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SAVE THIS ADV... PRICES GOOD TO DEC. 25th!

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ARIZONA NAVELS Seedless Full of Juice

Size 334	Size 288	Size 252	Size 200	Size 150	Size 176	Size 126
Doz. 12c	Doz. 15c	Doz. 17½c	Doz. 20c	Doz. 25c	Doz. 30c	Doz. 35c

Bulk 25c | 10-lb. bags 45c | BUSHEL \$2.00

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163 Fancy Delicious	113 Fancy Jonathans	113 Fancy Winesaps
Size 234	Size 163	Size 113
Doz. 15c	Doz. 20c	Doz. 30c
doz. 12c	doz. 30c	doz. 20c
doz. 11c	doz. 30c	doz. 30c

PEARS Calif. 6 for 25c Large and Juicy	Tangerines Doz. 10c and 15c	Lemons Juicy Doz. 15c and 19c	Cranberries Eastmore 1 lb. 25c
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Seedless GRAPE FRUIT Dozen ... 15c, 20c and 30c

Large Head LETTUCE 4 doz. size 2 for 9c

Jumbo Bleach-CELERY 15c	POTATOES No. 1 10 Lbs. 22c	Sweet 10 lbs. POTATOES No. 1 15c	Dark Purple Top URNIPS 10 lbs. 15c
Fresh Cocoanuts 3 for 25c	WALNUT No. 1 Lb. 20c	BRAZILS No. 1 Lb. 20c	Soft Shell Lb. ALMONDS 27c

Fresh Bulk DATES 2 Lbs. 23c	Fresh Bulk BROWN SUGAR 4 Lbs. 25c	Pure Cane Sugar 10-Lb. Cloth Bags 55c	MINCE MEAT 3 pkgs. 25c
Seedless RAISINS 2 Lbs. 17c 4 Lbs. 30c	Chocolate-Covered Cherries 1-Lb. Box 25c	Mixed RI... 2 Lbs. 25c	Creams and Gum Drops Orange Slices Gum Drops Chocolate Drops Lb. 12c

HENS

Fat Dressed Lb. 19c

TURKEYS

Give us your order for Christmas

STEAK

Choice Beef All Cuts Lb. 20c

HAMBURGER Pound 10c

Dry Salt JOWLS Lb. 20c

Holiday Special Chocolates Nugs, Carmels Creams 5 lbs. 99c 2½ lbs. 59c

FLOUR

Gold Medal 12 lbs. 24 lbs. 48 lbs. 60c \$1.15 \$2.20

XMAS GIFT Suggestions

Give something that will add to the safety and comfort of the car owner this Christmas. New Goodyear tires, a new battery, heater or radio—all gifts that will be greatly appreciated. Use your credit, if you wish.

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Budget Plan \$5.20 and up cash

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Fire Chief Auto Scooter
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CHRISTMAS SPECIALS

—AT PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD!
—Give Her a Wave for Christmas!



Permanents on Special

\$5.00 Permanents	\$3.75
\$4.00 Permanents	\$2.50
\$3.50 Permanents	\$2.25
\$2.00 Permanents	\$1.75

Also Have a \$1.00 Wave

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Hoover Is Silent On His Nomination

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—Former President Herbert Hoover cracked down on the New Deal today in a statement issued after his arrival here for an address tonight. He sidestepped any commitment on whether or not he would be the G. O. P. nominee in 1936, declaring the convention would "take care of that matter."

Neurologist Classifies Earthquake Reactions

TORONTO, Ont. — If earthquakes frighten you, you're normal, according to Dr. H. H. Hyland, neurologist. If you suffer a headache after the tremors, your nerves are extremely susceptible, and you're probably too high-strung. If you laugh and think it's fun, you're either a good actor or the personification of reason.

Get into HANES and let the thermometer dive!

When Old Man Winter climbs on his elevator and says going down, it's time to get up to your neck in HANES! There's a wealth of warmth in the Heavyweight Champion. You'll know that—the minute you button up, and those downy, close-knit ribs softly hug your skin. Why, man—you'll be steamlined in HANES!

But here's a Winter union-suit that does more than chase your chills. You get full, honest measure in HANES... no cheating at the chest or trimming at the trunk. You can bend and reach as much as you want, and you'll never be pinched or held in check. Here are buttonholes that won't go wide-eyed with wear... buttons that know their place, and keep it... and seams that never need another stitch of work! See your HANES Dealer today.

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A nearby dealer has HANES Under-suits, \$1 and up... Shirts and Drawers begin at 75c... Boys' Under-suits, 75c... Men's Knit Under-suits, 75c... also New Winter-Weight Shirts and Knit Shorts (illustrated at right), 50c and 59c each.

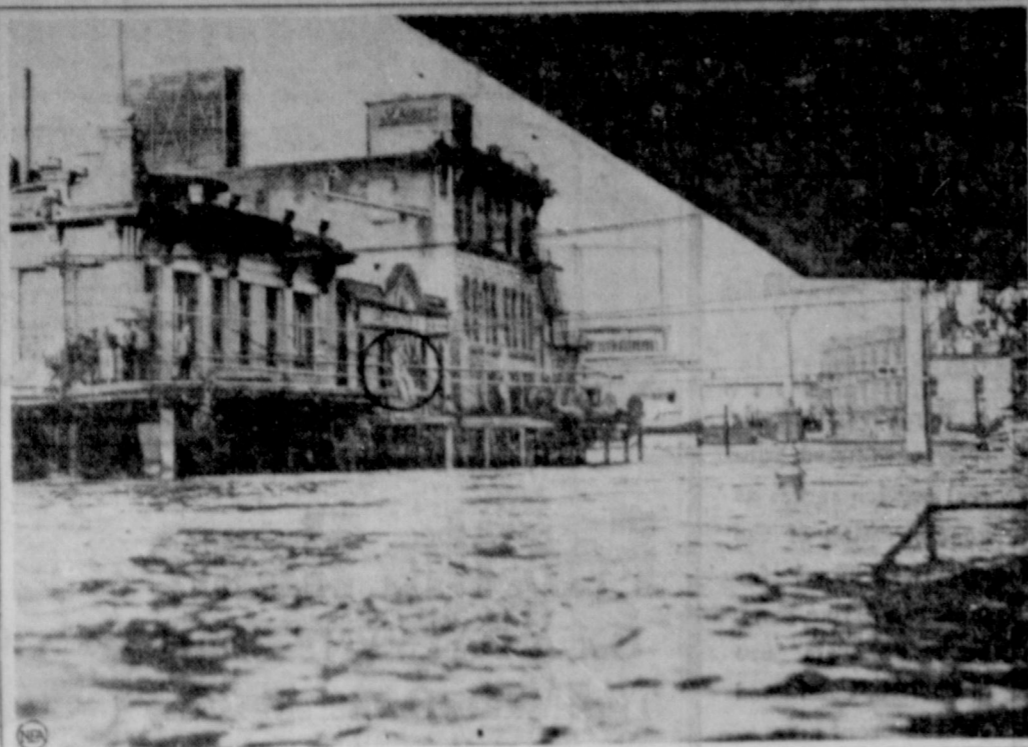
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HEADQUARTERS FOR HANES UNDERWEAR
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"Ranger's Foremost Department Store"
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CARRIE NATION TOWN DRY

By United Press
POLAND, O.—The village in which Carrie Nation swung her hatchet and William McKinley went to school has gone "bone" dry. Poland voted in a local option election, 85 to 5, to bar the sale of beer, wine and other alcoholic beverages.

Breeches Buoy Rescues Flood Trap Victims



Rescues after the manner of shipwrecks at sea gave a spectacular touch to the freak flood which took toll of more than a million dollars and at least five lives in Houston, Texas, when Buffalo bayou surged over low-lying sections of the downtown area. Here, in the circle, is shown a stranded storekeeper riding a breeches buoy to safety, while several other marooned residents wait their turn for a lift. Note the height to which the water had risen in the street. Several large buildings were undermined by the flood waters, and one collapsed.

ARCADIA

FRIDAY IS BIG NIGHT! BE SURE TO ATTEND

ON THE SCREEN

Advertisement for the movie 'Escape With Me' featuring Isabelle Bergner. The text includes 'The Jacquarade STAR of "CATHERINE OF RUSSIA" IN HER INTERNATIONAL STAGE SUCCESS THAT MADE CRITICS RAVE!' and 'ESCAPE WITH ME'.

Aged Rancher Sees His First Talkie

DALHART, Texas.—Albert Light, 60, a rancher living about 20 miles west of here, has just seen his first talking picture. It was Will Rogers' next to last picture, "Steamboat Round the Bend." Light said picture shows ordinarily didn't interest him and for that reason he didn't attend. He has no scruples against them.

ON TEXAS FARMS

The Agricultural Adjustment Administration will soon offer the farmers of the South a four-year cotton acreage adjustment contract. The details are not known, but presumably the program is

much in the same as the present one with certain improvements.

Whatever the faults of the county adjustments of the last three years, few will deny that the vast improvement in Southern prosperity is due largely to the increased buying power of the cotton farmer.

The cotton income has been doubled since 1932. One bale of cotton now buys almost twice as much as one bale bought in 1932.

Census figures now being released by the states credit the adjustment programs with making possible the greatest strides toward balanced farming ever known in the South. The use of rented acres has enabled the cotton farmer to live at home on a scale hitherto unknown.

The South has led the nation toward business recovery. Countless figures and testimony can be produced to show that the towns have richly shared in the benefits accruing to farmers in the cotton program.

With a new cotton program coming up, the cotton farmer will have to decide whether he will follow the road of cotton adjustment, or to take a chance and grow all the cotton he can.

GROVETON—The desire for a convenient, attractive and modern pantry for storing her canned, dried, and brined products has been realized by Mrs. H. H. Friday, Trinity county home demonstration club woman, at a cost of \$4.50 for materials, according to Miss Clara Rettiger, home demonstration agent. The work was done by Mrs. Friday and her husband.

Mrs. Friday has 51 varieties of canned food in her pantry which contains the equivalent of 705 quarts, or more than 1,400 containers. In addition to her canned products, she has an ample supply of milk, butter, chickens, and eggs; a variety of dried vegetables; hickory and walnuts which she gathered in the woods; a supply of syrup which she traded surplus bacon for, and a year's supply of soap made from fat that otherwise would have been wasted. Her pantry has a net value of \$370.55.

ELDORADO—"Cutting cans properly and sealing them successfully depends largely upon having the sealer fastened securely so it will be steady and hence give an even cut and seal," says Mrs. R. A. King, pantry demonstrator for the Mayer Home Demonstration Club in Schleicher county.

Mrs. King has added to her pantry this year a heavy table having a top made of lumber two inches in thickness. The table, being quite heavy, is steady. The trick top permits the sealer to be screwed securely to it, so that there is no unnecessary movement of the sealing equipment during use.

ANGLETON—A 20-cent investment in tomato seeds realized \$58.40 for Mrs. Nellie Wollam of Brazoria county, according to Miss Bruce Gibson, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Wollam canned 100 cans of tomatoes, 75 cans of tomato juice and 53 containers of tomato products. She sold \$3 worth of fresh tomatoes and supplied a family of 10 with fresh tomatoes for the season.

VICTORIA—Terracing of 75 acres of land last fall meant a 15 per cent increase in corn yield this fall, or a gain of five bushels per acre, to Alonzo B. Dentler of Victoria county, he reports to J. L.

Moore, county agricultural agent. The terracing was done with the county grader at a cost of \$1 per acre. The five-bushel increased yield per acre at 50 cents per bushel meant \$2.50 gain per acre due to terracing, leaving a net profit of \$1.50 per acre.

CANYON—Crooked rows made the difference between a feed crop and a failure on 150 acres of grain sorghum on the W. W. Kuehn farm in Randall county this year, according to W. H. Upehurek, county agricultural agent. Kuehn has about 320 acres of his farm worked on contour this year.

He lost his wheat crop in the drought and high winds last spring. Contour lines were run and the entire field was listed with level rows and planted to grain sorghum late in May.

A field with similar slope across the road was listed up at the same time and worked in a similar manner, except that the rows were run in the usual way. The field not contoured was hardly worth harvesting, Kuehn says, while the contoured field had a splendid yield of both grain and forage. Kuehn estimates that the level rows made a difference of at least 20 bushels per acre.

per hen for the year, according to E. W. Thomas, county agricultural agent. This record was made in spite of the fact that Allmon was located in the worse blown out part of the county and every pound of feed that the hens consumed had to be purchased. Allmon attributes his success to the purchase of pullets out of a high producing flock, up-to-date housing facilities, and well established methods of feeding and sanitation.

BOLT SPREADS HAVOC

COLUMBIA, Mo.—A ball of lightning fell from the fuse box at the home of Miss Ava Compton during an electric storm. It set fire to curtains, electrocuted a bird in the attic, blew out all fuses and welded light globes in their sockets.

BILL IN MAIL 8 YEARS

YORK, Pa.—Early in 1927 a plumber did some work for a local insurance broker, then everyone forgot about it—except Uncle Sam's postal employees. The bill, mailed by the plumber March 24, 1927, was delivered to Broker Benjamin B. LaMotte eight years late.

DIMITT—Accurate records kept throughout the year show that the flock of 140 white hghorn hens belonging to D. H. Allmon of Cass county made a net profit of \$2

The 11-year-old King Tut curse has claimed another "victim," which reminds us of the man who, 23 years ago, dreamed he died and sure enough, the other day, did.

Advertisement for Christmas specials. Text: 'During the CHRISTMAS RUSH Do Not Forget the COW and CHICKEN FEED SPECIALS WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK PRICES IN LINE A. J. RATLIFF FEED FLOUR SEEDS Phone 82 Flour Ranger'.

TRY A WANT AD—IT ALWAYS PAYS!

Advertisement for 'Annie Oakley' at Arcadia. Text: 'MONDAY TUESDAY HER HEART WAS LOVES TARGET! Barbara STANWYCK "ANNIE OAKLEY" with PRESTON FOSTER'.

FREE THEATRE TICKETS to see 'ANNIE OAKLEY,' given to anyone shooting a star off a target to be in front of theatre Monday!

Large advertisement for 'James CAGNEY in FRISCO KID' at Arcadia. Text: 'SATURDAY SUNDAY DRAMA that rocked the Barbary Coast and hurled defiance at the new law and order! James CAGNEY in "FRISCO KID" with MARGARET LINDS Y RICARDO CORTEZ ESTELLE KOHLER FRED KOTLER FIRST NATIONAL PICTURE'.

Advertisement for Arcadia Xmas Day. Text: 'Special Shorts for Christmas Arcadia Xmas Day'.

Advertisement for COLUMBIA movies. Text: 'Kiddies 10c Adults 15c SATURDAY Love TRIUMPHS OVER THE LAWLESS! JOE WAYNE in "THE NEW FRONTIER" MURIEL EVANS ALSO JOHNNY MACK BROWN Chapter No. 2 Plus "Serves You Right" "Goofy Gondolas"'

Advertisement for gifts. Text: 'Gifts FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY Bring your list here ... there are gifts of furniture for "Her" ... gifts of sporting goods for "Him" and Toys .. Toys .. Toys for the kiddies! Use Our Lay-Away Plan Our store will remain open until 9:00 o'clock from now until Christmas!'.

Advertisement for furniture suggestions. Text: 'SUGGESTIONS Table Lamps, Living Room Suites, Book Case, Boudoir Chairs, Lounge Chair, Floor Lamps, Dinette Suite, Table Scarfs, Cedar Chests, Pier Cabinet, Magazine Rack, Bedroom Suites, Secretary, Gas Ranges, Dining Room Suite, Knee Hole Desk, Occasional Tables, Radios, Mirror, Boudoir Lamps, Pictures, Children's Rockers, Rugs, Card Tables, Convenient Terms on Any Purchase'.

Advertisement for toys. Text: 'TOYS Trains \$1.09 to \$7.95, Globes 39c to \$4.95, Dishes 29c to 98c, Checkerboard 29c to \$1.25, Wagons 59c to \$3.95, Teddy Bear \$1.09 and \$1.69, Scooter \$1.39 to \$4.95, Piano \$1.09, Skates \$1.50 and \$1.75'.

Advertisement for Killingsworth, Cox & Co. Text: 'KILLINGSWORTH, COX & CO. Phone 29 HARDWARE—FURNITURE—FUNERAL DIRECTORS Ranger'.

People Are Warned About Shooting of Firecrackers Here

Chief of Police Jim Ingram today warned the people of Ranger about shooting firecrackers in the business section of the city, a practice that grew to such proportions as to constitute a dangerous situation, and which has been cubed for the past two years.

In warning the people he issued the following statement, in which



**KNITS
SUEDES
SILKS
WOOLS**

Have your clothes renewed by our nationally approved processes; the lustre, drape and fit will be restored. The different materials require different processes, and we are especially prepared to handle each kind. We also handle hats and rugs.

- Suits Cleaned and Pressed 75c
- Dresses Cleaned and Pressed 75c
- Knitted 2-pc. Suits Cleaned and Pressed 75c
- Suede Jackets Cleaned and Pressed \$1.00
- Hats Cleaned and Blocked \$1.00
- Rugs, 9x12, Cleaned \$3.00

Pick-Up Delivery
Garment Insurance
for Your Protection

Ranger Dry Cleaning Plant

Phone 452 S. P. Boon

Red Victim Runs Amuck, Kills 2



A privileged person in Czarist days, high-born and proud, Victor Kousow (above), went berserk in Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, New York, following discharge as a laboratory helper. His mind unbalanced by years of brooding, he shot three professors, two fatally, and was hunted for the man who had caused his dismissal when he killed himself, ending a reign of terror.

he quotes the ordinance against shooting firecrackers. The warning reads:

Notice to the Public:
Under the heading of "Offenses Against the Peace," Section 10 or Article I, Ordinances of the City of Ranger, Texas, reads as follows:

"Explosion of Powder, Etc. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to shoot off, fire or discharge any gun, pistol, revolver or any firearms of any description, or to fire, explode or set off any squib, firecracker, torpedo, roman candle, any skyrocket or other thing containing powder or other explosive matter, or to throw any fireball, or make any bonfire within the corporate limits of the City of Ranger, Texas, and any person or persons violating the provisions of this section, shall be fined in any sum of, not less than One Dollar nor more than One Hundred Dollars."

The police department has strict instructions to enforce the requirements of this ordinance and we request your co-operation.

JIM INGRAM,
Chief of Police, Ranger, Texas.

ENROLLS IN NAVY
ABILENE, Dec. 17.—Three young men, recruited from the Abilene recruiting district, are en route to the naval training station at San Diego, Calif., where they will start a three-months training period for navy work. The recruits include Louis Jonathan Rhoda, 20, son of Mrs. Walter Lau, Ranger.

RADCLIFFE GIRL HONORED
MARLBORO, Mass.—Miss Edna Granitias, 22-year-old Radcliffe College student, was elected to the Marlboro School committee in a recent election here. Miss Granitias is the first woman to hold elective office in Marlboro.

Junior Colleges to Begin Basketball On January 17th

W. T. Walton, president of the Ranger Junior College, attended a meeting of the Central Texas conference, of which the college is a member, and at which time adopted a basketball schedule for this season.

The schedule used last year was adopted, though in reverse, so that all games played out of town last year are scheduled for the home town this year. Ranger's first game will be with N.T.A.C. at Ranger on Jan. 17.

At the meeting N.T. A. C. of Arlington was declared football champion of the 1935 season, and T. M. C. announced that the school was dropping all football activities and would not compete in the conference in the future. A schedule committee was appointed to work out a schedule for next season. The committee is composed of McDaniel of Weatherford, Hughes of N. T. A. C., and Widom of John Tarleton.

The conference track and field meet is to be held in Hillsboro on May 2, with the tennis tournament at Arlington May 4 and 5, and the golf tournament in Weatherford on May 8 and 9.

Schools represented at the meeting were Ranger, N. T. A. C., Deatur, T. M. C., John Tarleton, Hillsboro and Weatherford. Prof. Hartsfield of Hillsboro presided at the meeting.

Columnist describes actress as the 10 most beautiful women in America. The 10 best singers, we assume, are Kate Smith.

Radio Bullet Is Ready to Aid Weather Man

BOSTON—A stratosphere radio bullet that is expected to revolutionize the technique of weather-forecasting has been developed by Blue Hill Observatory attaches.

The instrument, similar to one used in the Soviet Union, is the

first of its kind to be manufactured at a cost low enough to be practicable.

The bullet, six inches long and weighing nearly two pounds, is strapped to one or more stratosphere "toy" balloons and it sends back radio messages telling practically everything the meteorologists need to know.

This device can go three or four times as high as an airplane, and neither hail nor rain can harm the balloon's fabric. It gives its information instantaneously, reporting temperature, pressure and

humidity.

The stratosphere radio bullet is a small cylinder, around which a tiny strip of metal is coiled thrice.

The cylinder is rotated by clock-work mechanism, making one revolution every half minute. A fixed pointer touches the cylinder near the top, and as it passes over a piece of metal, once in every revolution, it gives a "click" every half minute. Three other pointers touch the cylinder at lower points,

each controlled by a different mechanism. If these pointers remain constant, their "clicks" come every half minute.

The thermometer-pointer is controlled by a tiny half-tube of metal, like a miniature stove pipe cut in two lengthwise. The metal is brass on the inside and steel on the outside. Brass expands in warmth and causes the little tube to open up, pushing the pointer an infinitesimal distance higher in the cylinder.

The pressure pointer is controlled by a pile of tiny disks, each rests on the one below. Heavy air causes them to settle and light air to rise, sending the points up or down.

The humidity pointer rests on a human hair suspended horizontally between two uprights. It

stretches when moist and contracts when dry—thus moving the pointer.

To interpret the "click" sent in by the meteorograph, one must listen a minute to identify the constant 30-second click of the fixed pointer and then by the variations in time of the succeeding clicks, compute the data indicated by the pointer.

"BILLBOARD GIRLS" ARE CENSORED

HAMILTON, Ont.—The Hamilton Area Women's Institute is out to force the "girl on the billboard" to be more modest in her clothing. The Institute adopted a resolution urging the government to censor advertising in magazines and on billboards more rigidly.

Do Your Christmas Shopping in RANGER

You can find what you want!

Ranger merchants have what you want—there is no need for any one to purchase any item from out of town stores—BUY AT HOME!

Ranger Retail Merchants Ass'n.

IF YOU WILL You Can Use

FEEDS

Made in

RANGER

We Make a Complete Line of COW and POULTRY FEED

We Are Prepared to Take Care of Your FEED NEEDS

A. J. RATLIFF
Feed and Flour
Phone 82 Ranger

Exquisite

GIFTS

Gifts that say MERRY CHRISTMAS INEXPENSIVELY

Here you will find just the item to suit any member of the family.. and conveniently arranged for your inspection. Come and See!

<p>Evening in Paris Sets \$1.65 to \$10.00</p> <p>Imported Perfumes \$1.50 to \$20.00</p>	<p>Yardley's Sets for WOMEN \$2.50 to \$20</p> <p>Yardley's Sets for MEN \$1.10 to \$10</p>
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<p>Binoculars ... \$1.60 up</p> <p>Bathroom Scales \$3.00 and up</p> <p>Stationery 50c up</p> <p>Cutex Sets 50c</p>	<p>Electric Waffle Iron</p> <p>Electric Toasters</p> <p>Flashlights</p> <p>Dolls Card Cases</p> <p>Vanities 25c to \$5.00</p>	<p>ELECTRIC READING LAMPS \$1.69 and up</p> <p>ELECTRIC CLOCKS \$2.50 up to \$5.00</p> <p>PARKER PEN SETS \$1.95 to \$3.95</p>
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<h2>CANDIES</h2> <p>Beautiful Boxes in 1-, 2- or 3-pound Sizes</p> <p>80c to \$5.00</p>	<p>Schaffer Pen Sets</p> <p>Beautiful Gifts</p> <p>ELECTRIC IRONS Guaranteed \$1.98</p> <p>\$1 to \$15</p>
<p>Electric Silex Coffee Maker</p> <p>Bath Powder ... 50c up</p> <p>Electric Heating Pads \$2.98 up to \$5.00</p>	<p>Ball-Bearing Skates</p> <p>\$1.29</p> <p>Be Sure To See These!</p>

For that most important person on your list, you'll naturally not want anything but the finest! And the finest gift of all awaits your inspection here. Even a limited budget does a big job, too, when Clyde H. Davis helps out!

Diamond Rings

The grandest gift of all! Sparkling, blue-white stones in the loveliest rings, from \$10 up

Ladies' and Men's Watches

The largest selection in the city! Nationally known makes, in styles for men and women. Beautiful cases and dependable operation make each of them unusual at these prices!

\$3.50 up

Silverware

Lovely pieces and sets in plated and sterling ware, including flatware and hollowware, at from ...

\$13.50 up

We'll be happy to suggest other gifts, equally lovely and reasonable, at any time.

Oil City Pharmacy

Phone 28 145 Main Street Ranger, Texas

Better come look 'em over while these 'good ones are in stock. Listed are a few that the most discriminating buyer will have to admit are above par.

- 1934 Terraplane Coupe, Radio
- 1934 Terraplane Coach, Radio
- 1933 Chevrolet Coach
- 1933 Chevrolet 4-dr. Sedan, Radio, 1,750 miles.
- 1932 Plymouth Sedan, paint, tires, and motor like new).
- 1932 Ford Coupe
- 1934 Ford V-8 Coupe

... and have you ridden in a new Terraplane or Hudson. Call Flay L. Meroney and he will show you the best cars in the world for the money.

C. J. MOORE AUTO MART
HUDSON and TERRAPLANE Dealer
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Dour Memories When Blue and Gray Meet

"There might be some fights, but we'll have a lot of fun."

So says Gen. Harry Rene Lee, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, in regard to the proposed joint reunion of former Confederate and Union soldiers at Gettysburg in 1938.

That year, 1938, will be the 75th anniversary of the great Civil War battle. To commemorate it, the governor of Pennsylvania has invited the United Confederate Veterans and the Grand Army of the Republic to hold encampments at Gettysburg at the same time.

For many years, well-intentioned people north and south of the Mason and Dixon line have made efforts to bring about a joint meeting of the two groups.

The difficulty in bringing about such a reunion is a reminder that that dreadful war, fought so long ago, is still a reality to the men who did the fighting.

We have prettied that war up, in our imagination, just as all people do with all wars. We have romanticized it, and made it an affair of bright uniforms and gallant young men and pretty girls in hoopskirts and honeysuckle twining up the white pillars of southern manor houses.

It is stuff for movies and romantic novels, nowadays, and we who were born so long after the last shot was fired slip into the habit of looking back at it much as a graying college alumnus looks back at a fabled football game of long ago.

But the men who did the fighting have another viewpoint, and it doesn't hurt us to be reminded of it.

The Civil War wasn't fought just for fun. The bright uniforms got soiled and torn, the gallant young men had moments in which they were everlastingly sick of the whole thing, the pretty girls grew haggard and thin with anxiety, and a good many of those picturesque white pillars were destroyed by fire, honeysuckle and all.

These old men who will gather at Gettysburg in 1938 were young and tough, 75 years ago, and they were out to kill one another; and it's hardly surprising if they haven't forgotten.

It will be a fine thing for the country as a whole to have these two groups of veterans fraternizing at last. At the same time we might as well remember that their fraternization is not a memento of a football game. They can meet now on a friendly basis, but they have their memories.

Disarmament Is Game of Entangling Fears

If you enjoy the sight of a number of distinguished and silk-hated diplomats running earnestly around in a small circle, you must not forget to examine the current naval disarmament conference in London.

It isn't simply because this "disarmament" conference will bring more and heavier arming on the part of all concerned. It's the way it will work that will be worth watching.

Start with England. The English aim to increase their navy, for what seem to be good and sufficient reasons—war in Ethiopia, threats of trouble in the Mediterranean, shenanigans by the Japanese in China, and so on. Out of all of this, inevitably, will come a larger British fleet.

Next we come to Germany. Under the recent agreement with Britain, the Germans will build their naval strength up to 35 per cent of the British fleet. This will mean a substantial enlargement of existing German strength.

This, in turn, draws France into it. The French will insist on having a stronger navy than the Germans have, and so, when the Germans start building, the French will do the same.

That means something to Mussolini. It is a cardinal point in his policy to keep Italian naval strength equal to that of the French; so when the French lay down new ships, the Italian are certain to do likewise.

This, if you haven't yet got dizzy, brings us back to England. One of the reasons England demands more ships today is the fact that her margin of superiority over other naval powers in the Mediterranean—meaning Italy and France—isn't great enough. So when France and Italy build new ships, England will have to build some more to keep ahead of them.

Off on the outskirts will be Uncle Sam, determined to keep his fleet as large as the British fleet; and in the background are the Japanese, who insist that their fleet will be the equal of America's.

Follow this sort of thing long enough and you will find yourself stepping on your own heels. It is an ascending spiral of the dizziest kind ever seen, self-starting and self-perpetuating. The secret of perpetual motion seems to have been discovered at last.

In plain English, the whole stunt is wildly insane. I build because you build because he builds because I build because—it sounds like a game that the inmates of Mat-

teawan cooked up to pass a dull afternoon. And yet it is all a strictly logical process, made inevitable by the present state of international relations.

Could there be a more damning comment on the fix which the world's blind nationalism and unchecked greed have got it?

Some day perhaps our troubles will become an unhappy memory.

"Famed marksman has job shooting at film stars." The amazing thing is that he gets paid for it.

To bring back the auto speed record, perhaps the U. S. should call for a showdown between Sir Malcolm and the young Roosevelts.

Your city, town, or community is just what you make it. If you are not sufficiently interested in its affairs to be willing to assume a share of the burden of conducting it, how can you expect it to be efficiently and economically managed?

CHARITY GAME RECEIPTS ARE REPORTED \$305

The Ranger All-Stars defeated the Eastland All-Stars in a surprisingly good football game at Lillard Field Sunday afternoon by a score of 7 to 0 before a good crowd that paid \$305 into the coffers of Eastland and Ranger charity funds, each town netting about \$150 on the game.

Advance ticket sales in Ranger amounted to 25 cents more than the sales in Eastland, one more student ticket being sold for the game in Ranger than in Eastland, making everything from the advance sale, the total receipts and the score of the game about as even as possible.

In the first quarter of the game Eastland made a serious threat to score when two passes from Brown to Poe and Cox to Poe, put the ball on the three-yard line on first down. The Ranger line held and at the beginning of the second quarter Ranger got possession of the ball on about the two-yard line. Buster Mills kicked out in old-time fashion, the kick going over the safety's head and going to the Eastland 25-yard line.

Eastland made several threats to score, but a stubborn Ranger defense was too much for the ball carriers, while the Eastland defense was such that it almost prevented Ranger from scoring.

The fans got a thrill when Mills broke up an Eastland pass in midfield, started to the left only to be surrounded by Eastland players, but he whirled back to the

right and almost broke into the open to place the ball on the Eastland 20 and the fans yelled for a field goal.

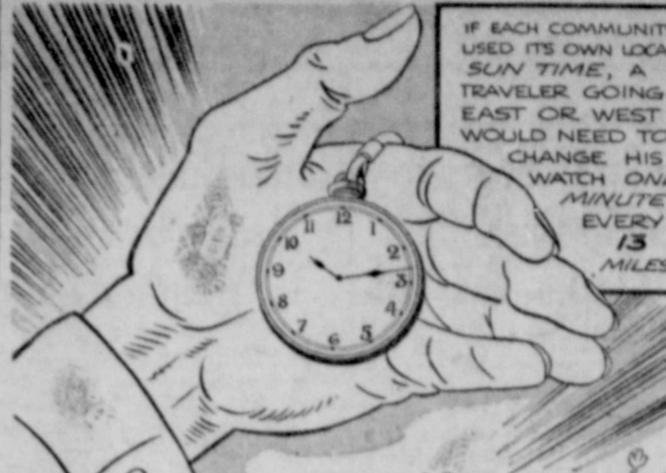
Later in the game a pass from Anderson to Landers gave Ranger an apparent touchdown after a good run by Landers, but Ranger drew a clipping penalty. Another pass from Anderson to Landers put the ball on the Eastland three-yard line. Anderson carried it through to the one and two plays by Hamilton through the line put it on the six-inch line and Anderson carried over for the touchdown and then kicked goal to convert for the extra point.

Both teams were remarkably well trained for the short time they had to prepare for the game and with the exception of repeated substitutions on the part of Ranger a visitor might have had the impression that the teams had been playing all season.

Cox, Poe, Simmons, Brown and several others whose names were not available and who were not recognized from the stands, played outstanding ball for the Eastland team, with Yonker of Ranger being the outstanding player of the entire game, being a tower of strength on the defense at tackle and breaking up nearly every Eastland play that was stopped. Mills, Hamilton, Landers, Anderson, Conroy were among the outstanding players on the Ranger team, though many went in and out of the game so often that it was hard to keep track of who was doing the most brilliant playing, and everyone who got into the game on either team turned in a brand of play that amazed the entire crowd of spectators.

Both the Eastland and Ranger promoters of the game today thanked the players who took part in the game for their efforts toward aiding the needy of the two towns, the Eastland band for playing during the game, those who

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



IF EACH COMMUNITY USED ITS OWN LOCAL SUN TIME, A TRAVELER GOING EAST OR WEST WOULD NEED TO CHANGE HIS WATCH ONE MINUTE EVERY 13 MILES.

The MILKWORT PLANT HAS TWO KINDS OF FLOWERS! ONE SET GROWS ABOVE GROUND AND ONE GROWS BELOW, ON UNDERGROUND STEMS.

Table with 5 columns of numbers: 52 71 32 82 63, 25 17 23 28 36, 27 54 9 54 27

THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ANY TWO-DIGIT NUMBER AND THE NUMBER FORMED BY REVERSING THE DIGITS, ALWAYS IS DIVISIBLE BY NINE!

PLANTS which bear two types of flowers, such as the milkwort, are called "cleistogamous." The advantage of such an arrangement is that, should one set of flowers be destroyed, seed still will be produced, since self-pollination will occur in the underground flowers.

sold tickets and took tickets at the gate, J. C. Shaw for his services as referee, and everyone who had any part in helping to make the game a success.

There has been some talk of playing a return game in Eastland but no efforts have been made, as yet, toward getting up another charity game in either of the two towns.

Barge Woman Takes Tugboat Annie Role

LINCOLN, Wash.—Picturesque and ramshackle cable ferries dot the upper reaches of the Columbia River. But none is so unusual as the one manned here by a woman.

The crude barges, powered by the current of the river, are clumsy, heavy and difficult to handle. The task of piloting the cumbersome craft across the river here is capably taken care of by Mrs. Imogene Balcorn, the only woman ferryboat operator on the Columbia.

Mrs. Balcorn, an attractive medium-sized woman, expertly guides

the craft by a wheel much bigger than herself.

The woman operates her ferry the year around. Her cargo, for the most part, consists of transporting cattle across the river when they are brought out of the mountains to pasture in the more verdant lowlands.

Youth Pedals Way Through School

HARTFORD, Conn.—Louis J. Passarini, 23, wants a college education so much that he is willing to ride his bicycle 54 miles three nights a week to get it.

Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday he leaves his home here at 4:15 p. m. and arrives at Springfield, Mass., 27 miles away, in time for first class at 7 o'clock. It usually is 11 p. m. by the time he is back home again.

His record pedalling time between the two cities is one hour and 23 minutes. Recently, when he speeded up to better that mark, the front wheel struck a

16TH ANNIVERSARY SALE CONTINUES on SUITS and TOP-COATS -A wonderful gift for any man! SALE PRICES \$12.97 to \$29.87 Field and Stream and California Sportswear LEATHER JACKETS, SWEATERS, LUGGAGE Still Carry Sale Price Tags! Come, See for Yourself! GLOBE CORRECT DRESS FOR MEN 220 MAIN STREET for Baby's Cold Proved best by two generations of mothers. VICKS VAPORUB

SEASON'S GREETINGS FROM R.J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY MAKERS OF CAMEL CIGARETTES AND PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO Prince Albert Fine tobacco for Christmas. Camels Of course you'll give cigarettes for Christmas. They're such an acceptable gift—such an easy solution of your problem. And Camels fill the bill so perfectly. They're made from finer, MORE EXPENSIVE TOBACCOS than any other popular brand. They are the accepted cigarette of the social, business, and athletic worlds. Their finer tobaccos give that pleasant "lift"—that sense of well-being so appropriate to the spirit of Christmas. At your nearest dealer's you'll find this gay package—the Camel carton—10 packs of "20's"—200 cigarettes. Another Christmas special—4 boxes of Camels in "flat fifties"—wrapped in a gay Christmas package.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

THE LIGHT OF THE SUN, AT MIDNIGHT, IS VISIBLE IN NORTHERN UNITED STATES AT THE TIME OF THE SUMMER SOLSTICE.

THE MORE VITALLY IMPORTANT OUR ORGANS ARE, THE MORE WATER THEY HAVE IN THEM! OUR BRAINS ARE FROM 80 TO 90 PER CENT WATER!



"VENUS'S-FLYTRAP" FAMOUS CARNIVOROUS PLANT, CATCHES MORE SPIDERS THAN FLIES! SO FAR, NO ONE HAS BEEN ABLE TO FIND OUT WHAT THE PLANT GAINS FROM ITS CARNIVOROUS HABITS.

IT is a little known phenomenon that at the time of the summer solstice, in latitudes as far south as the northern boundary of the United States, the diffused light of the sun can be seen on the northern horizon, at midnight. The light is feeble, however, and cannot be seen near the bright lights of a city.

On Trial in West Point Bribe Case



Charles J. Hoepfel (right), pictured with his father, Representative John J. Hoepfel of California, in front of the District of Columbia Supreme Court, was identified at their trial on charges of having conspired to solicit a bribe, as the individual who accepted a \$1,000 promissory note in return for a promised appointment to West Point. The accuser of the Congressman and his son is James W. Ives, former Olympics star.

Scout Troop Will Have a Christmas Tree This Friday

R. A. Steele, scoutmaster of Troop 9, announced that members of the Boy Scout Troop would have a Christmas tree Friday night, Dec. 20, at which members of the troop would exchange gifts. Each Scout is expected to bring apples, oranges or other fruit to fill a basket to be given to some needy family of Ranger, which is part of the troop's activities for the year.

At the same time it was announced that a rally would be held in Carbon the second week in January and the Ranger troop would make plans to attend. Plans are also being discussed for a winter camp at Camp Billy Gibbons, it was stated.

State Verifies Odd Accident Cases

HARRISBURG, Pa.—A cross-section of Pennsylvania's industrial accident reports of recent months discloses some unusual mishaps.

Cats, snakes, spiders, cows, turtles, pigs and horses played the leading roles in some of the unusual accidents reported to the State Department of Labor and Industry, according to Ralph M. Bashore, head of the department.

To emphasize the importance of employe and employer exercising "care at all times and in all circumstances," Bashore cited a few "unusual accidents," as follows:

A West Homestead employe, who had a warm spot for cats, suffered a badly lacerated hand while removing his pet feline's head from a machine in which it became wedged.

A Philadelphia fireman who tripped over a cat and fell from the first floor to the basement, suffering cerebral concussion and lacerations.

A Philadelphia restaurant worker who was badly snapped by a turtle before he started making soup.

A Dauphin County worker who was bitten by a snake when he lifted a stone.

Another unusual mishap was a Scranton window cleaner who was badly cut when a window knocked him arm against his pocket in which he carried several razor blades. The razor blades were part of his equipment, used for scraping stickers and posters from windows.

Dentists, too, are not immune from accidents. In Philadelphia, a dentist suffered a badly blackened eye when a tooth he extracted slipped from the forceps and struck him in the eye.

"These are some unusual accidents," Bashore said. "I cite them to bring out the great need of care at all times and in all circumstances so that by cooperation we may further reduce the number of industrial accidents in Pennsylvania."

Bath Memorial Marks Aga Khan's 50th Year Jan. 21

LONDON.—Millions of Khoja Ismailia Mohammedans will drink the Aga Khan's bath water on Jan. 21 of next year.

The occasion is the golden jubilee of the birth of their spiritual leader, His Highness the Aga Khan. A direct descendant of the Prophet Mohammed, the Aga Khan is best known in Europe and America for his outstanding racing stable.

The celebration will be held in Karachi, India. Journeying there especially for the occasion, His Highness will greet the mass of Khoja Ismailia Mohammedans who will make a special pilgrimage from all parts of India.

On the jubilee day of his birth, the Aga Khan will take a special bath. The "holy bath water" will be distributed to his followers for drinking, it is said, thus allegedly purifying their body and soul.

Vegetables Shipped From Valley Show A Marked Increase

SAN BENITO, TEXAS.—Total

fruit and vegetable shipments from the Valley through Dec. 5 forwardings were 1,978 cars or 789 cars more than for the corresponding period of last year. This year's totals include 1,747 cars of fruit, 226 cars of vegetables, and five cars of mixed fruit and vegetables. Last season's totals on the same date were 914 cars of fruit, 271 cars of vegetables, and four cars of mixed

products. This week's shipments were 183 cars of grapefruit, 12 cars of oranges, 22 cars of mixed fruit, 49 cars of mixed vegetables, 25 cars

of snap beans, 12 cars of cabbage, five cars tomatoes, and one car each of English peas, parsley and greens. "President Roosevelt Leading Traffic War." Victory is only a question of time if the younger Roosevelts desert to his side.

Gifts for "Her"

AT WARDS THRIFTY PRICES

Pre-selected to make your selection easy! And every one a typical Ward value!

59c SHEER RINGLESS CHIFFON HOSE

Best quality we know of at this price! Full fashioned! Dull texture! Silk picot tops! Reinforced toes and heels! All latest shades!

1.29 CAPEKIN GLOVES

Novelty gloves of soft, pliable, washable Capel!

98c Handsome HANDBAGS

French import copies! Smart simulated leather!

69c Smart SLIPPERS

Black rayon D'orsays with red linings and dressy bows! Comfy padded soles!

39c Cannon TOWELS

Spongy! Thick! Absorbent! Solid colors or white with fancy borders! Bath size!

4.49 TWIN WAFFLE IRON

Why keep anyone waiting when this iron cooks two waffles at a time. Handsome chrome finish—attached black tray.

1.59 GIVE SILK SLIPS

Grand assortment of luxurious silk slips! Frilly and tailored! Some lace-trimmed!

2.98 ELECTRIC TOASTER

Speedy! Takes two slices—turns them! Chromium! Smart! Modern!

25c DOUBLE BLANKETS

These 5% wool blankets make warm gifts! 95% fine China cotton! 72 x 84". They tuck in deep!

1.19 CHINA LAMPS

7 hand decorated boudoir styles! An amazing low price! Charming gifts!

94c SHEETS MAKE LOVELY GIFTS

GIVE SHEETS

Wards famous Long-wear sheets, 81 x 99 inches! Tuck in deep!

Kids! Get the TOYS You Like

★ Yet Help Your Dad Save Money! Wards Show You How!

Pay 25c To Hold 'Till Dec. 20

TABLE AND CHAIR SET Special Price 79c

Practical play-toy-furniture set for children up to the age of four! Strongly made. Folding, but has a strong catch to secure it while open. Colorfully finished in bright lacquer. A real value!

RACER COASTER 3.48

Save \$1.50! Imagine! This Full Sized Ward

- 1-pc. all-steel body
- 3-ply roll rim wheels
- Speedy roller bearings

The interlocking rim wheels resist curb dents, are three times more durable. 1-piece body can't pull apart, has no sharp edges. Bright red and cream enameled. 8 1/2-in. wheels, 3/4-in. tires. For 8 to 14 yr. olds. A wagon every boy wants!

43' Electric Train 4.48

Includes Transformer

Official Union Pacific Set—with long-life transformer, 17 pcs. track, electric headlight.

New Pedal Bike 98c

Actually Worth \$1.49

Streamlined. Heavy steel bright enamel. Rubber tires. For children up to 3 years.

Blackboard and Chair 1.00

Actually Worth \$1.50

Complete with chalk, eraser, and chair—at this low price! Board opens to form a desk!

25' Baby Doll 1.59

Just Like A Baby

Composition arms and legs. Lashes, teeth, wears complete baby outfit!

Hammernail Set 1.00

Includes Table and Bench

Caters to child desire to drive nails! Spongy board, nails, colored wood, hammer

Fibre Rocker 1.00

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