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After that wild golf match, Mysterious Montague has every right to a legal complaint that he has been placed in jeopardy twice.

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Private Life of the Bedbug Exposed In Government Study

By Fred Bailey
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Department of Agriculture entomologists, after months of investigation, have bared the private life of the Cimex lectularius, alias the "Red Coat," alias the "Bedbug."

The department printed 10,000 copies of leaflet No. 146, replete with illustrations of the insect at work and at play. Drawings showed him lean and hungry and others depicted him feeding greedily upon his host.

The bedbug, the entomologists announced, is an "undercover" worker, normally nocturnal. He attacks his victims while they sleep and may live nine months on one good meal of two or three drops of blood.

"Bedbug," said the entomologist, "are sucking insects. It requires a well-grown bedbug from five to seven minutes to become engorged with blood if its feeding is unimpeded."

"Once filled to capacity, the bug withdraws its proboscis and quickly crawls to its hiding place, where it remains several days digesting its meal, seemingly indifferent to its host."

When hunger finally reasserts itself, the department said, the bedbug waits until the lights are turned out at night and then seeks its host for another meal. Only extreme hunger can drive them to work during the daytime.

Few people would use the word "bliss" in describing the marauding bedbugs, but the entomologists do. In many instances, they said, the bite results in no irritation and many persons "are blissfully unaware that they have been bitten"—until the next morning.

When the bedbugs bite, they inject a fluid into the skin of their host which may cause irritation, inflammation and welts develop, accompanied by much itching. By that time, however, the pesky little insect is safely back in hiding.

The booklet reveals their common hiding places and tells how to exterminate them. The first problem, says the entomologist, is to find where the bedbugs secret themselves during the day. Usually they may be found about the joints or seams of mattresses, in cracks and crevices of the bedstead, behind baseboards, window and door casings, loose wall-paper or cracks in plaster.

The next step is to call a professional fumigator, or if you prefer, do the job yourself. A hand-spray filled with high-grade rosenol with small additions of pyrethrum extracts will make life just too, too difficult for the pest if you make sure that the spray comes in contact with the bugs.

BOND POSTED BY HEPLER ON MURDER COUNT

Clyde Hepler of Houston, who was charged by Dec. 9 indictment of 91st district court with murder without malice in connection with the Nov. 30 automobile accident death of M. D. Cox of Odessa, has posted \$1,500 bond, it was disclosed Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Tug Underwood.

The indictment against Hepler charges him with operation of an automobile while intoxicated and through accident and mistake figuring in a crash which claimed the life of Cox. The Odessa man was the occupant in another car.

The accident occurred between Cisco and Eastland. Hepler, too, was injured in the accident but was released in several days.

Man Charged With Theft Posts Bond
Buster Deckert, charged with theft over \$50, has executed \$750 bail bond, it was announced on Thursday.
Deckert was indicted Dec. 8 on the charge by a 91st district court grand jury. The indictment stated one 42-inch sprocket, one 90-inch sprocket rim and one sprocket rim were taken from Herman Kelly.
Delmar Perrin, also charged by indictment with theft over \$50, has been placed in custody, Deputy Sheriff Tug Underwood announced. Allegedly one drill belt was taken Aug. 16 from Coke Martin.

Crippled Youth Work Summarized

B. E. McGlamery, Eastland district supervisor for the crippled children's division, State Department of Education, has summarized his 1937 work.

The summary covered activity since July 1. Prior to that time he was supervisor of crippled children's work and vocational rehabilitation until that work was separated.

The summary included the following activities:
1. Visited 181 families in which there were new cases of crippled children, which might be benefited by hospitalization.

2. Visited 328 families in which hospitalization had been provided by the Crippled Children's Division.

3. Visited 97 families in which there were crippled or deformed children for whom no hospitalization could be provided or who did not need help.

4. Gave to families or other interested persons 104 sets of commitment papers with which to make application for hospitalization of crippled children.

5. Made 18 addresses to groups large and small in the interest of the State Program for Crippled Children.

6. Prepared not less than 50 articles for the newspapers of this section discussing the work of the Crippled Children's Division.

7. Visited at least 75 local newspaper offices and gave interviews concerning the work being carried on for crippled children.

8. Visited with 75 physicians in the interest of crippled children in the particular section in which he worked.

9. Held conference with not less than 250 city and county officials in an effort to get the best results from the crippled children's program in each city and county.

10. Talked with at least 300 other people who were interested in the work of the Crippled Children's Division.

11. Attended both State and District Social Welfare meetings in 6 places.

12. Maintained District headquarters at Eastland and carried on the office work necessary to carry out the program in his territory. This required the writing of something like 1500 letters and reports.

13. Traveled something like 15,000 miles by automobile over 65 counties in doing this work.

County Home Head Expresses Thanks

W. L. Wood, superintendent of the county home near Eastland, Wednesday expressed appreciation of residents of the home for Christmas courtesies.

Wood stated: "We wish to thank the members of the Methodist church and the members of the Baptist church of Eastland who presented the Christmas programs and the fruit gifts. Also we wish to thank the Ranger Fire department and Olden residents for their kind thoughts during the holiday season which accompanied fruit gifts and programs."

McCarty Visiting Eastland Father On Holiday Trip

Employed as a staff writer on the New Yorker, weekly magazine published in New York City, read principally by residents of the metropolitan city though distributed throughout the nation, of Eastland frequent opportunities to interview international celebrities.

McCarty has been in Eastland this week to visit his father.

McCarty recently interviewed Herbert Hoover, former president, who stated that he was interested in the Republican party in an objective manner, that he was not to be a candidate again.

Others interviewed recently by McCarty, working on special assignments and subjects of his discovery, include E. Phillips Oppenheim, the writer of stories of international intrigue and espionage, and Helen Hayes, actress.

He stated that there are no special working hours on the publication, not being a daily publication with deadlines throughout 24 hours.

An editorial staff of 40 is employed on the publication. McCarty formerly was employed in circulation work on the New York Herald-Tribune. An acquaintance with Stanley Walker, Texas, former editor of the magazine, celebrated newsman and author, led to the position on the magazine.

Law Provides Aid For Road Workers

Eastland county state highway department employees, with others of the state, beginning Saturday will be covered by workmen's compensation insurance as provided by an enactment of the 45th legislature, regular session, of the law known as house bill No. 420 drawn by Representative Lon E. Alsop.

According to E. M. Belcher, director of the insurance department, the highway employees compensation act adopts the general workmen's compensation laws of the state in so far as the amount of compensation and medical services is concerned.

Heretofore no employee of the state had protection. Medical assistance was not provided either, it was pointed out.

The law provides that the highway department shall be self-insuring, that is, the cost of the insurance shall be paid out of highway funds, and the highway department cannot buy insurance from an insurance company.

Eastland Stores To Remain Open On New Year Day
With the exception of the post office and the Eastland National Bank Eastland will be "open for business" on New Year's day Saturday, it was announced Tuesday. Business houses are remaining open because the holiday falls on Saturday.

Gas Well Aflame—\$100,000 Slight



Chilly householders who arise on winter mornings to find the gas flickering in a feeble flame under low pressure, might well contemplate the beauty of the gas well fire pictured above, shooting flames high into the air near Los Angeles. The well "blew in" when drilled, hit a swamp gas pocket. Friction later ignited the gas, ruining the well, with damage estimated at \$100,000.

REVISION OF GRID AREA IS ADVANCED BY GROUP

Interscholastic league officers of the district is the complaint that the district as known standing provides too many games and distance between member schools is too great.

Another reason that the new district's formation is favored is seen in the report Odessa, Midland and Wink, and possibly Coleman, next year are to ask admission to Class A grid warfare.

In this year's district set-up Eastland, already with a crowded official game schedule, did not have a practice game.

All members of the Eastland school board have not formally given approval to the suggested new district but are understood to privately favor the move.

1,500-Test Near Carbon Planned

Application to drill T. W. Johnson No. 1 Mrs. Mary L. Jackson as a 1,500-foot wildcat one mile south from Carbon was on file on Tuesday in the office of Deputy Railroad Commissioner I. J. Kilgough.

Location is on the 160-acre Jackson tract, section 34, block 2, H. & T. C. survey, 160 feet from the west line and 555 feet from the north line of the lease.

Johnson, operator on the test, is a resident of Fort Worth.

Final Time Fixed For Two Poolings

Monday afternoon is final time for placing of orders in potato and fertilizer pools, it has been announced here.

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce has been announced as the place where farmers and others may place their orders in the poolings. The potato deadline is at 1 p. m., and the fertilizer deadline pooling at 2 p. m.

Rush for Payment Of Polls Is Seen

A January rush for poll tax payments is inevitable, it was seen Wednesday in a report from Assessor-Collector C. H. O'Brien that only 800 have been issued thus far.

With 800 issued now and a total of 6,000 likely to be reached before the February 1 deadline it was believed the majority would be issued the last 10 days of the period.

Citizens have been urged to secure their poll tax receipts early in order to avoid waiting during January.

Act of Congress Needed to Cash a Check for One Cent

DALLAS—S. J. Nadel of Dallas decided against asking congress for a special appropriation to cash a 13-year-old government check issued to him. The check was part of a refund on his 1924 income tax.

The United States treasury refunded 25 per cent of Nadel's 1924 income tax, and then found it had made a mistake and sent a second check. He misread the check and had almost forgotten about it when he received a letter asking that the check be cashed.

A second letter arrived and then a treasury representative called on Nadel and offered to arrange for a duplicate check to replace the lost one. The treasury department asked that a bond equal the amount of the check be posted before a duplicate was issued and Nadel failed to make the arrangements.

Then a letter arrived saying that payment on the check had been stopped, but Nadel could ask congress to appropriate sufficient funds to care for the check.

Nadel found the check recently and decided to keep it as a souvenir. It was for one cent.

Cyrus Frost Is Speaker at Meet

Cooperation of Eastland, Ranger and Cisco for the benefit of all towns and the county in 1938 was urged Monday by Cyrus F. Frost in a talk at Rotary club at the Connelley hotel in Eastland.

Earl Bender presided in the absence of Carl Springer and was in charge of the program.

E. W. Hooks and P. Pettit of Cisco were visitors. Miss Jane Ferguson was guest of the club.

If three members who were absent make up their attendance the club will have had 100 per cent attendance for the month.

Toolhouse Entered But Nothing Taken In Ranger Tuesday

Chief of Police Jim Ingram of Ranger reported today that a lock on a toolhouse belonging to the Texas and Pacific Railway had been broken in an apparent attempt to burglarize the house, but that a check up today failed to reveal any of the tools missing.

Home Decoration Winners Listed

Prize winners in the Civic League Christmas lighting contest at Eastland were announced Monday by officials.

For first prize in exterior decoration Joseph M. Weaver's home on the Bankhead highway east of Eastland was awarded the first prize. The Curtis Kimbrell home was judged the second best in the exterior decoration division.

First prize for window decoration went to the Eugene Day home. Second prize in that division went to the Joseph M. Perkins home.

Prizes will be awarded January 12 at the meeting of the Civic League at the Community club-house at 3 p. m. Winners will be invited to attend the meeting. Prizes are lamps donated by the Texas Electric Service Company.

Sea Gull Naps and Is Frozen In But Is Thawed by Tug

DUNKIRK, N. Y.—Capt. E. G. Tuttle of the tug New York, owned and operated by the Booth Fisheries, has run across "one of the strangest sights I've ever seen in all the years I've spent on the lakes."

The New York was on its way out of the harbor here, the captain said, when one of the crew members spied a large sea gull flustered helplessly on top of the ice.

The captain, despite his hurry to get out to the fishing grounds beyond the harbor, stopped the boat, churned backward, through the broken ice and came alongside the bird.

An examination revealed that the gull apparently had fallen asleep while floating in the water during the night and the cold weather had frozen the surface water, making the bird a prisoner. Its legs and a part of its body were below the ice line.

Crew members brought a hot water hose into use, directing a stream of water in a circle around the gull, which seemed to get the idea and remained quiet. Soon the ice melted and after trying its wings a few times the bird circled the tug twice and disappeared.

Juice Is Scarce In Texas Grapefruit

WESLACO, Texas.—For the first time in their history, Lower Rio Grande Valley canning plants have been forced to small-scale operation because of a lack of suitable fruit.

Citrus fruit grown in the valley this year has a high sugar content but lacks a suitable amount of juice.

In the past, citrus growers and shippers offered culls and other low-grade fruit faster than canners could handle it. First prices offered this year were around \$10 a ton, delivered at the packing plants. Most shippers buy orchard-rum fruit and sell lower grades direct to canners.

About 60 plants will can grapefruit juice this season. They will employ about 3,000 persons, most of whom will be unskilled laborers already residents of the valley.

Dallas Is Planning First Art Research Move In Southwest

DALLAS, Texas.—If plans of the Dallas Art association materialize, this city will have a fine arts scientific research and conservation laboratory—the first of its kind in this section of the country.

The work of the laboratory will be to identify old masters that have become disfigured or tarnished, and to uncover frauds passed as originals.

Charles M. Muskavitch of Boston has been working for several months on the restoration and identification of a number of old paintings loaned the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts. When the fine arts laboratory is opened here, Muskavitch will be in charge.

The collection in which Muskavitch is now absorbed formerly belonged to the Marquis of Torre Tagle of Lima, Peru, who sold the pictures in 1912 to a relative of the present owner.

Covered with dust, they lay in a basement for more than a quarter of a century. The present owner asked the Dallas museum to supervise their renovation, and the Fogg museum at Harvard university recommended Muskavitch for the work.

The collection includes 34 paintings, and was said to be valued at nearly a million and a half dollars. It was loaned to the Dallas museum by a collector who preferred to remain anonymous.

One painting, "The Nativity" was believed to have been copied by Rembrandt from his own original, now hanging in the British National Gallery at London.

The most valuable painting the collection is probably "The Concert" done in 1629 by Valazquez. Muskavitch's work has revealed that two others are Correrios, one a Rubens, another a Giovanni Bellini, and others are by Tintoretto and Lorenzo Lotto.

Muskavitch is now working on a Bronzino entitled "Piano Capello" which he said was one of the finest works of the great Medici court painter that had found its way to America. His restoration work revealed that a small boy in the picture had been added after the original painting was completed.

More than a dozen pictures remained to be cleaned and authenticated. The laboratory to be established in Dallas will serve museums and collectors in the South and West, now forced to send their paintings to the Fogg museum, with which Muskavitch was formerly connected, or to some other museum in the North for restoration.

There is no mystery in the restoration of pictures, Muskavitch said. Scientific equipment is used. Pigments are chemically analyzed, wood fiber and canvas studies with a microscope, and X-Ray, ultra violet rays and infra-red photography sometimes employed.

January Term's Jurors Selected

A commission appointed by Judge B. W. Patterson was drawing names of jurors on Thursday morning for four weeks of the 88th district court January term.

Juries will be used the week beginning Jan. 10, Jan. 17, Jan. 24 and Jan. 31.

Members of the jury commission were E. C. Satterwhite of Eastland, George Boyd of Cisco and F. E. Langston of Ranger.

Slate Trade Day Saturday at 2:30

With stores remaining open Saturday for New Year's Day business, the regular trades day is scheduled for the afternoon, Secretary H. J. Tanner of the Chamber of Commerce reminded Wednesday.

Tanner stated the trade day feature would begin at 2:30 on the Eastland courthouse square.

Howard County's Vote Is Contested

A contest of the December 10 Howard county election which favored discontinuance of the sale of all liquors has been filed in Big Spring district court by Milton Lawrence, Eastland attorney.

Since January 15 has been set as final day of sale of beverages in the county an effort may be made to hear the case before that date, it is believed.

Experts Meet For Air Cooling Study

PHILADELPHIA—Experts from nine schools will discuss the progress of air conditioning at the annual chemical engineering symposium of the Division of Industry and Engineering Chemistry of the American Chemical Society here Dec. 27 and 28.

Scientists from the Universities of Pennsylvania, Michigan, Illinois, California and Louisville; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cooper Union and Columbia and Yale Universities will report on the technical and economic aspects of air conditioning, in addition to a round-table discussion of dry equipment.

Fifteen industrial laboratories also will send representatives.

Prof. Norman W. Kruse, head of the chemical engineering department of the University of Pennsylvania, will preside at the opening session at the university, to her parents' home at Eastland.

Ranger Man Given Honor By Masons

R. H. West of Ranger was significantly honored by the Grand Lodge of Texas Masons when he was appointed district deputy grand master for the 73rd district which includes Ranger, Eastland, Breckenridge, Cisco, Caddo, Carbon, Gorman, Rising Star and Desdemona.

West was not aware of his appointment until his visit at the grand lodge in Waco recently.

The new appointee has been very active in Masonic circles in West Texas for the past 15 years.

RETURNS HOME

Miss Marguerite Adamson, the daughter of County Judge and Mrs. W. S. Adamson, who has been ill of influenza recently, was removed Wednesday from Ranger to her parents' home at Eastland.

Curves Dolls
Business Venture

Christmas season. The doll-maker uses cottonwood root entirely for making the solid parts of each doll, because the wood is light and porous, easy to work with and very durable. Wigs are made from real hair donated by Mrs. Loveland's friends. Often she gives the hair a permanent wave. The doll is painted with enamel and oils, and dressed with clothes made by Mrs. Loveland. She can make an average-sized doll in one day, unbreakable and equal to the best built at factories.

WASHINGTON
NEWS



FROM CONGRESSMAN
CLYDE L. GARRETT

HAPPY NEW YEAR—I wish to take this opportunity of wishing all my constituents and the publisher of this newspaper a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year. I also fervently hope that the coming year of 1938 will find all of us enjoying more of the better things of life and that in the turbulent days to come, this great nation of ours shall continue to avoid any entanglements that may lead to war. Here's a hearty hand-clasp to all of you for 1938.

THE NEW SESSION—When Congress convenes for a regular session on January 3, it will be able to get right down to work. Many of the preliminaries that consume two or more weeks at the beginning of sessions will be eliminated because of the special session. Tax revision is certain. What new taxes will be taken up is very hard to say but there will be changes in several kinds of present tax laws. Many other measures are scheduled for an early consideration.

MARRIAGE BILL—Sen. Capper of Kansas has introduced a "standardized" marriage law in Congress. His bill would set up a uniform national divorce law. It proposes an amendment to the Constitution to empower Congress to make such laws. The amendment would require that three-fourths of all the states ratify, a process which requires months and sometimes years. He proposes two years intervention between application for license and ceremony. Insane persons, or those with certain infectious diseases be refused license, and that a minimum age

of 18 years for men and 16 years for women be set.

PEACE VS. WAR—The situation in the Far East is becoming more tense. There seems to be more need than ever for a neutrality law that will insure our keeping peace over here. Rep. Ludlow's resolution proposing a constitutional amendment under which Congress would only have power to declare war providing the United States is invaded, with a national referendum vote to be taken before Congress could declare war has been discharged from committee and is scheduled for early consideration.

SANTA CLAUS—In at least one instance in the United States Santa Claus will be on the receiving end of a Christmas present. Postmaster General James A. Farley signed a commission reappointing Oscar L. Phillips Postmaster at Santa Claus, Indiana for another four year term. Phillips is the Postmaster who annually plays the role of Santa Claus for thousands of children throughout the U. S. who receive letters from Santa Claus with a genuine Santa Claus postmark affixed to each envelope.

DUCKS—Most of the market ducks in the U. S. are of the Pekin variety and the best commercial flocks are remarkably uniform in size and quality. This is probably due to a considerable degree of inbreeding, in the variety. Nearly all the Pekin ducks in the country are descended from a relatively small number of imported birds. Ducks offer a virgin field for poultry-breeding research, since little has been done in the way of scientific duck breeding—and there is an excellent opportunity for the investigation of the inheritance of meat characters in ducks.

FARM MACHINES—A reminder of the broad changes that engineering developments in farming have made in the way of life on the American people prefaces the annual report to Secretary Wallace. A century has passed since the invention of the steel plow and the grain harvester. Today

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there are more than 1,250,000 farm tractors in use, electric power is available on 1,000,000 farms, \$5,000,000 acres of the best agricultural land are in organized drainage districts, 19,000,000 acres are under irrigation in the West, and supplemental irrigation is now practiced on nearly 1,000,000 acres in the humid part of the country.

HALF THE FAMILIES have an income of less than \$1100.—In 140 villages selected as representative of American village life, half of 22,644 native white families interviewed by the cross-section method in the year 1935-36 were living on incomes of less than \$1100 annually, according to tabulations made by the Bureau of Home Economics.

CANNED FISH FOR CATS WARSAW.—One of the largest fish canneries in the Polish port of Gdynia is negotiating with a firm of British importers to supply them with large quantities of canned fish, intended especially for cats.

Corpus Christi Is
Rapidly Growing
As Important Port

CORPUS CHRISTI—Roy Miller, nationally prominent inland waterways authority and one of Texas' most widely known figures, last week was named head of a newly-formed organization for expansion of the Port of Corpus Christi and extension of the intra-coastal canal from Galveston to Corpus Christi.

Increased shipping through the Port of Corpus Christi in the past two or three years has brought about a necessity for enlarging the harbor's facilities. The Port on November 31 had recorded receipts of 3,840,811 tons of cargo since January 1, representing a gain of more than one million tons over shipments for 1936, with one more month's business yet to be done. Shipping for 1936 showed a gain of more than 1,500,000 tons over that of 1935.

Two new general cargo docks now under construction will be completed about January 15, marking the third addition of facilities at the port since it was opened in 1936. The 21-mile ship channel from Turtle Cove to Corpus Christi was deepened from 25 to 30 feet several years ago. Increased use of the port at that time also necessitated the building of five new docks to augment the harbor's four original docks. In 1934 the present industrial canal, which leads from the main turning basin and terminates in a second turning basin two miles away, was built. Plans are now under way for construction of a new oil dock to augment the three

oil docks now in use. Miller, whose home is in Corpus Christi, has maintained headquarters in Houston in recent years while serving as active vice-president of the Intracoastal Canal Association of Louisiana and Texas. On January 1 he will move his headquarters to Corpus Christi where he will be closer to the completed portion of the canal project and to the local port.

RUPTURE

SHIELD EXPERT HERE H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago, will personally be at the Connelley Hotel, Eastland, Tuesday only, January 4th, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

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- Cauliflower . . Head 15c

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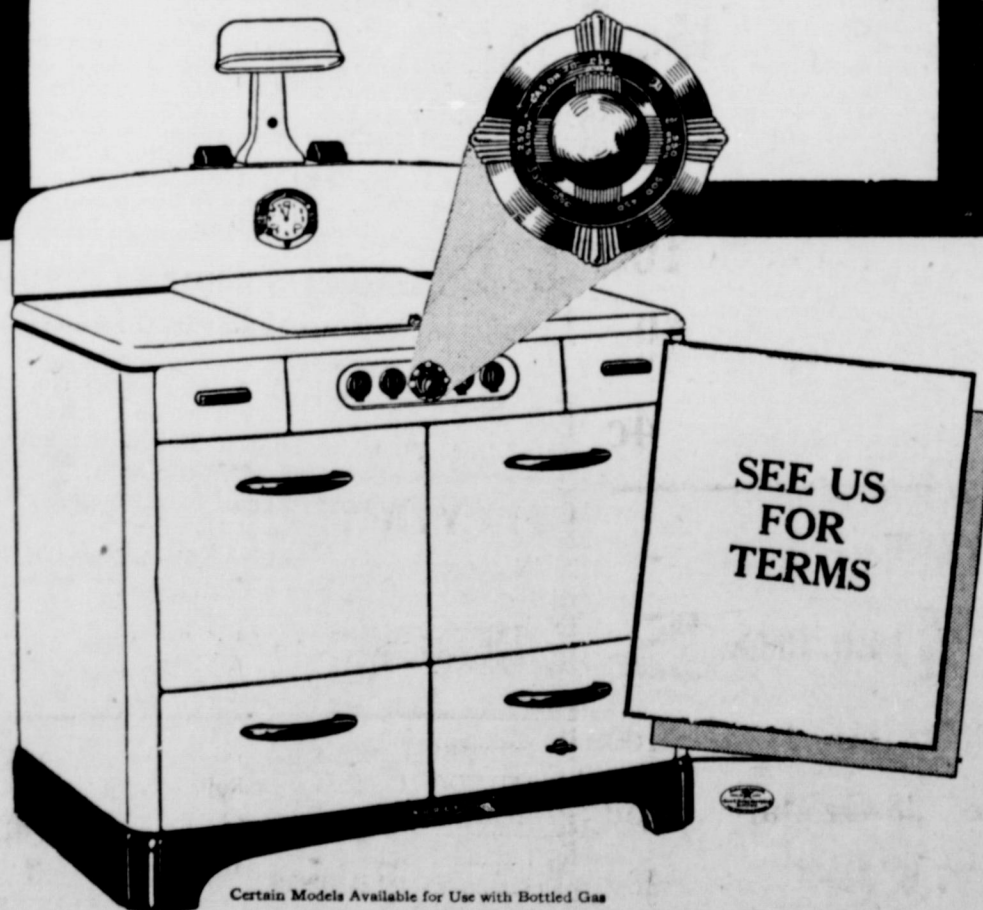
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LIBBY'S OR DEL MONTE **PINEAPPLE JUICE** 3 No. 211 CANS 25c

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TOMATOES 2 NO. 2 CANS 13c

PORK & BEANS Van Camp's 3 16 Oz. Cans For 17c

DATE & NUT BREAD Crosse & Blackwell's 2 Cans 25c

COMPOUND 4 LB. CTN. 45c 8 LB. CTN. 82c

PIPKIN'S SPECIAL COFFEE 2 Pounds 35c

CAMP-BELL'S **TOMATO JUICE** 2 15-oz. Cans 15c

PIPKIN'S BEST **FLOUR** 6 LB. BAG 29c 12 LB. BAG 50c 24 LB. BAG 95c

SYRUP Chapman's Pure Ribbon Cane—No. 5 Cans 35c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 4 No. 1 Cans 25c

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MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE Per Pound 27c

BESTYETT SALAD DRESSING Pint 19c Quart 29c

WITH RECIPE ON PACKAGE—**SOFTASILK** 44-oz. Pkg. 29c
And this Flour you cannot make a better cake than with any other recipe for similar cake and any other cake flour, Manufacturer will give you DOUBLE YOUR MONEY!

FIGS 6-oz. Pkg. 5c

Illinois Best **CORN** No. 2 Cans 10c

STUFFED FIGS - DATES 14-Ounce Package 19c
STUFFED DATES 1-Pound Package 19c

- Quality Fresh**
- LETTUCE** EXTRA LARGE Per Head 5c
 - CELERY** Large Stalks—Each 15c
 - ONIONS** Sweet, Yellow—Per Pound 4c
 - TOMATOES** Per Pound 15c
 - ORANGES** California Navels Per Dozen 18c
 - GRAPEFRUIT** Texas Seedless 3 for 10c
 - POTATOES** RURALS 10 Pounds 19c
 - CABBAGE** FIRM HEADS — Per Pound 4c



- GLOVES** Heavy Canvas 2 Pairs 25c
- SALT** Cook Book or Rock Crystal 3 Boxes 10c
- Mince Meat**, 3 Pkgs. 25c
- FRENCH STYLE Green Beans** NO. 2 CANS 15c
- Dry Beans** NAVY or LIMA 2 Lbs. 13c
- P&G** 5 Giant Bars 19c
- CAMAY** 3 Bars 19c
- OXYDOL** Large Package 19c
- BROOMS** White Rose—EACH 25c
- SUNBRITE**, 2 Cans 9c
- WALDORF TISSUE**, 2 Rolls 9c
- HERSHEY'S Cocoa** 1/2 LB. CAN 9c
- DEL MONTE Raisins** 15 OZ. PKG. 9c
- American SARDINES**, 2 Cans 9c

- MEATS** Choice Grade
- CHOICE CUTS**
- STEAK** Per Pound 25c
 - FULL CREAM CHEESE** Per Pound 24c
 - END CUTS—**
 - PORK LOIN ROAST** LL. 20c

- JELLY and PRESERVES**
- "MA BROWN" GRAPE JAM** 1 Lb. 10 Oz. 25c
 - BAMA JELLY**, Asst'd Flavors, 8 Oz. Jar 10c
 - APPLE BUTTER**, White House, 38 Oz. Jar 23c
 - APPLE JELLY**, White House, 2 Lb. Jar 23c

- ARMOUR'S STAR SLICED BACON** POUND 35c
- DRY SALT JOWLS** POUND 12 1/2c

HIT OF THE MEAL Delicious **"HOT BISQUICKS"** Serve With Honey! Lg. Pkg. 33c
Made With Failure-Proof **BISQUICK** 33c
HONEY, 1 Lb. Jar 29c

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Reflection upon the character, standing or reputation... cards of thanks, notices of lodge meetings, etc., are charged

War Petition Worth Signing

America is a nation of petitioners... You can always get at least a few people to sign a petition

But once in a blue moon there is an exception... such a petition is being circulated by the Veterans of Foreign Wars

The V. F. W. plans to circulate these petitions through each of its 3600 posts throughout the country

There can be little doubt that this petition, whether it gets its 25,000,000 signatures or not, pretty accurately reflects the feelings of the people of the United States

Not can there be any doubt that such a petition, backed by that great weight of names, would have a profound effect on the people who run our government

Do we want to tie our hands that way? At a time when international gangsters are on the prowl as never before, do we want to make it plain that no matter what they do we shall not lift a hand to stop them

We learn things the hard way, always; but 1918 must have been enough to teach us that war is a poor way of removing wrongs from this world

If you get a chance at the V. F. W. petition, sign it.

All Children of Section Asked To Eastland Fireworks Party

Children of this vicinity Thursday were invited to attend Eastland's third annual gigantic fireworks party at Connellee race track Friday night, Dec. 31, beginning at 8:30.

The fireworks display is given in appreciation to Eastland children and those of the vicinity who with their parents trade in Eastland. The display will last 45 minutes.

In event of cold weather a bon fire will be arranged to keep the spectators warm. Children of the rural sections have been especially invited.

666 COLDS in 3 days FEVER Liquid, Tablets, First day Salve, Nose Drops, Headache, 30 minutes 1st "Rub-My-Tum"-World's Best Liniment

R. L. Horn Will Be Buried In Ranger Friday Afternoon

Funeral services for Rufus Lee Horn, 58, who died suddenly at his home in Odessa Tuesday, will be conducted from the First Baptist church of Ranger Friday afternoon at 2:30, with burial in Evergreen Cemetery

'Short Change Man' Reported In Ranger

Ranger officers today sought a "short change artist" who was reported to be working in the town, but failed to locate him. The man made the usual small purchase in one of the local stores, offered a ten in payment and when he got his change insisted that he had given only a one dollar bill.

Board Formally Okays Grid Idea

Members of the Eastland school board Wednesday night at a meeting gave formal approval to a suggestion the Oil Belt football district be revised. P. B. Bittle, superintendent of the Eastland schools, chairman of a committee from schools desiring the change, was authorized to convey to the interscholastic league the board members' belief the district be revised.

Eastland 'Rotes' Awaiting Banquet

The Eastland Rotary club Thursday conceded itself winner of a three-month attendance contest against the Breckenridge organization and members awaited a banquet due from the losing club. Officials reported that the Rotarians of Eastland maintained 100 per cent attendance for the last eight consecutive meetings and for the duration of the contest

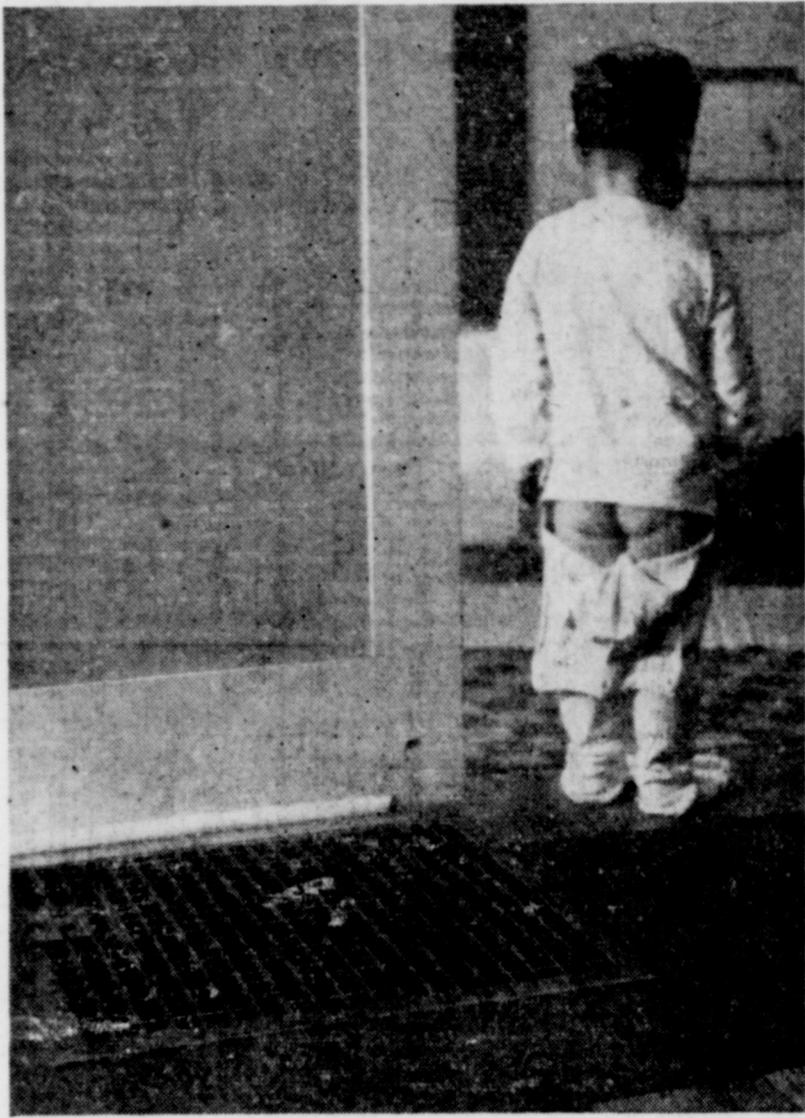
Gorman Lodge Will Confer Third Rank

Members of the Eastland lodge of the Knights of Pythias have been invited to attend a session of the Gorman lodge at its building Monday night at 7:30, when the third rank will be given a candidate. At the Eastland organization's recent meeting John Harvey received the first rank.

Try Our Want Ads!

GAS COMPANY'S PHOTO CONTEST WINNERS!

100 ENTRANTS WIN CASH PRIZES TOTALING \$1,250.00!



1st Prize... Taken by Dr. Clarence E. Gilmore, Paris, Texas

Hundreds of entries reveal Southwest has many "Candid Camera Amateurs" with outstanding Talent!

Your gas company is happy to announce the prize winners in its photo contest. During the ten-week period, October 11 to December 18, hundreds of photographs were received.

We sincerely thank each and every one of you for the very excellent photographs submitted.

The Four Grand Prize Winners:

- 1st. Dr. Clarence E. Gilmore \$100.00 204 Liberty National Bank Building, Paris, Texas
2nd. GEO. I. FETZER \$75.00 213 South Waverly Drive, Dallas, Texas
3rd. MRS. RUBY F. CLEMENTS \$50.00 2217 Mistletoe Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas
4th. MRS. J. D. COULTER \$25.00 210 East Wise Street, Bowie, Texas

\$10.00 in cash was awarded to these 100 entrants for the 10 best Photos of each week of contest

Table with 10 columns representing weeks (1st to 10th WEEK) and rows listing winners and their locations (e.g., Wichita Falls, Waco, Dallas, El Paso).

NOTICE!

Interest on Customer Deposits is payable January 1, 1938, and can be had by calling at Company's office. For the convenience of our customers, unless payment in cash is requested before January 1st, amounts of 30c or more will be credited on customers' January bills.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY J. E. LEWIS, Manager

LONE STAR Community Natural Gas Co. GAS SYSTEM

Lone Star System Photograph Event Winners Are Given

Dr. Clarence E. Gilmore of Paris is announced as first grand prize winner in the Lone Star Gas System photograph contest which closed Dec. 18. His award is \$100. George I. Fetzer of Dallas received second award of \$75; Mrs. Ruby F. Clements of Fort Worth, third with \$50, and Mrs. J. L. Coulter of Bowie, fourth with \$25.

Announcement of the grand prize awards is made this week by the gas company through an advertisement appearing in this issue of the paper. A complete list of winners of weekly \$10 awards made during the contest is also given in the gas system's advertisement. A total of 100 \$10 prizes was given by the company, ten each week during the contest, which opened Oct. 11, for the ten best pictures submitted.

The picture which won first prize of \$100 for Dr. Gilmore, submitted during the ninth week of the contest, was used to illustrate the advertisement announcing the awards. It shows Dr. Gilmore's young son, attired in sleeping garments, backed up to a gas floor furnace for a final warming up before retiring.

Mr. Fetzer's picture which won second award of \$75 was submitted during the second week of the contest. It is a view through a window at night, looking into a cozy living room heated by a gas radiant heater.

Winner of the third grand prize of \$50 was an entry made by Mrs. Clements during the fourth week of the contest. It shows eleven bright eyed youngsters, busy with books and toys, in a cheerful kindergarten room heated by a gas circulator. The fourth prize winning entry which brought \$25 to Mrs. Coulter was submitted during the second week and shows a family group in a living room heated by a gas circulator.

Grandmother's Quick Wits Save a Girl

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Quick thinking of an 84-year-old grandmother saved the life of Helen Edmonson, high school sophomore.

The girl was in a local hospital, critically burned. Her dress was ignited by the flame of an open gas heater, and the girl ran through the house. Her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Edmonson, caught her and threw a quilt about her, smothering the fire.

Garland Branton First to Announce For County Office

RISING STAR, Texas, Dec. 30.—Garland Branton, Rising Star, serving his first term as public weigher of precinct No. 7, this week opens the 1938 political season by being the first to place his name in our announcement column as a candidate for County Treasurer. Garland makes his announcement subject to the Democratic primaries and expects to make an active campaign during the months between this time and the primaries.

It goes without saying that Branton will enter the race with practically the solid endorsement of the south part of the county where he has been reared and has many friends who regard him as not only well qualified for the place but richly deserving of the honor of serving his county in official capacity. Notwithstanding the fact that several years ago, due to an unfortunate gin accident in which he lost both arms, he has carried on in a way that has won the admiration and respect of all who know him. During these years he has worked at anything he could find to do, among other things being an expert truck driver, which occupation he followed through the oil development here. Later he worked on projects and when in 1936 he offered himself as a candidate for public weigher he was given an overwhelming majority over a worthy opponent. He has given complete satisfaction in the discharge of his duties as weigher, and many here agree that he is the most efficient weigher the precinct has ever had.

During these years he has been able to take care of his wife and three young children in a time when many with all their limbs and faculties intact have fallen down on the job. He is ambitious to be given a position in which there is possible promotion so that he may educate his children and give them the chance of life they deserve.

He does not ask for votes on account of his physical disability, but assures the public that the duties of the office will be taken care of in a thorough and painstaking manner.—Rising Star Record.

BODY SHIPPED

The body of Ophelia Sullivan, 41, Groesbeck negro who died of a heart attack Tuesday at Eastland, was shipped Thursday morning to Groesbeck for burial.

Breaks Ice



Garland Branton, public weigher at Rising Star, who this week makes public his announcement as a candidate for the office of county treasurer.

Condition Better For Luke Hinton

Luke Hinton, father of Bailey and Miss Edith Hinton and Mrs. L. V. Simmonds of Eastland, who was injured in an accident recently at Dallas, was reported "much improved" Thursday.

The accident occurred Christmas eve in a railroad yard at Dallas, where Hinton is a switchman. So badly injured was his right arm that it was necessary to amputate. Other injuries included a broken left hip, broken right ankle and three broken ribs. He is in the St. Paul's hospital at Dallas.

Browns to Enter Sugar Bowl Meet

Delmer and Elmer Brown of Eastland, students at North Texas State Teachers college, are to compete in the Sugar Bowl meeting Sunday at New Orleans, La. Among events which the Browns will enter is the 440-yard dash.

REUNION HELD

Many of this section attended a family reunion last week at the Timothy Matthews home in Cisco. They included Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King of Nimrow, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nichols of Carbon.

Every time the public gets set for a pleasant little business cycle, it turns into the old variety of tail spin.

Visit to Doctor Is Urged By the State Health Officer

AUSTIN, Texas.—Stock taking or inventory time will be here in just a few days and Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges everyone to visit their family physician and have a thorough physical examination.

Each year merchants take an inventory of their assets to determine the condition of their business. Personal health is a big business for everybody, and they should take stock of their physical condition at least once a year.

Perhaps it is lack of persistent warning, but it seems to be downright carelessness that permits one of the greatest lifesavers yet devised by science to be scorned by the majority. For, in spite of repeated statements concerning the advantages of early discovery and treatment of conditions which are only possible by way of a physical examination at a time when one feels and looks well, the antiquated idea of snubbing the doctor until pain and illness overtakes one still rules.

Cancer, tuberculosis, nephritis, diabetes and heart ailments are below the belt hitters. Being master criminals they attack silently, and frequently have their victims in their power before they are aware of their presence.

It is urgently recommended that those who wish to live throughout the year and other years to come, as healthily and happily as possible, should have a complete physical examination. The correction of any defects in their early stages will save much time, suffering and money.

Tickets to Dance Still Available For Friday Event

Non-purchasers Thursday were urged to buy tickets immediately for the Junior Thursday club New Year's eve dance at the Connellee hotel Dec. 31.

"The response thus far has been very gratifying but we still have ample tickets for those who have not decided to attend or have delayed purchasing," officials of the club reported.

"Even though you don't dance, why not buy a ticket?" it was urged. "The money will go for a good cause."

Chuch Collins and his orchestra from Wichita Falls will furnish the music.

Du Pont Address Contains Tip For Texas On Policies

DALLAS.—Sections of the du Pont before the Congress of widely-heralded analysis of "industry's outlook" made by Lamont American Industry are cited in a current report of the All-South Development Council as pointing an opportunity for Texas to achieve industrial growth far beyond that which has accrued simply from her natural advantages.

In his plea for a lifting of "the fog of uncertainty that blankets industry" du Pont, president of the far-flung E. I. du Pont de Nemours company, pointed out that "while we were once dependent wholly on natural materials, only man's ingenuity is now the limiting factor in industry," and that ingenuity, in turn, is limited by fear of new restrictions on capital, new limits on profits.

Pointing out that American opinion is virtually unanimous that the chief hope for permanent adjustment of major economic differentials lies in vigorous expansion into new fields, du Pont pleaded, "give industry a reasonable degree of certainty upon which it can count in planning current and future operations. In short, lift the fog and let us see the road we must travel."

While du Pont's address, hailed as one of the most reasonable and constructive analyses of "industry's side," was concerned chiefly with the difficulties business has with federal legislation, the Council's report notes that the comments are certainly applicable to state governmental trends, and that the opportunity for Texas to take a commanding position in the competition for industries and wealth-creating investment lies in its adopting and promulgating a far-sighted policy assuring industry stable conditions under which to operate.

In this connection the following du Pont excerpt was termed especially noteworthy, in view of the admitted instability of Texas tax schedules and the lack of any constitutional limits to taxing power: "At this juncture, the stabilization of tax rates over a definite period, plus a simplification of the tax structure, may be almost of more importance than the actual level of taxes. . . . The present fear that we face a rapidly ascending tax scale, as well as new taxes the nature of which nobody can guess, stands like a wall in the part of industrial expansion."

Should Texas become the first and foremost state to attain such stabilization, the report concludes, it would have an economic and political advantage commensurate with her established advantages of resources, climate and population.

Bootleg Oil Plant Found by Officers

HOUSTON.—Texas oil regulation officials discovered a well equipped bootleg oil plant at Texas City and arrested the operator who had tapped nearby pipelines and reduced the crude oil to high-powered distillate which he sold to filling stations as gasoline.

The "plant," camouflaged as junk around a barn behind his Texas City farm, was connected to a line of the Bennett Pipe Line company running from Dickinson to Texas City.

The operator skimmed off the lighter end of the oil, "cooked" the distillate, and then returned the bottoms to the pipeline from which it had been taken. There was no accumulation of waste oil which might have aroused suspicion.

In order to get to the line tapped he had augered under two parallel lines and a highway and run a 2-inch pipe about 300 yards to his barn.

On the outside of the barn were his storage tanks, six gasoline drums buried in the ground and covered with concrete slabs.

His distribution tank was an ingenious contrivance itself. It was built on an old touring car which contained two hidden built-in compartments.

Girls' Hats Collected As Hobby by Athlete

BORGER, Texas.—When a Borger high school football player was called to the principal's office for taking a girl's hat, he said that it was his hobby.

The youth invited the principal to see his collection of feminine millinery, each piece a different color and shape.

"I always ask for them first. But sometimes I don't get them for asking and I have to use other means," he explained.

ROTARIAN ALWAYS PRESENT NEW PHILADELPHIA.—Something in the nature of a club attendance record has been made by George Rascho who had attended 700 consecutive meetings of the Tuscarawas County Rotary Club. He joined in 1924.

Weirton Case to Call For "Brief" of Six Million Words

STEUBENVILLE, O.—The National Labor Relations Board's hearing on anti-union charges against the Weirton Steel Co., already has produced 3,000,000 words—equivalent to 40 novels—and the case is not half finished.

Starting Aug. 16, the hearing has been in session almost continuously either here or at New Cumberland, W. Va. The board and the Weirton Employees Security League, which the SWOC charges when that is concluded Weirton Steel will present its evidence. This is expected to consume as much time as taken by the board's presentation.

Of the 279 former Weirton em-

ployes who charge they lost their jobs because of their activities with the Steel Workers Organizing Committee, only 120 thus far have testified. Board attorneys have expressed the opinion that all claimants who charge they lost their jobs through union activities will have to testify before they are eligible for reinstatement in event of a ruling in favor of the SWOC, which brought the anti-union charges against Weirton.

Thus far, 225 witnesses have testified, 37 of them non-employees of Weirton Steel. Recently the board summoned as witnesses a number of officers of the Weirton Employees Representation Plan and the Weirton Employees Security League, which the SWOC charges when that is concluded Weirton Steel will present its evidence.

The hearings, the longest in the history of the NLRB, have produced a record already 12,751 pages in length, which has cost the Weir-

ton Steel Company \$415 a day. The record is 12 1/2 inches thick. The steel company \$2.15 a day. The NLRB's 12 cents a page. Due to the reporting fee, the board, thus increasing page rates to the company. Two reporters, two dictaphone operators and a clerk are employed in compiling the record transcript.

The cost of the record is estimated at \$30,000. But in addition, Trial Examiner E. G. Smith is paid a \$35 daily fee, the labor board employs four attorneys, the steel company four, and the two independent unions acting as intervenors are employing two lawyers.

Weirton Steel employs about 12,000 men at its Steubenville and Weirton, W. Va., plants.

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Please let us have your cleaning early Friday!
And we wish everybody a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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WEST MAIN ST. PHONE 20

MODERN DRY CLEANERS & DYERS
SOUTH SEAMAN ST. PHONE 132

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COME TO THE BIG FIRE WORKS DISPLAY

Connellee Race Track EASTLAND

FRIDAY NIGHT, DEC. 31, AT 8:30

EVERY BODY INVITED

BE SURE AND BRING THE KIDDIES SPECTACULAR ILLUMINATIONS NEVER BEFORE SEEN IN EASTLAND

YOU'RE WELCOME --- BE HERE!

THIS BANK WILL BE CLOSED SATURDAY, JANUARY 1 PLEASE ATTEND TO YOUR BANKING NEEDS FRIDAY!

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COME AGAIN IN 1938!

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Long Popeye Film Begins Run Today

Hey, Kids! B. J. Aylesworth, manager of the New Lyric theatre, announces a two-reel all-color Popeye cartoon, "Popeye Meets Alia Baba and the 40 Thieves," will be shown today and Saturday in addition to the regular program.

The cartoon is twice as long as the regular animated feature, it was pointed out. "Sinbad the Sailor," a cartoon shown last year in Eastland, was viewed by many and since it is similar, same length, to the Popeye picture today and Saturday hundreds of children and adults are expected to see the current film.

The management promises one of the most entertaining cartoons ever shown in Eastland.

Political Announcements

The Weekly Chronicle is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For County Treasurer: Garland Branton.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

JUST ONE PAL TO HUNDREDS OF OTHERS . . . HERE IS HOPING EVERYTHING GOOD FOR EVERYBODY IN 1938!

P. L. CROSSLEY
District Clerk

Geologists to View State's Oil Stratas

AUSTIN—Nationally prominent geologists will view some of Texas outstanding oil stratas on field trips announced as part of the program for the 11th national convention of Sigma Gamma Epsilon here Dec. 29 to 31.

The Greek letter fraternity, devoted to interests of students in geology, mining, metallurgy, petroleum engineering and ceramics, was founded at the University of Kansas in 1915. There are now 30 chapters.

Many of the national officers of the organization will attend the convention. They are:

E. F. Schramm, University of Nebraska, Lincoln; E. P. Henderson, U. S. National Museum, Washington, D. C.; K. K. Landis, University of Kansas, Lawrence; E. T. Hodge, Oregon State College, Corvallis; C. B. Carpenter, Colorado School of Mines, Golden; F. M. Bullard, University of Texas, Austin; W. A. Tarr, University of Missouri, Columbia.

Zeta chapter of the University of Texas will be lost for the convention. Its officers are Jerald H. Bartley and E. A. Dodson of Austin, R. C. Redfield and J. M. Frost, Houston, Dr. R. H. Cuyler of the University of Texas is the chapter sponsor.

Metal-Rubber Alloy Has Been Perfected

BERLIN.—A new metal called "Schwingmetall," made of metal and rubber, joined by a vulcanization process, has been discovered by German technical experts.

The alloy, it is said, can be used in the manufacture of china, as a ready shock-absorber when used in bed-plates; shipbuilding, to lessen vibration caused by propelling machinery; elastic couplings of great simplicity and safety, and rubber-springs for lorries.

It is of especial importance, it is said, for rail locomotion. With the help of the alloy, vehicles running on rails can be fitted with rubber-sprung wheels, the tires being held to the wheel with rubber rings. Through this method of rubber-springing, rail vehicles run silently even on curves. Trams so sprung make only half the noise they otherwise would.

Hobo Requests Bar On Daylight Time

SHERIDAN, Wyo. — J. Leon Lazarowitz addressed a request to Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes of the U. S. Supreme Court that he be named a friend of the court and be permitted to plead before the tribunal his petition for the abolishment of daylight saving time.

Lazarowitz made the request as "one chief justice to another." The president of the Rambling Hoboes of America, Inc., chief justice of the supreme hobo kangaroo court of America, doctor of gratis touring and professor of milestone inspection, was en route north for the winter when he announced his request to the chief justice.

"I work north in the winter and south in the summer to avoid competition," he explained. The hobo went into detail with officers and reporters concerning his daylight saving case, while checking out of the city jail where he had applied for lodging overnight.

"I'm petitioning in behalf of the transient public in asking daylight saving time be declared unconstitutional," he said and displayed a prepared brief.

The petition sets forth, among other things, that Dr. Lazarowitz was once caused to miss a freight train because of daylight saving time and was deprived of an hour's sleep.

Date Bureau Grows So Big It's Problem
ST. MARYS COLLEGE, Cal.—Saint Mary's College, Catholic men's institution, endeavored to solve its social problem by establishing a date bureau, but reckoned without the girls of Oakland and surrounding cities.

The bureau, instead of being obliged to seek "dates," received so many telephone calls from girls looking for them that college authorities feared the situation might get out of hand and ordered the bureau closed.

Window Washer Is Injured by a Fall
DALLAS, Dec. 30. — Frank Thompson, 39, a window washer, was injured critically today when he slipped and fell from a sixth story window of a downtown building.

Thompson's body struck Joe Breedlove, 25, who was walking along the sidewalk. Breedlove suffered a shoulder injury and severe bruises.

Panay Refugees Seek Safety Aboard River Craft



Leaving the horror of the Panay bombing and sinking to seek safety ashore, these survivors are shown on a Chinese river craft in the Yangtze River. In center, wearing cap, is Weldon James, United Press Nanking correspondent. To his right are Norman Seong, New York Times; Mr. McDonald, London Times; Sir Barzini.

Rail Executive Has Big Collection of Old Dime Novels

By United Press
ST. PAUL, Minn.—Half a century ago a boy in Omaha, like many another youth his age, thrilled at the breath-taking adventures of "Buffalo Bill," "Dead-eye Dick," "Nick Carter," and the rest of the heroes of the paperback dime novels.

The youth did his reading in the attic and in a secluded corner of the barn because his parents, like other parents of the age, didn't think well of the characters that had a tremendous youthful following.

As he acquired these nickel and dime novels, George H. Hess, Jr., never failed to scribble his name on the flyleaf.

Time has brought a great deal of respectability to the old Indian-fighting, hard-riding, villain-fighting daredevils of the dime novel, and Hass, comptroller of the Great Northern railroad, has nearly 8,000 of them in his home here.

"As reading matter," Hess said, "naturally they hold little interest for me now. But I am collecting them in the hope of finding some with my name written in them. So far, after nine years of collecting, that hope is unfulfilled."

Bowling Alley to Open On Saturday

Bethal's Bowling Alley, located next to the Texas Electric Service company, will be open Saturday, M. R. Bethal, proprietor, announced today.

Bethal and his family, composed of his wife and two children, have moved here from Brownwood and are living at 117 Lens street.

As a special feature of the opening day one free game will be given all visitors. Ladies have been invited as well as men.

The proprietor declared that standard and up-to-date equipment has been installed.

Strike Called In 1922, Workers Don't Return

By United Press
SUNBURY, Pa.—An all-time record for lengthy strikes is claimed by a group of Sunbury electricians who left their jobs in 1922 and haven't returned.

The men struck when the Pennsylvania Railroad shop here refused to recognize their craft union. A final settlement was reached in 30 days but work was so plentiful 17 years ago that most of the strikers had found other jobs in the meantime and refused to return.

Eastland Girl On J.T.A.C. Honor Roll

Earleen Pitzer of Route 1 Eastland was named an honor student at John Tarleton college, Stephenville, Thursday in a report released from Registrar Charlie S. Wilkins' office after reports of second preliminary grades were submitted. She was included on the B honor roll because she made no grade below 80.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Pitzer of Eastland, Miss Pitzer is a junior in pre-med at Tarleton. After visiting with her parents during the holidays she will return to the college campus in time for resumption of classes Monday.

Farmer Found Dead Is to Be Buried

By United Press
BRADY, Dec. 30.—Louis Cowen, 55, Pearl Valley farmer, found shot to death at his home Wednesday, was buried here today. He is survived by his wife and 12 children.

U. S. SHIP TO AUSTRALIA
CANNBERRA—The U. S. government has notified the Commonwealth that it will be represented at the festivities which begin in January in honor of Australia's 150th anniversary by the U. S. S. Louisville.

WPA Relief Rolls Showing An Increase

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Works Progress Administration relief rolls increased 30,626 during the week ending Dec. 18, according to figures released today. This was the largest increase of any week this calendar year and brought the total number on WPA projects to 1,588,315.

Paris Strike Ended Suddenly Thursday

By United Press
PARIS, Dec. 30.—A strike of municipal workers, which stopped subway and bus service and threatened water, gas and electrical supplies, ended today as suddenly as it began.

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FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent at 604 West Commerce. See Rose Bishop at 204 South Dixie.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

We look ahead to this day. It gives us the opportunity to express our appreciation for your loyal patronage. We are able to join in this mutual expression of friendship and good health . . . and hope that the year to come will be one to remember for the many good things we hope it will bring to you.

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BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR

It is our earnest wish that everybody have a gloriously Happy New Year! The old has been fun but the new will be better . . . and at Freyschlag's the service will be better, too, and other things that go to make a good insurance service. Can we expect to see you in 1938?

FREYSCHLAG INSURANCE AGENCY
N. Side Square, Eastland

GREETINGS

A New Year dawns for the whole world . . . new opportunities, new events, practically a new life for everyone. And incidently, this is a new chance for us to wish every one in this community . . . Happy New Year!

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May you during the coming year find the priceless gifts of health, happiness and contentment. We take this opportunity to thank our friends and customers for their many favors.

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West Main

GREETINGS FROM THE NEW YEAR

To everybody, and that's lots of people, but the new year is near and full of good cheer and we don't want to leave anybody out so we'll say it as we have said it before—greetings for a very Happy New Year . . .

Rip Galloway
County Clerk
EASTLAND COUNTY

FOR THE NEW YEAR

May happiness and good health come to you in all abundance . . . may prosperity smile on you . . . may your every day be one of contentment . . . your friends a source of constant pleasure . . . A New Year wish from . . .

C. H. O'BRIEN
Assessor-Collector
EASTLAND COUNTY

HAPPY NEW YEAR

May the spirit of the season reflect itself in all the happiness, health and joy that surround you and yours for the coming New Year!

Earl Conner Jr.
Criminal District Attorney
EASTLAND COUNTY

GREETINGS

Wish you a very happy New Year. At this time of the year I am desirous of expressing appreciation for your loyalty and friendly attitude during the year past. You have made it possible for me to realize many of my objectives for public service.

B. W. Patterson
Judge, 88th District Court
EASTLAND

FOR A MOST HAPPY NEW YEAR AND

We thank you for your patronage during the past year and wish for you and yours a full measure of the coming year's choicest delights.

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EASTLAND

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Corner Drug Store wishes its patrons and friends all the joy and happiness that can be crowded into each day of the New Year. May future days bring abundant joy to you and yours.

Kenny's Corner Drug Store
Main and Lamar
EASTLAND

BEST WISHES FOR 1938

A New Year ahead! New opportunities . . . new things to see . . . new friends to make. All in all, many days to look forward to. May 1938 be kind to you, bringing you the fullest share of prosperity and good health. And lest we forget: it means keeping alive our friendship for a nother year.

Geo. L. Davenport
Judge, 91st District Court
EASTLAND COUNTY

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The management and entire personnel of Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Company join in wishing you a Happy New Year. We sincerely hope that we may continue to serve you throughout the coming year.

Texas Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

BEST WISHES FOR 1938

We would like to tell our greetings to you in person but it seems that we are not able. So we will try to extend our best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year on a piece of paper with a flock of ink.

CROWELL LUMBER CO.
West Main Street

Texas Supplies Stock for New "Store" Run by U. S., Ace Helium Merchant

AMARILLO—Uncle Sam, merchant, is opening up a new store in Washington, selling helium gas to the world for non-military aviation and scientific and medical uses, but his "factory" is here on the Panhandle plain—and it's by far the largest of the only three commercial-scale helium producing plants in the world.

By authority of the Sheppard-Hill bill signed by President Roosevelt on September 1, the Bureau of Mines is empowered to produce and sell helium to citizens and corporations of the United States and even to export it, with the reservation that any export quantities deemed of "military importance" must be specially licensed by the President.

Already the State Department has approved the application for 17,900,000 cubic feet of helium for the German Zeppelin Company, paving the way for resumption of dirigible flights between Germany

and the United States next Spring.

Originally planned to start Jan. 1, inauguration of sales and exports of helium now awaits only completion of final steps in the purchase of two privately-owned manufacturing plants at Louisville, also authorized by the congressional act and expected shortly, when government control of all helium will be absolute. The government has gas rights to 50,000 acres in the Panhandle, and also owns reserve fields in Utah.

The story of development of this rare and precious, non-inflammable gas goes back to the winter of 1916-17, when England appealed to America for helium. Her urgings were referred to a man who, seven years before, had shouldered responsibility for accepting another English proposal which revolutionized automobile transportation in America. Arthur Hudson Marks, now vice-chairman

of the board of the B. F. Goodrich company, in 1908 had said "yes" to a British proposition which gave America the cord tire that had been pioneered in England.

Then in 1916-17, as a civilian volunteer in the service of the Bureau of Construction and Repair of the Navy Department, Marks, with government experts, studied through a 12-year accumulation of government files and within 48 hours had given the go-ahead for intensive development of America's helium resources in Texas, obtaining an initial sum of \$750,000 from the War and Navy departments.

From this grew experimental helium extraction plants at Petrolia and Fort Worth, in 1918, which produced 200,000 cubic feet—not enough to help either the United States or England in the war, but enough to establish the possibilities of production.

The first permanent plant was established near Fort Worth by April, 1921, and produced 46,000,000 cubic feet before January, 1929, when operations were re-

moved to Amarillo, where the "Cliffside structure" had been proven to contain gas about twice as rich in helium.

In the Amarillo plant, now capable of turning out 24,000,000 cubic feet a year, production costs have been rapidly reduced. In contrast to the \$2500-per foot cost of helium when it was first produced in 1895, from minerals after laborious experimentation—the plant here has a record, for the month of January, 1932, of \$4.93 per thousand feet on big scale production, and of \$7.10 per thousand for the whole fiscal year ending July 1, 1932.

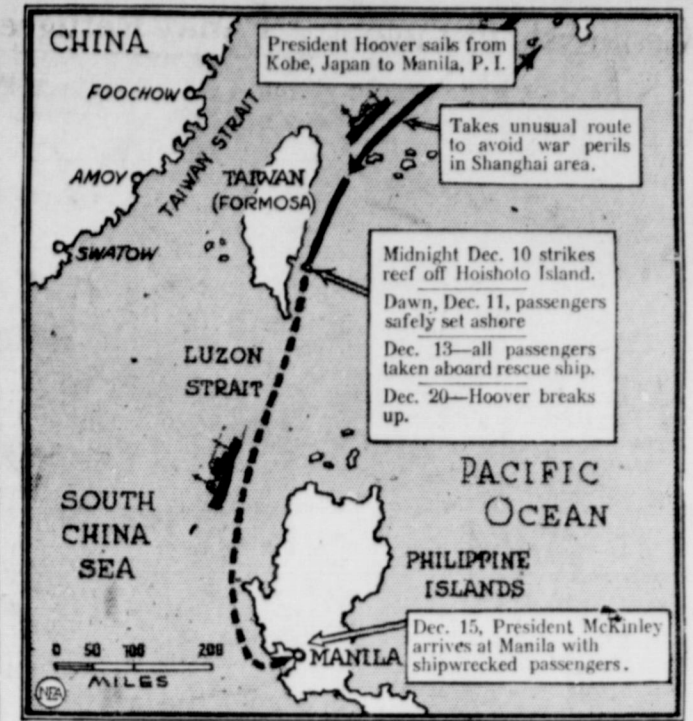
Natural gas was first found to be possible source of helium in 1905, at a shallow well near Dexter, Kas. The Texas fields, however, proved to be much richer, and it was found that the natural gas can be used, unimpairing, for fuel purposes after the non-inflammable helium has been removed.

Against the single disadvantage of having about eight percent less lifting power than hydrogen, helium has not only the transcendent advantage of absolute non-combustibility, but also, in the final analysis, is more economical than hydrogen despite higher initial cost, Bureau of Mines officials point out.

This is because helium can be withdrawn from an airship, re-purified, and re-used, an operation impossible with hydrogen because of the extreme danger of explosion. Also the helium required for "replacement losses" is much less than is the case of hydrogen.

Besides the boon to world-wide development of lighter-than-air aviation inherent in helium's new availability, it is likely that many uses will be found for it in chemical science and medicine. Recent research has proved it a "lifesaver" in extreme cases of asthma, reports Dr. A. L. Barach of Columbia Medical Center, New York. Other experiments indicate increasing uses of helium in food preparation, refrigeration and other chemical process industries.

Where the Hoover Went Aground



This map tells graphically the story of the luxury liner President Hoover's last voyage, when she sailed a strange course and went aground off Hoishoto—an island so little known that few charts show it. Taking off 435 passengers, the crew stayed with the vessel until her keel was broken by the pounding waves.

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..... If the New Year brings you a new home, it will make us both happy, and we wish that you might start out with this simple resolution — "I will buy a home in 1938."

This year is yours, and so is the home — **HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!**

EARL BENDER & COMPANY
Abstracts — Insurance — Real Estate — Rentals

50 Boys Will Get NYA Jobs In Jan.

AUSTIN—About 50 boys from Texas metropolitan centers will be assigned to a National Youth Administration Resident Work and Training project starting late in January 1938 at Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos, J. C. Kellam, State Youth Director, announced.

The youths will be selected by local committees composed of representatives of organized labor, educators versed in trades and industries, an employers. Harry W. Acreman, Executive Secretary of the Texas Federation of Labor, has advised with Mr. Kellam concerning the project, and Travis J. Lewis, Vocational Coordinator for the Fort Worth School system, is assisting in organizing the project.

Mr. Lewis has already conferred with labor leaders and educators in San Antonio, Houston, Waco, Austin, Dallas, and Fort Worth regarding selection of youths.

Only young men who are eligible for NYA employment and who are regarded by labor officials as available for apprenticeship following completion of the course will be assigned to the project.

The youths will work about 60 hours a month on the college campus in order to earn enough money to pay for room and board. They will receive about 100 hours instruction and training each month in a general industrial training shop course in wood and metal work.

James R. D. Eddy, director of the Vocational Educational Division of the State Department of Education, is cooperating with the College and the NYA in developing the course of study. Homer U. Miles, who was recently selected to head the Industrial Arts department of the College faculty, will be in active charge of the training course.

The Texas Youth Administration has operated several Resident Work and Training projects. Last summer nearly 500 youths interested in farming were assigned to projects at half a dozen Texas colleges. A series of three-month domestic service training projects aimed at turning untrained Negro girls into competent house maids has been operated at Prairie View State College since September 1936. More than 75 per cent of the youths who completed the Prairie View training course are now privately employed, Mr. Kellam said. Another unit of this course will begin January 15.

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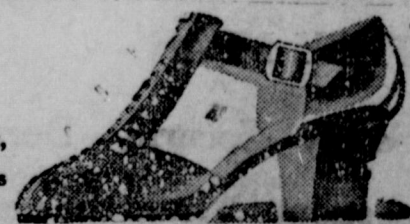
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