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SENATE VOTES DOWN PRESIDENT'S BONUS VETO

C. of C. Directors To Elect Officers At Meet Tonight

An important meeting of the new board of directors of the chamber of commerce will be held tonight at 7:30 in the office of the secretary, it has been announced.

The new directors, S. O. Montgomery, J. J. Kelly, F. P. Brasher, Hal Hunter and Coke Martin, will be installed into offices, after which officers for the coming year will be elected. The officers to be elected include a president, vice president and a secretary.

After the officers are elected plans for holding the annual Retail Merchants Chamber of Commerce banquet will be discussed, and it is likely that committees on arrangements will be appointed.

All the holdover directors, as well as the new members of the board, have been urged to be present for the meeting tonight.

All the Ranger public schools were closed Monday for the funeral services.

He Milked the—



C. L. Flanders of Breckenridge who milked the cow that kicked over the lamp that started the conflagration that burned down Chicago.

County Building At Eastland Was Breck Man's Work

BRECKENRIDGE, Jan. 27.—The Texas Centennial will be just another world's fair to C. L. Flanders of this city, among other things, claims to have once milked the O'Leary cow that kicked over the lantern which burned up Chicago back in 1872.

Flanders is nothing new to this veteran. Back in 1876 he helped put up the old Dallas Fair buildings. For that he had his name inscribed on a plaque at the entrance to the fair grounds.

In 1891 he migrated to Chicago where he helped throw up the background for the 1892 World's Fair. It was while he was doing this that he milked the O'Leary cow.

He was a neighbor of the O'Learys and when the cow booted over the lantern he was the first to reach the blazing structure on DeKoven street. The fire spread, however, and Flanders watched the city burn for five days.

Flanders came to Texas in 1881. He built courthouses at Jacksboro, Breckenridge, Seymour, Eastland, Corsicana and Amarillo.

So the Texas Centennial is just another world's fair to this pioneer and veteran of expositions.

EIGHT ARE INJURED

COMMERCIAL, Jan. 27.—Eight men were injured today when a work projects work trailer overturned. The accident occurred when the trailer failed to negotiate a turn. Thirty-five men were thrown to the ground.

SMITH'S TALK IS SUBJECT OF MUCH RIDICULE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Democratic house leaders today met Al Smith's anti-new deal attack with an assertion it made "more sure than ever" the renomination of President Roosevelt—a prospect Smith hinted would find him bolting the democratic party.

The spokesman dismissed without comment and forbodings of the possible bolt by Smith.

Speaker Joseph W. Byrns compared Smith with former President Herbert Hoover after asserting the Liberty League address made more certain than ever President Roosevelt would be the candidate of his party.

"I think the millions who listened in expected to hear something about what Al would have done. Instead he indicated he would have followed the 'do-nothing' methods of Hoover," said Byrns.

Majority leader William Bankhead said he considered the speech the result of a "lot of peevish growling out of the Chicago 1932 convention, led by J. P. Morgan (Liberty League president) who has been sore as a boil and ever since has been living on Du Pont money."

The fight over Smith's speech burst out on the house floor when Rep. Clifton Woodrum, Dem., Va., close friend of Roosevelt, charged that Smith had "moved uptown."

ARCTIC WINDS BRING NEW COLD TO MID-WEST

By United Press

Biting Arctic winds howled down from the frozen wastes of Western Canada today, reviving a cold wave in all the territory east of the Rocky Mountains. Light snow in the east was a forerunner of a blizzard.

Sub-zero temperatures prevailed for the sixth day in the middle-west. It was the most extended cold wave since 1922. Even the deep South, with the exception of Southern Florida, had freezing temperatures.

The cold will continue through Wednesday, forecasts said. Many rural schools will remain closed until normal temperatures return.

Deaths attributed to the cold mounted to nearly 200.

Derailing of five cars of a passenger train at Sulphur Springs, Iowa, and a three car elevated train in Chicago was blamed on rails cracking in the cold. No one was injured in the Iowa wreck but a score received treatment after the elevated jumped the track in Chicago.

Petit Jurors For 88th Court Called

Following is the list of petit jurors summoned by 88th district court for service the fifth week of the January term beginning Feb. 3:

Julius Kruse, Eastland; T. H. Harris, Carbon; W. C. Bedford, Desdemona; V. V. Cooper, Ranger; D. T. Martin, Carbon; C. H. Hartman, Cisco; C. L. Claborn, Okra; J. B. Caudle, Eastland; J. C. Burnam, Cisco; Pat Couch, Eastland; W. T. Healer, Ranger; Carl Johnson, Eastland; Joe Dennis, Ranger; O. A. Umphrey, Cisco; Herman Reich, Cisco; Walter Agnew, Cisco; G. H. Kinard, Eastland; Ralph Bradshaw, Cisco, Rt. 4.

Hurb Tompson, Gorman; S. C. Hale, Cisco; O. D. Brogdon, Gorman; S. G. Tomlinson, Cisco; O. W. Hampton, Cisco; F. P. Yarger, Cisco; G. T. Alford, Carbon; Otto Hagemann, Cisco; O. F. Carr, Gorman, Rt. 3; J. B. Bishop, Eastland; V. H. Carter, Eastland; H. L. Capers, Gorman; J. V. Harbin, Eastland; A. E. Herring, Eastland; Carl Lowery, Cisco; Otto Kuntze, Desdemona; F. L. Drago, Eastland; Newt Hart, Cisco.

Funeral Held For Mrs. Pritchard at Eastland Sunday

With the Rev. P. D. O'Brien of Colorado officiating, services were held from the First Baptist church in Eastland Sunday for Mrs. W. F. Pritchard, 73. The Rev. Fred C. Eastham, pastor of the Eastland Baptist church, assisted. Interment was in Elm cemetery near Gorman.

Mrs. Pritchard was the mother of Ed S. Pritchard of Fort Worth, former Eastland County judge and treasurer.

Funeral Conducted For Edgar J. Miller

Funeral services for Edgar Jackson Miller, 81, who died at his home six and a half miles north of Ranger in Stephens county Sunday night at 11:30, were conducted at 2:30 Monday afternoon at Mt. Zion. Interment was in the Zion cemetery.

Rev. K. C. Edmonds of Ranger conducted the funeral services, which were arranged by Killingsworth, Cox & Co.

The decedent is survived by his widow, Mrs. Bettie Miller. He was born April 15, 1854, and had been a resident of Stephens county for a number of years.

Achievements of Gov. Alled In First Year in Office Show Campaign Promises Fulfilled

At the halfway mark of his first term of office, it is interesting to note the accomplishments of Gov. James V. Alled's administration. In the words of one well known capitalist newspaperman, "Alled's administration has registered some of the most important and far-reaching permanent achievements in state government within two decades."

Some of the most outstanding laws passed during his administration have been the chain store tax, labor laws designed to insure safer working conditions, the Texas securities act, drivers license law, old age assistance law, the adequate regulation and control of the liquor traffic, and the abolition of the fee system of paying county officers. These laws are definitely the results of his first year in office are already firmly imprinted upon the pages of Texas history.

In addition to these laws, Governor Alled's administration has seen the creation of the department of public safety which combined the historic Texas rangers and the highway patrol into a highly effective unit of law enforcement. The governor has carried out his campaign promises by a relentless cleanup drive throughout the state on "big shot" gamblers and law violators of every description.

No longer is Texas known as the "end of the crime corridor."

Coal Miners Expect A 30-Hour Week

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—America's union coal miners, more powerful than ever, prepared today to demand a work week of 30 hours, with no reduction in wages.

On the eve of the thirty-fourth national convention of the United Mine Workers, leaders from President John L. Lewis down emphasized the six-hour day, five-day week, as the objective of the 540,000 union workers in the coal mines.

Opponents of the plan were short-sighted, said the short work week would have no effect on the price of coal and insisted it would have a tendency to put more men to work despite the fact that most mines now do not average a six-hour work day.

A spokesman of what has been called the most powerful labor union, said the demands would be used as a basis for "horse trading" with the mine operators when negotiations for new contracts come up.

Dalhart Has Fad For Astrology

DALHART, Texas.—Astrology fans in Dalhart have increased by the score in the past year. One indication is that astrology magazines have had a meteoric sales rise on local newstands, a survey this week showed. One woman has months of work ahead working out charts for persons anxious to know what the stars hold for them.

The newstands survey showed Dalhart had fairly balanced reading tastes with the big leaders being the pulp and lower priced slick fiction magazines, the joke and the movie magazines.

Members of High Texas Tribunals to Be Honor Guests at Banquet Planned By the Eastland County Bar Society

A banquet honoring members of the Supreme Court of Texas, the Supreme Court Commission of Appeals, the Court of Criminal Appeals and the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals was planned at a called session of the Eastland County Bar Association in 91st district courtroom Monday morning.

Date of the reception, invitations for which will be sent attorneys of this section, will be made on convenience of the honor guests.

A San Jacinto Day meeting of the county group scheduled April

GAS COMPANY SUED, ASKED FOR \$225,000

A suit involving \$225,000 in asserted damages has been filed in 91st district court against Lone Star Gas company, Lone Star Gasoline company, R. F. Gilman, T. K. Simmons, J. H. Boyle and the Federal Land Bank of Houston by William Tilman Stubblefield, Eastland, and F. D. Wright, Cisco.

Basis of the complaint, according to plaintiff's petition, is the alleged non-development of oil and gas leases according to an agreement executed by the defendants in 1914 and 1927.

Nature of the plaintiffs' demands were briefed in citations as follows: "The lease * * * became bound as a matter of law to develop lands for the production of oil and gas * * * and to market the production therefrom with reasonable diligence. That lessees thereafter wholly failed and refused to develop said premises and wholly failed and refused to market the production therefrom * * * Wherefore plaintiffs pray that they be awarded damages to compensate them for the failure of the defendant to perform the obligations imposed upon them by law; that the defendants be required to reasonably develop said premises and market same. And in the alternative that said lease be terminated because of the cessation of production after the primary term, and that said lease be canceled and that the cloud placed on plaintiffs' lands by virtue of said lease be removed."

The lease which is the center of the controversy is allegedly in the S. J. Robinson survey numbers 74 and 82, block 4, H. & T. C. Ry. company lands, and the J. B. Hoxie survey of one-third league in Eastland county containing 2,872 acres of land.

Mrs. H. L. Baskin Of Ranger Dies; Funeral Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Myrtle Louise Baskin, wife of H. L. Baskin, principal of the Cooper school in Ranger, were conducted from the First Baptist church of Ranger Monday afternoon at 3:30 with Rev. G. W. Thomas, pastor of the church, in charge.

Mrs. Baskin died in Ranger Sunday evening at 7:45 after being in a serious condition for several days. Hope for her recovery was virtually abandoned Saturday.

The decedent was born in De Leon Oct. 31, 1895, and had been a resident of Ranger for a number of years. She is survived by her husband, H. L. Baskin of Ranger, twin sons, M. L. and H. L. Jr., and one daughter, Mrs. Fred Yonker of Monahans.

Burial was in the Evergreen cemetery following the services at the church.

Grand Jurors Meet At Eastland For 'Two or Three Days'

Grand Jurors met Monday morning at Eastland. A "two or three days" session was indicated by Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen.

27,000 Youths Will Get Jobs By Feb. 1

AUSTIN, Jan. 27.—About 27,000 Texas youths will be employed in national youth administration jobs by Feb. 1, State Director Lyndon Johnson said today. Part time jobs are furnished 15,000 now going to school, 3,812 are working on outside improvement projects, and 8,588 more will be hired before Feb. 1, he said.

Those 21 After Jan. 1 In Line For Exemptions

Youths who were 21 after Jan. 1 of this year are entitled to exemption certificates, the tax assessor-collector office announced Saturday in urging that all citizens eligible to vote obtain their poll tax receipts or exemption certificates.

Final date to obtain the poll tax receipts or exemption certificates is Friday.

Chief of Grange Has Farm Plan

Sharply opposed to a constitutional amendment to validate the AAA, L. J. Taber, master of the National Grange, is active in the battle for a new farm program. Taber offers a plan involving larger utilization of co-operative marketing, increased use of farm products in industry, and development of new crops. He urges the delegates plan to open foreign markets and a permanent land program.

Moving in of tools for the No. 1 Higgins to be drilled near Staff by R. T. Hoff of Comanche and associates is scheduled this week.

The well will be a direct offset to the Hoff No. 1 White, lot 42, leagues 3 and 4, McLennan county school lands, which was brought in for a fair producer.

The well will be in the northeast corner of lot 43, leagues 3 and 4, McLennan county school lands. Location is 220 feet from the north and east lines of the lot.

McDonald Endorsed As State Candidate In Commission Race

The Eastland County Bar Association, meeting Monday morning at Eastland in 91st district courtroom, passed the following resolution endorsing W. H. McDonald, former Eastland county official, who is a candidate for the office of land commissioner of Texas:

"Whereas, a prominent citizen of our county, Honorable W. H. McDonald, has announced as a candidate for land commissioner of this state, and

"Whereas, Mr. McDonald is one of the leading citizens of our county and an honored member of this association who has the respect and confidence of all who know him, and

"Whereas, by experience and training he is in every way qualified to discharge the duties of the important office to which he aspires in such a manner as to merit the approval of the people of this state, therefore

"Be it resolved that the Eastland County Bar Association in open meeting assembled most heartily endorse Mr. McDonald and commend him to the people of Texas as being qualified and worthy of the position he seeks, and ask of the voters of the state a careful consideration of his claims, and further

"Be it resolved that copies of this resolution be furnished Mr. McDonald and the public press."

BOND MEASURE BECOMES LAW BY ACTION



WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Congress tossed aside the president's veto today, enacted the \$2,227,000,000 soldier bonus measure into law and left up to the administration the problem of how to get the money.

Offset to Recent Staff Well Due

The bonus passage removed one of the most troublesome political issues of the post-war period, though the question of providing the money remains.

It is understood the treasury has made plans for printing the bonds but detail work in large quantities if necessary.

The bonds will be dated June 15 so veterans must wait five months for their cash.

10,000 Ethiopians Killed In Battle

ROME, Jan. 27.—Ten thousand Ethiopians were killed in the recent battle in Southern Ethiopia, a communication announced today.

The communication said the Italian losses were "held to a minimum." Several hundred natives on the Italian side were killed, wounded or missing.

IMMEDIATE SESSION NOT EXPECTED NOW

AUSTIN, Jan. 27.—There will be no immediate session of the Texas legislature, Gov. Alled said today.

Alled declined to define what the term "immediate" indicated. In a statement he made in plain there will be none before Feb. 14 when the old age pension law takes effect and probably not for some time after that.

"There will be no immediate session," he said. "If it becomes necessary to call one later I shall do so."

The old age pension law did not receive sufficient votes to go into effect immediately. It will become effective Feb. 14. Notwithstanding it has had no legal status the old age assistance commission has been working without compensation. This is a large task but application blanks will be ready Feb. 14.

BOND MEASURE BECOMES LAW BY ACTION

Bonds To Be Dated June 15 So Soldiers Must Wait Five Months.

Veterans' organizations which led the campaign for payment originally due in 1945, saw the senate follow the pace set by the house last Friday when it overrode the president's six-paragraph message. The senate action made the bonus a law. Payment will be made probably next June in baby bonds.

A congressional fight for inflation to pay the bonus now due 3,518,000 veterans in all parts of the United States was believed certain. Administration forces, however, indicated additional taxation would be necessary to meet the bonus payment.

It was pointed out this is a campaign year and leaders hesitate to offer proposals for new taxation at present. At the same time the administration experts were known to be working on new tax proposals necessitated by readjustment in the 1936 budget since the opening of congress.

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Nomination of T. W. Davidson Approved

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The senate judiciary committee today reported favorably the nomination of T. W. Davidson as district judge in the northern district of Texas.

Neutralty Bill Is Reported to House

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The house foreign affairs committee broke through a partisan row over neutrality today and reported the neutrality bill intended to keep the nation out of a foreign war.

The bill, continuing the mandatory present embargo on implementations of war and giving the president discretionary embargo powers as of materials of war, is expected to be brought up in the house next week.

Pension Board's Offices Uncertain Eastland Advised

Location of regional offices of the Texas Pension Board has not been definitely decided, Orville Carpenter, director, telegraphed from Austin to H. C. Davis, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, in reply to an invitation from Eastland that office space would be furnished.

According to Austin dispatches, 20 regional offices will be set up to administer duties of the pension board.

Carpenter's wire: "Location of district offices not yet definitely decided upon. Appreciate your kind telegram and will advise you later. Orville S. Carpenter."

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Borah Lets Public in on Choice of Leader

You must give Idaho's tall Senator Borah credit for one thing, at least; he has taken the Republican presidential nomination for 1936 out of the smoke-filled room and tossed it into the open where the people can get at it.

For a time it looked as if certain party leaders, in their eagerness to get back to the good old days were going to try to get back all the way to 1920.

You may recall what happened in that year. Wood, Lowden, and Johnson came to the convention with their pockets full of delegates and proceeded to kill one another off. Then, just as Harry Daugherty had predicted, the boys who run things met in a hotel room—which, since politicians like their cigars, was as full of smoke as the old tradition demanded—and put over Warren G. Harding, who had not even been able to win a solid delegation from his own state in the pre-convention balloting.

The fruits of Mr. Harding's elevation to the White House are still a matter of painful memory.

There were disquieting signs of late that the same sort of thing might happen again in 1936. Political bosses were doing their utmost to avoid open contests for delegates at the polls. They were urging the development of "favorite son" candidacies wherever possible.

The idea apparently was to bring together as large a group as possible of delegates whose commitment to this, that, or the other candidate reflected no solid, publicly expressed wish of the voters back home.

If that could be done, the electorate could be presented with a candidate about whom it had had no chance to speak its mind.

Along comes Senator Borah, at this point, to knock this scheme endwise. The senator seems to have the old-fashioned idea that a pre-convention fight for delegates ought to be a real fight, with everybody in there leveling; and if he has anything to say about it, that is the kind of fight there will be.

All this is one of the most healthful developments in recent American politics.

The coming campaign may well hinge largely on the question of old-fashioned democracy versus centralized executive power in the federal government. It would be odd indeed if the candidate who took the side of democracy in this argument should himself be a person chosen by the highly undemocratic method of the smoke-filled room.

He won't be, if Senator Borah can help it. If the Republican candidate can be a man whose candidacy has been approved before the convention by the party's rank and file, we shall have taken a long step toward sounder, saner politics.

When the Italian meatless days apply to the army in Ethiopia, Selassie's troops might build a giant cow and try

The president's recent attack on money-changers may bring a situation in which a timid citizen, with only a \$20 bill, can starve in a big city.

CORRECTION



OAK GROVE

The snow helped plowing but rain is needed. Many of the tanks and pools in this section are dry and others low in water supply.

A man named Hooper has moved from Abilene to this community and located on the J. H. Finley farm. We welcome this family to our community and bid them pitch in and help us make it a better place to live.

Mr. Hooper and B. E. Poe were in Rising Star last week.

The road work in this community (a WPA project) is progressing fine and when this job is completed, according to reports, we will have an all-weather road connecting this community with the state and national highways that touch this county and we can all go to the Texas Centennial next summer.

Speaking of rain, this locality has been blessed with more rains and less rain during the last three months than has been experienced in a long period. Farmers say their peanuts took more wettings and had less damage than they ever knew. Weather as low as 20 above zero has been experienced several times.

58 Million See National Parks

WASHINGTON.—More than 58,000,000 persons found recreation in the National Parks last year, according to a report from the Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture.

National Forest visitors reached a peak figure of 58,548,000 including transient motorists using the highways. Because many persons made repeated visits or passed through more than one park, the exact number of tourists could not be determined accurately. The report said, however, that the estimated figures were a reliable index of the use made of the outdoor recreation areas.

This increase, the report continued, was due largely to unemployment relief work which has increased the number of roads available to tourists, created new camp grounds and improved existing ones. The natural or wilderness areas were not necessarily modified so that their scientific

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON.—The report of the "regional adjustment" survey of last year, in which agricutural experiment stations of 48 states collaborated with scientists and officials of AAA and other Department of Agriculture bureaus, is the "bible" of officials now seeking to work out details of the domestic allotment-soil conservation program with which they hope to replace the Agricultural Adjustment Act, knocked out by the U. S. Supreme Court.

Purpose of that survey was to recommend systems and schedules of farming and ranching for various areas which would check soil depletion or erosion and at the same time stimulate farm practices which would lower production costs.

Estimates were made of the effect of such program on production and the probable change in terms of acreage.

On the basis of results, AAA seeks to judge the most desirable goals for total acreage and total volume of production of specific commodities, and, according to H. R. Tolley—prominent now in administration farm councils—must work out the best possible compromise as between:

- 1. The need of farmers for adequate prices and income.
- 2. National consumption needs.
- 3. Condition of soils and various farm management problems in each region.

ABOUT 700 type-of-farming areas were catalogued. General recommendations for the big key areas are, in part, the following—and bear in mind that it's proposed to pay farmers for their

WHAT IN MAKING TWO CHANGES: CORN BELT—Reduction in corn and oats; increase in soybeans, hay, and pasture; decrease in number of hogs; substantial increase in dairy cows and milk production; moderate increase in beef cattle and sheep. Resulting increase in hay and milk production would be especially marked in lake states region.

SOUTH: Decrease of cotton acreage below normal level; increase in total crop land, pasture, and all southern feed crops except corn. Considerable increase for all kinds of livestock production—chiefly to improve living standards.

GREAT PLAINS AND PACIFIC NORTHWEST WHEAT REGIONS: Decrease in pre-AAA wheat acreage; removal of low-yield wheat land from production. Increases of feed production in hard winter wheat, spring wheat, and Pacific Northwest areas.

RANGE REGION: Chiefly, a slight decrease in number of cattle from the low level prevailing in either 1934 or 1935, with increase of hay production to provide more winter feed. In a ten-year period it is believed that stabilization of cattle and sheep populations in this area at or near present low levels would result in improvement of ranges, with a consequent increase in yield of meat and wool relative to number of head. For irrigated areas, continued cultivation of about the present number of acres is recommended.

NORTHEAST: Probably desirable to stabilize agricultural production at about present level. More milk could be produced, but an increase isn't recommended in view of the market situation. (Copyright, 1936, NEA Service, Inc.)

and educational value has been preserved. During 1935, about 728,000 home owners and guests used the National Forests; more than 1,250,000 guests stopped at hotels and resorts; 7,726 campers and picnickers used camping facilities, and more than 7,000,000 motorists, horsemen and hikers were visitors to the areas. Nearly 42,000,000 motorists en route elsewhere were estimated to have entered the parks.

National forests in California reported the heaviest recreational use, with the North Central, Eastern, Rocky Mountain, North Pacific, Southwestern, Southeastern, Intermountain, Northern Rocky Mountain and Alaska Regions following in that order.

Prince Midvanti wed's brother's ex-wife. The heiress supply can't be as extensive as we thought.

Mothers!

In treating children's colds, don't take chances... use VICKS VapoRus

PROVED BY 2 GENERATIONS

MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various commodities including stocks, bonds, and agricultural products.

Milo—No. 2 yellow, 108-110; No. 3 yellow, 106-108.

Death mask of John Dillinger disappeared from a Kansas City police station, which makes twice his face was lifted.

ST. LOUIS.—Stenographers of St. Louis are uniting—for fun and "self-expression"—into a group known as the Stenographers' Club, a Social and Cultural Organization. A lofty code of morals has been adopted.

Sweet Potatoes Are Growing Too Large

FORT WORTH, Tex.—G. B. Priddy is worried about his sweet potatoes. They just won't stop growing. The tubers are growing steadily, and some of them now measure from a foot to a yard and a half in length. "Somebody must have crossed them potatoes with a pumpkin vine," Priddy said.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



THE BEAK OF THE NEW ZEALAND WRYBILL IS distinguished from that of all other birds. Just why Mother Nature should have decreed that this bird's beak should make a right turn is a mystery. The beak serves the owner in good stead, however, and makes an excellent tool for seizing small crustacea which lurk beneath the rocks of the wrybill's favorite haunts.

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FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK
Hogs, 2,400. Top butchers, 970; bulk good butchers, 960-970; mixed grades, 890-950; packing sows, 850.

Cattle, 3,400. Steers, 600-700; yearlings, 600-700; fat cows, 500-600; cutters, 300-375; calves, 500-550; fat lambs, 900 down.

FORT WORTH CASH GRAIN
Wheat—No. 1 hard, 126-136%
Corn—No. 2 white, 77-78; No. 2 yellow, 74-75.
Oats—No. 2 red, 37-38; No. 3 red, 35-36.
Barley—No. 2, 51-53; No. 3, 50-52.

By mild ripe tobacco we mean just this—



Hogsheads of leaf tobacco "aging" for two years in storage warehouses.

FIRST—ripened in the sunshine... and picked leaf by leaf from the right part of the stalk when fully ripe.

THEN—each day's picking cured right by the farmer... at the right time and in the right way... no "splotching" or brittleness, but every leaf of good color and flavor.

FINALLY—bought in the open market... re-dried for storage... then packed in wooden hogsheads to age and mellow for two years or more until free from harshness and bitterness.

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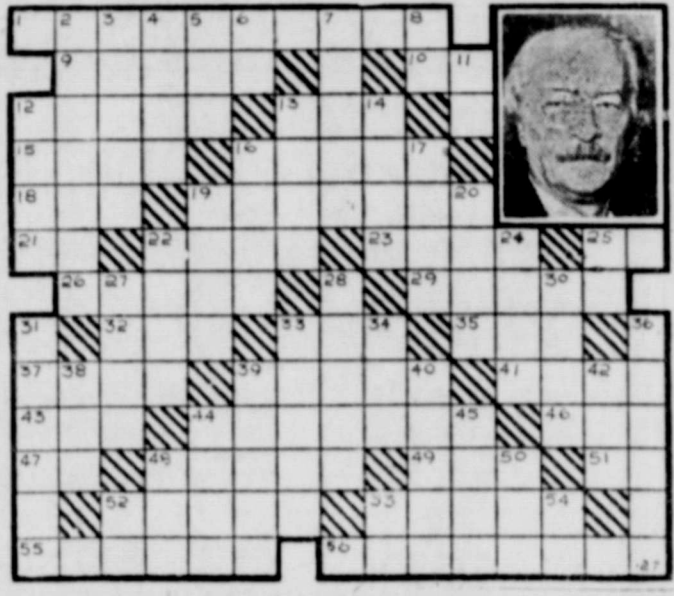
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WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Fine Musician

Answer to Previous Puzzle. HORIZONTAL: 1. Ignace Jan... 2. Famous pianist... 3. Work of fiction... 4. Nay... 5. Sunk in mud... 6. Pin... 7. Arabian commander... 8. Cogwheels... 9. Membranous bag... 10. He was the... of his country... 11. Street... 12. Couple... 13. Fruit... 14. Yes... 15. To oust... 16. Reverie... 17. Social insect... 18. Merry... 19. Organ of hearing... 20. Sea eagle... 21. One that flies... 22. To dwell... 23. Billiard rod... 24. Argues... 25. Noise... 26. Preposition... 27. Always... 28. Values... 29. Wholly... 30. Advertisement... 31. To let sink... 32. His country... 33. He is also a... 34. Suitcase... 35. Sand... 36. Ovule... 37. Compact... 38. Uncommon... 39. To languish... 40. Genuine... 41. Form of "be"... 42. Weathercock... 43. Ruby spind... 44. Dry... 45. To abscond... 46. Scooped... 47. Still... 48. Seller... 49. Wagon track... 50. Peasted... 51. To furnish anew with arms... 52. By way of... 53. To mend... 54. To spill... 55. Card game... 56. Dye... 57. To accomplish... 58. Postscript... 59. Nobe... 60. Nobe...



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin

AWAKENED IN THE NIGHT BY WEIRD, HAIR-RAISING HOWLS, EMANATING FROM THE ROYAL PALACE, ALLEY OOP AND FOOZY, UPON INVESTIGATION, FIND THAT KING GUZZLE IS A VERY SICK MAN - AT QUEEN UMPATEE'S SUGGESTION, OOP GOES POSTHASTE FOR THE GRAND WIZER -



BUT, FOOZY - YOU GO - BUT, AS PER USUAL, YER MIND IS SLOW! O' GUZZLE'S LIFE I THINK I CAN SAVE WITH TH' STUFF TH' WIZER HAS IN HIS CAVE -



Achievements

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first term of office in compliance with his campaign statements. With one of the most powerful sales tax lobbies in the history of the state gathered at Austin during the regular and special sessions, the battle to defeat "the tax on poverty" was a strenuous one. If Allred had not been strong enough to defeat a sales tax, Texans would probably now be cranking their pockets with milk bottle stoppers similar to Missouri's sales tax tokens and trying to get out from under a horde of sales tax collectors. Under the Allred administration, a chain store tax law became a reality with the enactment of a graduated chain store tax by Allred leaders in the legislature over spirited opposition. The Allred first term of office has marked the successful defense of states rights against the threat of federal control over the oil industry. Under the governor's leadership, a determined fight was waged successfully before a senate committee in Washington to state off federal encroachment of the state's right to control and regulate its oil industry. Governor Allred wrote almost in its entirety, the interstate oil compact which has proved so successful in oil and gas conservation, and a crowning achievement in the efforts of the oil producing states to stabilize the oil industry. Some of the more important achievements during Governor Allred's first year in office are listed below: Liquor Regulation and Control - In two months time, the liquor revenues have enriched the state by more than a million dollars. Under the liquor law, three-fourths of the revenue from liquor permits and stamps goes to the old age assistance fund and one-fourth to the state school fund. Old Age Pension Law - The obligation of the state to care for its aged who are destitute and in need was squarely met during the first year of the governor's administration with the passage of the old age assistance law. Texas Securities Act - Passed without a dissenting vote to supplant the old ineffective blue sky law. The securities act has "teeth in it," and is designed to protect Texas investors from sellers of worthless securities, and to pre-

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State Planning Board - The purpose of this board, advocated by Governor Allred, is to go hand-in-hand with state government in consolidating economic development of Texas. The board, in doing its part to put men back to work, has felt that the greatest opportunity to create jobs that would have some degree of security lay in the increased development of industries. With the natural resources, the people and the climate of Texas, the board has attempted to create into five types of industry: (1) the manufacture of paper from the pines of East Texas, (2) the packing of meat in the various livestock raising sections, (3) the production of leather from hides, (4) the manufacture of woolen goods in the wool producing areas, and (5) the further development of Texas stone for structural and monumental purposes. The Texas planning board and the state parks board have brought to Texas already about \$100 for every \$1 spent by the state on them and for their operations. The planning board has secured definite action upon a state wide mineral resources survey under WPA auspices. The main expense has been the few months salary of a Washington representative, who has secured the allocation of federal funds for the state. Drivers License Law - In an effort to reduce the alarming traffic fatalities upon the highways and in cities, Governor Allred submitted the drivers license measure to the second called session. The law goes into effect in February. Abolition of Fee System - Under the new law, salaries of all county officers and their employees, except justices of the peace and constables, were changed from the old fee basis to a salary. Industrial Labor Commission - Governor Allred revived this commission, extinct since the early

twenties, in order that the difficulties involved in labor strikes might be arbitrated in satisfactory manner. Labor Laws - In order to insure safer working conditions for labor, particularly in the oil fields, laws were passed with "teeth in them" and under the direction of the state labor department have been enforced. Rural School Aid - The largest rural school aid appropriation in the history of Texas - \$10,000,000 - was obtained under Governor Allred. Livestock Sanitary Commission - "But that's my yacht, Posey. This is my island, and these are my men. You can't get away with anything." "I wasn't trying to get away with anything, I have a camp on the next island. I was simply trying to notify a man at the settlement that I wanted him to bring

Work - Through the efforts of the governor, additional funds were secured to further the work of tick eradication. Judiciary Appointments - Even the most outspoken critics of the Allred administration have commended the governor's use of his appointive powers. The legal profession and laymen have approved wholeheartedly of his judiciary appointments in such cases as Richard Critz of the supreme court, Robert Lee Bobbitt to the court of civil appeals in San Antonio, and Clyde Grissom to the civil appeals court in Eastland. Woman Suffrage Recognition - With the appointment of Judge Sarah Hughes of Dallas, woman suffrage in Texas was given its most outstanding recognition in recent years. Already, this woman judge has tried more cases in her court than any other judge of that district. Public Safety Department - Since the creation of this department which was strongly advocated by the governor, crime in Texas has declined sharply with the fewest number of bank robberies in recent history. Chain Store Tax Law - A graduated chain store tax hailed by independent merchants as a great victory for the small man over big business. That these achievements have been important one may be realized in the selection of Gov. James V. Allred as one of the 12 outstanding young men in America for 1935.

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The STRANGE CASE of JULIA CRAIG

BEGIN HERE TODAY JULIA CRAIG, pretty young secretary to GEORGE WOODFORD, FOLK lawyer, is ambitious to become a night club singer. Julia shares an apartment with AMY SANDERS. PETER KEMP, young lawyer in love with Julia but who cannot get her to marry because she never wants to see him again. Woodford gives a party about a party and asks Julia to come to see for his guests including PETER KEMP. HUGO NASH and ROYAL NESBITT. He heard Julia discuss the matter with the radio room. He is discovered and brought to Woodford. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XI BREATHELESSLY Julia and Clint followed the trip into the big room. When George Woodford saw the two members of his crew with Pasyon between them, his eyes widened from their alcoholic gleam. "What's all this?" he said. "We found him trying to get into the radio room, sir," said one of the men. This astonished Woodford more than ever. "Into the radio room?" He looked at Pasyon. "What for?" he demanded. Then before Pasyon could answer "What's your name?" "Pasyon," said the younger man quickly. "And I'd like to explain the whole thing if you'll give me a chance." "Go ahead, then," said Woodford sternly. "Go ahead and explain." "Well, when your men say they were trying to get into the radio room they're quite correct. But the inference is that they caught me breaking into it, which isn't true." "He told me he'd give me 25 bucks if I'd let him in," said one of the men negligently. Woodford smiled unpleasantly. "I pay my men too well for any one to bribe them, Pasyon. Why were you so anxious to get at the set?" "I wanted to send a message." "Why didn't you ask me?" said Woodford. "I naturally assumed you were aboard the boat. When I found you weren't I tried to get permission from one of the men." Woodford nodded. Julia saw that the two men looked mad and that Pasyon had a nervous expression. "You tried to get permission for \$25? I think it's odd you didn't ask the Captain. Come on, Pasyon. What's your game? What was this message you wanted to get through?" At the other's unpleasant attitude Pasyon straightened and his cheeks flushed with anger. "After all, Mr. Woodford, this isn't a police court, you know." "But that's my yacht, Posey. This is my island, and these are my men. You can't get away with anything." "I wasn't trying to get away with anything, I have a camp on the next island. I was simply trying to notify a man at the settlement that I wanted him to bring his boat after me sooner than we'd originally planned." Hugo Nash had been watching and listening. His sensual mouth twisted with sardonic cunning. Now he stepped nearer Pasyon. "I think," he said to Woodford, "that this bird is lying. There's something queer about this whole thing." Pasyon's cheeks had been flushed but now they turned dusky scarlet and he started toward Nash with his hands clenched. But as he stepped forward the two men caught his arms again and brought him to a helpless standstill. Nash chose this suspicious moment to accept the challenge. With as much strength as he could muster he brought his fist against Pasyon's mouth. The women screamed and Royal Nesbitt hurried between the two men. He stood facing Nash a moment, his eyes gleaming with contempt. And then, wordless, he struck Nash hard with an open hand. "If you're anxious for a fight, he said, "nobody's holding me." Nash rubbed his smarting cheek. "There's enough trouble here," he faltered at last. "I'll talk to you later." "Yes," George Woodford said quickly. "There's been quite enough trouble take this man out. If he tries to get aboard the Wood Nymph again just hold him there and notify me." Obeying the two members of the yacht's crew and Pasyon out of the lodge. He did not look at Julia as he left. If he had, he would have noticed that her eyes were filled with sudden tears for the trouble and humiliation she had caused him. Clint Lee saw Julia's glance following Pasyon from the room and she whispered quickly. "Easy there, Julia. I think I see through this and you'll give yourself away." Julia nodded her face white. She saw Woodford walking toward them. "I'm sorry this had to happen," he said. "It's-it's been a little upset (ing)," said Julia weakly. "If you don't mind, I think I'll go up to bed." WOODFORD patted her shoulder. "Sure, go right ahead, Julia. We men folk are rising early for the morning. We'll be back about 9 or 10-80 you see to it that Obo has a good breakfast ready." As Julia moved toward the stair Clint said in a low voice. "If the men folk hold a bead on any thing tomorrow it'll be a wonder." And when Julia had addressed nervously and climbed into bed she was inclined to agree with Clint. That night she slept fitfully and in the morning she was grateful for a cold shower which revived her a little and made up for a bad stretch of hours in the strange room. She realized that she must have slept at least a little toward morning for she hadn't heard the men depart on their hunting launch. Her suspicion was that they had failed to arise at all-but when she went downstairs she found Obo lying a fire on the hearth and he told her that the "gentlemen" had come before the sun was up. Julia looked at the clock on the mantel. His hands indicated 5:30. "Mr. Woodford asked me to tell you they'd want a good breakfast," she said. Obo grinned happily. "Yes, Miss. Obo always have good breakfasts." She felt a little crushed at this remark and was forced to smile to herself. And then as she thought of Tom Pasyon her smile faded quickly. Had he come back to his own camp last night? "I've got to find him," she told herself. SHE would have left the lodge then but Mrs. Joseph appeared on the balcony and called down a lofty good morning. "I'm finished," the woman confessed, "my way really down the staircase. I'm afraid I quite forgot to have dinner last night. I hope the boys bring in something delicious from their hunting trip." "I think Obo is getting breakfast ready now," Julia told her. "Indeed?" There was much implied in the word. Julia sensed that the widow was assuming that Julia, as the companion of the boat, had ordered breakfast in the absence of Woodford. She sensed also that the widow was assuming the situation and resenting it. Julia, in a sudden flash, recognized the source of this strange woman's unhappiness-an unhappiness that clouded her vaguely yet surely. She was a possessive woman; a woman who wanted all things and all men and she could get 'em; be happy on this earth. Julia was glad when Clint appeared at last, yawning indolently. The slender dancer had hardly reached the bottom of the stairs when there was a commotion outside and Woodford pushed open the door from the porch. He was supporting Nesbitt on one arm and Julia saw that Nash, too, was helping to hold Royal. Clint's hand flew to her mouth and she stifled a little cry. "It's all right," Woodford said, helping Nesbitt into the room. "Just a little accident." Nesbitt's face was white as he looked toward Clint and smiled. "I deserved it," he said weakly. "I left the others and started thrashing around in the bush. Hugo mistook me for a deer, naturally." Woodford set Nesbitt on the big leatheravenport. "Just a clip on the shoulder," he said. "But we'd better start back this morning. Don't want to take a chance on any infection." In an instant the widow was at Nesbitt's side, tenderly removing his leather hunting jacket. But Clint Lee only stood staring, his lips half open and trembling. She was staring not at Nesbitt but at Hugo Nash. 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After battling and scrapping their way through "The Bride Comes Home," which opened last night at the Arcadia Theatre, Claudette Colbert sits down with Fred MacMurray and Robert Young and discovers that she likes 'em both pretty well. And how do they feel about her? Well, how does it look?

SOCIETY
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Bridge Hour Brings Attractive Compliment to Mrs. W. C. Gorman
A smartly arranged bridge hour at the home of Mrs. Susan Hunt, Robo avenue, with Miss Sue Dean sharing honors as co-hostess, complimented the recent bride, Mrs. W. C. Gorman (nee Emily Dreinhofer), Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

The playing tables were decked in colors of archid and yellow, neat covers affording the surface carried centers of spring blossoms, primarily of violets dotted with wee sprigs of yellow, nestled in lacy greenery. Mrs. Leslie B. Wood of Breckenridge made high score, with Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick named winner of second high. Lovely prizes in overware were presented the winners who in turn passed them together with the ar-

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The change in dates was made because the demonstrator, C. R. Streeter, was unable to get to Ranger and begin the school until Wednesday according to word re-

Personal

Mrs. W. D. Herwick is home after a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. E. McLeroy of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brady of

Strawn road attended the funeral services of Mrs. Brady's aunt, Mrs. Will Cardwell of Plainview. Burial was at Roscoe Friday.

D. Joseph, accompanied by a part of his store personnel, Mrs. Anna Mae Rippey, Mrs. W. S. Adamson, Miss Minnie Lay, Mrs. Ethel Horton, Mrs. Hal B. Naylor and Mrs. A. B. Byrd, spent Sunday at Dallas, where they visited spring market, which will remain an outstanding attraction for merchants and buyers for the next three weeks. Mr. Joseph, Mrs. Adamson, and Mrs. Rippey will remain there during the week buy-

ing for different departments of the Joseph Dry Goods Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paschall were among Ranger visitors who attended the Southwestern spring shoe convention which convened at Fort Worth, Texas Hotel, the early part of last week.

Miss Mary Edlo Davenport was a visitor in Dallas over the weekend.

B. E. Garner is confined to his room, Gholson Hotel, suffering from an attack of influenza.

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