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ADDITIONAL FLOODS THREATEN SOUTH TEXAS

The item about the Englewood, N. J., young man, into whose lap a young woman plunged from an upper story, is another illustration of the perils of Leap Year.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy, local showers east portion tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy and warm in north portion.

DR. TOWNSEND IS ACCUSED ON NEW CHARGES

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 25.—The house old age pension investigators accused Dr. Townsend today of attempting to use congress as a sounding board to further his "profitable dream."
The attack on the founder of the \$200 a month old age pension organization was made by James Sullivan, counsel for the house pension investigation committee, whose inquiry Townsend said follows have bolted.
Sullivan challenged Townsend to appear before the committee and be confronted by "such documentary proof that he cannot deny that his fantastic stories in the past will not stand."
The attorney's charges were the first break in the official silence of the committee since Townsend walked out of its session and refused to testify further.
Townsend had denounced the investigation as "unfair" and challenged the committee to arrest him and bring him to trial on a contempt citation.

Man Accused of Attempted Assault Is Saved from Mob

By United Press
NEW YORK, May 25.—A screaming crowd of more than 500 men and women threatened to lynch Samuel Schermer, 24, today after he was discovered attempting to assault a four year old girl in an east side basement.
Schermer was arrested by a policeman, summoned by a janitor. A crowd quickly gathered and attempted to seize him. There were cries of "lynch him."
The patrolman dragged the battered man into a hallway and held the crowd at bay until police reinforcements arrived. The girl had not been harmed.

Lifeboat Is Built On Vault Type

By United Press
BARCELONA, Spain.—Victims of future marine catastrophes will find themselves comfortably saved within a sealed, non-sinkable lifeboat, if the invention of a reputable Catalan engineer proves practical.
The new lifeboat that cannot sink is capable of seating 40 to 50 persons. It can be launched from a sinking ship under all weather conditions and in less time than that required to remove the canvas of an ordinary lifeboat.
The inventor is Cosme Salomo Vila, the engineer who originated the "floating" lifeboats for occupants of submarines. This invention was demonstrated in Madrid before a group of experts, including officials of the Ministry of Marine. Vila said that naval experts considered adopting the submarine lifeboat as part of the general equipment of submarines.
Salomo Vila's latest invention, the non-sinkable lifeboat, is a launch 25 to 30 feet in length and capable of being closed so perfectly that neither air nor water can enter. The lifeboat is equipped with a motor and a special device for renewing the supply of fresh air.
The machinery for lowering the lifeboat after it has been occupied has been perfected by the same inventor. According to Salomo Vila and to witnesses who have seen tests made off the coast and near the town of Matara, the lifeboat can be lowered in all kinds of weather and it is absolutely non-sinkable. These reports add that the interior of the vessel remained perfectly dry during violent storms and that the air was renewed without admitting any water.

Ranger Woman Make Hole-in-One

Mrs. G. H. West of Ranger made a hole-in-one on the seventh hole at the Ranger Country Club today, it was reported Monday.

She's Pretty Eve Of Britain's Eden



(c) Hay Wrightman, London
Of all the wives of world-famous men, this most charming young woman probably is the least known to the public—Mrs. Anthony Eden, wife of Great Britain's 39-year-old foreign secretary, shown in a new and excellent studio portrait.

Soybean Goes On Menu With Rank As Vitamin Food

By United Press
PAYETTEVILLE, Ark.—Soybeans are edible, contain as many proteins as meat, eggs and milk, have a high mineral content and a light trace of starch instead of being just a legume to plow under, the University of Arkansas College of Agriculture has decided.
G. H. Banks, assistant director in charge of the Rice Experiment Station near Stuttgart, Ark., said he dislikes the term "edible" varieties because of the inference that the rest of them are "inedible."
"I have been trying to get people away from the idea of referring to certain soybean varieties as 'edible,'" Banks declared. "Most of the field varieties are good to eat, the 'edible' simply being the more easily prepared."
Banks said Secretary of Agriculture Henry T. Wallace told him last August that he had experimented with a soybean diet while a student in college.
"He said that as an undergraduate he set about to go into the food value of soybeans, and also to try to determine the minimum expenses necessary for human diet," Banks related.
"For six weeks he lived on soybeans and cornmeal, carried on his regular school work, had no ill effects physically, and spent 15 cents per week for food. He did not say that he enjoyed this rigid diet as much as he would have a more varied diet, but the fact that anyone lived for 15 cents a week is a good story."
A balanced meal of courses composed entirely or in part of soybeans has been served by the experiment station. On the menu were soybean loaf, buttered green soybeans, and soybean bread, sugar cookies and coffee.

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BANKRUPTCY ACT OF 1934 INVALIDATED

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Supreme Court today condemned the municipal bankruptcy act of 1934, designed to permit incorporated municipalities, drainage, irrigation and water districts to reorganize their bonded indebtedness.
The decision was handed down in a case involving the reorganization of Cameron County, Texas, water improvement district No. 1.
While the case involved only the application of the act in one district, the terms of the decision were such that it left no doubt it applied to the act as a whole.
Justice James McReynolds, writing the majority opinion, condemned the act in vigorous terms as an infringement of the constitutional provision against impairment of obligations and contracts.

Lone Star Well Is Drilling at 3,598-Ft. Depth

Reports Monday stated that the Lone Star Gasoline company's Taylor No. 12, which is being deepened to the Ellenberger lime, was now drilling at 3,598 feet.
The drilling is being done by Frank Champion and Ralph Herring. At present the well is being drilled through shale, with about 15 feet a day being the average distance covered. The crew is working 10 hours a day.
The Taylor No. 12 is being deepened from 3476 feet, where it has been producing for a number of years, and will be drilled down to the Ellenberger lime, to test that horizon on the Taylor lease.

Socialists Refuse To Join Communist Party This Year

By United Press
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Lone Star Safety Team Is Ninth In Contest at Tulsa

Word has been received in Ranger that the Lone Star first aid team, which was trained by N. L. Muir prior to the annual Oil Belt Safety conference in May, had been placed ninth in the Tulsa first aid contests, with 23 teams competing.
First place was won by the Magnolia team from Beaumont, the Humble team from Houston was second, the Texas Company team from West Tulsa was third, the reports said.
By placing ninth the Lone Star team made a good showing, considering that most of the teams defeated had been organized much longer and had had more experience.

Registrations For Summer School Start on June 1st

L. S. Riehm, dean of the Ranger Junior college, announced Monday that students will be registered for the summer session on Monday, June 1.
There will be courses offered in mathematics, education, physical education, public school music, English and general psychology, the announcement stated.
All students expecting to take summer school work should confer with L. S. Riehm, dean of the college, prior to June 1, if possible.

School Script Is Payable In Cash

Announcement was made in Ranger Monday morning that all school script, both state and local, was now cashable.
All holders of school script have been requested to present it at the office of the school tax collector, in the recreation building, where it will be redeemed.

Pigeon Saves Many Street Car Fares For One Family

PORTLAND, Ore.—The A. R. Kubat family, thanks to son Urban, has licked the transportation problem, and there is nothing the street car company can do about it.
The street railway issues a weekly family pass for \$1—no limit to the number of rides.
Urban Kubat, 19, does the rest with his homing pigeons, among which Blue Boy is used most often.

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THANK YOU

The Times takes this opportunity to thank the members of the faculties of each of the Ranger schools, Supt. W. T. Walton, the students, Parent-Teacher officials, Mrs. Dreinhofer and all others who had a part in making the graduation edition of The Times a success.
Without the cooperation of those who contributed stories for the edition it would have been impossible to assemble so much interesting data on the Ranger public schools and the Ranger Junior college.

DIPLOMAS WILL BE PRESENTED CLASS TONIGHT

Seniors of Eastland High school will receive their diplomas tonight at Commencement exercises to be held at the high school auditorium. The program will start at 8:15 p. m.
The annual presentation of medals from the Rotary and Lions Club for the best all around students will be made to Wesley Lane and Miss Ina Ruth Hale.
K. B. Tanner will award the diplomas.
The program is due to begin with playing of the processional by the Drago Octette, directed by Miss Wilda Drago.
The Rev. E. R. Stanford, pastor of the Methodist church, will deliver the invocation.
Wesley Lane will introduce members of the graduating class. Piano numbers by Misses Clara June Kinsle and Joyce Newman are also programmed.
Dora B. Williams is the salutatorian and Edmond Hurly is valedictorian of the class.
John G. Bills, minister of the Church of Christ, will pronounce the benediction.
A large audience attended the baccalaureate service Monday night. The Rev. Fred C. Eastham, Baptist pastor, preached the sermon.

Seniors Will Get Diplomas Tonight In Final Ceremony

Members of the 1936 graduating class of the Ranger High School will be presented their diplomas tonight at the commencement exercises for the class, which are to be held at the Recreation Building, at 8 o'clock.
Judge Hal S. Lattimore of Fort Worth, one of the most outstanding jurists of the state and a well known speaker, will deliver the commencement address.
The baccalaureate sermon for the class was delivered at the Recreation Building Sunday evening with Rev. J. Stuart Pearce, pastor of the First P. S. Presbyterian Church of Cisco, preaching the sermon before a large congregation.
The commencement exercises for the Ranger Junior College will be conducted at the Recreation Building Tuesday night, with Dean Colby Hall of Texas Christian University, as the principal speaker.

Natural Resources of Eastland County To Form Part of Centennial Exhibition

Natural resources of Eastland county, both developed and undeveloped, will be included in the mammoth display of this state's mineral and forest resources at the Centennial Exposition in Dallas. After the exposition is closed, these Eastland county resource specimens, together with those gathered from other counties, will become part of a permanent exhibit to be housed in the Texas State Building at the Dallas fair grounds.
This assurance was contained in letters from E. F. Mitchell, chief engineer, of the Texas & Pacific, received here this week by Mr. H. E. Hunter, and Mr. B. A. Tunnell of the railroad company. The letters were written at the direction of Judge John M. Spellman, Director of the National Resources Exhibit of the Centennial Exposition, and suggested that recipients meet at a very early date to arrange for speedy collection and shipment of this county's display. "The difficult work of assembling and presenting this exhibit of Texas' natural resources," Mr. Mitchell points out, "was begun some time ago under the able direction of the committee of one hundred prominent citizens, strategically located throughout the state; and the present effort is an attempt to aid and assist them in that tremendous task."
"This natural resources exhibit will provide the opportunity of bringing to the attention of capital and industry the wide distribution of almost 100 items of natural resources which have been thickly scattered throughout the 254 counties of the state. The exhibit is to be made free of all costs to every county concerned. The exposition authorities have provided, gratis, am-

HARMONY IS SEEN FOR STATE CONVENTION

By United Press
SAN ANTONIO, May 25.—Vice President John Garner hopes that "entire harmony" will prevail at the democratic state convention tomorrow, Congressman Sam Rayburn of Texas said when he arrived as Garner's personal representative at the convention.
Discussion among delegates indicated that in spite of several sources of dissension, all sides were willing to be peaceful unless others attempted to "start something."
Rayburn said he did not know the vice president's views on the abolition of the two-thirds rule for national convention nominations, proposed by national chairman, James Farley. He added that personally he favored majority nomination and believed the national convention in June would change to that system. The New Deal spokesman said he saw no danger of Republican states dominating the democratic national convention with the democratic party carrying more than 40 states.
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A statement from the committee was as follows:
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Dallas Man Named G. O. P. Chairman

By United Press
FORT WORTH, May 25.—George Hopkins, Dallas, internal revenue collector during former President Herbert Hoover's administration, was named temporary chairman and keynoter at the meeting of the Republican state executive committee here today.
The Republican state convention will open tomorrow.
Republican leaders assembled here were optimistic over prospects for showing Texas into the G. O. P. column in the coming presidential election.
"If all the Republicans in Texas will act as they talk, we will carry Texas," Orville Bollington, Wichita Falls, predicted.

Boy Who Made a 155-Foot Jump Lives

By United Press
NEW ORLEANS, May 25.—Louis Klein, 19-year-old singer, made an unheralded 155-foot jump into the water from the new Mississippi river bridge Sunday, "because somebody had to show the world it could be done," he said today.
The youth was expected to be dismissed today from a hospital where he was treated from minor shock and submersion.

Sought in Probe Of Extortion Ring



Rose Bianca Griffith (above), exotic New Orleans beauty, was sought on complaint of Donald Maxwell, New York advertising man, that the \$100,000 suit she filed against him was without foundation in fact. He charged that Max D. Krone and A. Henry Ross, indicted in connection with Alfred E. Smith, Jr.'s, extortion complaint, aided in Miss Griffith's alleged effort to obtain money from him.

CHARGES FILED IN THE BLACK LEGION MURDER

By United Press
DETROIT, May 25.—Murder warrants charging 25 members of the hooded and robed Black Legion with the death of Charles Poole, 32, were issued today as authorities extended their investigation of the band's terroristic activities through every populous center of the state.
Thirteen warrants were issued against men under the arrest for the murder of Poole on the night of May 12 and 13 were "John Doe" warrants.
Wayne County Prosecutor Duncan McCrea, whose investigators are inquiring into every phase of the band's activities, said, "We have evidence to support the contention the 13 men were present when the conspiracy to murder Poole was entered into."

Report Contract on '89 Awarded

CISCO, May 25.—Dallas Wales, manager of the Laguna hotel, Saturday received copy of a letter written by A. H. Badger, manager of the Stephens F. Austin hotel at Austin, to A. T. Whayne, secretary of National hotels at Galveston, stating that Harry Hines, chairman of the Texas Highway commission had advised Badger that financial arrangements had been made and contracts let for paving highway 89, the so-called Weatherford to Ranger Mountain cut-off.
"Mr. Harry Hines," the letter said, "chairman of the highway commission, advised me today that financial arrangements and contracts had been let for paving highway from Weatherford to Eastland intersection. This work is to go forward immediately. On account of so much work being done on the Texas highways, he could not give me any idea when this work would be completed, but did state work would be rushed to completion as soon as possible."

Washington Liberals Control Convention

By United Press
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RIVERS RISING MONDAY AFTER HEAVY RAINS

Several Rivers Are Rampaging As More Rain Is Falling On Watershed.
Prospects of more rain in water-soaked south and west Texas brought additional threats, Monday, from flooded rivers and lowlands.
The Colorado river at Columbus already was more than eight feet above flood stage of 24 feet, covering the Houston-San Antonio highway.
At Wharton, which was inundated by water last December, the Colorado was rising steadily, near the flood stage, and the Guadalupe river threatened a rampage near Victoria.
Residents of Houston anxiously watched the rising water on the Buffalo and White Oak creeks as rain continued to fall.
Buffalo creek, which traverses the heart of Houston, was swollen by rainfall into the upper reaches of Harris county and was 14 feet above normal.
Rainfall concentrated chiefly in the Houston area and westward to the Guadalupe river district.
Danger was believed passed in Victoria, where thousands of lowland acres were inundated, but little damage was done. The river rose 25 feet in two days.
Other sections of the state reported substantial rains. A slow soaking rain fell in the panhandle "bread bowl" too late to aid the stunted wheat in some sections, but provided excellent seasoning for summer and fall crops.
Reports from Amarillo indicated the average precipitation in a 100-mile radius, was about two inches. Amarillo received 3.88 inches in the 24 hour period, ending at 9 a. m. Monday morning.
Other records showed:
Abilene 1.04; El Paso, cloudy, but no rain; Del Rio, .32; Galveston 2.96; Houston, 4.02.

Refinance Loans For County Total Nearly Half Million

SAN ANTONIO, May 25.—Loans for refinancing purposes authorized by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for Eastland county through Feb. 29, 1936, amounted to \$452,015, it has been announced by H. P. Drought, state director of the National Emergency Council for Texas.
Disbursements for this county have aggregated \$393,935, Mr. Drought added.
Total authorizations for RFC loans in Texas through Feb. 29 amounted to \$118,175,221.29 and total disbursements were \$96,735,919. These loans were distributed through more than 200 Texas counties.
Grand total of RFC loans throughout the nation amounted to authorizations of \$7,652,038,262.60 and disbursement of \$5,916,482,390.77, according to a recapitulation taken as of Feb. 29, Drought was informed by Washington officials.

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Our Need Is Dreamers To Use Our Wealth

The commencement orators already have begun to advance to the edge of the platform to tell the youthful graduates what life is all about, and it is to be hoped that at least a few of them will remember to point out that the world today is more profoundly in need of old-fashioned, idealistic dreamers than it has been for many generations.

To be sure, this sort of advice isn't popular. The commencement orator usually feels he has done his duty if he rings the changes on the old platitudes, such as "Honesty is the best policy."

After he has done that for half an hour, and has reminded his listeners that the fate of the nation rests in their hands, he takes a sip of water and sits down, conscious of a job well done.

But the plain fact remains that, unless we can get back to the seeing of visions and the dreaming of dreams, there is precious little hope for our country or for ourselves.

We gave up dreams and visions, as a nation, about the time that Grant's guns began to hammer down the defenses of Vicksburg. We put our trust in finance, industry, and our ability to move mountains without the aid of faith; and for a half century or more we seemed to be doing right well.

But something happened to us, while we were doing that. The old American dream—that on this continent men would be able to turn what ought to be into what is—somehow got mislaid.

In its place we went hook, line, and sinker for the idea that the pursuit of riches was the aim of wisdom. And the mad dance of the 1929 boom, culminating in a crash that almost wrecked us, was the logical consequence.

We still have the ability to produce wealth: the soil, the mines, the factories, the transportation systems, and all the rest, which would automatically guarantee prosperity if human life were anything that could be reduced to a simple profit-and-loss statement.

What we do not have is the ability to use these things in a way to attain human happiness. And what is that lack but the lack of the old ability to dream dreams and to make them come true?

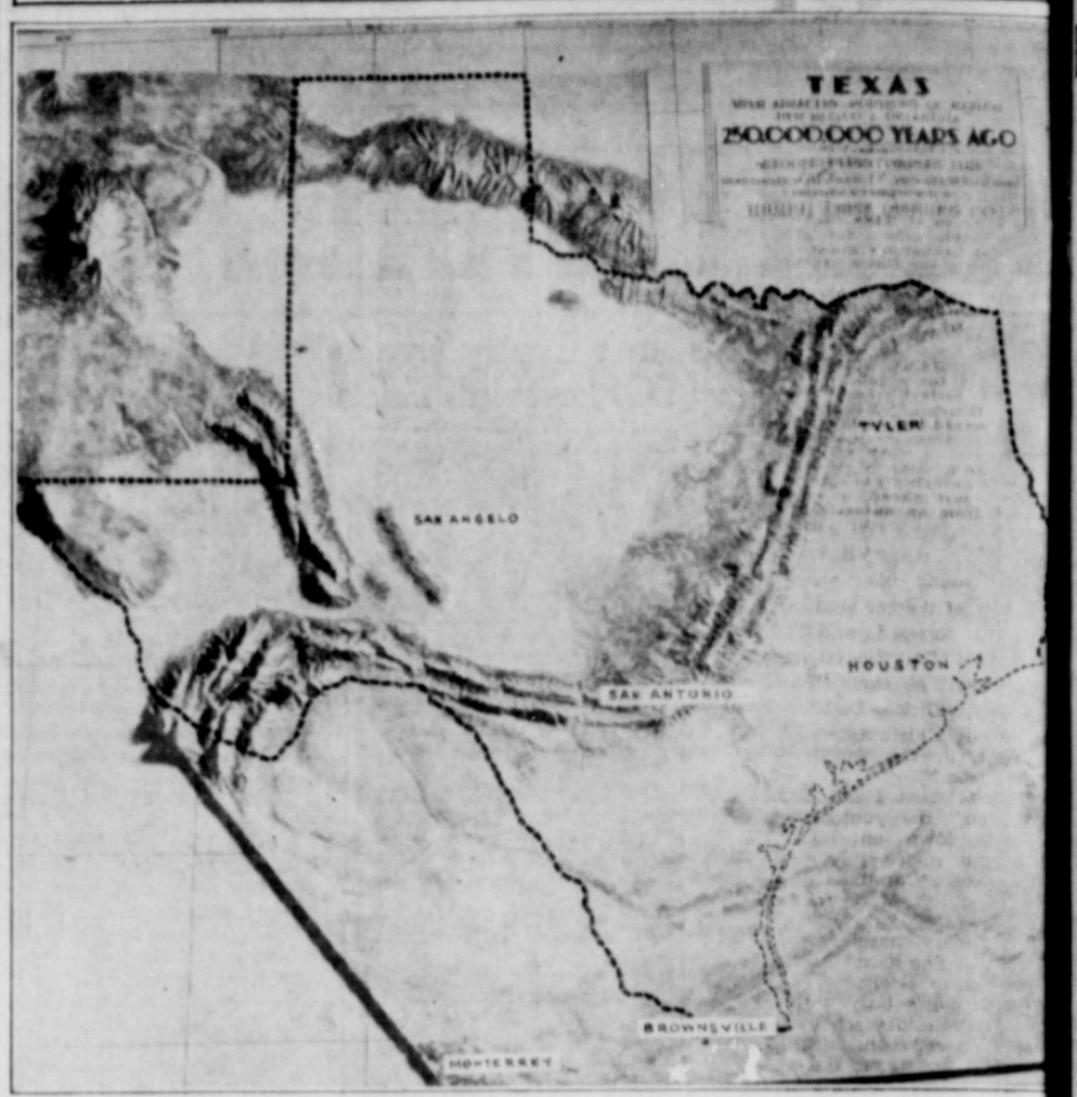
The very word, "America," used to have a high and holy sound in men's ears, because it stood for the embodiment of such dreams. It bespoke a nation of people who were never satisfied with imperfect reality, a nation in which the tomorrow that might be was always before men's eyes, worth risks and sacrifices and unstinted effort.

MINE DISASTER



HERLOCK 1933, NEA

When West Texas Was a Shallow Sea



Here is shown a geological re-creation of Texas 250 million years ago, when the western part of the state was under water. This nine-foot relief map is one of a series of eight which make up one unit of the historical Centennial exhibit being sponsored by the Humble Oil & Refining Company in Dallas.

By HARRY GRAYSON

NEW YORK.—Getting runs across the plate is the main idea in baseball, and the ever-alert St. Louis Cardinals are seeing to it that the measure is one that all-important department of play.

If a Redbird goes to bat with less than two out and a runner on third base, and fails to bat in a run, he is automatically fined \$5.

The Cardinals have done everything else in order to win games. That is why they have copied five National League pennants and three world championships in 10 years.

An opposing infielder cannot afford to juggle the ball or hesitate when deployed against the Cardinals or Tigers. An enemy fly-catcher cannot be thinking of anything else when in the field.

This also accounts for their being such tremendous attractions. It makes them the most pleasing clubs in the game to watch.

MISSING from the list of start-ups who hope to be among the leading 60 after 36 holes and continue on to the final 36 holes of the United States Open over the Baltusrol Club course on June 6, will be several players whose names are familiar wherever golf is played in this country.

Their failure to qualify again has stirred the agitation for exempting more of the leading players from the qualifying rounds. This has been an annual complaint since 1924, the first year of sectional qualifying trials.

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MARKETS

By United Press

Closing selected New York stocks

Table listing various stocks and their closing prices, including Allied Stores, Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Asso D G pf, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Bendix Avn, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Comw & Son, Cons Oil, Curtiss Wright, Elec Au L, Firestone pf, Foster Wheel, Freeport Tex, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Gt West Sugar, Houston Oil, Hudson Mot, Ind Rayon, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Int T & T, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Marshall Field, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Packard, Penney J C, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purdy Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil Ind, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Swift & Co, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Union Carb, Un Avn Corp, United Corp, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec, Worthington.

TEXAS LEGENDS AND FOLKLORE

By Olive M. Johnson, Director of Speech Arts North Texas State Teachers College

The Legend of the San Saba Mine

Texas is the land of legends, with a most unusual history and romantic tradition. Six flags have claimed her. Every section has a stock of legendary lore, left by Indian aborigines, French explorers, of cowboys and rangers, of settlers and pioneers. These are not only "twice-told tales" but tales told many times. "Some one told it to Grandfather, he told it to Father, and Father told me."

There are few localities in Texas that do not have legends of lost mines. The most remarkable of these is that of the San Saba Mine, sometimes called the Bowie Mine.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



Deep Sea Diver Thinks Pirate Gold Is Only a Myth

DALLAS.—Robert Zimmerman, deep sea diver, believes that pirate gold is more fiction than fact. He told interviewers in Dallas recently that such treasures are "much more talked about than actually found."

Oil Scouts to Meet May 29th and 30th

DALLAS.—The Oil Scouts Association of America will hold its 13th annual convention at the Baker Hotel here May 29 and 30. Attendance is expected to reach 500.

Natural Resources

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ple space to house the collection in the Natural History Building. Principal rail lines of Texas will furnish free transportation from the local points at which collections of specimens are made to Dallas. The value of the exhibit is further enhanced by reason of the fact that after it has served its purposes with the Centennial Exposition, it will be transferred and housed permanently in the Texas State Building, also located in the fair grounds. It is thus that the value of the exhibit to the individual owning the deposits from which specimens are taken, to the communities in the vicinity of such deposits and to the economic development of the state as a whole, is so great as to preclude possibility of estimate.

The central exhibit committee at Dallas will receive from the railroads all specimens and under the direction of staff architects and geologists, work them into a comprehensive and interesting display of Texas' resources. Those acquainted with details of the program are convinced it will be such a presentation of latent resources as will challenge the active attention of capital and industry.

Letters mailed by Mr. Mitchell listed among known resources of this county the following: Brick clay, porcelain clay, pottery clay, refractory clay, tile clay, coal, glass sand, and sandstone.

It is asked, also, that other resources not included in this catalogue, but known to exist here, be included in the shipment of this county's representative resources.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

Hogs, 600. Top butchers, 920; bulk good butchers, 900-915; mixed grades, 860-900; packing sows, 725-750. Cattle, 2,000. Steers, 700-775; yearlings, 640-700; fat cows, 500-550; cutters, 375-350; calves, 675-750; fat lambs, 900-1000. Tomorrow's estimated receipts: Cattle, 2,000; hogs, 900; sheep, 4,000. Another set of quadruplets has been born, this time in New Jersey. It is a trend which baby-kissing politicians will view with alarm.

In This Corner By Art Kre



WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—The administration's attempt to solve its Puerto Rican problem appears to have misfired both barrels. The Tydings independence bill has merely stirred up a revolutionary spirit which is likely to cause many New Deal headaches. An administration effort to amend the measure may be expected.

There's reason to believe that the terms of the bill, which Puerto Ricans say sentences them to rapid starvation if they vote for independence, were conceived here with a certain amount of bitterness—or out of plain stupidity. The tactics adopted quickly bore fruit in kind.

What started the Puerto Ricans' protest was the bill's provisions that if they voted for independence there would be a four-year transition period in which Puerto Rico wouldn't have the sovereignty she would need to organize her affairs; that loans and grants from this country under the \$35,000,000 Puerto Rican Reconstruction Administration would stop at once; and that a tariff would be placed on Puerto Rican products immediately.

THIS administration proposal followed by some weeks the assassination of Col. E. Francis Riggs, American police chief on the island, by followers of Albizu Campos, leader of the radical nationalist independence party. Officials here had been sore because not a single public man in Puerto Rico was willing to make a formal statement as to the Riggs murder—not even one of regret. The explanation of some Puerto Rican leaders was that such statement would cause them lose influence with the independence factor. Terms of the Tydings caused many Puerto Ricans to regard it as a shotgun threat, an effort to make them choose between a continued colonial status starvation. A great surge of independence feeling consequently swept over the island. It is so and so many who had previously opposed independence swung to it that it came to be predicted that even freedom as provided by Tydings bill would win by 10 to 1 in a plebiscite. Matters are likely to go from bad to worse unless at least house of Congress passes a Puerto Rican independence bill radically amended. Chances are that administration will go to great lengths—at least in gesture—avoid further violence on island this year. OFFICIALS impatient with Puerto Ricans, however, put out that the degeneration of island under American rule—attributed solely to exploitation American sugar corporats which have skimmed \$400,000 away from it—is largely attributable to Puerto Ricans themselves should have been in the enforcement of the congressional act 1900 which limited ownership land to 500 acres, instead of lowering the corporations to buy most of the good land and creating a major island problem. The other big problem is the rising birth rate—and the same officials say that's the fault Puerto Ricans, who won't keep birth rate down. Copyright, 1933, NEA Service.

Society

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Bride-Elect Feted with Round of Gala Courtesies
Miss Mary Edlo Davenport, one of the city's most popular young women, the daughter of Mrs. Martha Davenport, Victory avenue, and bride-elect of Mr. Lee Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson, Ranger, whose marriage has been announced for the evening of Wednesday, June 3, is receiving a series of lovely courtesies.

Mrs. L. H. Flewellen entertained at home, Summit street, Saturday afternoon with a smartly arranged

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bridge luncheon, which employed the chosen motif of the honoree, yellow and white.

Quartet tables, linen laid, had handsome service for the two-course menu. Nosegays made up of yellow and white blossoms marked each place, as did place cards in the shape of wedding rings, golden slippers, and a pair of white doves.

Tables were re-appointed for bridge naming as winners Mrs. Jessa Coarley, high score, Mrs. Charles McCrary, low. White linen handkerchiefs were given as prizes. A complete set of crystal was given the honor guest and presented by the hostess.

Party members were Meses. Martha Davenport, Sam Thompson, Archie Robinson, M. O. Attebery, J. W. Burrage, Jessa Coarley of Post, Texas, and Misses Kenneth Wier, Ruth Shirley, Marguerite Adamson, Evelyn Long, and Mary Edlo Davenport.

Saturday evening Mrs. Roy Pentecost honored Miss Davenport with a miscellaneous shower at her Eastland residence. Lovely gifts were presented and dainty refreshment course served Mrs. Randall Blackmond, Misses Kenneth Wier, Inez Pickett, Ruth Shirley, Marguerite Adamson, Mrs. Jimmie Burrage, Mrs. Charles McCrary, and honoree, Miss Mary Edlo Davenport.

Tuesday morning Miss Kenneth Wier entertains with a breakfast, and Tuesday afternoon Miss Marguerite Adamson will hostess a mid-afternoon party at her home, Cypress street.

Wednesday will find the bride-elect and a group of friends motoring to Winters, where Mrs. A. J. Smith (nee V-Marie Stephens) will pay honor with a bridge luncheon at her home.

Other compliments are listed on the calendar of social affairs for the popular young lady.

Drienhofer-Owens Wedding Announced to Ranger Friends
Announcement has been made of the marriage Saturday evening at Eastland of Miss Francis Owens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owen, South Daughtery avenue, and William Charles (Bill) Drienhofer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drienhofer, Breckenridge highway, which took place at the home of the bride's parents at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Fred S. Eastham, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ring ceremony. The house was beautifully decorated with white flowers and greenery. The bride was smartly attired in a blue silk tailored suit. All white accessories were worn. Her carriage was of lilacs of the valley and sweet-peas.

Miss Elizabeth Day of Eastland was the bridesmaid and Charles Dean of Ranger, best man.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for a motor trip to New Mexico, and upon their return to Eastland they will be at home, Conner apartments.

Thirty guests made up of relatives of both parties, attended, and were received by the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drienhofer, and parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owens.

Mr. Drienhofer is an employee of the Lone Star Gas company.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE:
Three mysterious strangers come to Mansfield Falls, and seek out Longfellow Deeds, the player on the town band, voluntarily. Longfellow, cynical and unscrupulous, suggests that he appears on greeting cards. They are John Cobb, a New York lawyer, Cornelius Cobb, cynical and unscrupulous clerk from Cedar's office, they have come to inform Deeds that his uncle he has never seen has died and he, Deeds, is the sole heir to a twenty million dollar estate. Evidently, Longfellow allows them to persuade him to come to New York to take over his inheritance. They set out for New York, Longfellow with his trusty babe tucked safely under one arm.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY. Chapter Two

"He's news, I tell you! Every time he blows his nose, it's news. A corn-fodder like that, falling into the Seine, would be news. What's he think about? How's it feel to be a millionaire? Is he going to get married? What's his idea of New York? Is he smart? Is he dumb?"

"He's been here three days and what have you numskulls brought me?" The managing editor glared at the reporters grouped around his desk. "A lot of fat, uninteresting routine stuff. Any green chick could have done better. Now get out of here before I tell you what I really think of you."

The reporters and guide he found at the office, that is, but Babe Bennett. A port, vivacious little blonde, Babe had been very busy throughout the managing editor's tirade doing things with lipstick and powder puff. It was not until



"I'll have your story for you and you can plaster it all over page one." (Quoted by Jean Arthur and George Bancroft)

the others had left that the editor spied her. "You, too, Babe," he growled. "Thought I could depend on you. You're getting as dumb as the rest of them."

Babe continued with her repartee. "I came to get a good idea, Mac," she said.

Mac changed his tactics. "Listen, Babe," he pleaded. "I've got some good human interest stuff on this guy—and I'll give you a month's vacation with pay!"

Babe looked at him. "On the level?"

"On the level," he said solemnly. "Shake," said Babe, extending her hand. "I'll have your story for you and you can plaster it all over page one tomorrow."

Longfellow Deeds, established in his uncle's home, had discovered that the life of a millionaire was not all beer and skittles. With Cobb and the guide he found in Longfellow's wardrobe, Cobb was importing him—just a little bit too incidentally. Longfellow thought he gave the firm of Cedar, Cedar, Cedar, and Boudington power of attorney to handle his business affairs and, at the moment the directors of the opera association, of which his uncle had been chairman, were waiting to meet with him.

Longfellow excused himself from the others and, with Cobb, went to meet the opera directors. After introductions had been completed the board unanimously elected him to the chairmanship—voted by his uncle's death. As the meeting progressed Longfellow was shocked to learn that there was a \$10,000 deficit in the operating costs of the opera.

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are invited to call 50 for appointment.

Mrs. F. D. Hicks Resting Well After Major Surgery
Mrs. F. D. Hicks is resting well at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital, after undergoing major surgery Sunday morning. Her daughter, Mrs. Louise Klempin of Oklahoma City, is at her bedside.

Mrs. Hicks' many friends are anxious for her rapid recovery.

Chief Engineer for Standolin Sustains Crushed Foot
Mr. Marshall, chief engineer for Standolin Pipe Line company, is receiving medical treatment at the West Texas Clinic and Hospital, for a crushed foot sustained in an accident occurring at the plant Saturday. He is resting very comfortably.

Farmer Ranger Couple Announce Arrival of Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin, who formerly lived here, are the happy parents of a baby daughter, who has been christened, Beverly Sue, and arrived May 20. The Martins are now living at Whittenburg, and have a number of friends here

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MARY E. DAGUE
NEA Service Star Writer

CHILDREN must have a hearty noon meal, vacation or not. Hours of active play in the fresh air exhaust energy and make nourishing food necessary.

There are certain rules which govern the choice of a child's daily diet and some knowledge of these rules makes meal planning much easier. Every child should have in his diet every day one quart of milk. He should have three vegetables, one of which may be potatoes and one of the others raw or green. He should have two fruits, one preferably raw. He should have one serving of meat, fish or eggs. A whole grain cereal, three slices of bread or toast complete the list of food absolutely necessary to maintain a balanced diet and provide an adequate number of calories.

If a child does not want to drink his allotted quart of milk, it may be used over vegetables, in soups and in desserts.

Make Food Attractive
All foods are better served as simply as possible, but care must be taken to make children's food palatable and attractive.

An easy way to plan a child's luncheon is to include in it those items that are not served at breakfast or dinner when the family are together. Then if he is given his broiled chop or meat cake at noon, he may have the dinner vegetables provided for the rest of the family in the evening.

Very often the luncheon dessert can be counted as the main dish, because a large amount of nourishment can be put into a pudding. This type of dessert seldom is served at dinner and adds variety if used for the noon meal.

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Orange juice, cereal cooked with raisins, cream, crisp toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Cream of green pea soup, croutons, grated carrot sandwiches, egg lemonade.
DINNER: Baked salmon trout, casserole of eggplant, lettuce and cucumber salad, tapioca pudding with strawberry sauce, milk, coffee.

When the dinner is hearty and at an early hour, a simple luncheon of raw vegetable sandwiches, one hot cooked vegetable, a glass of milk and a nourishing dessert proves most satisfactory for hot noons. A vegetable salad with plain bread and butter sandwiches can take the place of the sandwiches and a hot bouillon replace the hot vegetable.

Another point to keep in mind is that luncheon dishes should be easily digested because the noon meal comes at the hottest time of the day. Insist on fifteen minutes rest before the meal and half an hour of quiet in the shade afterwards.

Hot and Cold at Same Meal
Desserts for children should not be too sweet. Drinks of milk and eggs are nourishing, easily digested, quickly made and children generally like them. It's a good plan to serve a cup of hot bouillon or a hot vegetable dish when a cold milk and egg drink is served, however.

Fruit juices also can be combined with eggs to make nourishing and invigorating drinks. When these are used a hot vegetable cream soup with sandwiches of lettuce or some other green vegetable rounds out the meal.

Safe—Despite Rumor!

Here are William Powell and Jean Arthur, driven together for one fleeting moment of heart-throbbing unity, in the midst of their merry duel in "The Ex-Mrs. Bradford," the RKO Radio picture in which these two players are co-starred. Powell, it seems is reading the (somewhat exaggerated) account of his own death, while Jean holds him close, happy that rumor is only a rumor. The picture is a smart romantic comedy, despite the fact that it's also a murder mystery. This picture ends its local engagement today at the Arcadia Theatre.

Home After Pleasant Motor Tour
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wilkinson and daughter, Cosette, accompanied by Miss Mae Hays, are home after a pleasant motor tour which carried them to San Antonio, and Fort Lavaca.

Mrs. B. M. Marlow and Infant Daughter Home Today
Mrs. B. H. Marlow and infant daughter, who arrived at the City County hospital May 19, are to return to their Eastland home today. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Just a Bit Personal
Mr. and Mrs. McGlothlin have returned from Mounds, Texas, where they attended the funeral of S. E. Kitchens, brother of Mrs. McGlothlin, who was buried Thursday.

Institute Asks Free Competition and Tax Curbs
TULSA, Ok.—The board of directors of the American Petroleum Institute at the institute's mid-year meeting here unanimously adopted a resolution charging that endeavors to promote unsound, uneconomic, and discriminatory policies of taxation and legislation, having as their objectives selfish and limited benefits, are impeding recovery.

It asserted that attempts to eliminate or to equalize competition between domestic industries prevents the public from benefiting from the resultant economies which free competition among industries assure.

Oil men at the meeting, commenting unofficially on the resolution, asserted that it may have been prompted by recent legislative proposals to tax fuel oil for the competitive advantage of other power and heating industries. It may also have been inspired by the fact that measures have recently been introduced in Congress and in several states which would make blending of alcohol with gasoline compulsory, either directly, or through a tax differential or subsidy. The resolution is as follows:

"WHEREAS, restoration of real prosperity in the United States necessitates the early and complete resumption of activity by all industries; and

"WHEREAS, progress toward recovery is delayed and recuperative efforts of industry are handicapped by endeavors to promote unbalanced, uneconomic, and discrim-

ing are extending congratulations. Mrs. Martin will be remembered as the former Miss Marie Crutinger.

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Mexican Eldorado Is Being Sought

JUAREZ, Mexico.—Search for a Mexican Eldorado, a 200-year-old lost cavern of the Catholic missionary, Fr. Herman Glandorff, may be undertaken by a contemporary priest, Rev. Fr. Salvador B. Uranga, rector of Juarez' ancient Guadalupe mission.

Glandorff fled to the mountain-

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T. S. (Tip) ROSS
E. M. (Ed) CURRY
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For Representative, 106th District:
ED T. COX

For District Clerk:
P. L. CROSSLEY

For County Judge:
T. L. COOPER
W. S. ADAMSON
W. D. R. OWEN

For Sheriff:
STEELE HILL
LOSS WOODS
A. D. CARROLL
G. W. (Dick) RUST
A. D. (RED) McFARLANE
J. W. (Jess) NOBLE

Tax Assessor and Collector:
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For County Clerk:
TURNER COLLIE
K. L. (Hob) DAVENPORT
E. V. (Rip) GALLOWAY

Commissioner Precinct 1:
HENRY V. DAVENPORT
(Re-election)
W. G. POUNDS

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