

THE WEATHER WEST TEXAS—Generally fair, slightly warmer north and east portions tonight. Wednesday fair, warmer except in extreme west.

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An ad suggests that people get more iron in their diets. This should be easy for the Germans, who have been offered butter or cannons.

CONTEST ON ELECTION IS POSTPONED

By United Press
AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—Records of former election contests were applied today by a house sub-committee, mapping procedure on the present 99th district election contest.

Farmers Show Fertilizer Methods

Twenty-one Eastland County farmers have filed applications with County Agent Cook to serve as demonstrators of TVA phosphate fertilizer during the next year. In their applications approved by the Extension Service and the Tennessee Valley Authority they will receive 26,600 pounds of 45 per cent triple superphosphate fertilizer which they will apply on 297 acres of soil carrying crops such as cowpeas, beans, clover, sudan, peanuts, grazing, and permanent pasture. An acreage in each field will be left unfertilized for comparison.

CONFERENCE ON LABOR IS CALLED

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President Roosevelt today invited leaders of business and labor to a series of conferences at the White House. Those invited included John L. Lewis, leader of the present critical General Motors strike, and William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor. The White House announced flatly the conferences were not to mediate in the General Motors strike or in the warfare between Green and Lewis. Instead the conferences were for the purpose of discussing labor legislation, the announcement stated.

Mavericks Down Cisco's Quintet

Brushing aside a ten-point lead by the Cisco Lobes in the game Monday at the Cisco high school, the Eastland Mavericks tied the Lobes and went into an extra period of play to win 21-18. Garrison led the attack in the fourth quarter rally, ringing up four field goals from distant parts of the court. Dulin and Garrison bank goals in the final period for the Eastland team. O. Harrison and M. Harrison, played fine offensive work for the Lobes.

Date of Oil Belt Lions' Club Event Is Friday, Jan. 29

The district meeting of the Oil Belt Lions clubs, including those of Cisco, Eastland, Ranger, Albany and Graham, has been postponed until Friday of this week. Announcement has been made from Breckenridge, proposed site of the event. Some 125 guest Lions are expected for the meeting, which will have as its purpose building of enthusiastic feeling in club work and organization as a whole.

Citrus Fruit Price In Texas Rises

By United Press
BROWNSVILLE, Jan. 26.—Prices for Rio Grande Valley citrus fruits rose sharply today as a direct cause of freeze damage to the California orange crop. Oranges sold for \$3 a box, as compared with \$1.30 a week ago.

Striking Glimpse of Ranger, Alameda Boys to Talk Over Radio On Program



Hugh F. Barnhart picked Marlin Sneed, the president of the Ranger 4-H club, to make a talk over the radio. He also picked, out of the Alameda club, Jack Walker, who has a Jersey heifer that has won several first prizes and one third prize. Walker will tell Marlin Sneed and the radio audience how he raised his calf. Miss Betty Cook will sing "Ploughing Song," and she will be accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Hugh F. Barnhart. The program will be broadcast over the Abilene radio station.

Too tired to hold his head up is the impression left by Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., chairman of General Motors Corp., as he explains his stand on the automobile strike after a conference with Secretary Labor Frances Perkins at Washington, D. C. Resting his chin on one hand, he gestures vividly with the other, but his features look strained and weary.

Permit Required to Hunt In Mexico

WASHINGTON — To prevent delays for Americans planning hunting expeditions to Mexico, the Biological Survey, U. S. Department of Agriculture calls attention to recent Mexican hunting regulations requiring permits from proper authorities. For the issuance of permits, Mexico has been divided into three zones. Hunters in that part of northern Mexico from and including the State of Chihuahua and west should make application for permits to Oficina Forestal y de Caza y Pesca, Chihuahua, Chihuahua. For hunting permits in northern Mexico east of Chihuahua, applications should be made to the office of the same name in Monterrey, Nuevo Leon. Applications for the central and southern district should be addressed to this office in Mexico City. American hunters in Mexico also must be prepared to deposit an individual bond of 500 pesos, although exceptions are made in the case of members of two Mexican clubs. These are Club Deportivo de Norte, Chihuahua, Chihuahua; and Club Sierra Madre, Chihuahua.

Record High Water Feared at Memphis

By United Press
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Fear that a record breaking flood was approaching Memphis was expressed today by U. S. Army engineers. They predicted the Mississippi would reach 55 feet by Sunday night or Monday. That mark would be ten feet higher than the previous record.

Army Refugee Camp Plans Abandoned

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The war department today cancelled without explanation its previously announced allocation of \$900,000 for emergency construction of refugee camps in the flood zone. It was understood technicalities in the law prevented use of the funds.

G-M Plants to Be Opened Wednesday

By United Press
DETROIT, Jan. 26.—Nearly 40,000 General Motors employees in Michigan and Indiana automobile plants were ordered by company officials today to return to their jobs tomorrow. The move to re-open the plants not affected by the sit-down strike was started earlier in the week.

Hit-Run Driver Is Sought In Dallas

By United Press
DALLAS, Jan. 26.—Police searched today for a hit and run driver whose car killed Melvin Kluffton, 25, army air corps private from San Diego as he waited for a bus on the Fort Worth-Dallas highway.

ENTIRE EMERGENCY RELIEF APPROPRIATION MAY GO TO AID FLOOD VICTIMS

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President Roosevelt is prepared to allot the entire \$790,000,000 emergency relief appropriation for flood relief, "if necessary," Chairman James Buchanan of the house appropriations committee said today. The announcement came as the Red Cross estimated 700,000 were driven from their homes. The Red Cross raised its appeal from \$4,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

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Trousers Instead Of Pinafiores



R. T. Bridge, district representative of the National Red Cross, was in Ranger Tuesday urging that Ranger contribute her quota toward the flood relief fund. He said that the quota raised her quota in one day. Since the floods have been increased in their intensity the \$40 quota, originally set for Ranger, has been raised to \$80. It was expected today that this amount would easily be raised as several voluntary contributions have been received without any solicitation from Red Cross officials. Bridges brought with him to Ranger a telegram from Admiral Cary T. Grayson to J. E. Spencer, chairman of the Eastland County Chapter, urging that funds be raised for the relief of the flood sufferers. The telegram read: "J. E. Spencer, Chairman American Red Cross, Cisco, Texas. Because relief need in flooded areas of Ohio and Mississippi valleys increasing every hour as continued rains send rivers to high crest levels in history, with more than four hundred thousand persons driven from homes, urge you double your relief fund quota and go as far beyond the doubled figure as possible. We are contributing million dollars from national funds. Three hundred Red Cross relief workers now in disaster areas giving immediate emergency relief to flood refugees. Three hundred fifty Red Cross nurses in field engaged in battle against feared epidemic. Food, clothing, bedding, medical supplies being rushed by train, truck and boat. Rescue work continuing at top speed. Please intensify your campaign efforts and keep Midwest office advised daily of amount raised. Feel confident your people will not fail in this great national emergency. CARY T. GRAYSON.

Band Mothers Club Will Meet Tonight

Announcement was made here today that the Band Mothers club would meet tonight at 7 o'clock at which time important matters would be taken up for discussion and action. All members have been urged to be present. It was stated that a program has been planned in which the three ward schools would participate, for the purpose of aiding in buying band uniforms. The program will be put on either Thursday or Friday night, depending on when the Recreation building will be available.



In older days, young Jean Bannister, daughter of actress Ann Harding, would have been dressed in a crisp, starched frock when she went visiting; but here you see her in sporty tailored coat and trousers at a gathering of celebrities in Elstree, England. Jean was the subject of a custody battle between her parents.

Father-in-Law of Former Ranger Girl Buried on Tuesday

DALLAS, Jan. 26.—W. E. Chambers, 64, lumberman, of Abilene, died at the home of a son, W. E. Chambers, Jr., here early Monday. He had been in the lumber business for the past 27 years. Before entering the lumber trade he was a cattleman, and drove his herds to market from Santa Anna to El Paso. He had spent most of the winter in San Antonio and came to Dallas last week to visit his son. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mary Chambers; his mother, Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Chambers of Houston and Miss Elizabeth Chambers of Santa Anna; two sons, W. E. Chambers of Dallas and W. M. Chambers of San Antonio; two daughters, Mrs. Retha Clary of Houston and Miss Elizabeth Chambers of Santa Anna; a sister, Miss Luella Chambers of Santa Anna; a brother, J. B. Chambers of Harlingen, and six grandchildren.

Twomey Resigns As U. of T. Line Coach

AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—Choice of a second assistant to Dana X. Bible as head coach of the University of Texas football team, was left open today when Dr. J. C. Dalley received a telegram from Tod Twomey, line coach, announcing Twomey's acceptance of a coaching job at the University of Georgia.

Woman Is Held On An Extortion Charge

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., Jan. 26.—Mrs. Violet Wells Norton, 47, who alleged in letters to the federal district attorney that Clark Gable was the father of her 13-year-old daughter, was under arrest today, charged with attempted mail fraud.

Citizens Urged to Raise Quota For Red Cross Flood Relief Fund

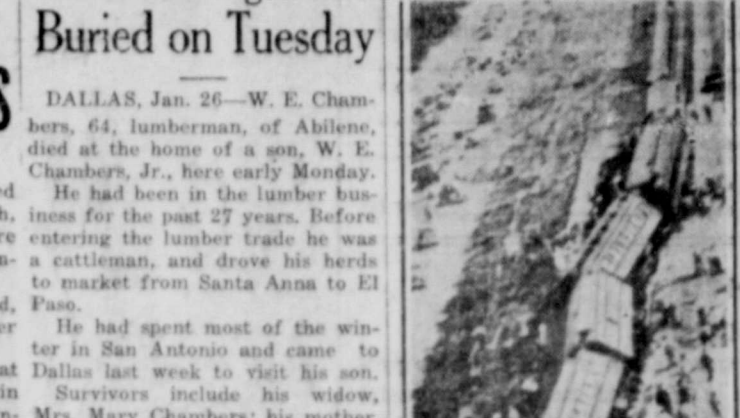
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HALL WALKER TOASTMASTER FOR BANQUET

Hall Walker was selected today as toastmaster of the annual grid banquet for the Ranger high school holidays, which is to be held in the home economics department of the high school building tonight at 7:30. Coach Morley Jennings of Baylor University, who last week telegraphed his acceptance of an invitation, will be the principal speaker of the evening. The meal will be served by the girls of the home economics department, and reports they were going to put out a meal such as few banquet guests have enjoyed. Tickets went on sale this morning with committees in charge of the banquet handling the sale. Only enough tickets will be sold to take care of the squadmen on the football team and one guest for each gridster, but those who do not obtain a ticket can secure one at the door tonight. The price of the tickets is \$1.25.

RANGER TIMES has Guest Tickets Wednesday for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reese to see "OLD HUTCH" with Wallace Berry At the ARCADIA Call at Times Office

Bad Break for 18 Hurt in Wreck



A broken rail was blamed for the derailment of two day coaches and three Pullmans of the Florida tourist train at Odessa, Fla., resulting in the injury of 18 persons. Motorists from the nearby highway examine the wreckage above.

Wallace Urges the Farmers to Grow Abundant Supplies

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace temporarily abandoning his production control policy, told farmers today in an address that it is "wise for us to produce as abundantly as we can this year." "In the year immediately ahead he said, 'I feel that farmers should think of their duty to consumers. Let's fill up the storage bins this year.' If prices should rise too much because of scarcity, there will be 'unrest,' he warned.

Defense Is Heard In Murder Trial

STEPHENVILLE, Jan. 26.—Defense witnesses testified today in the murder trial of Harold Rylee, Grandbury cafe owner, charged with killing T. C. Mitchell in 1934. The state rested its case yesterday.

Supper Planned At Morton Valley

An old fashioned supper is planned for Morton Valley tomorrow night at 7 o'clock. Amateur hour will precede a supper by students of the Home Economics department. Proceeds will go to buy needs of the department, as well as national pins.—Reporter.

MARKETS

Table with market data including Am T & T, A T & S F, Chrysler, Cons Oil, Elec B & Sh, Gen Mot, Gulf Oil, Houston Oil, Humble O & R, Mck & R, Mont, Ward, Packard, Pure Oil, Radio, Sacony Vag, Texco Co, T P C & O, U S Steel, Chicago Grain, Range of the market, Chicago grain, Prev., Corn—High Low Close, May, July, Sept., Wheat—May, July, Sept., Oats—May, July, Sept.

NEPOTISM IS CHARGED BY SOLONS

AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—Cries of nepotism heard forcibly in the 42nd legislature, rang through the Texas House of Representatives today as Rep. Ben Cathey of Quinman attempted to have the house print a 56-page report on a nepotism investigation four years ago. He withdrew his motion after lengthy debate, but served warning he will introduce a bill strengthening the state nepotism law. He said it was a "widespread practice" for an official to appoint another's relatives to jobs on a reciprocal basis. The senate voted to continue a general investigating committee as a "permanent grand jury" to inquire into state affairs. A committee appointed two years ago filed a partial report Monday. A new committee of five members was authorized today. Bills carrying out insurance reforms recommended by the committees were offered. One, which applies to every form of insurance except life, health and accident, limits earnings to eight percent and permits the state insurance commission to regulate salaries and other expenses of insurance companies. Drinks with meals in bona fide hotels, cafes and other dining places will be possible under a bill offered in the senate. The bill was offered by Sen. Weaver Moore of Houston, largest liquor sales section in the state.

Drilling Report Sent To Austin

The following report was sent Saturday from the Eastland headquarters of the Texas Railway Commission, I. J. Killough in charge. Application to Drill J. E. Fischehoff, Coleman county, J. E. Wilman, Well No. 1, survey Thomas Moffett, depth to drill 800 feet. Panhandle Refining Co., Eastland county, L. A. Hightower well No. 28, survey Wm. Van Norman, deepen 1266 to 1216. Application to Plug Walter H. Grant, Hamilton county, survey A. Kuykendall, S. P. Drake Farm, well No. 1. Sinclair Prairie Oil company, Brown county, survey Wm. Miller No. 149, H. Baxter farm, Well No. 8. Application to Shoot Panhandle Refining company, Well No. 27, L. A. Hightower lease, Eastland county. Well Record Anzac Oil Corp., et al, Coleman county, J. H. Barclay survey, lease or J. M. Hinds, Well No. 1.

Fertilizer Boosts Yield 300 Percent

An increase of more than 300 per cent in yield of bundled hegari and milo on fertilized land over adjoining land not fertilized in 1936 was recently reported by Henry Pittman, cranton farmer. He fertilized 6 acres of milo and hegari with 85 pounds per cent to 11-48-0 fertilizer at a cost of \$1.90 per acre. An adjoining part of the same field was left unfertilized but otherwise was given the same cultivation and management. Pittman cut 1000 bundles of hegari per acre from the fertilized acreage and 275 bundles per acre from the unfertilized crops. He is planning to fertilize an additional acreage of soil depleting crops in 1937 and has made application for TVA superphosphate fertilizer to use on 7 acres of sudan as a demonstration plot in cooperation with Elmo V. Cook, County Agent.

Texans Reminded Of 100-Year Debt

FORT WORTH, Jan. 26.—Texans were reminded today, as 100 Cross workers solicited funds for Ohio River flood sufferers, of an opportunity to repay a 100-year-old debt. More than 100 years ago Cincinnati church women bought the two cannon, Texas' famous "twin sisters" that helped Sam Houston win the battle of San Jacinto.

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To Save, Government Must Abolish Functions

If the idea back of reorganization of the federal government's machinery is to save lot of money, President Roosevelt's plan is a lemon. If the idea is to enable Uncle Sam to do his job with less lost motion, the plan may be a pretty good one.

So before we start to praise or to criticize the plan, we ought to get straight in our own minds the things we expect such reorganization to accomplish.

And before we get through, we are apt to find out that what is chiefly at stake is the old, old argument about the amount of work which the federal government ought to do.

The money to be saved by reorganizing government bureaus and departments will be little more than cheese-parings unless some of them, and their functions, can be abolished in toto.

If you believe that the government ought to cut down on its activities and let go of a lot of the levers, you have some real savings in sight; if you believe that the government must play a steadily increasing part in the life of the entire country, you're going to be able to save very little.

Now it is worth remembering that a good deal of the criticism of the expenses of federal administration in the past has come from people who were really interested in clearing the way for rugged individualism, rather than in economy.

That worked out like this. Suppose an industrialist found such a body as the Federal Trade Commission cramping his style. Would he open up with an attack on the commission? By no means. He would simply start a campaign of protest against government extravagance, against bureaucracy, against spending the taxpayer's money, against overlapping commissions, and against government red tape.

That sort of thing reached its climax about the time of the 1929 stock market crash, or a little later. It was the popular thing then to rail against government spending and the unwieldy bureaucracy.

Back of it there was simply this desire to lop off some of the government's functions—to abolish those bureaus and commissions which were fighting to protect the public interest from the rigors of unrestrained greed.

There are, of course, a great many people who sincerely feel that the government could do all the things it needs to do without spending quite so much money on the job. But the thing they need to bear in mind is that what makes government costly is chiefly the things government does and not the way it does them.

Military preparedness, relief in all its guises, the cost of past wars—those are the things that really cost money. Until we are ready to cut down on them, the savings we can make will be comparatively unimportant.

Mickey Cochrane, manager of Detroit's baseball team, has won a prize at a Toronto fair as a judge of cattle. He's not bad, either, at picking Tigers.

Some of the 80,000 children who signed for astronomical courses in Los Angeles will probably insist on bringing their autograph books for notes on stars.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



THE NEW 200-INCH TELESCOPE, NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION FOR USE ON MOUNT PALOMAR, IN CALIFORNIA, IS EXPECTED TO BRING 6,000 MILLION STARS WITHIN ITS PHOTOGRAPHIC RANGE.

THE JAPANESE, BY PLANTING SEEDS IN SMALL POTS OF POOR SOIL, AND BY PRUNING THE SEEDLINGS, KEEPING THEM IN UNFAVORABLE CONDITIONS AND MALTREATING THEM, CAN GROW MINIATURE TREES, WHICH AT THE AGE OF 100 YEARS, ARE ONLY 12 INCHES HIGH.

OCTOPUSES, IN CAPTIVITY, DEVOUR THEIR ARMS.

THE new Mt. Palomar telescope, although only twice as large as the present 100-inch Mt. Wilson telescope, when measured by the diameter of the lens, will catch about four times as much light. Since it is of shorter focus, it will concentrate its lights and shadows in images 10 times as bright.

INAUGURAL BALL



Economic, Social Benefits of Larger Outlets is Studied

DALLAS, Texas—Expanding markets for Southern farm products is the subject of a new economic booklet, "A Southern Product Seeks Its Market" issued by the Educational Service of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

Many new uses and markets for agriculture commodities have been developed in recent years, the booklet points out. Notable among these is the use of Southern cottonseed oil in margarine, which increased 566 per cent from 1932 to 1935.

In volume, consumption rose from 15 million pounds in 1932 to 100 million pounds in 1935. In the latter year, margarine production required the oil from cottonseed grown on 2,246,106 acres.

Supplementing the market provided by shortening, this new outlet is an important factor in determining the price of the farmer's cottonseed and its oil.

This increasing market has a wide economic and social significance to the South, the study reveals. In addition to cottonseed oil, soybean oil, beef fats, milk, peanut oil and other Southern products are widely used in margarine.

Because it provides an inexpensive, nutritious tablespread for millions of low-income families, margarine is of particular interest to consumers.

"Socially, it is significant that margarine, in serving this market, is helping to decrease the shortage of tablespreads which exists in this country—a shortage estimated by reliable authorities at not less than two billion pounds annually. Since this shortage is most acute in the South itself, the region has a special interest in this new market provided by margarine for its farm products."

Industrial, as well as agricultural, development in the South may be expected to result from increased use of Southern products in margarine, an analysis shows. Margarine plants logically will locate near the source of their raw materials, with consequent benefits to Southern agriculture, labor, consumers and others.

"For many years, the South has sought to increase its dairy herds. Margarine serves a market in which little, if any, butter is sold, furthermore, good margarine is approximately 18 per cent milk. This product provides the dairyman with a market for both whole and skim-milk—a market which, in 1935, amounted to 83 million pounds and should eventually reach several times that amount."

The ultimate value of margarine as a market for Southern farm products largely depends upon the South itself, the study concludes. There is need for united action by producers, processors and consumers to oppose any new legal restrictions upon the sale of this product when it is made entirely from domestic ingredients, and for united action to repeal existing Federal and State taxes upon margarine made from American farm products.

"Only as a result of such action will the South realize, to the fullest extent, the benefits that are possible from this new market for the products of its farms."

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Crocker Cruise Aids Museums

SAN FRANCISCO — Temple Crocker, millionaire, adventurer and scientific explorer, has returned from his fifth annual cruise in the Pacific aboard his 122-ton yacht Zaca.

To hear him recount the accomplishments and adventures of these voyages, nothing has ever happened. However, from detailed accounts by other members of the crew, here are a few things that can be put down to the credit of the semi-adventurous semi-scientific voyages.

Under-sea explorations with Dr. William Beebe, coinventor of the bathysphere.

Adventures with the descendants of the Bounty mutineers still living on Pitcairn Island.

The making on Easter Island of a plaster cast of one of the famous statues that dot the prehistoric island.

Exploration of the famous Peru bird islands that are raked every year for millions of dollars worth of guano.

A landing on the lone Fernandez Island, former home of Robinson Crusoe.

Making of phonographic records of the chants and jargon of shaggy South Sea islanders for museum files.

Making of a collection of native canoes of southern waters also for museum purposes.

Collection of bird specimens from three habitat groups between Honolulu and the United States that are destined for the Whitney branch of the American Museum of Natural History. The islands are the little known ones of Savali in the Hawaiian group, Kauai, in the Hawaiian group, and the almost unknown Laysan Island where an albatross was downed with a wing spread of more than 6 feet.

Making of a collection of pearl shells from Tonarava Island under the direction of Dr. Roy Waldo Miner, curator of marine life at the American museum.

Taking of reams of colored under-sea films as well as underwater sketches of marine life executed on metal or glass.

Weathering of an epidemic of typhoid in Western Samoa where the authorities threatened to quarantine them if they landed for much needed food supplies.

"No," insists Crocker, "nothing ever happens on these trips. They are just a matter of routine."

Old People Warned Of Pension Grafters

AUSTIN. — Information has reached the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission that one or more persons are calling upon aged persons in various parts of West Texas and posing as "Special Agents" of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission.

According to information, these "Special Agents" are representing to the old people whom they call on that it is necessary to buy an insurance policy before they can receive old age assistance, or that if they do buy such an insurance policy it will greatly expedite or practically insure their receiving old age assistance.

"We have been trying for the past several days to locate this person or persons, but so far have been unable to do so for the reason that the aged people whom we have been able to contact do not have the name or address of the person who came to see them and do not know the company he claims to represent," officials stated.

"It seems unnecessary to warn that any such actions are not authorized by the Commission or anyone connected with it, and that such actions are part of a scheme to deceive and defraud these aged people. I promise you that we will vigorously prosecute this person or persons the very minute that we are able to locate him or them," the Commission spokesman declared.

A. & M. May Get Oil Engineering School Under

By United Press
AUSTIN, Texas—Howard Rog, state representative from Lavaca, has introduced a bill to create a school of petroleum engineering in the A. & M. College and to authorize drilling by students on State land.

In event of discovery of oil and gas division of the railroad commission would supervise. Profits would go to State funds. Hartog proposes appropriation of \$250,000 to establish the school.

Representative Henry H. Fort Worth introduced a bill regulating the commission to regulations governing operations, to prevent war petroleum.

Ohio License Plates Boost Celebrate

By United Press
COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Ohio mobile license plates in 1937 bear a symbol in commemoration of the Northwest Territory, which will have 150 years of Ohio, as its chief center.

Ohio took a tip from Texas adopting automobile license plates. Texas advertised centennial of 1936 in that manner.

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Political Announcement

The Times is authorized to announce the following candidate for position on the City Commission of Ranger, subject to the vote of the people in the City Election, to be held in April, 1937.

For Mayor:
 DR. HARRY A. LOGSDON

For Police Commissioner:
 HAL H. HUNTER

For Street Commissioner:
 COLONEL BRASHIER

For Finance and Fire Commissioner:
 L. H. FLEWELLEN

For Water Commissioner:
 E. H. MILLS

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Bible Lesson Taken from Tenth Chapter of Hebrews:
 Mrs. Dick Canifax, offered for members of the Bible class of Church of Christ, a very interesting lesson Monday afternoon interwoven around the tenth chapter of Hebrews. So complete was the lesson it has been declared one of the most inspirational of any to have been heard in some time.

The concluding period of the lesson had for the principle subject "Priestly Garments in the Olden Days." Mrs. Canifax talked fluently and accentuated many points never to have been brought to the minds of her hearers heretofore.

"Worship" will constitute the next lesson topic and from the deep interest shown at yesterday's meeting a full group of members will be present.

The hour brought a courtesy to Mrs. C. L. Dorsey, in the form of a miscellaneous shower. The usual donation of groceries were also offered and will later in the week be delivered to underprivileged families of the town.

Present: Mmes. E. R. Green, O. G. Lanier, Brown Bradley, Edwin George, H. V. Davenport, J. E. Sewell, John Love, P. E. Moore, Dick Canifax, E. E. Ivey, W. S. Murrey, Velton Moster, J. D. Johnson and Misses. Leola Martin and Neville Langford.

Named Duke Edward:
 Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dixon, are the proud parents of an eight and one-half pound son, who arrived at the City-County Hospital, Monday morning, January 25th, and has been named Duke Edward. Mother and son are reported to be doing nicely at their home having been removed from the hospital Monday evening. Mrs. Dixon, is the former Miss Wilda Duke.

Ice Play Proves Fun Until Head Injury is Sustained:
 The hour of frolic provided by the ice and sleet of last week proved great fun for many which included Bill Mitchell, former Ranger Times carrier boy and ex-member of the Ranger High School Building football team until a sudden spill which resulted in

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a deep laceration on the head. According to reports Bill's injury will not prove serious, but gives him something to remember the weather of last week. Various modes of sleighs were noted darting here and there drawn by automobiles, and incidentally we hear there were also other tumbles but less serious ones. One young lady who is a student in high school took advantage of winter's wonderland by resorting to ride in a wash tub, and declares the effect was equal to that of a sleigh and quite thrilling, at any rate assured more safety.

In Dallas:
 Emmitt Martin, head of the shoe department at Joseph's, is in Dallas attending the annual spring shoe convention now in session at the Adolphus Hotel. The infant son of the Martin's has been ill but improved sufficiently for his father to make the trip.

Story Book Club Plans Valentine Party:
 Members of the Story Book club enjoyed an hour's session with hostess, Jewel Christine White Monday afternoon and heard for the chief topic, "The Life of Eugene Fields." Betty Smith conducted the review.

A story written by Lydia Bryant, will soon be transformed into a dialogue along with other interesting developments of the club's activities.

Next meeting day will introduce for the entertainment of members a Valentine party.

Ward School Program Set For Thursday Night:
 On Thursday night of this week at the Recreation building an entertainment under the sponsorship of the Band Mothers' club, will be given presenting children of Ranger ward schools.

This program affords another opportunity for the younger children to demonstrate talent that which will doubtless grow into finer branches in later years. For those of you who have not heard the various choral clubs, harmonica band and various other features of entertainment you certainly should support this fine cause and plan on attending the entertainment at 7:30 o'clock.

Modern Turkey
 In the home of Mrs. E. K. Smith, Wednesday afternoon, the members of the New Era club will hear a lesson on "Modern Turkey" given under the leadership of the hostess.

The study opens at 3:30 o'clock and those making up the program personnel are Mrs. T. J. Anderson, whose subject is "Constantinople," Mrs. H. C. Clark, "Angora," Mrs. J. J. Kelly, "Glimpse of Islam," Miss Marie Kohn, "Emancipation of Turkish Women." Mrs. F. P. Brashier will share honors with the hostess.

Bible Study
 Circles of the Women's Missionary society of First Baptist church derived much good from the Bible lessons held in separate groups on Monday afternoon with study taken from the Old and New Testaments. Respective leaders were in charge and brought the close of study through the serving of refreshments.

Bottled Note Floats Down Mississippi
 ST. LOUIS—Six months ago Joseph Devaney, city employe, had a pop bottle, a scrap of paper and an idea. On the paper he wrote: "Finder will receive \$1 by acknowledging." The paper he put in the bottle and the bottle he threw into the Mississippi River.

Now Devaney has received a letter from Jacksonville, Fla. The writer said he had fished the bottle out of the Gulf of Mexico, and extended to Devaney an invitation to come to Florida to try his luck at fishing. A postscript requested the \$1.

Judging from the consensus of movie critics, Mr. Deeds went to town.

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Levee Ripped Open, Farmlands Submerged in Missouri



Navaged by previous disastrous floods, the section around Kennett, in the extreme southeastern part of Missouri, again was swept by a deluge, the scene above showing a great gap in the levee by the surging waters of St. Francis river. In the foreground is a railway line, and above the torments, and a great stretch of fertile farmland was submerged. Hundreds of lowland residents were driven from their homes and more than 2000 refugees were cared for in Kennett, a city of 3500 population, by relief agencies.

Worn Out Piano Brings Troopers Together Again

PALESTINE, Texas—The classical melodies of Schubert and Mozart played on a battered coffee shop piano in a small hotel brought the reunion of two troopers who had not seen each other since 1916.

Jack Kern, who calls himself the "Iron Man" and claims to be the world's champion load-puller, in pre-war days used to exhibit his muscular "accomplishments" on stages throughout the Southwest. In the orchestra pit a young man of 22, E. V. (Monk) Tanner, played musical accompaniments to Kern's demonstrations of strength.

The World War soon broke up the combination of musical and muscular skill as Tanner joined the 16th regimental band, Third Cavalry, First Division of the U. S. Expeditionary Forces. Tanner found no time at St. Michel and in the Argonne Forest to play his piano or violin; he was too busy dodging bullets. And apparently he figured when he should have sagged for 12 of them found their marks.

Tanner now lives on a farm near Frankston, Texas. He is married and has five children. He has a violin which he says is valuable but he refused offers for the instrument as his five-year-old son wants to become a violinist.

Disabled and expecting death at any moment, Tanner, was summoned to Palestine for jury service. Arriving in his worn service jacket and old trench cap, he explained his poor health to the judge and was excused from jury duty.

Waiting for a train to take him back to Frankston, the musician who had 15 years' of musical education, including two years in the Conservatory of Music of Mexico City, heard a man trying to play a classical selection on an old worn piano in the coffee shop of a small hotel. He sauntered over.

"Do you play?" asked Jack Kern, who was fiddling with the keys.

"Who I haven't touched a key in six months, Tanner replied. "Try it," encouraged Kern.

Tanner sat down at the keyboard. His roughened hands traveled haltingly over the keys. Gaining assurance Tanner began playing a Mozart melody. Then he played a composition by Schubert. Kern listened in rapture as Tanner coaxed classical airs from the old piano. Tanner played his own composition, "Advance of the Angels March," a selection described as more complicated and more finely balanced than John Philip Sousa's "Under the Double Eagle."

People gathered around the piano.

"You must be a famous person," said the muscular Kern.

"I was once a trooper," Tanner confided. He told of bookings he had played.

"That's funny," said Kern. "I played at some of those theaters myself."

Then, suddenly, they knew each other.

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Behind the Scenes in Washington

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
 NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—A Negro messenger recently was observed dodging across Pennsylvania Avenue toward the White House, heavily laden with a pile of sound, typewritten pages about two feet high.

If it had been known in time what he was carrying, he almost certainly would have been way-laid by 10 cabinet members, a hundred bureau chiefs and commissioners, and a small army of other New Deal officials.

For the messenger's load was the report of the president's committee on reorganization of government—consisting of Louis Brownlow, Charles E. Merriam, and Luther Gulick.

Significance of this doesn't rest in the curious fact that the report wasn't noted in a taxi or a government wagon, but in the insistence of those who saw the pile that only a small portion of the committee's actual report has been transmitted to Congress.

Roosevelt gave Congress only 47 pages, which laid down general principles and outlined specifically only those broad, major changes recommended by the committee which require congressional action.

THE actual program for regrouping more than a hundred general government agencies, commissions and bureaus—including such big ones as WPA, PWA, Social Security, CCC, and TVA—there is every reason to believe, is locked up in the president's desk for use after Congress gives him power to use it.

An enormous amount of subterranean lobbying, directed at the White House, already has begun. Many officials suspect they know what's in the suppressed bulk of the Brownlow report and are

Bus Crash Probe Is Begun at Miami

By United Press

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 26.—An investigation was pressed today into the bus disaster that took the lives of 17 persons when they were trapped inside a sight seeing coach that fell into a drainage canal 30 miles from here.

Peace Justice O. B. Sutton set an inquest for Thursday.

Police of Cleveland Warned of Methods

CLEVELAND—Safety Director Elliott Ness has warned members of his police department that "third degree" methods will not be tolerated.

Ness suspended Sgt. Michael Lowry for 15 days without pay after Lowry had been found guilty of mistreating an 18-year-old boy, suspected in a robbery. The boy later was found not to have participated in the robbery.

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Bibliography of Oil and Gas Is Now Being Proposed

AUSTIN—Publication of a bibliography of books in English, covering all phases of oil and gas literature, is proposed by the University of Texas department of petroleum engineering and School of Law. The compilation was made by Robert E. Hardwicke of Fort Worth, member of the Texas Bar Association, nationally recognized authority on oil and gas laws, and an alumnus of the University. Mr. Hardwicke has donated the results of his efforts to the University.

In general, it is explained by H. H. Power, chairman of the department of petroleum and classification of copyrighted material recorded in the Library of Congress, together with a few items of general interest found elsewhere. A unique feature of the bibliography is the section giving references to articles, notes and comments concerning engineering and other aspects of petroleum and natural gas appearing in legal periodicals published in the United States. A succeeding section gives reference to governmental investigations and reports.

References are also made to indexes, lists, and other bibliographies, such as the publications of the United States Government bureaus and departments." Mr. Power said, "This insures a reasonably complete guide to the literature of petroleum and natural gas."

"If the advance demand is favorable, it is proposed to print Mr. Hardwicke's bibliography under the auspices of the department of petroleum engineering and School of Law of The University of Texas. Proceeds from the sale of the book above publishing if any, will be devoted to a similar purpose, probably the extension of the University library on petroleum and natural gas."

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