

Germany decrees all right angles shall have 100 degrees instead of 90, making an even more vicious circle for the average Nazi to go around in.

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UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS.

Law revisions give New Yorkers the right to have bean shooters within the city but LaGuardia retains the monopoly as a tiger hunter.

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## NINE ESCAPE FROM JAIL IN CORPUS CHRISTI

By United Press  
CORPUS CHRISTI, Dec. 1.—Nine prisoners, five of them Mexicans, tunneled their way out of the sixth floor of the Nueces county Jail today and escaped, two of them kidnaping a taxi driver.

## Much Better, Thank You!



Minus the famous Roosevelt smile but apparently recovered from the tooth and digestive troubles that confined him to the White House recently, President Roosevelt faces the camera for the first time in several weeks on leaving Washington, D. C., for a fishing trip in Florida waters.

## OVER 200 AT OPEN HOUSE KP MEETING

Two hundred and forty-six persons attended an open house program Tuesday night at the Knights of Pythias Castle hall in Eastland. The attendance was the highest ever registered at an open house program of the Pythians.

Chicken salad sandwiches, cranberry sauce, lettuce, cake, coffee and cocoa was served. The salad was prepared by Leon Bourland. Members and their wives furnished the food.

## Fertilizer Meet Called By Starr For Rising Star

A meeting of interested farmers from Eastland, Brown, Comanche, Erath and Callahan counties to discuss commercial fertilizers and plan a pool order has been announced by W. B. Starr, of Cisco, President of the Southern Peanut Growers' Association.

## Funeral Held For John Thomas Sue, Longtime Citizen

Funeral services for John Thomas Sue, 84, who died Tuesday at his Eastland residence on South Walnut street were to be conducted this afternoon at the Hamner Undertaking chapel in Eastland. Burial was to be in Eastland cemetery.

## STABILIZATION OF DOLLAR IS BEING URGED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Senator Elmer Thomas, Dem., Okla., urging adoption of his proposal designed to regulate and stabilize the dollar, today warned the Senate that we "are in a \$50,000,000 recession."

## McCoy Returned By Madill Officer

Sheriff T. Z. Splawn of Madill, Oklahoma, left Tuesday afternoon from Eastland with Joe McCoy, 34, wanted by Marshall county officers on a felony forgery charge.

## May King Case Is Reversed by Court

AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—The following proceedings were had today in the court of criminal appeals: Affirmed—Tony Johnson and Larry Edwards from Eastland county.

## Peace Is Seen In Long Union War

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Prospects of a quick peace between the American Federation of Labor and the Committee for Industrial Organization were enhanced today by the agreement of John L. Lewis and William Green to meet tomorrow and make a personal attempt to end their two-year-old struggle for dominance of the labor movement.

## Salesman Attacked, Automobile Stolen

DALLAS, Dec. 1.—Tom Cathey, 26, salesman, was near death today and police held a 16-year-old Dallas boy, who admitted shooting Cathey to obtain his automobile.

## Opening Winter's Ski-ways



Symbolic of thousands of winter sports enthusiasts who are flocking to winter's snow-covered playgrounds, is this skier as he swoops down a glistening slope in Yosemite National Park. With ski-poles flung wide and waxed wooden blades biting into fresh-fallen snow, the skier is shown as he executes, with expert precision, a difficult Christiania turn only a few feet from the camera.

## MAVERICKS WILL STAGE SQUAD TILT

An intra-squad game will be played Thursday afternoon at 3:30 on Welch field by the Eastland Mavericks, it was announced Wednesday.

## STRAWN PLAYS IN "SOUP BOWL" ON THURSDAY

Along with the numerous other "Bowl" teams selections which are being made at this time the Strawn High School Greyhounds have been given a bid and accepted the invitation to play in the "Soup Bowl" game to be played at the Ranger High School Stadium Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## RANGER MAN KILLED AT GRADE CROSSING BY FREIGHT TRAIN

F. W. Brown, about 40, of Ranger, was killed shortly after midnight Tuesday at the railway crossing at Tiffin, when the truck in which he was riding was struck by an east-bound Texas & Pacific freight train. The body of Brown was not found until after daylight Wednesday morning.

## 29-Year-Old Check Found In a Wallet

MINERAL WELLS, Texas.—A 29-year-old U. S. government check to pay for the land upon which the Mineral Wells postoffice is located was found here recently in an old pocketbook.

## Citrus Crop Small In the Valley

WESLACO, Texas.—Officials of the Rio Grande Valley Citrus Exchange have estimated that the 1937-38 lower Rio Grande Valley citrus crop will not be more than 11,500 cars of fruit, including both rail and truck shipments.

## ONE HURT SERIOUSLY IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Three men were injured and one was near death today as the result of a head-on automobile collision at 1 a. m. on the Bankhead highway midway between Cisco and Eastland.

## Heads Paralysis Fund Committee



With the approval of President Roosevelt, Keith Morgan above, will head the national committee which will organize the annual President's Birthday Balls on January 30 to raise funds for the war on infantile paralysis.

## Japanese Return Seized Tugs and Make Apologies

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Secretary of State Cordell Hull indicated today the state department is satisfied with Japan's return of a launch, seized from its American owners, and apology for hauling down the American flag on the boat.

## TAX ON CHAIN STORES UPHELD IN HIGH COURT

AUSTIN, Dec. 1.—The Texas Supreme Court today held valid the state's chain store tax, and held, also, that retail selling of tires, shoes or other manufactured products in branches of the manufacturing concern make them liable to the tax.

## Rev. Thompson to Preach Here Sun.

Announcement was made in Ranger today by officers of Central Baptist church that preaching services next Sunday would be conducted by Rev. Thompson of Ranger. Rev. Thompson will fill the pulpit at both morning and evening services.

## WPA Relief Rolls at A New Peak Nov. 13

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—WPA relief rolls increased to more than 1,500,000 for the week ending on Nov. 13, according to statistics released today.

## Ranger Masons Will Meet On Thursday

Ranger Masonic lodge will meet tomorrow night at the temple on Elm and South Rusk. There are several items of importance to be brought up for discussion according to the officers of the lodge and all members are invited to attend.

## Train Robbers Plead Guilty to Charges

LAS CRUCES, N. M., Dec. 1.—Bullets taken from the body of W. L. Smith, railroad employe killed in a holdup of the Southern Pacific train Apache, were fired from a gun belonging to Henry Lorenzo, a ballistics expert reported today.

## Hollywood Coiffure Has Better Chance Than Europe's Style

AUSTIN, Tex.—A Hollywood coiffure has a better chance of becoming "style" than anything turned out in Europe, according to Mrs. P. A. Houston of Henderson, member of the Texas Board of Cosmetology.

## Anti-Trust Charges Filed On Companies

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—Attorney General Homer Cummings revealed today that the Western Union Telegraph company, Postal Telegraph corporation and their officers were charged with violation of the Sherman anti-trust act in a case filed in federal court.

## Auto Workers Plan Ford Plant Strikes

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 1.—The United Automobile Workers' union will carry its strike against Ford to Kansas City and Long Beach, Calif., next week, Richard Frankenstein, vice president, said today.

## Life Term Saves a Man New Life Term

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Because he was convicted once of a capital offense, a 52-year-old Fort Worth ex-convict recently escaped a life prison sentence for stealing a cow.

## CHRISTMAS SUPERSTITIONS



A superstition in Central European mining districts holds that on Christmas Eve high mass is sung by invisible choristers in the mine with the richest ore.

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The first and biggest step in the process of getting a country ready for a war is to sell it on the idea that if war comes it can't possibly stay out.

We are getting a sizeable dose of that sort of sales talk right now. It is raising in on us from all sides, and the argument runs about like this: If a major war starts anywhere, the world is so much a unit nowadays that its effects are felt everywhere. Isolation is impossible; we got tangled up in the last war and we shall inevitably get tangled up in the next one.

Now it may be true that we could profitably co-operate for the sake of world peace—if any major power showed the slightest willingness to make any sacrifices for peace, which to date none of them has done.

But it is about time that someone got up in meeting and pointed out the utter absurdity of saying that we can't possibly stay out of the next war.

Of course we can stay out of it. Nobody is going to be insane enough to come over here and attack us; if we just make up our minds that we aren't going to do any fighting off our home lot, and stick to it, then we stay out of war. It is as simple as that.

Of course, it might be expensive. Whole volumes have been written to show that we would have lost billions of dollars in 1917 if we had accepted the German submarine campaign and remained at peace.

But the answer to that is simple: we lost billions of dollars anyway, in the long run, and saddled ourselves with a mess of trouble that we still aren't entirely out from under.

From a dollars and cents view point, it would have been far cheaper if our government had bought up all the foreign orders that were outstanding in 1917—orders for guns, shell, steel, cotton, wheat, oil and all the rest—paid the sellers in hard cash, towed the whole lot out to the middle of the ocean, and sunk it there.

Our government paid the bills anyway, in the long run. By going to war it simply took on some billions of dollars worth of other obligations—and just incidentally, sent about 150,000 young Americans to their deaths.

The expenses of any course of action are relative. It is quite true that as the world is now operated it can be fearfully expensive for a nation like ours to remain at peace when everybody else is fighting.

But there is this to remember: that nothing possibly can be as ruinously expensive as a war.

We ought to keep that fact in mind, when people start telling us how "inevitable" our participation in that next war is going to be.

A Record-Breaker

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers. Includes a small portrait of a man in the grid.

THE WOLF WHERE THE DOORSTEP OUGHT TO BE



Presto! Dunninger Does Fabled Hindu Rope Trick

The Hindus may never have performed the fabled but unauthenticated "Indian Rope Trick," but Joseph Dunninger, at top, exhibited the illusion in New York, as you can see below.



A mechanical figure climbs the rope at left, after it rises rigidly from the coil of rope on the floor. Then, on reaching the top, the figure vanishes, at right, into thin air!

NO BUTTONS; ASKS DIVORCE

CLEVELAND—Cecil W. Angberger filed suit for a divorce because his wife, Gladys, "wouldn't help fix my clothes when they came off."

MARKETS

Table of market closing prices for New York and Chicago. Includes categories like Am T & T, Chrysler, Cons Oil, etc.

Tells President Power 'Deal' OK



Floyd E. Carlisle, chairman of Consolidated Edison Company of New York, is shown above as he left the White House after agreeing to consider a \$100,000,000 expansion program for his company and to "go along" with President Roosevelt's effort to obtain lower private electric rates in return for lessened government competition.

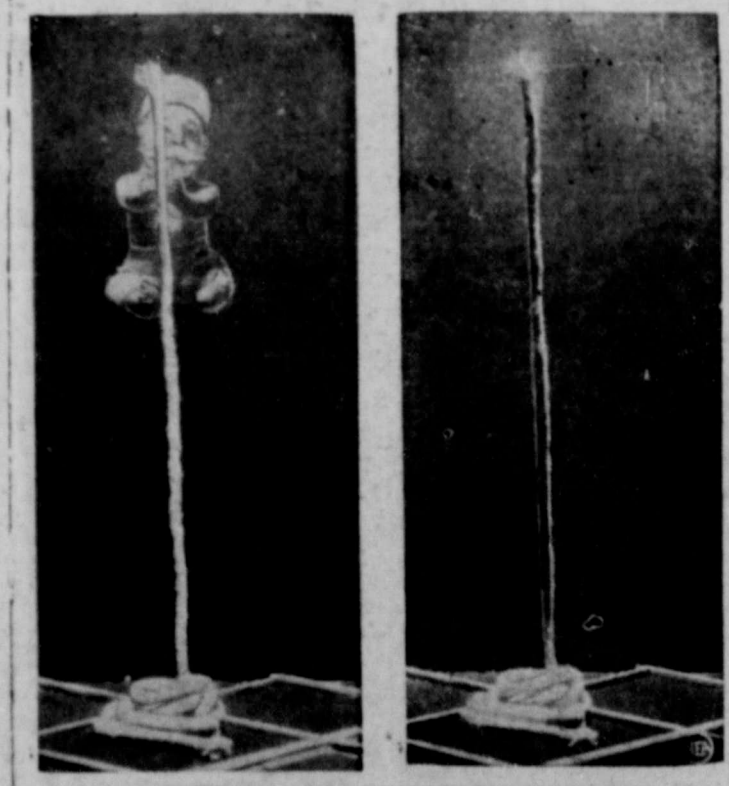
Hobo Offers Tips On Slang of the Road

ST. LOUIS.—To the layman, such terms as jungle buzzards, ringtail monkeys and fuzzytails are vague. But to Jeff Davis, King of the Hoboes of America, Inc., those words have definite meanings.

Advertisement for Dr. W. C. Palmer, 211 Pine St. - Ranger, Texas. Specializes in RUPTURE, PILES and VARICOSE VEINS.

Advertisement for Bayer Aspirin: BOY BORN PATRIOTIC. DALLAS, Texas—Because he was born on July 4, his father presented L. H. Coney with a history of the American Revolution.

Advertisement for Bayer Aspirin: 2-WAY RELIEF FOR THE MISERY OF COLDS. Includes an illustration of a woman and text describing the relief of cold symptoms.



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With no further reason to be mysterious and camera shy, John Montague shows his happiness just after he was soundly kissed by Mrs. Esther Plunkett, the Beverly Hills socialite standing beside him, above, who was among two-score friends—movie luminaries included—who greeted the John Bunyan of the golf courses upon his return to Hollywood.

Large advertisement for Chesterfield cigarettes. Features the text 'First a handshake... then "Have a Chesterfield"', an illustration of a man and woman shaking hands, and a pack of Chesterfield cigarettes.



### Treasures of Many Kinds Are Found Underground In Texas

**TIN.**—Buried treasure! Records that project fleeting records of burly, hairy chested up-throated buccaners—adventurers like Jean La-Captain Kidd and a host of who roamed the seven seas and looting.

Records of these daring men as children. Some of whom have even harbored some day embarking on a hunt for the glittering and jewels which log-ghosts of these departed of the bounding main.

Today, Texas thrills to a variety of buried treasure; not gold and silver; not of the jewels of Austria, which were buried in the brush south of Odessa; but minerals which the Texas Planning Board has located in the fertile and prolific soil of the state.

Industrialists, determined to get their smoke stacks belching the black smoke that belches of humming activity below, seeking new sources of raw materials. They have combed the north, northern and middle states. Now they are turning to Texas.

Texas has many industrial minerals. Sepiolite is one of them. It is a fine white claylike mineral, soft and light enough to dry to float on water. Unusually the only known deposit of this rare mineral, which is called Meerchaum, was in the state of Texas. But, near Uvalde there is a deposit of this mineral which may add to the wealth of Texas.

Uvalde is another rare mineral with almost magic properties. In its raw state it resembles mica. Exposed to low heat it expands 27 times its original volume, takes on a golden color and assumes the lightness and buoyancy of cork and floats on water. It is fire resistant and an ideal insulation for electrical boxes and hot water heaters.

Another highly prized mineral in Texas is mineral wool. The clay when treated becomes a glassy and hollow fiber which is easily forced through pressure hoses between walls and ceilings. It also can be pressed into sheets.

Asbestos is still another mineral found in large quantities in Texas. It has great value as a fireproof filler.

The largest asphalt rock deposit in the world is located between Antonio and Uvalde. Texas also abounds in pumice, a mineral which is actively used in cleaning preparations. Large deposits of granite have been uncovered in the state, Llano, Burnet and Matagorda counties.

Marble and granite of the highest quality can be found in many parts of the state.

Texas also has a mineral which is valued from \$10 to \$20 a pound. Iceland Spar, a pure crystalline form of calcite, sufficiently pure and free from defects used in the manufacture of optical instruments. Most of the Iceland Spar in Texas is in Mason county.

Nature has generously endowed Texas with large quantities of brick clays, fire clays, kaolin, stoneware, refractory, tile, slip, porcelain and pottery clays.

Texas Planning Board mineralogists also have located deposits of amethysts and topaz in Llano and Burnet counties.

While the search for minerals goes on in Texas' veritable storehouse of underground wealth, the planning board is making every effort to interest out-of-the-state industries in the mineral resources of Texas.

### Schooling In Crime Detection Will Be Opened at Austin

**AUSTIN.**—Ten days of schooling in the modern methods of crime detection will be opened to Texas peace officers on Dec. 6, when the Department of Public Safety inaugurates its first instructional training school at Camp Mabry, near Austin.

Col. H. H. Carmichael, public safety director, announced plans for the school in invitations sent to every enforcement organization in the state urging them to register delegates for the varied courses of study. The state police director named Capt. Homer Gar-

son, Jr., assistant safety director and veteran police training instructor, as supervisor of the school. Twenty-six outstanding crime detection specialists from Texas and other states and federal bureaus have been chosen as instructors.

"We have obtained the services of the best instructors available to give peace officers of Texas an opportunity to become versed in scientific and modern methods of enforcement," Col. Carmichael said. "Science is playing an important part in the apprehension and conviction of modern criminals."

The officers will be housed in a large, new dormitory at the Camp Mabry barracks construction for the training of state patrolmen. A cafeteria is operated in the same building as the dormitory and lecture rooms.

Studies will include criminal investigations, identification, police communications, criminal evidence and procedure, firearms, automobile theft, first aid, control of strikes and mobs, public relations, co-ordination of law enforcement agencies. Actual crime scenes will be re-enacted and studied, Capt. Garrison said.

Gov. James V. Allred is scheduled to address the officers on the opening day. A banquet and entertainment for the visitors is planned for the school's termination. Instructors will be J. M. Rooney, Galveston, president of the City Marshals and Chiefs of Police Union of Texas; I. E. Nitshko, firearms expert of the Federal Bureau of Investigation; Ed-

ward Clark, secretary of state; E. A. Gormley, Dallas, manager of the National Auto Theft Bureau; R. D. Thorp, Austin chief of police; Gus T. Jones, San Antonio, agent in charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation; Forrest V. Sorrels, New Orleans, supervising agent of the United States Secret Service; Chris Fox, El Paso county sheriff; J. B. Arnold, Bee county sheriff and president of the Texas Sheriffs Association; C. A. Faxton, chief enforcement officer of the Texas Liquor Control Board; V. A. Leonard, Fort Worth, police identification superintendent; Vann M. Kennedy, Austin news writer and publisher, and Joseph M. Bransky, Washington, bureau of narcotics supervisor. Other instructors will be selected from personnel of the safety department.

### Europe Thinks U.S. Revolution Is Likely

**By United Press**  
**HOUSTON, Texas.**—Europe feels that America is in the early stages of revolution and is headed for conditions similar to those in Germany, Robert J. Eustace of Washington, member of the Republican National Committee, told the Women's Republican club of Houston.

"Europeans regard our strikes as an indication we are in the early stages of revolution," Eustace said. "They feel it is very significant that most of the pictures of strikes show the leaders to be young men."

"They feel that condition

among the youth in the CCC organizations and WPA are similar to the conditions that made German youth champion Hitler. They look for a similar trend in American politics."

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**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
**ROBERT BARRY**—hero, explorer.  
**MELISSA LANE**—heroine, Barry's partner.  
**HOLLIS JONES**—Indian member of Barry's party.  
**HARRIS JONES**—planner, member of Barry's party.

Yesterday, prospects of a real discovery in the cliff dwelling aparts Bob and Melissa. Meanwhile, Hollis and Harris are busy with the Indian girl.

### CHAPTER XII

"All set, partner?"  
Bob Barry stage-whispered this to Melissa Lane. He was thumping on the outside of her tent with his finger, trying to awaken her.

"Yes! In just a moment, Bob." She dressed with incredible speed. Bob met her outside in the darkness, holding her shoulder.

"I left a note telling them we would be gone indefinitely," he said, "and enough orders to keep Hollis and Holliman busy for a week, so they won't get inquisitive. They can make the camp a lot more homey, and build a larger horse corral."

It was not yet 4 a. m., and the two partners felt a sense of adventure at starting to explore an unknown cave. The climb up the cliff ladders itself was thrilling. At the very rim of the great rock lip they sat down, dangling their feet over 600 feet of space, to eat the breakfast Bob had brought in his pack.

"Just imagine—we're as high as a 50 story skyscraper, Bob!"

"Regular penthouse, almost," grinned the young scientist. "But awful poor elevator service."

Lissa laughed aloud. They could just see the first rays of morning, an opal glow straight ahead heralding the coming of the sun god. The black blanket of the desert night was fading into pinkish gray; soon it would be a mere coverlet of pastel blues and tans.

They ate, mostly in silence, impressed by the majesty of the mountains, the incomparable lift of spirit that comes from greeting the sun on a height. Lissa felt very near to Bob Barry in that quarter hour, near and intimate, and content.

When they were through they hesitated for a moment, watching the crescendo of color, the explosion of dawn. "It's marvelous, Mary Melissa, isn't it?" he whispered.

"Yes," she whispered back.

"Heavenly." They looked at each other and smiled.

"Happy!" he murmured. The girl nodded.

He had to force himself out of the personal mood. With a sudden wild cry he arose and pulled her to her feet.

"Into the dungeon for you, damsel!" he orated in mock drama. "Ah-h-h-h, whatever is there we'll beard in its den."

"I'll light the lantern now," he said.

It made brilliant light, and at once it turned the cavern into a sort of fairyland. They were able to proceed at an easy pace, sloping gently down a hallway, then up and turn down and up again. The place seemed endless. Bob was studying everything carefully.

Then they stooped through a small opening and came into a room so large that their light would not penetrate all of it.

"This is unbelievable, Bob!" Lissa exclaimed. "I can hardly imagine anything so beautiful!"

"Just like Carlsbad. Or Colossal Cave, near Tucson. Common type of cave formation in the southwest. Some of these caverns are millions of years old."

Bob was more concerned with finding an avenue through the new room. He noted frequently the air current. It wasn't strong, but it was definite.

"It isn't a tomb, after all," he spoke as if to himself. "This was used for something else. That one body may have been placed up there just to mislead snooping enemies or something."

Progress was slow now. The lantern cast ghostly shadows among the floor and ceiling formations. It was easy for the two to become separated and lose sight of each other.

Often there were drops of 40 or 50 feet which had to be descended on hands and feet and then at some risk. But they were eager to press on, keen in their quest for exploration. They crawled and climbed and slid for two or three hours, when Bob remembered to call a halt for rest. Gratefully Lissa sat down near him.

"Say Bob," she spoke in sudden alarm, "could you—can you find our way back out of here?"

He feigned surprise for a moment, then quickly grinned. "Sure thing," he declared. "I've been marking every turn, with pieces of chalk I brought just for the purpose, either white or black. See?" He showed her the markings. "I anticipated that worry."

Bob slipped his pack off his shoulders to rest them, and placed it against a stone. As he sat there he began studying rock formations with his pocket magnifying glass.

This interest led him a few feet away. They talked, mostly of geology, for a quarter hour or so.

"Let's move on. Rested, Lissa?"

"Feel fine," she declared. "I'll carry the lantern for a while, Bob, and you can be more free to study the stones."

They moved with considerable caution now. Much of the floor was slanting, and slippery with loose rocks and earth. They came to a ledge, a sort of subterranean cliff edge. She held the lantern up and out, but neither of them could see the bottom. It seemed like the proverbial bottomless pit, down there in the depth of Mother Earth.

"Go, it's scary!" Lissa shivered in exaggerated manner, which wasn't quite all pretense.

"It is, at that," Bob agreed. "This confounded cave gets bigger and bigger. And it's like a maze, with all these limestone deposits."

He leaned over the edge. The drop seemed to be sheer. He threw a rock, and estimated the depth at about 100 feet.

"Hold out the lantern again, Lissa," he requested. "Shield your eyes then, and maybe you can see the bottom."

It might have happened to any person. Certainly it was one of those accidents for which there is no accounting, no explanation.

Lissa swung the gasoline light by its handle out over the rock ledge—and it slipped from her hand!

She gasped. Somewhere half way down it hit—crack!—tinkle!—flicker!—and a final BANG! as the fuel exploded.

A hellish glare penetrated the subterranean depth for a moment. Then the darkness was complete, stifling.

Silence reigned for a second or two. But as full realization of their plight reached her, Lissa gave a hysterical scream.

(To Be Continued)

## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox  
NEA Service Staff Writer  
READERS ask for help on entertaining their bridge club at luncheon. So here is the help in the form of bridge club luncheon menus and a few trumps of recipes.

### Tomorrow's Menu

**BREAKFAST:** Tomato and lemon juice, buckwheat cakes, sausage cakes, honey, coffee, milk.  
**BRIDGE LUNCHEON:** Carrot ring mold with beans and celery, yellow sauce, endive salad, French dressing, hard rolls, pineapple upside down cake, coffee, tea, milk.  
**DINNER:** Cider, shoulder lamb chops, scalloped potatoes, broiled tomatoes, prune pie with cream cheese top, coffee, milk.

### Carrot Ring Mold (8 people)

Three cups of cooked carrots, 1-2 cups cracker crumbs, 8 eggs, 1-2 green peppers, 1 tablespoon butter, 2-1/2 cups of whipped cream, 2 teaspoons salt, 1-2 teaspoon pepper, 2 cups of cooked julienne string beans, 2 cups of cooked julienne celery.

Mash carrots through a sieve, add cracker crumbs, seasonings and beaten eggs, chopped pepper which has been sauteed in butter, then add whipped cream and lastly fold in stiffly beaten whites. Turn into a buttered ring mold and set mold in a pan of hot water and bake in a slow oven (300 degrees F) for one-half hour. Turn out on a large platter and fill center with string beans and celery. Pass sauce in a separate dish.

### Yellow Sauce

Three tablespoons butter, 2 heaping tablespoons flour, 2 cups of milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon paprika, 4 egg yolks, 1-2 tablespoon lemon juice.

Melt butter in top of double boiler, add flour and when smooth add milk and seasonings. When thick add slightly beaten egg yolks, cook a minute, stirring constantly, add lemon juice and remove from fire.

## "OUT OUR WAY" By William



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY. 12-1

## Sport Glances. . . . .By Grayson

BY DICK McCANN  
NEA Service Staff Writer

**NEW YORK**—Harvey Harman is through at the University of Pennsylvania, they are saying in Philadelphia, and Lou Little will resign at Columbia to coach his alma mater.

Along the football beat you also hear that Clark Shaughnessy of the hapless but happy University of Chicago team will accept the next offer made for his services by a National League club. The professionals have bid for the old Minnesota man before.

A group of southern football men have joined Dr. Clarence Spears of Toledo in trying to have the point-after-touchdown set-up changed so that the defending array would have a chance to pick up the extra digit, too.

When the kick is blocked, a pass is intercepted, or a fumble is caught in the air, they would permit a defending player to score a point by running the length of the field. Advocates argue that the point-after-touchdown play is the only one in which both sides do not have a chance to score.

**SAMMY BAUGH**, greatest of passers, is weak on pass defense. The former Texas Christian quarterback now with the Washington Redskins is easily sucked out of position because he has not yet gotten used to the professional rule which allows forward passing anywhere behind the line of scrimmage. Sammy, by the way, will be an even better passer when he gets over the collegiate custom of fading back five yards.

Professional magnates are hot on the trail of Clint Frank, brilliant Yale quarterback; Johnny Wysocki, Villanova end; Andy

## THORPE TODAY FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



Jim Thorpe flips a pass just to give the boys a rough idea of what he looked like while roaring across the chalk marks for the Carlisle Indians and Canton Bulldogs. The Sac-Fox, generally considered to have been the greatest all-round athlete of all time, wore the T-skin shirt while officiating in an American League game between the Los Angeles Bulldogs and Boston Shamrocks in Los Angeles.

## SKI RUN IN MONTANA PLANNED

By United Press  
MISSOULA, Mont.—A new mile-long ski run for experts, with grades as steep as 80 per cent, is planned by the outdoor recreation club if private lands under survey can be exchanged for national forest tracts, it was learned here.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



TWO of the three eyelids of a bird are much like our own, except that most birds use the lower one to close the eye, while we use the upper one. The third lid, the nictitating membrane, is inside the others and moves across the eye from side to side.

## MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Co



## LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS



In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Martin, Austin, Texas.

Vaca was unwilling to try to get away without Ovide, and it was not until 1534 that they left together.

Q. What route did de Vaca take when they escaped from the Galveston coast Indians?

A. They followed the coast west as closely as possible, making friends as they went by healing sick Indians they encountered and eagerly searching for other survivors of whom they received vague reports along the way. In despair Ovide finally turned back. Two days later de Vaca found Alonso Castillo and Andres Dorantes and his Moor slave Estevanico (Stephen), near the mouth of the Guadalupe.

Q. How many occupants of the two Narvaez vessels wrecked there reached Galveston Island?

A. About 80 half of whom were entirely naked and the others with only the clothes they wore. Only about 15 survived the winter, the others having been killed or having died from exposure, starvation or the harsh treatment of their Indian captors.

Q. What route did Cabeza de Vaca and his companions, Castillo, Dorantes and Estevanico, take for the Pacific coast?

A. They escaped from the Indians in September, 1535 and made their way slowly from tribe to tribe, passing about the present sites of San Antonio, Del Rio, Presidio, and El Paso to Caliacan, Southern California, which they reached in May, 1936.

Q. What precaution did Vice-roy Mendoza take before sending Coronado in search of the Seven Cities of Cibola?

A. He bought Estevanico the Moor slave of Dorantes, to serve as guide and interpreter and sent a small expedition headed by Fray Marcos de Niza to look over the route, find the Seven Cities and report what he found.

### STEAMSHIP BEGINS 84th YEAR

MELBOURNE—The Edina, one of the oldest steamships in the world, has just begun its 84th year of service on Port Phillip bay. It served as a troop ship in the Crimean war.

## ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



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# Society

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### Absent from School:

Master Jimmie Abney Mills is absent from school this week due to his illness which has him confined to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mills, Oddie street. It is remembered by Jimmie's friends that he was seriously ill for a number of weeks last winter and his condition is being watched closely.

### Second Week of Prayer Program Led by Mrs. R. J. Taylor:

Tuesday afternoon members of the Women's Missionary society of First Baptist church again gathered in the auditorium for the presentation of the second program of the week of prayer lessons.

### Subscribers Urged To Check Payments To Carrier Boys

Subscribers of the Ranger Times are requested to see that the carrier boy has his card with him when he is collecting for subscriptions to the paper and that proper credit for the money collected is given each week.

This request is being made in order that the subscriber may be protected, not from dishonesty on the part of the carrier, but to maintain an up-to-date record that will show just how much has been paid.

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Persons occupying this week. Mrs. R. J. Taylor led the program and Mrs. C. C. Cash offered the devotional. Those having parts making up an interesting hour were Mrs. Sorrells guest of Rev. and Mrs. Charles T. Tally Jr., Mrs. Lee Mitchell, Mrs. R. C. Carville, and Mrs. T. J. Anderson.

"He Leadeth Me" was the chosen hymn serving as the note of benediction.

**Christmas Plans Discussed**  
The American Legion Auxiliary of Carl Barnes Post No. 69 met in the Legion clubrooms Tuesday evening.

## CLASSIFIED

**LODGE NOTICES**  
Ranger Masonic lodge meets Thursday night in regular session. All members urged to attend. Visitors will be welcome.  
D. L. JAMESON, Sec.  
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**SPECIAL NOTICES**  
Mrs. R. W. Gordon's Knitting Classes at 214 Cherry, Mondays and Thursdays, 1 to 5.

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## Behind the Scenes in Washington

BY RODNEY DUTCHER  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—Whispering and mumbling about a general sales tax on goods, as a substitute for processing taxes to pay for the proposed new farm program, is to be heard from certain members of the House Ways and Means committee.

Political and perhaps from the standpoint of sound tax policy, such a suggestion may seem preposterous. It won't be enacted. But it indicates the way congressmen grope around from pillar to post when what they really want is an expensive program which won't cost any money.

The current farm program costs \$363,000,000 a year. The new one will cost at least \$750,000,000. But although the administration demands that the difference be made up in new revenue and Secretary Wallace urges new processing taxes, the House Agriculture committee has turned over that little problem of financing to the Ways and Means committee, a majority of whose members are known to be opposed to processing taxes.

The alternative to processing taxes is either a general tax or a program that doesn't meet the surplus crop problem. New and heavier general taxation is what nearly everyone is trying to avoid. So the ultimate answer is likely to be processing taxes.

Proposed processing taxes call for 20 cents a bushel on wheat, three cents a pound on cotton and half a cent a pound on rice. The effect of these would be a sales tax on consumers, although it is said some of the cotton tax would be absorbed by processors. The AAA isn't proposing any process tax on meat.

evening. Under the direction of the president, Mrs. J. D. McClister, a discussion on plans for their Christmas activities was offered for roundtable discussion and closed.

A letter was read from Mrs. C. W. Calhoun, department rehabilitation chairman, asking that the Ranger unit contribute to the Christmas fund for the disabled veterans' Christmas boxes. The secretary was instructed to mail a generous check immediately. It was also voted and favorably agreed that the members investigate needy veterans' families in Ranger in order that no person will be overlooked at Christmas time.

Next meeting of the auxiliary comes the week before Christmas for the purpose of packing baskets to be delivered Christmas eve. Refreshments were served ten members.

**Visiting Mother**  
Mrs. Doyle Williams, nee Viola Rose, of El Paso, is in Ranger for a visit with her mother, Caddo road.

**Leave for State**  
Masonic Meeting:  
Dr. A. K. Wier and Raymond West left Ranger Tuesday afternoon for Waco, where they will attend the three day Masonic meeting convening in a session which is attracting Masons from all over the State.

**Vienna Choir Boys**  
To Be Presented at Abilene Tonight:  
The Vienna Choir boys who are making their sixth American tour are to be presented at the Abilene Hardin-Simmons auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock. Given due praise by presses everywhere they come as a special musical attraction under exclusive management of the Hurok Attractions, Inc., of New York City.

The musical audiences of America will rise to salute for the sixth consecutive season the most beloved boy-choir ever to tour this country. Small operas, national, church and folk songs are rendered with divine freshness and a musical spirit befitting a tradition which began in 1498—the year Emperor Maximilian founded the Vienna choir boys.

Similar programs have gained the interest of persons of Ranger who are again extended invitation to tonight's entertainment.

**Methodist Pastor Speaks at Rotary Meeting at Noon**

S. P. Boon had charge of the Rotary club meeting today at noon and introduced Rev. G. Alfred Brown, new pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ranger, who gave an interesting talk upon the church as a business institution.

He said that the church was an institution in any community, and that it was important as a seat of service. He stated that a

minister was a business man as much as any merchant. He said that the church is cooperative, not competitive.

A committee upon a Lions-Rotary football game, to be played for charity, was not acted upon, pending outcome of efforts to organize a negro football game in the near future.

Visitors at the meeting were C. A. Hertz, D. S. Hood, A. H. Henderson, J. E. Lewis and L. R. Gray of Eastland, Rev. R. F. Sorrells of Chidister, Ark., and C. E. Mulholland of Ranger.

A committee composed of S. P. Boon, E. T. Eubanks and D. Joseph was named to work with the chamber of commerce in arranging for Christmas baskets for the needy.

**Eastland Nursery Gaining Attention**

Visitors from over the state have recently inspected the Works Progress Administration nursery at Eastland, rated as one of the best in Texas, according to Mrs. Joe Stephen, supervisor.

Visitors included Miss Hoskins, representative of the child welfare association, Austin; Miss Edna Baldrige, supervisor of WPA nursery schools, San Angelo district; W. T. Francisco, district 7 supervisor of the WPA emergency education program, Ft. Worth; Miss Lind, state supervisor of nursery schools, San Antonio;

**Influenza Is On Increase In State**

AUSTIN, Texas—Reports from widely separated parts of Texas to the State Health Department indicate that influenza is on the increase. Recent snows and cold weather account for the increase, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Miss Glover, Brown nursery supervisor; Mrs. Hancock, Coleman nursery supervisor, and T. E. Davis, representative of the State Department of Public Safety.

Miss Lind conducted a three-day course for the nursery staff on child psychology and dietetics.

**CHAIRMAN JOSEPH P. KENNEDY** of the Maritime Commercial Commission is one of the most active workers for repeal of the capital gains tax. But he isn't making much headway, for the reason that the administration believes speculators reluctant to pay taxes on huge stock market profits would be chief beneficiaries.

Although Roosevelt has come to admit that there are inequities in the corporation surplus tax and proposes revision to help small businesses, he doesn't want to lighten the capital gains tax except to help investors in productive enterprise—as distinguished from successful speculators.

Men who were able to buy stocks, bonds and real estate at low 1932-33 prices are entitled to exempt 60 per cent of their gains from income tax as soon as a five-year period from the purchase date expires. Thus one who made a million-dollar investment and now liquidates for two million must pay income tax on \$400,000 of his gain, according to Treasury officials, who express no sympathy.

**MISS TALLULAH BANKHEAD**, actress-daughter of the speaker of the House, would be tougher than her father if she had his job.

"They were all talking at once and it was confusing," said Tallulah in describing her reactions to the opening session. "I didn't think Daddy was severe enough with them."

(Under the House rules, there's no way in which Miss Bankhead can take over the speaker's gavel and show what she means.)  
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## NOTE BOOK

Dean Blanchard of Peoria, Ill., is visiting his father, David Blanchard of Ranger, having arrived Monday night. He intends staying in Texas for some time, hunting and fishing.

## Former Carrier Is Now a Preacher

Jas. B. McKeehan former Ranger Times carrier boy was in the Times office today renewing acquaintances and shaking hands with old friends. Since leaving Ranger ten years ago the young man has been ordained to preach and is looking for a building in which to hold a revival for a week or ten days.

Rev. McKeehan is independent in his religious affiliations and should he complete arrangements for the anticipated revival complete announcement will be made through the Times.

McKeehan is the father of two fine boys and his wife assists him in his meetings.

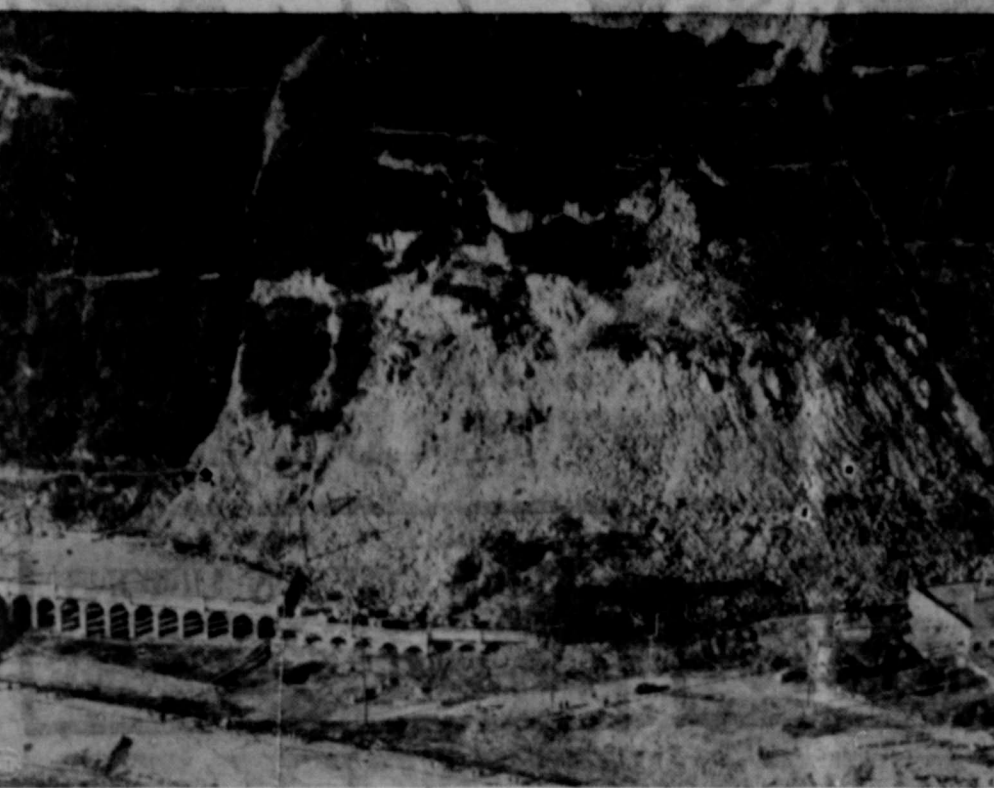
Rev. McKeehan tells us that he has built a church in Houston, independent, 35x90 feet and is built from native logs with plaster on the outside. The building is equipped with seats and chairs and accommodates 700 people. Services are held on Tuesday, Friday and two times on Sunday. The McKeehan family will be remembered by many in Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. McKeehan, father and mother are living in Houston at this time.

**Methodist Pastor Speaks at Rotary Meeting at Noon**

S. P. Boon had charge of the Rotary club meeting today at noon and introduced Rev. G. Alfred Brown, new pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ranger, who gave an interesting talk upon the church as a business institution.

He said that the church was an institution in any community, and that it was important as a seat of service. He stated that a

## One Avalanche Down and Another Coming Up



While Los Angeles seeks to dig an Elysian Park highway out from under the millions of tons of rock and earth shown above, geologists warn that another and perhaps still more crushing mountain-side avalanche may be expected soon. This remarkable photo shows the results of the first hillside collapse, which buried a highway, crushed a bridge viaduct and sent huge boulders to within a few feet of business buildings, shown at lower right, which might be destroyed if scientists are correct in their predictions of another slide. The picture shows the outlines of the collapsed section and the sheer cliffs left behind by the avalanche.

minister was a business man as much as any merchant. He said that the church is cooperative, not competitive.

A committee upon a Lions-Rotary football game, to be played for charity, was not acted upon, pending outcome of efforts to organize a negro football game in the near future.

Visitors at the meeting were C. A. Hertz, D. S. Hood, A. H. Henderson, J. E. Lewis and L. R. Gray of Eastland, Rev. R. F. Sorrells of Chidister, Ark., and C. E. Mulholland of Ranger.

A committee composed of S. P. Boon, E. T. Eubanks and D. Joseph was named to work with the chamber of commerce in arranging for Christmas baskets for the needy.

**Eastland Nursery Gaining Attention**

Visitors from over the state have recently inspected the Works Progress Administration nursery at Eastland, rated as one of the best in Texas, according to Mrs. Joe Stephen, supervisor.

Visitors included Miss Hoskins, representative of the child welfare association, Austin; Miss Edna Baldrige, supervisor of WPA nursery schools, San Angelo district; W. T. Francisco, district 7 supervisor of the WPA emergency education program, Ft. Worth; Miss Lind, state supervisor of nursery schools, San Antonio;

**Influenza Is On Increase In State**

AUSTIN, Texas—Reports from widely separated parts of Texas to the State Health Department indicate that influenza is on the increase. Recent snows and cold weather account for the increase, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Miss Glover, Brown nursery supervisor; Mrs. Hancock, Coleman nursery supervisor, and T. E. Davis, representative of the State Department of Public Safety.

Miss Lind conducted a three-day course for the nursery staff on child psychology and dietetics.

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Colds, gripe, influenza or whatever we may call them are believed to be spread from person to person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such discharges, here are precautions to be followed:

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everyone is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you may have had the disease, you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are sneezing, coughing, or sniffing, or who are actively ill with colds, influenza or pneumonia.

Keep away from crowded places. Have your own towel and drinking cup and always wash your hands before eating.

Keep yourself as fit as possible. Drink plenty of water, eat simple, nourishing food, exercise out of doors every day, dress according to the weather, get plenty of sleep in a well-ventilated room.

If you feel an attack of flu, or even what you may think is an ordinary cold, coming on, go to bed, send for your doctor, and follow his directions. A cold can too easily develop into a fatal mistake.

Stephens college teacher says many women don't wash their necks, forgetting that there is a line which the well-groomed woman must not cross.

# CHALLENGE TO CHIZZLEWITS

There once was a merchant named Chizzlewit who trimmed his tree every Christmas and his customers every day.

He was a canny creature, this Chizzlewit, and knew how to win a customer by guile. The shirts he sold were cheaply woven, packed with powder to make them seem firm. To conceal their inferiority he told customers that he always wore them himself. In the glassware department he "made up" for poor quality by giving a set of pretty paper doilies with every purchase. He knew many such clever tricks and used them without reserve.

Chizzlewit never advertised. He knew too well he could never fool people for long in print. Advertising must live up to its own claims. That is why you can have full confidence in goods consistently advertised. If the maker has a worthy produce, fairly priced, he wants as many people as possible to know about it. If the product is unworthy, the printed word will only expose it sooner.

Christmas, and all around the calendar, read advertising. Makers and merchants stake their reputation, in cold black type, that what you read is true.



## Arcadia Now Playing



Claire Trevor (left) and petite Joan Carol (right) are shown here in a lighter moment from "One Mile From Heaven," drama of the strangest case that ever shook a hall of justice.