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## War Threat in Scandinavia Feared



Military leaders are discussing seriously the possibility that Scandinavia may be turned into the battleground for the rest of Europe. Occupation by either Germany or England would offer important strategic advantages to break the stalemate on the Western front. The heavy arrows indicate the possible war path of war.

## Defense Biggest Budget Headache



For defense than for relief! For the first time in many years, the proposed budget for 1940-41, military expenses rise above cost of relief. How work relief costs are shaved and military expenses overtop them for the coming year is shown graphically in the large pictograph at top. Below, the share of each man, woman, and child in federal expenses as planned for 1940-41.

## Planes Raid A British Vessel

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Five German planes made an attack on a British vessel today and upon a lightship. The planes were driven off by the Air Force planes, though the lightship was blamed for inability to shoot down any of the raiding planes.

## Japan Plans Block Against Communists

TOKYO, Jan. 9.—A new bulwark against the spread of communism is being planned here in Japan's long controversy against Russia. Plans call for Japan, China and Manchukuo in one block to halt any communist encroachment.

## Chinese Can't Vote, Neither Could You Without Poll Tax

Who wants to be a Chinaman, you know, does not have the right to vote in the United States. Neither does an alien, unless he pays his tax. So why be classed with Chinaman? Pay that poll tax before you forget. Getting a little thing like your poll tax is so easy to do. Regretting later, when important elections come up and you can do as stand by and watch the other fellow, is never a thing you wish then had remembered. There will be lots and lots of this year when you can do your poll tax and cast your ballot for, or against, a candidate, a cause, or possibly a bond issue. There will be state and national elections, possibly some local ones in which you will be interested enough to vote if you pay your tax. Jan. 31 is the deadline, so don't forget. Better still, do it now.

## Burglar Steals A Canned Fruit Supply

EL PASO, Jan. 9.—A thief who robbed one El Paso home last night will not have to go without canned fruit for some time. El Paso police received a report that a thief had stolen more than three dozen home canned jars of fruit.

## Anti-Lynching Bill Debated In House

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The house today took up debate on the anti-lynching bill, on which a vote is anticipated Wednesday. The bill is expected to be met with a filibuster when it comes up for consideration in the senate. It is slated for passage in the house tomorrow.

## Negro Is Removed To Face Complaint

A negro being held in county jail at Eastland on a charge of burglary has been returned to Weatherford by Parker county Sheriff Turner to face a similar charge.

## GRANTS DIVORCE

B. W. Patterson, judge of 88th district court, Tuesday granted a divorce in the case of Ruby vs. Hiram Brimberry.

## POLL TAX IS PAID SO FAR BY THOUSAND

C. H. (Harl) O'Brien, assessor-collector, reported Tuesday that approximately 1,280 poll tax receipts have been issued in the county up to date. The report disclosed that the annual rush the latter part of the month will probably again be evident. To minimize the rush it has been suggested that citizens secure their poll tax as soon as possible. Deadline for securing the poll tax receipt which will enable you to participate in precinct, city, county, state, district and national elections is Wednesday, Jan. 31. O'Brien said youths are required to secure an exemption certificate at the office if the person is 21 between January 1, 1939, and January 31, 1940. A youth is allowed to vote without securing an exemption certificate if he is 21 after January 31 and before the date of any election this year. Otherwise, all persons over 21 and not over 60, are required to pay the poll tax in order to vote. It is estimated that by January 31 the total number of poll taxes paid will have reached 6,000 or 6,500.

## Area Knights Will Attend Social Meet Tonight In Graham

An Eastland group, the number in which could not be ascertained this morning, will attend a monthly meeting of the Area Knights of Pythias Round-Up Club tonight in Graham. Herbert Reed of Eastland, who was recently elected president of the club, a social organization, will preside. Pythians from Graham, Gorman, Eastland and Breckenridge are planning to attend. Even though the Round-Up Club is meeting tonight at Graham, the regular meeting of the Eastland lodge is to be held, officials pointed out.

## Eastland Men To Serve During '40 on Head Committee

Mayor C. W. Hoffmann and Joseph M. Weaver of Eastland are among members of the executive committee of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas association appointed for 1940 recently by Joe A. Clarke, new president of the organization. Others who reside in Eastland county and were appointed to the executive committee were Charles J. Kleiner of Cisco, J. H. Reynolds of Cisco and W. E. Tyler of Rising Star. At the recent annual convention of the oil body at Mineral Wells Mayor Hoffmann was leader of a discussion on taxation.

## Hot Oil Trial To Be Opened In Waco

WACO, Tex.—The "hot oil" trial of Frank Bennett is scheduled to open here Jan. 8. Bennett was indicted at Conroe for alleged transportation of illegally produced oil. Seven others were named with him in the indictment. The case originally was set for Montgomery County, but was transferred first to Brazoria County and then to Waco. A motion to dismiss the charge, filed by Dist. Atty. W. C. McClain of Brazoria County, is pending.

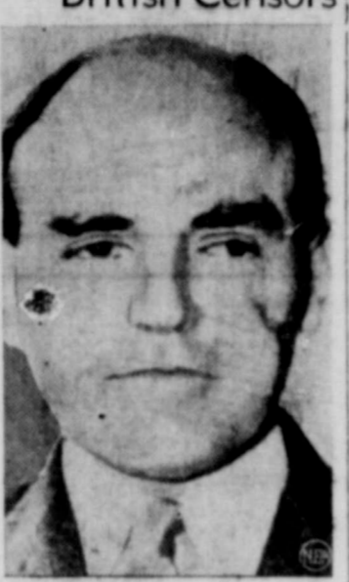
## Negro School Near Jefferson Burned

JEFFERSON, Jan. 9.—A school house was being sought today in which pupils of a negro school, which burned five miles north of here, might be taught until a new building is erected. A bucket brigade of students was unable to cope with the fire.

## McCrea Nominated Cisco's Postmaster

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—President Roosevelt today sent to the senate for confirmation, the nomination of Luther H. McCrea for postmaster of Cisco, Texas, for his second term of four years.

## Lord Directs British Censors



The troublesome British ministry of information has been taken by Sir John Reith, above, who succeeds Lord McMillan in cabinet revision. He directed British Broadcasting Corporation and Imperial Airways.

## Police Have No Clues In Absence Of Produce Dealer

Sheriff Loss Woods stated Tuesday that he or other officers have not had any information as to the whereabouts of A. V. Henderson, Eastland produce dealer who has been missing for 10 days. Ten days ago Henderson, 32, went to San Antonio to buy produce as was his weekly habit. A friend, Ivan Rutherford of Breckenridge, rode as far as San Antonio with Henderson and then caught a bus for Freer. Rutherford later told Mrs. Henderson, wife of the missing man, that he and Henderson had gone to a cafe and later to a show before he (Rutherford) left for Freer. It was Henderson's intention, said Rutherford in the telephone call from Freer, to go to the Hotel Prudential where the produce man always stayed when in the South Texas city. Henderson had accompanied Rutherford to the bus station. Henderson's truck was found in a garage. Police are clueless in their search for Henderson. San Antonio police secured no information as to the missing man's whereabouts or that he met with foul play.

## Four Case Slated In 88th Tribunal

Four cases alleging criminal statute infractions have been assigned for trial the week beginning Monday, January 15, in the 88th district court. B. W. Patterson, judge of the court, and Earl Conner, Sr., criminal district attorney, said the defendants and charges are as follows: Jack Brooks, Abilene, driving intoxicated; B. Johnson, Carbon, statutory offense; T. Carbon, Stubblefield, Eastland, murder without malice, and T. J. Barron, Gorman, chicken theft. Jurors are to be summoned for the trial of the cases.

## Defendant Winner Of Suit As Judge Instructs Jurors

A verdict in favor of the defendant, as instructed by Judge George L. Davenport, was returned by a 91st district court jury Tuesday morning in the case of Buck Davis vs. the Southwest Natural Gas company. Davis had sought damages because of alleged discomfort and inconvenience because of the disconnection of gas July 25 last year. It was brought out that the gas was again connected the next day. The jury was composed of the following: A. H. Blackwell, W. W. McNeese, Joe Boatman, Ed Allison, T. L. Stephen, J. D. Duggan, C. J. Collins, Lee Kirk, Wade Dulin, W. E. Trimble, S. J. Holdor and W. C. Bankston. Judgment in the case is being prepared for the court's approval by the defendant's counsel.

## TRAINS COLLIDE

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Two passenger trains collided here last night, during a blackout. No one was killed, but 25 were injured, only six seriously enough to require hospital treatment.

## FINNS CIRCLE STILL ANOTHER RED DIVISION

HELSINKI, Jan. 9.—On the heels of a major Finnish victory over the 44th Russian division, today came word from near Salla, that still another Russian division of from 15,000 to 20,000 men had been out-manuevered and trapped, with Finnish soldiers awaiting orders to rush in for the kill. Ski patrols in the central area were today mopping up the last remnants of the 44th division and have captured more war supplies from the fleeing Russians. Cold weather settled down on the Northern Russian front, where ski patrols have broken through to disrupt traffic on the Murmansk-Leningrad railway once more. In rounding up small detachments of the annihilated 44th division, Finns have found many Russians frozen to death after they had been slightly wounded and had fled back toward the borders.

## Former Ranger Man To Be Buried At Strawn Wednesday

Funeral services for Alexander Kohn, 67, of Odessa, formerly of Ranger, are to be conducted from the funeral home of Strawn Merchandise Company Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The services are to be conducted by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church of Ranger, assisted by Dr. G. Alfred Brown, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ranger. Burial will be in Mount Marion Cemetery at Strawn. The deceased was born in Titusville, Pa., Nov. 20, 1872, and was a member of the First Methodist Church there. He moved to Ranger in November, 1918, where he drilled a number of oil wells. More recently he had been a resident of Odessa, and drilled in a number of oil wells in the West Texas fields. He died in a hospital at Lubbock Tuesday night, after an illness of several days. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. B. E. Garner of Ranger and Miss Marie Kohn of Odessa, two sisters in Chicago, Pa., one sister in Des Moines, Iowa, one brother in Oil City, Pa., and one brother in Brackenridge, Pa.

## Admiral Urges A 52,000-Ton Navy Fighting Vessel

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Admiral Harold R. Stack of the United States Navy, told the house naval affairs committee today that the United States was contemplating building of 52,000-ton warships, and hinted at even 70,000 and 80,000-ton vessels. These vessels, however, would be unable to pass through the Panama Canal. In speaking of the giant battleships, the admiral stated that they could outrun the present 45,000-ton warship now being constructed. He also urged making the Island of Guam into a naval seaplane base in the mid-Pacific.

## Sea Serpent Seen On Canada's Coast

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 9.—A sea serpent, which made its first appearance here four years ago, was back today, with a beard added. The serpent answered the same description given four years ago—a head like a combination of a walrus and a camel, a body two feet thick and of undetermined length—except for the beard. It was reported seen today off Rocky Point, within 40 feet of the shore.

## DIVORCES GRANTED

Divorces in 91st district court recently include: Lillie from C. M. Grisham and G. H. from Farner Loudermilk. In the Grisham case the plaintiff's former name, Lillie Durham, was restored. Chief obstacle being cited by the political observers to the candidacy of Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, is that the present state highway commissioner was born in Missouri. Not that nativity in that state is a general handicap, but

## William Powell Marries Again



The film colony, that usually sees all, hears all, tells all, was completely fooled when suave William Powell, 47, ducked away to a Warm Springs, Nevada, dude ranch and married Diana Lewis, 21-year-old starlet of the films. They are shown after the wedding.

## "Professional Politicians" Say O'Daniel Can't Win Nomination As Governor In The First Democratic Primary

ASTIN, Texas.—The "professional politicians" are after "Pappy" O'Daniel as election year opens in Texas. They do not concede that the man who cinched the governorship in the first primary election of 1938 on a promise of \$30-for-all-over-65, is assured of re-election. The wave of popularity that sent W. Lee O'Daniel into the governor's office is now being dissected and analyzed by those who direct campaigns. To begin with, they conclude that O'Daniel has no chance to be made the democratic nominee in the first primary of 1940. "He received only 52 per cent of the vote in the first primary of 1938," one of the men closely connected with the race of a strong candidate last time points out, and argues that O'Daniel certainly has lost many times two per cent of the people who supported him because of pension promises. O'Daniel's vote was 573,166. The vote of his nearest competitor, Col. Ernest O. Thompson, was 231,636 and the combined vote of 12 opponents was 541,719. Against the loss of votes from disappointed advocates of bigger pensions for more people, the "professional politicians" concede that there is a certain strength gained by an governor running for a second term that he did not have in his first race. This second term courtesy, however, was barely able to save so popular a governor as James V. Alfred from having a run-off with Tom F. Hunter in 1935. The second term slogan failed also to re-elect "Ma" Ferguson and it failed to re-elect Ross S. Sterling. Having thus satisfied themselves that Pappy will not have the re-election biscuits passed to him in the first primary of 1940, the "professional politicians" consider his chances in the run-off primary not altogether bright. Here's the way they see it. An opponent who gets into a run-off with O'Daniel will attract in August most of the vote that scattered for candidates who were defeated in the July primary. They concede O'Daniel the financial campaign chest and moral support of big business in the first primary election because of business' satisfaction with the present tax stalemate. When it gets to a run-off between two candidates, the politicians, professional and otherwise, say that big business takes no chance but contributes to both. Governor O'Daniel will have another disadvantage in running this year that he did not experience in 1938. Both Col. Ernest O. Thompson, runner-up, and William McCraw, who finished third, were constantly harassing last time with comments that they should be devoting their time to state offices they held, instead of running around the state campaigning for governor. Seeking re-election, the governor will be in the same fix. Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler who is having a hard time to keep himself from announcing his candidacy for governor, already has that situation in mind. If he announces for governor, he will join him in resigning from office to carry on the political campaign. Of course, O'Daniel will not do so but the gesture should help Sadler. Chief obstacle being cited by the political observers to the candidacy of Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, is that the present state highway commissioner was born in Missouri. Not that nativity in that state is a general handicap, but

## CHAMBERLAIN WARNS PEOPLE OF GRIM WAR



LONDON, Jan. 9.—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain warned the British public in a speech today that the lull in war activities now might be interpreted as the calm before the storm. In his address the prime minister stated that the only purpose of the government at this time, was to win the war. He defended, in a way, his dismissal of Leslie Hore-Belisha from the cabinet and said he regretted to learn that Prime Minister Daladier of France had suffered a broken ankle. The speech, on "The War, Its Progress and Its Future," brought out that only 122,000 tons of British shipping had been lost during the war, and that there still remained 1,000,000 tons on the high seas. He assailed Russia for her attack upon Finland, and stated that Finland could look to England for help. Chamberlain was in accord with President Roosevelt's message to congress, delivered last week, but he denounced and attacked the rulers of Germany for their methods of warfare and their stand in diplomatic alliances. Chamberlain warned the British that grim warfare lies ahead and predicted that some European federation may be the outgrowth of the present war.

## Negroes Arrested In Burglary Taken By County Officers

Four negroes, arrested in Ranger recently on charges of burglary, have been turned over to county authorities. It was announced today by Guy Pledger, chief of police of Ranger. The four were arrested after Patrolmen Love and Boyd became suspicious of them, when they saw them, late at night, parked near the Ranger airport. After questioning the four the officers left. Later two of them were found at the Oasis Cafe, but they fled. Pledger stated today, The other two, who were in an automobile, were picked up and told the officers where a third member of the party could be found. The fourth got aboard a freight train, but was arrested in Baird after officers there were notified. Pledger quoted one of the negroes as saying that one of their number had stolen some down quilts from a freight train between Ranger and El Paso, and had given one of the quilts to a negro girl in Dallas. Dallas officers found the quilt. Taken from the Oasis Cafe was a little more than \$4 and about 49 cents in pennies. A \$10 bill in the cash drawer where the pennies were taken was overlooked.

## Adamson Assigns Cases For Trial

W. S. Adamson, county judge, set two cases for trial and rendered two judgments as the appearance docket of the court was called Tuesday morning. The January term of county court will include January and February. Cases set were W. S. Griffin vs. A. R. Tate, for Monday, Jan. 22, and R. W. Russell vs. Ouis Knox, Wednesday, Jan. 10. The first is a jury case and the other a non-jury case. Judgment for the plaintiff by default was rendered when the case of R. N. Grisham vs. Bennett Petroleum company was called. Likewise, the court rendered judgment for the plaintiff by default when the case of G. Graynolds vs. A. P. Tipton was called.

## Police Stand By As Snowman Is Rebuilt

DALLAS, Jan. 9.—When young hoodlums wrecked an eight-year-old girl's snow man, she called police, who traced them by their car number. When caught they were taken to the scene of their vandalism and two big policemen stood by while they reconstructed the girl's snow man to her own satisfaction.

## Laundry Theft In Ranger Is Solved

Chief of Police Guy Pledger of Ranger stated today that a quantity of laundry, stolen from a truck in Ranger, had been recovered and one man fined in connection with the case. No names were revealed. According to Pledger Aaron Stiles was loading laundry and had put several bundles on his truck. When he returned to the laundry building one bundle was taken. An investigation by Pledger revealed that someone had attempted to sell the laundry, which consisted of sheets, towels and pillow cases, in the negro quarters of Ranger. Most of the loot was recovered and the remainder was replaced by the man arrested, Pledger said.

## Banded Duck Was Killed In County

H. G. Ramsey has a metal tag, which he took from a pintail duck he killed in Eastland County on Dec. 28, and which he is to send to the Biological Survey, Washington. The tag instructs anyone killing the duck to notify the survey. The duck was banded in 1938 and bore the number 486193.

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## Supreme Court Goes Roosevelt, 5-4

Do you remember, only four years ago, when one of the major national issues was not a war in Europe but the conservatism of the U. S. Supreme Court?

Do you recall all the talk about "nine old men," the bitterness of the administration toward the venerable jurists who tossed out New Deal legislation, including the AAA and the NRA? And the rumors that floated around about how the President was going to "pack" the court by appointing enough new justices to give him a majority over the conservative bloc?

It seems like yesterday: and yet, President Roosevelt has just appointed the fifth New Dealer within a period of less than four years. With the nomination of Attorney General Frank Murphy to the seat left vacant by the death of Justice Pierce Butler, the score in favor of the New Deal is now 5 to 4 even if all of the older members consistently oppose the administration, which they don't.

The new members of the high court are all youngsters, as Supreme Court justices go. The latest appointee is 47 years old, Justice Douglas is 42; Justice Black, 54; Justice Reed, 56, and Justice Frankfurter, 58. Barring untimely deaths or resignations, the Rooseveltian influence will remain on the high court bench for many years. Here, at least, is one branch of New Dealism that will not be in jeopardy during the fall elections.

Those four of the Old Guard—Chief Justice Hughes, Justices Stone, McReynolds, and Roberts—must feel a little lonely at times. Since the last presidential election, three resignations and two deaths have cut down the roster of the old court by more than half.

Of course, even before 1937, the Supreme Court was not solidly anti-New Deal. Justice Cordozo, who died, and Justice Brandeis, who resigned, were generally sympathetic toward Roosevelt; and Chief Justice Hughes could be depended upon from time to time to cast his vote against the majority, and the majority group continued to prove an irksome deterrent on the path toward practical application of New Deal philosophy.

The members of the Supreme Court are appointed for life. They are beyond the influence of politics. Their decisions are made on the basis of whatever interpretations their personal philosophies make of the law.

The law is not absolute. If it were, many of the present duties of the courts would be eliminated. The law is a complicated network of restrictions and licenses placed upon the actions of men. It is made by men, interpreted by men. The interpretation depends largely on the jurist's attitude toward the whole society.

Each Supreme Court justice has a tremendous responsibility toward the nation. Upon the court rests the final judgment on new ideas and processes of government. The new court—strictly a New Deal court—may find itself, in years to come, compelled to judge some of the most vital acts in American history.

## Hear That Mournful Sound



WHEN FARM PRICES ARE LOW



WHEN FARM PRICES ARE HIGHER

## Foreign News Editor Traces March of Mars Across Europe In One Series Of Articles Sent Direct from Europe

Editor's note: Here is the first dispatch by the foreign news editor of the United Press tracing the march of Mars across Europe in terms of what it has meant to the people and governments involved in the conflict.

By JOE ALEX MORRIS  
U. P. Foreign News Editor  
This war has brought many surprises. It has shattered many predictions. Perhaps most significant of all, it has dwarfed the towering personalities who dominated the pre-fighting period of today's struggle. The men who enacted a day-by-day story as bizarre as any disaster that ever changed the course of world history, have been pushed aside by more powerful forces.

A year ago the people of many lands read their future in the decisions of a few men whose hands

fumbled papers of state across a conference table at Munich, Geneva, Godesberg.

Today the Nazi U-boat—not the voice of Adolf Hitler—makes the blackest headlines. Today the guns of the British fleet speak in tones more commanding than Neville Chamberlain.

For the present and probably for as long as there are battlefronts, the thunder of marching men and moving machines drowns out the words from chancelleries and thrones; men in the mass become the power that eventually—regardless of the "slow motion" war on the Western Front—must decide the outcome.

The future of nations depends now less on diplomatic skill than on fighting power, and that power will decide when and whether the statesmen again take command.

A paramount result, then, of this first phase of war has been to open the way for fulfillment of Neville Chamberlain's eye-of-war prophecy—that the conflict would result in a world unlike anything we had ever seen before. For, above all, while this is a war of surprises, it is not a phony war.

The surprises are easiest to see. Let's look at them:

1. Contrary to general prediction, there has been no all-out bombardment of civilian populations.
2. Economic conflict in its most severe form has overshadowed aggressive armed combat.
3. Instead of lining up immediately with her German ally, Italy, which offers the most feasible route for an Allied attack on the Reich, has remained neutral.
4. Germany has chosen to strike hardest at sea, where the Nazi power is least and the British power greatest.
5. Finland, for the moment at least, has given a fighting answer to Europe's greatest military mystery—the power of the Red Army.

Of these surprises, perhaps the greatest popular misunderstanding has centered around tactics chosen by both Germany and the Allied powers in Western Europe. It had been considered certain, because of the Nazi air strength and the superior resources of the Allies, that the outbreak of war would coincide with a locust-like flight of bombing planes across European skies; with vast civilian and military casualties and perhaps even an onslaught by German armies through Belgium in an effort to strike furiously before either Britain or France was ready.

That was the theory of "lightning war" attributed to the German high command and employed in Poland. It was a picture of "total" war that had been drawn vividly and which, as usual, proved far different in application on a big scale. This difference created a general suspicion that it was a "fake" war.

As a matter of fact, the struggle in Europe is an intelligent and uncompromising application of totalitarian warfare by both sides in its most vicious form and along the lines where it is most effective. There is no whiff of winger over Europe; there are not battered armies stumbling futilely through the frozen mud of the Rhineland.

## New British War Minister

## Sea Warfare Takes Toll Of Vessels

London, Jan. 9.—were received here from day that an English war vessel sunk another German ship.

Meantime 20 were missing from the crew of the fish tanker Liberty, which in the North Sea by a mine.

A small Dutch freighter reported sunk by a mine same waters.



Leslie Hore-Beelism as Great Britain's war secretary in a major cabinet shakeup. He now is responsible for the entire army operation. Formerly he was trade secretary.

## NYA Cagers Win From Mavericks

The NYA cagers of Ranger defeated the Eastland Mavericks in a basketball game played at Eastland Monday night by a score of 26 to 19. Charles Squires of Ranger was referee.

High point man for the NYA team was Roper, with 12 points, and high point man for the Mavericks was Crumley, with 10 points.

S. C. Hughes, coach of the NYA team, has been seeking more basketball games for his team, which has proved to be one of the top notch teams of this part of the country.

## County Jailer Is Reported Improved

It was reported Tuesday that improvement has been observed in the condition of Ross Crossley, county jailer, who has been ill in a Ranger hospital recently.

A transfusion, one of several which has been administered, was given Monday. Blood donor was one of his sons, W. B. Crossley, Roscoe newspaper publisher and formerly of this city.

"ABOUT THE SAME"  
C. E. Poe of Carbon, long seriously ill in Cisco, continues "about the same," according to friends. He has been ill for several months.

Mr. Poe is 85 years of age. At Cisco he is staying in the home of a daughter, Mrs. J. E. Spencer.

## El Paso County To Use Equipment of Gambling Houses

EL PASO, Tex.—Not that the county is going to finance games of chance, but its officials have decided to put into use some of the equipment confiscated in a gambling raid.

When owners of \$2,250 worth of gambling equipment and accessories seized in raids by Texas highway department.

Rangers did not appear in court to contest the action, Justice of the Peace R. E. Crawford granted a motion that the seized articles be destroyed or turned over to the county.

Roulette wheels, gaming machines, cards, chips and similar equipment will be destroyed, but poker tables, chairs, lamp shades, wood cabinets, floor mats, a loud speaker unit and two couches are to be used in county offices or at the Rio Vista poor farm. An electric fan is to be presented to the series seized in raids by Texas highway department.

## Dies Committee Not To Be Continued

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Sabath, chairman of the rules committee, said after conference with President Hoover today that continuing over American inquiry by the committee "would be thrown away."

## Waitress Is Killed Riding Motor

FORT WORTH, Jan. 9.—Lyn Willis, 27, waitress, was killed when her motorcycle collided with an automobile. Tarrant County's first fatality of the year.

## Cold Abates Over State On Tuesday

Cold weather was expected to abate slightly today after today when her motorcycle collided with an automobile. Tarrant County's first fatality of the year.

## May Attend Far Meeting This

Miss Ruth Ramey, county agent, plans to attend a meeting of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in Dallas.

## THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Some high tonight and Wednesday change in temperature.

A curfew has been planned in Philadelphia, it is the first attempt to place time limit on homicide.

## Pretty Smooth



At Paris, Ohio state's national diving champion, executes a perfect front jack-knife as he prepares to defend his honors in dual meets and national competition.

## RELIGIOUS LEADER

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Pictured religious leader.

8 He gave service as in Berlin.

12 Damage.

13 Sleeper's noise.

15 Sea eagle.

16 Satan.

18 Duet.

19 Foments.

21 Fury.

22 Epic.

24 Tiny.

25 Postscript.

26 Turkish official.

27 Spanish.

29 Red Cross.

30 Coin slot.

31 God of war.

33 To withstand.

34 Rocky ravine.

35 To scream.

36 Almond.

37 Preposition.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

14 Hind or doe.

16 He trained as a papal or statesman (pt.).

17 To enact laws.

19 Currency notes.

20 He was also of State for Vatican City.

23 Kneecap.

26 Bitter drug.

28 Haughty.

30 Emissary.

32 Work of skill.

38 Ringworm.

41 Edible fungus.

43 Portion.

45 Grain food.

46 Opposite of in.

47 To harvest.

48 Monk's hood.

50 Portuguese coin.

53 Golf device.

55 South America.

56 North Africa.

**VERTICAL**

2 Sheaf (pl.).

3 To lay a street.

4 Silkworm.

5 Subsists.

6 To untie.

7 Broth.

8 Northeast.

9 Tip.

10 Company.

11 To bury.

39 Salt.

40 Paid publicity name.

41 Mother.

42 To tilt.

44 Small stool.

48 Heart.

49 Trap.

51 To regret.

52 Tale.

54 Before.

55 Devil.

57 Female sheep.

58 His official palace.

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### SERIAL STORY

## BLACKOUT

By RUTH AYERS

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YESTERDAY, Mary accepted Gilbert's proposal. They are to be married Saturday, before he leaves for the front. Lenny gives her money to buy a wedding outfit and Mary is surprised to find she has not lost her interest in fashion. Then at the registry she hears herself answering—"I do!"

### CHAPTER XV

AFTER the brief words of the registry marriage service, Mary and Gilbert started back to the rooms.

Mary's arm was tucked in hers in a comradely fashion as they walked, giving her a feeling of protection. Even more, she felt an unexpected sense of elation, as if she were walking on air.

She was still in love with Vincent, she always would be. But the fact that she had seen him with Carla that day no longer seemed so frightening or so cruel.

This marriage at the registry gave her a new status. She was Mrs. Gilbert Lenox. No longer did she have to masquerade as Anna Winters. A great surge of tenderness for the serious, red-headed American doctor came over her.

"You've saved me from absolute defeat," she tried to say. "You've got a heart as big as you are. Great Heart—that should be your name—or maybe Sir Galahad."

Gilbert looked down at her, small and trim by his side. He even managed a smile, although Mary could tell he wasn't thinking of her now. He was impatient to be on the way to the base hospital at the front.

Almost mechanically he replied, "You're already looking up yourself, my dear. That outfit does something for you."

It did, too. The simply styled dress was a blue that reflected her eyes and the veil on the small hat shadowed the twisted right cheek.

Her hair was still colorless and dull and the glowing opal tones of her skin had been blotted out, but for all time, by the drab blue. But a new uplifting of her countenance radiated from her.

IN the apartment, Gilbert began to pack a few intimate possessions.

"This is my mother," he said, showing her a photograph of a sweet-faced woman. "We're mid-westerners. There have been dou-

ters in my family ever since covered wagons moved across the prairies."

Mary was glad he talked. Snatches of anecdotes and revealing incidents about his boyhood and his home in Missouri.

"Have you a girl at home?" she asked abruptly. Red flamed in her face when the words were said. "Oh, I'm sorry. You haven't asked anything about me or the man I love. I've no right to ask you."

"That's quite all right," Gilbert answered. "Girls maybe, yes. But as I told you that day on the porch at the hospital, I've never been in love—real love. That's something different. It has to be."

Mary was at his side at once. "Some day you'll find someone who's crazy about you. I know it. You have everything to offer a girl."

She went on in a rush of words, "What you're doing for me now, giving me your name while you're in France—letting me use your money until I can repay it—all that is chivalrous and generous beyond words. But when you come back to England, I'll be all right again. You've pulled me through and I feel the worst is already over. The marriage can be annulled quietly and I'll never stand in your way. Even now, I envy the girl who'll be your real wife—your sweetheart."

Mary's eyes lowered and her hands twisted miserably in her lap. Gilbert bent down to her. Before either of them were aware of it, he had drawn her to her feet and encircled her shoulders.

"You want to watch out, Mrs. Gilbert Lenox, or you might be the girl I fall in love with." His voice grew husky.

In a breathless move, he had lifted her in his arms, held her as lightly as if she'd been a doll. The new tenderness Mary felt for him began to flame into something stronger. She waited, half hopeful, half fearful that his lips would press down hard on her mouth.

THE spell broke. Gilbert kissed her—but lightly, almost in a brotherly way, and put her down. Mary remembered her unsightly face. No, Gilbert Lenox would never fall in love with her. It was pity, not a glimmer of love, that had made him give her his name.

When he had packed his few things and put a worn Bible in his pocket, Gilbert wrote out a few addresses and directions to her.

"It's not that I'm afraid," he said. "There's really no danger at all. I'm to be well behind the firing lines—not that I wouldn't like to be right in the thick of the fight. But medics get the breaks in these wars and if that's where I can help most, that's where I've got to stay. Still, even in the medical corps, I'm going to be pretty far away and it's best to leave some instructions."

When Mrs. Simmons brought tea, Gilbert gravely announced their marriage to her.

The lodging house landlady blinked. "Oh, I say!" she began. "A bride? Congratulations. I might have guessed after your taking such good care of her."

"You're to look after Mrs. Lenox while I'm gone, understand?"

"I will indeed," the worthy Britisher said. But all the time, Mary could read in the candid face the thoughts that went on behind it. Mrs. Simmons was obviously thinking, "Handsome Dr. Lenox, him to be saddled with such a poor little nobody of a girl."

As they had their tea, Dr. Lenox did not refer again to the brief, business-like ceremony at the registry. It was as if they'd been two people who'd signed a contract to make them partners for a stated time at the end of which they would go their separate ways.

Nor did Gilbert talk any more about his departure. Instead, he was very much the physician in these last few minutes with Mary Carole. He called her Anna, of course, and every time he said the word, Mary felt a trace of guilt. But it was too late now to tell him her real identity.

"Dr. O'Connell is doing special surgery in the same base hospital where I'll be stationed," Gilbert said. "I'll give him the history of your injury and all the facts about it so when he comes back to London he'll be posted on the case. But now, my dear, all the help he can give you isn't going to be worth anything if you don't operate. You're terribly run down—no color, no appetite, and your nerves playing havoc with you."

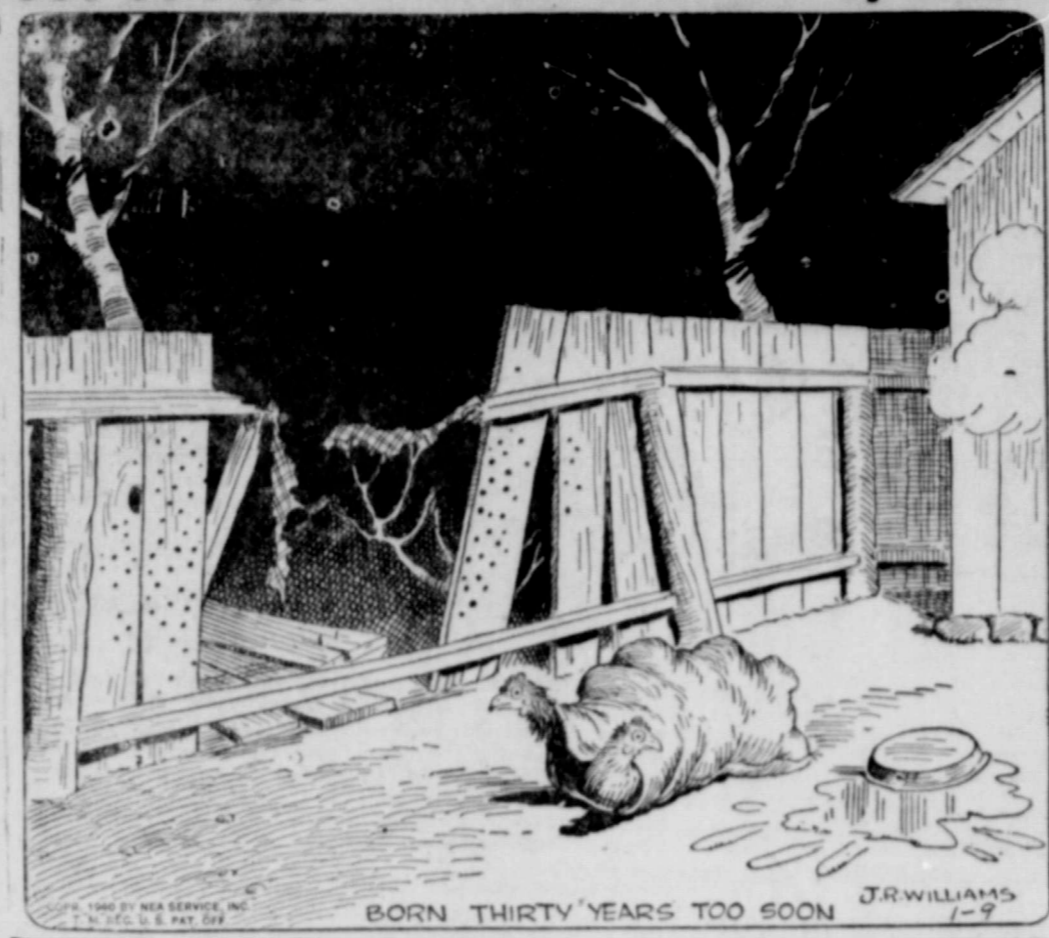
Mary nodded. With every passing minute, she was feeling a stronger pang at this parting. She might never see him again. Her husband! "I understand," she began. "I'll do as you order."

"You're to get plenty of exercise—go to the cinema to relax—drink milk and fairly stuff on nourishing food. I want you in perfect condition when Dr. O'Connell takes you to the hospital."

He stood up. "It's time for me to leave."  
(To Be Continued)

### "OUT OUR WAY"

By Williams



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

### ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



### RED RYDER

By Fred Harman



### Court Rules Signal Not Necessary if No Car Is In Sight

By United Press  
EL PASO, Tex.—You don't have to signal with your hand if there is no auto in sight that might be affected by your change of course—at least in El Paso County. The court says so.

### He Got Tired of West Texas Scenery So He Found Wife

By United Press  
EL PASO, Tex.—If Alton Armstrong, Pomona, Cal., tourist, hadn't got tired of looking at West Texas scenery, he still might be minus a wife.

### Two Wounded Deer Found at End of Hunting Season

By United Press  
EL PASO, Tex.—Notes on the close of a hunting season: Found two deer, one with two legs shot off, the other wounded, but with a chance to recover.

### Preacher Prophecies War To End In '40

By United Press  
FORT WORTH, Tex.—Rev. C. L. Sharp, spiritualist minister who has an enthusiastic local following predicted the end to war in Western Europe and election of a Republican president in 1940.

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# Society Notes

W. S. C. S. Observes Pledge Day

Pledge Day was observed by the Woman's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist Church when it met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church.

Quiet music by Mrs. G. O. Strong opened the service and the leader, Mrs. I. N. Griffin, made the call to worship to which the members responded in unison. After the hymn, "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy," there was a responsive reading of dedication.

Mrs. J. F. Warren, in giving the devotional, chose as the scripture lesson, Proverbs 16:1-9, and as her subject, "Others." In which the influence of the Christian and sacrificial lives of Livingston, Stanley and Pasteur was shown. In the review of the life of Belle H. Bennett, Mrs. J. W. Burage spoke on "Chosen for Service," and "Her First Call and Its Results"; Mrs. Don Minnick discussed "Her Alertness to Need" and "Her Practicality," and Mrs. Lillian Wolfe gave "Her Human Relationship" and "The Controls Which Guided Her Life."

There was a prayer and silent meditation before the signing of the pledges. A prayer hymn, "O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee," preceded the benediction which was the reading in unison of Ephesians 3:20-21.



Mildred Fenton, who sings "My Heart Belongs to Daddy" in "Leave It To Me," coming to the Fort Worth Municipal Auditorium for one night only, Saturday, Jan. 20th. This is the girl who has replaced the now famous "My Heart Belongs to Daddy Girl" Mary Martin. Included in the cast of 100 are the original stars, William Gaxton, Sophie Tucker and Victor Moore.

**Child Study Club to Meet With Mrs. Schooley**  
The Child Study Club will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. T. Schooley. Mrs. Luther Roberts will be co-hostess.

All members are cordially invited to attend.

**New Era Club Meeting Postponed Until Thursday**  
The meeting of the New Era Club which was scheduled to be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. L. R. Herring has been postponed until Thursday afternoon when it will be held at the appointed hour and place.

**W. M. U. Has Mission Study And Luncheon**  
The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Monday morning at 10:30 at the church for a mission study and noon luncheon.

In the morning study Mrs. Pat Crawford, president of the Cisco District Association of the W. M. U., spoke on "Day Dawns in Yoruba Land." After luncheon the study of the mission book was continued.

At the close of the study a business meeting was held by the president of the local unit, Mrs. R. H. Hodges. Members voted to cancel plans for next Monday's meeting here in order that members may attend a lecture in Eastland at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist Church. The speaker will be Miss Blanche Rose Walker, a retired missionary.

**W. M. S. of Christian Church Meets With Mrs. Warner**  
The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian Church met Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Harry Warner. Mrs. L. R. Herring, president, called the meeting to order and gave a spiritual life paper on "Blessed Peace Makers."

A short business meeting preceded the program which was led by Mrs. J. A. Stacks. "Christ in the World Community" was the subject of the program and parts were taken by Mrs. Harry Warner, Mrs. E. T. Matthews and Mrs. R. A. Jones.

At the close of the program refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Herring, Matthews, Jones, Stacks, J. C. Carothers and H. B. Johnson.

**Columbia Study Club Hears Mrs. McAnelly in Book Review**  
The Columbia Study Club met this morning at 9:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. J. E. Matthews and heard Mrs. Stanley McAnelly review "Across the Years" by Emilie Loring.

Preceding the review coffee was served to those attending.

## Prizes Offered For Name Given To Local Center

A prize of \$3.50 in merchandise will be given to the winner of the "Name the Community Center Contest." Everyone is urged to submit a name. Anyone who is not familiar with the activities of the Recreation Project is invited to inspect the Community Center for an idea as to an appropriate name.

The person submitting the winning name will be given a merchandise coupon entitling him or her to all the articles donated by local firms interested in the Community Center.

**\$1.00 in merchandise—Ranger Jewelry Co.**  
Suit or dress cleaned and pressed—Ranger Dry Cleaners.  
2 Passes to Arcadia—Arcadia Theatre.

**10¢—The Globe.**  
Bottle of hand lotion—Ross Pharmacy.  
Box of Handkerchiefs—Martin & Notgrass.  
Box of Stationery—Oil City Pharmacy.  
Finger Wave—Beauty Mart.  
50¢ Merchandise—Ranger Auto Parts.

**\$1.00 Merchandise—J. C. Penney.**  
Roll of Films Developed—Modern Studio.  
There will be no second prize.

The contest closes Friday at noon. Entries may be brought or mailed to the Ranger Times or to the Community Center, 312 1/2 Main street.

## Clothing Left In Arcadia Theatre Is Given To Needy

P. E. Moore, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, announced today that clothing received from the Arcadia Theatre had been distributed in Ranger from the local relief office.

The clothes had accumulated in the theatre for more than a year after being left in the theatre by customers. It was cleaned by the Ranger Dry Cleaners, free of charge, before being distributed.

Included among the garments were 20 pairs of gloves, a number of hats, caps, scarves, jackets, sweaters and a few toys.

## Plans Are Made for C. of C. Banquet To Be Held On Feb. 8

Names of 15 men, who were nominated for places on the board of directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, were submitted today to the Ranger City Commission, from which five will be elected to the board at the commission meeting tonight.

In addition to nominating three men for each vacancy on the board the directors voted to have a Chamber of Commerce banquet on the night of Thursday, Feb. 8.

A. N. Larson, president, named a general arrangements committee composed of L. R. Pearson, chairman, John Kindle and G. D. Chastain. They will make general arrangements for the banquet and will provide a speaker. The entertainment committee named is composed of B. E. Garner, chairman, Lee Dockery and Lloyd Bruce.

Those present at the meeting were Larson, W. F. Creager, Dockery, Chastain, R. S. Balch, Dr. Ross Hodges, B. A. Tunnell and Kindle.

## A Plant Hormone Holds a Chemical Element of Plantlife

PASADENA, Cal.—The discovery that a flowering hormone exists for plants has resulted in scientists at the California Institute of Technology launching a research effort to determine the chemical nature of this vital element.

It has been established that in precisely the same manner that hormones from the endocrine or ductless glands of the human system control the entire growth and development of the human being, similar hormones control the growth, development and flowering of plants. It is the hormone that causes plants to flower that for the moment is most attracting the attention of the institute's scientists.

The work is being carried on by Dr. James Bonner, assistant professor of plant physiology. In collaboration with Chicago research workers, an extensive investigation is being carried on especially with the flowers of cockleburs which are regarded as the ones most likely to reveal the chemical character of the flowering hormone. Thousands of the plants are being grown at the institute's experiment farm at Arcadia.

As regards other plant life hormones it has been established that some influence the root, others the stem, and others the leaf. The one governing the flowering of a plant is looked upon as probably being the most vital one.

"It seems like," Dr. Bonner said, "that every part of a plant has its growth substance. It seems possible that the time will come when the growth of plants can be regulated for their best production and maximum benefit to mankind."

## Elephant Butte To Furnish Electricity

HOT SPRINGS, N. M.—Contracts are being negotiated to provide Hot Springs with the first outlet of power from the Elephant Butte hydroelectric plant, L. R. Flock, superintendent of the project, announced.

Hot Springs is three miles from the plant located at Elephant Butte Dam, whose waters were harnessed to provide the electricity to towns along the Rio Grande. A transmission line to carry 13,800 volts will be constructed to transport the power to Hot Springs, Flock said.

Las Cruces, N. M., and Silver City, N. M., will be served in that order, followed by Deming, N. M., to complete a circuit carrying 15,000 volts. Transmission of the power to the New Mexico towns in the circuit will enable flow of electricity from the dam in either direction in event of a break in the line.

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## Two Cage Games Are Planned Here

The Ranger Bulldogs will play the Cisco Lobos tonight in a conference basketball game, to be played at the Recreation Building in Ranger, beginning at 7:30, it has been announced by Coach Bill Tipton of the Bulldogs.

Wednesday night a Ranger Junior College basketball game has been announced by Coach H. G. Jennings. This game will be with the Daniel Baker College Hillbillies of Brownwood, instead of with Hillsboro, as announced yesterday.

## 35c Per Person Is Given Finn Relief By Minnesota City

NEW YORK.—Burt D. Pearson, editor of the Virginia, Minn., Enterprise, has collected an average of 35 cents from every man, woman and child in Virginia City for the aid of civilian sufferers in war-torn Finland.

To date, Mr. Pearson has sent in checks totaling slightly more than \$4,200, it was pointed out at headquarters of the Finnish Relief Fund today. On the basis of the city's present population of 12,000 this is an average of 35 cents for every resident within the city limits.

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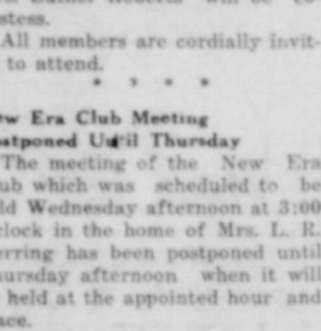
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**Society Personal**  
Dr. W. L. Downtain is in Dallas attending the mid-winter dental clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cooper spent Monday in Jacksboro and Fort Worth.  
Mrs. O. L. Phillips and James Phillips are spending today in Fort Worth.  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Champion have returned to their home in Tyler after a visit with relatives and friends in Ranger.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Phillips had as their guests, Monday, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Phillips of Rotan.

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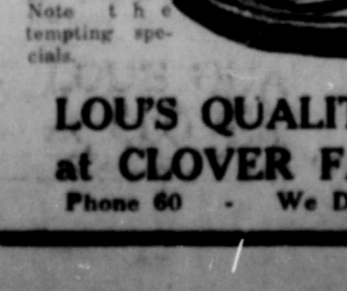
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She was walking in Ladywell Recreation Ground, London, when she saw four men lying on the ground. She noticed that each of them was wearing one or more articles of army clothing, such as socks and boots. When she questioned them, they did not answer, so she called a park-keeper as a witness to the arrests—and marched all four off to the police station.

They there all admitted that they were deserters from the Royal Army Service Corps.

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