

Lynching Bill Filibuster Is Said Likely

Connally, Others Prepare to Delay Measure in Senate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. (AP)—Southern senators banded together today for a prolonged fight against the anti-lynching bill in the hope it would be shelved to make way for President Roosevelt's legislative program.

Senator Connally (D-Tex.), leader of opposition to the bill, said the debate would last "at least a week," but declined to forecast how much longer.

The President's budget estimates for relief and farm benefits encountered congressional opposition despite favorable democratic reaction to the message as a whole.

House leaders, with the budget before them, cleared the way for immediate consideration of appropriation bills carrying out its provisions.

Community Service Basis of Rountree's Address at Rotary

Carl Rountree, Lamesa attorney and formerly president of the Rotary club there, addressed the Midland Rotarians today on the subject of community service. Rountree paid tribute to Fred Wemple, immediate past district governor, and other Rotarians who were instrumental in organizing the club at Lamesa.

The spirit of "Am I My Brother's Keeper" is exemplified in Rotary, the speaker said. He praised the organization for the promotion of fellowship among its members, also for its spirit of helpfulness to others and to the communities it serves. Rotarians should keep in mind the larger objectives as well as the fellowship and acquaintance gained through membership, he said.

Towns are not built by stagnation but through unselfish service, Rountree said. He declared that the most successful man in any community is the one who gives his service unselfishly and his efforts for the upbuilding of the churches, schools, civic enterprises and other worthwhile phases of every day life; the one who, if removed from a community, is the one who is missed and whose place is hardest to fill. Every Rotarian should desire to be that sort of a citizen, Rountree said. The visiting speaker was introduced by Wemple who also recognized two new members of the club, Fred Fromhold and H. F. Fox, briefly outlining their obligations to Rotary and extended them a welcome into the organization.

Visitors today included C. W. Jones of New York City, Dr. L. R. Noyes of Fort Worth, Martelle McKeen of Big Spring and Barney Grafs of Midland.

Delinquent TUCC Payments Will Be Subject to Fines

AUSTIN, Jan. 6.—Employers delinquent in paying their State payroll contributions for Unemployment Compensation on January 31 will be liable for double taxation, Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-director, said today.

Under the law, the State collects payroll taxes monthly and the Federal government collects them yearly. If an employer pays his State taxes before the Federal taxes are due, the amount of tax paid the State of Texas from the Federal tax. This deduction or credit is allowed, however, only where the State tax has been paid before January 31. If the State tax is not paid before this date, then the employer must pay the full amount to both the State and the Federal government.

Federal returns are due on January 31 for the year 1937. The final 1937 State tax—that for December—is due on January 25. Chairman Carpenter stressed the importance of employers including all salaries up to and including December 31 and bonuses applicable for the year 1937 in this final report.

\$25,000 Taken in Kentucky Holdup

GUTHRIE, Ky., Jan. 6. (AP)—Three masked men killed a negro post-office messenger, shot down the chief of police and fled here late Wednesday with a mail bag containing \$25,000 before anyone could give chase or even open fire on them.

The men drove up as Arthur Minns, 65, post office messenger, walked through an open space about 100 yards from the depot where the money was to be put on a train for Louisville.

There was a sudden burst from a sub-machine gun. Minns fell with a shot in his forehead trying to draw his pistol. Police Chief C. M. Sherrod, escorting Minns, fell with a flesh wound in each leg.

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas K. Betzel have returned from a trip to Shreveport, La., Houston, and other southern cities.

Joan's Daughter Grows Up



Almost as tall and flashing the same smile and twinkling eyes as her actress mother, Diana Markey, 9-year-old daughter of Joan Bennett and her first husband, John Fox, is shown above enjoying a ski run with her mother near Quebec. Not as adept on the waxed boards as Joan, Diana has obviously tumbled into the snow. Diana joined her mother for the holidays during her vacation from the eastern school. Miss Bennett recently divorced Diana's foster father, Gene Markey, writer.

SATURATED CORES ARE RUMORED PULLED FROM MAGNOLIA McKEE

BY FRANK GARDNER.

Rumors current this morning that Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A McKeen, Ordovician test in northern Pecos county, had cored oil-saturated lime focused interest once again upon the well which starts West Texas' hottest play last November when it topped the Simpson, middle Ordovician, structurally high.

Confirmation lacking, the well is understood to have cored from 5,275 to 5,295, the present total depth. Amount of cored section recovered was not learned, but it was reported that several feet had been wrapped in cellophane and hurriedly taken off. Operators are now circulating to keep hole clear. Whether casing will be set and a test made has not been learned.

Located in section 24, block 9, H. & G. N. survey, No. 1-A McKeen topped Simpson at 4,775, datum of minus 2,390, and on that marker is 870 feet higher than Gulf No. 5, Waddell, larger of two flush producers from the Ordovician zone in the Sandhills pool of western Crane, 12 miles north of the Magnolia well. McKnight Cement Pipe.

Gulf No. 3 McKnight, western Crane deep test, cemented 7-inch casing on shoulder at 6,050 feet with 400 sacks of cement and is standing while cement sets. It topped Simpson at 6,076 and drilled only 88 feet of that section, going into the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, at 6,164. On Ellenburger top, it is exactly 400 feet higher than Gulf No. 2 Waddell, 149-barrel Ordovician producer two and two-thirds miles to the southwest.

In Crockett, Moore Brothers No.

Goldsmith Race Riot Is Averted

Threat to 'Chase' Negroes From Town Dissipated Today

GOLDSMITH, Jan. 6. (Special).—All was quiet in Goldsmith this morning despite a threatened race riot unless the entire negro population of this oil town had departed.

A group of white men was reported to have warned negroes of the town to be gone by 8 o'clock this morning or face prospects of "being moved," but very few colored persons took the warning seriously. At least two families moved out last night and their shacks were torn down but they had returned this morning.

Mrs. Billy Crowell, waitress in a cafe operated by "Curley" Davis, was the only casualty thus far. She is recuperating from a broken arm in an Odessa hospital. Her condition is reported as satisfactory today.

Mrs. Crowell was when a negro, waving a pistol, walked into the Davis' cafe Tuesday night. After brandishing the pistol he fired, at Davis, who had ducked behind a counter. The bullet struck Mrs. Crowell, and broke her left arm in two places.

The negro, whose identity is known to officers, has not been located. Constable "Purvis" Burns is of the opinion he is hiding near Midland, and has asked officers there to assist in the search for him.

Trouble was first seen Wednesday when negroes residing here were warned to be gone from the city Thursday morning by 8 a. m.

Burns telephoned to Odessa for aid, and Constable Clyde Ray answered the call. Other officers, it is believed, were held in readiness to be rushed here should trouble develop.

The constable was of the opinion that he had quelled the trouble and forestalled the riot.

Roads from other points, especially to Odessa, to Goldsmith are practically impassable.

Goldsmith is one of the state's newest oil towns. "Purvis" Burns is established with the discovery of oil here six months ago.

Constable Burns last night said: "There were some 'smart a**es' here who were trying to scare the negroes, but I telephoned to Odessa and got some help, and I won't think anything will happen now. They had told the negroes to be out of town by 8 o'clock Thursday morning, but I don't guess they will have to leave. I think I've got it under control now."

Officials From Six Scouting Districts Meet Here Tonight

Finance officers and district chairmen of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will gather for a dinner meeting in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer here this evening at 7:00 o'clock, representatives from each of the six districts being expected to attend.

Charles E. Paxton of Sweetwater, council president, will be in charge of the meeting. Thursday was called at the request of R. M. Simmons, Sweetwater, recently named council treasurer.

Council finances for 1938 will be discussed and the quotas for various towns and districts, assigned. The 1938 budget will be arranged or presentation at the annual meeting in Big Spring on January 18.

Sumners Boosted as New Court Justice

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. (AP)—A group of house judiciary committee members today prepared a letter to President Roosevelt suggesting he appoint committee chairman Hatton Sumners (D-Tex) to Justice Sutherland's supreme court seat.

State Appropriations Committee Starts Government Economy Drive

Inlanders' Shadows Over China



By night as well as by day, the Japanese military rulers of Shanghai strive to impress the populace with the formidable strength of the forces of occupation, in an effort to check the reign of terror launched by Chinese elements that refuse to accept defeat. Hollywood-like scenes such as that pictured are common. Flares silhouette the field gun and riflemen on guard duty at their quarters in the recently captured metropolis.

Regulations Passed Governing Sale of Milk in Midland

New regulations governing the sale of milk and milk products in the city of Midland have been passed by the city council, the ordinance being published in full in today's issue of The Reporter-Telegram.

The new ordinance, which takes the place of any existing regulation by the city, makes mandatory the grading and labeling of milk and certain milk products offered for sale in the city; prohibits the sale of adulterated, misbranded or ungraded milk or milk products; requires and provides for issuing and revoking of permits, authorizes the city health officer to receive applications for permits and also provides construction requirements for any new dairies or milk plants established, provides for enforcement and fixing of penalties for violation.

After a period of twelve months, no milk or milk products other than grade A and B pasteurized, certified and grade A raw may be sold in the city, according to the ordinance. All persons, firms or corporations engaged in the handling or sale of milk or milk products were urged to study carefully the terms of the ordinance, contacting the health officer on any details not fully understood.

Two Arrests Made in Lamesa Slaying

LAMESA, Jan. 6. (AP)—Sheriff Gus White of Dawson county last night said two arrests had been made in connection with investigation into the hijacking of a haberdashery here the night of December 11 and the fatal shooting of Maxie Woodroff, a clerk in the store.

Additional arrests were expected "at any time," he said. A report from Wichita Falls, last night said a man who gave his address as Lamesa had been picked up by authorities on strength of a circular from the Dawson county sheriff's office.

White said the man arrested at Wichita Falls was wanted here in connection with the hijacking, but did not include definitely that he was associated with the hijacking.

A man who was arrested here Saturday by E. P. Anderson, deputy sheriff, Jack Phinley, city marshal, and another city officer in connection with the shooting is being held but no charges have been filed, White said.

Hijackers Get \$20 From Lufkin Man

LUFKIN, Jan. 6. (AP)—Two men, credited by Sheriff H. Billingsley with recent East Texas robberies, kidnaped, robbed and released E. Huffman, filling station operator here last night. The men got \$20, gasoline and cigarettes.

ETA BROADCAST

Junior High ETA will continue a series of radio programs with a broadcast over station KRLH Friday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock. Mrs. L. C. Link and Claude O. Crane will be principal speakers.

STATE OFFICIAL DIES

AUSTIN, Jan. 6. (AP)—Dr. Jeremiah Rhodes, 77, assistant state superintendent of education, died here today.

Honest Hitch Hiker Does His Good Turn

Hitch hikers sometimes do some good. At least that's the report of Earl Ray, whose check, made out to a cotton oil mill, was lost near Llaneta the other day, in a wallet which fell from his truck. Shortly afterward, a hitch hiker looked Ray up and returned the check to him. The amount of the check had not been filled in, pending completion of business with the oil mill.

Midland Farm Loan Association Names Officers January 11

Plans are being completed for the 1938 annual stockholders' meeting of the Midland National Farm Loan Association, on January 11, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. in the county court room, according to Joseph H. Mims, Secretary-Treasurer of the association, who said that this meeting would be one of the most important in the history of the association.

Members of the association will review the progress of their own cooperative credit institution and hear the reports of its officers. According to Mims, the Midland National Farm Loan Association has made Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner loans amounting to approximately \$700,000 since its organization in 1918.

Proration Chief Dies at Abilene

ABILENE, Jan. 6. (AP)—W. J. Carden, district deputy supervisor of proration for the Texas Railroad Commission for the past 15 years, died at his home here early last night. He was 67 years old.

Navy Plane With 7 Aboard Missing

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 6. (AP)—Captain Alvin Bernhardt, chief of staff, navy aircraft scouting force, announced today a navy plane with seven men aboard was missing since yesterday.

General Motors Sales Drop Said Heaviest Ever

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. (AP)—William Knudsen, president of the General Motors Corporation, told the special senate unemployment committee today that his company had experienced the severest sales drop in history during November and December, making a stay-off of men essential.

The company laid off 30,000 men January 1. He said the company hoped the low point had been reached and that all employees could be kept at work. He said the sales drop was "unexpected and beyond our control."

He said "the one hope for immediate stabilization of work was that people generally will feel a little more confident of the future."

Knudsen said "I don't think there is a way in God's world we could forecast a 50 per cent drop in business in three weeks, such as we had in December."

Indebtedness of Highway Comm. Being Surveyed

AUSTIN, Jan. 6. (AP)—The highway commission has retained finance consultants to survey county and road district bond indebtedness of the state with a view to reducing interest rates, chairman Robert L. Bobbitt disclosed today.

First Voters of Midland Organized

Organization of first voters has been started at Midland, according to James H. Goodman, state democratic executive committee member for the twenty-ninth senatorial district of Texas. Robert H. Reeves, employed by the Sinclair-Prairie offices here, has been appointed co-director for the district. Goodman says there are about fifty residents here who have just reached the age of maturity and will cast their first vote this year. The organization seeks to interest them in obtaining certificates to vote, at the county tax collector's office. Other workers here include Miss Alma Heard, at the office of Sparks & Barron, and Miss Dorothy Holzgraf, at the Scharbauer Cigar Stand.

Midland Red Cross Chapter Is Awarded Honor Certificate

An honor certificate for distinguished achievement in the annual Red Cross roll call for 1937 was this week received from national headquarters by Russell C. Conking, chairman of the Red Cross roll call staged here in November. The Midland goal of 900 was exceeded by more than 100 memberships.

GUEST FROM DALLAS

Allen Roberson of Dallas is here this week as the guest of his sisters, Mrs. Lockley Hall and Mrs. Claude O. Crane, and of his brother, Joe Roberson.

Savings of 118 Millions Seen In Bill

Expansion of CCC Camps Requested By 2 Departments

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. (AP)—The house appropriations committee today began an economy drive by recommending the appropriation of \$1,414,818,500 to finance more than 30 independent governmental agencies over the coming year, saving more than \$118,000,000 over the current year.

The Interior and Agriculture departments disclosed before the committee insistence on expansion of CCC camps to complete projects in western states, despite proposed curtailment of the CCC program.

Director Robert Fencher of the CCC said the departments want 20 new camps, particularly to cooperate with the grazing division in the rehabilitation program in the public domain.

Under the heading unemployment relief, and including direct relief, work relief and the Civilian Conservation Corps, it disclosed the President had planned to reduce relief spending from \$1,759,000,000 this year to \$1,266,000,000 next year, a cut of nearly a half billion dollars. It now depends upon the extent of the increase in unemployment.

The other conditional figures, that for national defense, was set down at \$981,000,000, or \$34,000,000 more than is planned for the current year. However, even before yesterday's message, Mr. Roosevelt had informed Congress that he might send to it a supplemental estimate covering the cost of building warships over and above those now in mind.

"Racket" in Land Vacancy Filings Is Alleged Today

AUSTIN, Jan. 6. (AP)—Governor Alford made public a letter today from H. L. Mills, chairman of the permanent school land committee of the Texas State Teachers Association, indicating a "racket" in land vacancy matters, and advocating the state board to supervise leasing school lands.

He voiced the opinion vacancy suits sometimes are filed willfully to create sentiment against all school lands.

He said there was nothing that could be done "unless there is a special session of the legislature." Governor Alford replied he was disturbed and was giving the matter careful study.

Follows Statutes As to Vacancies, McDonald Says

AUSTIN, Jan. 6.—In recognition of the discussion over the State in recent weeks with reference to vacancies, State Land Commissioner, William H. McDonald, today issued a statement in which he pointed out that the course which he is following is the only one that can be pursued under the present law. He said, however, that changes in the statute might be advisable and he suggested a possible compromise. McDonald's statement follows:

"The subject of vacancies, for years, has been one of importance, but in recent months the interest in the matter has greatly increased. As a starting point, it might be well to define a vacancy. In non-technical language, 'vacancy' means a tract of land between two surveys that has never been located by the State of Texas (or by the governments which, prior to statehood, exercised dominion over Texas) and which tract, consequently, still belongs to the State. In many instances, however, individuals conscientiously hold to the belief that they own the area which turns out to be a vacancy—and this produces complications, naturally.

"Vacancies found in the past have meant \$4,760,871.68 to the State; and royalties from vacancies which already have been recovered will mean a large revenue for many years. If vacancies continue to be discovered in the future, this probably will mean additional millions of dollars. The proceeds from vacancies go into the State Permanent School Fund and are invested, the income being used for the public schools, thereby taking a substantial burden off the taxpayers.

"Like every question that is the subject of controversy, the matter of vacancies has two sides. On the one hand there is the private citizen who may have had possession for years and perhaps has made improvements on the property, thinking that his deed covers ownership of the vacancy. On the other hand, there is the State of Texas against which the statute of limitation does not run. A vacancy still

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Vagabond Newsboy Sells Papers Here

Sam H. King Cole, a wandering newsboy for 41 of his 48 years in this world, blew in to The Reporter-Telegram office this morning with the announcement to all and sundry that he would like to increase street sales this afternoon that would be remembered for a long time to come.

Cole, who started selling papers at the age of seven, in York, Pennsylvania, has sold papers in 57 world capitals of the world and in every state of the union.

The first "extra" ever sold by Cole was on the assassination of President McKinley. Since that time he has seen most of the world, usually making his appearance at different places, in the midst of their greatest news-stories.

He has just returned from the Pacific Coast, where he sold papers in Los Angeles and Pasadena before and during the Rose Bowl game January 1.

As he catches time out from his travels from one country to another, he puts in time writing on a book, the title of which, appropriately enough, is "Any Place Is Home Sweet Home to Me." He said the book would have been finished a long time ago but that he cannot settle down and work on it long



enough to make much progress at a time. And as he travels more, he finds more interesting and thrilling chapters to add to it.

This is his first appearance in this part of Texas, however, he has sold papers in Amarillo, Pampa, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Galveston and most of the principal cities of the state.

He declares this area of the country right now is one of the most industrially active sections he has visited in years and that it is a "treasure" to see the hustle and bustle that is going on here.

After falling in efforts to reach China, he left the coast and headed back east, determined on a trip to Cuba in the near future.

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Clear Labor Concept Is Nation's Need Now

To say that labor is in confusion today is merely to say what everybody knows. But a good deal of the confusion is in the fact that we as yet have no settled law or even common concepts of labor rights and duties.

That is not strange. The labor problem in its modern, streamlined phase is new to the United States. We are simply fumbling our way toward settled conceptions. The Wagner act is one of our first efforts to codify rights that are by no means commonly agreed upon.

For instance: An odd labor election was held the other day by the New York Labor Relations Board. The question usually set up by such boards is "do you wish to be represented in collective bargaining by X union or Y union?"

But this ballot offered a third alternative, that "neither union" be chosen as representative. And lo and behold, when all the ballots were counted, X union got 88, Y union got 21, and the vote for "neither union" was 287.

Does this suggest that perhaps many of our labor board elections have failed to offer a chance to vote for what the employes really wanted? Industrial elections should be indicators to show the will of employes as regards collective bargaining. They do not yet do this perfectly, and here there is room for experiment.

Picketing rights have not yet been generally agreed upon. A recent New Jersey decision is that a strike is over and picketing is therefore illegal when the places of strikers have been filled and business has been resumed. Certainly there will be no general agreement that this is the final word on such a point.

On the other hand, suppose there are 100 employes in a plant, and 10 of them want to strike. They do, and bring 3000 allies as "picket" to forcibly prevent the other 90 from entering the plant. Is that picketing? There simply is not as yet any general agreement on the rights and wrongs in such cases.

New York electrical manufacturers are suing a union there under the Sherman anti-trust act, charging that it constitutes a monopoly. With the administration blaming monopolies for price-fixing and raising costs arbitrarily, is it possible that closed unions will be held to be as much "in restraint of trade" as monopolists in the ordinary sense?

Can union members sue their unions if they are damaged through acts of the unions? This question, too, is before the courts.

There are a thousand questions like these on which people generally must become agreed, and their concepts written into law before a smooth and systematic conduct of labor relations will be possible.

A Peculiar Race

There was an old song during the World War with one verse which began, "The French, they are a peculiar race, parley-vo!"

They are, indeed. Here is the minister of justice in Paris who went on a short inspection tour of a "short-term penitentiary." After an affectionate holiday speech to the prisoners, the minister picked out one and kissed him soundly on both cheeks as the cameras clicked.

Considerable progress has been made of late years in penology in America. But we are inclined to doubt that the practice will ever be adopted here of having an American attorney general or even a G-man go out at Christmas-time to kiss a few prisoners. Babies, perhaps, but not prisoners.

Besides, the Constitution forbids. It says that "cruel and unusual punishments" shall not be afflicted.

Reassuring Thought

It is commonly assumed, and certainly the events in Spain and China bear it out, that in the next World War civilians, women, and babies will all be slaughtered on even terms with soldiers.

Now a British admiral offers an alternate suggestion that would be more reassuring if the thought behind it were not such a revelation of the mad way in which the world is thinking today.

"The bombing of non-combatants, except munition workers," says the sagacious admiral, "would not be carried out by anybody except madmen, as food supply is a great problem in war-time, and to reduce the number of non-combatants and non-munition workers is assisting to solve the enemy's most vital problem."

In other words, because non-combatants eat, thus consuming food that might otherwise go to their soldiers, opposing future warriors may wisely spare their lives. So mad has the world become that sane and intelligent men indulge quite gravely in speculations like that.

Santa's Record.

Fortunately Santa Claus hadn't heard about the business recession, or depression, or whatever it is—or was. Speaking through his deputy, Postmaster General Jim Farley, he announced that Dec. 21 was the biggest single day in postal history, both as regards volume and receipts. The whole Christmas mail set a new record.

America's heart is bigger than its pocketbook. Given any kind of a chance, that same spirit will start the country again on the upward path in 1938.

The President warned Congress he would hold it responsible for failure to economize on highway building. Yes, but the folks who re-elect congressmen are the home-town motorists.

They say Joe Louis has never seen his next opponent, Nathan Mann. Well, if Nathan lasts as long as Joe's last opponent, Tommy Farr, they'll have plenty of time to get acquainted on the night of Feb. 28.

Life In The Day Of A Dictator



Behind the Scenes in Washington

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. — Renewed efforts to pass wage-hour-child labor legislation go hand in hand with New Deal hopes of curbing some of the powers of the Supreme Court.

Defeat of such legislation by a small House majority in the special session was a bad blow to the New Deal tacticians, who see federal regulation of wages, hours and child labor not only as a social-economic measure for protection of exploited workers and a bulwark for purchasing power, but also as a challenge to the Supreme Court.

It has been an administration theory that the Supreme Court "wouldn't dare" kill a wage-hour-child labor law in these days of enlightenment. The reasoning is somewhat involved.

But it was assurance that the court as constituted a year ago would certainly invalidate such legislation was a prime factor behind Roosevelt's decision to pop his court plan. The court's subsequently liberalized decisions, as in the Wagner Act and Social Security cases, have made it appear the court would hardly fly in the face of public opinion and a law as popular as the New Dealers expect the wage-hour child labor act would be.

VALIDATION of such a law would mean that the court would have to reverse itself in its decision in the Hammer vs. Dagenhart case.

"And then," say New Deal lawyers, "all our problems will be over and the federal government can bar anything from interstate commerce that Congress wants to bar."

It was in the Hammer-Dagenhart case that the court, in 1918, by a 5 to 4 vote, killed a law prohibiting products of child labor from being sent from the state of origin into any other state. The court held that production was not subject to federal control, that the manufacture of goods and the mining of coal were not commerce and that the law was in violation of federal power

of control of local matters. Think TVA is Safe.

THE same New Dealers will get the shock of their lives if any of the three important electric power cases up before the court this winter are decided in favor of the private power companies which are litigating with the government.

These cases involve the constitutionality of TVA operations, the PWA loans and grants to municipalities for public power plants, and the public utilities holding company act.

Lawyers for power companies seem lugubrious, while administration attorneys are quite cocksure as to the outcome all three times. Chief Justice Hughes, many believe, will not come out openly against the administration on any vitally important issue. Electric power, as a prime material force in industrial civilization and regarded as next in importance to land and water, presents one such issue. It is known that Hughes abhors it to 4 decisions and New Dealers are sure they can count on Brandeis, Stone, Cardozo and Black to begin with.

Non-lawyers here are inclined to have some mental reservations about all this.

MEANWHILE, it's worth remembering that Roosevelt has now appointed four of the five members of the second and most important court in the United States—the U. S. court of appeals for the District of Columbia. When anyone sees a cabinet member of other high executive in a test case involving powers of the various departments and federal agencies, the suit must be brought through this court.

Roosevelt has appointed four liberals to four vacancies—the latest being Congressman Fred Vinson of Kentucky.

KILMER FOREST IMPROVED.

ROBBINSVILLE, N. C. (AP) — More than 18 miles of root trails are being constructed in the Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest in Graham county.

ICE MAN MODERN, TOO.

CLEVELAND, (AP) — The housewife who has an ice box need no longer run for the mop when the iceman visits. The 1937 model iceman has a drip-proof carrier tray that doesn't leave a trail of water across the kitchen linoleum.

STORIES IN STAMPS

DISCOVERING THE PACIFIC

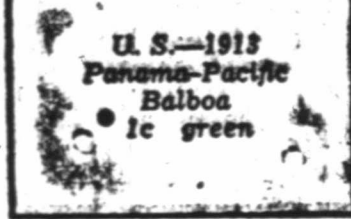


TWO motives spurred the adventurous plans of daring young Vasco Nunez de Balboa in 1513. Exploring in the lands of the Caribbean, he heard from friendly natives of the ocean settlements on the other side of the mountains and of the gold of Peru. And at the same time he heard from Spain. Having incurred the ill will of the king on a previous occasion he was now ordered condemned and summoned to return to his homeland.

So Vasco Nunez determined on a noble feat to conciliate the king; he would discover an ocean for Spain. Accordingly on Sept. 1, 1513, he set out from Darien with 190 Spaniards and 1000 natives. Either on the 25th or 26th he reached the top of the range and for the first time sighted the Pacific.

Francisco Pizarro and two others were sent out immediately to reconnoiter. On the 29th Balboa himself took possession of the "Great South Sea" in the name of Spain. The discovery did reconcile the King, Ferdinand the Catholic, but Balboa's glory was short lived. He was condemned for treason and executed in 1517, victim of a vicious plot conceived by an old enemy. Balboa is shown on the first of the four U. S. Panama-Pacific commemorative stamps of 1913.

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The Town Quack



I've been wrong about something for at least two-thirds of my life, but I'm not too hard headed to admit it. You know I had something in this paper a few weeks ago about a "flee" dog, meaning a "rat". Well, I finally found out, by reading a story in Collier's and having the city editor focus my attention on it, that the proper spelling is "flea," and that the people I hurrahed because they spelled it "flee" were not as far wrong as I was, after all. The dictionary has had it right all the time, but I just hadn't looked in the right place. I almost waited too late, because a rat flea now is bred up to where they call him a fox terrier.

A boot census ought to be taken in Midland. More cowboy boots are

observed in a spell of bad weather than there are shoes. It seems to me. These boot makers have been kept mighty busy, outfitting cowmen, oil men, farmers, lawyers, barbers, merchants, preachers, school superintendents, auto dealers, gamblers, etc. It's got to where a common cowpuncher wears shoes in self defense. Shoe dealers declare that the demand for boot shaped shoes is now bigger than it has been since Morrison & Richards had a store here.

As muddy as our streets get with only a half inch of rain, I wonder what we would do with about a four-inch downpour. The rain gauges these days can't report near as much rain as we used to have in this country. They must be equipped with lids on them, and all that is registered is what splashes in from the sides.

Headline in El Paso paper today: E. P. Editor His Judge. I didn't know they could put you in jail for that. It seems that the editor slapped the judge because the judge "insulted him." And Percy Mims added that he didn't know you could insult an editor.

In Quebec's Prison

QUEBEC, Que. (AP) — For the first time in more than a year the "death row" in Quebec jail is untenanted.

The last two occupants, Kingsley Carter, former mayor of Gaspe, who was charged with the murder of Arnold "Flash" Gordon, and Georges Grenier, 33-year-old Quebec milk driver, sentenced to hang for the murder of his wife, were acquitted.

Hi Luck Dogs Blind Trail.

DURAND, Wis. (AP) — Hard luck trails D. Francis Naegeli here. His first affliction was blindness. Then he bought a guide dog. Some one poisoned it. Friends passed the hat to gather the \$800 to \$1000 needed to obtain another. Recently it died.

Women Buyers Called Poor Judge of Dogs

CLEVELAND (UP) — Walter Sykes, a Cleveland lawyer, who is selling dogs on the city streets, is not convinced that his women customers are getting the most for their money.

"Women almost always want the cutest dog," Sykes says, "and often dogs of mixed ancestry look better than those which are purebred."

The attorney is selling the dogs at the request of a deceased friend.

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SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

Woman's Wednesday Club Hears Address By Mrs. Thomas

Mrs. Alma Thomas was guest speaker at the meeting of the Woman's Wednesday club with Mrs. Andrew Pasken, 903 W. Kansas, Wednesday afternoon. She told of the purpose of her trip to the Orient last summer—to attend the international educational meeting—and paid particular attention to the life of the people in the countries she visited.

There are, she said, very few women teachers. She talked with a few who are principals but women in these positions are rare. She visited some schools that were tending to westernization and found the children uniformed.

In Japan, she noted especially the nationally controlled gymnastics which all must take, the children in the schools, the workers on the roofs of buildings in the city.

She found Oriental hotels clean and attractive, with none of the dark corridors which are found in American hosteleries. Flowers and other attractive ornaments brightened the apartments. The streets, however, were not so clean, she found.

Following Mrs. Thomas' talk, she answered questions of the group, most of them revolving about the political situation. She revealed that she believes Japan the aggressor nation, but that the middle class is not in favor of the war being waged now. She also believes that when the United States releases the Philippines finally in 1945, Japan will be ready to move in and take the islands for herself.

Preceding the address by Mrs. Thomas, a business meeting was held with Mrs. W. T. Walsh presiding. Reports of appreciation were

Miss Taylor Favors Entre Nous Club At New Year Party

In accordance with a club tradition that the player who wins a certain prize several times in succession must entertain the group, Miss Cordelia Taylor was hostess to Entre Nous members with a New Year's party at her home, 405 North A street, Tuesday evening.

The favored theme was carried out in subjects of small pictures which were wrapped in white paper, started with gold and blue and piled upon a table. Guests selected their packages by finding their initials upon the parcels.

Tallies bore a design of New Year bells.

Mrs. Aldredge Estes held high score for club members in the three tables of bridge played, with Mrs. Jess Rodgers scoring high for the guests, and Mrs. J. B. Zant holding high cut.

Low score players at each table received clever packages of candy as awards, these going to Mrs. Charlie Blalock, Miss Annie Frank Stout, and Miss Jerra Edwards.

Guests for the evening were Mrs. Rodgers and Miss Ina Mae Vaught. Members present were: Mrs. Estes, Mrs. Blalock, Mrs. Zant, Mrs. Susie G. Noble, Miss Helen Miley, Miss Stout, Miss Lotta Williams, Miss Jerra Edwards, Miss Juliette Wolcott, and the hostess.

heard from families to whom the club sent Christmas baskets.

Mrs. Walsh, as president, also appointed a nominating committee composed of Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, chairman, Mrs. M. R. Hill, and Mrs. R. L. Miller. At the next meeting a program committee will be appointed.

Mrs. H. C. Barnes, secretary-treas-

Beautiful Buccaneer



This dashing "buccaneer" black felt with deep upturned brim is designed for wear with bust-length jacket that Schiaparelli launched in her mid-season collection. This jacket is in dark green duvetyne with black silk embroidery on collar and cuffs and "biscuit" buttons in black.

Sans Souci Club Has First Party Of Club New Year

Opening 1938 activities of the Sans Souci club was the afternoon party for which Mrs. Barney Great-house was hostess at the home of Mrs. W. E. Street, 100 South F street, Wednesday afternoon.

One table of guests and two tables of club members took part in the bridge games which occupied the afternoon, with high score prize for guests going to Mrs. A. E. Horst, high cut to Mrs. W. B. Chapman, and high score for club members to Mrs. Tom Rainbolt.

Playing guests included Mmes. L. Spanglers, Horst, Chapman, L. A. Talbot.

Members present were: Mmes. Roy Downey, Bert Ross, W. A. Taylor, Rainbolt, E. D. Richardson, R. T. Mobley, W. H. Street, E. W. Cowden.

The hostess served a salad plate at the conclusion of the games.

Midweek Club Is Complimented by Mrs. J. L. Greene

Cut flowers were chosen by the hostess for room decorations, when Mrs. J. L. Greene was hostess to the Midweek afternoon club with a bridge party at her home, 706 W. Louisiana, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Parker was awarded prize for high score among guests and Mrs. M. D. Self for high score among club members in the bridge games.

Club guests were: Mmes. Cary P. Butcher, LaForce, Parker, Walter Collins, Butler Hurley.

At the conclusion of play, a tea course was served to guests and the following club members: Mmes. J. M. Armstrong, E. A. Culbertson, Geo. Farley, Allan Hargrave, John Houser, Frank Johnson, J. B. Leonard, Don Sivals, Self, W. E. Wallace, Fred Wright, and the hostess.

Moment's Mode



The velvet beret, worn well on the side of the head and silhouetting the profile, is a favorite mode-of-the-moment in smart Paris dandevous.

"Obedience" Is Subject of Address By Supt. Lackey

Editor's Note: The following outline is one prepared by Supt. W. W. Lackey for presentation of a discussion of "Obedience" as it concerned children in the home, given at the meeting of the Junior High PTA Tuesday.

1. "Obedience to others is the first lesson in self-obedience. He that has never learned to obey others will never learn how to obey himself or God."

2. "Let thy child's first lesson be obedience, and the second will be what thou wilt." Benjamin Franklin.

3. "To obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams." I Sam. 15:22.

4. "Obedience to rightful authority is a moral obligation, an obligation that lies at the foundation of social and civil order, and the well-being of the individual."—White.

II. From Right Motives:

1. "When obedience to authority is a free voluntary act, prompted by a sense of duty, it has a high moral value."—White.

2. "When it springs from fear or is otherwise forced, its disciplinary results are comparatively small; constrained better than none."

3. "When a mother begins to hire her child to comply with wishes speedy loss of control is assured."

4. "If a man love me, he will keep my words."—John 14:23. The personal element.

III. An Appeal to Reason:

1. The pre-adolescent child rarely cares to know the "reason why" of commands.

2. Reasons for requests should often be given before the request.

3. The moral training involved in the power and privilege of choice.

4. "To will what God doth will; That is the only science. That gives us any rest."—Long-fellow.

IV. Elements of Control:

1. Self-government, and confidence in one's own ability to govern.

2. Just views of government, and just views of the governed.

3. Decisions and firmness, fixedness of purpose, and deep moral principle.

4. Sympathy, understanding, and the principle of unity.

V. "In A Minute":

"If you're told to do a thing, And mean to do it really, Never let be by halves; Do it fully, freely.

Do not make a poor excuse, Waiting, weak, unsteady; All obedience worth the name Must be prompt and ready."—Phoebe Cary.

"Progress of Art" Subject of Modern Study Club Program

Mrs. L. C. Link was leader for a program on the "Progress of Art" at the meeting of the Modern Study club with Mrs. J. M. Hills, 904 W. Missouri, Wednesday afternoon.

Members answered roll call by displaying a print of a modern painting and discussing it.

"Beauty for America's Walls" was the subject of a talk by Mrs. R. H. Biggs.

Mrs. F. C. Cummings spoke on "The Mellon Art Gift."

"Modern Trends in Interior Decoration" were described by Mrs. Fred Turner.

Mrs. John W. Skinner led a round table discussion on "The Place of Surrealism in Modern Art."

Attending were: Mmes. Biggs, Joh. H. Chapple, R. C. Crabb, Cummings, L. W. Leggett, Link, P. A. Nelson, J. H. Rhoden, Tom Sealy, Skinner, S. S. Stinson, Turner, Jones, F. R. Schenck, and the hostess.

Mrs. Bailey Hostess To Slam Club at Two-Table Party

Mrs. R. L. Bailey entertained for the Slam club with an afternoon bridge at the home of Mrs. D. W. McCormick at the Atlantic Tank Farm Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Two tables were laid for the games with Mrs. W. J. Stewart winning high score and traveling prize, Mrs. Bonner Lacey low score, and Mrs. R. R. Richter guest prize.

A party plate was served at tea time to: Mmes. Richter, Stewart, Lacey, O. J. Battell, McCormick, Herman Whiteside, W. G. Ataway, and the hostess.

The club will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. Ataway, 404 West Ohio.

Pajamas for Dinner.

For luxurious dining at home evening pajamas are both exceedingly smart and comfortable. A sumptuous two-piece pajama suit seen in an exclusive shop consists of black velvet trousers under a short fitted jacket with zipper closing of azure wool embroidered with silver. The shoulders are broad, sleeves below-elbow length and the neckline high. Two small slit pockets in the jacket just under the waistline accent its smart tailoring.

Indian Sweaters.

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urer, made a full report on the book review sponsored by the Senior and Junior Wednesday clubs early in December.

Mrs. Jas. H. Goodman led the parliamentary drill, after which she introduced Mrs. Thomas as speaker for the day.

Club members present were: Mmes. Barnes, Caldwell, Russell C. Conkling, Pasken, George Glass, C. M. Goldsmith, Goodman, Hill, Miller, E. Erle Payne, W. E. Ryan, M. C. Ulmer, Walsh, W. G. Whitehouse.

Play Readers Club Meets at Home of Mrs. W. L. Miller

Play Readers club met with Mrs. W. L. Miller, 1004 W. Kentucky, Wednesday afternoon in its initial meeting of 1938.

Miss Agatha Bruner who was to have read was unable to be present on account of illness. In her stead, Mrs. Addie Abell read "I Have Been Here Before" by J. B. Priestley.

Mrs. Jack Hawkins was in charge of the meeting.

Club guests were: Mmes. Chas. Brown, W. L. Haseldine, Karl Ratliff, and Miss Wilda Brickell.

Members present were: Mmes. Abell, E. W. Anguish, E. H. Barron, De Lo Douglas, J. M. Hawkins, Wade Heath, J. Howard Hodge, Wallace Irwin, Chas. Klapproth, and the hostess.

Naomi Class Shower Honors President

Members of the Naomi class met at the home of Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, 408 N. Marienfeld, Tuesday evening for a business session and social.

A special feature of the evening was a shower for Mrs. S. M. Laughlin, class president, and her young son who was Midland county's first baby for 1938. Shower gifts, wrapped in blue and pink, were left at the home of the hostess to be delivered later to Mrs. Laughlin.

Present were: Mmes. W. P. Thurman, Griffin, Neil Duffield, R. F. Duffield, L. H. Tiffin, W. P. Knight, Cotter Hiett, Nolan, R. DeChiclis, and the hostess, Misses Drotha Johnson, Jean Farnham, Frances Farnham, Hove Jenkins, Mamie Belle McKee, and Belva Jo Knight.

Announcements

Slam club will meet with Mrs. R. L. Bailey as hostess at the home of Mrs. D. W. McCormick at the Atlantic Tank farm, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Midweek club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Greene, 706 W. Louisiana, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY.

Ace High club will meet with Mrs. W. G. Henderson, 1011 W. Missouri, Thursday afternoon.

Twelve-ite club will meet with Mrs. J. D. Dillard, at her home on Kentucky street, Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Girl Scouts will meet at the Baptist annex Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Thursday Sewing club will meet at the home of Mrs. Herbert King Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. D. E. Holster as hostess.

Home Art club will meet with Mrs. Julia Pilon Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. Iris Bounds as leader.

The 1938 club will meet with Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer in her penthouse apartment on Hotel Scharbauer Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Midland County Museum, in the courthouse, will be open from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The public is invited.

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One \$24.75 Hirshmauer coat **\$14.85**

One black Hirshmauer coat; was \$29.75; for **\$16.75**

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\$5.00 Barbizon Gowns and Pajamas **\$3.95**

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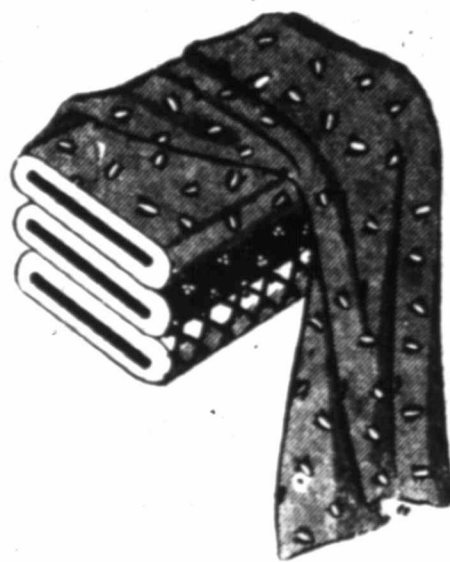
January 7th at Eight o'Clock Event of The Year Wadley's

CLEARANCE SALE

A GREAT STORE-WIDE SALE FIELDCREST PRESTO PRINTS

40 inches wide; guaranteed washable and will not pull at the seams.
Thirty of the most beautiful new spring printings we have ever offered and for January Clearance, we offer these at

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the yard



A. B. C. NEW SPRING PRINTS 14c
Almost a hundred pieces of the genuine A. B. C. color yard-wide prints offered at less than this finest quality has been sold in a long time.

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the yard

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White Sale is this Field-crest thread towel,	15c
White Sale is this Field-crest protector, regular	1.48
White Sale is this Field-crest mattress protectors; reg-	1.29
White Sale is this Field-crest protector, regular	85c

REMEMBER, PLEASE

That we can mention only a few of the many thousands of items in this stock, but practically everything is reduced for this January Clearance.

DRAPERIES and CURTAINS

This January Clearance gives us an opportunity to clear stock of odds and ends and that is what we are doing in CURTAINS.

We offer about 100 pairs of regular \$1.95 to \$2.50 bedroom curtains, two, three, and four pairs of a kind.

THE PAIR
\$1.29

About fifty pairs of regular \$1.00 to as much as \$1.48 values in bedroom curtains in two, three, four, and six pairs of a kind, a real cleanup of the curtain stock, including the regular \$1.00 kitchen curtains.

THE PAIR
69c

About 36 pairs of regular 69c to 85c values in kitchen and bath room curtains.

CHOICE
48c

ALL DRAPERIES, ALL CRETONNES, ALL LACE PANELS, ALL CRASHES reduced for this January Clearance.

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- Florsheim
- Friendly Five
- City Club
- Fortune
- Carter

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\$10.00 Values Reduced to	\$8.65	\$3.95 Values Reduced to	\$2.85
\$9.50 Values Reduced to	\$8.45	\$3.50 Values Reduced to	\$2.45
\$5.00 Values Reduced to	\$3.95	\$2.95 Values Reduced to	\$2.15
\$3.95 Values Reduced to	\$2.95	\$2.50 Values Reduced to	\$1.85
\$2.95 Values Reduced to	\$2.15	\$1.95 Values Reduced to	\$1.45

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100 Pairs
LADIES' SHOES
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pair

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Department Store
MIDLAND, TEXAS

SALE PRICES CASH

MERCHANDISE

Throughout the store is priced at savings that you will find only at Wadley's and these prices show a saving of up to 50% and are for cash only.

Any merchandise bought at Wadley's Clearance Sales is guaranteed to be a bargain, worth the price, or your money will be refunded.

Nothing is cheap, unless you have a use for it, but you will find a seventy thousand dollar stock of dependable merchandise offered during this sale at savings you cannot afford to overlook.

Happy New Year, you men, and this January Clearance on Hart Schaffner & Marx and Stein-Bloch clothing should surely start the new year off right.

Wadley's January Clearance Sale is bargain time in all West Texas.

Men's \$27.50 Suits reduced to	\$17.95
Extra pants \$3.45	
Men's \$29.50 Suits reduced to	\$19.95
Extra pants \$3.95	
Men's \$37.50 Suits reduced to	\$26.75
Extra pants \$4.95	
Men's \$42.50 Suits reduced to	\$29.50
Extra pants \$4.95	
Men's \$50.00 Suits (one pant)	\$37.50

A charge necessary for alterations at sale price.

REMEMBER, PLEASE, that with only a few exceptions, every item in this stock is reduced for this January Clearance Sale. There are a few items such as Stetson hats, Borsalino hats, Dorothy Gray, Yardley, and Dorothy Perkins lines that are restricted and on which we are not permitted to sell under the advertised prices but with these exceptions, all reasonable merchandise is priced at bargains that you would expect only at Wadley's Clearance Sale.

ONE LOT MEN'S DRESS SOX

Made of rayon, wool and cotton; fancy dark stripes; a regular 25c values. Out they go. The Pair **11c**

ONE LOT MEN'S CREAM, RAYON STRIPE UNIONS.

A value that you will never find again; sizes from 36 to 46. A splendid medium weight garment for winter wear. THE SUIT **89c**



January Clearance of Men's Young Men's Overcoats

Including Hart Schaffner & Marx and Stein-Bloch coats.	
\$15.00 young men's coats	\$9.95
\$22.50 values in men's genuine Lamacuna topcoats; a value that will move these out quickly	\$13.95
\$35.00 Hart Schaffner & Marx topcoats—priced for January Clearance at	\$22.40
\$40.00 Hart Schaffner & Marx Rarepac topcoats, reduced to	\$25.95
\$50.00 Stein-Bloch topcoats	\$32.50

Here are values in genuine Field & Stream Leather Coats and Jackets that make Wadley's Clearance Sales the big bargain events.

\$22.50 Field & Stream Leather Coats	\$14.95
\$20.00 Field & Stream Leather Coats	\$13.75
\$16.50 Field & Stream Leather Coats	\$11.75
\$15.00 Field & Stream Leather Coats	\$10.90
\$12.50 Field & Stream Leather Jackets	\$8.75
\$10.95 Field & Stream Leather Jackets	\$7.45
\$8.50 Boys' Leather Jackets	\$4.35
\$5.95 Boys' Leather Jackets	\$3.95

There isn't another store in Texas that offers values that this store does in the

JANUARY CLEARANCE OF ARROW SHIRTS

One lot of about 100 Arrow Shirts; sizes from 14 to 17; all sleeve lengths; all styles; CHOICE	\$1.39
\$2.50 Arrow Shirts; regular stock	\$1.95
\$1.95 Arrow Shirts; regular stock (This includes all white shirts)	\$1.48

ONE LOT MEN'S SHIRTS; regularly priced at \$1.35 and \$1.65; CHOICE **95c**

HERE ARE SPLENDID VALUES IN MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S EXTRA TROUSERS

\$5.00 values reduced to	\$3.95
\$3.95 values reduced to	\$2.69
\$2.95 values reduced to	\$1.95
\$2.50 values reduced to	\$1.65
\$1.95 values reduced to	\$1.39

FINAL CLEARANCE OF MEN'S & BOYS' WARM JACKETS; CORDUROY, WOOL, SUEDE

\$5.00 Jackets	\$3.45
\$3.95 Jackets	\$2.65
\$2.95 Jackets	\$1.85
\$1.95 Jackets	\$1.19

Special Rug Values for January Clearance

36 of these; size 24x40, imported Throw Rugs; a very splendid value at **98c** EACH

LADIES' BALBRIGGAN PAJAMAS and GOWNS

Regular \$1.95 values in Fieldcrest and Vanity Fair. EACH

\$1.39

Extra sizes; regular \$2.50 values, priced at

\$1.65

Regular and extra size Outing Gowns; extra nice quality. EACH

69c

Misses' Munsingwear Pajamas; regular \$1.69 values. EACH

\$1.19

Children's bleached knit Unions; short sleeves, trunk length; a very special value; in sizes 2 to 12 years. THE SUIT

39c

CANNON WASH RAGS

4c
EACH

Cannon 22x44 Pastel Towels
Regular 69c values, **39c** EACH

HERE IS A REAL CLEARANCE SALE VALUE

100 pairs of splendid quality full double-bed size plaid cotton blankets. Remember, these are not singles; they are PAIRS; in beautiful plaids.

THE PAIR

98c

50 DOZEN PASTEL COLORS IN A SOFT TURKISH FACE TOWELS. A regular 15c value; priced for January Clearance Sale.

EACH
9c

EIGHT PURE LINEN DINNER SETS In Plain White

Hemstitched cloths with napkins to match; regular \$6.85 and \$7.50 values.

THE SET
\$4.65

\$12.50 SATEEN COVERED DOWN COMFORTS

In the attractive Paisley designs of which we have sold so many. Rose, blue, gold, green, orchid, and rust. Offered for January Clearance.

EACH
\$9.85

65 Men's and Boys' Suede Rain Coats

Sizes from 8 years to size 48 in men's well made full length belted model and a Clearance Sale value if ever we offered one.

Men's Sizes
\$1.95
Boys' Sizes
\$1.75

The Good Old Egg Is Friend to Puzzled Housewife in Search of Tasty Menus

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox, NEA Service Staff Writer.

WHEN in doubt, cook eggs. They are nuggets of value for your money. They can taste grand when wisely cooked.

Egg and Vegetable Dinner. (4 to 6 servings)

Six eggs, 1 small head cauliflower, 1 lb. long green beans, 4 young carrots, 2 cups fluffy mashed potatoes, light cheese sauce.

Cook eggs slowly, never allowing water to more than simmer, for 12 minutes. Remove from water and peel carefully, keeping eggs very hot.

Cook carrots, cauliflower and beans in separate salted waters. Make dry, light and well seasoned mashed potatoes. For cheese sauce, use light cream sauce with Parmesan cheese in moderate amount dusted into it. Use large serving plate which is warm. Place cauliflower in center, arrange eggs in clusters of 3 at opposite sides of plate, place mounds of potatoes between egg mounds, three on each side, each mound separated from the other and the eggs by a strip of brilliant yellow carrot. Press each potato mound lightly with a spoon to make a small flat surface on which to lay a few of the long green beans. Pour cheese sauce over cauliflower and sprinkle with great restraint with caraway. Pour browned butter over the other vegetables. And that is a vegetable dinner with strong and valiant character.

For a light supper dish, or for the main dish at dinner, try this seemingly plain combination, and be tastefully surprised.

Eggs and Chipped Beef. (4 to 6 servings)

One jar chipped beef (3 1/2 ounces), 3 eggs, 1 No. 1 can tomatoes, 1 teaspoon brown sugar, pepper, 1 small white onion, 1 3/4 cup grated American cheese.

Cut fat and sinews from chipped beef. If very salty, rinse in hot water. Tear meat into small pieces. Combine tomatoes, sugar, grated onion and pepper. Cook in double boiler. Smooth out to even consistency with fork. Then place over direct heat and boil for 10 minutes. Add chipped beef and cheese. Return to double boiler and cook over boiling water until cheese is entirely melted. Beat eggs slightly, then add to mixture. Cook until eggs are scrambled in the hot tomato mixture. Serve on toasted and buttered English muffins.

Fruit Juices Are Peaches When It Comes to Mixing

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox, NEA Service Staff Writer.

THE United States may yet become known as the home of wonderful fruit juice combinations, just as France is called the land of fine wines.

Ladies with tummies that kept them from slipping into the modern silhouette dress started the "drink fruit juice" movement. In one very swanky New York beauty salon along Fifth Avenue, there is a room set aside for drinking these juices. It's a modern bar, with all the fixings, except alcohol. Ladies of fashion saunter in and ask for a beauty "cocktail." And believe it or not, many men have picked up the habit. They, too, realize that a wide girl isn't all it once was supposed to be.

Proportions to Suit Taste.

It is difficult to give exact proportions, because tastes vary. So combine the juices in amounts that please you most. How about a crystal goblet filled with a softly tinted mixture of apricot juice and the milk from a fresh coconut? Or the juice from fresh or quiek frozen raspberries, pineapple juice and a bracer of grapefruit juice? Fresh pineapple juice, with a little orange juice and a few squeezes of fresh lime is a delight, and likewise a delight is the clear green juice pressed from honeydew melon combined with a little grapefruit juice and a little fresh lime.

All the juices used at the beauty salon bar are, of course, freshly pressed. But if you go in for this healthful and vitamin-mineral rich habit at home, you may prefer to use a few canned or bottled juices to save the trouble of squeezing. There is a new brand of pasteurized fresh fruit juice in glass bottles which will amaze you with its fresh taste. It costs just a little more, but you will understand why. Not a drop of water, sugar or any preservative. The so-called "pasteurizing" keeps it in perfect state for an indefinite period.

Then, too, there are a lot of new

Make Sure That New Year Brings You Just Desserts



Early in the new year, something sweet should happen to you. Try this smooth and perfect pie made of sweet potato, molasses and nuts. It's a January blessing without any disguise.

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX, NEA Service Staff Writer.

The Christmas tree always soon comes down but the need for good desserts goes on forever.

Creole Sweet Potato Pie. (8 inch pie)

One and one-half cups cooked or canned sweet potatoes, 1/3 cup brown sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 3 tablespoons New Orleans molasses, 3 egg yolks, 1 cup milk, 2 table-spoons melted butter, 1/2 cup chopped walnuts, 3 egg whites.

Mash sweet potatoes until free of lumps. Add sugar, salt, cinnamon and molasses. Beat yolks and add. Then add milk and melted butter. Add walnuts and mix well. Beat egg whites until stiff and dry and fold into mixture. Pour into pastry lined pie pan. Bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) for 10 minutes, then reduce heat to moderate (350 degrees F.) and bake another 30 minutes or longer until pie is firm.

Chocolate Nut Pudding. (Serves 6)

Two tablespoons butter, 3/4 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 cup flour, 1 1/4 cups fine dry bread crumbs, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 cup milk, 3 squares chocolate, 1 cup chopped Brazil nuts.

Cream butter and sugar together. Beat egg, then stir into mixture. Add vanilla. Mix flour, bread crumbs, baking powder and salt. Add alternately with the milk to first mixture. Blend in melted chocolate. Add nuts. Pour into buttered mold, cover tightly and steam for exactly 2 hours. Serve with whipped cream.

Nut Banana Cream Pie.

One and one-half cups ground mixed nuts, 3 tablespoons sugar, pinch salt, 1 cup cream, 4 bananas, whole nuts.

Mix nuts and sugar together in 8-inch pie plate. Press this mixture with fingers against the pie plate. Add salt to cream, then whip. Slice 3 bananas and mix with 3/4 of the whipped cream. Fill shell with this mixture. Chill in refrigerator for three hours. Garnish with remaining cream and the other bananas, sliced. Dot with whole nuts just before serving.

We, The Women

By RUTH MILLETT.

Come on, girls. Let's resolve—

To listen to other women as attentively as we listen to men.

To carry our own first aids to beauty, instead of handing them to our escorts.

Not to repeat any gossip more malicious than "they say she practically starves herself to keep that figure."

Not to make our friends try our hairdresses.

Not to cry more than once every six months in order to get our way.

To mean it when we say: "I won't tell a soul."

Not to mind if the Joneses get a new car.

Not to say, or even think, "Now we must give a party to pay back all the people who have entertained us."

Not to spend time with people who bore us.

Not to straighten the necktie of any man over the age of 12.

Not to call women who have never married "old maids."

Not to judge people by how much money they have.

Not to drive salespeople and waiters crazy with our complaints.

Not to talk "clothes" in mixed company.

Not to fill our house with furniture that we have to worry about.

Not to change from woman to female the minute a man walks into the room.

Not to talk eternally about the cost of things.

Not to say, "My that dessert look good, but I don't dare eat it."

To drop fewer gloves, and fewer suggestions, too, for men to pick up a girl across the room.

Not to take men more seriously than they take us. (On second thought, we might as well forget this one.)

Not to say once during the year: "Do you still love me?"

Sauerkraut Traced Back to Tartars; Worldwide Dish Eaten In China, Too

WASHINGTON (AP)—The home economics bureau of the department of agriculture, after months of research, has solved the problem of what to serve at a dinner attended by guests from Germany, France, Austria and China.

It is really quite simple: Sauerkraut!

Every member of the international party would recognize it and probably like it, the bureau said. The Frenchman would call it chauroute. You wouldn't understand what the Chinese called it, but the others would call it sauerkraut.

The name for the dish originated in Germany, but the bureau learned that sauerkraut originated in Asia and was introduced into Eastern Europe by the Tartars nearly 800 years ago.

The bureau has developed its own recipe for sauerkraut and a similar product, sauer ruben, made from shredded turnips fermented in their own brine. Both are prepared in about the same way and taste somewhat alike.

Harry Goresline, bacteriologist with the bureau of chemistry and soils, conducted many experiments with home methods of making both sauer ruben and sauerkraut. His recipe is published by the department of agriculture.

The best way to keep either one, he said, is to pack in two-quart glass jars. It is much more convenient than the old-fashioned big stone crock and the product keeps better.

The best variety of turnip for sauer ruben, Goresline said, is the purple top strap leaf. Fall varieties are better than spring ones. Medium-sized turnips used as soon as possible after being pulled are best.

For this raw material he worked out the following directions:

Wash the turnips; do not scrub. Remove green top. Do not peel. Shred; do not slice. For each two-quart jar use four pounds of turnips. Add salt and mix. For 5 two-quart jars use 20 pounds of turnips and 7 ounces of salt.

Use glass jars with glass lids. The salt will corrode the zinc type lids. Put on a rubber and weight lightly. Once every 24 hours remove the lid and tamp the turnips into the jar. As soon as the gas bubbles have died down, usually after about four days, clamp the lid on securely.

For sauerkraut use 3 1/2 pounds



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Pumice Deposits in Texas Plentiful

AUSTIN (AP)—Texas planning board mineralogists estimate the state's supply of pumice and pumicite, used extensively in cleaning preparations, would keep the whole world scoured for half a century.

The board's mineral resources committee says the deposits have only been scratched and an opportunity awaits someone who would develop the processing of the minerals for home consumption.

Gray Squirrel Is Facing Tough Year

AUSTIN (AP)—The gray squirrel, declining numerically in East Texas, will have "tough going" throughout 1938.

The region's most popular game animal practically faces starvation in addition to gradual destruction of its habitat by the invasion of agriculturists, timber and oil men and hunter's gun.

A sharp decrease in the supply of pine oak acorns, the squirrel's principal food, is forecast by Phil D. Goodrum, field biologist of the state game commission.

A step in the direction of saving the squirrel from possible extinction, game authorities say, would be closure of seasons to hunters for several years.

Legislators, however, are loathe to take such action due to criticism of their constituents, many of whom are avid hunters and others who depend upon the squirrel for food.

None of the fruit on the property of a Kanaka native of the island of Yap, located north of New Guinea, may be eaten for a year after his death. Natives believe eating it means death, so the fruit rot where it falls.

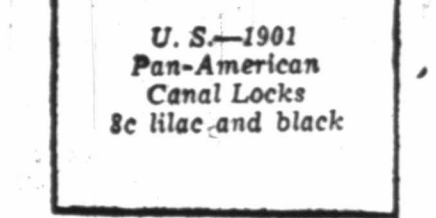


WHERE the waters of Lake Superior mingle with the waters of Lake Huron, at the spot where Father Marquette founded a Jesuit mission in 1668, commerce today plies along the greatest ship highway in the world. This is the Sault Sainte Marie canal, on the St. Mary's river, east end of Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

The river at this point "leaps" 20 feet downward in less than a mile. To expedite traffic between Superior and Huron, therefore, gigantic locks were necessary. So two canals were constructed, employing five great locks, four on the American side and one on the Canadian.

An average of 100 ships a day, mostly ore-bearing, pass through these locks during the eight-month navigation season. Traffic in many years has approximated 90,000,000 tons, valued at more than \$1,000,000,000. The Davis and Sabin locks (1350 feet long and 80 feet wide) are the longest in the world.

St. Mary's river was first navigated by the Indians who made a portage around the falls. The North West Fur company built a lock on the Canadian side in 1797-8. The present canal was started in 1885, but locks were added up to 1919. The locks are shown on a U. S. stamp, the Pan-American issue of 1901.



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- AVOCADOS Each 6c
- GREEN BEANS Kentucky Wonder 12 1/2c
- LETTUCE Largest size grown Head 7c
- NEW POTATOES Pound 5c
- CRANBERRIES Pound 15c
- ORANGES Per dozen (California Navel, large size) 31c
- GRAPEFRUIT 3 for 10c
- SPUDS 10 lbs. 19c
- Corn, Monarch, 12-oz. Golden Bantam, Whole Kernel, 2 for 25c
- Chili con Carne, No. 1 Casa Grande brand, 2 cans. 15c
- Macaroni, Heinz tall can prepared with cheese and cream sauce, 2 for 25c
- Grape Fruit Juice, No. 2 La FERIA, 3 for 25c

- PINEAPPLE JUICE 12-oz. Del Monte 3 for 25c
- Baked Beans, Heinz large size, 2 for 25c
- Corn on the Cob, Monarch, 4 selected ears to can, 2 cans. 35c
- Soup, all Heinz except chicken, clam or consommé, small size 7c; large can 12c
- Beans, Chuck Wagon, 3 cans. 25c
- Tomatoes, No. 2 Yacht Club, fancy solid pack 10c
- Tomato Juice, Heinz, 12-oz. can, 3 for 23c; gallon 45c

- BUTTER COOKIES Sunshine, 5 1/2-oz. box, 2 for 15c
- P. & G. Soap, 6 bars. 21c
- JELLO Package 5c
- Blackberries, No. 2 can. 12c

- MRS. TUCKER'S SHORTENING
- 4 Pound 48c
- 8 Pound 93c

- Catsup, Beech-Nut, 14-oz. 17c
- Lifebuoy Soap, 3 bars. 20c
- Pop Corn, 1-lb. package. 11c
- Salmon, No. 1 Tall Pink. 12c

- ENGLISH WALNUTS Pound 20c
- BRAZIL NUTS Pound 22c
- ALL CANDY Pound pkg. 14c
- COFFEE Chase & Sanborn's 23c
- SUGAR 10 LBS., pure cane 47c
- (Limit 1 sack with \$2.00 additional purchase)
- Preserves, 1-lb. Crosse & Blackwell 27c

Market Specials

- Sugar Cured Sliced Bacon, lb. 27c
 - Pork Loin Roast, end cuts, lb. 19c
 - Pork Chops, center cuts, lb. 23c
 - Choice Baby Beef Chuch Roast, lb. 16c
 - Rolled Roast, lb. 19c
 - No. 1 Salt Pork, lb. 17c
 - Wisconsin Longhorn Cheese, lb. 25c
 - Philadelphia Cream Cheese, 2 pkgs. 15c
 - Swift's Premium Dried Beef, 2 pkgs. 25c
 - Canadian Style Bacon, lb. 47c
 - Pork Sausages, 2 lbs. 25c
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Mining Boom Forecast For Tombstone, Ariz.

TOMBSTONE, Ariz. (AP)—Large bodies of undiscovered ore some day again may put historic Tombstone among gold producing centers of the world, the Arizona bureau of mines says.

An exhaustive survey made by Edred Wilson, geologist of the mines body, and Dr. B. S. Butler, head of the University of Arizona geology department, revealed as yet undiscovered ore beds may restore the "ghost town" to its former level.

The mining town, almost deserted now, produced more than \$37,000,000 in mineral wealth between 1879 and 1927.

A phoebe built an apartment row of seven interlaced nests at Norwich, Conn.

LIBRARY HELPS MOTHERS.

FOND DU LAC, Wis. (AP)—New born babies receive the special attention of the public library here. As soon as mother and father announce the arrival the library sends mother a list of books on infant care.

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MIDLAND County Hatchery will start January 22; custom hatching, \$2.00 per tray or on shares; we are in the market for good hatching eggs. A. B. Pou, South-west Midland. 1-20-38

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Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election Saturday, July 23, 1938.

For District Judge: CECIL C. COLLINGS

For District Attorney: WALTON MORRISON (of Howard County)

For County Judge: E. H. BARRON (Re-Election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector: A. C. FRANCIS (Re-Election)

For County Clerk: SUSIE G. NOBLE (Re-Election)

For County Treasurer: LOIS PATTERSON (Re-Election)

For District Clerk: NETTIE C. ROMER (Re-Election)

For County Attorney: MERITT F. HINES (Re-Election)

For County Commissioners: (Precinct No. 1) JOHN C. ROBERTS (Re-Election)

(Precinct No. 2) B. T. GRAHAM (Re-Election)

(Precinct No. 3) TYSON MIDKIFF (Re-Election)

(Precinct No. 4) A. G. BOHANNON (Re-Election)

For Justice of the Peace: (Precinct No. 1) J. H. KNOWLES (Re-Election)

For Constable: (Precinct No. 1) R. D. LEE

AN ORDINANCE MAKING MANDATORY THE GRADING AND LABELING OF MILK AND CERTAIN MILK PRODUCTS SOLD OR OFFERED FOR SALE WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS; PROHIBITING THE SALE OF ADULTERATED, MISBRANDED, OR UNGRADED MILK, AND MILK PRODUCTS; REQUIRING AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUING AND REVOKING OF PERMITS FOR THE SALE OF MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS; AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE CITY HEALTH OFFICER TO RECEIVE APPLICATIONS FOR INSPECT DAIRIES AND MILK PLANTS AND GRANT OR REVOKE PERMITS TO PERSONS, FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS TO SELL OR OFFER FOR SALE GRADED MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS WITHIN THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF FUTURE DAIRIES AND MILK PLANTS; ADOPTING THE PROVISIONS OF SENATE BILL 83 PASSED BY THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE 45TH LEGISLATURE, 1937; PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE AND THE FIXING OF PENALTIES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Regular Session of the 45th Legislature, 1937, passed an Act known as Senate Bill 83, relative to the grading and labeling of milk and milk products and authorizing the governing bodies of cities to make mandatory the grading and labeling of milk and milk products sold and offered for sale within the city limits of the City of Midland, Texas, now therefore...

Section 1. That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell or offer for sale any milk or milk products within the corporate limits of the City of Midland, without such person, firm or corporation first makes application to and receives a permit from the City Health Officer to sell such milk or milk products. The City Health Officer shall issue or revoke such permits in accordance with the requirements and conditions hereinafter set forth; provided he may revoke or refuse to issue a permit, if in his judgment any milk is unfit for human consumption.

Section 2. The City Health Officer of the City of Midland is hereby authorized and directed to receive applications for, and grant permits to persons, firms and corporations desiring to sell or offer for sale milk and milk products within the City; provided said Health Officer shall inspect the equipment and sanitation of the dairies and milk plants and grade the milk according to the provisions of Senate Bill 83, passed by the 45th Legislature, Regular Session, 1937, and in accordance with the rules and regulations promulgated by the State Health Officer pursuant thereto.

Section 3. Adulterated, Misbranded, or Ungraded Milk or Milk Products Prohibited. No person shall within the City of Midland or its police jurisdiction, produce, sell, offer or expose for sale, or have in possession with intent to sell any milk or milk product which is adulterated, misbranded, or ungraded within the meaning of and under the penalty of the aforesaid Senate Bill 83. Violation of this Section shall be sufficient cause for revocation of permits for the sale of milk or milk products.

Section 4. All pasteurized milk and milk products shall be placed in their final delivery containers in the plant in which they are pasteurized, and all raw milk and milk products sold for consumption in the raw state shall be placed in their final delivery containers at the farm at which they are produced.

Ski Down and Ride Up—All Fun



Coming up on three buckbreaking chaps up the long ski hill for the brief thrill of the downward glide. Ski enthusiasts, as pictured above, ride uphill, too, on a snow tractor, reveling in the beauty of Idaho's mountainsides.

Horned Frogs Would Like to Quit Cellar Championship Soon

FORT WORTH, Texas, Jan. 6.—The T. C. U. basketball team would like to get rid of a championship. This championship is the cellar one in Southwest Conference basketball, which the Horned Frogs have held for three successive seasons now.

Winners of first-place edge honors in 1934, the Frogs skidded to the cellar in 1935 and stuck there exactly 1936 and 1937. They won exactly 5 games during these last three seasons.

Coach Mike Brumblow thinks his '38 cage entry is a second division club, but he does have some hope of taking enough games to get rid of the cellar title.

The Frogs go to Austin Saturday night, to open the current conference campaign against the Longhorns. But Coach Brumblow expects to drop that title. Ben Abney, classy sophomore goal-ringer, injured his hand in an automobile wreck during the holidays and will be out for a couple of weeks at least.

In pre-season games the Frogs won two from Texas Tech and two from Trinity, but dropped games to the Stephen F. Austin Teachers and the Sam Houston Teachers.

Against Texas Saturday Coach Brumblow will probably start Cliff Cowan and Woodrow Duckworth at forwards; Slim Mabry, center; and Capt. Jay Smith and Brac Snodgrass, guards.

Owan has been dividing time at center with Mabry, but will be shifted to forward to replace the injured Abney.

Jack Reedy, sophomore from Indianapolis, Ind., is expected to strengthen the Frogs offense materially after Feb. 1. Reedy enrolled at midyear last year and will not be eligible for varsity competition until the second semester.

The Frogs played the strong Denton Teacher quintet in Fort Worth Thursday night, with a return engagement in Denton Jan. 15.

Texas furnishes the opposition in the first two conference games—Jan. 8 in Austin and Jan. 15 in Ft. Worth.

pared with \$215,002,472 for the converted institutions.

Under the act of Congress all Federal savings and loan associations are required to be members of the Federal Home Loan Bank System and to insure their accounts in the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation.

During 1937 Federal savings and loan associations advanced approximately \$269,000,000 for the construction of one-to-four-family urban homes. This figure is 21 per cent of the total amount loaned by all financial institutions in the United States for home building, according to preliminary estimates.

Members of the Federal system, it is indicated, financed 126,000 homes during the year, or 27 per cent of the aggregate number financed by all institutions.

Federal savings and loan associations have been established in all but two states of the Union, as well as Alaska, Hawaii and the District of Columbia. The following table shows by states the number of combined assets of all Federal asso-

Rice Growers Get Increased Income

WASHINGTON, (AP)—The bureau of agricultural economics reported Texas rice growers received a cash income of \$7,400,000 in 1937, the same amount received in 1936.

Greater production in 1937 offset a sharp drop in price. Blue Rose rough sold in Texas in 1936 from \$3.25 to \$3.50, the bureau said, and dropped to \$2.50 late in 1937. Blue Rose milled brought \$3.81 at New Orleans in December, 1936, compared with \$3.10 in December, 1937.

George A. Collier, bureau marketing specialist, said 1937 cash receipts of Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas growers combined approximately the 1936 total because of the greater production. He said there was a present excess of nearly 2,275,000 barrels of rice over that consumed last year.

Bureau figures showed the total 1937 income of rice farmers in the three states was \$27,000,000 compared with \$24,800,000 in 1936. The totals were not strict comparisons of the respective crop values, however, as growers had not sold all the 1937 crop and had disposed of all current year production when the 1936 receipts were computed.

The 1937 income in Louisiana was \$13,900,000, and in Arkansas, \$5,700,000. The 1936 income in each, respectively, was \$12,000,000 and \$5,400,000.

Collier said producers hoped surplus commodity corporation purchases would push the rough rice price up to \$3. The corporation has said its purchase of about 270,000 barrels since Nov. 24 tended to stabilize the market.

Agricultural economics bureau charts show a price of \$3 for Blue Rose rough prevailed when production has not exceeded \$600,000 barrels.

Collier said there was a rise in the milled rice surplus from \$10,000 barrels in August, 1936, to 1,078,000 in August, 1937. He said the 1936 commercial consumption was 10,688,000 barrels.

On Marshall Ford New Engineer Placed

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Ernest A. Moritz, assigned by secretary Ickes as engineer in charge of construction at Marshall Ford Dam on the Colorado river, comes to his new job in Texas from a similar position at Parker dam, California, one of the larger dams in the west.

Moritz was instructed to exchange positions with Howard P. Bulger on recommendation of reclamation bureau commissioner John C. Page. Page put engineers of qualified training on work in which they have become skilled.

Commissioner Page said Moritz had wide experience in construction of concrete dams and that such experience should be of particular value now at Marshall Ford dam, where excavation is about completed and pouring concrete foundations will begin soon.

Moritz was born in Sheboygan, Wis., and received engineering degrees at the University of Wisconsin in 1904 and 1906. He served for a number of years in engineering posts for railroads before joining the bureau of reclamation.

In his service with the bureau he has worked on the Yakima project in Washington; the Flathead project in Montana, and in the bureau's offices in Denver, Colo.

Marshall Ford dam is located 12 miles northwest of Austin. The reservoir to be formed by the dam will be used jointly for flood control, power and stream regulation to augment the low water flow for irrigation purposes along the Colorado river below Austin.

ARE YOUR NERVES ON EDGE? Waco, Texas—Mrs. Fred Fanning, 1613 Franklin Ave. says: "My nerves were on edge and I was nervous and upset. I had no appetite and was so miserable. I was told Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was able to calm my nerves and I was better. I looked and felt better in every way. Ask your druggist for it today."

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WANTED

WANTED to rent old stage coach or vehicle that can be substituted for same. Yucca Theatre. (259-1)

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Singer sewing machine; A-1 condition; bargain. 409 North D, phone 594. (259-3)

PIGS; pony and saddle; 2 sheep. J. E. Wallace. (258-1)

FOR SALE: Work stock of all sizes and kinds; young mares, horses; good prices. Willis Truck and Tractor Co. (287-6)

34 HEAD livestock; good milk cows, heavy mares, mules, young horses. See at Castellaw farm or apply Elmer Bissell. (253-6)

FOR TRADE

WANT to trade for good windmill and piping. Troy N. Eiland, Box 1695. (259-1)

FURNISHED APTS.

TWO-ROOM apartment; upstairs; adjoining bath; utilities paid. 617 West Indiana. (259-3)

FURNISHED 2 or 3-room apartment; or unfurnished; lights, gas, water. 802 North Dallas. (258-3)

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment. Phone 1231-W after 4 o'clock. (258-1)

SMALL apartment; refurnished; ready for man and wife wanting quiet home. 101 East Ohio. (258-1)

10 BEDROOMS

BEDROOM for 2 men; outside entrance; private bath. 1310 South Main, phone 187. (289-3)

NICELY furnished bedroom in brick home; adjoining bath. 714 West Storey, phone 1048. (259-3)

LARGE bedroom; close in. 522 West Missouri, phone 1259-J. (258-3)

NICELY furnished room with garage. 718 West Louisiana. (27-3)

BEDROOM for rent; adjoins bath; close in. 301 North Pecos. (256-6)

WELL furnished bedroom; close in; one or 2 gentlemen preferred. 410 North Marienfeld, phone 1159-J. (256-3)

BEDROOM in brick home for two gentlemen. 511 West Tennessee, phone 871-W. (286-3)

LOVELY east bedroom. 714 West Storey, phone 1048. (256-3)



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Specials for Friday and Saturday, Jan. 7 and 8

Table listing various food items and their prices: APPLES Large size—Rome Beauty, 29c; ORANGES Large size California, 39c; BANANAS Golden Ripe, 15c; LETTUCE Large firm heads, 5c; CABBAGE South Texas, 7c; SPUDS No. 1 White, 19c; COFFEE Folger's, 27c; CORN Country Gentleman, 13c; CHILI Wilson's or Red Seal, 9c; SPAGHETTI Tomato sauce, 25c; SOUP Campbell's tomato, 25c; PEACHES Red & White, 18c; BLACKBERRIES No. 2 Can, 25c; POPCORN Guaranteed, 25c; PILLSBURY'S FARINA 2 Boxes, 25c; CORN FLAKES Red & White, 10c; CHERRIES Kumer's red sour pitted, 29c; PECANS Shelled, 37c; DATES California Pressed, 29c; COCOANUT 1-lb. Cello Bag, 21c; MAYONNAISE El Food, 29c; PORK CHOPS Nice and lean, 23c; ROUND STEAK Baby Beef, 25c; BACON Hand sliced, 23c; BEEF ROAST Chuck or Seven, 13c; SHORTENING 8-lb. Carton, 85c; 4-lb. Carton, 43c.

Oil News - - -

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of the well is 4,179 feet, in line, and 2 1/2-inch tubing has been set on bottom, with packer at 4,014. The well has shown some oil stains and porosity in samples over the last 100 feet.

Stanford No. 7-B E. F. Cowden registered another large potential for the Foster pool in Ector by flowing 1,500.46 barrels in 24 hours. It was shot with 730 quarts and

acidized with 3,000 gallons, bottomed at 4,167. Pay was entered at 3,965. Shell No. 1 Cox, southeast Washon pool test in Gaines, unloaded hole into pits after treating with 3,000 gallons and is now swabbing 30 barrels of sulphur water hourly, with no oil. Fluid level remains 3,599 feet from bottom while swabbing continues. Plugged back total depth is 4,962.

Bennett Locations Staked. Joe L. Crump, Midland operator, announced this morning that he has staked locations for eight wells in the east half of the southwest quarter of section 631, block D, John H. Gibson survey, in the north part of the Bennett pool in southeast

For Bronchitis-- Tough Old Coughs

It's different--it's faster in action--it's compounded on superior, medical fact findings new in this country. BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE (triple acting) is the name of this prescription that "acts like a flash"--it's really wonderful to watch how speedily hard, lingering colds are put out of business. Right away that tightness begins to loosen up--coughing ceases--bronchial passages clear--you're on your feet again--happy and breathing easier. Get BUCKLEY'S today at any first-class drug store--a single bottle tells why Buckley's out-sells all other Cough and Cold remedies in cold-winter Canada.

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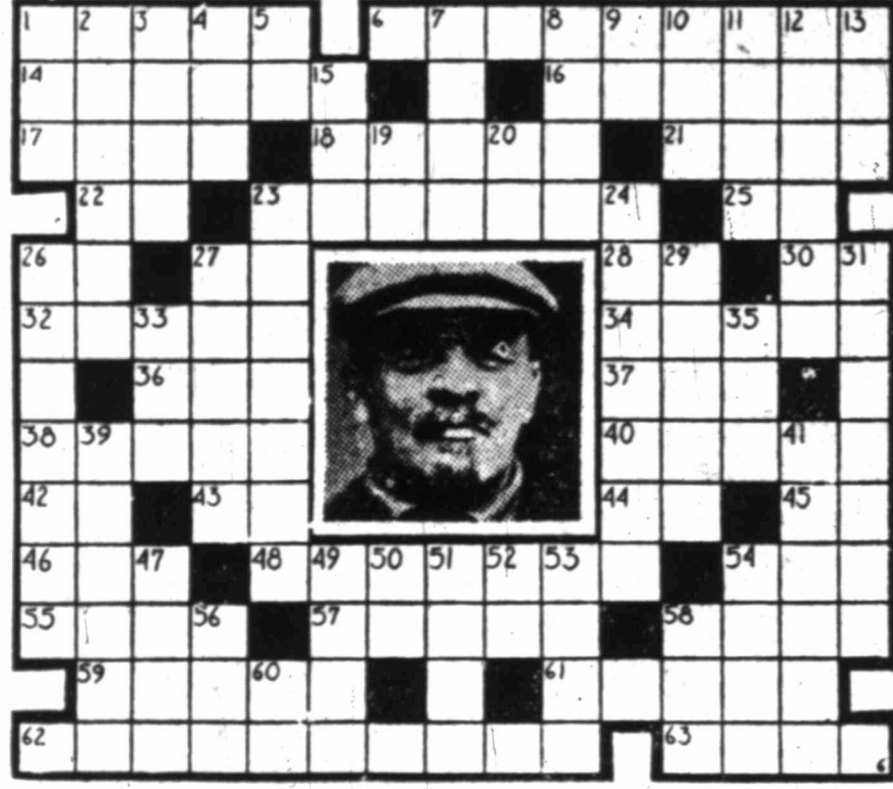
- 1 The first leader of the Communist state.
6 He was of Soviet Russia.
14 Banished persons.
16 To captivate.
17 To relate.
18 Solitary.
21 Sinewy.
22 Musical note.
23 Flower parts.
25 Seventh note in scale.
26 Court.
27 Laughter-sound.
28 You and me.
30 Measure of area.
32 Neck scarf.
34 To lift up.
36 Blackbird.
37 Russian village.
38 To bury.
40 Silly.
42 Toward.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

VERNON GOMEZ
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ETUI SOLAR SIRE
PITCHER MILLERS

19 Note in scale.

- 20 Compass point.
23 Lamppost.
24 Suspicion.
26 The former Russian is named after him.
27 Sharpens as a razor.
29 Holy man.
31 His memory is by the Communist.
33 Pussy.
35 God of war.
39 Opposed to ego.
41 Marked with spots.
47 To relate.
49 Duration.
50 Either.
51 Branches.
52 Preposition.
53 Exploit.
54 Genus of augs.
56 Thing.
58 Cotton machine.
60 Sound of surprise.



Yoakum. When the wells will be drilled was not revealed. The customary 330-660 spacing was employed. Tubing is being moved in to Stogner & Pipkin No. 1 Pollard, northwest Yoakum wildcat, and the well will be acidized. Bottomed at 5,286. It has been bailing three-fourths of a barrel of salty water hourly, showing only a scum of oil. Location is in section 103, block D.

CIO Members Held By St. Louis Cops

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6 (AP).—Police held 32 members of the CIO United Automobile Workers of America for questioning today regarding acid attacks on two employees of the Ford Motor company and vandalism to new Ford automobiles.

Leg Injured Six Times, Compensation Is Sought

LANCASTER, Pa. (AP).—Woe has been the lot of Carl Neuhouser's right leg since he was 6. He's 40 now and for the first time is trying to collect compensation for his injuries. Neuhouser's right ankle was fractured in a rolling machine when he was 6. At 18 an army mule fell on his right leg; a stomach operation several years later left his right leg temporarily useless; five years ago he fractured his right ankle and last year his right shin was injured and an abscess formed. This year he slipped on a grease spot and again injured his right leg. He's trying to collect workmen's compensation from his employer.

Texas has 114,881 old age pensioners in December compared with 115,587 in November. Grants averaged \$13.71 and totaled \$1,574,422 against \$1,584,344 on November. The number on the rolls has been above 100,000 since early this year.

Vacancies - - -

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belongs to the State (which simply means all the people) because it has never sold the area, therefore, the occupant has had the use of the land all these years without anyone ever having paid the State for it. Such, in brief, are the two sides. "Regardless of what the personal view of the Land Commissioner might be, so long as the statute remains in its present form it is my duty to obey its provisions and that is what I am doing. "In an effort to be fair to all concerned, I have made it a practice to hold a public hearing (though this is not required by law) so that all the facts that any interested party wishes to present can be heard. Then a decision is reached, based on the facts and the law. If the ruling is against the occupant of the alleged vacancy and he is not satisfied with the decision, the verdict of the Land Commissioner is not final for the occupant has recourse to the courts.

"The point that I wish to emphasize is this: So long as the statute reads as it now does, there is no course, for the Land Commissioner to pursue, if he remains faithful to his oath of office, except to carry out the law, and that is what I am seeking to do in all my official acts. "Therefore, those who may be dissatisfied with the vacancy question as it now stands should seek a change at the hands of the legislature, which alone has the power to pass, amend or repeal laws.

"Until such time as the legislature sees fit (if it does), to ask my advice, perhaps any further expression from me is not required by the situation, but I can not refrain from saying that the interests of the two parties—the individual citizen and the State, need not be as much in conflict as they are. In other words, a compromise might be worked out, under which substantial justice could be done to both without the sacrifice of a great deal on the part of either, it would seem to me.

"Under the present statute, if a vacancy is not within five miles of a producing oil or gas well, the occupant has the prior right to buy. The statute could be modified so that, even if the vacancy is within five miles of a producing oil or gas well the occupant would have the prior right to buy the surface and to share equally with the State in any royalty from the vacancy. At the same time, prior right to lease the vacancy for oil and gas development could be given to the discoverer of the vacancy as it has been argued that, if there is no incentive for finding a vacancy, no vacancies will be found, and the State will lose millions of dollars.

"Such a provision would leave the present occupant in possession of the surface of the land for use as a home, for farming, grazing, or whatever use he has been making of it, and would leave him in possession of any improvements he may have made."

Peace Campaign of VFW Gets Approval All Over Country

KANSAS CITY, Mo. Jan. 6. — Approval and endorsement of the current peace petition campaign being conducted throughout the country by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is being voiced by various persons prominent in public life, government, education and other fields.

In congratulating the V. F. W. upon its efforts, Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, of Michigan, declares that "the viewpoint of your organization and my own are in substantial agreement. We must quarantine America against other people's wars, and we must mind our own business to the last possible degree."

Senator Homer T. Bone of Washington refers to past history to show "how easily we can become entangled in foreign struggles that do not vitally concern us."

"No matter what reasons are presented for getting into a war, other than to repel invasion, the price we must pay is too great," he declares.

Senator Gerald P. Nye, North Dakota, states that he "can conceive of no greater purpose of an American today than that of keeping his country out of messes which are far removed from us." He terms the V. F. W. "the advancing guard in this splendid purpose."

President A. C. Willard, University of Illinois, also is enthusiastic in his approval of the V. F. W. petition plan, declaring that "it is a very fine thing that an organization of veterans, who know better than any other group what war really is—should take the position of leadership in a sensible movement to

preserve peace." At national headquarters here a special force of clerks has been created to tabulate the thousands of signatures arriving in each mail on newspaper ballots and on petitions. One group of workers is being kept busy with the exclusive task of mailing out blank petitions, not only to local units of the V. F. W. but to local chapters of other societies representing civic, patriotic and religious groups. More than 100,000 blank petitions, for a potential total of 7 millions signatures, have already been mailed on request.

According to R. B. Handy, Jr., adjutant general of the VFW, each mail is bringing into national headquarters additional ballots being clipped from the Reporter-Telegram by readers here. Handy declares that "without question the citizens of Midland are enthusiastically in favor of the current campaign to impress congress with the fact that everything possible must be done to keep America aloof from the wars of the world."

Work Is Started on New FSA Farm Units

AMARILLO, Tex. Jan. 6. — Construction of houses and out-buildings and land development on the new 48 units addition to the Farm Security Administration's resettlement project at Ropesville, Hockley county, Texas, is now in full swing, Ralph R. Will, assistant regional director, announced here today.

The construction and development program, which will increase the number of farm units to a total of 68, is being accomplished by four separate contracts. Construction of houses and out-buildings is being handled by one contractor. Another contractor is drilling the wells. An-

other contractor is clearing and breaking the raw land and another is terracing the land.

Selection of families to occupy the new farms, Mr. Will explained, is being held in abeyance until officials can determine definitely the time the farms will be ready for occupancy. In the event some of the farm units are not completed prior to planting season next spring, it is probable that the lands will be farmed the first year by the administration. This plan was followed on the initial 33-unit project during the first year.

As work progresses on the new addition, Mr. Will said, the Hockley county commissioners court will authorize the construction of county roads through the project.

Lloyd Johnson, project engineer, and C. R. Goodrich, acting as coordinator between the contractors and the federal government, are now stationed at the project.

Farmers desiring to make application for one of the farms on the project will, at sometime in the future, be given notice of the time and place to make application.

WYOMING RAISES SHEEP BAE.

CHEYENNE, Wyo. (AP). — A special quarantine proclamation is issued by Gov. Leslie Miller of Wyoming prevents South Dakota sheep from being shipped into Wyoming before they have been dipped in a special disease-killing solution.

A Three Days' Cough Is Your Danger Signal

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold, or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with any remedy less potent than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble and aids nature to soothe and heal the inflamed mucous membranes and to loosen and expel the germ-laden phlegm. Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, try Creomulsion. Your druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the benefits obtained from the very first bottle. Creomulsion is one word—not two, and it has no hyphen in it. Ask for it plainly, see that the name on the bottle is Creomulsion, and you'll get the genuine product and the relief you want. (Adv.)

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POTTED MEAT
 2 for ... **5c**

VIENNA SAUSAGE
 LaSalle Each Can ... **5c**

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 Libby's No. 2 Can ... **9c**

SPAGHETTI
 Heinz 1 1/2-oz. Can ... **8c**

TOMATO JUICE
 Libby's 14-oz. Can ... **6c**

CHILI
 Heinz No. 2 Can ... **19c**

ARMOUR'S VEGETOLE
 4 Pound Carton **41c**
 8 Pound Carton **79c**

PEARS Rosedale No. 1 Tall Can ... **10c**

Grandma FRUIT CAKES
 2 Pound Cake **59c**
 4 Pound Cake **\$1.17**

CORN Monarch Country Gentleman, No. 2 can, 2 for **25c**

SCHILLING'S COFFEE 1-lb. Can ... **25c**
HEINZ MAYONNAISE 1/2 pint **21c**

CORNED BEEF Loyal 12-oz. Can **19c**

PICKLES Ma Brown, Sour or Dill, 22-oz. Jar ... **18c**

KETCHUP Heinz 14-oz. ... **21c**

MINCE MEAT Heinz Pound ... **25c**

SAUCE Heinz Beef Steak Jar ... **27c**

RICE KRISPIES Heinz Pkg. ... **12c**

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
 6 Pound Sack **29c**
 12 Pound Sack **53c**

CORN FLAKES Kellogg's ... **11c**

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
 24 Pound Sack **96c**
 48 Pound Sack **\$1.89**

DOG FOOD Ideal 2 for ... **15c**

XMAS MIX CANDY Pound ... **10c**

DREFT Large Box ... **21c**

MEATS

Bacon Hand Sliced Pound **26c**

Sausage Pure Pork in Wes-Tex Cloth Bags POUND **26c**

Cheese Cottage 12-oz. Carton Each **15c**

Chops Pork Lean Pound **22c**

Hams Boneless 2 to 4 lb. av. Pound **27c**

Roast Rolled and Seasoned Pound **18c**

BOLOGNA Large Size 2 lbs. for **25c**

Roast Corn Fed Beef Chuck Pound **16c**

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Steak Corn Fed Beef Loin Pound **27c**

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Baked Short Ribs, lb. ... 35¢	Squash au Gratin, pint ... 20¢
Baked Chicken & Dressing, pound ... 25¢	Hearts of Artichokes, each ... 10¢
Smoked Sausage, pound ... 35¢	Yams, pint ... 20¢
Chili, pint ... 20¢	Fruit Cobbler, pint ... 20¢
Green Beans, pint ... 20¢	Potato Salad, pint ... 20¢
	Fruit Jello, pint ... 20¢
	Chicken Salad, pound ... 35¢

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Impressions of Overseas Veteran on Visit To Europe After Interval of 20 Years

By W. H. HOFFMAN

Editor's Note: The following installment continues the story of an American Legionnaire's trip through Europe last summer. It is written by W. H. Hoffman, chief draftsman of the Humble Oil and Refining Company here, an overseas veteran and commander of the Woods W. Lynch Post, American Legion, who was a member of the Foreign Pilgrimage. The account of his trip will appear serially in The Reporter-Telegram.

We next passed the monument erected to the memory of the dead of the famous French 69th Infantry Division which was almost entirely annihilated in a futile effort to stem the victorious tide of the advancing German army in the spring of 1918. The monument depicts a skeleton clutching a battle flag in one bony hand and raising a crown of laurel with the other. On the base is engraved the skeleton of a French battle slogan at Verdun "Ils n'ont pas passe" (They shall not pass).

Where Scars of War Still Linger

We passed by "Mort Homme Hill" (Dead Man's Hill) where more than a million soldiers lost their lives during the battle of Verdun in 1916. We remember passing this hill during the Argonne battle in September, 1918, and we will never forget the piles of bleached skeletons lying everywhere at the base of the hill. The territory around Verdun has been turned into a National Park by the French Government and has been allowed to remain just as it was in 1918. Black and yawning holes in the hillside framed by decaying timbers indicate the presence of a long forgotten dugout. Shallow scarpings in the embankment along the roadside indicate the fox holes where troops dug in during a halt in their advance. While across the road large fields are honeycombed by old snail holes now grown over with grass and giving little indication of the terrible struggle that took place here 20 years ago.

As we rolled along the hard surfaced highway sitting back in a comfortable bus, we could not help but recall the time when we trudged down the same highway, bending under the load of our full field equipment and sinking up to our ankles in slush and mud.

At Montfaucon we entered the area fought over by the American army in the battle of the Argonne in the fall of 1918. Those of you who were at Montfaucon will remember the ruins of the cathedral on the hill and the battered tower that was the headquarters and observation post of the German Crown Prince during the battle of Verdun in 1918.

The ruined cathedral remains just as it was in 1918 and on the slight observation tower, the American government has erected a 175 foot marble column, surmounted by a figure of Miss Liberty holding a blazing torch aloft. This stately monument towers above the war torn ruins of the village of Montfaucon and is the most imposing American memorial in Europe. A plaque informs us that the monument commemorates the Meuse-Argonne offensive in which, during 47 days of bitter fighting between September 26 and November 11, 1918, the American first army advanced in spite of all obstacles and forced a general retreat on this front.

Where America's Dead Lie Buried

Our next stop was at the Meuse-Argonne Cemetery near Romange, the largest and most impressive of the American cemeteries in Europe. The 14,220 graves here are of soldiers who gave their lives during the Meuse-Argonne offensive, the greatest battle in American history. On the outside walls of the beautiful chapel are engraved the name, rank, organization and home state of every soldier buried in this cemetery.

It was here that we received our greatest thrill of the entire trip. The Miami drum and bugle corps had about 26 bugles. These were paired off in twos and scattered throughout the cemetery. Four buglers blew taps at the chapel and the call was taken up and sounded by the various buglers scattered through the cemetery, some of these were so far away that they could scarcely be heard. This was very impressive, and there was many a moist eye as we stood before the tomb of some old comrade whom we had known so long ago. We were especially glad to find the grave of Dave Harrison of Philadelphia, our squad leader who was killed at Varennes on September 28, 1918.

After leaving Romange we passed through Charpenry and Baulny where troops of the 36th Division from Missouri and Kansas lost 20 men during the Meuse-Argonne offensive. From Charpenry, we entered the Aire Valley and crossed that stream over the new bridge at Varennes. We were now in the divisional sector of the 28th Division. With Keener and two other members of the 28th, we left the bus and were met by the Maire of Varennes who conducted us to the beautiful monument erected by the American government to the memory of the soldiers of the 28th who lost their lives in storming the city September 28-29, 1918.

Memories of Two Decades Ago

After leaving the monument, we had lunch in the cafe at the Hotel Marie. The name of the hotel seemed familiar to us so we asked the proprietor, an ex-sergeant of the French army, if that was not the name of the hotel before the war. On his answering in the affirmative we recalled seeing the old blue enameled sign sticking amid a pile of stone in front of the ruined building 20 years ago. We had occasion to remember this pile of stone

for behind it a German machine gun was syping the street and holding up our advance until it was put out of commission by a one-pounder mounted in the turret of one of our whippet tanks. Incidentally, the driver of the tank was our friend M. B. Arick, formerly a geologist for the Humble Oil and Refining company here and now a resident of Venezuela.

Our French ex-sergeant spoke excellent English and told us that he had lived in Varennes before the war and that he was attached to our division as interpreter and liaison officer during the battle. He offered to guide us to the spot where our lines were on September 29 and from this point we saw many familiar places. The old steel culvert in the road embankment that was used as our regimental dressing station and where we received first aid after being wounded on September 29, was still there. The town had been completely restored and we were surprised to see how the buildings were replaced in exactly the same shape and type of architecture as before the war. We especially remembered the church, the bottom part of which was left standing, being demolished about half way up to the circular windows. The top half of these windows were matched so closely that we could scarcely see where the old work ended and the new began.

Near the new bridge we noticed a monument erected on the spot where Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette were captured while trying to flee the country during the Revolution.

Peace Among the Woods of Death

From here we could see the stater on top of Vogues Hill where an entire platoon of the 140th Infantry from Kansas was blown up during the morning of September 26, 1918. In Grurie Wood we saw the elaborate concrete shelter of the Bavarian Crown Prince Ruprecht and in the fastness of the Argonne Forrest there still stands a concrete dug-out called Four-de-Paris. The headquarters of the German Crown Prince, later the P. C. of General Alexander, commander of the 77th New York Division of Lost Battalion fame. The peace and quiet of the woods reminded us of a song the German soldiers used to sing:

"Argonnerwald, Argonnerwald, You're quite as a graveyard now." Standing there it was hard to believe that several million men had died within the small space encompassed by the range of our vision.

Back in the bus, we travelled to Theocourt and visited the American monument on top of Mount-se, commemorating the glorious victory of the first American army in cutting off the St. Mihiel salient September 12-14, 1918. Back in Theocourt we visited the American cemetery there, the interior decorations of the chapel and museum include an inlaid marble map depicting the fighting of the first American army in the vicinity. From this map one can get some idea of the magnitude of the operation, showing as it does the area of 80 square miles and numbers of villages liberated by the Americans in the victorious drive. At Theocourt we boarded the special train for Paris.

Battlefields Of the Marne

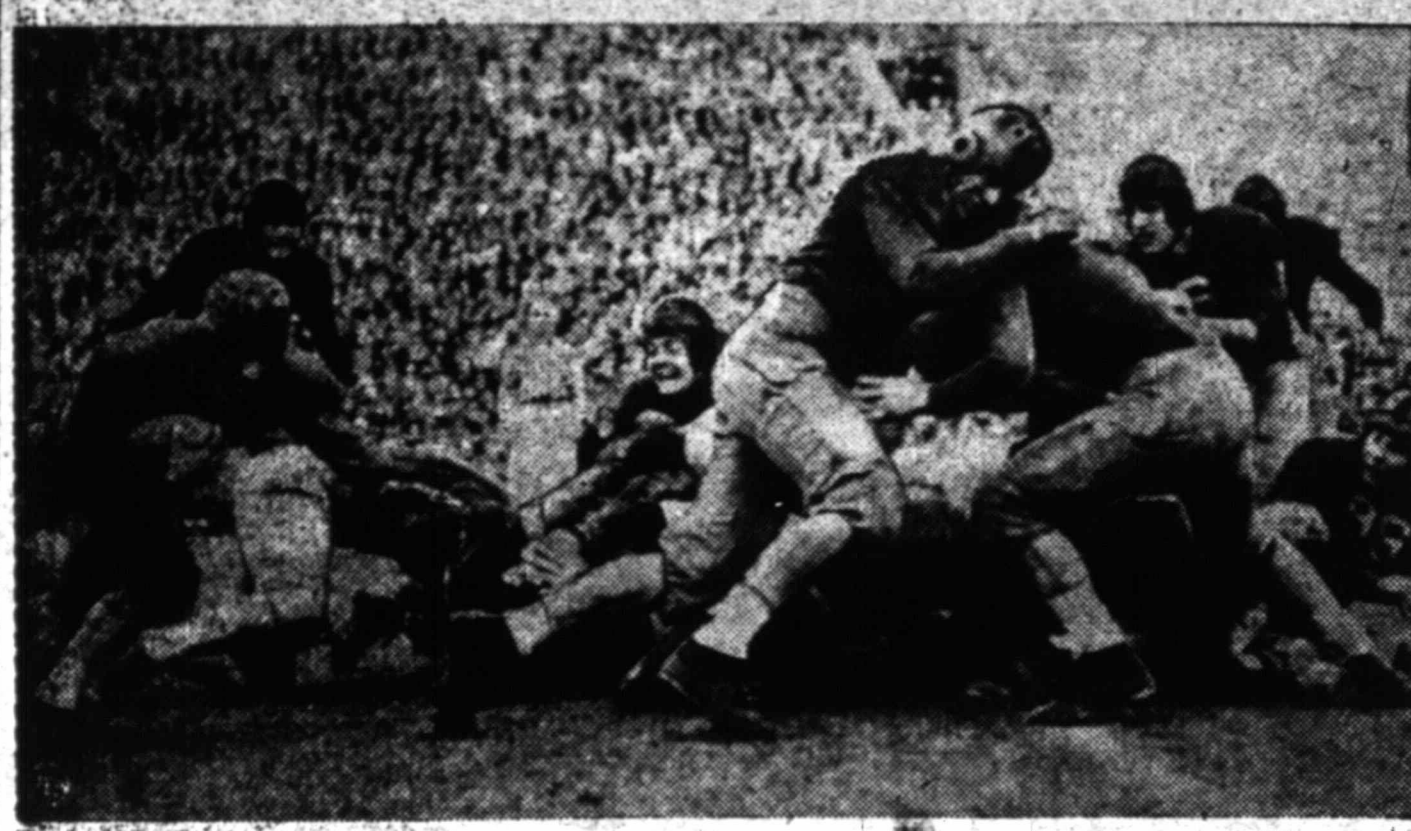
The following morning, we visited the battlefields on the Marne. At Belleau Wood we saw splintered stumps and denuded trees—everything has been left just as it was when the American troops captured it in June, 1918, after 20 days of continuous fighting. The wood is being maintained as a National Park by the American government. Here may be seen rusty helmets, parts of broken rifles, empty shells and other equipment strewn about. Of course, nothing is allowed to be disturbed.

We next attended the dedication of the beautiful Alsne-Marne Memorial, on top of hill No. 204, overlooking Chateau-Thierry and the Marne River. This monument commemorates the valor of American troops who halted the German advance on the Marne, July 14, 1918. At the new bridge over the Marne stands a beautiful monument erected on the spot where troops of the 3rd U. S. Division broke the spear-head of the German advance. A sweeping curve at the foot of the hill on which Belleau Wood stands is a little cemetery where lie those American soldiers who fell in that region in 1918.

At Fere-en-Tardenois where the 4th U. S. Division lost so many men in storming the town in July, 1918, is located the Oise-Alsne Cemetery. The pink sandstone chapel is especially impressive. At Dormans we visited the place where the 110th Infantry of the 28th Division broke up several desperate attempts on the part of the advancing German Army to put a pontoon bridge across the Marne and gain a foothold on the west bank of the stream, July 14, 1918.

We could find no familiar sights here, even the river seemed to have changed its course at this point. The old railroad embankment that paralleled the Marne and behind which we had our positions has been removed entirely. The space between the river and the tracks that we remembered as a vast sea of mud being churned up by exploding German shells is now a sea of green meadows. The village, which had been entirely demolished, has been completely restored. This is true of all the villages in this area. All signs of the conflict have been removed, and it is only when we enter the quiet and deserted Belleau Wood, that we begin to

BOTTARI GOES TO TOWN



Roundup over the Alabama tackles for yard after yard, California's Vic Bottari is shown here as he creled off a substantial gain in the Golden Bears' 13-0 victory over the Crimson Tide in the Rose Bowl game at Pasadena. A crowd of 90,100—the largest ever to witness the colorful classic—watched Bottari slice through the Dixie team's left end for both touchdowns.

The City That Was "The Golden Mainz"

Mainz is a city of 125,000 inhabitants and attained the height of its prosperity in the 13th and 15th century, when it was called the Golden Mainz. Situated on the Rhine are the Electoral Palace, one of the finest German Renaissance buildings; the large Stadthalle, and the St. Martins Cathedral, the oldest of all Rhinish cathedrals. Next morning we discovered that our dinner, hotel room for one night and breakfast cost us 17.50 marks (\$4.35). The porter promised to deliver our luggage to the wharf on the River Rhine where we had booked passage to Cologne. The steamer left Mainz at 9 a. m. and proceeded down the beautiful stream. The weather was warm and the sun shined brightly. Across the river to the right could be seen the famous Spa of Wiesbaden. About 23 kilometers down the stream we passed under the bridge to Rudesheim. At Bingen where the River Nahe empties into the Rhine is the old feudal castle of Mauserturm, built in the 13th century, out in the stream on a small island. Immediately across the river is the famous ruins of the castle Ehrenfels.

Where Robber Barons Once Held Sway

As we glide down the beautiful stream, a panorama is unfolded that cannot be equaled anywhere else in the world. From the edge of the clear water, high hills on both sides ascend. The slopes of the hill are covered with vineyards from which the world-famous Rhine wine is made, while the verdant crests are crowned by the ruins of countless old and long forgotten castles. These castles were the property of the early German "robber" barons who held sway over the Rhine Valley from the 10th to 17th centuries. About 52 kilometers down the stream is the Lorell, famed in German song and story. It is a huge yellow cliff composed of basalt rock and is some 385 feet high. To the south of the cliff, an echo can be heard to re-sound 12 times and the river here is 69 feet deep. According to an old German legend, a beautiful enchantress could be seen on dark and stormy nights sitting atop the cliff and luring the river boatmen to their

Back to Germany But Not as Conquerors

The following morning at 7:15 we left Paris for Sarbrucken, where we arrived at 1:45, and crossed over into Germany. The custom officers inspected our passports but did not open our baggage, although other passengers were required to do so. We always made it a point to wear our legion uniform while in transit as we found that we were given considerably more consideration even by our former enemy—the Germans. The custom officers of all European countries keep a strict record of all money coming in or going out of the country and we were required to give a detailed description of all money on our person. We were glad to leave the dirty coaches of the French train and enter the spick and span German coaches.

Everywhere we saw the brown uniforms of the Nazi stormtroopers. Since we were in uniform many of these gave us the party salute by raising the right arm diagonally. These we returned by the right hand salute of the U. S. Army. At Ludwigshafen we changed trains for Mainz (Mayence).

An Orchid for the Trains of Europe

The beauty of travelling in Europe

is that you can get a train to practically any place at almost any time. Most lines maintain 15 minute schedules on their trains. Not all of these trains, however, are express, some of the being for local traffic only. The railroads and rolling stock are all maintained in excellent condition. The rails are held at each tie by means of fishplates, these being bolted to the ties by means of lag-bolts. We did not see any spikes being used anywhere. In addition to the fishplates diagonal steel ties are used from one rail to another, to prevent rails from spreading. The ballast on the roadbeds are also in much better condition than those of this country. Nothing lighter than 100-pound steel is ever used.

The reason for the excellent condition of their railroads is of course state-ownership. Only one line will be found to connect two important points in contrast to America where three or four rival lines may parallel each other, operating in cut-throat competition.

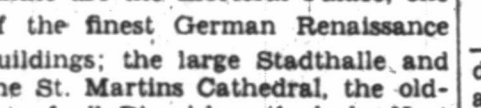
Also freight cars are much smaller and consequently operate at full capacity, while in America it is not uncommon to see large freight cars only half filled with freight.

Germany Less Inclined To Take Advantage

At 9 p. m. we arrived in Mayence or Mainz as it is called in Germany. The porter carried our bags to the Central Hotel across the street from the station. We handed the porter one mark (25 cents) and to our surprise that worthy handed up 50 pfennigs (12 cents) back in change. Apparently the fixed price for this service was 50 pfennigs. We could not imagine anything like this happening in France or Italy. Taken as a whole, we found the German people more honest and less inclined to take advantage of foreigners than in any other country that we visited. Our room at the Central Hotel was very large and well furnished, the bath room being especially large and beautifully equipped. Hotel rooms in Europe are very expensive providing you do not have a bath. These will cost you about twice the price of a room. Even in the best hotels less than half the rooms are equipped with baths.

New Light Control

To make night driving on country roads safer and more convenient, Ford V-8 cars for 1935 are equipped with a new headlamp beam control. Use of this control permits the driver to keep both hands on the wheel. As shown in circle in the accompanying photo, the control button is on the



toe-board, slightly to the left and forward of the clutch pedal, and is operated by the left foot. An indicator light on the instrument panel shows red when the headlamp beams are in high position. Operation of the foot switch alternately lights separate filaments in the headlamp bulbs, throwing the light from high to low position and vice versa. The usual headlamp switch for turning on the lights is in the center of the steering wheel.

At 65 kilometers, we passed the stately ruins of the castles Liebenstein and Sterrenberg, known as the hostile brothers, where, so legend tells us, two brothers fought a deadly duel for the love of a beautiful princess. At 90 kilometers we passed the city of Coblenz and the confluence of the Mosel and the Rhine. Here is located the famous castle Ehrenbreitstein, which rises 354 feet above the floor of the river. It dates from the time of the Franks (486 A. D.) Veterans will remember it as the headquarters of the American Army of Occupation in Germany following the close of the war.

Echoes of Famous "Hinky-Dinky-Parlez"

A short distance down the river we passed the city of Andernach, headquarters of the 3rd American Division, and according to one of the many verses of the famous A. E. F. army song, "Hinky-Dinky-Parlez-Vous." This was the abode of the madamose who loved chocolates so well. At 155 kilometers we passed the city of Bonn, famous for its excellent university.

At 6 p. m. we arrived at our destination—Cologne. Here we visited the famous cathedral begun in 1248 and completed in 1881. This fine old building is one of the best examples of Gothic architecture in existence in Europe today. The twin spires at the front of the building rise 530 feet above the street. The fine old stained glass windows on the north side and the splendid modern ones (1848) on the south side permit a subdued light to penetrate the interior of the building. We thought these windows to be far superior to the ones in Notre Dame-in Paris. Cologne is also the home of the famous water Eue-de-Cologne. (To Be Continued)

Library Makes Films Of Rare Manuscripts

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—A library consisting of film records of valuable manuscripts and volumes will be available to the student delving into ancient literature. The University of Pennsylvania Bicentennial plans are completed. Instead of thumbing through a costly manuscript or volume, the student will ask the reference clerk for the book he seeks and will be supplied with a roll of film. A projector in a special room of the library will reproduce the entire book, page by page, to



projected at the student's leisure. Part of the university's plan for a \$2,000,000 renovation and enlargement of the library. A plan of the new film library has been made, with 150 to 200 book-photographs already filed.

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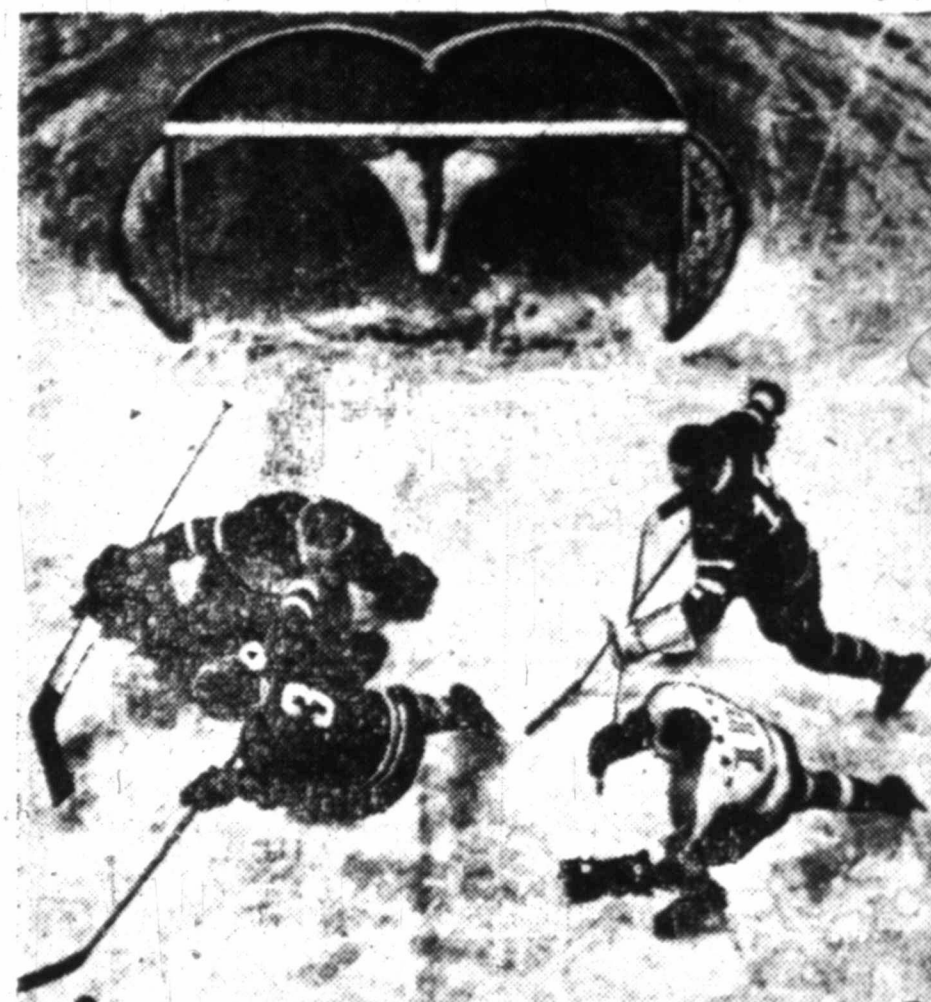
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Freddie Steele bends a piece of steel pipe just like this at Summit, N. J., where the middleweight champion is polishing up for a non-title match with Fred Apostoli at Madison Square Garden, Jan. 7.

NAILING UP THE NET



Here is an unusual overhead action shot at the mouth of the net as Jim Fowler helps goalie Walter Broda of Toronto make a save in the third period of the Maple Leafs' 3-0 victory over the Americans at Madison Square Garden. Ed Wiseman of the New York team is moving in, but his stick is grabbed by Nick Metz.

BATTLING BELLHOP



Fred Apostoli, the former bellhop from San Francisco, gets his big chance Jan. 7 in Madison Square Garden, when he steps into the ring for a 12-round, non-title contest with Freddie Steele, world middleweight champion.

Before Grounded Hoover Broke Up



Silhouetted against the darkening background of the almost unknown island of Holsatoo, off the southeast coast of Formosa, the \$4,000,000 Dollar Liner Hoover is pictured here after she went aground and before she was broken in two by pounding waves. The vessel's 456 passengers were landed on the island and later taken to Manila by another Dollar liner, the McKinley. The strange course taken by the ship to avoid Shanghai battle areas was blamed for the wreck.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

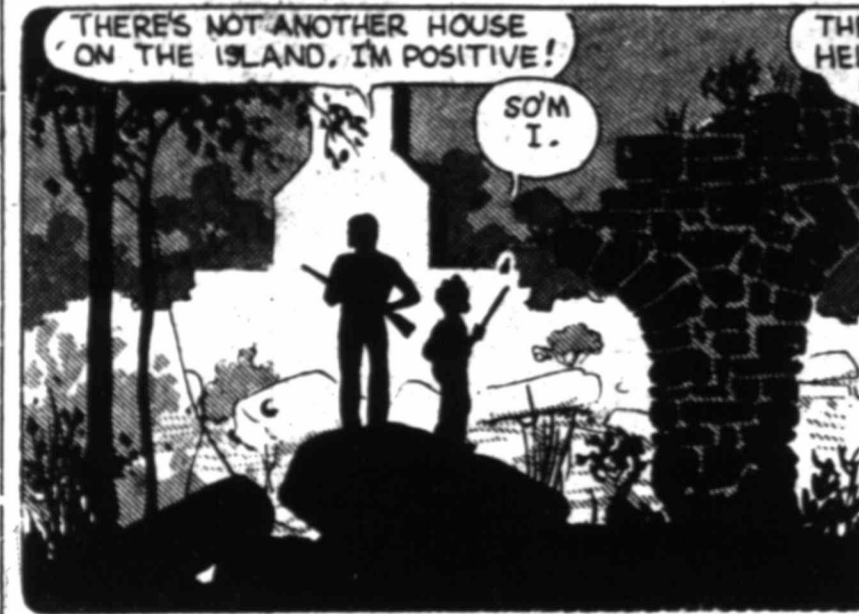


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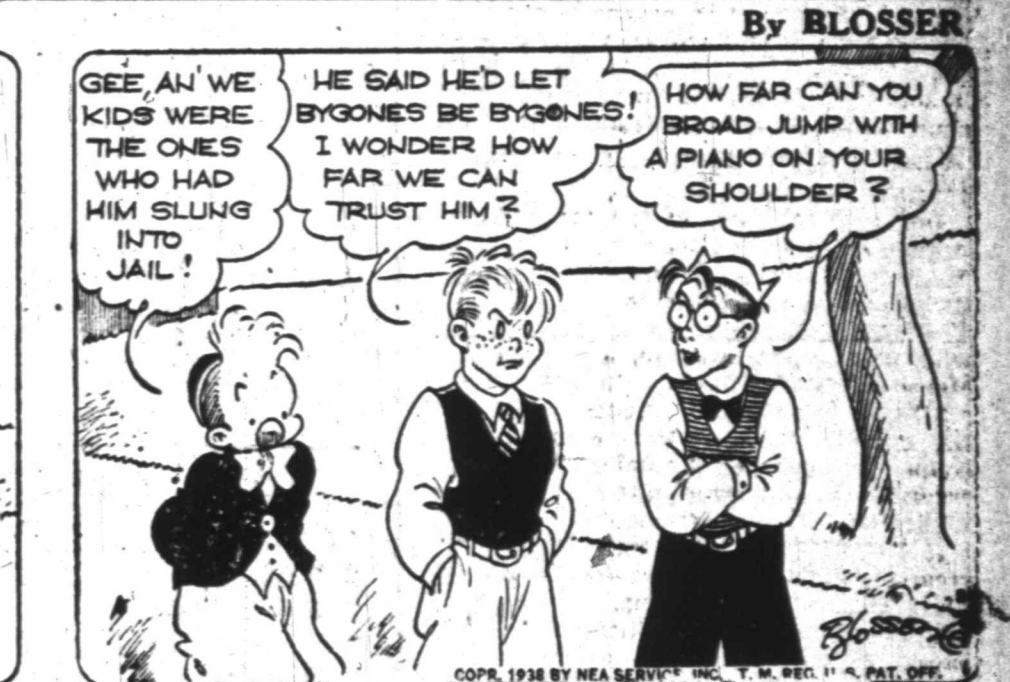
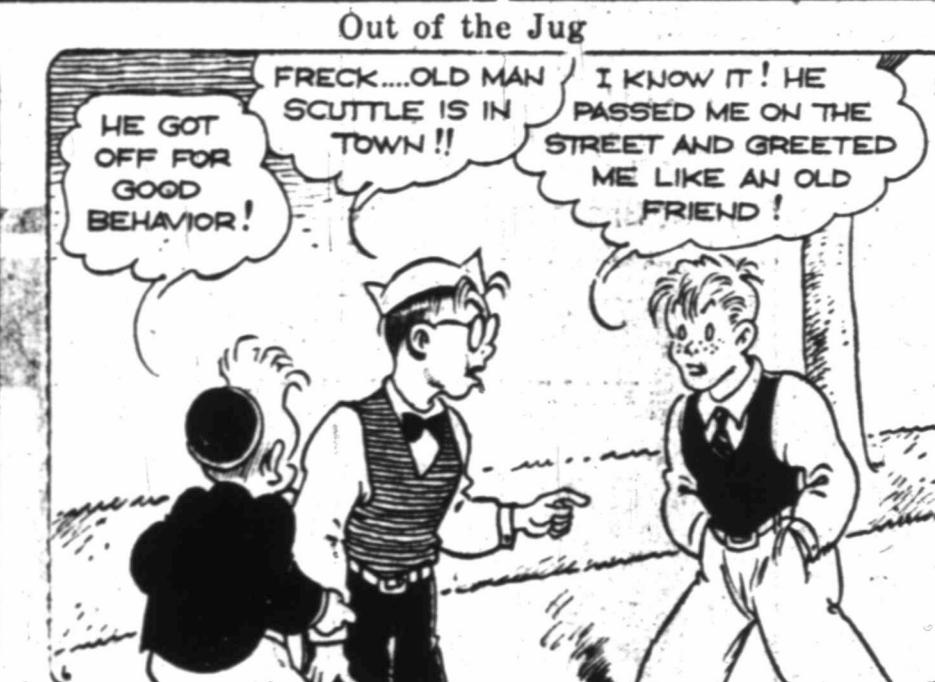
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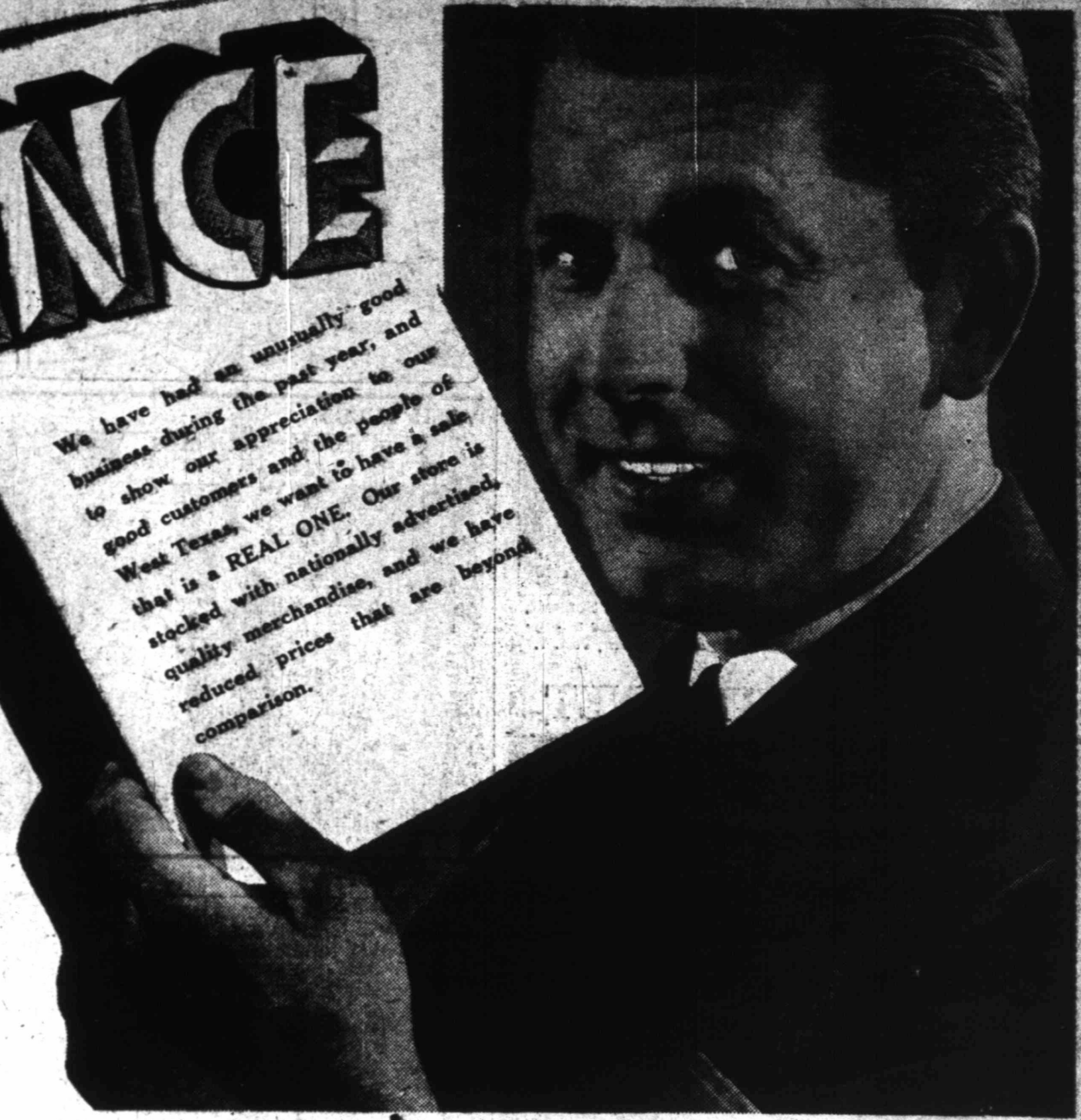


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