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## CAMPAIGN IS MAPPED FOR RIVER PLAN

### About Our Friends

By STEP A. LONG  
W. H. Hays and Noah Fowler sitting... Eugene Lankford asking about the clock at Dean Drug... Joe Lea Moore and Kingfish... very gallant young men... beautiful young lady falls on the sidewalk in front of their door... she picks herself up and says, no they wonder if they were a little slow... L. H. Qualls, L. R. Terry and L. A. Harrison with their nice little oil well... a 12 barrel at 425 feet... ready for more... congratulations... Frank Harrell is doing some very constructive work for Cisco chamber of commerce in his committee work on the Brazos river project... Jack Anderson not feeling well... W. R. Ezzell, past the 80 years milestone walking to the grocery store for a loaf of bread and a pound of coffee... he recalls the item of 41 years ago in a recent issue of this column, stating that he and several other farmers were bringing their cotton to Cisco... he also recalls that everything was frozen up while now it is so warm here that roses are still blooming in many Cisco yards... "And now," says Miss Dorris Powell, "they all know my age"... Fred Steffey knows good oysters... Mrs. Charles Sandler, down town... Grandpa J. A. Bearman is getting along nicely... H. L. Dyer is getting everything ready for the President's ball... Jewel Poe wonders why they don't hold the chamber of commerce meeting in the fore part of the night before his bed time... J. M. Bird wants some one to invent a riding surveyors instrument so that

## President Urges U. S. to Join World Court

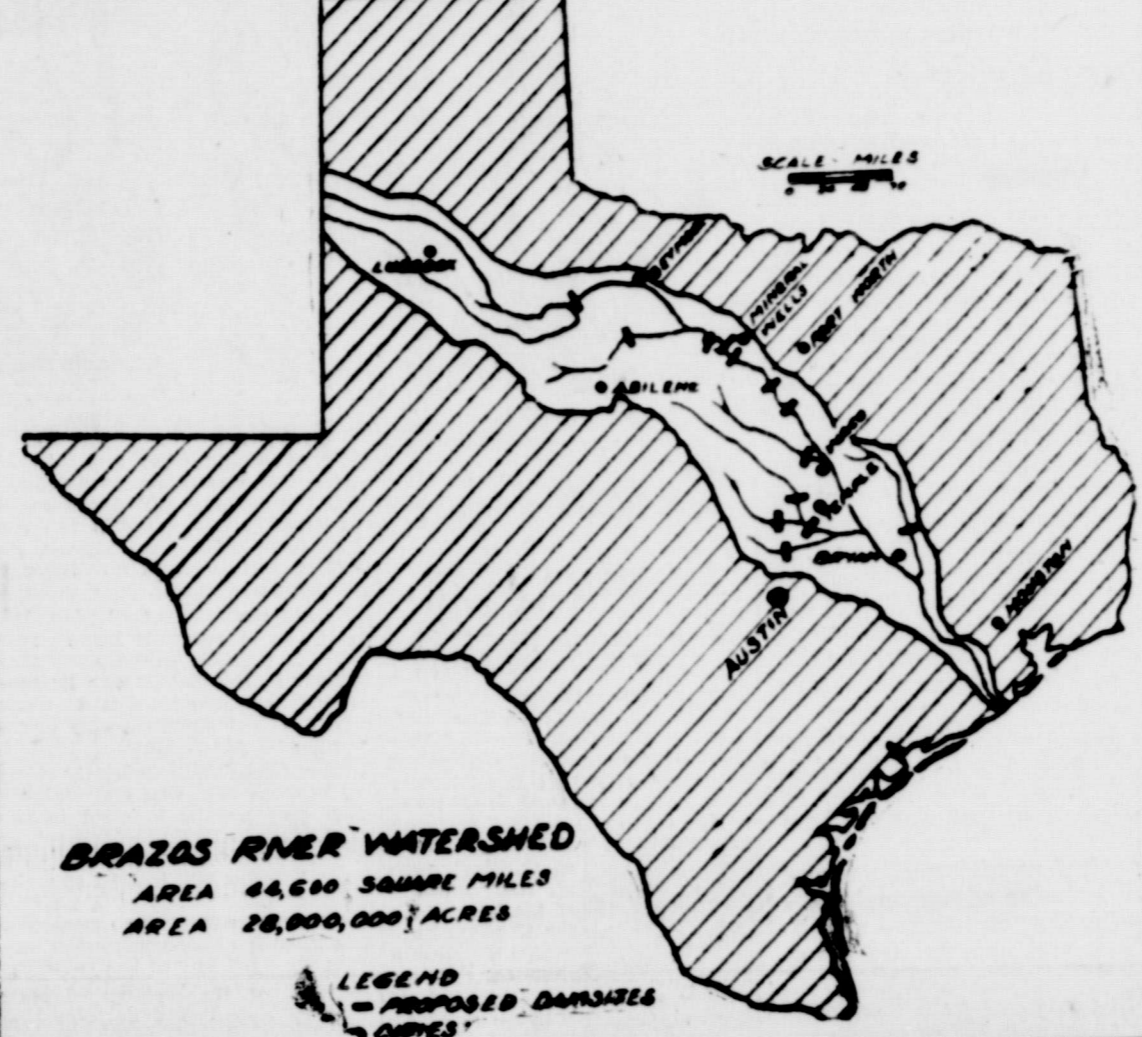
### ASKS SENATE RATIFICATION OF PROTOCOLS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. — President Roosevelt today requested the senate to put the United States into the world court to make "international justice practicable and serviceable."  
In a special message, the president threw the weight of his influence behind the world court movement, asking early ratification of the protocols for American adherence.  
Noting that both republican and democratic platforms have advocated a voluntary international court, Mr. Roosevelt said this was an "obviously sound and thoroughly American policy."  
"The sovereignty of the United States will in no way be diminished or jeopardized by such action," the president said.  
"At this period in international relationships, when every act is of moment to the future of world peace, the United States has an opportunity once more to throw its weight into the scale in favor of peace."  
Mr. Roosevelt's message, read to the senate by a clerk, gave impetus to the most determined movement in years for American adherence to the court.

### Falling Stocks and Prices Foreseen If Gold Clause Is Unconstitutional

EDITOR'S NOTE: The gold cases in the supreme court have centered attention on the litigation which threatens the administration's monetary and fiscal program. This is the first of a series of three dispatches seeking to simplify the complicated situation.  
By JOHN A. REICHMANN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. — Tumbling stock and commodity prices foreshadow speculative reaction to the possibility of the supreme court declaring unconstitutional the gold action of the Roosevelt administration.  
Presumably the rumbling were a foretaste of what would happen if the court acts against the monetary program as exemplified in the cases involved, without precautionary action by the government.  
Five cases involving the gold program have been argued before the court. In three of them the plaintiffs contend that their railroad gold clause bonds must be paid in gold or the currency equivalent, \$1.69 to the dollar. In another they charge fourth 4-1-4 liberty bonds called last spring should be paid the same way. The fourth suit charges similar payments should be made on gold certificates turned in under the anti-hoarding order.  
The government claims that none of these claims can be held because they interfere with congress' power to regulate the currency.  
For a clear picture of the situation before the court it is necessary to understand what the government has been trying to do since that March day in 1933 when President Roosevelt declared the bank holiday.  
Prior to that date raids on the dollar had tended to reduce the government's supply of gold. It was flowing abroad and at home hoarders were gathering in gold and gold certificates under the free gold policy which had been maintained by the United States long after other nations had abandoned it.  
Foreign nations for the most part had given up the free gold standard and ceased the use of gold coin. In-

### Area in Proposed Brazos River Project



### BARBER ASKS LETTERS FOR BRAZOS JOB

In an effort to create favorable sentiment for the proposed \$50,000,000 Brazos river project, both among residents of the area affected and in government officials George Barber, representing the Brazos River board, urged a letter-writing campaign at a meeting of Cisco business men at the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon.  
Cisco civic organizations are to write letters to Senator Tom Connally and Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, urging appropriation of federal funds for the project.  
At the same time a committee to be appointed by the Chamber of Commerce here, will send letters to the citizens, pointing out the advantages of such a project, it was announced.  
The meeting was attended by a dozen Cisco business men representing civic organizations. F. E. Harrell, Cisco member of the Brazos River reclamation board, was among those present.  
12 Major Dams  
Pointing out the importance of the project, Barber, who is manager of the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce, said that it calls for the construction of 12 major dams on the Brazos river and its tributaries. This is at an estimated cost of \$30,000,000.  
At the same time, he said, it is proposed to build from 25 to 30 smaller dams on streams in the Brazos watershed. This will involve another \$20,000,000.  
He pointed out the immense amount of value to be derived from the conservation of water, which will be a total of 3,342,000 acre feet.  
"One of the important factors involved," he said, "is the control of soil erosion in this territory." He pointed out that the use of the dams will prevent the washing away of much valuable soil yearly. This will be connected largely with the small dams on upper reaches of the river's tributaries.  
One of the smaller dams is to be on the Leon river in Eastland county, according to Barber, went to Abilene, where he was to speak before a group of business men in the home town of Rep Blanton.

### Badgers Take Game At Howard Payne

Randolph Badger cagers defeated the Howard Payne Yellow Jackets in a hard fought game at Brownwood last night by a score of 34 to 27. The contest was featured by fast attacks.  
The first half ended with the Jackets in the lead, but Randolph pulled up to take the game. Starting the game for Cisco were Shelton and Roberts at forwards, Capt. Williams at center, and Preston and Ray at guards.  
Saturday the Badgers will go to Clifton to play the Clifton Junior college.

### Aviatrix Says Men Superior In Air

CLEVELAND, Jan. 16. — "Women with very few exceptions, never will be able to compete with men when it comes to professional flying," said Miss Ely, Benihorn, 27-year-old German aviatrix at a luncheon here.  
Miss Benihorn holds the Von Hindenburg Cup for aviation, presented her by the late President of Germany. It is the highest award given German amateur women aviators.

### DR. HALE WILL HEAD C. OF C. DURING YEAR

Installation of new directors, election of officers, approval of a new highway route, and discussion of the Cisco livestock show occupied the attention of the Cisco Chamber of Commerce meeting in regular session Tuesday evening.  
Dr. Charles Hale was reelected president of the board. Charles Sandler was named vice president, succeeding J. J. Collins.  
The Chamber of Commerce voted approval of the location of state highway number one over the proposed eighth street route provided a change is to be made in the highway through Cisco. This followed a discussion of the route by Leo E. Lingler of the state highway engineering department with Cisco business men here last week. The proposed route would be constructed by means of federal funds.  
F. E. Harrell, member of the Brazos river reclamation board, presented the proposed Brazos river project to the board. There was little discussion of it, however, due to the fact that George Barber was to represent the board at a meeting here this afternoon.  
Livestock Show  
The directors voted to have a livestock show in Cisco Friday and Saturday March 1 and 2, preceding the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth. Appropriation of \$100 was made for the exhibit.  
A resolution was passed to send telegraphed endorsement to the governor, of Judge W. R. Ely for a place as high commissioner.  
All new directors except J. W. Thomas were present for the installation. New directors are: J. W. Thomas, J. D. Lauderdale, B. A. Butler, S. H. Nance, Charles Sandler, R. L. Ponsler, F. D. Wright, and E. J. Poe. Of this number, three were reelected. They were Nance, Sandler, and Wright. Outgoing directors are J. E. Caffrey, E. P. Crawford, Dr. Charles Jones, P. P. Shepard and W. W. Wallace.  
Those present were Dr. F. E. Clark, C. P. Cole, J. J. Collins, Dr. Charles Hale, Dr. Charles C. Jones, W. H. LaRoque, S. H. Nance, J. B. Pratt Charles Sandler, J. E. Spencer, J. D. Lauderdale, B. A. Butler, R. L. Ponsler, and E. J. Poe.

### CITY REPORT OF DECEMBER IS ANNOUNCED

Receipts of the city of Cisco for December were \$10,398.24, as compared with disbursements during the same period of \$6,447.75, according to the report released by the office of the city secretary.  
The report analyzed the receipts as follows:  
General fund, \$5,691.42  
Sinking fund, \$1,359.92  
Sanitation, \$946.60  
Water, \$2,400.30  
Total expense listed under disbursements was reported as \$5,541.23. It was analyzed as follows:  
Administration, \$553.12  
Water department, \$1,222.67  
Street department, \$962.14  
Sanitation department, \$1,058.01  
Fire department, \$321.54  
Police department, \$691.49  
Park and cemetery, \$291.10  
Chamber of Commerce, \$441.16  
Other disbursements added to the total expense were reported as follows:  
Refund tax revenue, \$25  
Refund water revenue, \$1.50  
Refund water deposits, \$18  
Refinancing bonds, \$273.64  
Street construction, \$586.38.

### Ciscoans Get Well In Shallow Field

Striking oil in the shallow field west of Cisco at 425 feet, three Ciscoans have drilled in a well on the G. S. Pruett place. The well was estimated to be making from 10 to 15 barrels of oil daily.  
Those bringing in the well are L. R. Terry, L. A. Harrison, and L. H. Qualls.  
A pump is being installed to fill a 100 barrel storage tank, it was said today.

### FRED BARKER, MOTHER SLAIN BY OFFICERS

OKLAHOMA, Fla., Jan. 16. — Federal agents and county officers today killed Fred Barker, notorious outlaw, and his elderly mother in a long drawn machine gun battle at a farmhouse here. There were no other casualties.  
Barker was suspected of complicity in the kidnaping of Edward G. Bremer, wealthy St. Paul brewer. Ten department of justice agents raided the house today at 6:45 a. m.  
"We are department of justice men. Come on out," one of the officers shouted.  
Shooting started from the house. The officers returned the fire from behind cover. Machine guns were used on both sides.  
The shooting died down, only to flare up intermittently. After an hour's quiet shortly after noon, the federal agents began closing in on the house and filled it with tear gas.  
When the officers crashed in they found Barker and his mother dead.  
Department of justice men said Mrs. Barker had a machine gun clutched in her hand.

### Amarillo Formed By Rail Mistake

By United Press  
In 1886 the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad was being built diagonally across the panhandle of Texas, from southeast to northwest; the Atchinson, Topeka and Santa Fe was being built from northeast to southwest.  
At the intersection of these two railroads, somewhere south of the Canadian river, it was inevitable that a great catfishing market would be established. The old trail-driving days were over.  
By preliminary understanding, the intersection was to be near the town of Panhandle. That plan miscarried, however, and Amarillo grew up at the intersection.  
The name was taken from Amabilio creek which was named in early Spanish days. Its meaning is yellow, the creek being named for the color of the sub-soil in its channel. In the early days most of the houses of the town were painted yellow to commemorate the name.

### Favor World Curb On Cotton Surplus

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. — President Roosevelt and administration experts are exploring the possibility of international action to control world cotton surpluses, it was learned at a white house today.  
While discussions have not reached the point where overtures have been made to foreign governments, administration experts were described as nearing agreements on proposals.  
CAT FOOLS HOLDUP  
WATSON, Sask., Jan. 16. — A lowly alley cat saved Fred Sherer, an elevator company employee, from being held up by two gunmen. Sherer says the two came into his office guns in hand. Sherer slammed the door in their faces and pinched the cat's tail. The animal's howls frightened the bandits away.

### Delegations Will Discuss Highway

AUSTIN, Jan. 16. — Twenty-seven citizens' delegations today had arranged to discuss road work with state highway commissioners Jan. 18 and 19.  
The total to be discussed included designation of road from Mineral Wells to Graham; letting contracts for the first unit of highway one between Mineral Wells and Weatherford, and of highway 86 in Erath county.  
Cleburne Gets Fund For Swimming Pool  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. — The Public Works Administration today allotted about \$6,000,000 to 74 new federal and non-federal construction projects.  
Included in the loans and grants to non-federal projects was one to Cleburne, Texas, of \$36,000 for a swimming pool.

### EXPERT SAYS HANDWRITING HAUPTMANN'S

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Jan. 16. — Albert Osborn, son of a previous witness, today was the seventh government expert to charge the writing of the Lindbergh ransom note against Bruno Hauptmann, accused of the murder of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr.  
Osborn, a 40-year old replica of his distinguished father, added the weight of his handwriting knowledge to six previous experts and declared at the start of his testimony that the hand that wrote the ransom notes also wrote Hauptmann's application for an automobile license.  
Like the previous witnesses, the younger Osborn testified to his belief that the ransom notes were in disguised handwriting and the specimen of the prisoner's handwriting, taken after his arrest, also were, in part, disguised.

### 3 SLAIN WHEN BANDITS TRY TO ROB BANK

LENORE, Ill., Jan. 16. — Bank bandits and vigilantes fought a series of bloody gun battles in central Illinois today.  
Three men were killed and three were wounded. Three of the gang's four bandits were captured. No money was obtained.  
The victims included a cashier of the bank, who was killed, the sheriff of Marshall county, shot and killed, and an unidentified bandit who shot and killed himself with a machine gun to avoid capture.  
One of the wounded men, a county supervisor, was in a serious condition.  
An attempt had been made a month ago to hold up the state bank here, and suspicion was aroused when a stranger was seen repairing an automatic in an alley back of the bank.  
Quietly the village posse was assembled and surrounded the bank, wounded and captured the suspect who was working on the car. Inside they found three bandits waiting for the time lock on the vault to open. The posse charged and the bandits fled through the rear door.  
Finding their car surrounded, they rushed to a garage where they stole an automobile and kidnaped a mechanic.  
The alarm was broadcast and a sheriff who attempted to intercept the bandits was killed and the bandits went on.  
Officers throughout the central part of the state were joined by citizen vigilantes and closed in on the area from all sides, finally trapping the bandits on a farm near McNab, Ill.

### ALLRED ASKS PENSION AND REPEAL VOTE

AUSTIN, Jan. 16. — Popular referendum on repeal of prohibition and old age pension were asked by Gov. James V. Allred today in his first message to the legislature.  
He also asked stronger oil control, without relinquishing the state's exclusive right to regulate production, and issuance of the remaining \$3,500,000 "bread bonds", most of which probably will be spent in caring for the state's unemployed.  
Gov. Allred personally delivered his message at a joint session of the house and the senate which convened at 2 p. m. He stressed oil regulation and adequate relief as immediate problems.

### PLENTY OF SALMON

JUNEAU Alaska, Jan. 16. — Magnitude of Alaska's 1934 salmon industry was such that the fish packers, if laid end to end, would reach around the earth at the equator, an estimate by the packers' association showed. Enough would be left to extend from Canada to Mexico.

### 27 Indicted For Aiding Baby Face

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 16. — Because a woman talked, 17 persons were under indictment today, charged with aiding George (Baby Face) Nelson to conceal himself from federal authorities for several months on the Pacific coast.  
The indictments were returned by a federal grand jury in San Francisco after statements allegedly had been made by Mrs. Helen Gillis, widow of the slain gangster, and on evidence produced by a mysterious "woman in black" seen emerging from the jury room. Eight of those named already have been arrested.

### FOUR TEXAS BANDITS GET \$2,000 LOOT

BUFFALO, Tex., Jan. 16. — Four bandits today robbed the Citizens State Bank here of between \$2,000 and \$3,000 and escaped.  
The robbers waited at the bank until Pres. Robert Burroughs entered and forced him to admit them. Two remained on guard outside while the others made the president open the vault.  
When bank employees and a number of customers entered the bank they were herded together in a small room and told to keep quiet. Employees said the robbers went about the holdup calmly, taking an hour and a half to complete the job.

### Cisco Pupils and Parents To See Famed Upjohn Pictures On Exhibit at Schools

Pupils and patrons of the Cisco public schools have the opportunity now to see the original drawings and sketches by Anna Millo Upjohn famous portrayer of child life, according to Mrs. Howard H. Goss, home economics teacher in Cisco high school and county chairman of the Junior Red Cross.  
The pictures, which have been on exhibit in the clothing room of the home economics department of the high school, were to be moved this morning to the West Ward school. The Parent-Teachers association will view them there this afternoon. On Thursday they will be exhibited in a downtown building, it was said, the building to be announced later. In this way, all the children and parents who have not already done so will be able to see them.  
Miss Upjohn's pictures reach the school children in the pages of the Junior Red Cross News and on the Junior Red Cross Calendar. In addition to their schoolroom value, it was said, they serve to introduce the children of foreign lands to the children of America and to impart to them an intelligent, sympathetic appreciation of the children of these countries.  
Pictures of children in 18 different countries are shown in the Upjohn exhibit.  
The artist went to Europe in 1916 as a volunteer for civilian relief under the French. A year later, when the American Red Cross set up its European commission, she transferred her services to that organization. After the signing of the Armistice, she accepted a commission from the American Junior Red Cross to portray child life in those countries in Europe where educational relief projects were instituted in the name of the American Junior Red Cross, with a view of interpreting the youth of those countries to their young friends in the United States.  
Miss Upjohn once remarked that "the only time in my life when I had enough children to suit me was when I was daily serving breakfast to 400 soldiers boys in a Red Cross canteen in London."

### Tires of Stolen Car Are Recovered

H. Barron, whose car was stolen from the East Cisco Baptist church Sunday night, today had recovered the tires from it, police said. The car had not been located and police were of the opinion that it had been stripped near here.

### Dance Pupils Give Program For Lions

The presentation of Maxine Francis' pupils in dancing was the feature of the Lions program at the Monday luncheon today. President E. L. Smith presided but Charles Sandler presented the program for Jack Anderson, who was absent on account of illness. Those presented in rhythmic dancing were Misses Maxine Francis, Geraldine Francis, Cleonora Harper, Helen Rosenquest, Jackie Belew, Thelma Stokes, Glenn Johnson and Carla Vesta Smith. These young ladies were unusually good and showed expert training.  
Announcement was made of the presentation to the club of a famed Lion Code of Ethics by Past President H. L. Dyer. Further announcements were made concerning the Lion-Rotary Lions banquet, Thursday evening, January 24.  
Visitors present were: H. D. Gorman, L. J. Mollett, of Dallas, and H. I. Hays, of Abilene.

### Man Shot To Death On Missouri Road

SIKESTON, Mo., Jan. 16. — A man believed to be Arthur Holmes of Elton, La., was shot and killed by a state highway patrolman today when he drew a gun as the officer approached his car to question two occupants.  
MOUNT VERNON, Mo., Jan. 16. — Return of the horse as a farm work animal was forecast at the first horse breeders' conference held here in many years. Prof. E. A. Trowbridge of the Missouri College of Agriculture conducted a discussion on horse breeding problems at the meeting.

### WEATHER

West Texas — Fair, colder tonight; Thursday fair, colder southeast portion.  
East Texas — Mostly cloudy, cool; west and central portions; Thursday cloudy in east, fair in west, cool; in interior.  
Rain, total for month, 1 inch.

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### How to Have Game Supply

Sportsmen of Texas, both those who wish to hunt and those who enjoy fishing have come to the choice of avoiding a modest license fee and having no game, or of paying it and having splendid hunting and fishing.

The state's game and game fish resources no longer are adequate, except by carefully-planned protection and propagation. Limited efforts so far, with about one-eighth the money per capita spent in some states, deer and turkey hunting has been improved until steadily-growing throngs of hunters again are getting ahead of he supply.

So the state game department has asked that a universal hunting license of \$1.50 or \$2 a year, and a universal fishing license of a modest sum be levied upon all adults who hunt or fish.

In this way, hatcheries, game preserves and sanctuaries and breeding grounds may be maintained, and a steady supply of game produced and the sparse regions stocked or restocked with appropriate game.

Such a hatchery is maintained at Cisco, and both the waters of the city of Cisco and those of other places throughout the state are stocked with fish from this hatchery for the Texas sportsmen. The hatcheries and breeding grounds are vital to the needs of the game fish of the state.

Without such license, existing hatcheries and breeding grounds cannot be kept up properly, and cannot serve existing or future needs.

Game conservation and development has many true friends in the legislature.

There have been arguments against requiring a license of those who hunt or fish, as a harsh invasion of personal right and freedom. But the choice is one for the sportsmen—whether he shall have game or not. It is unquestionably true the great majority prefer to pay the small license fee—unimportant in comparison with his season's hunting or fishing expenses—greatly to develop the game supply. Many barren regions could be given all the advantage of the best sport of the finest hunting regions now. Not only in pleasure and recreation, but in an economic sense, such resources are immensely valuable.

The licensing bills now before the legislature call for vigorous efforts of all advocates of more and better game resources in Texas.

### Bookkeeping on the Farm

Most urban residents probably still think of the American farmer as an easy-going fellow, with little knowledge of or interest in business practices and methods, who lives from the land and doesn't involve himself in financial statements or bookkeeping systems.

That picture is rapidly losing verisimilitude. The farm Credit Administration recently announced that over a million farmers, during the past year and a half, turned in complete financial statements when applying for loans. And, according to the Dairyman's League News, at least a million more farmers kept such records for other reasons. Business methods are as much a part of the operation of a modern farm as of a factory.

This is representative of a great evolutionary period in agricultural history, which began ten or fifteen years ago and is gathering momentum still. The up-to-date farmer realizes that economics, finance, monetary problems, tariff legislation and similar matters exert a vital influence on his own personal affairs. He is studying and learning, and he is keeping books. Where his father may have gone for years without knowing whether he was making money or losing it, he knows precisely how his farm is going.

The influence of cooperative associations has been particularly potent in developing farm management along these lines. The co-ops, by bringing specialized knowledge and sound methods to the administration of farm problems, have made great progress—and individual farmers are following the lead.

### No Money Is Used By Utopian Colony

BELLE RIVER, P. E. I. Jan. 16—Prince Edward Island's famous "Communist-Utopia" colony is steadily nearing its goal—complete self-efficiency.

The colony was founded by Hector Compton, administrator, and his brother, John, spiritual leader, in 1908. It is "self-governing," has no banks and no money. The settlers live as "one big happy family." They operate community farms, manufacture their own lumber and have their own electric plant.

They "pool" all their resources, and when anyone needs anything he goes to the community store and gets it for nothing. He can come as often as he likes and no questions are asked.

When a young couple decides to get married, the whole colony gets together and builds a house and furnishes it completely for them.

The colonists still have to do a certain amount of trading with the outside world, but eventually hope to become totally self-supporting.

### Seek Relief With Thousand in Bank

LEWISTON, Mont., Jan. 16—The relief investigator was about to open an order for a local family when she asked:

"Have you any money in the bank?"

"More than a thousand dollars," came the proud reply.

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### Texas Topics

By RAYMOND BROOKS

AUSTIN, Jan. 16—The new Fetsch public utility bill—HB 12—combines the remarkable provision that every record of the proposed utility commission shall be kept secret from the public and everyone except "interested utilities" with all the facilities of the bill which for 12 years have denied the state a chance to regulate utility rates. This is not the administration bill being drawn by Governor James V. Allred. The Allred plan gives the state sufficient control to really administer utility rate control. The Fetsch bill, containing all the defects of all the League of Texas Municipalities bill, would diffuse rate powers among city and village councils and county commissioners courts.

Sec. 18-H of the Fetsch bill, relating to orders of the state commission, says: "A copy of such order, authorization or certificate may be obtained by application therefor in writing by any public utility affected thereby, or by any municipality in which is situated any property of such a public utility." No one other than the commission or a municipality or a utility having direct interest therein, or a court, shall be permitted or allowed to look at, investigate or examine or have a copy of any paper, record or data in the files or possession of the public utilities commission.

This would make the proceedings, orders and records of a state governmental agency as secret as the consultations of United States supreme court.

Salary schedule in the Fetsch bill is \$7,500 a year salary for each of the commissioners but \$10,000 a year for its chief counsel—not responsible to the attorney general's department, and \$7,500 a year for the chief engineer and \$6,000 a year for the chief auditor and chief statistician, and secretary, three examiners at \$3,600 a year; three assistant counsels, three assistant engineers, three assistant statisticians, three assistant auditors and three assistant secretaries, at not exceeding \$3,000 a year apiece.

One of the chief points of attack of the bill is that it proposes that the "utility companies" shall furnish statements of their costs, etc., but if they refuse, or if the commission is dissatisfied, it shall make its own figures, but calls for figures involved in endless dispute, without fixing a basis or method of reaching them. It calls for approximately four times the minimum required work of fixing valuations, and for certain valuation bases that would require judicial determination of a court to set up.

It calls not only for a valuation of the actual amount of money invested in a utility, but also for the "controversial" fair value for "replacement value, less depreciation," and also the operating costs. That fixes three conflicting bases of valuation in the bill.

In view of the almost hopeless immensity of valuation all utility properties on one basis, this multiple method would make it impossible for the state to complete the valuation task in less than a dozen years.

The bill also suggests the state can be required to make "revaluations" from time to time.

The bill carries all the former defects of letting cities and towns and county commissioners court attack the primary job of rate-making and then for appeals to the state commission, then appeals to district court, and on up through the appellate courts.

In contrast, the Allred plan, basically is to persuade home rule cities, if possible, to delegate rate matters to the state, make its fact-finding conclusive, and allow appeal on law questions only direct to supreme court.

The Allred bill definitely fixes the basis of valuation and excludes what may not be included in the valuation and limits the fair return at 4 to 8 per cent.

Mr. Fetsch's bill, instead of making the fact-finding of a hearing final, has the language proposing that when the state commission decides for itself any of the valuation bases he calls for, "it shall be prima facie the true valuation." This sort of provision in other cases has been attacked as void, and so held by courts.

For more than a dozen years, cities, in their fight against giving the state power to regulate public utility rates consistently have killed every utility control bill before the legislature. Their substitute, so far as can be determined now, was almost identical with the Fetsch bill, and would have given the state only a very expensive and almost useless appellate board of review whose work could be subjected to review by three courts after its orders were made.

### WARN AGAINST DISEASE FROM PORK PARASITE

AUSTIN, Jan. 16—Now that the winter season is here and pork and pork products are more freely used, warning against insufficient cooking of these is given by Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer. Trichinosis is caused by a parasite in the muscles of pigs. This parasite may occur in large numbers in infested meat.

The disease is rather extensively distributed among hogs, and all pork products are more freely used unless treated to kill the larvae. Freshly killed pork is more dangerous than meat that has been kept in cold storage for some time because parasites tend to die out during prolonged storage at low temperatures. Other processes of preserving meat also tend to kill the trichinella larvae. No method of meat inspection will invariably discover the presence of this parasite.

This safeguard against the disease must necessarily be taken by consumers of the infested pork. Thorough cooking may be counted upon to kill the parasite.

Trichinosis results from eating uncooked pork, usually in the form of sausage that contains the larvae. There is often danger of not maintaining sufficient temperature to thoroughly cook the meat. Outer portions of the meat may appear well cooked while the inner part is quite rare and will retain the living parasites. Especially is this true if the piece of pork is quite thick. Cases of trichinosis have occurred from eating such inner portions of undercooked pork. Pork with the slightest red tinge may contain the living parasites. Pork should be cooked until all color disappears through the piece of meat, this is the only safeguard against trichinosis.

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### Did You Ever Stop To Think

By Edson R. Waite Shawnee, Oklahoma

Commenting upon a recently concluded survey among 23,012 consumers, Howard E. Blood, President of Norge Corporation, noted economist and business leader, predicts a greater era of prosperity than any other ever enjoyed.

"Never has entertainment, hospitality and recreation been so focused as now within the home," said Mr. Blood. "I am sure that we are starting an era of new prosperity, based upon home enjoyment rather than upon the orgy of speculation which characterized our last business advance."

"Norge Corporation has just concluded a country-wide survey among the interesting findings of which is the fact that 40.3 per cent of non-owning families hope to buy an electric refrigerator in 1935. This permits a prediction that 2,214,889 electric refrigerators will be sold, a probable increase of 47 per cent over the high record total of 1934. Among the 23,000 women interviewed the country over, there was an expressed desire to own a new kitchen range of 27.4 per cent, electric washer of 21 per cent, and 15 per cent desired automatic oil heat. These high percentages of expressed buying desire indicate that home appliance industries are entering upon an era of public favor the like of which has never been known before."

"Many home appliances such as electric refrigerators, washers, ranges, and oil burners create use-savings sufficient to make their purchase self-financing. Because of this, they create no strain upon family income and it is really more costly to be without them. For example, a survey among Norge owners shows that savings up to \$11 a month can be gained from operative economies, the use of left-overs, elimination of food spoilage and savings from quantity marketing which the use of Rollator Refrigeration makes possible. In fact, the use of an electric refrigerator creates savings which are an excellent means to offset advancing food prices."

"Somewhere in the world are the standards of home life as high as in the typical small American town. The average family in our metropolitan areas is imitating the home life of the small town family as never before," Mr. Blood concluded.

### Flying Barber Pole To Get Test Soon

RAPID CITY, N. D., Jan. 16—A test flight by March 1 is promised by builders of the "flying barber pole," a screw-shaped combination of airplane and zeppelin, now under construction here.

Designed to fly either forward or backward, the odd craft got its name from its resemblance to a barber pole. Around a helium filled bag are vanes which spiral much like stripes on a barber pole. The boring movement of the vanes is designed to give the craft motive power.

A frame suspended from each tip of the bar carries the enclosed cabin of the ship. The engine will be placed in the rear of the frame on a swinging pivot which will keep it constantly level.

### LETTERS FROM READERS

Editor Daily News: I am glad to see you making an effort to correct the present condition that exists in the band's maintenance. I have for sometime foreseen this condition developing but under the circumstances there was little I could do about it.

I would like to point out where some of this assistance has been needed for sometime. In every band there are certain instruments that must be provided, from sources other than its members, as Drums, Sousaphones, etc. Our band has perhaps suffered greater neglect in this than in anything. For instance, Breckenridge school band, Cisco has never had but one. Another old Bass horn has been provided by myself.

I had hoped on my return from the National Contest at Tulsa, to more modernize our instrumentation. To play concert music with band requires oboes, bassoons, alto, and bass clarinets, flutes, tympani, etc. We have none of these. While we would be replaced nor added anything for last four years, Abilene has purchased probably \$1,500 worth of equipment.

Of course I do not expect us to go quite this well, but would like to see a little action in this direction. I have been forced to call attention to this so often that it almost annoys me to make further mention. It is very obvious that I could have no other motive save that of civic pride.

During the years that the band consisted much of the incidental expenses were paid by the parent's and some portion I paid myself. My present salary will not now permit this. I have informed my band officers who in this respect, are very cooperative, and do not worry me. I will not further assume any responsibility of this nature.

I feel sure that if I could get the school board to see this problem correctly they would give some financial aid. Whether fully financed by the city or from both city and school, I believe the band must ultimately be operated as a school unit. I mean by this to put more

stress on the educational side of music by giving affiliated credits to the students, and placing the band in regular curriculum. The school bands of Abilene, Lubbock, Coleman and others are operated in this manner.

I have been informed by city secretary that all of the tax money that was voted for band maintenance is now being used to pay band teacher's salary. I was further informed that probably before the end of the year there may not be sufficient revenue to cover this salary. The majority of our people I am sure want the band adequately financed in a more systematic way than just passing the hat. This will come about only by expressing this desire to those who should feel this responsibility.

Band Master,  
G. W. COLLUM.

### FARMERS PAY FOR POWER IN BUTTER, EGGS

By TED H. MALLOY  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 16

A plan to swap Arkansas farmers electricity for butter and eggs and chickens is the Arkansas Power and Light company's answer to TVA power.

Harvey C. Couch, president of the Arkansas Louisiana and Mississippi power and light companies, has just announced he contemplates building 3,500 miles of rural extension lines in 55 Arkansas counties. He will use farm labor to give his potential consumers money with which to buy initial appliances. He promises housewives he will help them market their produce if they will add 10 or 12 chickens to their flocks to pay the light bills.

First rural communities to receive the new service will be around Couch's boyhood home, Calhoun, his birthplace, Ebenezer, Village and Prattville are the experimenting ground for the new idea.

Remembers his boyhood job of drawing water from the open well

Couch said it would be some satisfaction to see electric power installed in the old family homestead built by his grandfather in the 1850's.

Payment of extension lines will spread over a period of several years. Assurance of three customers to a mile will be sufficient to extend the lines, Couch said.

If the experiment in the four communities is successful the power company hopes to borrow money from federal agencies to finance the rural program in the three states where Couch companies operate.

Power for the increased service would come from present sources. Principal source is the 100,000 kilowatt steam-generated plant in the gas fields of Sterling, La. Another source is the steam generating supplying power for the extensive daily and seasonal peaks are Custer and Rammel dams on the Ouachita River near Hot Springs with capacities of 550,000 and 12,000 kilowatts respectively.

Another dam on the Ouachita has been contemplated for some time. It may be started with the introduction of the rural development.

Announcement of the Arkansas Power and Light company came after strong agitation had started in several cities, North Little Rock and Helena principally, to extend TVA power into Arkansas.

Potential hydro - electric power on the undeveloped White River in Northeastern Arkansas has been estimated variously by the Missouri and Valley committee of the TVA and other engineers at from 20,000 to more than 500,000 kilowatts on continuous service.

### Preserve Old Tree To Aid Navigation

HOQUIAM, Wash., Jan. 16—The eight-foot stump of Great Western's famous Lone Tree, which recently was used as a guiding mark by Captain Robert Gray in 1792 when he entered the port, will still serve as a landmark for incoming vessels.

All but eight feet of the tree a tideland spruce, was blown to the ground in a gale, but federal engineers erected a 30-foot tripod marker over the stump.

## Lovable

By MARY RAYMOND

when you left Greenfield you were making a mistake. Then I was beginning to believe I might be wrong when you married. But now it seems you haven't made a go of that either. I advise you to go back to your husband if you can. Most of your friends here are married and have done well. If you can't find a place to go I'll be glad to have you for a visit when I come home. Affectionately, Aunt Hattie."

"This was Aunt Hattie's revenge; her way of letting Ann know that she had not been forgiven for leaving Greenfield, for not being willing to follow the narrow pattern of life Aunt Hattie would have arranged for her."

"There was nowhere else Ann could go. Uncle Ed's family had troubles enough without asking him to take in a poor, sick niece."

"Well," Ann thought, "I'm not the first girl who has faced the same problem. I haven't the money to take a rest, and no place to go to have one. That's all there's to it!"

"She was feeling very tired to-night, and it had not been a busy day. What would it be like during the Christmas rush? It really wasn't fair to those two dead old people to be dragging through her work half-sleeping. But you are splendid and strong for the holidays."

"The doctor had said, 'Some place nice and quiet, where you can get out in the open daily.'"

"The thought came suddenly. It electrified Anne. Why not?"

"Did your letter bring good news?" Sheila asked.

"No, but I've decided to go away. Would it inconvenience you if I left tomorrow, Sheila?"

"Not a bit. I'll get Gertrude Allen to come in until I get settled. Good-bye, I'll miss you. Ann, where are you going? To Greenfield?"

"No, to a nice, quiet little place. I'll write you after I get there."

"The same man was standing in the gloomy court, near the steps when Sheila returned from work that afternoon. Gertrude Allen was with her."

"I beg your pardon," Sheila tried to pass him, but he barred the way. "Is your name Sheila Davis?"

"Well, what if it is?"

"Is there a girl named Ann Jones with you?"

"What business is it of yours? I'm trying to locate Miss Jones. Is there some place where we can talk?"

"Sheila faced him boldly. 'There isn't. I will say you're a new kind of approach, but I've other things on my mind and you're cluttering up my path.'"

"Listen here, sister. You've got me wrong. I'm a detective. He turned back his coat."

"Where'd you pick that up?"

MILDRED said nervously, "Mark he is a detective, Sheila."

"Maybe he isn't. Anyway nobody could make me believe Ann had done anything wrong."

"The strange man said, 'You're friend hasn't done anything that would get her into trouble. We're trying to locate her for her husband. That's all.'"

"Take a look at this. Ever see anybody like her before?" He pulled a glossy photograph's print from his pocket and handed it to Sheila.

"It's Ann Jones, all right," Sheila said slowly.

"You made a little mistake," the detective said, putting the picture back in his pocket. "She's Ann Kendall."

"What?"

"Mrs. Peter Kendall. Now let's have it. Where is she?"

Sheila sat down on the step. "Pinch me, Gertrude. What the fellow's saying doesn't make sense. Am I dreaming or cuckoo, or what?"

"I'm giving you a straight story. She's Mrs. Kendall, wife of the mill lionaire. We've been hunting for months. I found out today she was in this apartment building with you."

"Gosh!" Sheila breathed, ever round. "That's why she was crying. And she said this Peter Kendall was good to her. Well, then, what did she run away for?"

"Search me, sister. What I am worrying about is finding her. Is she coming home soon?"

"No," Sheila said. "She won't be coming home tonight. She went away today."

"Went away?" he fairly shouted the words. And then, as Sheila continued to stare blankly at him, "You're not kidding me?"

"No, honest."

"Oh, well, I might have known. There's always a curve on the ball—no straight piece of luck for us!"

"She packed last night and told me good-bye before she left this morning. I've got her part of the rent in my purse."

"But you know where she went?"

Sheila started to say "Greenfield," and then remembered what Ann had said.

She was almost crying. "Oh, what a dumb-bell I was not to see that!" She said she was going to see, quiet place. That's all I know."

(She Is Continued)

RANDOLPH NOTES

Kilpatrick used to try to match the wheels of Yandley's car, but he changed his mind so often that she had to buy many hats.

Francis Bacon sat on the front porch this morning with a young girl, and looked very happy.

David Sharpe likes people if they expressive of their emotions. At now, he wants a letter from me that reads something like "Dear Son: We are sending you a check for the amount of money you asked for, etc."

Someday George Roberts is going to wake up and find out that there is no Santa Claus - especially if he reads the newspapers and the magazines, and such, are concerned.

Where does Crawford Knox go on Saturday night? And where does he specialize in having his necks?

Bernie Reynolds believes in the same power of mind over matter. He says, just won't stoop to absorb the matter required for it.

Miss Masters knows how to get through a hog-proof fence, but she even tearing her dress, it's a woman!

Francis Barnes and Agnis Lee seemed to be wrapped up in each other Tuesday. (Literally or figuratively?)

Bob Bills complimented the girl, and the way it behaved on the night of January 15, 1935.

Teachers seem to positively take delight in emphasizing the horror examinations.

Teacher of Students just before the end of hosts, be with us, lest we forget, lest we forget.

PORTIA NAMED K. C. PORT COLBORNE, Ont., Jan. 16 (AP) - Miss Helen Kimmear, lawyer, in the list of lawyers named King's Counsel by the Ontario government is believed to be the first time this courtesy appointment had been bestowed on a woman.

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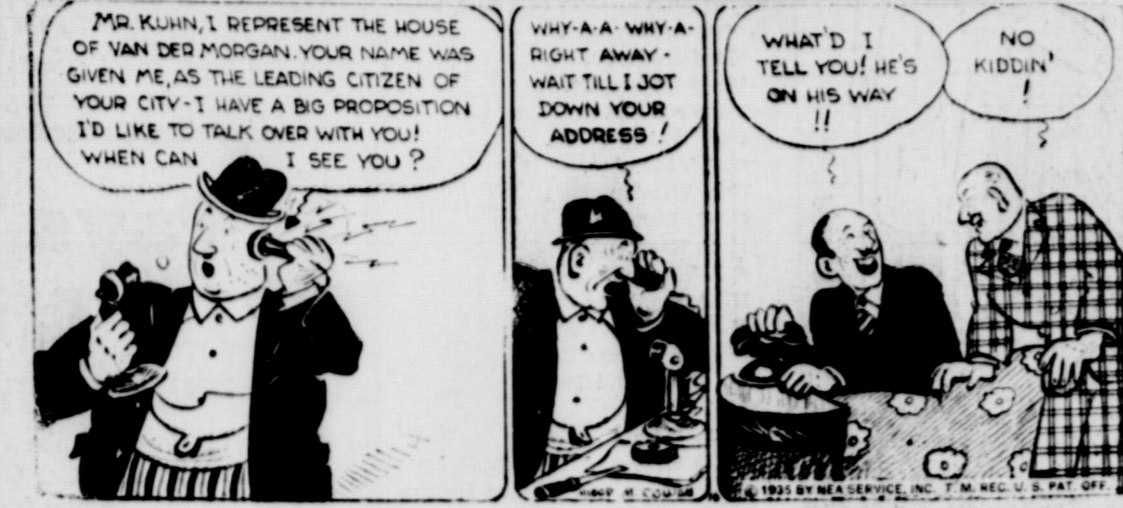
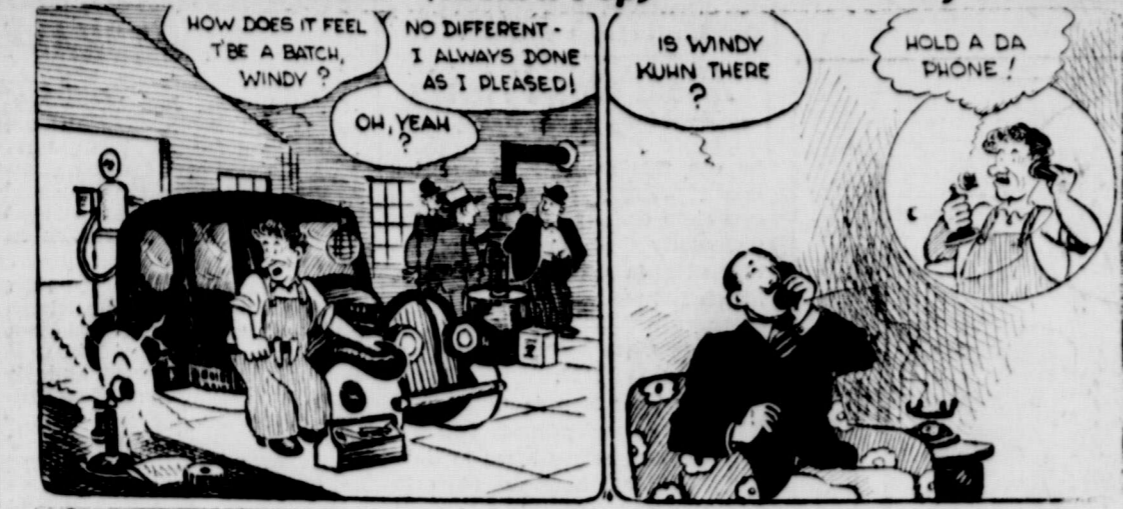
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Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15 E. L. SMITH, President; Joe C. BURMAN, Secretary.

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By COWAN.



Housing Subsidy Experiments Cost British Taxpayers Three Billions

By HARRY FLORY United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON, Jan. 16 - British taxpayers are paying more than £600,000,000 (\$3,000,000,000) for housing subsidy experiments.

Since 1919 the national exchequer has spent more than £150,000,000 (\$750,000,000) to assist the building of houses for the working classes. At least an additional £450,000,000 (\$2,250,000,000) will have to be provided during the next forty years to meet housing subsidy obligations already incurred.

The costs will approximate £400 (\$2,000) for each of the million and a half subsidized houses provided or still to be constructed. All except about 300,000 of them already have been completed.

Homebuilding Slogan "Homes for heroes" was the slogan under which Lloyd George's post-war coalition government started the subsidy ball rolling. His government issued the dictum that housing, at least of the lower paid workers, was the responsibility of government, either national or municipal, insofar as these housing needs were not met by other agencies.

Every government since has worked on the same principle, although with different methods. Two conservative governments, headed by Stanley Baldwin, relied more or less on private enterprise, with government subsidies to private enterprise.

The two labor governments over which Ramsey MacDonald presided concentrated on subsidies paid to municipal authorities.

The present national government relies on private enterprise without government subsidy, as the first line of attack on the housing problem, but grants subsidies to municipal authorities for slum clearance and the rehousing of displaced slum dwellers.

Condemned by Experts Lloyd George's government imposed upon municipal authorities the duty of supplying homes for heroes to rent, but guaranteed to pay all the costs above a certain small amount municipal authorities were forced to provide. Experts agree it was the most uneconomic, inefficient subsidy in Britain's history.

More than 200,000 houses were built under the scheme but the eventual cost to the exchequer will probably exceed £300,000,000 (\$1,500,000,000), almost £1 (\$5) per week for forty years for each house built. The scheme lent itself to graft and inefficiency and the government paid the costs of inefficiency. Costs of building rose until a house

Wales. Simultaneously the national exchequer and Scottish municipal authorities spent £2,547,000 for Scottish housing subsidies.

TOMORROW: Clearing up London's Slum Districts.

Falling Stocks

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stead, billion reserve were maintained as backing for currency. This is just what the United States sought to do.

Stable Currency The obvious advantage of this system was to maintain a stable currency. It also permitted the government to maintain the value of the dollar on foreign exchange on a parity with the currency of other nations. Raids on the dollar could be met in open competition.

Soon afterwards congress passed the agriculture adjustment act with the Thomas amendment.

The latter was the attempt of the inflation bloc in congress which gave the president discretionary power to do almost as he wishes with the currency. It carried permissive power to devalue the dollar in terms of gold by as much as 50 per cent.

With all other currencies devalued in gold it became, it was believed, desirable to use this power. In the way stood the \$100,000,000 of gold clause bonds which had been issued by the government and private long term borrowers and which demanded payment in gold at the old standard of value namely 25 1/2 grains, nine-tenths fine for every dollar.

Forces that gave rise to these obligations date back to the days when civil war paper currency was widely printed and circulated.

Assurance Sought Afterwards this paper varied in relation to gold currency and also to silver currency. To coax money from investors to build railroads, telegraph lines and other highly expensive undertakings it was necessary to give them assurance that their money would be repaid in money of an equal value.

Agitation for greenback currency and later for 16-to-1 silver gave added impetus for such assurance for investors.

In its intent to create a forever stable currency and a parity for all kinds of currency by maintaining a gold bullion store, the government foresaw a day when the gold clause in such obligations would no longer be necessary.

To have reduced the gold content of the dollar under the Thomas amendment without also voiding the gold clause would have been to create in these debts of one hundred million dollars a special class of creditors. It also would have created a special class of debtors

by making them pay so many more currency dollars on the debts. These currency dollars would have been just as hard to get as any other kind of dollars. This was what the government did not wish to do.

Accordingly, congress passed and the president signed on June 5, 1933, public resolution No. 10. The act declared an emergency and gave the congressional intent to make all dollars equal in terms of currency. It found gold clause obligations an impediment. Public resolution No. 10 provided that such obligations be payable in any kind of legal tender.

In January 1934 congress directed the president to reduce the gold content of the dollar by not less than 40 nor more than 50 per cent. A few days later he reduced it by executive order from 25 1/2 grains nine-tenths fine to 15 1/2 grains nine-tenths fine or to 39.06 cents.

If the gold clause had not been outlawed and with the dollar devalued the gold obligations would have been payable either in standard gold, which was unavailable because it had all been recovered into the treasury by the hoarding orders, or paid in standard currency at the rate of \$1.69 for every dollar borrowed.

Freak Mishaps Are Recorded in Kansas

OZAWKIE, Kan., Jan. 16 - Freak accidents were recorded in Jefferson county in the last few weeks.

Mrs. Lola May lifted her small son to her shoulder. As she did so she twisted her neck and caused a vertebrae to slip. She has her neck in a cast now.

Mrs. Rose Rumbaugh yawned and her jaws locked. On the way to the doctor her car became stuck in the snow. She waited an hour and a half for medical aid.

Darwin Graham youngster, drank mercury from a thermometer. A doctor prescribed a remedy by telephone. He is well on the way to recovery.

FAST K. P. WORK PULLMAN, Wash., Jan. 16 - A potato washing machine developed by Washington State College students as a project of the Washington committee on the Relation of Electricity to Agriculture will clear about one-half carload of the vegetable in 10 hours.



being overcome. The type S 55 used by Balbo in his flight in 1932 to the Chicago Fair is too heavy to consider, but a type similar to the S 77 which resembles the new Douglas plane is now under construction.

The greater drawback is the necessity of agreements between Italy and the countries which lie in the direct route to South America. It is unlikely that either France or England will grant such a privilege to Italy.

Portugal which has nothing to lose and much to gain by the establishment of such a service might be induced to allow Italy air ports both in Portugal and Portuguese Guinea on the West African coast from whence there is the shortest hop to the north coast of Brazil.

Under present trade agreements, it would be advantageous for Brazil to grant any requests for the construction of civil air ports on Brazilian territory by Italian industrialists, or aid by material help in establishing such air ports.

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ITALY, INSPIRED BY U. S. AIRWAY PROGRESS, PLANNING TO FOLLOW

By THOMAS B. MORGAN United Press Staff Correspondent ROME, Jan. 16 - Italy is inspired by the United States' achievements in her new civil aeronautic program. For the past few years she has been watching attentively the progress made by civil air navigation in the states and step by step she has tried to follow.

The announcement of a regular air service between Rome, Paris and London, the projection of a trans-Atlantic service between Rome and Buenos Aires are indicative that she is now ready to launch an extensive international campaign in civil aeronautics such as she has already done with her military aviation.

Now under construction are two of the new types S 74 which will make the initial flight in early spring between Rome, Paris and London prior to a regular established service. The time between Rome and Paris is three hours of flying, between Rome and London four hours of flying.

Acc Is Named Mussolini's crack pilot, Attilio Biseo is said to be designated as one of the pilots for this spring trial. With the success of the London and Paris services, Italy hopes to establish direct and regular routes with Eastern European capitals by the end of the year, or as soon as she can construct the necessary planes.

Italy's great hindrance to extensive civil air navigation is the heavy cost of production in the American sense. Motors for airplanes are not turned out by the thousands. Two hundred Douglas planes can be built in the United States where Italy could use only three or four of similar type. It has even been suggested by Italian aviators that steel frames might be bought in America and this costs would be reduced about half for half the engine equipment would be needed. But the whole scheme of Italy's air-mindedness is based on the use of Italian machines, workmen and material.

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# About Cisco Today

## LOYAL WOMEN CLASS MEETS

Members of the Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church were entertained Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joe Burnham with Mrs. Floyd Cunningham co-hostess.

Mrs. Oran Shackelford, president, presided during the business session in which several subjects were discussed.

Refreshments were served. Those present were: Miss Alice Bacon, Mesdames J. M. Flinn, Charles Greenhaw, James Haynie, J. S. Mobley, Rex Moore, Oran Shackelford, D. F. Tyndall, Troy Powell, W. R. Huestis, H. L. Dyer and a visitor Mrs. Clark.

## "WHAT DO I KNOW ABOUT PRAYER" MEETING SUBJECT

The Christian Endeavor held its regular weekly meeting Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. The program opened with the selection "Christ Is King" and "The Faith Is on", which were followed by a prayer. Fred B. Jennings, vice president, of the society led in a short business session. Plans for Consecration Sunday and the district convention to be held here in March were discussed.

Ruby Vaughn was leader of the program "What Do I Know About Prayer." After the hymn, "I Need Thee Every Hour", Roland Hill read the scripture. Those having parts on the program were: Nadine Sherman, Harold Sharpe, Merle Thornton, Agnes Holmes, and Richie Davis.

There were thirty-two members present and one new member, Tamsey V. Riley.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS HELD IN CIRCLE ONE

The first meeting of Circle One of the First Methodist church for 1935 was held in the home of Mrs. Robert Sanford, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sanford presided during the election of officers. Mrs. William Reagan, assistant chairman, Mrs. O. W. Ford, secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Robert Sanford, local treasurer, Mrs. Joe Wilson.

Mrs. P. Pettit was named program chairman and Mrs. George Winston social service chairman. Those present were: Mesdames William Reagan, T. J. Dean, George Winston, J. B. Curry, O. W. Statham, Joe Wilson, O. W. Ford, L. F. Vaughn, W. M. Joyner, Mrs. Neil Turner a new member and the hostess.

## MEMBERS OF J. U. G. AND GUESTS ENJOY LUNCHEON

Members of the J. U. G. club were entertained January 13, with a luncheon at the home of Loreta Litchfield. Various games were enjoyed during the afternoon. Each member invited a guest. Those present were Carolyn Armstrong, Idella Barnhill, Lena Culbert, Marguerite Eppler, LaVerne Graves, Lucile Harper, Lois Payne Walters, O. C. Barnhill, Bobby Barker, James Bridges, O. M. Abbott, Buford Richards, Harry Taylor, Troy Taylor, Cotton Wallace, Snookie Thomas and the hostess.

## FOREIGN MISSIONS DISCUSSED AT MEETING

Mrs. F. J. Borman, 908 West Fourteenth street, was hostess to members of Circle Two of the First Presbyterian church Auxiliary Tuesday afternoon in her home.

The society began the afternoon's program with devotion on Foreign Missions led by Mrs. Jamison. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. Fee discussing Foreign missions in China, Mrs. Borman discussed Japan, Mrs. Morris gave a discussion on Brazil, Mrs. Simmons, Korea, Mrs. Jamison with Congo

## CALENDAR

### Thursday

There is to be a regular meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Masonic Hall.

The club will meet Thursday evening with a dinner in the home of Miss Wilma Thomas in her home in Humboldt.

Members of the First Industrial Arts club will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the club house with Mrs. H. G. Bailey and Miss Thressa Weddington hostesses.

### Friday

The Cresset Bridge club will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. O. S. Leveridge on Ninth street.

The Twentieth Century club will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the club room.

The Cisco Choral club will meet Friday night at 7:15 in the First Baptist church.

and Mrs. Rountree with Mexico. Refreshments were served during the social hour. Those present were: Mesdames A. E. Jamison, C. H. Fee, J. G. Rupe, Mose Johnson, C. Rountree, A. Sandhofer, Letitia Morris, W. R. Simmons and the hostess.

It is announced that the society will meet next week in the church for prayer service and remain for circle session.

## Personals

Mrs. J. T. Golden and son of Breckenridge spent the day yesterday with her mother Mrs. Sam Key.

Mrs. M. S. Doss, daughter of Mrs. J. M. Lane, returned to her home in Seminole today after spending a few days here with her mother.

Mrs. W. A. Russell and son of Eastland were visitors in Cisco this morning.

Roy Shaham of Moran visited in Cisco Tuesday.

Bill Wender returned Tuesday from a business trip in East Texas.

Lloyd Hughes, Forest Wright and P. R. Wa-wick transacted business in Eastland yesterday and today.

Mrs. M. W. Robbins who has been ill for sometime is reported to be improving.

Mrs. A. M. Mitchell of McAllen, Texas is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Nichols.

E. C. McClelland spent yesterday afternoon in Eastland.

Mrs. and Mrs. M. L. Aknew spent Tuesday visiting in Ranger.

Mrs. E. Mayer and daughter, Marion were visitors yesterday in Eastland.

Mrs. and Mrs. Rochelle Daniels have returned from a few days visit in San Antonio.

## NATURE'S SCULPTURE

VIRGIN'S ISLAND, N. S. Jan. 16—A nearly perfect figure of the Madonna, with the Christ-Child in her arms, has been found etched on the face of a steep barren rock here. The rock cannot be reached. The etching, believed made by Nature itself, can be seen only on clear days from a distance.

## OUT OUR WAY



QUEER GUYS

## Flowers of Speech Go Wild Under California Sun

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 16—And here's a little fuel for the perennial fire of that old-time argument about the value of a college education.

University of California undergraduates included in their final examination papers the following:

"I love to sit in a quiet wood and commune with God."  
"The poet Daniel compares his love for Della to a half-blown rose."  
"Daisy Miller's greatest misfortune in life was to have an affair with the Colosseum in Rome."

"A siren is a virgin from the waist up."  
"She was equally gracious to fools as her own husband."  
"The mould of man's fortune is in his own hands."

"The poem was written at the time Darwinism and Biology were first started."  
"Bacon says studies are of no use unless they put to some use."  
"The Lotus Eaters ate of the lotus bugs and became lazy and sleepy."

"The men were tossed and battered into unconsciousness."  
"Browning believes that one moment of real love is worth a lifetime of purity."  
"Romeo refused to fight because he had just been married to Tybalt's cousin and it is not natural for a man to pick a quarrel or take one up after such circumstances."

So much for the outstanding contributions of university English students. The astronomy department also had its problems too, however, including

## Swedish Solons To Vote By Electricity

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 16—Electrical voting instead of roll calls will be used in the Swedish Riksdag, or national legislature, when it meets in January. Each member has a red and a green button, he votes "Yes" if the red, he votes "No". If he presses both, he abstains. The net results are shown instantly on a bulletin board back of the speaker's desk.

This a vote may be taken in less than a minute, with each member's vote recorded automatically and permanently. A similar system has

## Closing Selected New York Stocks

American Can	111 5-8
Am. P&L	31-4
American Radiator	14 3-8
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Aviation Corp. Del.	4 5-8
Byers A. M.	17 3-8
Canada Dry	53 1-2
Case J. I.	53 5-8
Chrysler	38 1-4
Comw. & Sou.	11-8
Cons. Oil	7 3-4
Curtiss Wright	2 5-8
Elect. St. Bat.	25 1-2
Elect. St. Bat.	45
Foster Wheel	15
Freeport-Texas	24 3-4
Gen. Elec.	21 3-4
Gen. Foods	33 3-4
Gen. Mot.	31 1-4
Gillette S. R.	13 3-4
Goodyear	25
Gt. Nor. Ore.	10 5-8
Gt. West Sugar	27
Houston Oil	15
Int. Cement	29 1-2
Int. Harvester	39
Johns. Manville	51 1-2
Kroger G&B	26 7-8
Liq. Carb.	27 3-4
Marsfield	10
Montg. Ward	27 1-4
Nat. Dairy	16 1-4
Ohio Oil	10 1-8
Penney J. C.	71 3-4
Phillips Dodge	14 1-4
Phillips P.	14 3-4
Pure Oil	7
Radio	7
Sears Roebuck	36 1-2
Shell Union Oil	6 7-8
Sheony-Vacuum	13 3-4
Southern Pacific	10 1-4
Stan. Oil N. J.	41 3-4
Studebaker	2 1-4
Texas Corp.	19 7-8
Texas Gulf Sul.	33 7-8
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	3 3-8
Un. Carb.	44 7-8
United Air & T.	5 5-8
United Corp.	2 5-8
U. S. Gypsum	49
U. S. Ind. Ale.	38 7-8
U. S. Steel	37 1-4
Vanadium	19
Westing. Elec.	38
Worthington	18

## Doctor Fights For 100 Flu Victims

FORT DEFIANCE, ARIZ., Jan. 16.—An urgent appeal for medical supplies was issued today by a physician fighting alone to curb an epidemic of influenza and measles in the eastern Arizona Navajo reservation.

More than 100 Indians were stricken, crowding to over-capacity the small government hospital staffed by Dr. Emory Main an assistant who was stricken yesterday. No deaths yet have occurred.

## WOULD HONOR SIOUX INDIANS BY NEBRASKA MEMORIAL PARK

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 16.—Nebraskans and South Dakotans are pushing hard for the establishment of a 25,000-acre park in Knox county, Nebraska, along the Missouri river, in memory of Sioux Indians who formerly had a reservation on the tract.

The acreage bordering the river comprises wooded and hilly terrain dotted with many springs and laced with creeks. The proposed tract is 12 miles from Bloomfield and is tapped by Highway No. 12, less than three miles away.

Suggested name of the park is "Devil's Nest National Park and Bird Sanctuary," a title which gives little indication of the historical significance of the roughly over eight by four-mile tract.

Lewis and Clark visited "Devil's Nest" on their exploration of the Northwest in 1804. Due to wilderness and seclusion it remained unused as a "hideout" by Missouri outlaw Jesse James and other forerunners of the modern gangster.

Otto Bogner, of Crofton, chairman of the group promoting the park, believes it can be made of the beauty spots of the West at minimum expense. More than 400,000 live within two miles of the site.

DOG THIEVES ACTIVE KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Jan. 16.—Officers are tracing an organized band of dog thieves that has been operating in northeast Missouri. Last among the animals stolen recently were two valuable fox hounds, dogs and coon hounds.

ben used in the Landtag of Finland for some years. Both are made by a Swedish telephone company.

## About Our Friends CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

he can ride as he runs terracing lines... Drs. F. E. Clark and Charles Jones are doing good work for the community when they interest themselves in stock show for Cisco, March 1-2.

## Cisco Roundup 1912 Business Men to Close

We, the undersigned business men of Cisco hereby agree to close our places of business at 6:30 o'clock on and after this date, until September 1st, 1912.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Snell have been spending this week at Dothan... Mrs. T. C. Cole of Ferris is visiting at the home of R. F. Davis and family... Hon. H. P. Brelford of the city last Friday... Mrs. J. Eastland was a business visitor in W. Hartman was called to Dallas last week to the bedside of her sick mother... Miss Grace Cunningham has returned to her home at Palo Pinto... Judge J. H. Calhoun was a business visitor to Eastland Monday... Newt Mahaney, Cisco's night watchman, was called to Gorman Monday on business.

NOT A TIE WALKER MISSOULA, Mont., Jan. 16—Friends of Dr. J. P. Rowe, Montana university geology instructor, claim he knows state geography so well that he can tell precisely the number of railroad ties between any two points in the state.

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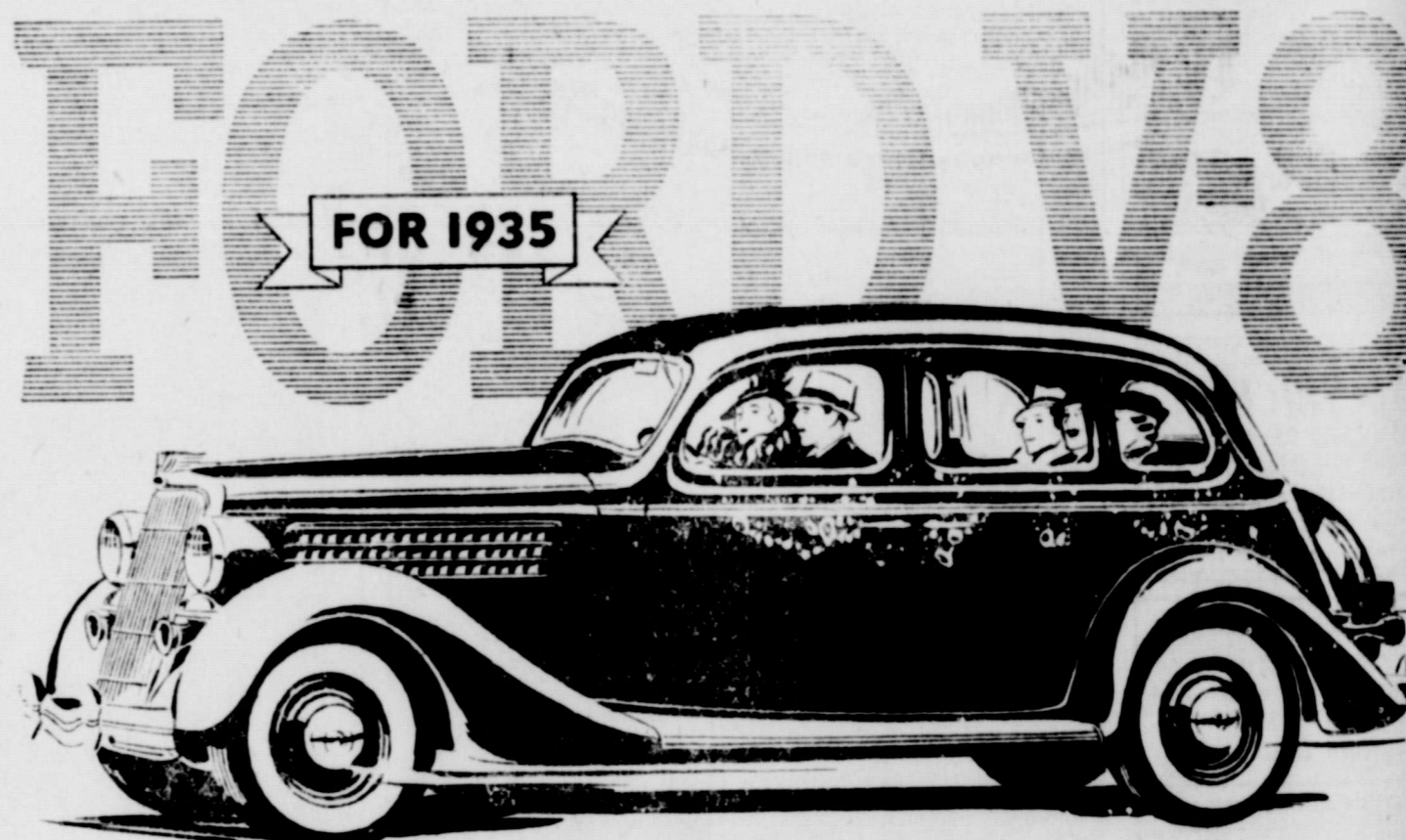
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With Henry Ford's new 1935 Ford V-8 cars as one of the principal attractions, the New York Automobile Show drew thousands of spectators at its opening in Grand Central Palace. It was the first time Ford had ever exhibited in the big show. Top photo shows one of the big Ford exhibits, a demonstration of the ease of assembly and disassembly of the Ford V-8 engine. Crowds packed the rail around this exhibit all afternoon and evening. At the right, crowds thronging the first floor exhibit to view the new 1935 Ford V-8 cars.

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