

Nazi Propagandist Goebels is reported in bed with a tummy ache. Germans will probably be told Harold Ickes put something in soup.

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## STEPHEN TEST RUNNING PIPE AFTER OIL SHOW

Chief interest this week in oil circles in this area centered on a well with a showing, a new operation and a failure.

The well with the showing was G. Willard Rich No. 2 Andrews, section 39-7-T&P, Stephens county, which topped lime at 3,661 feet.

Failure was Sam Henderson No. 1 E. N. Strickland, two and one-half miles southeast of Cisco, section 45-3-H&TC, Eastland county at total depth of 1,160 feet.

Also in Stephens county, the Lone Star Gas company No. 1-A McKee, south offset to the Rich No. 1 Andrews, at 2,250 feet was drilling. It is in section 39-17-T&P.

Workmen were cleaning out after a 100-quart shot in the O. L. Johnson No. 1 Singleton, D&DA survey, Comanche county from 2,797-2,812 feet. Total depth was 2,835 feet. It is one mile south of Rucker.

J. N. Simpson No. 1 Ben Taylor, three miles south of Eastland in the E. Lloyd survey, was shut-down between 300 and 400 feet.

## Citizens Invited To Program During State Ceremonies

Omar Burkett and P. L. Crossley, representatives elect, Saturday issued the following statement:

TO THE CITIZENS OF EASTLAND COUNTY: With the beginning of the new year when newly-elected officials throughout the State are being sworn into office and in fairness to the people of our districts, we are issuing this brief statement reaffirming our intentions to serve the people of Texas and our respective districts as efficiently as is possible for us to do.

Everyone is familiar, from recent newspaper articles, with the type of legislation that will be presented to this session of the legislature, and the demands that are going to be made on the people, which in all probability, will call for new tax money. In presenting our claims to the people in the campaign last summer, we especially stressed economy in the operation of our State Government, and we now reaffirm this statement and say that we will vote for every item pointing to economy, where, in our opinion, the state will not lose in efficiency.

Our stand on the many issues now before the people are well-known, and it is our intention each week to keep the people informed as to the happenings in the legislature, to the end that they may know just what we are doing. We shall expect to hear from our constituents by letter and otherwise their desires and views on proposed legislation, in order that we may know just what the people need and want.

We well know that we cannot please everyone in our actions, and with this in mind it is our desire to do the right thing and cast our votes in such manner as to benefit the most people over the state as a whole, and to reflect credit upon the State of Texas, the legislature and ourselves.

We were each issued a few formal invitations to the Inaugural ceremonies on January 17th, and we have mailed these to as many as we could, but due to the fact we did not receive enough for all our friends, we are hereby inviting everyone to attend, make yourselves at home, visit with us and we will do everything that we can to help you have a good time.

P. L. CROSLEY, 106th District of Texas. OMAR BURKETT, 107th District of Texas.

## Eastland Girl Gets Lead In Production

Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Tanner of Eastland have been advised their daughter, Dolores, will have the leading part in Milne's "The Romantic Age," a stage production of a stock company, beginning this month at Moylan, Pennsylvania.

## TOM MOONEY GETS PARDON FROM PRISON

By United Press

SACRAMENTO, Calif., Jan. 7.—Thomas Mooney was pardoned today by Gov. Culbert Olson of California, as the climax to a 22-year fight for freedom that became international in scope and attracted world-wide attention.

"I am convinced," Olson said to the crowd in the state assembly chamber where Mooney occupied the spotlight on the rostrum, "that Mooney is innocent, that he was convicted on perjured testimony and is entitled to a pardon."

"Let anyone here who objects to a pardon step forward and present new evidence if they have it."

No one responded. "I hereby grant full pardon to Thomas J. Mooney," the governor announced.

Mooney was overcome at Olson's words. "I hardly know how to express my gratitude for this vindication," he said.

At Mooney's side was his wife, Rena Herman Mooney who had waited for him during the years he was in prison, who played a leading part in the fight for his freedom and who turned over to his cause every spare cent that she earned as a music teacher.

"I am so happy, Tom," she whispered. Her eyes were red from weeping.

Also with Mooney at the hearing, were his sister, Anna Mooney, his brother, John, his attorney, George T. Davis, and other friends.

All of them, including Mrs. Mooney, met Mooney earlier in the day when he left San Quentin Prison for the last time and rode in triumph with him to Sacramento.

Olson said that he also believed that Warren K. Billings, who was convicted with Mooney, was innocent. However, since Billings is a two-time offender, he cannot be released by the governor without the approval of the state supreme court.

## Texas Workers Got Over \$9,000,000 In Pay for Idle Time

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 7.—Texas laborers received \$9,400,000 for idle time in 1938, the Texas unemployment compensation commission computed today.

Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-director of the commission, considered more important the placing of 341,000 unemployed in suitable jobs. That was the number of placements up to Nov. 30. December totals will be added when reports are in from all branches.

The average amount of benefit checks issued to workers during periods of unemployment was \$8.95.

Texas led all states in job placements for the year. It also was first among the 30 benefit-paying states in rapidity of handling claims.

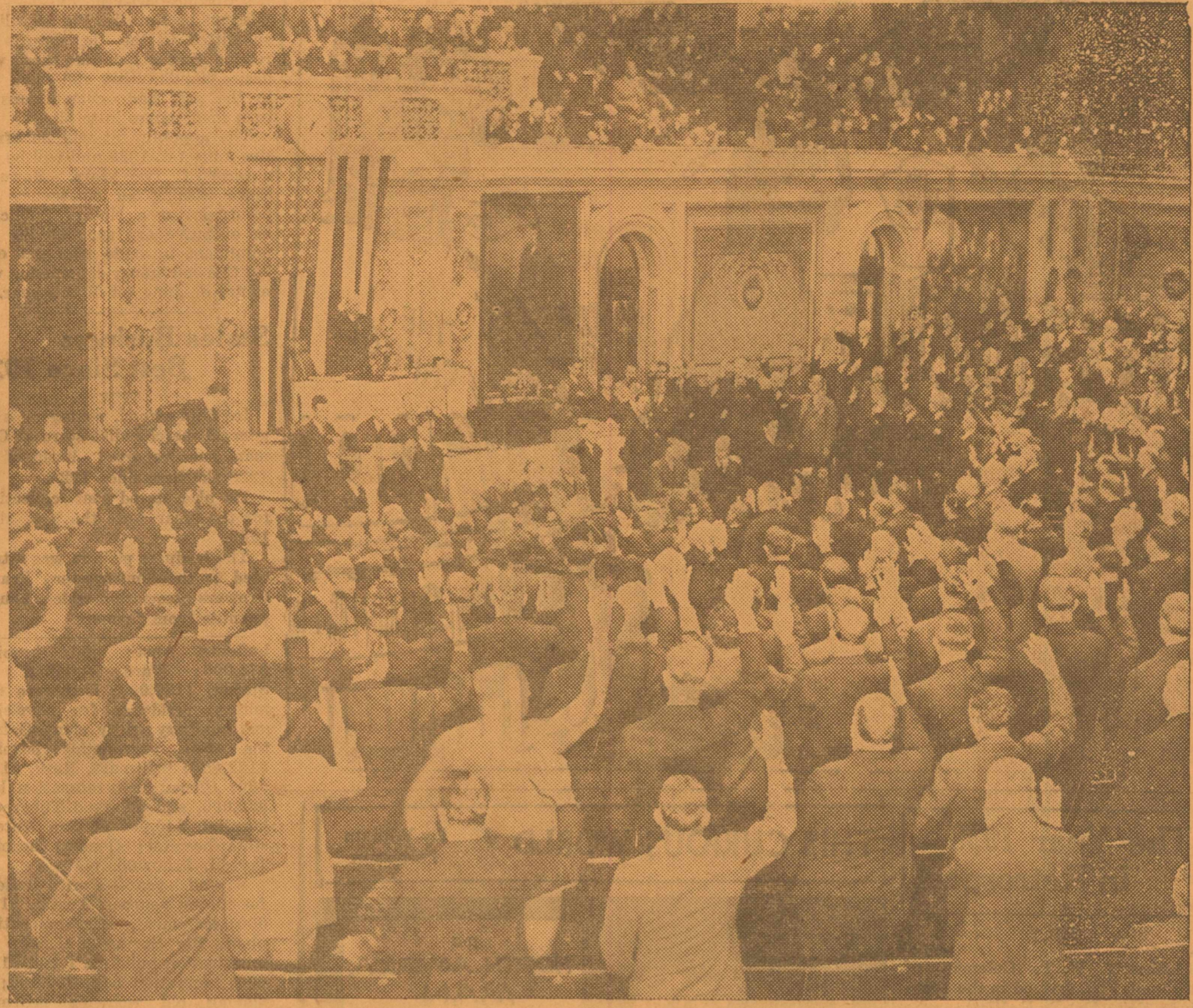
Statistics showed that 316,000 initial claims were filed and 1,700,000 continuing claims. Contributions to the unemployment fund were received from approximately 15,000 employers and totaled more than \$18,000,000. The jobs reserve fund totaled \$32,236,941 at the year's end. Administration cost 97 cents per employee covered and was 4.46 per cent of collections.

## PWA Workers Have Increased In Texas

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Jan. 7.—George M. Bull, regional director of the Public Works Administration reported tonight that the number of men employed in the construction of Texas PWA projects rose 49 per cent in the last quarter of 1938. Bull pointed out that in the last week of September, on which comparative figures are based, the new PWA program already was well underway in this state.

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy. Probably occasional rain east and north portion Sunday. Not much change in temperature.



Hands raised in collective oath to support the Constitution under which they have been elected to represent the people, the members of the incoming Congress re-enact for the 76th time in the country's history the drama of self-government. Speaker Bankhead, presiding over the House, may be seen on the rostrum.

## Al Capone Has Been Moved To Another Prison

By United Press

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—Warden James Johnston of Alcatraz penitentiary said today that Al Capone, the Chicago gang leader, during the prohibition era, has been transferred to the federal correctional prison at Terminal Island at San Pedro, Calif.

Johnston gave no reason for the transfer to Terminal Island but other federal officials recalled that the government regards Capone as a dangerous man at intermittent periods because of paresis. Capone still has a year to serve on a federal misdemeanor charge in connection with his conviction for income tax evasion.

## Father of Ranger Physicians Will Be Buried at Old Home

Funeral services for Minter Jackson, 76, who died in Ranger at 9:15 Saturday morning at the home of his son, Dr. C. L. Jackson, will be conducted from the Nacona Baptist church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, with burial in Nacona. The deceased had been ill for 18 months. The body was shipped to Nacona, Saturday afternoon. Before moving to Ranger a few months ago he resided in Nacona.

Survivors include his widow, eight sons, Dr. W. L. Jackson, and Dr. C. L. Jackson, Ranger; Frank and Luther Jackson, Nacona; H. A. Jackson, superintendent of schools, West; H. J. Jackson, superintendent of schools, Pasadena; M. M. Jackson, Levelland and J. M. Jackson, Thalia; three daughters, Mrs. John Duggan, Nacona; Mrs. Leeman Hunter, Waco and Miss Alma Jackson, Sao Paulo, Brazil, a missionary of the Southern Baptist convention board; and one brother, Andrew Jackson, Mangum, Oklahoma. A number of grand children also survive.

## New Directors at Eastland Named to Commerce Board

Announcement was made Saturday in Eastland that R. A. McDaniel and Dr. C. C. Cogburn have been elected members of the board of directors of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce.

The directors do not take the place of others on the board but are additions, explained H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce.

## Recommendation Is Made On Road Bonds

AUSTIN, Jan. 7.—A committee appointed by the Texas Senate to investigate county road bonds, recommended a plan today to retire such bonds in 25 years.

The plan calls for use of one cent of the four-cents-a-gallon state gasoline tax to pay two per cent interest on all bonds on or before the retirement date.

## Flatwood Group Decides On Plan For New Building

By United Press

Members of the Flatwood Community Agricultural Association decided at a meeting Friday night to take steps in the construction of a clubhouse for use in the community.

Under a plan explained by Jack Hale of Eastland, area NYA representative, who was at the meeting, the NYA will provide labor for the construction.

Another meeting has been called in the community for next Friday night, Jan. 13.

H. L. Henley, president of the association, presided. County Agent Elmo V. Cook and H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, were also among those of 40 present.

## Schedule Mapped For Signing Of Money Requests

C. W. Mainer, AAA administrative assistant, Saturday announced a schedule for signing of application for payment under the 1938 farm and range program.

Everyone that shared in the division of the crops on each farm, including the landlord, must sign applications for payment, explained Mainer.

The schedule: Ranger, Jan. 10, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., chamber of commerce.

Carbon, Wednesday, Jan. 11, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., Carbon Trading company.

Gorman, Thursday, Jan. 12, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., Higginbotham store.

Cisco, Friday, Jan. 13, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., Chamber of Commerce.

Rising Star, Saturday, Jan. 14, 8:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., Higginbotham store.

## O'Daniel Secretary Is Wylie's Brother

A. J. Wylie of San Angelo, who has been appointed secretary to Governor-Elect W. Lee O'Daniel, is a brother of T. C. Wylie of Gorman, who operates the Gorman Progress.

## Soil Conserving Special Week Is To Be Observed

By United Press

Elmo V. Cook, county agent, will speak on "Soil Conservation" at a meeting of the Rotary club in Eastland Monday at 12:15.

The speech is in connection with the Texas-wide observance of "Soil Conservation Week" from Jan. 8 through Jan. 15.

Since the first of the year Cook has terraced and contoured 205 acres of land on six farms. He has on hand requests for terracing work on 35 farms.

A terracing school is to be held in the county Jan. 18 but the place where it will be conducted has not been decided.

Tuesday the agent will do terracing work for J. M. Putnam of Cisco and R. L. Ricks of Rising Star.

## Pat O'Daniel Made Pres. of Company

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Jan. 7.—Pat O'Daniel, 19-year-old son of Gov.-Elect W. Lee O'Daniel, today was elected president of the W. Lee O'Daniel Flour company, to succeed his father.

A meeting of the directors and stockholders voted the office to young O'Daniel unanimously. He will continue his studies at the University of Texas.

## Cisco Man Named For Justice Post

County Commissioners Court has appointed J. R. Burnett, member of the Cisco city commission, as justice of the peace for the Cisco precinct to succeed the late Joe Wilson.

The new justice of peace has been a resident of Cisco for many years and has been on the city commission there for eight years. The date of the death of the late justice was Dec. 6.

## Roosevelt to Visit Dionne Quintuplets

By United Press

CALLANDER, Ont., Jan. 7.—President Roosevelt intends to visit the Dionne quintuplets here at the earliest moment his official duties will permit. Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, the babies' physician, said today. No date has been set for the president's trip. Dr. Dafoe said, but Mr. Roosevelt assured him recently that he seriously intends to make the trip from Washington.

## Oil Pipelines In Oklahoma Blown Up By Dynamite

By United Press

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 7.—The Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation reported today that two more crude oil pipelines supplying its West Texas refinery were dynamited.

Murray Barton, special investigator for Gov. E. W. Marland of Oklahoma, warned that "someone is heading for the penitentiary" as a result.

Barton said that a pipeline west of Sapulpa was broken by a dynamite blast, causing a loss of thousands of barrels of oil. Earlier, he said, an attempt had been made to destroy a 10-inch pipeline four miles east of Sapulpa, but apparently, he said, the charge was too light.

## Persons Named In 'True Bills' Listed by Woods

Sheriff Loss Woods reported Saturday that all except one person out of 15 named in indictments returned Thursday have been arrested.

The indictments were returned by a 91st district court grand jury.

Mrs. H. R. Short of Gorman, charged with illegal sale of whiskey, posted bond of \$1,000.

Aubrey Love of Alameda, charged with theft of turkeys, posted \$1,000 bond.

W. E. Walton of Alameda, charged with theft of turkeys, posted \$1,000 bond.

J. P. Milton of Alameda, also charged with theft of turkeys, posted bond in the same amount.

Likewise did Clinton Pilgrim of Alameda, charged with theft of turkeys, posted \$1,000 bond.

Paul White of Rising Star, who is charged in two counts with car theft, posted \$1,000 bond.

Randolph Woodruff of Rising Star, also charged in two counts of car theft, posted \$1,000 bond also.

Remainder of those named in the bills were in jail and had not made bond, said Tug Underwood, deputy sheriff.

## Formal Attire Taboo At The Inaugural

By United Press

FORT WORTH, Jan. 7.—Formal attire will be taboo when W. Lee O'Daniel takes the oath of office as Texas' next governor on Jan. 17, the one-time flour salesman said today.

O'Daniel will wear only a plain business suit and will be dressed just as informally at the reception that night.

## 46TH LEGISLATURE TO OPEN TUESDAY FOR A SESSION OF 120 DAYS

## NATIONALISTS TO PUSH BIG OFFENSE SOON

By United Press

HENDAYE, Spain, Jan. 7.—The Spanish Nationalists determined to push their big offensive to a decisive finish, penetrated the Sierra de la Llena range today, toward the heart of Catalonia and at the same time renewed their advance on the Ebro river sector, toward the Mediterranean.

While the nationalists drove ahead in the east and north the republicans were carrying on their offensive in the Estremadura region apparently with considerable success.

In the Sierra de la Llena the nationalists penetrated Catalonia by way of Solchagas, after the Navarre army corps and a mixed army of foreigners had broken the iron ring around Borjas Blancas.

## Mrs. V. V. Cooper to Be Buried Today in Ranger Cemetery

Funeral services for Mrs. V. V. Cooper, Sr., who died in Ranger Friday morning, will be conducted from the First Methodist church of Ranger this afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. H. O. Bennett, associate pastor of the First Methodist church; Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church and Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will be in charge of the services.

Interment will be in Old Ranger cemetery, with Killingsworth's in charge of burial arrangements.

The deceased was born in Grayson county, Texas, May 8, 1872 and had been a resident of Ranger since she was eight years old.

Survivors include her husband, V. V. Cooper, Sr., six children, seven grand children, one great-grand child, three sisters and two brothers. All but one of the brothers, who resides in Arizona, are expected for the services.

Active pallbearers will be F. P. Brasher, W. C. Bankston, S. M. Gamble, F. E. Langston, L. L. Bruce, E. P. Mills, all of Ranger; Ed S. Pritchard of Fort Worth, J. T. Poe of Carbon; Honorary pallbearers: The host of friends of the family.

## Czech Troops Are Reported Moving Along the Border

By United Press

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Jan. 7.—New Czech troop movements were reported to be visible today in the vicinity of the border city of Munkacs, where a grave clash occurred yesterday between Hungarians and Czechs.

Reports said that the Czechs had assembled wooden scaffolds, which apparently were meant for construction of a bridge across the River Laborcz.

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## Eastland Group at Brownwood Meeting

Assisting in the installation of officers and initiations Thursday evening in Brownwood were several from the Eastland Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters.

Miss Jeanette Hensley, the Grand Chief, assisted in the installation and initiation work with her mother, Mrs. Johnson, the installing officer. Those attending from Eastland were: Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dorsey, Mrs. Bee Lovelace, Miss Katrina Lovelace, Mrs. Bertha Ross, Mrs. Josephine Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Williamson, and Mrs. John Blackwell of Staff.

## Parents, Teachers To Meet Tuesday

The Morton Valley Parent-Teacher association, will meet Tuesday at 3:45 o'clock, it was announced Saturday.

Cotton prices would be further pushed down because the world supply is about 537,000 bales greater than that for last year, he believed.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 7.—The 46th Texas Legislature will open at noon Tuesday for a session of 120 days, ending May 9.

After formal organization Tuesday, committees will be named to arrange for canvassing the vote for governor and lieutenant governor, and to arrange for their inauguration on Jan. 17. The house and senate will hold a joint session Wednesday to hear Gov. James V. Allred's farewell message.

Excerpts from the message have been released by the governor from time to time, and he had planned to send the document to the house and senate for reading by the clerk and secretary. House members, however, have requested that he deliver the message in person and he has agreed to do so.

Both house and senate then will mark time on big issues until after the inauguration of Governor-Elect O'Daniel and Lieut. Gov. Coke Stevenson.

Sessions probably will be held daily but it is not expected any major business will get under way. Most of the time will be used in resolutions which have no legal effect. One being prepared by Rep. Trav Daniels of Hamlin seeks to urge the federal state department to demand payment for expropriated oil.

A budget for the state will be presented in connection with Gov. Allred's message to the legislature. A sub-committee of the senate finance committee headed by Sen. John Redditt of Lufkin met here today to complete a departmental appropriation bill that makes a \$6,000,000 reduction in the two-year operating expenses.

Sen. Willborne Collier of Eastland said the senate general investigating committee hopes to have ready for immediate submission its report on the July-August flood damage along the Colorado river and whether the dams of the lower Colorado river authority are properly designed and properly operated for flood protective purposes. It is expected the report will also go into the amount of public funds that are used in the authority's competition with Texas Power & Light company for power supplies in the state.

Negotiations for sale of the T. P. & L. company electrical properties to the LCRA now are pending. The private company has offered to sell its facilities in 16 counties for \$5,000,000.

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Manitowoc Does Something for the 'American Way'

Everybody has his two cents worth to offer about the way to combat foreign "isms" in America. Usually the two cents worth is laid on the counter and promptly forgotten.

Things are working out differently up in Manitowoc, Wis. There someone decided that the way to overcome un-American ideas is to promote American ideas.

It started simply enough. Dr. R. J. Colbert of the University of Wisconsin suggested to a local adult class in municipal administration that a Citizenship Day might well be held.

Under this plan, next May 21 will be celebrated in Manitowoc as Citizenship Day. On that day all of the young people who have just reached the age of 21—there are about 1200 of them—will be formally welcomed to their new status as full-fledged voting citizens.

But Citizenship Day will only be the climax of a continuing campaign. The young people of Manitowoc county who will have reached 21 by next May are being organized in each of the country's 38 voting precincts.

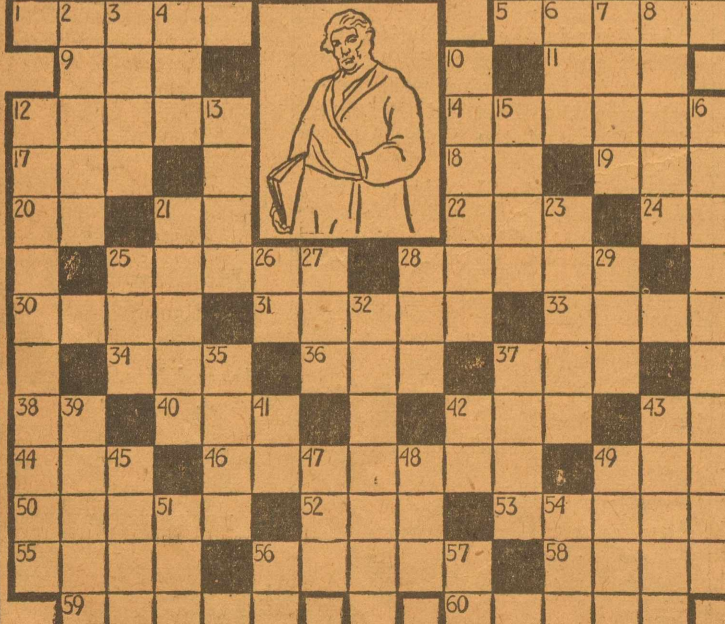
So by the time Citizenship Day rolls around, the 1200 youngsters will have a pretty thorough grounding in what the American form of government means, both in theory and in practice.

An intelligent and fully-informed electorate is our first line of defense in the fight to save the American way of life. It is more than that, in fact—it is just about the only defense we need.

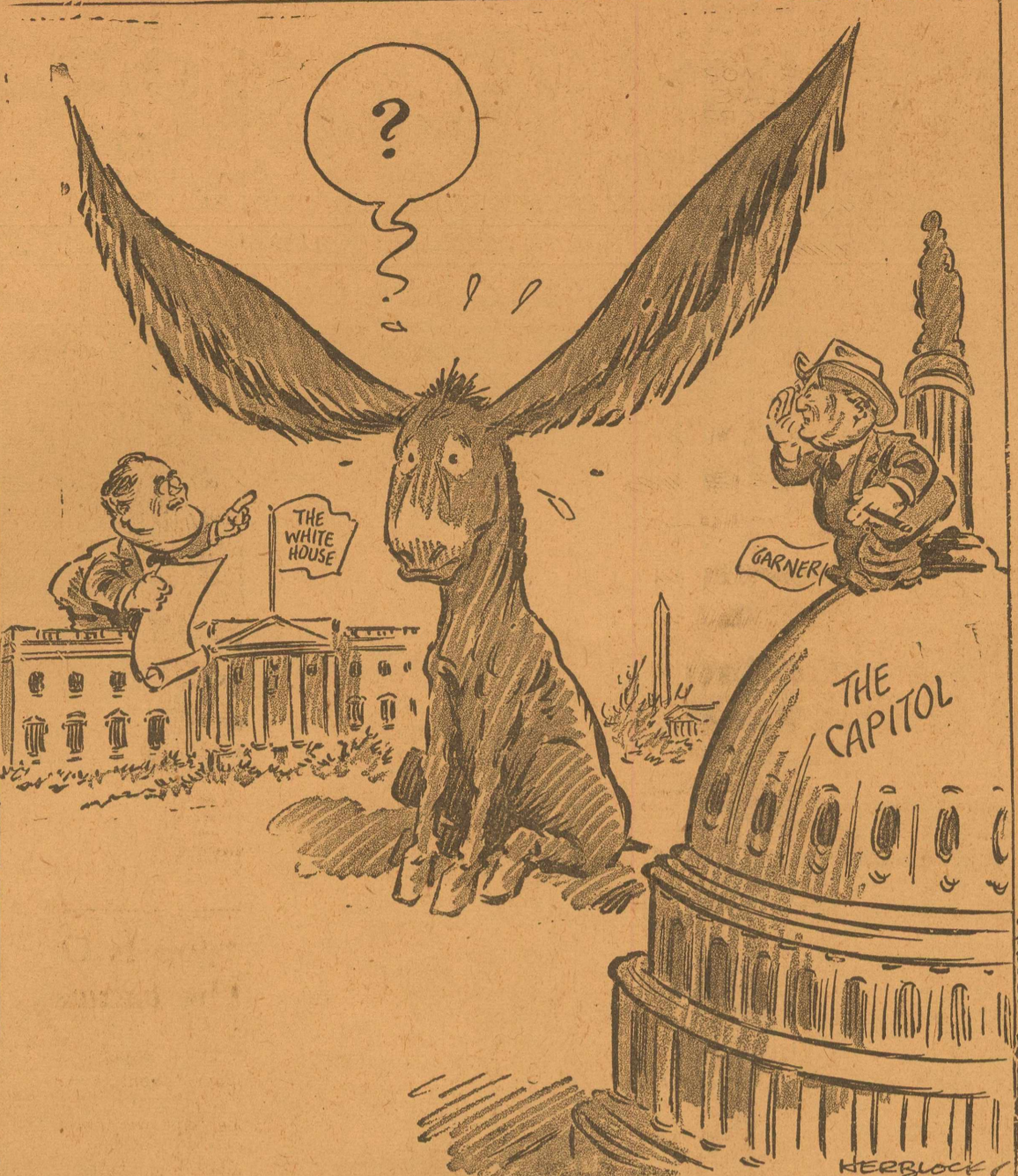
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56 Koran chapter.
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2 Occurrence.
3 Shoe bottom.
4 Night bird.
6 Small shield.
7 Region.
8 Ballads.
10 Concern.
12 Familiar quotation from one of his tales.
13 Part of leg.
15 Final.
16 Warm room for a bath.
21 Artery beat.
23 Danger.
25 Greek letter.
26 Substits.
27 Slash.
28 Lock opener.
29 The deep.
32 Official prof.
35 To eject.
37 Passport.
39 Mode.
41 Plural pronoun.
42 Transposed.
43 Rivulet.
45 Wheel pad.
47 English coin.
48 Blackbird.
49 Neap.
51 Crow's call.
54 Pattern block.
56 Railroad.
57 Giant king of Bashan.



Listening With Both Ears



Advice Is Given On Notaries Public

Residents of Eastland county who desire appointments as a Notary Public, have been requested by County Clerk R. V. Galloway to turn their names in to him in the near future in order that the appointment might be made during the coming session of the legislature.

States Business Best Since 1927

Ira Underwood, manager of a general merchandise store at Gorman, has reported business in 1938 the best since 1929.

building, Austin state hospital, \$75,000; Ward building, Big Spring, \$137,000; Employee dormitory, residence for physicians and auxiliary utility plant, Galveston state psychopathic hospital, \$122,000; Infirmary, Rusk, \$120,000; Chapel and recreation hall, \$80,000, and enlarged Tubercular hospital, \$40,000 at San Antonio state hospital; General hospital, Terrell, \$100,000.

Westerner May Get Court Post



Pressure for a western man on the U. S. Supreme Court may lead to appointment of Senator Louis Schwellenbach, above, Washington state New Dealer.

Extra Conservative Session is Seen as Legislature Opens

AMARILLO, Texas—Sen. Clint C. Small and Rep. Jack Little, Potter county's two representatives in the State Legislature, have predicted that body will be extra-conservative, despite the ambitious program indicated by Gov.-Elect W. Lee O'Daniel.

A rocky road was forecast by Small for O'Daniel's \$30-to-everybody-over-65 pension plan, which the Senator said would cost nearly three times as much as the present \$14,000,000-a-year program.

Stockholders Meeting

To All Stockholders of The First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger. Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger, will be held at the Paramount Hotel (in the form of a free breakfast), on the 12th day of January, 1939, at 7:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing Directors and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Injured Man Sees The Tide Engulf Him

LONDON—Unable to move due to a broken leg, James Noble, 60, lay on the beach at Ipswich for three hours watching an approaching tide. Rescue came just as the water was creeping around his neck. While throwing stones to his dog, Noble fell six feet from the dock onto the shingle when the tide was low. He had almost given up hope when his cries were heard by Frank Smith, proprietor of a riverside hotel.

The Year 1938 In Retrospect

- JULY
1. Sheriff W. T. Coleman of Bushnell, Fla., arrived in the county to claim Dr. R. E. Watts who was wanted on a charge of slaying J. W. Prine at Willwood, Fla., on May 28, 1925.
3. Hundreds were attending Eastland's second annual July 4 celebration.
5. Reports showed only eight died in July 4 Texas traffic deaths.
6. Services for C. C. High of Gordon, former Texas Ranger, who died at his home, were held at Eastland. Also services were held for William M. Wahl, well-known tooldresser.
7. J. J. Strickland, former secretary of state, died and funeral services were held at Palestine. He was a former resident of the county and a brother of Mrs. O. C. Funderburk, wife of the associate justice of the 11th court of civil appeals.
8. Dr. Walter C. Palmer, prominent Ranger physician, was dead.
10. Places in five contests were won by Eastland county 4-H teams at the annual state-wide short course at College Station.
11. Tom Lovelace had been elected new chancellor commander of the Knights of Pythias at Eastland. James V. Allred was named a federal judge by the president at Wichita Falls.
12. Candidates for county, precinct and representative offices spoke at Olden.
13. Officers were investigating two fires at Eastland, theorizing they were the work of a "fire-bug."
14. T. W. Harrison, formerly of Ranger, was dead at Eastland. He was a prominent Mason of the area. Howard Hughes and his crew landed at New York after a round-the-world flight.
15. Rising Star's first annual watermelon festival was held with hundreds of ice melons served 2,500 persons.
17. Absentee voting in the July 23 primary was at the 194 mark.
18. D. K. Scott, Cisco attorney and former county judge, was recovering from an illness of intestinal influenza.
19. Twenty girls from over Eastland county reported at opening of the NYA homemaking project in Ranger.
20. Eastland county's grasshopper infestation was reported to cover 60,000 acres of land.
21. Ed T. Cox, Sr., of Eastland was named to be general chairman for the 1938 Eastland County Fair.
22. Agreement had been reached by county candidates not to distribute cards or other literature on first primary election day, it was reminded.
24. Early Sunday morning returns showed O'Daniel leader by a big majority in the governor's race.
25. San Saba was center of a big flood.
26. County Agent Elmo V. Cook was named chairman of a committee to direct the county's participation in a soil and water utilization contest sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. H. L. Baskin, principal of Cooper school of Ranger, was elected dean of Ranger Junior

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson
IN NORTH AMERICA, MAN HAS BEEN THE CAUSE, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ALMOST WITHOUT EXCEPTION, WHENEVER A FORM OF WILDLIFE HAS BECOME EXTINCT.
METEORS FROM THE SKY ARE FOUND TO CONTAIN ONLY THOSE CHEMICAL ELEMENTS ALREADY KNOWN HERE ON EARTH.
DOES CANADA HAVE A FLAG OF ITS OWN?
ANSWER: No. The Union Jack is the flag of Canada, though it is usually flown with the tricolor where there are French-Canadians. The governor-general has a special flag of his own.

State Eleemosynary Institutions Seek a Much Larger Budget

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 7.—More than \$15,000,000 is asked for state eleemosynary institutions in the 1940-41 budget that the State Board of Control will submit to the legislature next week.

Wooden Leg Planned For Crippled Fawn

WOODSTOCK, Vt.—Tonto, a spotted fawn, is hopping about cheerfully on three legs—and soon may have a wooden leg, if his benefactor adheres to present plans.

BONFIRE "SHOOT" WORKER

SURINGFIELD, Mass.—Robert Bishop, 23, a WPA worker, was warming himself beside a bonfire after cleaning up debris on a project when he yelled in pain. He had been the shot in the right leg by a bullet swept into the debris pile. Several other bullets also exploded. How they got there was a mystery.

WHAT A BARGAIN! GOOD USED TIRES 50c UP! Bill's Used Tire and Tube Exchange Bill Walker, Mgr. - 107 N. Austin St., - Ranger

How About a ROAST for Dinner? A. H. POWELL GROC. & MKT. PHONE 103—WE BUY CATTLE and HOGS

Maybe We're A Bit Prejudiced, But... Honestly—you'll love 'em! SCHOOLEY'S BAKERY PHONE 7 RANGER

Save Money—Time—Regret! CALL IN FRIGIDAIRE! OIL CITY PHARMACY SEE BROWN'S Transfer and Storage FOR MOVING & STORAGE Agents for T. & P. TRANSPORT



SERIAL STORY

SKI'S THE LIMIT

BY ADELAIDE HUMPHRIES

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COST OF CHARACTERS
SALLY BLAIR—heroine. She could win her, except...

CHAPTER XXV

AFTER Dan had found Sally and Corey, the rest of the trail down had been easy to make...

They did not say much until afterwards. There was no need for words. Afterwards there would be plenty of time to say all that must be explained and understood between them.

Corey knew, too well, that there was no need for him to say anything. When they finally had reached the lodge and warmth and security, he stopped and thrust out a hand toward Dan.

"That's all right," Dan said briefly. He accepted Corey's hand. "Forget it. You'd have done the same."

"Well, so long," Corey dropped Dan's hand. "I want to get thawed out. You two probably have forgot you're nearly frozen."

"Sally, my sweet," he looked at her a brief moment, she was sweet, she was too good for him, he thought that now; but he could make her one last gift, leave her with one kind thought for him...

outsmart him. But it didn't work. Don't blame Dan for anything. So long, and good luck, to you both.

SALLY only looked after the tall blond figure, somehow gallant in this moment of defeat, a second. She turned to Dan, her dark eyes softly shining.

"I don't know how to thank you," she said. "To think you would risk your own life, Dan, to come after us. To think I ever stopped believing in you, even for a little while!"

"I don't blame you for that," Dan said. "I ran away. But I had my reasons. I meant to come back some day, when I could pay back all that I owed to you and your father, Sally."

Then he knew about that! Someone else had told him. Sally began to understand a little.

"Corey told you—that last night, before you went away!" she said. That was what Corey had meant when he said he had tried to outsmart Dan.

IN half an hour to the minute, refreshed and rested, Sally met Dan. He had found a nook in the big living room of the lodge that was deserted.

"There's no match to say," Sally said, with a sigh, as Dan took her hands and drew her down beside him. "Where shall we begin, Dan?"

"At the end," he answered, smilingly. "Nothing else matters, does it, except that we have found each other again?"

"I've found myself," Sally returned; her dark eyes shining. "I thought I had changed before; I tried to change, for you, Dan. But

I hadn't tried hard enough. I didn't kill the old Sally altogether. I should have told you the whole truth. But I was a coward."

"Don't say that!" He put a finger against her lips. "Yes, I was," she insisted. Sally who put bravery of heart above everything else.

"I was afraid to believe in you then," Dan admitted. "So I was as much at fault as you were."

"I SHOULD have told you, later," Sally continued, for she must make him believe in her now, "but I still was afraid. I still wasn't the Sally I was trying to be."

"I thought you were laughing at me, I thought you meant to deceive me," Dan explained; "to carry through that first dare. That was what Corey told me that night. And that you were engaged to him."

"Poor Corey," Sally said. "It was easy to forgive him now, to understand. Though he had broken his word to her, nearly ruined all their lives."

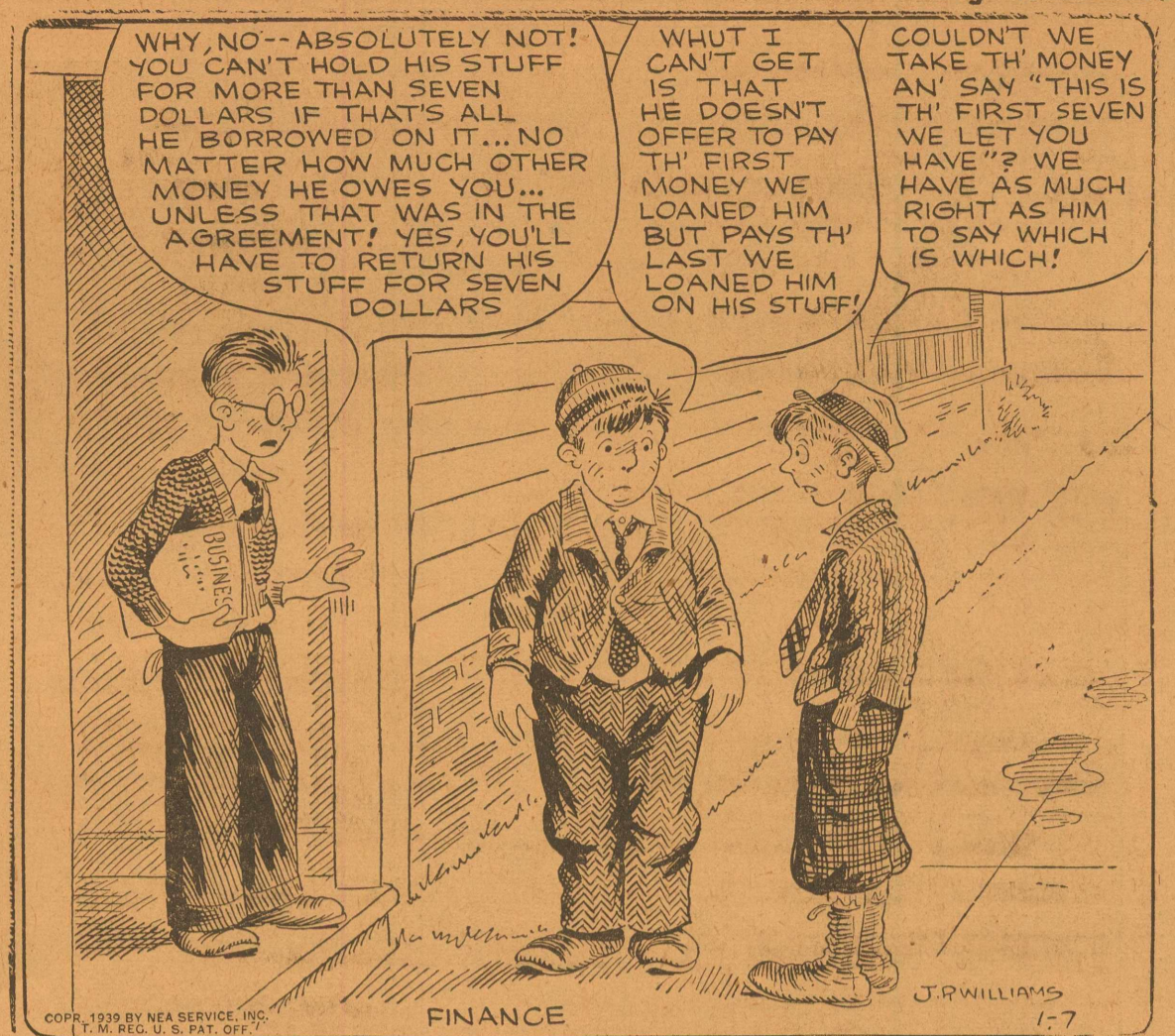
"I told you that the past is gone," Dan said. "The future is all that matters. I had an offer today, Sally. Beside the Olympics. That's not what I want, after all. I'm going to stay here, at a good salary, instructing, putting on exhibitions. I can begin to repay your father part what I owe him. I can take care of you, Sally. If you'll leave your world, and stay in mine."

He did not wait for her answer. He drew her to him, gently, yet forcefully. He found her lips. That first sweet kiss pledged their faith in one another more binding, more truly than any words.

"There's only one thing, Dan," Sally's dark eyes looked up into his, the soft color flooding her lovely face, "are you sure that you believe in me now, that I'm the kind of girl you want?"

"And you're the king," Sally said. "King of skis. For—ski's the limit, darling!"

"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



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By Mrs. L. R. Higginbotham, Their all-expense trips and their sponsor went to the A. & M. short course. Every winner feels that the trips were worth their efforts to win, and they feel grateful to those who helped with their expenses.

Ranger Junior College News

College President Attends Educational Meeting at Austin
W. T. Walton, president of the Ranger Junior College, has gone to Austin to attend an educational meeting in Austin, President Walton left Thursday, Jan. 5, to return at the end of the week.

Junior College Basketball Team Defeated Olden Team in Practice Game

The junior college basketball team defeated the Olden team in a practice game Wednesday night. The score was 8 to 4 in favor of the college team at the half; the final score was 16 to 10 in favor of Ranger.

Tree's Heart Misplaced

KINGSVILLE, O.—Experienced tree pruner and cutter, C. S. Whelpley, has discovered a cottonwood tree with a "misplaced heart." The tree's heart is less than two and one-half inches from one side of the other circumference—the farthest out of place of any tree heart Whelpley ever has seen.

ALLEY OOP - - - - - By Hamlin



MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse - - - - - By Thompson and Coll



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - - - - - By Blosser



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The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Jan. 15

Peter Sees Christ's Glory

Text: Matthew 17:1-9, 14-18

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of Advance

THE story of the transfiguration lifts us somewhat out of and above the normal experiences of life and the daily relationship of Jesus with His disciples.

That such an incident should have taken place is in itself very significant, and it seems to suggest that something more is necessary in religious faith and experience than just the normal and usual day-by-day devotion in spirit and to one's tasks.

I suppose it is because if there were no such experiences one would tend to become discouraged through not seeing things in their right perspective, and getting the sort of vision that is only possible where one ascends to a higher level.

In our physical life we realize quite clearly the meaning of ascent into a high hill or a mountain top. That man is dull indeed whose mind and soul do not thrill to the vision from a mountain top.

Why did Jesus take with Him only James, Peter and John? Why did He not take with Him all the disciples? The answer is that if He had taken them all, it would have lacked the quality of unusual experience.

He took these three because they were the three who either most needed this vision from the heights and from the heights of experience, or because they were the three most forceful disciples.

It was no wonder that they fell on their faces, and that fear came upon them. Perhaps it was awe rather than fear. At any rate, they were restored to the human touch as Jesus came and touched them and bade them arise and be not afraid.

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TRY Our Want-Ads!



# Society

The Times wants to be told about your visits and visitors. Personal items are always appreciated. Telephone 224, or mail or bring to—

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Ranger, Texas

### Mrs. C. D. Woods Leads 1920 Club Program Thursday Afternoon

The 1920 Club met in regular session Thursday afternoon at the Gholson hotel. After a short business session the meeting was lead by Mrs. C. D. Woods. Grouped around an informal tea table were other members on the program who conducted, in symposium fashion, an introspective study of 1938. Interesting discussions were given by Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Saule Perlstein, Mrs. B. A. Tunnel and Mrs. Carl Hill. Mrs. Perlstein, a native of Germany, gave her personal slant on the German situation and this was particularly informative.

At the close of the program Mrs. Carl Hill, disguised as a persistent saleswoman, presented a clever skit in which she prescribed a remedy for all the ills of the club. Members of the program then served tea to the club after which a short meeting of the executive committee was held.

Miss Gwendolyn Tunnel entertained with piano selections during the tea hour.

### Couple To Be Honored

Mrs. Clyde Bond, Route 2, Ranger, will hold open house from 3 o'clock to 5 Wednesday of this week to compliment Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Shields, who were married here December 21.

All friends of this young couple are invited to call.

Mrs. O'Shields is the former Miss Ruth Fairless, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Funk, of Breckenridge and attended Breckenridge high school.

Mr. O'Shields is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. O'Shields, Route 2, Ranger, and is a graduate of Colony high school.

The young couple will make their home at Comanche, Texas, where Mr. O'Shields is associated with the O. K. Rubber welding tire shop and service station.

Miss Hinman and Mr. Wood Wed  
Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hinman of South Blundell street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ada Mae Hinman to Mr. J. C. Wood, of Roswell, New Mexico.

The wedding took place in Midland, Texas, January 2, 1939.

Miss Hinman is a graduate of Ranger high school and Mary Harding-Baylor of Belton, Texas. She taught in the Barry, Texas school one and a half years, the past year she was assistant home demonstration agent of Milam county. Mr. Wood is employed by the State of New Mexico soil conservation set-up, with headquarters in Roswell, where they are at home, 204 South Penn Ave.

### New Era Club To Meet Wednesday Afternoon With Mrs. Deffebach

The New Era club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vernon Deffebach, 316 South Hodges, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

### Guild to Meet Monday Afternoon With Mrs. H. B. Phillips

The Woman's Guild of the Eastland county episcopal mission, will meet at 2 o'clock with Mrs. H. B. Phillips, apartment 203, Gholson hotel.

### Appointments Made

An announcement of appointments by club leaders for 1939-1940 term was made Wednesday at the club institute held in Austin.

Mrs. Jos. M. Perkins, state president, and Mrs. J. T. Vance of Refugio, president of fifth district of which Austin is a part, announce the names of Federated women they were going to appoint to their respective boards.

In the state organization, Mrs. Perkins stated that Mrs. Sam J. Smith of Austin would be re-named to the board of trustees for Federation headquarters. Mrs. Q. C. Taylor of Austin was named as the Federation headquarters library chairman. The post of state chairman of art exhibits will go to Mrs. C. T. Gray of Austin. Mrs. H. Willis Sauer of Austin will serve as vice chairman of the department of junior club women. Mrs. Bob Barker of Fort Worth will be re-named as legislative chairman.

The institute was held in the federation headquarters with Mrs. Vance presiding and had Mrs. Perkins as principal speaker. Representatives from 15 central Texas counties attended. The city Federation served as official host. In her talk of the afternoon, Mrs. Perkins stressed the cultural activities at federation headquarters and reported that a number of valuable books had already been received by the headquarters Texas library.

When Mrs. Perkins began her duties as State President, she stated that Austin was to be the federation headquarters. She has spent much of her time since in Austin.

Mrs. Perkins will go to Fort Worth Tuesday for the January meeting of the state board, after which she will leave with the Texas delegation for Washington, D. C., to attend the session of the general federation board.

Mrs. Art Johnson accompanied Mrs. Perkins on her trip to Austin.

## Jitterbugs Help Judge Deal Justice



Judge Joseph Cordes, right, looks on in a Milwaukee courtroom as jitterbugs Kay Darling and Joy Hamilton demonstrate how physically fit one must be to perform gyrations of the Big Apple. Reason for all this was that a man who claimed injuries in an auto accident won a \$5 Big Apppling prize a week later. Defendant claimed he couldn't have been hurt much. The judge took matter under advisement.

### O. E. S. Members To Meet Sunday Afternoon

The members of the Order of the Eastern Star are asked to meet at the Masonic hall, at 1:15 Sunday afternoon.

### W. T. Walton Will Speak Thursday Afternoon on Child Study Club No. 2 Program

The Child Study Club No. 2 will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. T. Schooley, 423 Elm street, at 2:30. Mrs. Max Ohr will be co-hostess.

Leader for the program will be Mrs. J. E. Ogg. W. T. Walton will speak on "Preparing for School."

### Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin To Give Book Review Thursday, January 12

"Our Town," by Thornton Wilder, will be reviewed in the basement of the Methodist church, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 12, by Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin.

There will be an admission charge of 25c. Everyone is invited to hear the review of this book, which was the Pulitzer prize play of 1938.

### Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Entertain Friends Friday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Larson were guests, Friday evening of Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Ambrose.

After a lovely buffet supper, bridge was enjoyed by the four couples.

### Just a Bit Personal . . .

Rev. and Mrs. Wilson Akins of Caddo visited in Ranger Saturday.

Dr. C. L. Jackson and family left Saturday for Nocona, Texas, where the funeral of his father, Mr. M. Jackson, is to be held. Dr. Walter Jackson and family left early this morning and will return to Ranger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McHenry and children attended the funeral of Mrs. C. L. Webb in De Leon, Texas, Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Webb formerly lived in Ranger, where he was associated with the Prairie Oil and Gas Company.

Mrs. A. P. Wilbar and daughter, Hazel, and Mrs. H. P. Henegar of Gordon, Texas, who are regular patrons of Mrs. McHenry's Beauty Shop, were in Ranger Saturday.

E. V. Ingram went to Fort Worth Saturday on business and was accompanied by Mrs. Ingram and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Angus.

L. E. Gray will go to Austin this afternoon and will hold barber examinations there this week.

Judge J. A. Powers of Fort Worth joined his wife at the V. V. Cooper home Friday afternoon and will attend the funeral services of Mrs. Cooper, his sister-in-law, this afternoon.

Bob Watson of Brownwood has returned home after visiting with his cousins, Mrs. F. E. Langston and Mrs. G. W. Bobo, and families two days.

Mrs. H. H. Vaughn returned from Fort Worth Friday evening and reported Mr. Vaughn was improving and could probably return home next Saturday. She and Mrs. Jimmy Jones returned to Fort Worth Saturday and will return to Ranger today.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and son, Bryan, of San Angelo, nephew of Mrs. F. E. Langston and Mrs. S. W. Bobo, visited in their homes the past week.

## CHURCHES

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

L. B. Gray, Pastor  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Max Ohr, superintendent.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "The Attitude of Conquest."  
Evening Worship, 7 p. m. Brief talk on Peter's life by the pastor.  
Other notices at the morning service.

This church extends to everyone a cordial invitation and welcome to all its services. It is in the community to serve, and to try to bring the Kingdom of God into the hearts of men. "Come thou with us and we will do this good."

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Corner Oak and East Main Sts.  
Rev. A. G. Pool, pastor.  
Sunday Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Ira Utz, Supt.  
Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Singing school every Tuesday night, 7:15.  
Mid-week prayer meeting, Wednesday night, 7:15 p. m.  
Special Bible reading. Bring your Bibles Friday night, 7:00 p. m.  
Special songs.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

H. O. Bennett, Associate Pastor  
Church School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m. Sermon, "Lowland Religion"—11:20 a. m.  
Communion—11:35 a. m.  
Senior Epworth League—6:45 p. m.  
Intermediate Epworth League—6:45 p. m.  
Junior Epworth League—6:45 p. m.  
Evening Service—7:30 p. m. Sermon: "Vital Christianity."  
Mid-week Service, Wednesday—7:30 p. m.  
Choir Practice, Thursday—7:30 p. m.

There is a very helpful course being offered in a study of "The Gospel According to St. John each Wednesday evening and we encourage every member to attend this service.

We would like to call attention that our young people have won the District Banner for the most perfect League five times out of six tries. The Young People of the Methodist church are accomplishing much for the Kingdom.

The Woman's Missionary society will meet at the church with a

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mooney accompanied their daughter, Rita, to Fort Worth, Saturday, from where she will go by train to Erie, Pennsylvania, where she attends Mercyhurst College.

Tom Bryant, Jr., returned to Cross Plains Saturday after visiting in the home of his aunt, Mrs. P. M. Kykendall two days. He will return to San Diego, California, soon.

L. H. Flewelen made a business trip to Dallas, Friday.

Charles A. Campbell, who is associated with Leveille Motor Company, was a business visitor in Dallas, Friday.

Mrs. O. L. Phillips and mother, Mrs. A. C. Skillern, are recovering from bruises received in a car accident at the intersection of the old and new Strawn highways about ten days ago.

Mrs. W. E. Clearman and son, H. L. Clearman, of Lamesa, will return home today after a visit of several days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Creager, 425 Elm Street.

## Dr. M. E. Davis Will Preach Here Today

Dr. M. E. Davis, head of the Bible department of Howard Payne College, Brownwood, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist Church at both morning and evening services. The pastor, Rev. Chas. T. Tally, Jr., has been called to Nocona for the funeral of Mr. Minter Jackson, father of two Ranger physicians.

Dr. Davis needs no introduction to this city, having conducted a revival at the Central Baptist Church. His many friends welcome him to the city, and invite all to come out to the First Baptist Church and hear him. He is one of the most scholarly men ever to be in Ranger and is known for his pulpit ability.

## Wyoming Finds Its Shooting Art Is Not On the Downgrade

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—The artillery of high-powered rifles that Wyoming hunters took into the state's national forests during the big game season not only were accurate but highly profitable to their owners, a survey revealed here.

Nimrods killed 3,959 elk and 1,687 deer during the season, according to the official count from the 21 checking stations established over the state by the game and fish commission.

Moose and bear were luckier, since the officials reported a total of only 29 of the moose and 29 bears fell before hunters' guns. Mountain sheep evidently kept themselves on the peaks while the hunters sought for them in the valleys, as only five were shown to be bagged this year.

The biggest elk kill was in the Hoback area of the Teton and Wyoming forests, where 1,073 animals were taken. The Big Horn forest in northern Wyoming proved the best deer hunting country last season, with a total of 1,179 deer killed in this area.

splendid program Monday afternoon at 8 p. m. and all the ladies of the church are invited to attend.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
H. B. Johnson, Pastor  
Sunday school, 10 a. m. with Lawrence Bryan, superintendent.  
Golden Rule Bible class, taught by the pastor.  
Preaching, by the pastor, 11 a. m. Subject, "Upon this Rock I Will Build My Church."  
Communion 11:45 a. m. Every member of the church should have part in this part of the worship.  
Preaching by the pastor, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "Let him that is without sin cast the first stone."  
Announcements will be made this morning regarding the Christian Endeavor.

The Study club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. Fondrin. You might have a better preacher if you would come to church more often. Try it and see. Come today!

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m. Sermon by Dr. M. E. Davis.  
B. T. U.—6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m. Sermon by Dr. M. E. Davis.  
Everyone cordially invited to worship with us in each and every one of our services. Visitors to our city will find a most gracious welcome. If you do not have a church home in Ranger we invite you to make "Our Church—Your Church."  
Chas. T. Tally, Jr.  
Pastor.

## Letter Tells Mayor Of Good Treatment from Police Officers

Praise for the courteous manner in which he was treated when told by Eastland officers not to exceed the speed limit of 20 miles an hour in the city was expressed in a letter from a Fort Worth resident by Mayor C. W. Hoffman.

The letter was from W. R. Boyd, III, manager of the real estate department in the southwestern district of the Sinclair Refining company.

The letter read as follows: "The Honorable Mayor The City Hall, Eastland, Texas "Dear Honorable Sir:

"Tuesday evening, January 2, 1939, shortly after nightfall, I had the occasion to be driving through your city with a business associate. We had passed through the business section of Eastland and were nearing the western extremes of the city limit on U. S. Highway No. 80. I was deeply engrossed in conversation with my associate on a business problem when we were interrupted by the shrilling of a police whistle. Without hesitation I stopped at the curb, and proceeded to back up the few feet necessary to meet an advancing uniformed policeman. I stepped from the car completely at a loss to know what the trouble might be. I have driven far and wide through these United States of ours and have seen police officers in conversation with a business associate. I have never in all my experience witnessed such a courteous, friendly and pleasant approach in any police officer.

"It seems that I was apparently exceeding your city ordinance of 20 miles per hour, which was called to my attention, and I was presented with a yellow "Welcome Visitor" Police department card with this violation checked. The hazards caused by me were diplomatically pointed out and with a request to be more careful, I was politely allowed to continue on my way.

"The point in this letter to you is to just let you know how much a tourist appreciates such handling in strange towns—it left a distinctly satisfactory taste in my mouth for the City of Eastland. Should the occasion ever arise where business or a good word can be headed toward Eastland, you may rest assured it will be so done."

**SIGNALS MIXED; INJURED MANCHESTER, N. H.—** Confusion over signals resulted in a broken leg for Traffic Officer Charles W. Cummings, run down by an automobile operated by Mrs. Neva G. Adonis of Nashua. Mrs. Adonis said she thought Cummings signaled her to "come ahead."

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**3—HELP WANTED, FEMALE**  
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MAN OR WOMAN with some knowledge of ladies' ready-to-wear, act as sales representative for New York manufacturer. Must have contact or acquaintance with local merchants. Attractive proposition. Commission and bonus to right party. Reference, write fully. Box 350, Maley, Times Building, New York City.

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**11—APARTMENTS FOR RENT**  
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**12—WANTED TO BUY**  
WANTED—Will buy a sheet iron building, most any size if price is right. Must be a bargain. F. L. Wolfe, Stephenville, Texas.

**15—HOMES FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE—S. L. Golden home, 720 Young street, cheap. W. F. Greager.

FOR SALE: My 5-room modern home at 321 Strawn road; look it over at \$400 cash or terms; drop me a line. Box 1683, Midland, Texas, John D. Hamilton.

**13—FOR SALE, Miscellaneous.**  
FOR SALE—Malf-beds, three-quarter beds, dressers, etc. See Mrs. L. E. Gray.

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## Eastland Legion Clubhouse Plans In Hands of WPA

Henry Pullman, commander of the Eastland American Legion post, reported Friday night at a meeting in the Knights of Pythias hall that a project for construction of a legion clubhouse is being studied by WPA officials and approval is expected.

A total of 48 persons attended the meeting with Eastland, Cisco, Ranger, Gorman, Carbon and Olden being towns represented.

The group also voted to organize a firing squad with each member to have a uniform. The squad will be for use at funeral services and other occasions.

At the conclusion of the business discussions a wiener supper was served.

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## Assistant Secretary Named By O'Daniel

FORT WORTH, Jan. 7.—Gov. Elect W. Lee O'Daniel announced today the appointment of Reuben Williams, 30-year-old Fort Worth attorney, as his assistant secretary. Williams, a graduate of the University of Missouri School of Law, came here three years ago from Big Spring.

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