

There ain't no justice, mean
Florida and California. With not
a single boom, Ethiopia has to
fight off thousands of prospective
settlers.

Threat on Life of President Is Admitted by Wealthy New York Sportsman Saturday

Letters Traced to Author By Defects In Typewriter Key

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—A defective typewriter key and perseverance of secret service agents led to the arrest of Austin, Palmer, wealthy retired engineer and ardent Republican on charges of writing letters threatening President Roosevelt with "bodily harm."

The tall, thin-lipped clubman and sportsman, surprised by agents in his Park Avenue apartment, was taken to the customs house where he admitted authorship of the notes. According to investigators he accused the president of responsibility of personal losses totaling \$1,000,000.

At first calm, Palmer became nervous on his arraignment before Commissioner Garrett Carter. He was held in \$2,000 bail, complaining bitterly he had not been permitted to contact his attorneys for hours. He was further upset when his personal check for bail was refused, although he is believed to possess a fortune.

The letters which concerned secret service agents by their tone, boasted that the writer was a good shot. Several shotguns were found in Palmer's apartment but investigators said they were explained by his interest in trap shooting.

It was noted in the letters received in Washington and Warm Springs that one key of the typewriter was out of line. The stationery of one letter was then traced to the Park Avenue address, but the huge building contains 50 tenants. For weeks agents haunted the lobby.

County Singers Meeting In Ranger

The Eastland County Singing Association met last night at Central Baptist Church, Ranger, with Judge Rust, county president of the association, presiding. There was a host of singers present and a large crowd which came from all over the association to hear and take part in the musical program.

This afternoon at 2:30 at the New Recreation Building in Ranger another songfest will be sponsored and the public is invited to attend.

Roy Moore, Ranger, is head of the Ranger organization and everything has been prepared to entertain the singers as well as those who enjoy music.

Survey of Possible Dam Is Completed

Completion of a survey of the proposed Mungum dam lake for which civic officials of Eastland and directors of the Leon food control district plan to submit a project to works progress administration officials was announced Saturday.

Figures revealed by the survey showed, it was reported, the lake created by the proposed dam would hold 2,700 acre-feet of water. At spillway height the dam would impound water covering 1,800 acres and the shore line would be 22 miles in length.

Ranger Times

Guest Tickets
Monday for
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hodges

to see
DICK POWELL
in
"THANKS A MILLION"
At the ARCADIA
Call at Times Office



POLICE AND HIGHWAY PATROL OPEN DRIVE ON FAULTY LIGHTS

Important Meeting Of Directors Of C. of C. Is Planned

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the directors of the chamber of commerce is to be held at the office of the secretary Monday night at 7:30, it was announced Saturday, and all members of the board have been urged to be present.

At the meeting Monday night a nominating committee to submit names from which three are to be submitted to the city commission is to be named. The nominating committee will submit a list of available new members of the board, and from this list three names for each position will be submitted to the commission and the commission will name one man for each vacancy.

The nominations should be made by the meeting of Feb. 20, it has been pointed out and the new officers elected the first meeting in February.

All directors have been urged to be present at the meeting Monday night in order that suggestions on the board.

Holland to Speak At Joint Meeting Of Two Clubs Here

N. S. Holland, superintendent of the Breckenridge public schools will be the principal speaker at a joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions clubs, to be held Wednesday at noon at the Ghelson hotel.

The two clubs voted to meet in joint session to hear this outstanding program, which has been arranged by W. T. Walton, superintendent of Ranger schools.

Holland spent all last year in New York, where he made a special study of taxes at Columbia University, and is well versed on the subject. His talk is expected to be both interesting and educational.

Prisoners Tell of Many Italians Killed In Battle

DESSIE, Ethiopia, Jan. 11.—Four Italian prisoners captured in the battle of Endoshek on Dec. 14, today declared that Italian losses in the fight had approximated 800 men.

The prisoners said an Italian column of 1,600 men had been ambushed and "apparently half of them fell."

They also reported 10 tanks had been captured from the Italians.

The prisoners were two engineers and two tank men. They were weary of the war and dressed in shabby uniforms with holes in their shoes when interviewed.

Ranger Wins Over Rising Star Five

Ranger High school maintained its record of no defeats Friday night by downing the Rising Star basketball team by a score of 38 to 8 in a fast game. The win by Ranger leaves Carbon and Ranger the only two undefeated teams in the county Class A conference.

Carbon and Ranger meet next Tuesday night in the crucial game of the first half of the schedule as both teams will be striving to maintain their position at the top of the standing column.

W. D. CONWAY ILL.
W. D. Conway, who is ill in a Dallas hospital, was reported Saturday to be very ill. Mrs. Conway is at his bedside. Mrs. O'Neal, who came from Dallas Saturday morning reported that he was reported to be very ill when she left Dallas.

Bore 18 Miles; Meet Within Inches



Two hard rock crews, boring for three years through 18 miles of the Little San Bernardino mountains, met within inches to provide this scene, climax of a mighty engineering feat. Shift Bosses N. O. O'Donnell, left, and Fred Jacobs clasped hands after a 400-pound dynamite charge had holed through the East Cosheella bore of the aqueduct that will carry water from the Colorado river to the Los Angeles district. The entire project, building to serve 6,000,000 people, will cost \$220,000,000.

DISTRICT RELIEF OFFICE AT EASTLAND TRANSFERRED TO ABILENE UNDER TRC ORDER

Relocation of relief districts of the Texas Relief Commission to correspond with Works Progress Administration division Saturday resulted in removal of the district office headed by F. A. Wells at Eastland to Abilene.

Wells, administrator of the newly formed district 13, announced from Abilene that Eastland county will among Stephens, Calahan, Shackelford, Jones, Taylor, Coke, Fisher, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan and Scurry counties in his division.

Previous to the change Eastland was headquarters for District No. 14 which was composed of Eastland, Shackelford, Stephens, Calahan, Kruth, Coleman, Brown and Comanche counties. The office was established at Eastland and Jan. 1, "This is a more satisfactory arrangement in that all the various activities of the governmental relief agencies can be more closely co-ordinated and effectively supervised and will result in a more satisfactory treatment of the needs of our clients," Wells stated.

"I wish to take this opportunity to thank all the good citizens of Eastland and Eastland county who cooperated so beautifully to make by short stay in Eastland a very pleasant and happy time."

Carbon Cagemen Win Third Game of Year By Maverick Defeat

Carbon engers made it their third straight victory in the county tournament when Eastland Mavericks were defeated 21 to 8 at Carbon Friday night.

Cisco lost to Carbon Tuesday by the score of 25 to 11.

In a previous encounter with Eastland, Carbon basketballers won, 20-15.

Eastland County Gets NY A Park Work at Ranger

Eastland county received one project totaling \$1,545 to employ 41 workers in the allocation of \$98,732 of federal funds for employment of 3,943 youths on park projects along highway, according to announcement of the National Youth Administration in Austin Friday.

The Eastland county project is located on highway 1, seven miles east of Ranger; federal funds, \$925; sponsor's pledge, \$620; workers, 41.

Committee Draws Up New AAA Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The administration plan to replace AAA involving soil conservation and domestic allotment programs, today was embodied in the resolution drawn up by a special committee of 13 farm leaders.

The resolution to be presented to a special conference of 100 farm representatives, gives approval of dirt farmers to the crop production control program discussed by Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace and President Roosevelt.

Board of Pardon Denies Bruno Hauptmann's Appeal To Save Him from the Chair

GROCERY PRICE LIST SHOWS A SLIGHT DROP

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—Moderate price reductions on several staple commodities was the grocer's answer tonight to the challenge of the American housewife who has been asking: "You said processing taxes made prices higher. Now prove it."

A United Press survey of food prices that greeted the Saturday shopper compared with those Monday when the AAA was scrapped by the supreme court revealed the retailer was passing the savings on to the consumer.

As the week closed bread prices dropped and grocers indicated a general bread price reduction might come next week. In about half the 17 cities covered by the survey, price reductions on at least two commodities had been made. If the housewife purchased a pound of lard, pork chops, bread, sugar, or steak last Monday she would have paid considerably more than today. Her bill would have been about 7 per cent lower today.

'35 Licenses To Marry 64 Shy In Contrast to '34

Marriage licenses issued in Eastland county for 1935 show a decrease of 64 from the preceding year. Three hundred and one obtained licenses last year compared to 365 in 1934.

Licenses issued in May and December were more than those recorded for June, traditionally month when issuance is highest. Total for June was 31 as compared to 34 in December and 33 for May.

Other months were November, 23; October, 21; September, 16; August, 23; July, 31; April, 26; March, 23; February, 19; January, 21.

In 1933, 256 licenses were obtained; in 1932, 295 and 218 during 1931.

Governor Hoffman Wants Condon Held For An Appearance

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 11.—The New Jersey state board of pardons and appeals today denied the appeal of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, convicted Lindbergh baby kidnaper, after considering the case practically all day.

The denial of the appeal blasted Hauptmann's last hope of escaping death in the electric chair.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 11.—Gov. Harold Hoffman's determination to have Dr. John F. Condon taken into custody thrust an eleven-hour sensation into the Lindbergh case today as the New Jersey court of pardons heard the last clemency plea of Bruno Hauptmann.

MISSING MAN RETURNS TO HIS PARENTS' HOME

SWEETWATER, Texas, Jan. 11.—Truman Cannon, Big Spring liquor salesman, missing since Dec. 18, was questioned today after returning last night to his parents' home here.

It was believed Cannon had been killed after his bloodstained car was found near Snyder. A widespread search for him was made in West Texas.

Cannon stated here today that he had been held up and robbed and that he had been thrown into a car and taken from the scene of the robbery.

He said he did not remember anything after being struck on the head until he came to his senses at Brownwood yesterday, where he was taken into custody by police who thought he resembled pictures they had received of the missing liquor salesman.

After being shown the pictures, Cannon stated, he began to regain his senses and after being released by the Brownwood police he had caught a freight train to Sweetwater to return to the home of his parents.

He did not remember where he had been or what had happened to him during the time he had been missing and while the extensive search had been maintained throughout Western Texas.

Youths May Work On Projects and Not Affect Relief

Word has been received to the effect that where youths between the ages of 16 and 25 years get employment under the National Youth Administration it does not affect the relief status of the family.

The letter explaining this phase of the relief work is as follows: "You will contact heads of families working on your project and acquaint them with the fact that any boy or girl in their families, between the ages of 16 and 25 years is eligible for employment on WPA projects without impairing the family head's status."

"This comes from efforts being made by the National Youth Administration to provide special work for eligible youths, both male and female, that they may supplement their family earnings. To secure such employment it will be necessary for the applicant to register with the nearest NYS office. The applicant will then request, by letter, to the supervisor of labor management, WPA office, Abilene, to be assigned to the nearest available NYA project."

"NYA workers will receive the same scale of pay as adult workers, but will be permitted to work only 46 hours in one month, or not to exceed 23 hours in one pay period."

"It is requested that you give immediate attention to this canvas so that these youths may avail themselves of the opportunity at once."

Quiet Funeral Is Held For Former Silent Film Star

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Jan. 11.—Quiet funeral services were held today for John Gilbert.

Only a few intimate friends of the actor were admitted to the flower-filled chapel of the mortuary. A crowd pressed against police lines outside.

Leatrice Joy and Virginia Bruce, two of the four women who married and divorced Gilbert, went to the funeral.

Gilbert's body lay in a coffin that remained closed during the services in keeping with his request.

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D. C. McRae Funeral To Be Held Today

Funeral services for D. C. McRae, pioneer insurance man of Ranger, who died at his home on Thursday afternoon, are to be conducted from the First Methodist Church of Ranger this afternoon at 2:30 with Rev. T. E. Bowman, pastor of the church, conducting the services. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery following the church services. The Ranger Masonic lodge will have charge of the services at the grave.

The decedent had been a member of the Masonic lodge for 50 years, having joined at Gonzales. At the annual Mothers Day celebration last year, sponsored by the Ranger Blue Lodge he was presented with a bouquet of roses and was given special recognition because of his long and useful life in the order.

The decedent is survived by his widow, four sons, two daughters and 12 grandchildren, most of whom are present for the funeral services.

Pall bearers will be A. J. Ratliff, V. V. Cooper, C. E. May, S. P. Boon, W. S. Adamson, B. A. Tunwell, H. B. Johnson, Dr. A. K. Wier, L. H. Flewellen, Stanley Mannely, J. F. Dreinhofer and Sanford Dean.

Weather Permitting, Gun Club to be Open For Shooters Today

Weather permitting, the Oil Belt Gun Club range will be open to shooters today and following Sundays for the balance of the winter months, officials announced Saturday.

Scores in skeet last Sunday were as follows:
James Horton 60x75
A. H. Rhodes 59x75
Samuel Butler 37x50
Mrs. James Horton 37x50
K. B. Tanner 29x50

Cisco Well Drilling Ahead at 2800 Feet

A. A. Wisdom and Ed Parsons' well on the Gus Wende tract near the Humble School six miles south of Cisco was drilling ahead Saturday at 2,800 feet, the latter stated.

Eight-inch casing was set early last week at 2,114 feet.

Operators will drill to 3,500 feet unless production is found at a lesser depth.

The well is 440 feet from the east and south lines of the north-west quarter of Section 62, Block 2, of the H. & T. C. Ry. survey.

Gasoline Pump In Ranger Blows Up; No One Is Injured

A gasoline pump in front of Anderson-Pruett, Inc., Ranger, exploded Saturday evening at 6:30, causing slight damage and considerable excitement.

Webb Grubbs was parked in front of the building, purchasing gasoline, and Nath Pirkle was servicing his car when the pump at the rear of the car exploded and burst into flames. The covering of the pump was thrown across the street on top of an automobile, while a small handle was blown half a block away and was picked up near the Piggly Wiggly Store.

A section of the sidewalk on which Pirkle was standing was blown up and damaged, though Pirkle was not injured in the blast.

The fire department answered the call and soon had the blaze extinguished.

Suit Is Brought On President to Continue the AAA

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—A suit filed in U. S. District Court today to restrain President Roosevelt from terminating the Agricultural act until a nationwide referendum is taken on the constitutionality of the law.

The action named as defendants Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary of Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr., and Chester Davis, AAA administrator.

The plea contended the decision of the Supreme Court is not the final word on the constitutionality of any law and the fate of any federal law rests with the electorate.

Speculation Rife Over New Session

AUSTIN, Jan. 11.—Speculation was rife today over Gov. James V. Allred's decision on a special session of the legislature he promised to announce Monday.

The guesses ranged from a call for a session as quickly as members can be assembled to a prediction there will be no session until after the summer political campaign.

Allred admitted he is considering every possibility even that no session is needed. He said plainly that old age assistance must be provided. Unless funds are available to meet the obligation there will be a session.

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How Would We React To Prosperity, Now?

Daniel C. Roper, Uncle Sam's secretary of commerce, spread himself as the old year died and announced that we are all gradually getting richer.

Mr. Roper had the figures to prove it, too. Factory employment has gone up by such and such a percentage, factory payrolls by some other percentage, retail sales by still a third percentage, and so on.

Add it all up and you do seem as Mr. Roper insists, to get a total which reflects a rising tide of wealth.

But before we get calluses on our shoulder blades from patting ourselves on the back over all this, it might be sound for us to sit down and figure out just what we are going to do with all this money—if, as, and when we get it.

Suppose, in other words, that that feverish condition we recall as prosperity returns. What use are we going to make of it?

Are we, for instance, in our great cities, going to spend millions of dollars building skyscrapers we really could get along without, while we permit thousands upon thousands of our people to swelter in slums?

Are we going to go back to the old fever of land speculation, for another instance, so that we go squirrely over building lots in some seaside subdivision while we permit erosion and bad farming practices to ruin some of the most fertile farmland on the globe?

Are we going to revive the good old custom of building up our foreign trade by loaning money to the foreign customers, always increasing the loans just a little bit faster than the trade increases, so that in the end both they and we go broke?

Are we going to get our feet all tangled up once more in the kind of high-pressure installment selling by which an honest white collar man is induced to mortgage his income for two years ahead to buy things he could really get along without?

Are we going to go speculation-crazy again, so that we ask of any industrial concern, not what it produces or what its balance sheet looks like or how its dividends are running, but what the current quotation may be on its common stock and who has been buying it lately, please?

Questions like these grow tiresome, of course; and, anyway, since we sometimes seem to learn very slowly, it is probably that the answer to all of them is "Yes—to a certain extent, anyhow."

But we might as well ask them, and think about them, just the same. For we did all those things the last time we had prosperity—and look what happened to us. Do we want it to happen again?

Cruelty in Sport

The red-coated ladies and gentlemen of an English hunt club pursued a fox right to the kitchen door of a farmhouse recently. The terrified animal fled into the house and hid in the pantry; whereupon a member of the club went right in after the animal, dragged it forth and tossed it to the hounds—which proceeded, of course, to tear it into pieces.

For this act the huntsman was brought into court by the S. P. C. A. and fined 10 pounds; and the judge who fined him ruled that the fox must always be given a "sporting chance" if hunting is not to become unduly cruel.

As to the imposing of the fine, most readers will heartily approve; but most of them will probably feel, in addition, that it will take more than a "sporting chance" to rob fox hunting of its cruelty.

The sport always has an element of cruelty in it. Its values as a sport may outweigh this element, but the cruelty is there and always will be, as long as hunts end with a pack of dogs cornering and killing a helpless wild creature.

Back to 1930 Level

The revival of the heavy industries seems at last to be getting under way. The monthly business index of The Annalist for December shows that business activity now stands at the highest level since August, 1930, surpassing even the brief speculative boom peak of July, 1933.

This index now stands at 90 per cent of normal—a rise of nearly seven points since October, and a rise of 32 points from the depression low.

Most encouraging of all, as The Annalist points out, is the fact that this revival seems to be based on a slow but solid pick-up of the heavy industries.

If that pick-up continues, the business indicator will continue to rise; and, which is even better, we shall have substantial reason for hoping that the rise will continue until we reach wholly normal conditions once more.

Democrats attending Jackson Day dinners will be assessed \$50 a plate unless of course, they'll be satisfied with caviar instead of pork chops.

"Carnera to Fight Ethiopians." Joe Louis' victim apparently is trying out the old aviator's custom of flying a plane soon after a crash.

Japanese lecturer says reform necessary in China. It was our understanding that Japan was doing the reforming.

For Later Reports See the News Pages



Old Teachers Lose In Rating

By United Press

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — The young instructor, fresh and vigorous in his pursuits, holds an advantage over the more experienced professors in institutions of higher learning, according to Dean Ferdinand Payne, of the University of Indiana.

The opinion is contained in a new book, "An Open Letter to College Teachers," which Dean Payne co-authored with Evelyn Speith Wilkinson, of City College, New York.

He cites experiments to show that any differences in efficiency between the young and old instructor are in favor of the former.

Score Card Worked Out

In one critical analysis, the instructors scored 54.74; assistant professors, 54.15, associate professors, 54.15, and professors, 50.13.

The same study also compared teachers who had taught from one to 11 years with those who had taught more than 11 years. The efficiency score for the first group was 55.68, and for the second 48.82.

"From whatever angle the approach was made, the difference in favor of the young instructor persisted," said Dean Payne. "As you would expect, there was a wide range of variation in each group. The poorest and also the best teachers among those studied were young instructors with two years experience."

Open Mind an Aid
"The young instructor wishes to learn," explained Dean Payne. "He will gladly accept suggestions for the improvement of his teaching."

"The senior men of his own department who are good teachers must assume the obligation of helping him. It is our belief that this is one of the major points to be attacked by the administration."

"It must be skillfully and tactfully done to prevent embarrassment and to avoid robbing the instructor of his right of final decision in all questions pertaining to his teaching," said Dean Payne.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Sacrament" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Jan. 12.

The Golden Text is: "In the world ye shall have tribulation; but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world" (John 16:33).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "Fear none of those things which shall shortly suffer: . . . be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life" (Revelation 2:10).

The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Sorrow has its reward. It never leaves us where it found us. The furnace separates the gold from the dross that the precious metal may be given with the image of God" (page 66).

TEETH WORTH \$1,000

By United Press

BOWLING GREEN, O.—A full set of natural teeth is worth \$1,000, according to a common pleas court jury here. The jury awarded that amount to Edwin H. Hebler for loss of his teeth in a fist fight.

WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON — One of those far-reaching measures which sometimes suddenly develop a fast pair of legs is the proposal for a national referendum prior to American entry into any war.

The idea is embodied in a bill now before the House Judiciary Committee, offered by Congressman Louis Ludlow of Indiana, who says 55 or 60 members of Congress already are pledged to it.

The railroad brotherhoods, certain other unions, and some women's organizations are formally behind Ludlow. Col. Arthur W. Little, who is at least important enough to have landed on the Bob Lucas list of Republican presidential possibilities, is here urging a type of war referendum which would automatically enlist affirmative voters for the armed forces.

The Little statement was released from the Veterans Affairs Bureau publicity office. Inquiry reveals that the V. F. W. had no connection with it, informal or otherwise, but indicates that its leaders would favor the general idea.

IMPROVEMENT in business is being experienced by the prohibitionists and the once familiar "Clipsheet" of the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition, and Public Morals suddenly is again being published.

Once one of the most celebrated vehicles of dry propaganda, the "Clipsheet" disappeared after repeal, because people stopped contributing.

Now the money has begun to trickle in again, however, and the board has decided it can afford to resume publication—but on a monthly basis, instead of weekly as of yore.

The first new number indi-

cates that dry strategy now is to battle for temperance, rather than abolition of liquor, which even many dries view as hopeless, for the time being.

SECRETARY ICKES, announcing that he had granted Assistant Secretary of the Interior Oscar L. Chapman an indefinite leave of absence without pay, explained that Chapman wanted to "carry out plans he has had for some time which require his presence in Colorado."

The "plans" are a vigorous organization campaign for the renomination and re-election of Senator Edward P. Costigan, with whom Chapman has been associated for years as a law partner and campaign manager.

ONE physician in Washington is sure he knows why Supreme Court Justice McReynolds has been unprecedentedly curt in his questioning of government lawyers at this term.

This physician, like McReynolds and many others who had been quartered in the old Rochambeau apartments for years, was sore when the government, taking over the building in its countless quest for office space, ordered everyone out on 30 days' notice.

He predicted at the time that McReynolds would be especially tough this winter.

Furthermore, the doctor confides that the dentist of Chief Justice Hughes was also one of the Rochambeau victims and he knows Hughes was given an earful about the outrageous eviction and is surprised that Hughes hasn't also been eternally toward New Deal attorneys lately.

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A PROPHETIC VISION

Text: Luke 2:25-35, 40

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Jan. 12

BY WM. E. GILROY, D. D.

Editor of Advance

OUR lesson is entitled "A Prophetic Vision," but it might well have been called "The Devout Soul."

Prophetic visions do not come by chance. The inner light is conditioned by the inner life. Of Simeon the priest it is said: "This man was righteous and devout. How much that expresses, and what a world this might be if all men were like Simeon!"

Like all the righteous and devout Israelites of his age, Simeon's hope was placed upon the coming of the Messiah. He shared the great expectancy of his people, and in some way there had come to him the conviction that before his death he should see the Lord's coming.

IT was in this spirit that he was ministering in the temple when Joseph and Mary brought the child Jesus to fulfill the customs of the law. It was in the performance of this ritual that Simeon was blessed with vision and was able to see that the child before him was the fulfillment of the Messianic hope.

We have seen how that hope also gladdened the heart of Mary, and of the wonderment that came into her life at the visit of the shepherds. Here again this sense of the destiny of the child that she brought into the world was intensified as she and Joseph hear the

words of Simeon.

How Mary's heart must have thrilled as the aged Simeon said: "Behold, this child is set for the falling and the rising of many in Israel." But what strange forebodings there must also have been in her mother's heart as she heard his further word: "Yea, and a sword shall pierce through thine own soul."

DO we not have here a sense both of the glory and the tragedy of motherhood? The mother gives to the world the child of her love, but the more completely his life is devoted to others, the less he is for her own happiness.

Here the mother is put to the cruel test: Will her delight in her child be the selfish joy that the child is hers and the satisfaction of keeping him to herself, or will it be the larger, richer love that she has brought into the world a life that is to be a blessing to others?

Mary, apparently faced this test with complete triumph. There must have been at times a sense of sadness and even of loneliness in her heart as she sensed the greatness of this child and the mission to which he was devoted. This sense must have been at times the longing to keep him to herself.

But Mary's devotion was of the same quality as Simeon's. No child could have had a better earthly training. "The grace of God was upon him"—the grace of God that was upon Simeon and that is the possession of all who are righteous and devout.

ALLEY OOP By HAMLIN



Catalogue Homes Are Predicted for Not Distant Date

DALLAS.—Dave Williams, Dallas architect and head of the rural-industrial communities division of the Works Progress Administration at Washington, has predicted that the day is not far away when Americans will be able to pick their homes from catalogues and show rooms displays in much the same way automobiles are purchased.

"In order to get the price down to reasonable figures for the lower income class, houses must be built on a production basis," Williams said. "The chief objection now is prefabricated houses, that can be delivered to set up, in that they would all be more or less alike."

"In the early days of the automobile industry, most car owners wanted their automobiles to look different from the other fellow, but today automobiles are standardized and look much alike. So that objection to prefabricated houses will be overcome when the people are ready for cheaper and better houses."

Williams, accompanied by his wife, will spend several days here visiting friends and conferring with Texas Centennial exposition officials on an idea he has to promote diversified agriculture thru a small scale model farm at the 1936 fair.

The farm would have prefabricated buildings. It would show the farmer how he could overcome the changing condition of the cotton farmer. Williams declared that cotton is gone as the chief agricultural product of the South, due to the growth of cotton growing in Brazil, India, Russia and other parts of the world.

"There are 2,000,000 persons without homes in the South who are roaming over the country," Williams stated. "Many of them are tenant farmers left without a place when the cotton acreage was reduced. They must get places to live or there will be a revolution."

Referring again to his idea of prefabricated house production on a large scale, Williams said the United States is short 8,000,000 homes, and that 10,000,000 families do not have decent places in which to live.

"The government has been able to reduce housing costs remarkably by using machinery in building housing settlements," Williams continued. "A good five room house can be built for \$1,500 in the South and for \$2,000 in the North, where machinery is used efficiently on large scale production."

"Prefabricated homes would not mean regimentation, any more than automobiles almost alike in appearance have had that result. Wouldn't a good standardized home at low cost be better than the shacks in which thousands are living today? Each section of the country have to have its type of home best suited to climate and other conditions. Standardization in itself is not offensive, where the object itself is artistic."

Before going to Washington to serve under Harry Hopkins, Williams had gained a wide reputation as a designer of a distinctive Texas type of home. He carried out this idea in designing government housing projects for other sections of the country, using native materials and meeting local conditions. Before coming to Dallas, he was an architect in Tampico, Mexico, designing a number of office buildings there during the oil boom days.

Williams is a brother of Dr. Raworth Williams of Dallas. Another brother, Dan Williams, is a New York dramatic critic. Wil-

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



Hams' boyhood home was in Childress, Texas.

Mustang Mentor to Speak at Breck

BRECKENRIDGE, Jan. 11.—Coach Matty Bell of the Southwestern champion S. M. U. Mustangs will be the honor guest at the Breckenridge High school football banquet to be given Tuesday evening.

With the invitation for Coach Bell to be present went an invitation to Bobby Wilson, Truman Spain, and Ivan Stapp, the last two former Buckaroos, and Wilson all-American Mustang star.

Italy Is Seeking New Peace Plans

PARIS, Jan. 11.—A new strong effort to settle the Italian war seemed certain today. Reports indicated Italy was taking the initiative through diplomatic channels.

Small Town Is Swallowed Whole

PASTO, Columbia, Jan. 11.—A volcanic crater showering the countryside with burning lava, today replaced a town swallowed in

yesterday's tremor, according to the lone survivor who arrived here today. The remainder of the 200 inhabitants were believed lost when the ground turned inside out. The total deaths were expected to reach as high as 500.

Iowan Will Try Round Trip Swim Of English Channel

FORT DODGE, Ia.—A proposed round-trip English Channel swim is described by Marvin Nelson, 24, world professional swimming champion, as "easy."

Nelson, who won the Toronto and Chicago marathon swimming events for several successive years, will leave soon for Toronto to train for the channel swim, which he said he would undertake next summer. A group of Chicago sportsmen is sponsoring the project.

"Swimming the English Channel and return without stopping will be easy, because swimming for me is like walking to the average person," Nelson said.

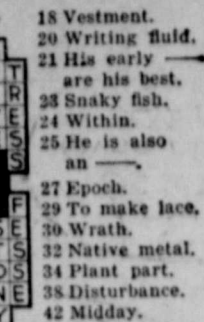
"I like rough water, and can take the heavy seas easier than a small boat."

No previous attempt at a round-trip channel swim has even been made. Nelson indicated his channel route will call for 60 miles of swimming against tides and rough water.

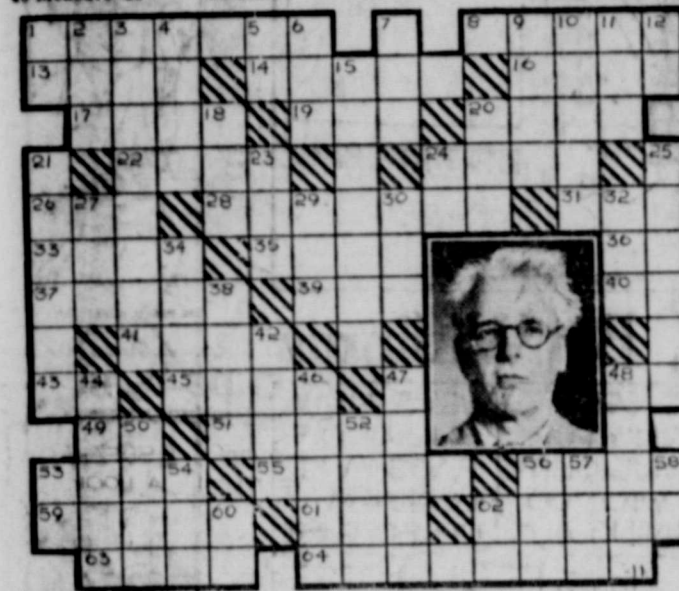
Bard From Erin

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

- 1, 7, 8 Founder of modern Irish literature.
- 3 Olive shrub.
- 4 Interwined.
- 6 On the lee.
- 7 Species of pepper.
- 9 Old garment.
- 10 Small island.
- 12 Respiratory sound.
- 14 In.
- 16 Monetary unit of Japan.
- 20 To recollect.
- 21 Ye.
- 23 To vex.
- 25 Den.
- 26 Right.
- 27 Interior.
- 29 Pedal digit.
- 40 Exclamation.
- 41 Profit.
- 42 Therefore.
- 43 12 inches.
- 44 Measure of area.



- 18 Vestment.
- 20 Writing fluid.
- 21 His early are his best.
- 23 Snaky fish.
- 24 Within.
- 25 He is also an.
- 27 Epoch.
- 29 To make lace.
- 30 Wrath.
- 32 Native metal.
- 34 Plant part.
- 35 Disturbance.
- 42 Midway.
- 44 Ship's deck.
- 46 To step.
- 47 Tree.
- 48 To change.
- 50 Part of pedestal.
- 52 Half.
- 53 South Carolina.
- 54 Driving command.
- 56 Appropriate.
- 57 Str.
- 58 Corps.
- 60 Street.
- 62 Before Christ.



Mussolini is one national hero who won't let his people place him on a pedestal. Not while there's a balcony around.

Universal Credit Co. Leads Way to New Auto Savings

Eight years ago the Universal Credit Company began its history as an important factor in the commercial, financial, and industrial life of the nation—a specialized financial institution created for the exclusive purpose of providing a stabilizing factor in financing the time sales of Ford cars and trucks. The company has made sound and substantial progress ever since inception.

During this comparatively brief but disturbed period in the economic history of the United States, Universal Credit company has financed the purchase of new Ford cars and used cars sold by Ford dealers exclusively to the motor-buying public of America in the amount of more than one and a half billion dollars, serving a total of more than 2,500,000 Ford customers. Such, in brief, is the history of one of the nation's greatest financial service corporations.

These figures are indicative of the substantial contribution being made by Universal Credit company to improve conditions. This record of volume places UCC among the foremost of American financing institutions.

UCC has been repeatedly responsible for the reduction of financial costs of business developed has made possible constantly improved plans, providing courtesy, safety, and economy for the Ford purchaser desiring to buy out of income.

UCC again follows with the lowest and best plans it has ever offered.

Under the new UCC plans, after the usual low down payment, the Ford buyer can purchase his Ford car anywhere in the country on installments of only \$25 a month. The cost of this extension of credit is only half of 1 per cent per month on the original unpaid balance and insurance. Convenient UCC charts show these finance charges which are computed by

multiplying the unpaid balance plus insurance of half per cent per month (6 per cent for 12 months—which is not simply interest but a multiplier for computation). Where the \$25 per month plan is not used, and the Ford buyer wishes to vary the terms of his transaction, the cost is figured by multiplying the unpaid balance plus insurance by a multiplier determined at the rate of half per cent per month for the total number of months the transaction is to run.

The insurance provided in the New UCC convenient Payment plans protects the purchaser's car against fire and theft, collision, flood, windstorm, tornado, cyclone, hail, riot, and other elements of physical damage—complete protection against accidental physical damage to the car itself.

The major factor that makes the \$25 per month UCC low cost, easy payment plan possible is the great lasting value and public acceptance of the Ford V-8. More than 2,200,000 Ford V-8's have been sold in a period of four years (including two years, 1932-33, which covered the most difficult period of the late depression).

Ford V-8 performance, economy, and beauty in the past is the guarantee of Ford superiority and value in the future. Greater and greater value with each passing year has brought unequaled dollar value in the new Ford V-8 for 1936.

UCC is happy to have the opportunity to participate in the great Ford sales program for 1936 by providing plans at lowest cost and with lower monthly payments for purchaser who desires to buy out of income. This will make possible Ford V-8 ownership to thousands of new purchasers who were unable to buy in the past because monthly payments were more than their monthly budgets would permit. There is economy also because the new plans are less in cost to the time buyer and provide more safety for the purchaser's investment because of new features included in the insurance coverage provided with the plans. These lower costs, lower monthly payments on the New UCC Plans should materially increase sales by broadening the base of the Ford time buyer market. Increased consumer credit by Ford buyers will in turn be reflected in increased Ford production and payoffs, all of which means further forward progress in the march to recovery and prosperity. The importance of consumer credit in motor car sales, and what it means to general prosperity, is further emphasized when we recall that one out of every 10 persons employed is connected directly or indirectly with the automobile business.

Every day people are returning to gainful employment. The increasing volume of time buying is evidence of the fact that with the return of employment comes the urge to buy necessary transportation representing true value in economy and quality. Families buy Ford cars today as they have for 30 years because of outstanding value. Outstanding quality at low cost has made the new Ford the choice of millions. "Ours is more than an exclusive credit institution serving Ford dealers and Ford purchaser," the Ford Worth UCC branch manager, O. E. Patty, recently stated. "We look upon the Universal Credit company as an active arm of the Ford sales force, charged with the duty of helping the Ford dealer and the Ford purchaser in any matters where credit is involved and which has such an important bearing on the merchandising of automobiles."

Another important sales function of the Universal Credit company which Mr. Patty brought out in our interview was the very important matter of goodwill. "The buyer delights in dealing with an organization which gives him prompt and courteous treatment, that deals with him in absolute fairness, ever maintaining the high standard of its service—a service rendered with the thought constantly in mind of making a repeat customer of the buyer. This he becomes as the result of a natural appreciation for the value in the products and the sincerity of the manufacturer and the seller."

A truly helpful credit service with friendly treatment is the business philosophy behind UCC credit operations. The convenient terms and low cost and safety features offer Ford buyers real economy and safety through a company that serves the Ford market exclusively. UCC Plans are available to Ford purchasers at Leveille Motor company, of Ranger, who is an authorized dealer in this community.

STATIC SATURATES AUTOS IN BOSTON HARBOR TUBE

By United Press

BOSTON.—Motorists passing through Sumner vehicular tunnel, under Boston harbor, were shocked recently.

The shock was caused by all-steel bodies of automobiles that acted as a Leyden jar in storing static electricity. Thus, when the motorist touched the hand of the toll collector in passing a coin, it completed a circuit and both felt the shock.

Now, attendants have been insulated with rubber-soled shoes and there have been no more shocking experiences.

Sheriff Candidate



Steele Hill Making Race For Sheriff

This issue carries the announcement of Steele Hill for the office of sheriff of Eastland county. Steele, as he is familiarly known throughout the county, has made Eastland county one of its most efficient officers in the process of his duties as deputy sheriff, which position he has held for the past eight years. He has never been found wanting in the line of peace officer. He is fearless and yet conscientious in dealing with those who offend the law. The following statement is submitted to the voters of Eastland County:

I herewith announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Eastland county subject to the primary election to be held in July. I was born and reared in Eastland county and have lived here all my life. For the past eight years I have been deputy sheriff and feel that I am fully qualified to be your sheriff as my experience has given me every advantage to give you the best possible service which my duties will require me to do. If elected I pledge myself to enforce the laws of the state as required by the constitution under by oath of office. I shall do everything humanly possible to see that the laws are obeyed. I shall try and see every citizen in the county during the campaign and will appreciate your giving my candidacy your careful consideration. I will be grateful for your influence in my behalf.

Respectfully yours,
STEELE HILL.

WILL LIMITED TO 16 WORDS

By United Press

BUFFALO, N. Y.—A will of admirable brevity is on file for probate here. Containing only 16 words and written on yellow tablet paper the document was executed by Joseph Ziomek, retired operator of a saloon.

With All My Love

by Mary Raymond
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STANLEY STANLEY divorced from her husband DR. SCOTT STANLEY is making plans to marry rich RONALD MOORE, who has come to love with her several years.

When and why her husband, leaving her to love with RONALD MOORE, Scott believes Dana left him because he was poor.

After the separation he becomes a partner of the town's outstanding physician DR. OSBORNE.

As a result of Dana's divorce, Scott has always concealed her feelings from him. In an impulse she tells him Dana will leave Scott. Ronnie refuses to believe her.

With no more in her plans, Dana goes ahead with her preparations to marry Ronnie. ALAN ELLIEN, Dana's romantic great aunt goes to DR. OSBORNE and tells him Dana and Ronnie plan to marry that night. Dr. Osborne telephones Scott who is out of the city.

Arriving at midnight, Scott's car crashes with another car.

rounds, and any one of them would drive out and bring Dana to him.

He knew, with a sense of deep conviction that if he asked her to come, nothing could keep her away.

They were driving steadily and fairly fast. But not fast enough for Scott. Minutes in a case like this counted. He wanted to change places with the conservative, middle-aged driver. This time, with all his faculties alert and sharpened by the experience just past, there would be no danger of traveling fast.

Blood and soaked through the bandage on the boy's head and was staining Scott's coat. There was so much blood on his own clothing it would be hard for an ordinary observer to tell which of the two was most hurt.

They had reached a lighted house. Scott was praying there would be a telephone. He could hear his companion pounding on the door. Then the door swung wide and a flood of light poured through.

"An ambulance is starting to meet us," the middle-aged man reported when he returned.

"What time have you?" Scott asked.

"Six-thirty. I figure you'll be at the hospital at least by seven."

The number had a dark sound to Scott.

Dr. Osborne had not specified any particular time. He had said Dana and Ronnie were to be married tonight. That could mean they had set 8 o'clock as the hour it could mean seven.

course—right on.

He got his hat and went out to the court in the rear of the building to get his car. Two of his colleagues, Dr. Charles Warwick and Dr. Phillip Stern, were coming in together. They stopped and spoke to him.

"Your busy day over, Robert?" Dr. Warwick asked.

"No."

He didn't relish his mission and some of his distaste was in his voice. "I made a promise to look after something for Stanley. He's all cut up over something. He's brought in an accident case. I figure he figured in it, some way."

"Probably been drinking," said Dr. Stern. "Suppose you're heard his divorced wife is getting married tonight."

"Good heavens, not!"

"What was it Stanley wanted you to do?" Dr. Stern asked.

"Nothing of any importance," Dr. Robertson answered. "Just a small errand. . . well, good night."

HE went toward his car, waited until the two men had entered the hospital, and then slowly retraced his steps.

It was a good thing he had bumped into the two men. He was queer. He hadn't suspected Scott was drinking. And here he had been planning to humor a man who probably didn't realize what a crazy request he was making.

It would "have been a pretty come-off if he had walked into the wedding and commanded the officiant to accompany him to meet her former husband."

It would have been something he would never have lived down. He got off on the fourth floor. Miss Hazleton, Stanley's anesthetist, was hurrying along the corridor. That meant he was going to operate. You had to admire him for character and cool nerve. Feeling responsible in some way for the smash up and determined to put the boy together again.

Miss Reid, floor supervisor, looked up when he passed her desk and spoke.

"The automobile accident case—pretty serious?" He asked.

"Rather, doctor. Intracranial hemorrhage. But he'll have a chance. Dr. Stanley's operating."

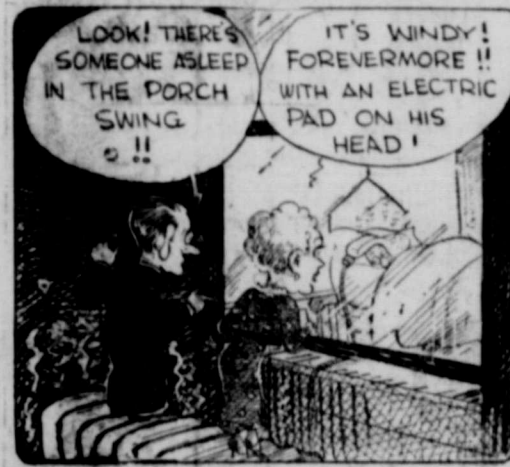
Dr. Robertson walked on. The hospital staff certainly had confidence in Stanley. Well, he was a mighty keen young surgeon. And after awhile he was going to come out of that operating room and have to tell him something. He would say something important had come up preventing him from going on Scott's mission. A man and his own professional standing to consider. And it was easy enough to make mistakes. It would be a mistake to antagonize Ronnie Moore.

He was feeling uncomfortable for some reason. It was a feeling that surely had no logic connected with it. But he was worried, kept on.

Scott's face kept coming before him. There had been something haunted trapped about it.

(To Be Continued)

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen



"OUT OUR WAY"



By Williams



Would You Give Her A Second Chance?



Read
The Strange Case of Julia Craig
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OUT OUR WAY

The Willets

By Williams



ON TEXAS FARMS

GEORGE WEST—Sixteen No. 2 cans of fruit cake have recently been added to the pantry of Mrs. K. Autrey, 4-H pantry demonstrator for the Simmons Home Demonstration Club in Live Oak county, at a cost of \$3.20, according to Miss Linda Sears, home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Autrey has found that taming the fruit cake in her

pressure cooker eliminates the constant watching. The cake keeps in the cans for future use and does not mould.

PALO PINTO—At a total cost of \$1.38 spent for paint and wood, and by using some old lumber on hand, Mrs. Charlie Popp, farm food supply demonstrator of the Dodson Prairie Home Demonstration Club in Palo Pinto county, has seven shelves on which to store 490 quarts of canned, preserved and brined foods, according to Miss Pauline Lokey, home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Popp planned her budget for her family of three and filled it as nearly as possible from her own garden. The cost was 7.10 and the supply of food is valued at \$128.77.

DALLAS—The canning of 19,991 containers of products by 1,005 4-H club girls in Dallas county during 1935 added a monetary value of \$4,035.80 to the farm families involved, according to Miss Alpha Lynn, home demonstration agent.

Of this amount of canning, 7,346 quarts were vegetables; 4,810 quarts were fruit; 1,115, sweet pickles; 734, relishes; 864, cucumber pickles; 2,298 jelly, and 1,469 miscellaneous products.

The club girls planted a total of 710,523 feet of row space with a production value of \$35,526.15 plus the canning result of 19,991 containers valued at \$4,035.80.

HEMPSTEAD—“In the near future we will be making a nice income from our top worked pecan trees,” C. A. and L. O. Thanheiser of Waller county reported to J. V. Bush, county agricultural agent. In 1927, 300 trees on their Brazos river bottom farm were topped and budded. This year, they harvested 900 pounds of fine nuts from the trees valued at \$144. A number of other Waller county farmers have begun pecan improvement work on their farms.

PADUCAH—Because of the sub-soiling done on his Cottle county farm, J. C. McCollum harvested at least one-third of a bale of cotton per acre this year, and as a result Carl Crump, who owns and operates a 937-acre farm, has reported to C. C. Stinson, county agricultural agent, that he is planning to adopt this practice on his entire acreage in 1936. Cotton on adjoining farms on which no sub-soiling was done yielded about one-tenth of a bale per acre.

McCollum lives on tight land on which the run-off is excessive. His plan was to “checkerboard” his field by cross furrows every 10 to 12 feet. These furrows were made by removing the wings on his single row lister and the soil was plowed to a depth of eight to 10 inches.

FRANKLIN—“As sweet as taffy” was the phrase used by Bassett Davis, Robertson county farmer, in describing sweet potatoes taken from his kiln and cooked for a recent meal, according to V. L. Sandlin, county agricultural agent. Davis had graded, packed in

Together In New Musical



Topping the cast of the spectacular mirth and melody picture, “Thanks a Million,” are Dick Powell and Ann Dvorak—favorites of the stage and radio appear with them in the million dollar cast, Sunday and Monday at the Arcadia Theatre.

Garner's Ready to Gavel "Go"



His trusty gavel firmly grasped, Vice President John Nance Garner, presiding over the U. S. Senate, faces one of the most momentous sessions of Congress in the country's history.

crates, and cured 200 bushels of No. 1 sweet potatoes. His curing house is made of oak logs, cut from the farm, and mud chinking, and is equipped with a small wood stove to supply heat for drying. The curing process has just been completed and required keeping the temperature of the house at 80 degrees for 13 days.

Political

Announcements
The Times is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for offices, subject to the Action of the Democratic Primaries:
For Sheriff:
STEELE HILL
Tax Assessor and Collector:
CLYDE S. KARKALITS
C. H. O'BRIEN
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2:
J. F. MITCHELL
J. N. McFATTER (re-election)

Children From Waco Will Sing at the First Methodist Church

A group of between 25 and 30 children from the Methodist Home in Waco will present a program at the morning service at the First Methodist Church this morning. The young people, who have quite a reputation as singers, will render a program of sacred music and readings.

SPECIAL

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AL TUNE

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'Dream Kitchen' to Be On Exhibit In Ranger This Week

Home-makers of Ranger will have a chance to see the kitchen of their dreams, Tuesday through Friday of this week, when the Community Public Service Company displays its mammoth kitchen coach at their office.

Built like a Colonial stage, with green shutters and gay curtained windows, the coach contains an ultra-modern kitchen, scientifically designed to save work and at the same time provide an atmosphere of beauty and sparkling cleanliness. Not an inch of space is wasted. Built-in steel cabinets, with stainless steel work tops, connect the range and refrigerator on one side of the kitchen. A large Monel metal sink, with roomy drainboard and a built-in electric dish-washer, occupies the other side. Overhead cabinets provide a place for canned goods and breakfast food. Even the doorways contain built-in compartments with space for storing mops, brooms and various other kitchen articles.

Everything is arranged for convenience and speed in the preparation of food. The sink is but a step from either the range or the refrigerator. Plenty of table space is provided on both sides of the range. There are drawers for utensils in the range, as well as in the cupboards that flank it. Dirty dishes go right into the dish-washer, where they are cleaned by sprays of gas-heated water. A ventilating fan over the range carries away food odors. Walls are washable and all cabinet work is finished in enamel, making it as easy to clean as a china dish. The Monel metal drain and cabinet tops are stainless and rust-proof.

The coach is equipped with a deluxe Repore range that does everything but prepare the recipes. It has automatic lighting and an oven that turns itself on and off. The refrigerator is a 1936 Electrolux, with temperature selector and other features. Both appliances will be connected and ready for demonstration.

The kitchen coach is being brought to Ranger by Community Public Service Company in order to give local home-makers a chance to see a reproduction of a modern kitchen of the type that is advocated by leading home economists, architects and industrial designers. It will serve as a guide to those who are interested in modernizing present kitchens or planning new homes. The public is cordially invited to visit the coach at any time between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m., when a representative of the company will be on hand to answer queries about the various features of the kitchen.

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Aviation Forsees More Progress in The Coming Year

CHICAGO—American aviation enters 1936 with a bright outlook. Recovered from the shock of losing airmail contracts in 1934, and stimulated by mechanical improvements and intense competition, the industry has made long strides during the past 12 months, a survey discloses.

“More passengers and express were carried by the four major lines in 1935 than ever before in history,” W. A. Patterson, president of the United Airlines, said.

Nearly half a million travelers were carried by the four major transport companies during the year, the survey shows. Planes of the American Airways, Transcontinental-Western Air, United Airlines and Northwest Airways flew approximately 36,696,000 miles over domestic routes extending from coast to coast.

Meanwhile the Pan-American airlines blazed new trails across the Pacific.

China Clipper Writes History
One of the outstanding accomplishments in last year's commercial aviation history was the spectacular flight of the China Clipper inaugurating regular service from the United States to

Honolulu, Midway Island, Wake Island, Guam and Manila.

An example of the progress in the domestic aviation field was the report of the United Air Lines. Their planes flew an estimated 15,000,000 miles, or 30 per cent of all of the passenger miles flown in the country during the year, as compared with 13,608,659 miles in 1934.

Revenue passengers totaled 185,000 as compared with 147,139 last year.

The company carried 6,600,000 pounds of air mail as compared with 3,245,742 last year. Last year, however, the company carried no mail from Feb. 19 to May 8 because of the cancellation of contracts by the Post Office Department.

Air express tonnage showed nearly a 100 per cent increase over a year ago. During 1935, 900 tons were carried as compared with 547 a year ago.

Lines Reduce Fares
During the year the company spent \$1,500,000 for modernizing its equipment. United, along with other companies, reduced fares during the year.

During 1936 all major air lines plan to offer transportation books enabling travelers to save from 15 to 20 per cent on fares.

American Airways reported an increase of approximately 80 per cent in passengers during 1935 as compared with 1934.

Planes of the company flew an approximate total of 11,600,000

miles, carrying 185,000 passengers.

During October the company carried 17,854 passengers, approximately 40 per cent above the record-breaking 1934 October record.

Giant Planes Speedy
New transports are being built by the company to go into service

soon. They are designed to carry 24 passengers as day planes and 16 passengers as sleepers. The new planes per hour and each will weigh 24,000 pounds.

Transcontinental-Western Air reported an increase of 105.18 per cent in the number of passengers carried in 1935 as compared with 1934.



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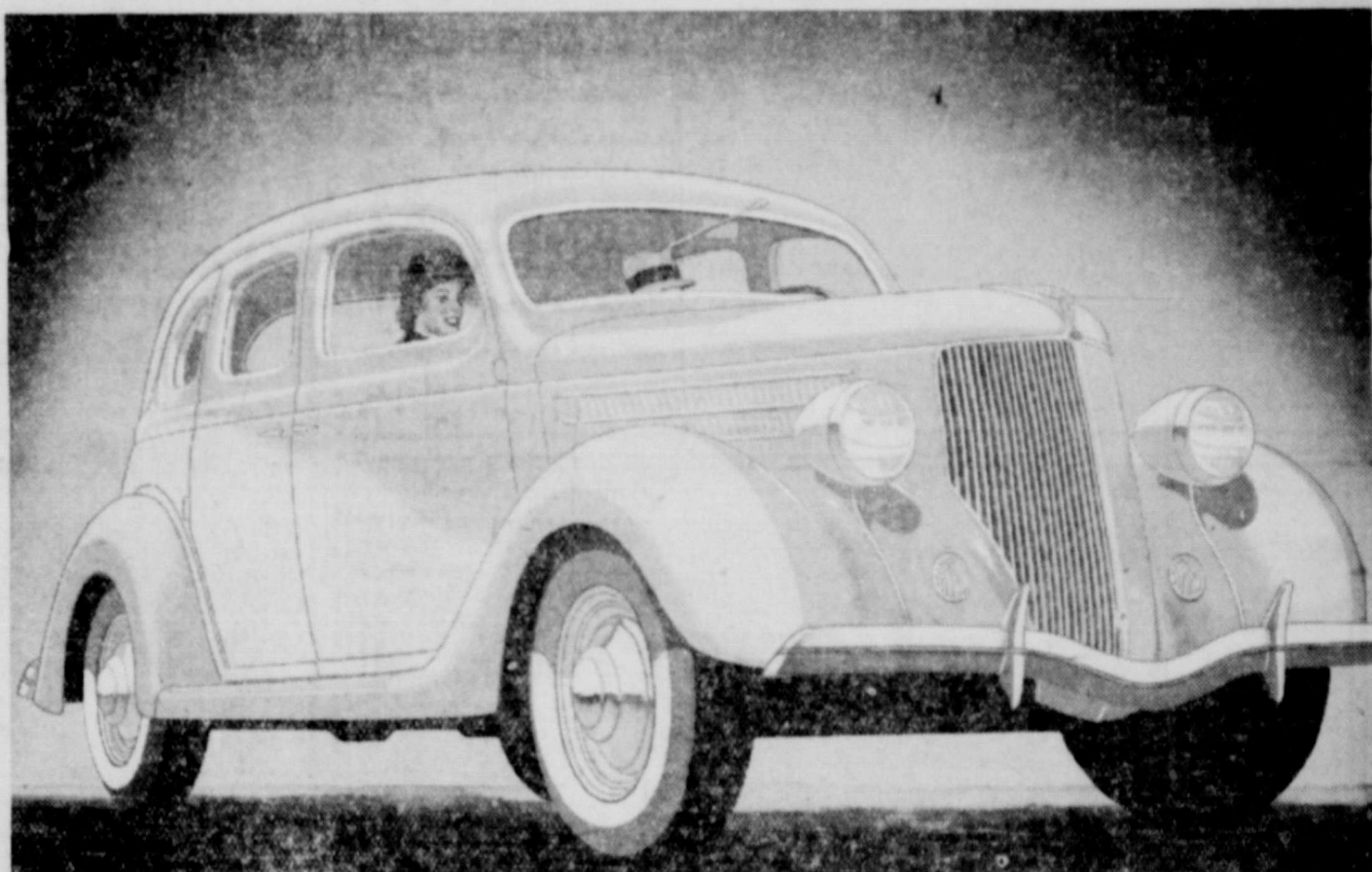
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The advantages of this plan are many.

It enables you to own and drive a new Ford V-8 without strain on either your capital or income. Your present car in trade will probably cover the down payment.

It brings you lower credit cost—only 6 per cent for twelve months or ½ per cent per month for longer periods on the original unpaid balance and insurance.

It gives you new and broader insurance coverage at regular Conference rates.

And best of all, it is an investment in real automob-

ile value. At this low cost you obtain V-8 cylinder performance, fine-car quality, big-car roominess and Ford economy.

See your Ford dealer today. Let him demonstrate the car of your choice and explain these new plans.

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The Strange Case of Julia Craig

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SOCIETY

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Circle Study Monday
The Women's Missionary Society of First Baptist church meets in the homes of individual hostesses Monday afternoon at 2:30 for the lesson study.

Cooper circle meets at the home of Mrs. Colonel Brasher. The book of second Samuel will be read.

North Hodges circle meets with Mrs. Nannie Walker, to study the 1936 year book.

South Hodges circle gathers in the home of Mrs. John W. Tibbles with Bible questions and answers composing the lesson.

Mrs. Bob Hodges will be at home to Circle Young, and the

Necessary business matters will be disposed of during the latter part of the meeting.

W. D. Conway III at St. Paul's Hospital, Dallas
W. D. Conway of Ranger, prominent business man and well known throughout the Oil Belt, is quite ill at St. Paul's hospital in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Al O'Donnell and Morris Loville and Hall Walker, paid visits to his bedside Friday. Among others there is Mrs. A. B. Conway of Mineral Wells, a sister-in-law of Mr. Conway.

Business Visitors Saturday
G. W. Moore and small son of route 2 Ranger, visited in town Saturday transacting business.

E. F. Latham Improving After Treatment By Eye Specialist
E. F. Latham, employee of the Gulf Pipeline Company, is improving at Fort Worth, after a 10 days treatment for an eye ulcer which has been under the daily observation of eye specialists supervised by Dr. Truman Terrell of the Methodist hospital, Fort Worth. His condition has been quite serious with a possibility of losing the eye sight, but the last few days has brought about a decided improvement. How long he will remain for special treatment has not been decided.

National and State Outlook to Be Discussed By E. T. Walton at Club
Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the 1936 club meets in the Colonial room, Gholson hotel, for a program on "Health and Government." Bureau of Child Welfare will be given by Mrs. R. B. Canfield and Mr. E. T. Walton, superintendent of Ranger High school, will talk on "National and State Outlook."

Business during the meeting will be presided over by the president, Mrs. M. H. Hagaman.

Co-Workers Home Demonstration
The above club is to hold its first meeting of the New Year, on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Grace Drienhofer, with the newly elected officers presiding.

Mrs. Ida Hinman, asks that all members be present. Many outstanding accomplishments are hoped for during the year brought about through the closely blended efforts of all.

Interesting Club Program
Child Study Association No. 2 met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Houghton Thursday afternoon for a program which was unusually interesting.

Mrs. Z. B. Morgan led the lesson and presented Mrs. Odelle Cole, who talked on Management of Money in the Home. Mrs. Saule Perstein offered a fitting talk on "The Exceptional Child." Business

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MARY E. DAGUE
NEA Service Staff Writer

THE other day at a luncheon the hostess served popovers filled with creamed lobster and every woman there begged for the recipe. Probably because it was a relief to get away from the stereotyped patty shell.

Popovers make good substitutes for cream puff shells, too. You fill them with fruit mixed with whipped cream or with the usual English cream filling and serve with coffee.

Popovers
One cup milk, 2 eggs, 1 cup flour, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Sift flour into mixing bowl. Add eggs and milk and salt and beat with a Dover beater for five minutes. Add melted butter and beat about a minute longer. Put 2 tablespoons batter in each custard cup and bake forty minutes in a hot oven (400 degrees F.).

Perhaps the luncheon menu my hostess served will appeal to your guests, too, so here it is.

Creamed Lobster
Melt butter without discoloring and stir in flour. Cook and stir until bubbly and gradually add milk and cream, salt and pepper. Cook and stir until boiling. Beat egg yolks with sherry and add with lobster meat to sauce. Cook until thick and hot, stirring all the time, but do not let boil again. Serve in popover shells with a sprig of parsley topping each.

Wedges of tomato, cubes of cucumber, thin slices of radishes, wide slices of celery and an occasional paper-thin slice of new onion combine to make a refreshing salad for a January luncheon. Serve with a well seasoned French dressing.

Paradise Cream
One tablespoon granulated gelatin, 1 cup cold milk, 1-2 cup powdered sugar, 1 cup blanched almonds, 1 cup candied cherries, 1 dozen marshmallows, 1 pint whipping cream, few grains salt, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla.

Heat 1-4 cup milk and add marshmallows. Let stand while mixing pudding. Soften gelatin in remaining cold milk. Stir over hot water until dissolved. Add to marshmallows with sugar, nuts

ness for the club was given for discussion and presided over by the president, Mrs. Perstein.

A white elephant sale was agreed on for the afternoon of February 6th.

A dainty salad plate with coffee

was served Mrs. Odelle Cole, Z. B. Morgan, W. B. Emfinger, T. J. Powell, Weldon Webb, J. B. Eudy, N. G. Martin, Max Orr, T. L. Duvree, Saule Perstein, J. E. Ogg, C. E. Maddocks and J. B. Houghton.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Walnut and Marston
G. W. Thomas, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. W. A. Lewis, superintendent. Supt. W. T. Walton, teacher of Men's Bible class. Hear him.

11 a. m. Morning worship. Sunbeams in the basement. Mrs. Lee Mitchell, leader.

6 p. m. B. T. S., under the direction of Cline Walsh.

7 p. m. Evening worship.

The W. M. S. will hold circle meetings Monday at 2:30 p. m. as follows: North Hodges with Mrs. Sannie Walker, Caddo road; South Hodges with Mrs. John Tibbles; Young Circle with Mrs. Bob Hodges; Cooper Circle with Mrs. Col. Brasher, 1111 Oddie street.

The Y. W. A. will meet with their counselor, Mrs. G. H. West, 602 Mesquite street Monday night at 7:30.

G. A. will meet under the direction of sponsor, Mrs. Warford, 4:15 p. m. Monday.

R. A. meeting at the church on Wednesday night at 7:15.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15.

METHODIST CHURCH
T. E. Bowman, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45, S. P. Boon, superintendent. Let's all be on time. We want to dismiss just a little bit early for the special service at 11 o'clock.

About 25 children and young people from the Methodist Home at Waco will have charge of the morning service. We would like to start about 5 or 10 minutes earlier than usual. Your heart will be thrilled in this service.

Our young people that attended the great Young People's conference at Memphis will have charge of the evening service beginning at 7:15. They will make reports of that conference. It would be fine if every young person in the city could be in this service. Of course the older people will want to come. Our business is to encourage and help our young people in their work. All groups of the young people and children will meet at 6:15 for their regular services.

The funeral services of Brother D. C. McRae will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. in the church.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
H. B. Johnson, Pastor

Sunday school, 10 a. m. with Garland Montgomery, superintendent. Glad to be able to report that Garland was re-elected as superintendent last Sunday and it was unanimous. He certainly has made a faithful servant.

Golden Rule Bible class, taught by Mr. Walton. Brother Walton has been a lifetime student of the Bible and will make a very splendid teacher for this class. Every man of the church should be in this class. Preaching by the pastor, 11 a. m. Subject, "Christ the Social Man."

Communion just before morning sermon.

Christian Endeavor will meet at 6:15 p. m. with Miss Mildred Matthews in charge.

Preaching by the pastor, 7:15 p. m. Subject, "Why I Don't Go To Church." Every one who don't attend church will give some reason. Come, if you have not been attending church and hear this subject. You will be surprised at some things that may be said. But come and bring some friend with you. We are very much delighted at the increased interest in Sunday evening services. Brother Frank Connell and his quartette will bring a special number at the evening hour. Don't miss this number. Study club will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lawrence Bryan on Ranger Heights. Choir practice on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Come and worship with us.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
(A Friendly Church)
D. W. Nichol, Minister

Class work, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m. Due to the illness of the minister, Judge Allen Dabney will have charge of services.

Lord's supper, 11:45.

Evening services, 7:15.

Lord's supper, 8:00.

Royal Neighbor Meeting
Carnation Camp No. 9059, Royal Neighbor of America, will have a meeting Wednesday night, Jan. 15, at 7:30 o'clock, at the L. O. O. F. hall, for the purpose of installing officers. Important business matters will be transacted during the meeting.

Oracle Alice Rose will preside over the meeting, and all members are urged to be present.

Saturday Afternoon Program
The Royal Neighbor Juveniles of the Woodmen Circle Chapter, met at the L. O. O. F. hall Saturday afternoon with the Junior oracle, Johnnie B. Henry, presiding.

There were 11 members present including the present director, Laura Todd, and assistant director, Mary Jane Todd.

Interesting plans were made for a social, and members are urged to be present at the hall next Saturday afternoon at the usual meeting time, 2 o'clock.



J. F. Donley, Ranger oil man now drilling a well near Graham, is spending a few days with Mrs. Donley at their home, Strawn highway.

Miss Eva Littlejohn is in Rig Spring, where she is visiting as the guest of friends.

Mrs. J. E. James of Ranger route 3, was a visitor in town Saturday and paid a visit to the Times office.

Improving After Operation
Joe Don Meroney, who underwent major surgery for a boil in his head several days ago at a Dallas hospital, is reported to be slightly improved.

City Beauty shoppe To Open Monday

Mrs. Margaret Walker announces the opening of the City Beauty Shoppe, 118 North Austin street, on Monday, Jan. 13.

The new beauty shop has all new equipment with individual booths and special prices are being offered for the first ten days. Mrs. Walker comes to Ranger from Fort Worth, where she was

Monday afternoon Bible class, 3 to 4 o'clock.

Lesson, Phil. 3. We anticipate the largest class of the year for this study. Wednesday Evening Bible lesson, 7:15. Lesson, First Peter, 4th chapter.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
H. H. Stephens, Pastor

9:45 a. m. Sunday school, Les Taylor, superintendent. Teachers and officers on time at 9:30. Be on time.

11:00 a. m. Preaching by pastor, subject, "The New Year's Challenge to Our Church. Special Music by ladies' quartette."

2:30 p. m. B. T. U. and Sunday school zone meeting at Olden Baptist Church.

2:30 p. m. Meeting of auxiliaries to W. M. U. at Breckenridge, First Church.

6:30 p. m. B. T. U. under direction of J. D. Nichols.

7:30 p. m. Preaching by pastor, subject, "In Him Was Life."

Special music girls' quartette.

Monday, 2:30 p. m.—The W. M. S. will meet in circles for Bible Study in our mission book, Chapter IV.

Tuesday, 7:30—The Y. W. A. will meet at the church with Mrs. George Robinson, sponsor.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Prayer meeting, led by pastor, subject, "A Revival in Central Baptist Church."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
L. B. Gray, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., S. B. Baker, Superintendent.

Morning Worship 11 a. m. Sermon theme, "Holiness and Habits."

Evening Worship 7:15 p. m. Talk on "Choosing and Following Christ."

Junior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Mrs. H. D. Smith, Superintendent.

Ladies' Auxiliary, Monday 3 p. m. Place to be announced.

Theodore Roosevelt said, "In education in things moral and spiritual is most necessary to the making of the highest type of citizenship. 'If we believe that statement, we will be found in God's house at the time appointed, seeking a word from Him who said, 'Learn of Me, and ye shall find rest for your souls.' Come to church, today."

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A CORRECTION
In the issue of Jan. 1 it stated that twin sons were to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gre when the name should have Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McGregor, twins were named Dan R. Don L.

SHERIFF SEIZES POLICE
FORT DODGE, Ia.—The lost one of its police squad when it lacked cash to pay a judgment in a personal suit. The sheriff's office seized machine.

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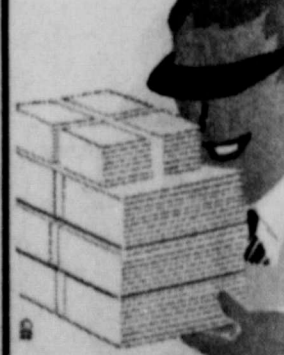
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