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EASTLAND, TEXAS, TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 31, 1933

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Shannon Denied Bond to Hunt Ransom Money

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MILLIONNAIRE IS RELEASED BY KIDNAPERS

By United Press
MARSHALL, Mich., Oct. 31.—Louis E. Brooks, millionaire manufacturer, kidnaped last night by two men and a woman, was found on his farm two miles south of here today.

Brooks' face was cut and bruised. He refused to make any statement about the abduction until he conferred with an attorney.

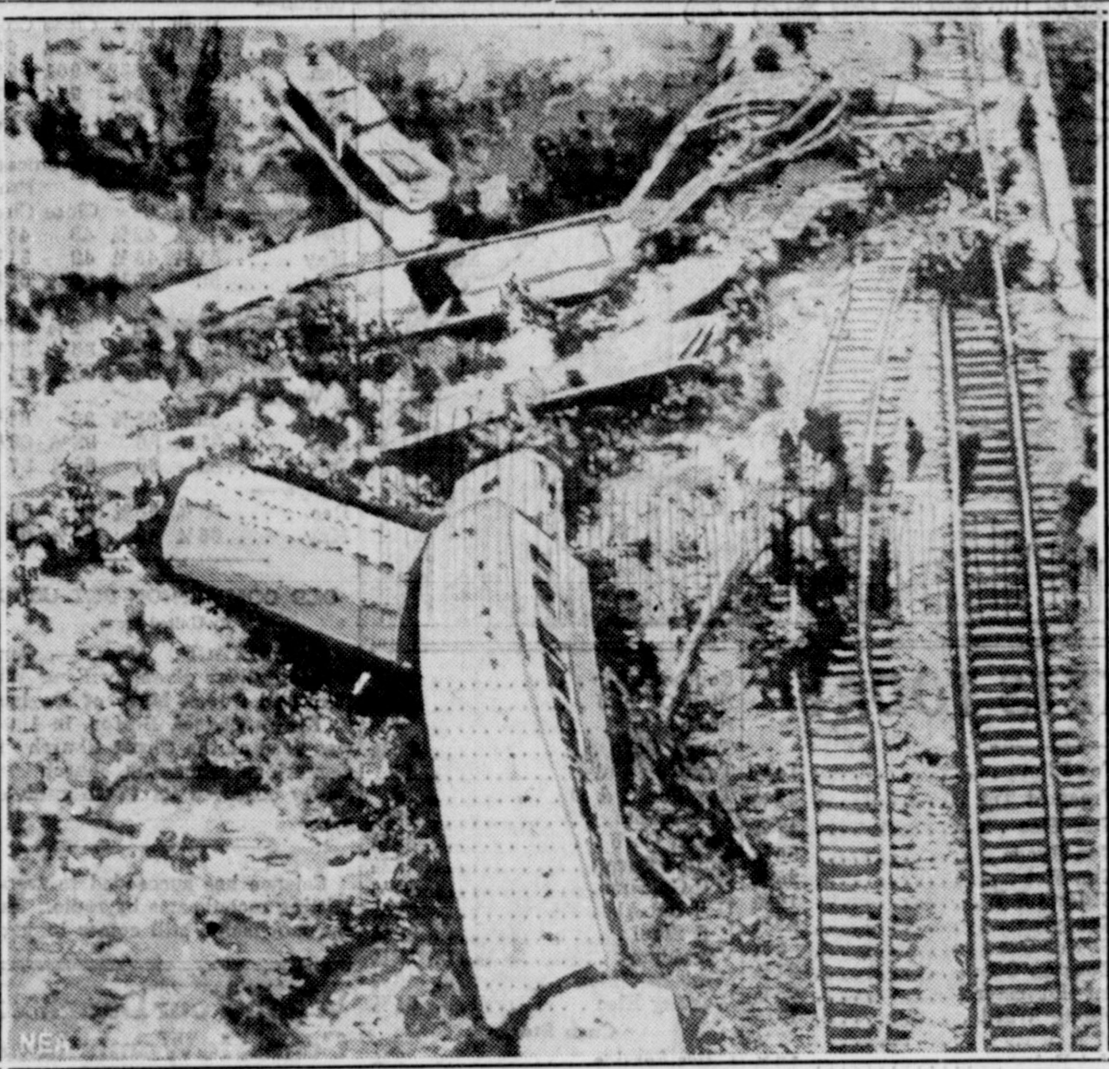
He said the men and woman forced him to take them to his manufacturing plant here. He was forced to open the door. The men seized the night watchman at the plant and bound and gagged him with adhesive tape.

The manufacturer was ordered to lead the way to the company safe. Under threats of the men he opened it and they took a small amount of cash.

Brooks said he was then led back to the street and forced to re-enter his car. After driving to a point three miles south of Battle Creek they forced him out of the car.

He recovered the ignition key to the automobile, which the kidnapers hid under a culvert, and made his way back to his own farm.

Where 30 Perished in Wreck of French Express



More than 30 passengers were killed and 50 injured when spreading rails sent the Cherbourg-Paris express hurtling into the River Iton near Evreux, France, at a mile-a-minute clip. This picture, flown to London and cabled to NEA Service and this paper, shows the shattered wreckage of the wooden coaches.

Davis Attends 2 Day Trade School In Fort Worth

H. C. Davis, secretary-manager of the Eastland Retail Merchants association, has returned from Fort Worth where he spent two days attending a school of instruction in Retail Merchants association work. Between 60 and 70 secretaries from over the state were in attendance and Mr. Davis says the instructions received were very beneficial.

The second day of the meeting the visiting secretaries were the guests of the Fort Worth Retail Credit Men's association at a noon luncheon.

An address by W. H. Watson, credit manager for the Magnolia Petroleum company, was one of the features of the program. Mr. Watson's address stressed the part the retail merchants' associations are playing in the stabilizing of business in the state.

William Collier, representing the Better Business bureau of Dallas, was also one of the principal speakers. He discussed the co-operation the retail merchants' associations are giving and can give in curbing gyp advertising schemes and worthless stock schemes.

Seized As Shield By Thug; Slain



Seized by a fleeing robber for a shield while he waged a gun duel with police, Miss Edna Kingsley, 26, above, Toledo, O., stenographer, was slain by a bullet from the bandit's pistol as she struggled to escape. The robber, Donald J. Elliott, 20, was captured and charged with murder.

SAYS HE MAY LOCATE BATES' SHARE OF LOOT

Hyde Rejects Plea for Freedom To Try To Find The \$120,000.

By United Press
OKLAHOMA CITY, Oct. 31.—A \$10,000 bond posted for temporary release of R. G. (Boss) Shannon, convicted in the Urschel kidnaping case and given a life sentence, was rejected today by the government.

The Texas farmer was in county jail here, pleading with a conference with Urschel, the kidnap victim, and saying he might be able to help find part of the missing \$120,000 ransom money, when United States District Attorney Hyde rejected the bond. Hyde's action appeared to end any chance of Shannon's going home before he begins his life term.

The district attorney said there was nothing new on the reported negotiations in progress between the Urschel interests and unnamed persons for return of part of the missing ransom money.

Hyde denied knowledge of such negotiations. A blind ad in a Fort Worth newspaper appeared again today.

From his jail cell, Shannon told the United Press he had overheard Albert Bates, who drew a life sentence in the case, telling "Machine Gun" Kelly that he had \$120,000 of the ransom buried "safe and sound." Shannon said he thought he could furnish information that might locate the money.

At Fort Worth Mark McGee, attorney, admitted inserting the ad in the newspaper, but refused to make a statement. McGee has served Urschel as attorney in several legal cases.

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Convicts Freed For Aid Given For Research

By United Press
JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 31.—Ten Mississippi convicts were free today in consideration of volunteering to sleeping sickness tests on the state penal farm.

For four weeks the convicts were bitten by mosquitoes infected with the virus of sleeping sickness disease.

Federal and state medical authorities endeavored to determine if the germs were transmitted by the mosquito.

PUMPKIN JOINED NRA

By United Press
BOWERBANK, Me.—A pumpkin seed owned by Charles Clarke has a right to echo the NRA slogan "We Do Our Part." Planted the past summer, this solitary seed grew a vine which produced 14 pumpkins.

CHURCH TO BE BREWERY

By United Press
FLINT, Mich.—The Methodist Episcopal church building, site of a brewery before prohibition, will become a brewery again after repeal of the 18th Amendment, brewery officials said today.

MOHAIR CROP BOOMS

By United Press
SAN MARCOS, Tex.—Mohair growers of this section will receive more than \$4,000,000 as a result of the sale of the 1933 fall accumulation. The clip exceeded 100,000 pounds.

SPURNS WEST CURVES

By United Press
NEW ORLEANS.—Mae West curves may be the rage elsewhere but Newcomb College girls continue a celery, cigarette and coke diet to maintain slender, boyish figures.

INDIAN STATUE POPULAR

By United Press
BOSTON.—Few statues in this country attract as much attention as Cyrus E. Dallin's famous work, "The Appeal to the Great Spirit," which for years has stood on the lawn in front of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. More post cards and photographs of this statue—of an Indian astride a pony, with his arms outstretched and his face uplifted—are sold than of any scene or building or statue in Boston.

Open Season on Ducks to Begin Noon Wednesday

The open season on wild ducks begins Wednesday at noon.

Hunters were warned today by game officials that any shooting of the fowls before that hour would subject the offender to federal and state prosecution with the prospects of stiff penalties in the event of conviction.

The bag limit for one day is now 12 ducks, it was also announced. This limit is fixed by federal law and violation will subject the violator to answer charges in federal court at Abilene.

On some varieties of wild ducks federal law places full prohibition of shooting. These include wood duck, ruddy duck and buffhead duck.

It is also a violation of state and federal law to shoot at a duck with a rifle. This law is designed for the protection of hunters, whom a rifle bullet may kill or wound. Enforcement of this regulation will be even more rigorous than that of other game laws, game wardens have indicated.

The regulation placing opening of the season at noon instead of dawn, as formerly, was designed to prevent heavy slaughter of the fowls and their eventual extermination. By noon the ducks will likely be well scattered and the shooting less plentiful. Warned, the ducks will become more wary for future mornings, it is said.

No state or federal license is required to be purchased for shooting within the confines of the hunter's home county. Outside that county, however, the hunter is required to pay a two-dollar fee for a state license.

Other regulations emphasized for the opening of the season are: It is unlawful to shoot 30 minutes before sunrise and after 30 minutes after sunset.

It is unlawful to shoot from motor boat, sail boat or tow, or from automobile or airplane.

It is unlawful to use any gun other than an ordinary shotgun not exceeding 10 gauge in caliber.

SHOWDOWN ON MONEY PLAN IS FORESEEN

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Another showdown on the nation's monetary policy was foreseen in official circles today as a result of confusion over President Roosevelt's gold program.

Business was puzzled over plans for domestic and foreign gold purchases.

These were apparently intended to force depreciation of the dollar as a means of bolstering the commodity price structure. But uncertainty and conflicting opinions and indications of the result raised the prospects of new moves.

"If this does not work in raising domestic prices," one of the country's economists told the United Press, "the only alternative is the printing of money."

The government raised its prices on newly mined gold to \$32.12 an ounce today, an overnight advance of 16 cents an ounce.

To Raze Bridge Honoring Girl

By United Press
BOONE, Iowa.—The Kate Shelby bridge, which has stood since 1881 as a monument to the bravery of a 15-year-old girl, will be torn down this month.

In 1881 the main line of the Chicago, Northwestern Railway passed through Moingona, Iowa, between Ogden and Boone. One night Kate Shelby, who lived near the Des Moines River, discovered that high water seriously had weakened the bridge.

Legends of her deed agree that she seized a lantern, fled across the tottering bridge just in time to stop an on-coming passenger train.

A few years later the Northwestern rewarded her by appointing her station master at the then busy station at Moingona. The new bridge was named after her.

Later a shorter route across the Des Moines River lowlands was surveyed and the Moingona route became a minor side track in the railroad system. Miss Shelby remained station master at the point until her death several years ago.

The railroad recently announced that the bridge and the entire trackage of the Moingona route would be dismantled.

Avery to Seek Out Code Violators

By United Press
DALLAS, Oct. 31.—Sherwood Avery, district manager of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, today embarked on a three-month campaign to unearth violations of NRA codes of fair competition.

Avery was granted a furlough from the bureau post to give all his time to the job of NRA compliance director for the district which comprises North Texas and Oklahoma. In his new position he will receive all complaints of codes.

Kelley Murder Story to Be Told Before Grand Jury

By United Press
EDINBURG, Texas, Oct. 31.—A week from today county authorities expect to outline before a grand jury a story of the slaying of Claude Kelley, son-in-law of County Judge E. C. Couch, which has been unsolved since 1929.

George C. Beck, 42, formerly a resident of the lower Rio Grande valley, and two Mexicans and Cam Hill, are charged in connection with the slaying. Confessions have been obtained, according to officials, from the Mexicans, and Beck assertedly made a statement which outlined the plan to slay Judge Couch.

Allegedly by mistake, Kelley was slain, while he was occupying Couch's room.

Bank Officials Released on Bond

By United Press
WACO, Oct. 31.—Two officials of the First National bank of West, which was robbed Friday, today were at liberty under bond of \$2,500 each on charges of embezzlement, extracting and misapplying funds of the institution.

The officials are Howard J. Ellis, cashier, and J. L. Popp, assistant cashier.

Call Issued For Bank Statements

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Comptroller of the Currency O'Connor today issued a national bank call for condition as of Oct. 25.

By United Press
AUSTIN, Oct. 31.—State Banking Commissioner E. C. Brand today issued a call for reports by state banks upon their condition on Oct. 25.

Extradition of Insult Denied

By United Press
ATHENS, Greece, Oct. 31.—The Greek appellate court today declined to extradite Samuel Insull to Chicago. The court ruled Insull was not subject to extradition on charges against him. He was released.

PARDON GRANTED

By United Press
AUSTIN, Oct. 31.—Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson today granted a full pardon to Oral Whitefield, Nolan county, convicted in April, 1933, of violating the liquor law and sentenced to one year.

\$147,000 Smile— \$2.50 Bargain



She's entitled to this smile, for Mrs. Barbara Frank, wife of a New York City house painter, just has heard the great news. Her \$2.50 sweepstakes ticket was worth \$147,000 and now she doesn't care if her husband never gets another paint job—nor does he.

Many Witnesses Are Before Grand Jury

A constant stream of witnesses poured in and out of the 88th district court grand jury room this morning and from the number of witnesses on the waiting list at 11 o'clock this morning it appeared that it might take all day to dispose of them if all of them were to be heard.

The grand jury reconvened Monday for the purpose of finishing its business for the term and making its final report to Judge Patterson.

Seven Are Held In Detroit Riots

By United Press
DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 31.—Seven men were lodged in jail, industrial plants guarded and 3,000 policemen held in reserve today to prevent recurrence of rioting which marked efforts of several hundred men to force tool and die workers in a strike.

Red River Dam Plan Is Before Board

By United Press
WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Data and engineering details of the proposed \$36,500,000 Red river dam near Denison, were presented today to the Mississippi area drainage board by the Red river committee headed by O. N. Floyd, chairman, of Dallas, Texas.

PASTOR RESIGNS

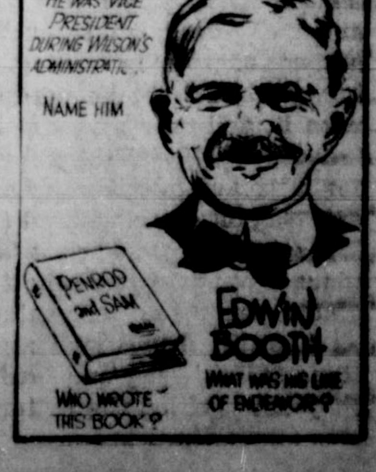
CISCO, Oct. 31.—The Rev. James L. Smart, who was entering his fourth year as pastor of the East Side Baptist church, here, today is leaving with his family for San Antonio where he has accepted a call to the Alamo Heights Baptist church.

Rangers Claim High Officials Are Aiding Ring

By United Press
DALLAS, Oct. 31.—Charges made by state rangers that a high state official was blocking efforts to uncover a North Texas stolen merchandise ring today produced repercussions expected to register as far away as Austin.

Smoot Schmid, Dallas county sheriff, was at the state capitol and despite his assertion the visit had nothing to do with the investigation, it was believed he would not miss the opportunity to check up on the charges.

THREE GUESSES



HE WAS VICE PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF BOOKSELLERS AND PUBLISHERS. NAME HIM. EDWIN BOOTH. WHO WROTE THIS BOOK?

EASTLAND TELEGRAM

FRANK A. JONES AND E. HINRICHS, Publishers
Published every afternoon (except Saturday and Sunday) and
every Sunday morning

Member Advertising Bureau -- Texas Daily Press League
Member of United Press Association

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC:

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Obituaries, cards of thanks, notices of lodge meetings, etc., are charged for at regular advertising rates, which will be furnished upon application.

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Single copies \$5.00
One week \$10.00
One month \$25.00
Six months \$125.00
One year \$250.00

ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS PAYABLE IN ADVANCE

A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

ROAD TO TRUE RICHES: Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matthew 6: 33.

TEXAS LAWMAKERS AND THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS

Texas lawmakers called together in special session completed the grist and adjourned. They sent to the governor a bill providing for the issuance of \$5,500,000 in state unemployment relief bonds. They adopted ironclad rules directing the manner in which the proceeds of the relief bonds shall be disbursed. A compromise was worked out by a conference committee. It was a substitute for the senate and house bills as originally drafted and enacted. The compromise was adopted by the senate 25 to 3 and the house approved it, 116 to 21.

There is a new setup, so to speak. All the previous local setups were thrown in the discard. Now it is for those who will handle the relief funds to see to it that in the distribution there shall be no favoritism shown, no "honest graft" countenanced, no placing in the hands of those who are able to care for themselves the money which must come out of the pockets of the people who pay taxes and that a clear record shall be made and the books kept open to the people at all times in coming years.

All the people are concerned. All the taxpayers are vitally concerned for the tax load burdens of those who pay have been crushing in recent years and the demand on the part of the few for additional taxation was checked by sane lawmakers for at least the time being.

FLORIDA ORANGE GROWERS ON TOP OF THE WORLD

Florida orange growers are said to be on top of the world this year. Estimated output, 13,900,000 boxes for the 1933-34 season. Commercial grapefruit estimate, 7,000,000, or 1,200,000 less than the 1932-33 crop. As for the estimate of orange production, it shows an increase of 1,400,000 boxes over the 1932-33 showing. Well, the Magic Valley will come back again.

We are not sufficiently well versed in higher economics to argue some points, but it does seem that before real prosperity can be built up there must be more reinforcing of foundations with business-like acumen and a considerable curtailment of the political ingredient.

It seems in some sections that the ancient method of noise as a prelude to seeking new business is being practiced by many business men. That gets them nowhere. The continuous use of newspaper advertising is the only way to get business.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

REX FIELDHOUSE, advertisement manager of "The Scotsman," (Edinburgh, Scotland) Says:

"In a small way, we are all 'beating a drum' of some kind, either by attracting attention to ourselves or our wares. Some beat harder than others and, in many cases, to little purpose. It is the motive behind the beating that really matters.

"Advertisement managers often find themselves in the unhappy position of having to muffle the advertiser's drum, and in some cases to refuse his advertising. The well managed newspaper of today is very anxious to protect its readers by avoiding the publication of any announcement which would tend to mislead.

"Most of the troubles of this world are caused by misguided minorities, who bang away at a tremendously big drum of their own making and purposely turn a deaf ear to any appeal which is not in accordance with their own advanced and selfish views.

"Another drum which is beating big and strong at the present moment is the race by national newspapers for large and unwieldy circulations. After several years in Fleet Street, spent in the midst of 'this wild and somewhat insane atmosphere,' I cannot but feel that this system of bribery, established in order to gain readers, is against the best traditions of the press. A newspaper's aim should be to collect and disseminate news without unduly accentuating the rotten and sordid side of life. But unfortunately, those journals which are today fighting for huge circulations seem to forget this main object of their existence, and seek constantly to excite the public into purchasing and not necessarily reading. If a newspaper is worth reading, it should not be necessary to give something away with it, and once a reader has been gained by the extra inducement of something for nothing, he or she would look for more and more until, finally, the reader with the most extravagant offer collared the so-called reader. Advertising agents whose work it is to advise manufacturers and place advertising on behalf of their clients do not, I am glad to say, place much value on stunt circulation methods.

"Let the drums with a good motive behind them continue to beat long and loud. And the others, the sooner they are muffled the better!"

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—



STOCK MARKETS TODAY

By United Press		Fox Film	
Closing selected New York		Freeport Tex.	
American Can.	87	Gen Elec.	17 1/2
Am P & L.	7 1/2	Gen Foods.	33 1/2
Am & F Pwr.	8	Gen Mot.	25 1/2
Am T & T.	111 1/2	Gillette S R.	10 1/2
Anaconda.	13 1/2	Goodyear.	29 1/2
A T & S F Ry.	45	Gt Nor Ore.	9 1/2
Auburn Auto.	35	Houston Oil.	21 1/2
Avn Corp Del.	6 1/2	Int Harvester.	35 1/2
Barnsdall.	7 1/2	Montg Ward.	17 1/2
Bendix Av.	11 1/2	M K T Ry.	7 1/2
Beth Steel.	27 1/2	N Y Cent Ry.	29 1/2
Byers A M.	20	Ohio Oil.	13 1/2
Canada Dry.	24 1/2	Packard Mot.	3 1/2
Case J I.	62 1/2	Pennet J C.	41 1/2
Chrysler.	38 1/2	Penn Ry.	25
Comw & Sou.	2	Phelps Dodge.	15 1/2
Cons Oil.	16 1/2	Phillips Pet.	14
Conti Oil.	16 1/2	Pure Oil.	10 1/2
Curtiss Wright.	24	Radio.	6 1/2
Elec Au L.	13 1/2	Sears Roebuck.	35 1/2
Elec St Bat.	39 1/2	Shell Union Oil.	7 1/2
Foster Wheel.	13 1/2	Socony Vac.	10 1/2

Southern Pac.	18
Stan Oil N J.	40 1/2
Studebaker.	4
Texas Corp.	23 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul.	36
Tex Pac C & O.	3
Und Elliott.	22 1/2
Union Carb.	37 1/2
United Corp.	5 1/2
U S Gypsum.	45 1/2
U S Ind Ale.	61 1/2
U S Steel.	36 1/2
Vanadium.	17 1/2
Western Union.	46 1/2
Westing Elec.	31 1/2

Curb Stocks	
Cities Service.	2 1/2
Elec Bond & Sh.	15 1/2
Ford M Ltd.	5 1/2
Gulf Oil Pa.	47 1/2
Humble Oil.	85 1/2
Lone Star Gas.	6
Niag Hu dPwr.	5 1/2
Stan Oil Ind.	28 1/2
Total sales, 1,130,000 shares.	
Sterling, \$4.77.	

These quotations are furnished through the courtesy of D. E. Pul-

ANSWERS

to today's
THREE
GUESSES

The sketch is of the late THOMAS R. MARSHALL, of Indiana. BOOTH TARRINGTON wrote the book. Edwin Booth was a FAMOUS AMERICAN ACTOR.

ley, 209 Main street, Ranger:

New York Cotton

Range of the market, New York

cotton— High Low Close Prev.

Dec. 957 944 954 951

Jan. 961 952 961 960

Mar. 977 965 974 972

May 989 979 988 984

Chicago Grain

Range of the market, Chicago

grain— High Low Close Prev.

Dec. 45 42 43 45 1/2

May 51 48 49 51 1/2

July 53 50 50 53 1/2

Oats—

Dec. 34 32 32 34 1/2

May 37 35 35 37 1/2

July 35 33 33 34 1/2

Wheat—

Dec. 89 85 86 88 1/2

May 91 88 88 90 1/2

July 88 85 85 87 1/2

Rye —

Dec. 59 55 56 60

May 66 62 62 66 1/2

OLD COMMONION SET USED

By United Press

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. — Com-

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to King's Chapel, Boston, in 1694,

was used at the Christ Church in

Cambridge when the church re-

cently observed its 174th anniver-

sary.

Science has succeeded in trans-

mitting moonbeams by radio. But

the moonshine still comes in jugs.

When Your Daughter

Comes to Womanhood

Give Her Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound

Most girls in their teens need a

tonic and regulator. Give your

daughter Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound for the next

few months. Teach her how to

guard her health at this critical

time. When she is a happy, healthy

wife and mother she will thank

you.

HERE'S WHY I HAVE
FEWER COLDS
VICKS NOSE DROPS



(Full details of Vicks Colds-Control Plan in ad)

VICKS PLAN FOR BETTER CONTROL

HERE'S WHY I HAVE
SHORTER
COLD



(Full details of Vicks Colds-Control Plan in ad)

VICKS PLAN FOR BETTER CONTROL

Union Leader

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13 To depart by

boat.

14 He has been a

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16 Form of "a."

18 Scoria.

20 Versified.

22 To exist.

23 Railroad.

25 To eject.

27 Types of

starches.

29 To devour.

31 A Bedouin.

32 Aromatic

bark drink.

35 Portico.

37 Street car.

39 Tag.

40 The — has

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42 Units.

44 To accom-

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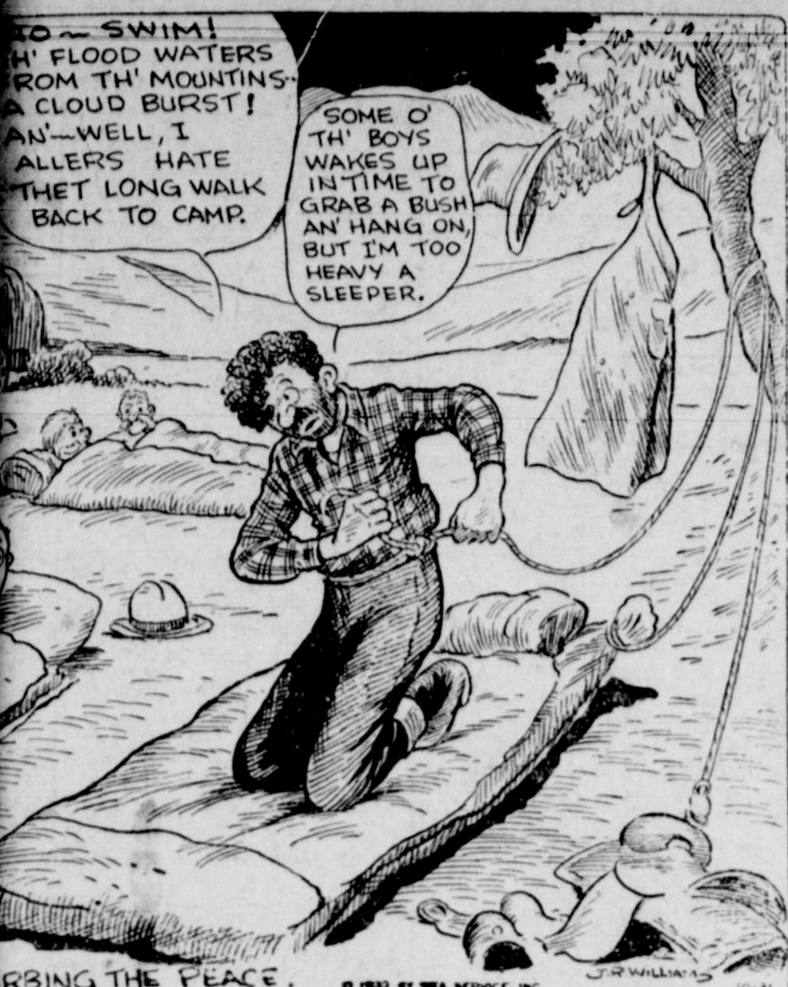
Chesterfield Signal...
T-H-E-Y S-A-T-I-S-F-Y
watch 'em hold 'em!



Chesterfield

the cigarette that's MILDER the cigarette that TASTES BETTER

OUT OUR WAY



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



SUES FOR INFRINGEMENT

By United Press
ST. LOUIS.—The Carter Carburator Corporation was named in a suit filed in federal court here by the Pallas Apparate of Berlin-Charlottenburg, Germany, claiming infringement on patents. In their suit the Pallas Apparate Company asks for an accounting of profits and a restraining order against further alleged infringements.

MACHINE AIDS CLERK

By United Press
BOSTON.—With the aid of a signature machine which makes 19 pens duplicate the writing of whoever controls the master pen, City Treasurer Edmund L. Dolan of Boston recently signed 8,500 municipal bonds, representing \$8,500,000, in 75 minutes. If each

bond were signed separately, the task would have required 16 hours.

Three Bus Lines Form a Merger

FORT WORTH, Oct. 30.—One of the biggest bus line mergers in the history of the bus business was put through today. Southwestern Greyhound Lines, Inc., a new company made up of Southland Greyhound Lines, Western Greyhound Lines, and Southwestern Transportation company, came into being as the result of the deal, according to statements made by officials of the new company.

The three companies involved are among the most important bus systems in America. Southland Greyhound operated lines throughout Texas; Western ran from Chicago to Los Angeles and to Dal-

las, and Southwestern operated from Dallas to St. Louis via Texas.

The new company's headquarters are in Fort Worth. The Greyhound union bus depot in that city has been remodeled and enlarged to make room for the 150 or more new people who will move to the Texas city as employees of the company. Bus men here say the new Fort Worth depot is one of the most modern in the country.

FISH FURNISHED BAIT

By United Press
NEW ORLEANS, La.—Obliging fish even furnish the bait when Electrical Inspector Paul Muller of New Orleans, goes angling. Muller's first catch, a trout, ejected a minnow. The minnow intrigued another trout to catch the hook. Every fish caught after that delivered a live shrimp as bait for the next victim.

TRY A WANT AD—IT ALWAYS PAYS

Nature's Cataclysms Claim Unusual Toll in 1933

Cross Relief Forces Ever on Alert to Avenge Misery of Victims of Earthquake, Hurricanes, Floods, Fires and Tornadoes—Disasters in Year.

A YEAR of economic stress when great effort has been made to mobilize all of the volunteer resources of the nation to meet the day-to-day needs of millions of people for bread and a roof, old Mother Nature to add those with an unusual number of disasters to the general misery.

Annals of the American Red Cross list all of the years of flood, fire, tornado, earthquake and other disasters for the past fifty-two years. In her time 1933, a greater number of persons have to the organization for quick relief in perhaps a less vast magnitude—such as the Mississippi flood, the drought of 1930-31.

In 1933, such a wide variety of unusual cataclysms struck people that the record reached 120 for the year. In 1930—or an average of a serious catastrophe every year—on the wings of these devastating forces, came a hurricane in August and September, laying waste vast fields of corn in Florida and the Rio Grande Valley in Texas, and the resources of fishermen and tillers of the soil along the Atlantic coast from Delaware to North Carolina.

Forty-four Tornadoes
In 1933, from March 14 to June 5—30 tornadoes struck. Had this been one great storm it would have caused less destruction. Red Cross records show 44 of these fierce wind storms, swooping within 24 hours in towns and fields, claimed 326 lives; injured 1,000; and Red Cross relief to be given to 21,735.

Loss and property damage the earthquake of March 1933 was the most disastrous earthquake that had hit the United States in twenty-five years. Deaths numbered 95 and homes, two thousand apartment houses, stores, schools, warehouses, theaters and churches were damaged. Shocks occurred late in the afternoon, when public schools were not occupied. The majority of the damage to the buildings, from falling walls or cornices, was immediately upon the scene, and aided by the fact that organizations soon had temporary tent colonies where several thousand persons were fed and sheltered. In July, the Red Cross brought to the attention of the nation the plight of the 100,000 Red Cross. Emergency aid was given to ten thousand families who were rehabilitated in their homes and the expenditure was for building and repairs, and for medical aid.

Security for Life
The term not always clear to the lay mind. An example is given: A skilled craftsman, 40 years of age, in the quake, himself suffered a broken back and paralysis resulted with the medical opinion that he had no resources with which to meet this crisis. The Red Cross paid funeral expenses for burial of his wife; and medical care; purchased a wheel chair and comfort. The Red Cross will continue to maintain him preparing him through supplying equipment for a



Sheltering the homeless after southern California earthquake.

small shop to become self-supporting after that date. Other striking cases of Red Cross thought for the future of the victims of the quake were evident in the relief work. Another case of a young wife, with two small children and a third unborn, whose husband was killed in the earthquake and who was without resources, may be given as an example. A mod-



Epidemics follow floods. Immunization by Red Cross at Kelso, Washington.

Dramatic incidents of relief during the year were such varied types as rushing food by horse and wagon over mountain trails to 33 placer gold miners and their families in Steep Hollow flat in California; in mobilizing eighteen Red Cross nurses to fight a typhoid epidemic in South Dakota where 250 were stricken and 30 died before the plague was brought under control; and in the vigil of a lone Red Cross nurse on a mountaintop, which she had reached through ploughing hours in a blizzard, to care for twelve men frightfully injured in the explosion of a grist mill. She fabricated medical aids from the meager furnishings of the log homes about her, and succeeded in getting all men to the hospital the next day where all recovered.

Equally helpful but not so dramatic, were the Red Cross relief operations in the cities of Auburn and Ellsworth, Maine, following two great fires early in May. Both fires were fanned by high winds, destroyed

hundreds of homes and buildings. Aid in rebuilding homes and furnishing them was given by the Red Cross to 163 families in Ellsworth and 266 in Auburn. In order to be able always thus to rush relief workers, medical aid and supplies, food, clothing and give shelter when these cataclysms strike, the Red Cross once each year seeks the support of all citizens, asking them to join as members during the annual appeal or roll call. By joining their local chapters, citizens support also the work of the national organization.

While disaster relief draws heavily upon the treasury of the organization, many other vital and varied tasks are carried on. During the past 18 months, the Red Cross distributed government wheat and cotton in the form of bread and clothing to five and a half million families, in all counties in the nation, excepting six. This was the greatest single relief work ever attempted in history. The Red Cross financed the administrative costs which are estimated to amount to \$735,000.

An example of damage of a hurricane. Boats swept inland in York County, Virginia.

Hundreds of children had toys restored after fires, by Junior Red Cross.

Effects of a tornado. Minden, Louisiana.

Thousands homeless as fires devastated two Maine towns. Scene at Auburn.

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For those organizations who do not have a reporter the Telegram maintains a trained reporter in the person of Mrs. W. K. Jackson, who may be reached over telephone No. 288, who will gladly write your reports if you will advise her. The Telegram prefers, however, that your own reporter would write the reports and send or bring them to this office.

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CALENDAR TONIGHT

Y. W. A., 7:30 p. m., Baptist church. Residence Mrs. H. R. Breazeale, hostess.

WEDNESDAY

Eastland County Child Welfare Board, 1:30 p. m., Commissioners' room, Courthouse.

Boys and Girls World Club, Methodist church, 4:00 p. m., Mrs. J. U. Johnson, assistant director.

Intermediate Royal Ambassadors and Girls Auxiliaries, 4:15 p. m., Baptist church. Mrs. L. G. Rogers, director.

Junior Thursday Afternoon club, 4:15 p. m., Community clubhouse. Prayer meetings, 7:30 p. m., all churches.

Called meeting South Ward P. T. A., 3:30 p. m., in school cafeteria. Important business.

Baptist Training School

The Eastland Baptist Training school registered an attendance of sixty-five members at their meeting held Sunday evening in the Baptist church.

Rev. O. B. Darby presided in the absence of their director, Terrell Coleman, who is ill in the hospital in Eastland.

All the unions met, and various reports were made. Rev. Darby stated that approximately sixty awards would be made in the study course held in the church last week.

Hallowe'en Party Saturday Night

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cottingham was thrown open to the young people Saturday night for a delightful Hallowe'en party, hosted by Misses Kathleen Cottingham, Norma Frances Vickers, Bennie Kate Wood and Mary Frances Hunter.

Seventy-five young people danced to radio music, played bridge and had a generally good time.

The hostesses served refreshments of yellow jello with whipped cream topping and black cake with orange icing, the colors in keeping with the Hallowe'en decorations and appointments.

Martha Dorcas Bible Class

The Martha Dorcas class registered a large attendance Sunday. The session was opened by Mrs. Ed T. Cox Jr., vice-president, in the absence of Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite, president.

A prayer by Mrs. C. C. Robey prefaced the business period, when reports were made on the membership contest by the Pink side, Mrs. L. A. Cook, captain.

Miss Ila Mae Coleman, captain of the White side, resigned and Mrs. D. L. Houle was elected in her stead.

The Pinks reported one new member.

A committee was appointed to

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visit the sick of the church in the hospitals, in Mrs. W. E. Coleman, Mrs. Ed T. Cox Jr., Mrs. C. C. Ligon and Miss Ila Mae Coleman.

Mrs. Bell Smith was greeted as a new member. Guests were Mrs. M. M. Perkins and the little child of Mrs. Francis M. Jones.

A fine lesson was brought by Mrs. Robey on "Christian Use of Personal Liberty."

Closing prayer was in unison by Mmes. J. Atchley, J. Noell, W. C. Marlow, D. C. Hawley, J. Dwyer, W. B. Harris, A. J. Treadwell, M. E. Kemp, C. H. McBee, C. C. Ligon, W. L. Godfrey, McEachern, L. C. Walker, D. L. Houle, L. A. Cook, E. T. Murray, Mack O'Neill, O. M. White, Francis Jones, W. E. Coleman, Ora B. Jones, H. C. Davis, J. L. Roper, W. A. Hart, Frank Pierce, W. H. Mullings, Hazel Roper, Ed T. Cox Jr., W. K. Duhr, Ferrell, J. Harkrider, June Kimble, C. C. Robey, Guy Quinn, Miss Ila Mae Coleman.

Meeting of South Ward P. T. A. Called

Mrs. L. Y. Morris, president of the Parent Teacher Association of South Ward school, has called for a meeting of the association at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday in South Ward cafeteria.

Business of importance is to be discussed.

Epworth League Meets

The Epworth League presented a good program at the Methodist church Sunday night. The session was opened by Marshall Coleman, president.

The program, based on the subject, "Questions," dealt with various phases of League work, and was given in talks by Raymond Pipkin, Miss Ima Ruth Hale, Miss Joyce Newman, Boyd Tanner, Orvel Harrell.

Hymns, "Church In the Wilderness," and "Onward Christian Soldiers," and the benediction led by the president, closed the program, directed by Miss Mairied Hale.

Miss Mary Frances Hunter was song leader and Miss Clara June Kimble was pianist for the service attended by Misses Leila Chance, Carolyn Doss, Kathleen Cottingham, Carolyn Cox, Frances Harrell, Joyce Newman, Ima Ruth Hale, Dorothy Sparr, Joan Johnson, Clara June Kimble, Mary Frances Hunter, Jo Earl Utz, Margaret Fry, Lurline Brawner, Catherine Garrett, Doris Lawrence, Catherine Utz, Virginia Stewart, Edith Meek, Maxine Coleman, Edith Rosenquest, Mae Gates, Betty Perkins, Mairied Hale; Billy Satterwhite, Frederick Clarke, Ralph Mahon Jr., Leslie Cook, Marshall Coleman, R. L. Perkins, Jr., Parker Brown, Richard White, Fred Davenport, Hiram Childress, Alex Clarke, Milam Williams, John Hart, Dick Mays, Wendell Seibert, Don Mays, Bob Sikes, Boyd Tanner, Clyde Chaney, Raymond Pipkin, Orvel Harrell.

Junior Thursday Club Meets Tomorrow

The Junior Thursday Afternoon club announces its regular meeting for tomorrow, Wednesday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock in the Community clubhouse.

Miss Ruth Ramey will be hostess for the meeting, and leader of the program, which pivots around the topic, "Group Games and Dancing."

The president, Miss Joyce Johnson, urges every member to attend.

Conference Officers Returned Home

Mrs. B. E. McGlamery and Mrs. Gid J. Bryan, who attended the executive board meeting of the conference of Women's Missionary society of the Central Texas conference of Methodist churches, held in Waco, Oct. 26-27, at the Rebecca Sparks Inn, returned to their homes in Eastland and Ranger, Friday night.

The conference was presided over by Mrs. John W. Spivey, president. Mrs. McGlamery reported as superintendent of literature and publicity for Central Texas conference, in statement covering six months activity.

Summarized, the work showed increased interest in publicity work for the church, following the courses in journalism for churches recently conducted through the conference.

Other reports submitted showed encouragement in the closing of the fiscal year, in greater optimism about meeting financial obligations.

The year closes Dec. 31. The 18 members of the board present represented 10 districts.

The local women were accompanied by Rev. Gid J. Bryan of Ranger, and Mr. McGlamery. No men were allowed at the conference.

Mens 9:49 Bible Class

The Men's 9:49 Bible class of the Methodist church opened their session Sunday morning with president, O. L. Duckett, in charge.

Hymns, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," and "Sweet Peace the Gift of God's Love," with prayer by Rev. Bascom Morton of the Abilene church, prefaced the introduction

of guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Eppler and Rev. Morton of Abilene, and Mrs. O. L. Sparr of Lubbock. Special song, "God's Tomorrow," Frank Pierce, had piano accompaniment by Mrs. T. J. Haley, pianist for the service.

President Duckett appointed captains, to arrange trip to Brockenridge, Sunday morning Nov. 12, in M. L. Keasler and Walter Gray.

Scout committee for next Sunday morn's attendance was appointed in John W. Turner, Milton Lawrence, Joe C. Stephen, R. E. Sikes, J. P. Little.

The lecture by Judge J. E. Hickman, was a wonderful exposition of Paul's Philosophy of Life, a message helpful in its direct simplicity and understanding of human needs.

About 60 members attended.

Eastland County Child Welfare

The Eastland County Child Welfare board will hold its first meeting of the year, tomorrow, Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., in commissioners courtroom, in Eastland county courthouse.

The meeting will be conducted by the president, Mr. Harwell of Ranger, Mrs. Nettie S. Myers of Austin, field worker, has wired she will be in attendance.

County condition of children will be discussed as well as the placing orphan children in homes.

Annual Conference Date Announced

The annual conference of Central Texas Methodist churches is announced for Wednesday, Nov. 8, in Corsicana.

B. E. McGlamery of Eastland Methodist church will attend as a delegate from the Cisco district.

Family Reunion Held

Judge and Mrs. Earl Conner had as their guests for buffet supper, Saturday evening, at their home on South Seaman street, the out-of-town relatives who attended the funeral held for the late Judge Truman H. Conner of Fort Worth, in Eastland at the Methodist church on Saturday afternoon.

After supper a family reunion was held and the evening spent in renewing old associations and memories, between those who lived at a distance, and were brought together on this occasion, and included Mrs. Truman H. Conner; Mr. and Mrs. George Conner and sons, Allen and George Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cole and Mr. Cole Sr., all of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Conner and little daughter of Cleburne, Texas; Miss Margaret Conner of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. T. R. James of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anderson and son, Bobby of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. Foxworth of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Drewery of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dreinhof; daughters Emily and Mary Jane, and sons Billy and Henry of Ranger; Mrs. Maude Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coleman and Robert Coleman of Miles, Texas.

All were relatives excepting Mr. Cole Sr., of Fort Worth.

Booster Class

The Booster class of the Methodist church, showed an increased attendance Sunday. A fine program was enjoyed.

The session was opened by Mrs. D. S. Eubanks, president, with hymn, "Jesus Calls Us," prayer by Ed F. Willman, and hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross," that introduced reports of committees.

Mrs. M. H. Kelly and Mrs. J. C. Creamer stated five visits had been made in interest of church friends.

The president introduced the guests, Miss Lavell Hendrick, Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell, and Miss Ruth Ramey.

The lesson brought by Judge W. P. Leslie, class teacher, was a splendid talk on "Temperance," that appealed to each hearer.

The speaker brought out that temperance in all things was a vital part of life. He chose portions from the scripture, Paul's letters.

Those present were Messrs and Mmes. J. Kraemer, M. C. Daugherty, Ed F. Willman, M. H. Kelly, Mmes. D. S. Eubanks, R. A. P. Pool, C. A. Boles, Ruth Poe Herring, Garland Poe, Arthur Vaughn, J. Frank Sparks, Sam Day, Joe C. Stephen, Frank Hightower, T. M. Collie, W. E. Kelly, Carl Johnson, W. E. Brashier, J. C. Patterson, Ed Everett, C. W. Price, L. Y. Morris, Neil A. Moore, Ruth Kinard; Misses Lillian Thompson, Aline Walker, Mary Thompson, Sibyl Truly.

The meeting closed with the benediction in unison.

PERSONALS

Miss Ellen Sue Gilliland and her brother, Jim of Weatherford, visited their aunt, Mrs. Joe B. Leonard, from Friday to Sunday night.

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"I'M A LUCKY GUY"



"I'm a Lucky Guy" sings Maurice Chevalier—and why not? In his latest picture, "The Way to Love," a Paramount picture, the gay French star makes love to the dainty Ann Dvorak. The picture comes Tuesday Midnight matinee to the Lyric theatre.

Forgotten Sweetheart

by MARY RAYMOND

BARNEY was looking backward and when Joan saw him. Undoubtedly he had been sucking too hard lately. Joan forced herself to be very gay, refusing to listen to the doubts which were all too ready to spring up, unbidden, and plunge her into miserable uncertainty.

Barney, restless, had decided to supervise the erection of the special setting in which Joan would appear at the charity entertainment. For her opening number there was to be an elaborate set with special lighting to be installed.

Her costume was fashioned of green metallic cloth, modeled to her slim form, with a band of the same material for her hair. The song was a fantastic bit about a mermaid who loved a sailor.

The second song was an old favorite, a ballad. For this number she would wear a white frock of stiff starched lace, and carry a quaint, prim bouquet of flowers.

JOAN was in her bedroom, trying on her costumes to be sure they were as they should be. Kate Smith, watching from her seat on one side of the bed, said, "There'll be more millionaires in that crowd tonight than you could shake a stick at! They'll all be bowing and clapping for you, Joan. Singing in the smart world must be pretty grand!"

The smart world. Bob Weston's world. Excitement leaped up in Joan's heart at the thought.

"You're looking beautiful tonight," Barney's mother told her. "It's this dress," Joan laughed. "It looks like green ice. Aren't the scales realistic?"

"Yes, you're a good-looking fish," Kate told her.

The maid from the cabaret lifted the glittering frock over Joan's head and replaced it on the hanger.

Pat, who had slipped into the room quietly, said, "Barney's here and he's looking impatient. He says it's time to start, Joan."

"There's no hurry," said Mrs. Blake. "Plenty of time, Joan, you must do something about Barney's nerves."

"Tell him I'll be ready in two minutes," Joan told Pat. Turning away from the others, she smiled faintly. Tomorrow and tomorrow—all the tomorrows she would be thinking of Barney. But not tonight. Tonight she would be singing in Bob's world.

"Quite a place, isn't it?" Barney was saying as his car, merging with a stream of others, passed through the tall, iron gates.

"Why anyone should want to live in a museum, though, is beyond me," he went on. "There's an immense ball room and they've converted one end into a regular stage. Floor lights and even small boxes theatrical setting. In your honor, Miss Joan Waring. Why, Joan! You're trembling. You're not frightened, are you?"

"No. Just excited," she told him. Oh, she was glad Barney did not know how excited she was, how her heart was beating! She was being silly, of course. With hundreds of other places to spend the evening there was no reason at all why Bob Weston should choose a charity benefit. Just because he went with the Junior League crowd, because

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That Reminds Me

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the holiday season. A fine program is promised for next Monday's trades day consisting of an exceptional rodeo and other free entertainment for the people of this trade territory. Committees are out getting everything ready for a big day. Complete plans for the special Christmas shopping drive have not been completed. H. C. Davis, secretary of the Retail Merchants Association, states that the biggest drive for Christmas business for Eastland in its history is now in the making and announcements will be given out in due time. Merchants are becoming enthusiastic over the project and this is one time that Eastland will do its part to go after business.

Two popular merchants of Eastland have merged their business and are now shaping up their store in their new location in the building formerly occupied by the United Dry Goods company. J. O. Earnest who operated the grocery department in the Cash Grocery and Market, corner of Lamar and Main street and John H. Harrison who operated his grocery and market on West Main street are the two principals who will combine their service to the Eastland trade territory. The wonderful success that these two businesses have had in the past will be an assurance of their future success. Both are valuable assets to Eastland and they have always paid their respects in money and service to every civic, social and religious enterprise in the city. Their new store is of the latest and convenient design for harmony and pleasing contact with the buying public. The store will continue under the name of Cash Grocery and Market.

One can readily understand the magnetism of a community by watching those who keep planning

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to serve more efficiently and expand their business by doing so. Loyalty to a community is exemplified by a business that improves even in times that are not so favorable. Messrs. Earnest and Harrison are fine examples of true loyalty to Eastland. They deserve the confidence of our people.

A mocking bird, it has been discovered, can change its tune 87 times in seven minutes. There's a mark for some of our senators to beat.

A man can get drunk on noise alone, says a western doctor. Especially the kind that goes "glug-glug-glug."

Hollywood is supposed to have lost over \$150,000 in one day's football bets. Now do you see why the salaries mustn't be cut?

While all this confusion about war and disarmament is going on, remember to keep your sense of humor.

Hitch-hiking has kept finger-waving popular among young men, too.

Scientists say human beings lived in Virginia 2,000 years ago. The first families will now have to revise their family trees.

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