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## GERMAN PURGE IS REPORTED AND DENIED

By United Press  
LONDON, Dec. 7.—The Daily Express asserted today that a "comprehensive" political purge was underway in Germany, involving high army officers and civil servants.  
The story said that secret police had arrested about 40 army officers, including generals, and less important foreign office officials. It said high civil officials.  
The newspaper said economic conditions were becoming increasingly difficult in Germany and the popularity of many German leaders was diminishing while Hitler's personal popularity remained as great as ever.

BERLIN, Dec. 7.—A propaganda ministry spokesman, commenting on a Daily Express report of political purge in Germany, said "it is untrue. This is another of those typical propaganda stories."

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 7.—The cabinet of Premier Paul Van Zeeland is expected to resign shortly, according to political sources said today.  
The cabinet crisis developed as a result of the premier's decision to send a representative to the Spanish Insurgent movement.

## PAINTING IS INSTALLED AT EASTLAND P. O.

The mural which the United States Treasury department had ordered for the Eastland post office was installed Tuesday. Postmaster Frank A. Jones announced, Wednesday.  
The mural was painted by Miss Anne Scheuer of San Francisco, commissioned by the treasury department to paint the mural work and had left, Wednesday. The mural depicts a group of men and buffaloes. In the lower right hand corner of the mural shown a horned toad, probably added because of the publicity obtained by a horned toad which slept 31 years in a courthouse cornerstone.  
The mural was installed directly above the entrance to Postmaster Jones' office.

## Two Officers and Convict Are Killed In a Gun Battle

By United Press  
BURLINGTON, N. C., Dec. 7.—A sheriff, who has been in office for two days, and a veteran Burlington city policeman, were shot and killed today when they resisted two escaped convicts robbing a filling station. One convict was killed by a third officer and the other escaped.  
The dead were Sheriff M. P. Robertson, Policeman S. W. Lough, 55, and escaped convict J. Huffman.

## 15 Shopping Days Till Christmas

SHOPPERS WERE LAUNCHING CLEANUP OF NEW YORK STAGE.  
LOOKING BACK TO CHRISTMAS 15 YEARS AGO—Santa was being good to Toronto. Banting and MacLeod, who got Nobel Prize for their discovery of insulin, were being honored by launching cleanup of New York stage.  
Because of change from Julian to Gregorian calendar, practically all Christian world celebrated Christmas on same day—Dec. 25—for first time in three centuries. President Coolidge freed 31 war prisoners.

## Refugee Show In Two States Meet Popular Appeal

By United Press  
DALLAS, Dec. 7.—Officials of the Interstate and Texas Consolidated theatre chains were "very encouraged" today by the advance sale of tickets for benefit shows being given for refugees from Germany.  
"In Dallas we hold about 10,000 advance tickets," said John Adams. "At 50 cents each that means \$5,000 for the refugee fund."  
All the theatres operated by the two circuits in Texas and New Mexico will give the entire proceeds of one day to the fund. Karl Hobbeltzelle, president of the two circuits, said he hoped that between \$75,000 and \$100,000 would be raised.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, addressing a meeting to promote a colony for 1,000 Jewish refugees in Palestine, appealed last night for religious and racial tolerance.

## Three Ranger Men Named On Paper's All-District Team

Three Ranger Bulldogs, all line-men, were named by the Breckenridge American on the "all-district" team selected by that paper. The all-district selections were made from teams in the eastern division of the Oil Belt, since that was the portion of the district in which Breckenridge played, though the Buckaroos defeated Sweetwater in the playoff between the leaders in the eastern and western divisions.  
Ranger players selected on the paper's mythical team are Dewey Brawner, end; Harold Ames, guard and Bob Palmer, center.  
The team selected by the paper as the best in the division is as follows:  
D. Brawner, Ranger and M. Harrison, Cisco, ends.  
George, Breckenridge and Eldon, Brownwood, tackles.  
Collins, Breckenridge and Ames, Ranger, guards.  
Palmer, Ranger, center.  
Ramey, Breckenridge; Rice, Brownwood; O. Harrison, Cisco and Kimble, Breckenridge, backs.

## Woman May Die In Electric Chair In Ohio For Murder

By United Press  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Attorneys for Anna Marie Hahn, scheduled to die in the electric chair for murdering an old man to get his insurance, sought today to get a writ of habeas corpus in the U. S. District Court to prevent her execution tonight.  
Mrs. Hahn was in a state bordering on stupor. She was convicted of killing an old man slowly by repeated doses of poison, and was accused of having disposed of three others.  
Prison officials said they would permit her 12-year-old son, Oscar, to call on his mother at 5 p. m., three hours before she is scheduled to die.

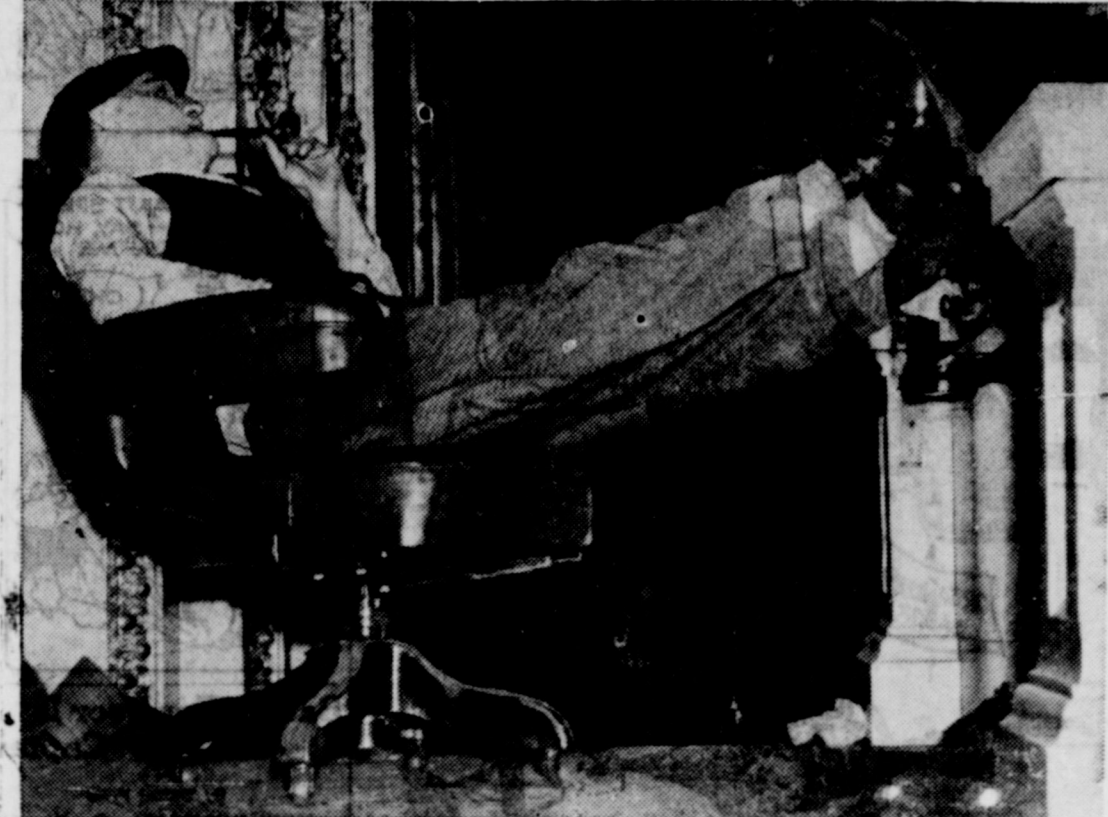
## U. S. Protests Upon Decree About Jews

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles revealed today that the United States had made new representations to Germany in connection with that country's decrees against Jews.  
Welles said the new representations demand exemptions for American nationals and property from provisions of a recent order that Jews abandon the retail business field by Dec. 31.

## Cross Plains Wins In Mav Cage Games

CROSS PLAINS, Dec. 7.—Boys and girls basketball teams of Cross Plains high school swept a doubleheader with the Eastland Mavericks here Tuesday night.  
The boys tripped the Eastland five, 28 to 12, with Jim and Charlie Hutchins as outstanding players for the winners.  
The girls walloped the Eastland girls, 39 to 10. Outstanding for Cross Plains was Juanita Foster, who scored 16 points.

## Mighty Easy Sitting in Seat of the Mighty



Washington sit-down. One of crew refurbishing House of Representatives tries out the speaker's chair.

## Desdemona Citizen Is Foreman of Jury Formed This Week

J. H. Rushing, Jr., of Desdemona is foreman of the December term grand jury organized this week in 91st district court. Rushing was appointed foreman by Judge George L. Davenport.  
No bills had been reported up to noon, Wednesday.  
Other members of the jury are J. E. Stansell of Nimrod, Walter Duncan of Staff, J. V. Heyser of Cisco, W. O. Russell of Gorman, B. B. Poe of Gorman, J. R. Cox of Rising Star, Lee Clark of Rising Star, Everett Parker of Rising Star, Roy Acker of Carbon, Sim Dabbs of Morton Valley and H. C. Kelly of Cisco.

## Damage Suit Is Being Deliberated

Eighty-eighth district court jurors in the suit for damages of B. H. Boggs vs. the Lone Star Gas company, arguments having been completed Tuesday night, were deliberating Wednesday morning.  
The suit arose over allegation by Boggs that one of his children took home explosives from a site where the company had operated and later one of his children was injured when the material exploded.  
Several mistrials have resulted previously.

## Duke of Windsor to Visit In England

By United Press  
LONDON, England, Dec. 7.—The Duke of Windsor will visit England for two weeks, about the end of February, and probably will be accompanied by the duchess, it was reported today.  
It was stated, definitely, however, that he is not planning to visit here. The sole purpose of the visit is that the duke might see his mother.

## Many Expected to Benefit Show In Eastland Today

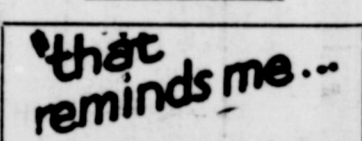
Hundreds of persons today were expected to attend the Texas Consolidated Company, Inc., benefit refugee show today in Eastland at the Lyric theatre.  
All receipts of the theatre, as well as those in other houses of the organization, will go for benefit of European refugees.  
"Peck's Bad Boy at the Circus" was the title of the RKO production showing at the theatre in Eastland.

## Funeral Planned for Former Sportsman

By United Press  
HOUSTON, Texas, Dec. 7.—Funeral services for E. F. Simms, 67, former industrialist and sportsman of Houston, who died in Baltimore, will be held in Paris, Ky., tomorrow.  
Simms lived in Houston for 20 years.

## Plans Formed By WPA Project For Weekly Play Day

A unique treasure hunt will be the high spot of "play day" at the City Park WPA playground Saturday morning. Tournaments in tenonit and badminton will be played off during the events of the morning.  
Children will learn to make gifts for parents in handicraft classes at the city park on Monday and Wednesday and at South Ward Tuesday and Thursday in after-school classes.  
Talent Club members will make rhythm band instruments at South Ward Monday and at city park Tuesday after school.  
At the City Hall auditorium children's tap classes will meet on Tuesday and Thursday after school, women's tap class on Thursday at 7:30 p. m., and stringed band rehearsal will be Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m.



Committees have been working for several days urging folks to buy tickets to the benefit performance being sponsored by the Interstate Theatres at the Lyric Theatre. That this response of the public has been most liberal is gratifying to all concerned.

The final day is here and besides seeing a good clean picture show every dollar that has been taken in will be devoted towards helping the oppressed Jewish and other races in foreign countries. This has been a most stupendous gesture on the part of the Interstate Theatres, and Karl Hobbeltzelle, president, with headquarters in Dallas can well feel that the people of the communities in which his theatres serve them with entertainment are grateful for his unselfish attitude to help those in distress.

If you haven't already bought a ticket from any member of the committee be sure and go to see the show at the Lyric today and do your bit towards this great cause. In Germany particularly there are outstretched hands begging for relief and succor. Every dollar taken in at the theatre will be given to help them. It should be a divine privilege to help in this great cause.

## Expect Decision To Be Reached at Show Group Meet

Decision on the next production of the Little Theatre is expected to be reached at a membership and general meeting Thursday night at 7 o'clock in the Texas Electric Service company clubrooms on East Commerce street.  
The meeting was announced Wednesday by Sam Morrison, Little Theatre president.  
After the meeting the group will be theatre guests of Cecil Barham, resident manager for Texas Consolidated Theatres, Inc.  
Members and anyone interested in the Little Theatre were urged by Morrison to attend.

## Auxiliary Game Tourney Is Set Thursday Night

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Firemen's department is sponsoring a game tournament to be held Thursday evening in the Texas Coca-Cola clubroom in the Coca-Cola building.  
Games of "42", dominoes and Chinese checkers will be played, and price of admission will be a new toy or one in good condition.  
Everyone is invited to attend and aid in filling the needed toy supply box for Christmas. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. W. H. Hennessee, phone number 627.

## Eastland Lions Invited to Attend Show at Breck

Lions of Eastland were invited to a show Thursday of this week in a communication read from the Breckenridge club at a meeting Tuesday at the Connelley hotel.  
The communication from the Breckenridge organization was read by E. H. Jones, Eastland secretary. The show, it was stated, would include variety entertainment and proceeds are for Breckenridge charity.  
A. J. Williams, who was elected to membership, presented the club with a three-layer ice cream cake, product of the company he represents.  
Cecil Barham and L. R. Burnside were appointed members of a committee to arrange programs the remainder of the month.  
An announcement was made that a joint Lion-Rotary banquet Dec. 12 has been postponed until early next year.  
Rev. J. B. Blank, pastor of the First Christian church, was the guest of Barham.

## Demonstrations Against France Are Continued

By United Press  
ROME, Dec. 7.—Anti-French demonstrations were held in several big Italian cities today as newspapers disclosed that Gen. Alberto Pariani, chief of staff of the army, had started an inspection of military bases in Sardinia.  
Demonstrations were held in Turin, Florence and Naples, as well as in other cities.  
There was no indication whether Gen. Pariani's visit to Sardinia coincided only by chance with mounting anti-French feeling, but in any event Sardinia is of great military importance and is only 10 miles from French Corsica.

## Relief Rolls Show Drop for November

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—WPA Administrator Hopkins announced today that relief rolls last week continued their decline from the all-time peak reached in November, and dropped to 3,163,418.  
During the week ended Saturday, Hopkins said, WPA rolls decreased 33,083.

## ACCORD SEEN IN CONFERENCE AT LIMA, PERU

By United Press  
LIMA, Peru, Dec. 7.—The eight Pan-American conference appears certain to endorse President Roosevelt's program for solidarity of the Americas against foreign aggression, it was reported today upon the arrival in Peru of the U. S. delegation, headed by Secretary of State Hull.  
It was learned Brazil plans to introduce a resolution endorsing the United States viewpoint. Well-informed leaders were confident the resolution would be adopted, although some opposition is expected.  
Some sources viewed the plans as offsetting the activities of non-American nations at Lima. Some countries have recently increased lecture and other propaganda methods in South America to counter-attack the effects of the conference.

## Aged Are Warned Against \$1 Plan Over This State

District officials of the State Old Age Assistance commission have warned recipients of assistance against a proposed scheme to extract a dollar from each person on rolls.  
At the same time the officials requested re-publication of the following, taken from a recent issue of the Austin American.  
Needy old people in Texas are being solicited to send \$1 "contributions" to the "Texas Pensions Union," capital station, Austin, on a plea for funds for a campaign to "get your \$30 a month."  
The letters, multigraphed, bear names of Elyander Carson, Dallas, and Oscar L. Guy, Dallas, listed as "co-trustees." The letters are accompanied by printed matter saying the committee is awaiting a decision of Texas supreme court on a mandamus seeking to compel issuance of a state charter to the union. The letters promise that an illustrated magazine of 250,000 to 300,000 circulation, is going to be published, concurrent with a statewide radio campaign, in carrying on the \$30 pension fight.  
The printed matter sent out by Texas Pensions Union invited those who have failed to get pensions to submit their cases to it and "we will do all in our power to help you get your pension."  
The letter, copy of which addressed to an aged Austin woman, has been placed in the hands of public agencies and called to the attention of the Texas old-age assistance commission, says, in part, "Your \$1 gives you a personal interest in this fight... One dollar from every one of you—one no shirking, no one admitting his utter inability to raise just one dollar—will give this movement the character and mighty force that will batter to bits the selfish opposition that has so far kept you from getting your \$30 pensions."  
It told the aged person to whom it was sent that life expectancy implied \$3,996 to each person 65 years of age, and added, "think of it in terms of an investment; the \$1 helps to obtain \$3,996 average for each 65-year-old person."  
Jack Little, old-age assistance director, has pointed out that the contribution of money to such unofficial agencies will not help eligible Texans get on the assistance rolls, nor increase the amount of their pensions.  
So far as administering the present law is concerned, no outside agency be pointed out, can help any aged person in any way, either as to getting on, staying on, or in the amount of the pension. He did not discuss political campaigns for change of the law, or the raising of additional money for payment, under changes in state law and federal regulations, of larger amounts of pensions.

## Anthony Eden Is On Way to America

By United Press  
LONDON, England, Dec. 7.—Anthony Eden, former foreign secretary, is going to the United States "with the assent of the government," Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain told the House of Commons today. Eden is en route to New York.

## Effect of Garner Boom Is Awaited

By United Press  
DETROIT, Texas, Dec. 7.—Supporters of John N. Garner for President in 1940 awaited today to see if other cities and states would fall in line with their "trial balloon" rally, held yesterday at his birthplace here.

Some political observers believed the meeting was an attempt on the part of the administration to keep control of the next Democratic national convention and that Garner might "withdraw" in favor of the leading candidate, if he were not nominated.

## Eastland Visitor

Guy T. Smith, colony school superintendent, transacted business Wednesday in the office of County Superintendent C. S. Elbridge.

## 2 Million Would Soothe Heartache



Much-married Harold F. McCormick, of the farm machinery millions, and Mrs. Olive Randolph Colby of Kansas City, who is suing him for \$2,000,000, charging breach of promise.

## Opinion Expressed On Provisions of Wage-Hour Law

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Acting Wage-Hour Administrator Sifton said today that he did not consider newspapers, banks, insurance companies, telephone companies or radio stations were "service establishments" within the meaning of the wage-hour law, which exempts such institutions.  
He indicated, however, that employees of chain stores in retail branches would be exempted.  
Sifton also warned employers that the law requires them to pay overtime to employees in interstate commerce who work more than 44 hours per week, even if the overtime has not been authorized by the employer.

## Navy Building May Not Affect Budget

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Roosevelt intends to put his rearmament program in effect without much increase in the 1940 fiscal year budget, it was stated today.  
A high administration official said next year's budget would not greatly exceed this year's, despite a large increase in national defense expenditures.  
Meanwhile the navy department revealed the United States, despite the largest peacetime building program in history, has the most antiquated navy of any of the great sea powers.

## Utility Proposal Is Rejected by the TVA

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The TVA today rejected a Commonwealth and Southern proposal that the Securities and Exchange commission be designated to derive a fair value for private utilities sought by TVA.

## ITALY SEEKS GERMAN VIEW UPON DEMANDS

By United Press  
PARIS, France, Dec. 7.—Italy has demanded open support by Germany, of her unofficial but spectacular popular demand for Tunisia and Corsica, it was reported reliably today.  
French-German conversations here were interrupted while German Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop, visiting from Germany, awaited word from Adolf Hitler. Hitler was said to have received a message from Mussolini asking support of the colonial demands.  
French Foreign Minister Bonnet was understood to have put the direct question to Ribbentrop yesterday:  
"What will Germany do if France, in defense of Tunisia, Corsica and Djibouti, goes to war with Italy?"

Ribbentrop was able to give only an incomplete answer, insisting that Hitler had not been forewarned of the Italian demonstrations and that Germany did not support the Italian aspirations, but that the Rome-Berlin axis remains intact.  
In the absence of new instructions from Hitler, Ribbentrop may leave for Berlin tomorrow. His departure will be heavily guarded, as was his arrival.

## NEW OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN BY KNIGHTS

Officers to serve the coming six months were chosen Tuesday night at a meeting of the Eastland Knights of Pythias at Castle Hall.  
F. C. Williamson, Sr., was chosen chancellor commander to succeed Tom Lovelace.  
Others elected:  
J. A. Blackwell, vice chancellor.  
Guy Robinson, prelate.  
K. K. White, master of work.  
Herbert Reed, keeper of records and seals.  
A. W. Wright, master of finance.  
S. L. Bourland, master of exchequer.  
O. L. Pollard, master at arms.  
Noah Byars, inner guard.  
C. C. Street, outer guard.  
J. F. McWilliams, trustee for three years.  
The officers begin their terms Jan. 1.

## Two Cities Study LCRA Power Plan

By United Press  
WACO, Texas, Dec. 7.—The city of Waco had under consideration a proposal to buy its electric power from the Lower Colorado River Authority.  
Nothing definite was decided, members of the city administration announced after officials of the LCRA and the Brazos River district met with them last night.  
Temple city officials planned to call an election at the commission meeting next week on the question of issuing bonds to finance a municipal power project.

## Ranger Masons Will Meet On Thursday

Ranger Chapter Royal Arch Masons will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of conducting the business of the fraternity for the month of December and the last meeting probably for the year.  
The chapter has been active over the year and a number of candidates have been initiated into the several degrees of higher Masonry.  
All members of the lodge are urged to attend this, the last meeting before the new year's work is planned.

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## Democracy Means

## Voting on War or Peace

The next session of Congress will hear much of war and the rumors of war. It will presumably vote money for further expansion of the army and navy. It will speed up production of war planes. It will do other things to perfect the nation's military preparedness.

And it may, just possibly, get around to taking a vote on the Ludlow anti-war amendment.

This is the proposal which would make it impossible for the United States government to declare war—except in case of invasion of American soil—without first obtaining the approval of the people through a nation-wide referendum vote.

It ought to make a first-rate trailer to the preparedness omnibus.

There cannot be any question that the people of the United States, supporting a strong rearmament program, are thinking solely of self-defense. Events overseas have convinced even the blindest, by now, that this world of today is no place for an unarmed innocent. A great nation has great responsibilities, and responsibilities cannot be met nowadays unless there is force to back them.

But the American people, who are putting up enormous sums to make such force available, have a pretty clear notion what they intend to do with it. They don't propose to intervene in European wars or to fight for any but their own vital domestic interests. They want to stay at home and mind their own business, secure in the knowledge that no power on earth can interfere with them in that pursuit.

And passage of the Ludlow proposal would be an excellent means of insuring that their new armaments would be used for that purpose—and no other.

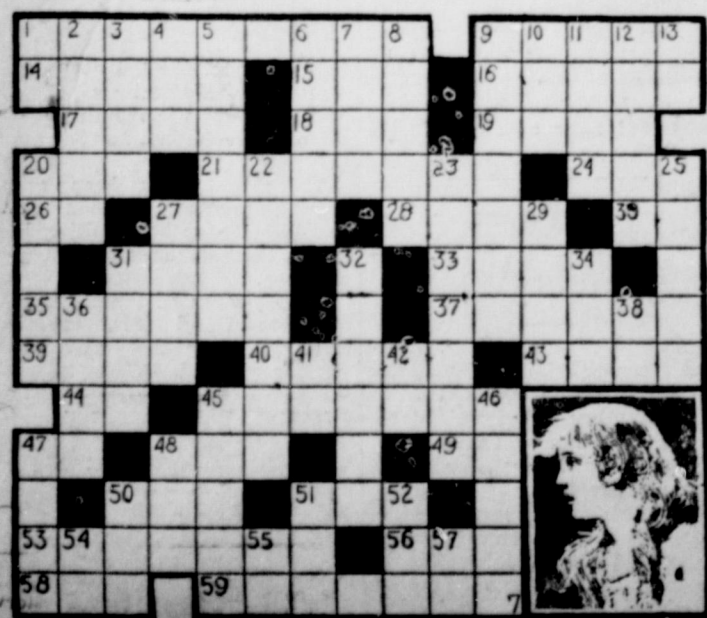
It is a little hard to take some of the arguments against this measure seriously. It is urged, for instance, that such a law would tie the hands of America's statesmen and rigidly restrict them in their conduct of foreign affairs. And that, to be sure, is true—and it's one of the big reasons why so many people think this is a good idea. If restricting the statesmen helps to keep the country out of war, so much the better.

Then there is the argument that the delicate matters of statecraft involved in a possible declaration of war are not things that the masses can properly decide on in a general election. Yet the very theory of democracy is that the people have the right to make their own decisions; and it is a trifle hard to think of any decision of greater consequence than the decision of war or peace. If the people are not competent to decide such an issue for themselves, what on earth are they competent to pass on?

America wants to be able to defend herself against anybody—but she also wants to keep out of war if it is humanly possible. Adding the Ludlow bill to the preparedness measures ought to be a good way of achieving both ends.

## CHILD FROM FICTION

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Plantation owner's child, in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."
  - 9 Her playmate.
  - 14 To worship.
  - 15 To obtain.
  - 16 More capable.
  - 17 Lily flower.
  - 18 To rot flax.
  - 19 Public disturbance.
  - 20 To put on.
  - 21 A Spanish person.
  - 24 Existed.
  - 26 Type standard.
  - 27 Castle ditch.
  - 28 Child's cradle.
  - 30 Exclamation.
  - 31 Without.
  - 33 Small island.
  - 35 Typewriter clerk.
  - 37 Humiliated.
  - 39 To cure.
  - 40 Slothful.
  - 43 Vagabonds.
  - 44 Form of "a."
  - 45 A liar.
- Answer to Previous Puzzle**
- CHARLES HUGHES
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Minor note in scale.
  - 2 Cast of a language.
  - 3 Lacerated.
  - 4 Three.
  - 5 Injuries.
  - 6 Heron.
  - 7 To shift.
  - 8 Garret.
  - 9 To become dull as metal.
  - 10 Kimono sash.
  - 11 Farm tool.
  - 12 Caterpillar hairs.
  - 22 Temporary stitching.
  - 23 Awns.
  - 25 Lean-to (pl.).
  - 27 Correspondence.
  - 29 To tattle.
  - 31 Spread of an arch.
  - 32 Peaceful.
  - 34 Moolev apple.
  - 36 12 months.
  - 38 Type measure.
  - 41 North America.
  - 42 Measure.
  - 43 Bower.
  - 45 Horse.
  - 47 Finger ring.
  - 48 Goddess of dawn.
  - 50 To strike.
  - 51 Onager.
  - 52 Small shield.
  - 53 Compass point.
  - 57 Whirlwind.



## The Situation Remains About the Same



## After Dark!! ... by Rice



## SERGEANT, 70, RETIRES

By United Press  
FORT HUACHUCA, Ariz. — Believed to be the oldest soldier, Sgt. Sandy Gardner, 70, has retired from active service 42 years after he first enlisted in the 25th U. S. (negro) Infantry. He served 30 years in the ranks.

## ALLEY OOP



## Barber For Poor Is Also Fire Captain

By United Press  
NEW ORLEANS—On the city's payroll Charles Wolsch is a captain in the fire department. But to hundreds of the city's needy he is their patron barber who has cut hair for 10 years and never accepted a cent.

"He nearly cried he was so grateful," Wolsch said. In a week or so the man came back by the station. He asked Wolsch if he would cut the hair of a sick friend who was unable to pay for barber service. Wolsch agreed.

On a visit to a New Orleans almshouse, Wolsch noticed that the inmates almost all needed haircuts. He took it upon himself to help them in his spare time.

During the past ten years, Wolsch estimated he has cut the hair and saved the faces of more than 10,000 persons.

It develops now that Hitler has no argument with the U. S. He simply wants to right the wrongs done to the Mormons and Indians.

## Angora Goat Te Scheduled at T

LUBBOCK, Tex.—Texas nological College soon will tests to determine if Angor flocks can withstand the winters on the South Pl Texas and subsist on range.

W. L. Strangel, head of mal husbandry department college, announced that Angora flock, in the form gift of ten goats from the Angora Goat Raisers Assn would be quartered here.

The association made ion of the gift at a recent in Uvalde.

## CHORES or CHOIRS

What will Christmas mean to you this year? A day of aching exhaustion, prefaced by weeks of frenzied searchig, snatching, over-spending? Second thoughts and disappointments? . . .

Or will it mean a day of shining happiness, surging carols and tranquillity? A day upon which you give not only the best from your abundance but the best of yourself to those who love you?

The advertising pages of this publication will be designed from now till Christmas to contribute to traditional peace and good-will. They will save you many weary hours and frustrations. Consult them before shopping for suggestions well priced and well thought out. Make a list of floors; note locations; use your telephone when possible. Then move directly and easily through your gift lists. And greet the great occasion with a tranquil, singing heart, as you'd like to do.

## Postal Receipts For State Show Increase

AUSTIN, Texas.—Reports from 38 representative Texas cities to the University of Texas Bureau of

Business Research show an increase in postal receipts during October of 6.2 per cent over September and a gain of 0.4 per cent over October last year, the bureau has announced.

## SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

SEA Service Staff Writer  
FROM cabbage to Swedish meat balls run this week's requests. The cabbage and meat roll recipe is a little different and the regal Swedish meat balls should prove a tasty answer to the dinner question.

## Cabbage and Meat Rolls

(6 servings)  
Six large cabbage leaves, 1-2 pound ground round steak, 1 tablespoon raw rice, 1 small onion, chopped, 1 teaspoon minced celery leaves, 1 teaspoon minced parsley, 1-2 cup water or stock, seasoning, 2 cups tomato juice.

Plunge cabbage leaves into the boiling water. Cook 2 minutes only. Cut down the heavy midrib of each leaf. Combine round steak, rice, onion, celery leaves and parsley. Season and add water or stock. Place about 1 tablespoon of this mixture at base of each cabbage leaf, then roll up. Back the rolls in a double boiler, pour over the tomato juice, cover and cook 2 hours.

This Swedish recipe as given in the Swedish Princesses Cook book, compiled by Jenny Akerstrom, deserves royal favor.

## Swedish Meat Balls (Kottbullar)

(6 servings)  
Ten ounces boneless tender beef, 10 ounces boneless lean pork, 5-8 cup bread crumbs, 2-4 p 2-4 cups milk, 1 egg, 1 medium yellow onion minced, 2 tablespoons cooking fat, salt, pepper, allspice.

For frying: 3 tablespoons butter or fat.

## Monday's Menu

BREAKFAST: Orange and grapefruit juice, dry cereal, scrambled eggs, nut muffins, coffee, milk.

LUNCHEON: Creamed dried beef on toast, celery stuffed with watercress, wholewheat bread sandwiches, lime gelatin, cookies, tea, milk.

DINNER: Fresh fruit cup, Swedish meat balls, boiled potatoes, eight-minute cabbage, steamed ginger pudding, hard sauce, coffee, milk.

For gravy: meat juice, stock, 1-2 tablespoons flour. Soak crumbs in half the milk. Wipe, trim and cut the meat into small pieces, run through a grinder 4 times, combine with crumbs and knead well. Add egg, seasonings and gradually the rest of the milk. Cook onion in fat without browning, chill and add the meat mixture. Shape meat into balls with 2 tablespoons dipped in cold water.

Fry in fat, shaking the pan and turning the balls to brown uniformly. Remove balls and fry remainder in the same way. Rinse the pan each time and reserve the juice for the gravy. Mix flour with cold water and stir into the juice, cook while adding cream and stock enough to give gravy the desired thickness.

Season to taste, return balls to the gravy to reheat and turn into a serving dish. Serve with green vegetables and potatoes.

SERIAL STORY

# LOVERS AWEIGH

BY BETTY WALLACE  
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**CAST OF CHARACTERS**  
JUDY ALCOFF—admiral's daughter. She faced a choice between two navy suitors.  
DWIGHT CAMPBELL—ambitious lieutenant. He faced a choice between his wife and duty.  
JACK HANLEY—flying sailor. He faced a test of a patient lover.  
MARVEL HASTINGS—navy wife. She faced the test of being a good sailor.

Yesterday Judy drives Dwight to the pier after their turbulent meeting. Arriving home, her mother tells her she has been seen with Dwight, asks if he made love to her?

CHAPTER XXVII

JUDY'S face flamed. She cried angrily. "If we had anything to do with you, think we'd choose Navy Pier for a rendezvous?" But her mother said, "Judy, I know you have never quite rid yourself of being foolish about Dwight. Please don't see him again. He's another woman's husband, and you are engaged to Jack."

"So you—even you—think that?" Because it was true, because Dwight had made love to her, she was even more indignant than she might otherwise have been.

Mrs. Alcott's face clouded. She turned away silently. She had never quarreled with Judy. She simply stopped discussing things. Judy felt cheated, helpless. You couldn't argue with a person who simply went out of the room. You couldn't change Mother's knowledge. She knew. She knew.

The next morning she went to the hospital as usual. Jack was in a wheel chair. "How'm I doing?" he asked happily. "Boy, a few more days, and I'll be walking! Walking right out of here."

JUDY was honestly glad that he was better. But she dreaded his homecoming, now, after what had happened. A week after he got out, they had planned to be married. A week. Suppose he got out in a few days? Queer how all the certainty had left her, just because she saw Dwight again. The serene contentment, the quiet happiness that she had experienced in this room with Jack, contemplating their future, had evaporated. There was nothing now but the old uncertainty, the same

endless doubts, whirling in her mind, never getting anywhere. Commander Sloane dropped in, to pass the time of day. He said, "Pretty soon you'll have your cavalier home, Judy." But in his shrewd eyes was a gleam that told her he, too, had heard the gossip. It didn't take long to travel! It was like leaping flame. Five minutes after a thing happened, every house on the station was ringing with it.

After the doctor went out again, Jack tugged at the heavy Academy ring on his finger. "We ought to do this right," he said. "I'd like you to wear my class ring. At least until I get out and we can pick out a diamond ring—whatever you want."

Judy thought of the square, emerald-cut diamond that Marvel had worn. Everyone said maliciously that Dwight's pay had never paid for it.

She said, "I—I don't want a diamond ring, Jack."

"Diamonds aren't Navy," he said. "But I thought maybe you like them. They're your birthstone. April." He remembered all the little things, she thought, in a sudden wave of tenderness. The colors she liked best, and that she preferred sweetpeas to gardenias. Her birthday. All the dear, unimportant little trifles that because they concerned her were important to him. She wondered wearily if Dwight so much as knew exactly how old she was. He probably didn't.

SHE hugged Jack impulsively, and then put her hand out while he slipped the ring on her third finger. It was far too large. The heavy gold mounting slid to one side. She said shakily, "I'll have to wrap string around it to make it fit."

He touched her chin, and then his lips were pressing down on hers. While he kissed her, she thought steadily, "I'll never do anything to make him unhappy. He's too fine. Too trusting and unsuspecting." But the kiss Dwight Campbell had given her yesterday burned on her lips even while Jack Hanley's mouth touched them.

Wearing the ring, Judy went to Magda Hamilton's cocktail party. It wasn't really a party—just a bunch of people coming in informally for a drink. Two or three

times a week, Magda telephoned everybody she knew and said, "Come over."

It didn't take long for the sharp eyes of the wives to spot Jack's class ring. "Judy!" they squealed. "Oh, how sweet! I'm so glad, darling."

This, Judy told herself, made it official. Irrevocable. She was engaged to Jack Hanley. She was his. She wanted it to be positive. She didn't want to be able to draw back.

"As if I were safeguarding myself from backsliding," she thought. But it was true. She couldn't trust herself. Even her pride had come dangerously near crumbling, that moment in the car when Dwight took her in his arms.

IF Jack were out of the hospital, able to spend most of his time with her, it would have been easier. But there were so many empty hours in which to think! And her thoughts were treacherous. They were all of Dwight.

She was not really surprised when he telephoned her, two nights after she had worn the ring to Magda's. It was as if she had expected his voice. He said, "Judy, may I come over?"

"I—I don't think Mother—" she said, guardedly into the phone.

"I'm losing my mind!" he said. "I've moped around on the ship until I never want to see it again. I must talk to you. Surely there's no harm in our taking a ride together, or going to a movie?" Then he said swiftly, "No, not a movie. Some place where we can—just talk."

He was lonesome. Lost. The empty white house with its cruel memories; the unfriendly ship and the men who knew that Marvel had left him.

"I know how you feel," she said. "But I—I can't get away."

"Please, Judy! It means so much to me!"

"I mustn't," she said, wanting to go.

"You could just get into the car, as if you were going for a drive by yourself. I could meet you in town."

No. No. That would make truth out of all the lies people had said. It would corroborate every whisper; breathe life into every ugly conjecture. Yet she wanted to go.

He kept pleading with her. "I'm like an outcast," he said. "Like a pariah. Nobody talks to me. Nobody cares—Oh, Judy, just for a few minutes, couldn't you see me?" So in the end, even though she knew it was wrong and that she had no right to go while she wore Jack's ring, she said, "I'll be at the same corner, in ten minutes."

(To Be Continued)

## "OUT OUR WAY"

By Williams



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duggan and children of this community visited in the home of Mr. M. O. Proctor Saturday and Sunday.

A. F. Casey visited in the home of B. F. Vinson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hindman and daughter visited Andrew Garrett and family Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. T. Williams spent Wednesday through Sunday visiting in Seymour with her father and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duggan had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duggan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Mann visited in the home of T. B. Wheeler and family Sunday.

Mrs. Todd and son, Clayton Wayne, and Lola Williams spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duggan.

Naomia Puyer and husband visited her grandmother, Mrs. Breshers Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Williams had Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubey Duggan of Ranger visited in the home of Mrs. Duggan's sister, Mrs. Cox of Rising Star Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seay visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lee Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Griffin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hughes of Eastland.

Mrs. N. R. Nicholas and daughter Treacy, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Casey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wheeler were dinner guests of Mrs. Clayton Todd Monday night.

Gloria Stevenson spent Sunday with Treacy Nicholas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Smith visited in Mineral Wells, Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Duggan and Mrs. J. R. Duggan were shopping in Eastland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Utley spent the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives in Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Duggan and children of Eastland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duggan Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Odgen and Mrs. H. Brashers were visiting in Weatherford Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Falls, Mackie Alford, Lola Williams, Mrs. T. B. Wheeler, Mrs. Clayton Todd and son, Clayton Wayne, were shopping in Fort Worth Saturday.

## FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS-By Blosser



## LONE CEDAR EXPRESSION

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### A HAPPY HOME

It is a home for which every young woman dreams and hopes; it's a home for which every young man toils and saves. In middle age, home is the refuge from cares; the center of the family life that makes this a good world to be in. In old age, home brings contentment and happiness; the memories of cherished days gone by and peace of mind and body.

As Edgar Guest says:  
"Home ain't a place that gold can buy or get up in a minute; Afore it's home, there's got 't be a heap o' livin' in it."

### A THOUGHT

Work today like you are going to live forever, and live like you are going to die tomorrow.

### GOOD SAINT NICK

Down the chimney dressed in red and white, comes a man that is alright. He fills the stockings full of toys, for all the good girls and boys.

—Eudell Griffin, 3rd grade.

### CHRISTMAS TIMES

Trees in a row, trees in a glow,

with candles bright, waiting for Christmas night.

Down the chimney all in red and white, creeps old Santa, Oh! What a sight.

Stockings hung in a row, of all size and color, waiting to be filled, by that good old fellow.

Clayton Wayne Todd, 4th grade.

### CHRISTMAS DAY

Christmas is a happy day, that is what everyone says. For oh! the toys, make happy girls and boys.

—Lois Casey, 3rd grade.

### COMMUNITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seay and family and Mr. Anderson Seay visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Seay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Smith and children visited Mr. and Mrs. McGivens of Mineral Wells last Friday.

## That Quiet Guy in the State Department



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



## JOHN T. FLYNN

By JOHN T. FLYNN  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK—One of the interesting and singular features about the will of the late John D. Rockefeller was that the great oil magnate left among his effects only a single share of stock in a Standard Oil Company.

Of course his Standard Oil holdings had long before been distributed among his foundations, his son, John D. Jr., and his daughters. He probably kept that one share as a souvenir of the vast empire he had created and out of which he had made the foundation of his fortune.

But it is an interesting thing, not generally known, that while Rockefeller made a great fortune out of the oil industry, by far the greater part of his fortune was made after he had ceased to be an oil magnate, after he had retired in fact.

When Rockefeller retired at the turn of the century, he was worth, probably, a hundred million dollars—an immense fortune for those times. Later he accumulated a fortune that was believed to be as much as a billion.

But the striking thing is that this man, in one of the most active acquisitive careers, was able to amass a fortune of a hundred million, while from sheer investment he made almost 10 times as much.

Rockefeller made his fortune out of petroleum when its chief product was kerosene. It was only after his retirement that gasoline became an important product. The automobile was coming along slowly. But after 1910 the auto-

mobile became an omnipresent user of gasoline and very soon the kerosene business was small and aside it.

To most people who follow such affairs it was a surprise that he died possessed of so much as \$27,000,000, large though that may seem. It was generally supposed that he had divested himself of all but a few million—perhaps three or four. By various means he had managed to pipe his vast fortune into the hands of his son and daughters and foundations. He kept a small amount to keep the wolf from the door.

Also he liked to fool around with the stock market. He kept an active account on the stock market all the time, buying and selling it so much because he needed the money but in order to keep from growing rusty. Whether he was a good trader is not known to the public. Many years ago Andrew Carnegie said of John D. that he was the poorest stock market operator he ever knew. As a matter of fact Rockefeller never made much of his fortune that way.

He was not a part of what was known as the Standard Oil gang, which was headed by his brother, William, and Henry H. Rogers. He did occasionally go into some of their adventures with a contribution. But he was never an active participant in all those hectic and daring plunges which made Rogers famous. Rockefeller was not a speculator. He was essentially an industrialist.

And when he died he had converted what he had left almost entirely into the most conservative investments.

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## By HARRY GRAYSON

By MAX RIDDLE  
NEA Service Turf Writer

IT goes without saying that Seabiscuit was the best running horse of any age racing in the United States . . . or anywhere . . . in 1938.

The foremost three-year-old on American tracks this year was Stagehand.

The filly, Jacala, ran the son of Sickle a close second.

Among two-year-olds, our choice goes to the colt, El Chico, with Porter's Mite the runner-up, and the filly, Dinner Date, next in line. Seabiscuit, so narrowly defeated by War Admiral in national poll of last year that he was given a special plaque, stamped an indelible claim on this year's championship of all ages by beating War Admiral decisively in their great match race.

Last year, Seabiscuit made a record which gives him the honor of being the greatest four-year-old that ever stepped on a track. While his record this year doesn't appear as good on paper, it is a splendid one.

SEABISCUIT prevailed in six of 12 starts, got four seconds, and one third, and earned \$130,395. His defeats were generally attributable to heavy weight which he always carried.

War Admiral, with nine victories in 11 starts, rates second only to Seabiscuit. He finished the season with an easy victory in the Rhode Island Handicap, and earned \$90,840. Though he finished the year a very drawn and jaded horse, he proved that he could win at all distances up to two miles.

War Admiral made a large part of his record at the expense of the great mare, Esposa. Another

truly great mare was Jacala, the three-year-old, best of her sex both last year and this.

The three-year-old situation is one in which any one of half a dozen colts could be selected. You can get plenty of argument to the effect that Jacala, the filly, was superior to the colts, although she did not go to the races until September.

When Stagehand was right he showed electric speed, much more so than did Lawrin, good though he was, or Duiker, the plodder. Stagehand's track record-breaking victories give him the palm.

BULL LEA, Menow, and The Chief weren't much more than high-class sprinters. Nedary was an in-and-outer. Thanksgiving and Cravat, though good, were not up to Stagehand.

The two-year-olds were an unusually good bunch, boasting pretensions to future class than is generally the rule.

Unbeaten El Chico won seven straight, including the United States Hotel, Hopeful, and Junior Champion.

Starting improvement by Porter's Mite, new holder of a world record of 1:14.2-5 for six and one-half furlongs, makes him a very close second to El Chico, but on current form the latter rates being in front.

As for the filly youngsters, Dinner Date leads over Incoolda and Smart Crack, the latter an unbeaten winner of six starts.

The year produced the best racing in many seasons in all divisions except that of the three-year-olds. For the rest, there was plenty of class. Most of the horses stayed sound long enough to give some real competition.

Championships were hard-earned and well-deserved.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Wrong. Both men and women have 12 pairs. The belief that women had one more came from the Biblical story that woman was created with a rib taken from man.

## LOCAL—EASTLAND—SOCIAL

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BESSIE TAYLOR, Editor

## Toy Sale Announced

The children of the Primary Department of the Methodist church will have a toy sale in the annex of the bank building on the east side of the square Saturday, Dec. 10. Any one having old toys or other articles which they will give leave them at the Eastland bakery, it was stated. The proceeds of the sale will go to purchase a rug for the primary room.

## Business Meeting Held

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church met in business session Monday afternoon at the church with Mrs. W. S. Adamson presiding.

The session opened with a song, "Stand up for Jesus" with prayer by Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Joe Pearce gave the devotional lesson taken from the 17th chapter of John, on the subject "Let Our Light Shine

for Jesus." Mrs. Frank Lovett followed with prayer.

Officers monthly report were made and a report of the gift box of clothing and food sent to the Buckner's Orphans home was made by Mrs. Overton.

Present: Mmes. Williams, Pearce, Brasher, Adamson, Dakan, White, Jess Siebert, L. D. Williams, Van Hoy, Roy Pentecost, F. Lovett, E. F. Altom, McCord, Lee Bishop, R. A. Lerner, Overton, Nora Andrews, Jared Cartledge, L. V. Simmonds, Carl Springer, B. C. Davis, O. C. Terrell, C. H. O'Brien.

## Present Program on Foreign Lands

The members of the Eastland Young Women's auxiliary of the Baptist church presented a missionary program at a meeting of the Y. W. A. in Olden Monday evening. The session was held in the Baptist church in Olden with Miss McMilliam, president of the Olden group, presiding.

Session opened with song service with welcome extended the visitors by Mrs. Crawford, sponsor of the Olden group and Miss McMilliam with response by Mrs. L. V. Simmonds, sponsor of Eastland Y. W. A.

An interesting program on the conditions and the Christian history of foreign lands was given with Miss Edith Fields as leader. Miss May Taylor, Miss Irene Williams, Miss Faye Taylor and Miss Rama Barber were presented on program. The Eastland high trio, Estell Williams, Faye McCord, Margaret Blythe, gave several vocal selections with Marjorie Murphy at the piano.

At the close of the program period, a social hour was held with refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies served to more than 35 members and guest.

Those attending from Eastland were: Miss Rama Barber, Faye Taylor, Edith Fields, Margaret Blythe, Faye McCord, Estell Williams, May Taylor, Geneva Finley, Georgia Mae Bishop, Florence Barber, Vern Allison, Syble Holder, Alice Mae Sue, Allean Williams, Geneva Seal, Irene Williams, Jo Rick, Marjorie Murphy, Rowena Cook, Bessie Taylor, Mrs. L. V. Simmonds.



Above are scenes from "The Cowboy and the Lady," David O. Selznick's production starring Gary Cooper and Merle Oberon and featuring Walter Brennan and Patsy Kelly. In the layout above Gary and Merle are shown at the top and lower-left while Patsy and Walter are mugging in the lower right. "Cowboy and the Lady" opens at the Lyric Play.

## Met in Home of Mrs. Peterson

The Woman's missionary society of the First Christian church met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Peterson, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and at this time held their Christmas program.

The Christmas motif was carried out in all appointments with a small Christmas tree around which was placed the exchange gifts. The afternoon session opened with the song, "Nearer the Cross" followed by the Lord's prayer repeated in unison. The program for the afternoon was on "Seeing the Multitude."

Stewardship was led by Mrs. L. E. Huckabay on the theme of Planning a Life, closing the song, "Silent Night." Devotional leader, Mrs. C. A. Peterson, presented Mrs. D. J. Fiensy, who gave the invocation with the scripture lesson taught by Mrs. J. H. Caton.

Mrs. T. L. Cooper and Mrs. Huckabay presented Christmas poems in keeping with the program theme.

Mrs. Eugene Day had charge of the program for the afternoon which opened with the topic "Making Christmas A Christmas Festival" given by Mrs. R. Q. Verner. Mrs. Louis Pitzer chose as her subject, "If Christ Had Come to My City."

During the business session, a report of the Thanksgiving gift box to the Christian Orphanage was made with acknowledgement of the receipt of the gifts read.

The written report of the recent convention held in Brownwood prepared by Mrs. N. L. Smitham, was read by Mrs. Day.

After the benediction, a refreshment plate was served to Mmes. J. H. Caton, R. F. Wynne, J. R. Gilbreath, R. L. Gattis, Louis Pitzer, E. E. Wood, Hayne, L. E. Huckabay, D. J. Fiensy, Eugene Day, J. A. Beard, Gene Metz, R. Q. Verner, T. L. Cooper, Clifton, H. D. Hancock, Sallie Day.

## Installation of Officers Held

Rev. P. W. Walker conducted the installation of the newly elected officers at the Monday afternoon meeting of the Woman's missionary society of the Methodist church. Mrs. Wade Thomas, in absence of the president, presided.

During the short business period the society voted to pay \$3 to the rural fund for the school in Houma, La. Mrs. F. L. Dragoo was selected as secretary of the Children's Works. All officers made reports of the year's work as this was Harvest Day for the work of the church.

The annual Christmas party is to be given in the home of Mrs. F. M. Kenny next Monday, Dec. 12, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Mrs. Frank Crowell is to serve as co-hostess. New members of the society are to be special guests for the occasion. Every one is requested to bring a small gift, price not to exceed 25 cents for the exchange of gifts.

Mrs. Dragoo was leader of the program for the afternoon with the theme on Christmas. The songs, "Song in the Air," "Joy to

## Group in City Arranging Week Stay of Brunks

Ted Edlin, long associated with the Brunks Comedians, Texas' oldest tent show, was in Eastland today, accompanied by Mr. Brunk, making arrangements for the show to appear in the city all next week starting Monday, Dec. 12, sponsored by the local Fire Department.

According to information received from these gentlemen, show business is exceptionally good this season for the Brunk organization. This is because of the low price of admission and the elimination of the usual charge made for reserved seats. The price of the show this year is 10 cents to all and no reserve seats.

The opening play, given on Monday night, will be "Come On Mary," a recent Broadway success. Filled with comedy and fast moving in action the plot and the play is sure to please all who attend.

Vaudeville will as usual be offered between the acts of the "Silent Night, Holy Night," "Song in the Air," and "O' Little Town."

Following the installation of officers, Mrs. W. W. Kelly and Mrs. M. H. Kelly gave leaflets, summarizing the work done by the W. M. S. in the different parts of the world.

Those attending Mmes. Bert McGlamery, Garner Kinard, Frank Castleberry, Lola Mitchell, W. H. Mullins, W. P. Leslie, W. F. Daventport, C. H. Smith, O. M. White, Ida B. Foster, Anna Day, B. O. Harrell, Cyrus Frost, Ed Willman, W. W. Kelly, M. H. Kelly, F. L. Dragoo, W. Thomas, J. F. Freeman Jr., Jimmy Harkrider, J. F. Davis, Geo. Brogdon, Rev. Walker.

## Eastland Personal

Charles J. Kleiner, Cisco, was a business visitor Tuesday in Eastland.

Connie Davis of Cisco was an Eastland business visitor Tuesday. Persons . . .

Mrs. J. F. Little of Austin visited in Eastland this week and attended the funeral services of Mr. J. J. Mickle.

## Bologna, Sliced Thin, On Christmas Menu

By United Press

SWEETWATER, Texas.— Police Chief N. B. Hall and Sheriff Tom Wade have entered a conspiracy to keep the city and county jails as near empty as possible during the Christmas holidays.

Hall warned that vagrants need not attempt to get into his jail for Christmas turkey dinners, saying that he would continue the customary holiday menu of bologna, sliced thin, with a couple of slices of bread.

Wade announced the county jail's Christmas menu would be featured by red beans.

Hall allowed his jail inmates three slices of bologna and four slices of bread each for Thanksgiving dinner.

Women prisoners receive the same fare as men.

plays nightly. This will consist of singing, dancing, magic and novelty acts.

The big tent will be located on the soft ball lots and will be well heated. Shows will start each evening at 7:45 with the doors opening one hour earlier.

The Fire Department will no doubt use the funds gained by the appearance of this well known company to aid them in their Christmas activities. It is hoped all will cooperate and make the project a grand success.

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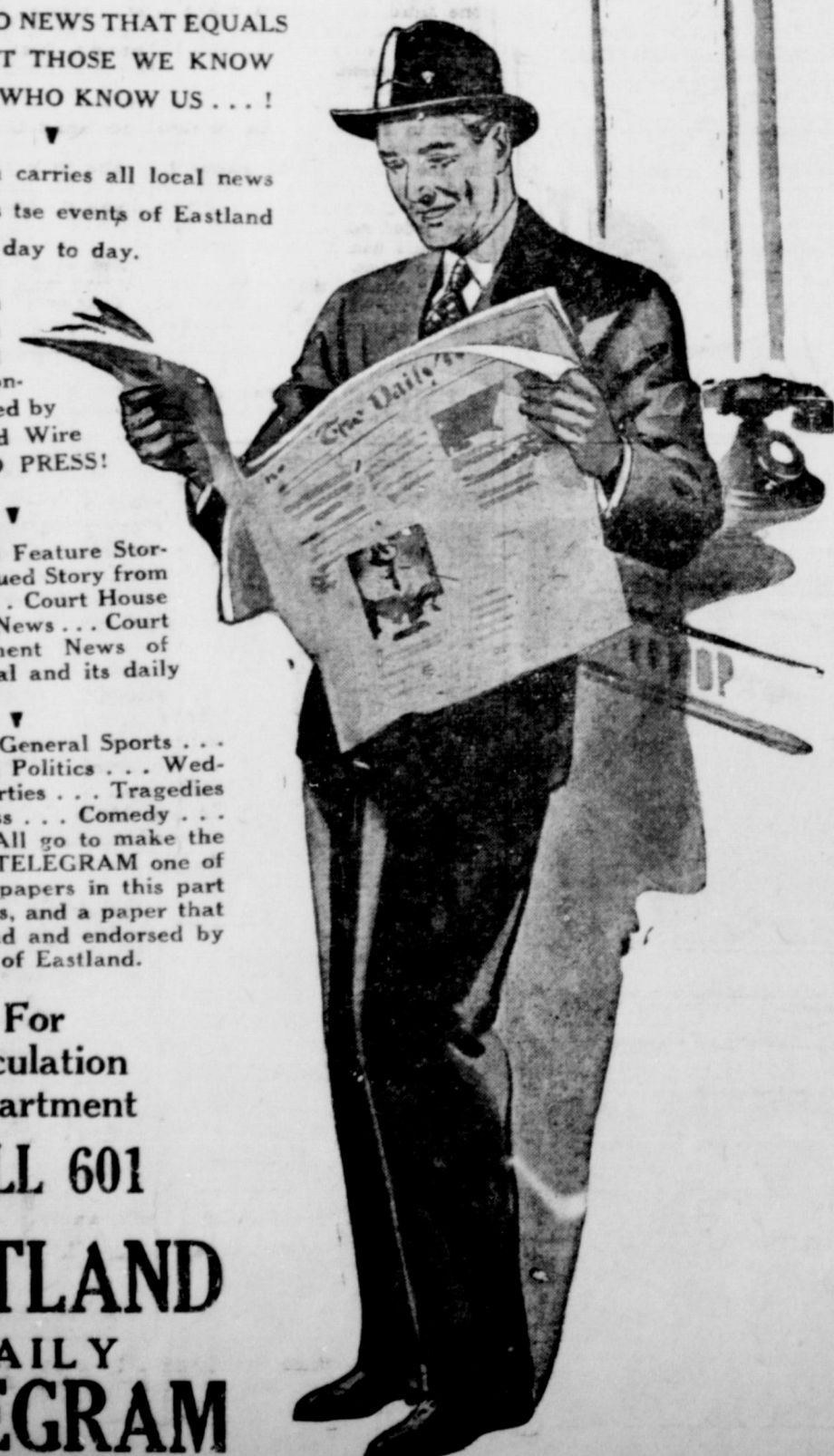
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