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PETE MCKENZIE ESCAPES FROM JAIL

Committee Considers a Tariff On Oil Imports

PEERING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

With BILL MAYES

J. E. Meroney, Ranger postmaster, got a trick pencil for a birthday present. The pencil was black, when turned to a certain point, would project a red lead, making the barrel of the pencil a little farther a green lead would kick out, another twist and a purple lead would be ready for writing and still another twist would produce a black lead. But the trick was getting at it was that the barrel of the pencil was a perpetual calendar. Now it must be that the pencil was turned around to the wrong place, so at it shows Nov. 27 instead of Jan. 27. Anyway, there are still no large posters in the entrance of the post office urging the people to do their Christmas mailing, so he must have become confused on the date. If those posters are for last Christmas they are a month or so old and if they are for Christmas they are something of a 19 months early. We have been wondering about those signs for some time now—maybe someone can enlighten us.

Since the rains of the past few days, people have asked us why we were getting along with Chief Murphy lately. We have answered that we haven't anything to fight about right now, though Mud Avenue is in a bad shape. We are trying to get a new system on him at present. He claimed that the post office block before if "that red headed fellow" hadn't jumped on him, he would be doing something else. He doesn't do anything else, he is going to turn in a fire on the next time it rains red and maybe one of his trucks will slip off in the ditch and stick.

Yesterday was the regular meeting of the Citizens School Committee, but no meeting was held. We presume that their idea, for the present, have been about completed. Through the efforts a large amount of money has been paid—enough to keep the schools open for this year. It is now up to the school board, and they have decided that they are going to collect taxes or else they will close the schools. If they close the schools, the school board, says it is a lawyer is to be retained and let a lawyer to sue everyone who has not paid something on their taxes and made arrangements to pay.

The next meeting of the school board is to be held on the second day in February, which will be Feb. 9, and at that time steps will be taken to start suits on everyone who owes school taxes, Mr. Johnson says.

Commerce night is the time set for the big joint banquet of the Retail Merchants Association and the Ranger Chamber of Commerce. An effort is being made to have every clerk in practically every store in town present, as it is considered an important thing, not only for the merchants, but for their employees, who have already reported that their employees would be sent 100 per cent and others being urged to have their employees present.

Mr. Molyneux, editor and publisher of The Texas Weekly, was one of the best informants of the day on conditions, he was one of the speakers and Mr. Charles E. Coombes, former president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is to be another speaker. Both have subjects that will be interesting and instructive to anyone who attends.

RAIL WORKERS AGREE

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Davidson, spokesman for railway workers, announced today that three of the 21 unions had agreed on their stand on the rail road wage reductions.

PERFECT BRIDGE HAND

SALEIGH, N. C.—Robert Austin was dealt a perfect hand in a game here. He received 13 aces and the bid to seven tricks. The bid was double and Austin won the game.

CHRYSLER BURNS ON DESDEMONA BLVD.

A Chrysler coupe belonging to W. C. Pounds burned on Desdemona boulevard, Ranger, this morning about 9:30. The body of the car was badly burned but the engine was but slightly damaged, according to reports from the Ranger fire department.

PLEA IS MADE BY FRANKLIN FOR OIL TAX

Says Revenue To The Federal Government Would Be 100 Million.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—A plea in behalf of oil independent oil industry for an import tax on oil was presented to the House ways and means committee today by Wirt Franklin, Ardmore, Okla., president of the Independent Petroleum Association.

Franklin in behalf of the association advocated a tariff of 2 cents a gallon on crude oil, 2 cents a gallon on fuel oil, 4 cents a gallon on gasoline and 4 cents a gallon on lubricating oil. He estimated these would bring in \$102,571,202 annually to the treasury.

That the committee is giving very serious consideration to an oil tax indicated further when it adopted a resolution asking the tariff commission for all its recent data on oil.

The independent oil industry cannot exist another year unless imports are reduced, Franklin said.

He asserted American corporations which are importing oil, including the Mellon interests, are waiting until the depression drives independent out of business before buying up the American oil field at "cheap" prices.

"Then you will have a real oil monopoly in this country," Franklin said.

October Teachers Salary Warrants Now Being Cashed

H. C. Wilkinson, president of the Ranger school board, announced today that all state and county available fund warrants issued against October salaries of the teachers were now payable and could be converted into cash.

In announcing the payment of these warrants Mr. Wilkinson said that it should be borne in mind that some of the warrants issued in October were for September salaries and these were not to be converted into cash at this time.

A number of warrants issued against the fund on Oct. 6 are in payment of September salaries. The warrants that can now be converted in cash are against the state and county available fund and bear the notation that they are in payment of a part of the second month's salary of the one to whom they were issued.

Suicides To Prove Life After Death

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., Jan. 27.—Charles E. Butts, 23, University of Alabama freshman, whose weird interest in the possibility of life after death led him to a suicide attempt, lay near death today.

His parents rushed by plane to his bedside. It was doubtful that he would live until they could arrive.

Butts shot himself through the lung yesterday. A note beside the body was addressed to a friend and said, "I have been interested in what the future holds for me and I can wait no longer to find out."

Shoe Dealers Think Good Times On Way

F. N. Hansen and E. L. Martin of Ranger have returned from Dallas, where they attended a convention of shoe dealers.

They report that more than 300 representatives of shoe companies attended the convention and that throughout the meeting a feeling of optimism prevailed.

Every delegate to the convention expressed the belief that 1932 was going to be a much better year and a general feeling that times were getting better was manifested at the gathering.

Louisiana's "First Ladies"



Mrs. Huey P. Long, right, wife of Louisiana's first governor-senator, is shown here shaking hands with Mrs. O. K. Allen, wife of the state's newly-elected governor. Mrs. Long is telling Mrs. Allen that she will soon turn over the state executive mansion at Baton Rouge to her.

SUNKEN SUBMARINE IS SOUGHT

PORTLAND, Eng., Jan. 27.—The British submarine M-2, with 54 men aboard, lay at the bottom of the English channel today while a fleet of ships worked with fading hopes of rescuing the crew alive.

A spot of oil on the surface gave a depressing clue to the submarine's position and led officers to fear the hull of the boat had broken open.

Twelve naval vessels, including destroyers, mine sweepers and patrol boats cruised over a circle of two miles around a buoy marking the supposed location of the submarine. They swept over the sandy bed of the channel 102 feet deep at the point, with nets and cables, trying to hook the lost ship.

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The British admiralty wired relatives of the crew of the submarine M-2 today announcing they were "missing and feared drowned."

Aged Father of Winnie Judd Aids In Her Defense

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 27.—The Rev. H. J. McKinnell, a sternly religious man, who said he would "pray for my daughter's soul but not for her life" did his part today to save the life of the daughter, Winnie Ruth Judd.

The 72-year-old minister testified to incidents in Mrs. Judd's history which the defense says supports the contention, when and if, the murdered Agnes Anne LeROI and Hedvig Samuelson.

Former Mayor Of Borger Held On Drunkenness Charge

KILGORE, Jan. 27.—Homer A. Pace, former county commissioner of Wink, was in jail today in default of \$300 bond, facing charges of drunkenness, abusive language and disturbing peace. He was arrested by Ranger Huddleston last night when a woman ran screaming down a hall at a hotel, complaining Pace had kicked in the door to her room and slapped and kicked her.

Two Stolen Cars Recovered Tuesday

Two stolen cars were recovered yesterday. Constable Bob Hammett picked up a Dodge coupe in Eastland, identified it and returned it to its owner in Mineral Wells.

A car stolen Tuesday night from V. L. Thompson was recovered by the sheriff of Taylor county in Abilene yesterday. It was found on the street there and had not been stripped of any parts.

NAVAL PLANE CARRIERS MAY BE ABOLISHED

By W. G. QUINN-BERRY, United Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON.—The huge naval aircraft carriers, which have cost the United States, Great Britain and Japan millions of dollars, may be doomed at the coming disarmament conference, British experts believe.

Although they represent the newest and undoubtedly the most expensive departure in fighting ships, the aircraft carriers are now regarded as of such dubious value that they are considered "white elephants."

Officers of the British navy, which has six of the big sea-going aircraft carriers, have been slower to come around to this viewpoint than those of America, who have long since begun to regret the enormous sums required to design, construct and reconstruct the Lexington and the Saratoga. Some estimates of what these two vessels have cost America range almost to \$100,000,000.

Since the aircraft carriers were built, inventors have successfully developed the device of catapulting fighting planes from battleships, dirigibles and submarines, and most naval experts now prefer this method of launching planes at sea.

An agreement which allow the aircraft carriers to be disposed of would not be difficult to reach, in the opinion of many experts, since Britain, the United States and Japan are the only powers having more than one. France has one and Italy one.

Patrolman To Start Drive On 1931 Licenses

State Highway Patrolmen Myers and Daniels have received instructions to start making arrests and filing complaints against all motorists who operate their cars without the 1932 license after Jan. 31.

In former years officers have shown leniency during the month of January. The legislature remedied this by allowing the motorist the month of January in which to obtain the new license plates.

No tax collector has authority to extend the time of payment for automobile tax after Jan. 31, according to the state highway department and the patrolmen have been ordered to specialize on violators of that section of the highway laws.

Nine-Hour Day Is Upheld By Court

AUSTIN, Jan. 27.—The state law limiting women's hour of employment to nine hours a day and 54 hours a week was upheld by the state court of criminal appeals today. The decision was in habeas corpus proceedings brought by E. D. Butcher, Houston laundryman.

GOVERNMENT QUILTS

VIENNA, Austria, Jan. 27.—The Austrian government resigned today.

JAPANESE DELIVER ULTIMATUM

By United Press.

SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 27.—A final ultimatum giving the Chinese until 6 p. m. Thursday to comply with Japanese demands, was issued to the Chinese today.

The ultimatum was delivered to the mayor of Greater Shanghai by the Japanese General Murai of Japan. It demanded a satisfactory reply from the Chinese in the time specified, which is 4 a. m. Thursday, central standard time.

Definite action by the Japanese was expected when the ultimatum expires, and Shanghai was prepared for military action with possible bombardment and occupation of all but the foreign settlement.

Admiral Shioyama, Japanese commander in Chinese waters, interviewed by the United Press, said:

"I have received my final instructions. The Chinese may accept the Japanese demands but in our experience the Chinese promises are never carried out."

He issued the ultimatum after representatives of the Shanghai mayor had called on him but failed to deliver a reply. During the long interview he spoke only once.

"Unless all demands are accepted and executed there will be drastic action."

With 10 Japanese warships here and 13 or 14 more due tomorrow, the situation was regarded as menacing. The Japanese have a total of about 2,000 troops ashore while the Chinese have a force estimated at 25,000, supposedly the best troops of their army.

The Japanese demands include:

1. Abandonment of the economic boycott against Japan.
2. Dissolution of anti-Japanese associations.
3. Reparations for the recent disturbances involving Japanese in Shanghai.
4. Apologies for articles in the Chinese press considered insulting to the emperor of Japan.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Secretary of State Stimson said today he was working on the grave international situation arising from the Japanese threats to use force at Shanghai. He refused to answer questions regarding American policy there.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—President Hoover today transmitted documents bearing on the Far Eastern situation requested by the senate resolution passed about a month ago.

GENEVA, Jan. 27.—The council of the League of Nations, with the Japanese and Chinese members absent, convened today after receipt of the news of the ultimatum to discuss the Manchurian situation.

District Masonic Meeting In Cisco Friday Evening

On Friday evening in Cisco a meeting of all Masons in the 73rd Masonic district of Texas is planned, according to announcement by Tom A. Downing of Caddo, district deputy grand master of this district. This is the first meeting of the kind to be held this year.

A program of interest has been arranged and a large crowd is expected to attend. J. W. Cockrell, Gorman publisher, will be the principal speaker of the evening.

This meeting is primarily for officers of the various Masonic lodges in this district but all Master Masons are given an invitation to be present.

Dawes and Jones Are Approved By Committee

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The Senate banking and currency committee today voted a favorable report on the names of Charles G. Dawes, Jesse Jones and Harvey C. Couch as directors of the reconstruction finance corporation.

SEVEN HOMES BURN IN BLAZE AT BALTIMORE, MD.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 27.—Seventeen homes, two lumber yards and a box factory burned today as a fire spread through the east section of the city.

Eleven alarms called out all available apparatus; two fire boats and two police squads were called out and traffic was tied up for several blocks.

More than 100 families carried children and personal belongings to safety as sparks began igniting roofs.

New Asiatic Trouble Spot



Japanese naval reinforcements were landed on the Shanghai waterfront, or Bund (shown above) to back up Tokyo's demands of satisfactory redress for recent fatal attacks on Japanese Buddhist monks.

KIDNAPERS HOLD MAN CAPTIVE

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 27.—Kidnapers today held Howard A. Woolverton, 52, well-to-do and socially prominent manufacturer for \$50,000 ransom after releasing his wife with a warning to raise the money by 8 p. m.

The alternative facing members of the Woolverton family as they conferred on their course, was given as the murder of the husband.

Whether to pay the ransom had not been decided 10 hours after kidnapers trailed the Woolvertons to their home, abducted them in front and took them to an isolated section, two miles east of the city.

Whiskey Popular As Toothache Remedy In Three States

CHICAGO.—Whisky prescriptions books were most popular with Connecticut physicians in 1931, and least popular with Tennessee doctors, the Women's Christian Temperance Union has announced on the basis of government figures.

All but two of the 2,165 Connecticut physicians listed in the American Medical Directory took out books, the organization said. Only 19 of the 2,962 physicians in other states was as follows: New York, 67 per cent; Illinois, 74 per cent; Pennsylvania, 70 per cent; and New England (excluding Connecticut), 65 per cent.

Less than half of the nation's physicians used the books, which were issued to 72,100 doctors out of a total of 156,440.

The W. C. T. U. also reported that all the hospitals in the country took out only 17,281 gallons of whisky during the year, and New York State led the list with a withdrawal of almost one-third the total.

The popularity of whisky as a toothache remedy in Illinois, California and Pennsylvania caused almost one-half of the 21,286 gallons withdrawn by dentists to be used in those three states.

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Markets

Closing selected New York stocks:

American Can	60 1/2
Am P & L	14 1/2
Am Smelt	14 1/2
Am T & T	115 1/2
Anacosta	10
Auburn Auto	140 1/2
Aviation Corp Del	37 1/2
Beth Steel	14 1/2
Byers A M	12 1/2
Canada Dry	12
Case J I	37 1/2
Chrysler	13 1/2
Curtis Wright	1 1/2
Elect Au L	28 1/2
Elec St Hat	30 1/2
Foster Wheel	8 1/2
Gen Carb	20 1/2
Gen Elec	20 1/2
Gen Mot	21 1/2
Gillette S R	12 1/2
Goodyear	15 1/2
Houston Oil	19 1/2
Int Harvester	34 1/2
Johns Manville	19 1/2
Kroger G B	13 1/2
Lin Carb	16 1/2
Montg Ward	8 1/2
Nat Dairy	23 1/2
Para Publix	9 1/2
Phillips P	4 1/2
Prairie O G	4 1/2
Pure Oil	26 1/2
Purity Bak	13 1/2
Radio	7 1/2
Sears Roebuck	32 1/2
Shell Union Oil	34 1/2
Southern Pac	35 1/2
Stan Oil N J	26 1/2
Socony Vac	9 1/2
Studebaker	11 1/2
Texas Corp	11 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulph	23 1/2
Tex Ind & O	2 1/2
Und Elliot	16 1/2
U S Gypsum	21 1/2
U S Ind Ale	24 1/2
U S Steel	38 1/2
Vanadium	13 1/2
Westing Elec	25 1/2
Worthington	19 1/2

Police Guarding Alabama Capitol

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He was placed on probation on condition that he did not go to the cinema for a year. His companion was allowed to go, with a caution.

Newspaper Finds Home For Dogs

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The newspaper carries daily pictures and descriptions of dogs needing homes. Would-be dog owners merely have to call at Humane society offices and prove they can offer the desired dog a good home. Then, after payment of the license fee, the dog is theirs.

DISCOVERY IS MADE BY JAIL KEEPER TODAY

Had Obtained Key, Sawed Grating and Used A Smuggled Rope.

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 27.—Pete McKenzie, notorious El Paso and San Antonio slayer, escaped from the county jail here last night, it was discovered today when a jailer took breakfast to his cell.

McKenzie was sentenced to death for the killing of Detective Sam Street here in 1927, but was saved from the electric chair at the last minute by an insanity ruling.

Jail authorities said McKenzie obtained a key in some manner to the death cell in which he was confined, let himself out, sawed the grating from a window and lowered himself to the ground with a rope believed smuggled into his cell.

Street was slain by McKenzie after he escaped from the penitentiary where he was serving life for an El Paso slaying.

Mother of 33 Is 65 Years Old

PRESIDIO, Texas.—In the Big Bend country of Texas the word "big" can be applied to almost anything in this huge section—even to the families.

And there is one woman living near here who is a mother of 33 children. She is Antonia Lujan Luna, 65-year-old mother, who still retains a youthful appearance despite a busy life.

Two years ago her husband died. They had lived in the Big Bend country, on the United States side of the Rio Grande, for more than 40 years.

She lives in a three-room adobe house, built in the middle of a plot of ground. Around her house are four shacks, in which some of her married children and their families live.

She is active, thinks nothing of walking two miles to the home of one of her daughters, runs her family with an iron hand, and shows more Indian than Spanish ancestry.

Only 19 of the 33 children reached maturity, and 12 of the children are living at present. The oldest is 49 and the youngest, also a boy, is 18. Nine of the children are married. There are 31 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. With the old mother and nine "in-laws" there are 63 living members of this Big Bend family.

Senita Luna said she was born in Ojinaga and her husband in Chihuahua City. She was married when 15.

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THE PRICE OF LIBERTY

The impending Presidential campaign will demonstrate that a couple of hundred men have been given the greatest political power ever wielded by a small group in the history of the country.

This handful of men, with a total investment scarcely as great as that of five large metropolitan newspapers, will be able to give its favored candidates access to the homes and the ears of half the population.

This little group of men, controlling the gate to the ears of half the nation, can tie the strings of its favor to so many candidates, high and low, that it will be able to influence the actions of Presidents, cabinet members and governors, to control law-making bodies and through this control strengthen its political dominance and its economic position.

Three hundred broadcasting stations, representing an investment of less than half a dozen of the country's leading newspapers, owned by a few score corporations and individuals, are able to swing national elections, to determine the trend of our foreign policy, to decide the issue of peace or war.

Already two corporations, tracing their ownership back to common sources, dominate two-thirds of the 300 stations. They have the money and the willingness to buy the rest. They will buy them, they will make of broadcasting the most powerful political instrument ever devised, a private monopoly for their own private use and benefit—unless Congress is encouraged and supported in its efforts to forestall a monopoly in any phase of radio.

Eternal watchfulness is still the price of liberty.

ALL HONOR TO DR. UDDEN

Dr. J. A. Udden gave a life of fruitful service to the University of Texas. The university has acquired most of its material wealth as a direct return from his labors. West Texas has seen one great industry built up and another started as the outcome of his labors and his knowledge and his service to the state.

As a geologist of broad training, he found that the university lands had beneath them a wealth of petroleum. He made surveys and examinations definitely locating the vast store-house of wealth from which over \$100,000,000 worth of oil already has been taken.

The character of the man is clearly shown in that. His knowledge of this wealth was in his possession exclusively. The buried treasure was vaster than any single strike of pure gold ever turned up by man. The distinguished geologist came back to Austin and reported his findings to the university and to the citizenship of Texas, rather than taking personal advantage of it. Results of his work is now transforming the university into a modern physical plant of high rank. The university has been given money with which to build toward its ideals into broader service to Texas and greater usefulness to more people.

So Dr. Udden lived and died, content in his labors, comparatively poor from a material point of view. And properly West Texas moves to honor him in naming for him a memorial upon the university campus. We think the university will do credit to itself, as well as honor to him, to join in such a tribute, with or without looking up the precedents.

CLOSE THE GRAB BAG

When a lumber company cuts and sells timber growing on the public domain, it pays the value of the stumpage into the public treasury; when a power company erects a dam and powerhouse on public land, it pays an annual rental to the federal government for the privilege.

When an oil company drills a well on public land, it delivers part of the well's flow to the United States. The period when Uncle Sam opened the grab bag and invited all the world and his wife to help themselves to public property is gone.

But not entirely. A most important part of the domain controlled by the public is still being administered in the pre-Roosevelt spirit. The broadcasting and communication channels of the ether, used by private enterprise for private profit, are still being given away free of any charge whatsoever. The federal government spends half a million a year in patrolling the ether lanes to protect the channels against trespassers, but not even this cost is borne by the concerns which profit by this patrol.

Many of the channels have reached high values, up to a million dollars. Given away free, they have been sold for this amount, yet their capitalized value is not being taxed.

It is time that Congress, confronted by a huge deficit, rectify the mistake. Oil, gas, timber, phosphate, coal all pay a royalty when taken from the public domain; broadcasting and communication channels used for private profit should pay at least 10 per cent of their gross revenue into the federal treasury.

Transport Lines To Be Air Show Center of Interest

By United Press.
DETROIT, Mich.—American air transport lines will compel greater attention than ever at the next national aircraft show, officials of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce of America, Inc., believe.

The show will be held at Detroit city airport, April 2 to 10.

Figures compiled by the organization show that American airlines carried more than 430,000 passengers during the first 10 months of 1934, an increase of more than 13,000 over all of 1933. During the same period of 1931, 1,879,000 pounds of express, approximately 10,000 pounds of mail were carried, and the planes flew a total of 37,291,938 miles.

The 1932 exposition is the second consecutive display awarded to Detroit.

Chicago babies born in 1932 will each owe \$250 at birth. About their only way out of debt is to grow up and become college football players.

Daring Woman Balloonist Dies In New York Town

By United Press.
PROSPECT, N. Y.—Echoes of 60-year-old newspaper headlines were awakened here by the death of Nellie Thurston Squire, "the most daring woman balloonist of all time."

Mrs. Squire's real name was Nellie Moss. She was born in Troy, N. Y., on May 13, 1846.

Her balloon ascensions were numbered in the hundreds, and her name was prominent on front pages for many years.

A scrapbook was left by Mrs. Squire containing clippings and pictures from scores of leading newspapers featuring her stunts. Among them was an illustrated story of her descent and overnight sojourn in the Canadian wilderness.

And if the country doesn't choose to "Get Rich With Riches" the Democrats will probably have a tough time convincing voters that they will not get baked with Baker.

Aw, Let's Give the Little Fellow a Break!



BY RODNEY DUTCHER

WASHINGTON—Notes from our nation's capital. One hates to get personal, but when this writer first set out for Washington, which was several years ago, he was advised by a distinguished veteran editor that it was just too bad because no one ever read Washington news. . . . Well, if that was true then, one fears that it isn't entirely true now. If there is any reader whom a Washington correspondent can't interest in one way or another, one dares him to write and explain. . . . Probably never was a time when so many folks were looking toward Washington with the hope that the government do something or refrain from doing something. Certainly never was a time when members of Congress were getting so many letters about this, that and the other thing. . . . The unemployed all look toward Washington with the hope that something can be done which will either provide more jobs or give relief. The employed either look here with the hope that something will be done to make their jobs more safe or with the prayer that the government won't make any slips that might make conditions worse. The employers either demand something from the White House or Congress which will stimulate or bolster up special interests or protest against legislative projects in which they have no faith.

THE dries have their eyes on Washington every day of the week and convene here with loud cheers for their friends and dire threats for their enemies. The wets send their pleas for repeal and look here longingly for a strong vote for repeal or modification in this session of Congress—or anything else that will inspire hope. . . . The labor organizations, with millions of members, concentrate here for a fight in the Senate against a couple of new federal judges as well as for several bills. . . . The bankers yell for—and get—federal loans. Also, their depositors and borrowers, all holders of insurance policies and all holders of railroad bonds are vitally concerned in the operation of that National Reconstruction Corporation. And so, to a greater or lesser degree, is everyone else.

EVERYONE who has an income or a fortune or anything else of considerable value is wondering what sort of a tax increase program Congress will pass. Anyone else who thinks the tax program will not affect him is only kidding himself because everyone will have to pay a greater or lesser share of the increase in one way or another. . . . Some veterans are hoping for a cashing of their bonus certificates by this Congress and others are hoping for it from the next Congress, but nearly all are interested in one or more other pieces of veterans' legislation up before the present session. . . . Church members and many others are keeping informed of developments preliminary to the disarmament conference at Geneva, for which the American delegation has recently been selected. . . . Also, of course, this is the year when all Democrats and Republicans are anxiously observing the performance of the administration here, though with different hopes. Until November, they will have their eyes on the White House. And even the Communists are looking here in the hope that the government will break down and give them a chance.

MAYBE you think we're forgetting the children? Well, just tell them to watch the continuing White House Conference on Child Health and Protection, the Children's Bureau's intensified activities and the pending maternity and infancy legislation. . . . Tens of thousands of cities and towns, as well as the states, are taking instructions from Washington as to how to celebrate the 20th anniversary of George Washington's birth this year. . . . But why go on? The rest of the world is watching us like a hawk, for various reasons—debts, tariffs, disarmament intentions and what not. . . . For the present, at least, Washington is not going to be overlooked.

— THIS CURIOUS WORLD —

PEACOCKS
DO NOT HAVE LONG TAILS. THE LONG SO-CALLED "TAIL" FEATHERS ARE REALLY THE FEATHERS KNOWN AS TAIL COVERTS.

TAD EWORMS
SOMETIMES GROW TO A LENGTH OF 50 FEET. EACH SEGMENT CONTAINS A COMPLETE REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM.

BELLE ISLE
A 3,000 ACRE WOODED ISLAND PARK NEAR DETROIT, MICHIGAN, WAS ONCE BOUGHT FROM THE INDIANS FOR EIGHT BARRELS OF RUM, THREE ROLLS OF DEBACCO, AND SIX POUNDS OF WAR PAINT.

GRIPINGS

By GUS

This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what one man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

A pall hangs over the city of Cisco. The folks there were standing the depression very well. . . . at least they were paying city employees in cash and no warrants nor scrip. There are a few excess vacant buildings on the main drag and a few bondholders who'd like to have a few dollars now and then.

But. . . Lookit! The school authorities have kicked four good men off the Lobo basketball team in one fell swoop. And that's bad. I don't see how they get by with it.

According to the Cisco News, the following were declared ineligible: "Chuck" Van Horn, high reaching center and high powered football end; Hightower (you remember Hightower), McCall, captain-elect of the 1932 Lobo football team, and Joe Little.

The Lobo basketball team was undefeated this year, having won five games already and leading the league. Clemo Ray is the only regular left on the quintet. It just ain't right.

The Cisco authorities went to a good deal of trouble to make Hightower eligible to play football. I presume his grades and the grades of the rest of them were all right during the football season. But it's different in basketball and I guess a guy really ought to be making grades this time of the year if he intends to go to school next year.

The Roger Babson of the Eastland Telegram predicts that the curve on the football chart will turn and that such of the young men mentioned as are otherwise eligible will be playing football for the Dana Lobos next fall.

Speaking of Roger Babson, I see by the paper where he really did predict the stock market break in 1929. By gum, this morning is the first time I'd heard of it. It seems that I did hear a little squawking back yonder a couple of years because the break slipped up on some of the wise guys and caught them napping.

And so the efficiency committee of the Texas legislature has to go to New York and Chicago and hire some high powered experts to come down and tell them what to recommend in the way of cutting government expenses. That's as dumb a trick as I ever heard of.

There at least a dozen columnists in Texas who feel fully qualified to reorganize all state departments. . . . and give our friends jobs for a while. The first thing to do is to abolish all committees, send the committeemen fishing

TO THE VOTERS OF EASTLAND COUNTY

I hereby desire to make my announcement for the office of district clerk of Eastland county, subject to the actions of the July primaries.

I am 36 years old, married, and have resided in Eastland county about 34 years. I was reared and schooled at Carbon, Texas, and have been connected with or associated with several business enterprises in the county, among which are school teaching, banking, general mercantile, automobile, and for the past five years have been associated with L. Y. Morris Co., Eastland, Texas, in the general insurance business.

I was in the United States service from Sept. 5, 1917, to Nov. 14, 1918.

In due time it is my intention to see as many voters as possible, and it is my desire to make the race solely upon my own qualifications and merits.

P. L. CROSSLEY.

DEPRESSION CUTS FINES
MOBILE, Ala.—In line with other price reductions of the depression, Judge D. H. Edgington, has reduced his fine for drunkenness from \$17 to \$6.

Couldn't Cook



Myra Rossiter (above) frankly admitted she could not cook, but promised to learn every housewife's art when Bert Armstrong's salary became large enough for them to marry. What happened is told in the new serial, "The Dime-a-Dance Girl," beginning Wednesday, Feb. 3.

Rev. Morris Will Preach At Frankell

Rev. Sam Morris, fundamentalist Baptist preacher, will preach next Friday night at the Frankell Baptist church.

The public is cordially invited to attend the service and to hear Rev. Morris preach.

OLDEST RAILROAD STATION IN U. S.

THOMASTON, Me.—The Maine Central Railroad station here is believed the oldest station in the United States. Built about a century and a half ago as a dwelling, the building originally was part of Montpelier, the estate of General Henry Knox, secretary of war and navy in the first cabinet formed by George Washington.

and keep every legislator out of Austin for four years. The problem would soon solve itself.

Experts give me a pain. They will make their investigations and then try to tell you what they have found in such a way that you can't understand it. An illustration, one time I wrote in to my boss, who was an expert, and I wanted to know how much salary to pay a certain guy the boss had hired and farmed out to me. Well, instead of the boss telling me to pay him whatever he was worth, he got erudite on me and wrote: "Tell Mr. So-and-So that we will compensate him commensurate with his ability." The guy said he wouldn't work for that.

— WE HAVE LOST OUR LEASE —

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Men's Fancy Hose
25c values **25c**

Men's Athletic Unions
75c values; all sizes **25c**

Boys' Knicker Suits
\$10.00 All Wool
sizes 6 to 13 **\$4.11**

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Sizes 2 to 8; 30c values
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Boys' Tennis Shoes
\$1.25 Keds; sizes 12 to 6 **60c**

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How To Give Concert Sponsored By Ranger Seniors

As romantic as any fiction, is the story of Chris Thaulow, young Norwegian violinist who is appearing in a concert program under the sponsorship of the senior class, for he came to America with money in the bank, lost every penny, worked as a butler, and yet turned his misfortunes into a story of good luck, is a story to rival the adventures of a Horatio Alger hero.

Thaulow owns an exquisite violin, one of the 10 Strads in the world. He was born in the family he was born and it hasn't left him since. At the lowest of his fortunes, when he slept in a stable, it was the pillow under his head.

Thaulow's home is in Norway. His father was a famous artist. When Chris began studying music at an early age and at the age of 10 he began conducting orchestras in Christiania and Paris. A few years later he went to Russia to study with the great Leopold Auer, who was in the family of Beethoven, and other noted violinists and he became Auer's assistant instructor.

Five years ago he came to America. With a letter of credit from his father in his pocket he came to New York. He caught a taxi and drove to a hotel. He had a letter of credit from his father in his pocket. He had a letter of credit from his father in his pocket. He had a letter of credit from his father in his pocket.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowan

1. I GUESS I WAS A LITTLE SAPPY WHEN I LEFT IN A HUFF THIS MORNING. SIMPLY BECAUSE GLADY'S TALKED ABOUT DISCAMP TRUEBLUE. I'LL BUY HER A BOX OF CANDY FOR IT.

2. OH! MR. TRUEBLUE!! WHO SAYS I'M NOT LUCKY. TURNING INTO YOU! HERE, GIVE ME THOSE BUNDLES. WHERE ARE YOU HEADING FOR?

3. I WAS JUST ON MY WAY HOME.

4. GOOD! SO AM I.

5. IT'S GLADY! BOY SHE'LL BE SURPRISED WHEN I GIVE HER THIS BOX OF CANDY.

Seeks Award

Larry Harrowgate (above), New York artist, is among those seeking the coveted Shane portrait prize. His romance with pretty Ellen Rosister is told in the leader serial, "The Dime-a-Dance Girl," beginning Wednesday, Feb. 3 in this paper.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser

1. FRECKLES CAN'T SHAKE OFF THE EFFECTS OF THE GAS LIKE OSCAR DID. HIS LESS GAVE WAY UNDER HIM AS HE TRIED TO STAND UP...

2. GEE! CAN'T YOU STAND ON YOUR LEGS, FRECKLES. NOW WHAT'LL MOM SAY?

3. HERE! I GOT AN IDEA. LET TAG AN ME HELP YOU.

4. YES, TRY THAT. I HATE TO CALL AN AMBULANCE. IT'LL SCARE YOUR PARENTS. STIFF.

5. I'LL TRY AGAIN.

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Leo Underwood Funeral Held On Last Sunday

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Burial will be in the national cemetery for war veterans.

Mr. Underwood, identified prominently with musical circles of Wichita Falls for the last four years, left Wichita Falls shortly before the first of the year to seek treatment at the veterans' hospital and had been confined there ever since. He suffered from acute nephritis.

Of Mr. Underwood's numerous activities in Wichita Falls' musical circles, his ability as a band master was probably best known. An accomplished player of wind instruments himself, he was the leader of several bands in Wichita Falls during his residence here. As a member of the Wichita Falls Lions club, it was through his efforts that the Lions club band was organized and molded into the colorful musical organization it is now considered. He was leader and director of this band at the time of his death.

He was leader of the Wichita Falls Municipal band, composed of union musicians of the city, which was in existence here about two years ago. At about the same time he also led the Wichita Falls high school band.

He was considered one of the foremost cornetists of the nation, although his ability was not confined to this one instrument, but covered all wind instruments. During his several years residence here he had a large class of pupils whom he taught in music and band instruments.

He devoted the past 22 years of his life to music, and had played in several notable bands and musical organizations. During the world war, when he served both in America and overseas in the army, he played in a regimental band. For two years, during 1916 and 1917, he toured as a member of the Haggenback-Wallace circus band.

He had served several of the nation's foremost evangelists as cornetist or music leader prior to that time. In 1918 he was for a season with Paul Rader, famous Chicago evangelist. At other times during his career he played in the musical staffs of Will Hogg and Billy Sunday, both noted evangelists.

Mr. Underwood's original home was in St. Louis. However, immediately upon his discharge from the

1. YEAH... I DON'T WANT MOM TO KNOW WHAT HAPPENED... I'LL TRY TO GET UP AGAIN. GEE... DON'T GET AN AMBULANCE FOR ME, MISTER MILLISAN!!

2. COME ON, YOU CAN DO IT!

3. THAT'S THE BOY! BY THE TIME YOU GET HOME THOSE LEGS WILL BE W.K.

4. YES, BUT WHAT IF I GET DIZZY AGAIN, JUST AS I GET IN THE HOUSE? GEE... I WOULDN'T WANT MOM TO FIND OUT!!

5. AW, SHE WON'T... WE'LL TAKE OUR ARMS AWAY FROM YOU WHEN WE GET THERE AN YOU JUST WALK IN AN SAY YOU'RE TIRED AN WANTA GO TO BED!!

Lack of Business Disturbs Society

By United Press.

CARLISLE, Pa.,—Members of Carlisle Horse Protection society decided to disband their vigilante organization after waiting for 10 years to come to the aid of any member whose horse had been stolen.

The last horse theft reported was in 1921, when a horse was stolen from Joseph Smith, a livery stable proprietor. The association sent riders throughout the county. Within two days the horse was found and the thieves prosecuted.

The incident revived the society membership and 35 new members were added. Since that time the enrollment has steadily decreased. When the final meeting was called only 32 members attended. By an 18 to 14 vote the disbandment decision was reached.

The organization was formed in 1894 and at one time had 160 members.

THREE KINDS OF LOVE

By KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Ann and Cecily Fenwick have for years supported themselves, their younger sister, Mary-Frances, and their grandparents, known as "Rosie" and "Grand." Because of this financial responsibility, Ann, who is 28, is unable to marry Phil Ecroyd, young lawyer to whom she has been engaged for eight years. Cecily, 22, loves Barry McKee, an engineer, but when he proposes she refuses to name their wedding date for the same reason.

Mary-Frances, 15, and still in school, believes herself in love with a Erle De Armont, vaudeville actor whom she has met without the knowledge of her sisters. He urges her to leave home and become his stage partner.

Ann and Phil quarrel when she hears Letty King, who works in Phil's office building, address him with endearments. Ann tries to forget Phil by going about with Kenneth Smith, rich and attentive. Mary-Frances agrees to go away with De Armont. The same day Cecily quarrels with her grandfather and drives away with Barry in his car.

Kenneth Smith asks Ann to marry him and she refuses. She comes home to find a note saying her grandparents have gone to spend the day with friends. At 6:30 Cecily arrives with news that she and Barry are to be married this evening.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLIII

Mrs. Hill was sitting in a wicker chair on the front porch reading the evening paper. Ermintrude was on the steps with a book in her lap. Mr. Hill and Uncle Chaney were in the yard bending over the lawn mower, which was turned upside down between them. The four persons and the green lawn, and the white house, and the pink rose hedge composed neatly into an attractive picture of suburban home life. Nothing seemed lacking.

Mrs. Hill looked over the edge of her paper, and smiled and stood, and held out her hand, and said, "Good evening, Miss Fenwick. I'm so glad to see you. Take this chair, won't you? Honey, bring out another chair for mother."

"No, thank you," Ann said. "I can't stay. I'm in a hurry, rather. I came for Mary-Frances."

"Mary-Frances?" Mrs. Hill questioned, more as if she had never heard the name before than as if Ann had said she had come for Bonnie Prince Charlie.

"Yes, I want her to come home with me."

"But, Miss Fenwick, Mary-Frances isn't here. She hasn't been here since this afternoon."

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stations on that highway.

"Then—you don't believe they will be at Bluemount?"

"I hope so with all my heart. But, remember this, Miss Fenwick, sooner or later we'll find her. I'm not a rich man, but every cent I can rake and scrape will go into this—if it needs to. Yes, yes, indeed, I am responsible. I am deeply responsible. Trudie and I reared Ermintrude—"

"No, Mr. Hill. For that matter, so have we reared Mary-Frances."

"You are nothing but girls yourselves—busy girls away from home all day. And your grandparents are—well, that is to say, they are very old."

He stopped the car on the driveway in front of the door and said, as Ann stepped out of it, "I'll telephone to you the minute I hear anything at all. Uncle Chaney will phone if he hears anything. Don't break down now. Don't give up hope."

"I wish," said Ann, "that there were something I could do—anything, besides just waiting for telephone calls. Something. Anything."

"Pray, pray hard. And if you have any friends you can trust, absolutely, to keep their mouths shut now and always, phone them and have them go scouting about on the highways as Uncle Chaney is doing. If they stopped for gas—something to eat—anything, we may get a line. The sooner we can get it the better. I'll find out about his car the first thing and let you know. Then you can tell your friends that much, at least, along with the description of that dirty car and Mary-Frances. A broken striped suit, remember. A blue coat, and a blue dress with smoking."

"Yes, a blue dress. I did the smoking."

Ann went into the house and into the dining room and sat down in a chair, which she had put directly under the telephone, and rubbed her right fist into the damp palm of her left hand, and waited.

The telephone bell.

"Miss Fenwick? This is Joe Hill speaking. The is a 1928 sports model Chrysler, repainted yellow with green trimmings. No news as yet, as I suppose."

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"Too soon yet to hear, you know. Keep up heart. I'll call you again, later. I'm going to see his landlady now, and to the theater."

Ann dialed a number and asked for Mr. Philip Ecroyd. Just a moment please. Mr. Ecroyd did not answer. What with the number again? Walnut 5845. Yes, it would be given to Mr. Ecroyd when he came in.

Ann dialed another number. Mr. Kenneth Smith was not at home. Yes, ma'am, she'd give him the number as soon as he came in. He was pretty late as a rule. Yes, ma'am. Walnut 5845, was it?

Ann waited.

The telephone bell.

"Miss Fenwick? This is Er-

WOMAN'S TROUBLE ... Thought She Would Die

Domat, Texas— "I was taken down with woman's trouble, and thought I would die," says Mrs. S. F. Moore, Box 732. "I suffered death. The doctor said there was nothing for me but an operation. I had then been in bed for five weeks, and could not walk without help. I began to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and the Golden Medical Discovery, also used the Lotion Tablets, and in two weeks people were saying they had never seen anyone mend so fast. Now I'm a well woman, do all my work, and feel good all the time." Druggists sell Dr. Pierce's Medicines.

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AT RANGER HOSPITALS

City-County Hospital
Mrs. Roy Jameson is resting well following an operation Saturday morning.
Mrs. C. G. Melton is very seriously ill.
Miss Maude Weeks is doing nicely following an operation.
Judge Muck is improved.
Ernest Dempsy, who has been quite ill, is improving.
Mrs. W. G. Bryant of Eastland is a patient today.
West Texas Clinic
Mrs. Ty Gransano is doing splendidly after an operation the first of this week.
E. A. Ringold is convalescing from an illness of four weeks.
Miss Edith McCollough is much better.
Earl Brown is somewhat improved.

CAROLINA GOVERNOR'S AUTOMOBILE HAS RADIO

By United Press.
RALEIGH, N. C.—The official limousine of Governor O. Max Gardner of North Carolina now has a radio installed inside. The receiving set is invisible to passengers and is manipulated from the steering wheel.

MARIETTA, O.—Dr. William A. Buworth, oldest alumnus of Marietta college, who married to Mrs. Josephine Wright in Wichita, Kan., one week after his ninetieth birthday. He was a member of the class of 1864.

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SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS

ARRITTA DAVENPORT
Editor
Phone 224 Ranger

Playlet To Be Given
By Hodges Oak Park P-T. A.
Friday afternoon an entertaining program will be presented by pupils of Hodges Oak Park school, sponsored through the P-T. A. and its president, Mrs. O. S. Driskill.
Each room is to supply a number in this special arrangement. Every child attending Hodges Oak Park will participate in the event.
A small admission charge of 5 cents was suggested at the P-T. A. meeting held Tuesday afternoon.

A short business and program period featured the hour prior to the playlet, discussion held in round table form. All parents and friends are invited to attend this program.
Honorary Luncheon
To Entertain Winners of Lone Star Social Club
A well arranged honorary luncheon will entertain the winners of the Lone Star social club Friday afternoon with the pretty affair to be held at the home of Mrs. R. Gordon, Plant No. 108.
The losers, with their leader, Mrs. Felix Harna, have completed all details helping to make this one of the most successful affairs given since the organization of the club. Covers will be laid for the full group of members.

First Year Harmony
Is Studied By "Better Musicianship" Club
Members of the Better Musicianship club met the home of their teacher, Mrs. M. R. Newnam, recently for the regular club meeting.

Opera study has been completed for the last semester. A test was given covering work completed.
First year harmony by Tapper will supply the court of study for the ensuing term. A lesson in "Internal" was interestingly given by Mrs. Newnam.

Members composing the club are Mildred Moorman, Catherine Wheatley, Hazel Mae Erwin, Wilma Carlisle, Catherine Newnam, Mrs. Cull Moorman and Mrs. Dutch Erwin.

Mrs. Caulder Entertains
With Afternoon Social
Mrs. Joe Caulder entertained with a pleasant afternoon social at her home Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 until 5:00, honoring members of the Happy Hours club.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the entire group of members. Mrs. Laura Melton will act as hostess on next Tuesday at the usual hour.

Secret Work
To Be Studied
"Secret Work" will be studied Thursday afternoon when the Ivy Leaf study club meets at the Masonic hall at 2:30.

Members are invited to attend this hour. Mrs. Ben F. Rigby will be in charge of the study.

R. Y. P. U. Is Entertained
With Mr. and Mrs. Ogg acting as hosts, members of the R. Y. P. U. of the Central Baptist Church were entertained last evening at the church auditorium.

Games had been arranged furnishing the hour with varied features of entertainment.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Lucille Patterson, Colette Wilkinson, Virginia Shelton, Waldean Wheat, Lennis Powell, De Ola Shelton, Hazel Davis, Eva Littlejohn, Pauline McGowan and Messrs. Alton Davenport, Loyd Bailey, Garland Powell, Morris Jefferies, Bobby Powell, Ray Holliday, Fat Moss, J. E. Daniels, Elmer Morris, Arnold Pruser, James Brown and Elwood Brown.

For lack of money, some cities are paying their help in scrip. Trouble is, most people will not believe what they see in the paper.

Police Seek Light Billed Sea Gull

By United Press.
SAN FRANCISCO.—Before Mrs. Joseph Robinson, of Chicago, went to take her bath in a downtown hotel, she noticed a sea gull perched on the window sill. Near the open window was a dresser. On the dresser Mrs. Robinson had placed a valuable diamond ring.
When Mrs. Robinson returned from her bath the ring was gone. She asked the police to find the guilty sea gull.

Questions Show Students Drinking

By United Press.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Sixteen per cent of the men students at Syracuse university drink intoxicating liquor, a questionnaire indicated. An additional 3 per cent admitted drinking when not in training. Smoking was indulged in by 29.8 per cent.
Dr. Ernest S. Griffith, dean of the lower division of the university, said he believed the figures were correct.

Blind Flying Saves Fliers

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO.—A deeper appreciation of the value of training in "blind flying" has come to Capt. L. K. Knight and Lieut. Charles G. Percy, latest of the colony of army fliers here to find a practical use for the training they have received.

Caught above a solid cloud bank on a trip from Matamoros to San Antonio, they first despaired of saving the plane and then brought it down safely under conditions that showed both the advantages and limitations of instrument flying.

They went up above the clouds, and Captain Knight steered a compass course for Brooks Field, their destination, but as they proceeded they found the clouds thicker.

Lieutenant Percy's account of the experience continues:
"Then we headed back toward San Antonio. We exchanged notes and decided to go down through the fog to an altitude of 1,000 feet when we thought we were over the field. We planned to 'bail out' if we did not come out of the fog by that time."

"We came on down and Captain Knight was paying very close attention to the instruments, while I was looking over the side for an opening. When the altimeter registered about 1,000 feet, we were about ready to climb back up when the ground came into sight."

"Captain Knight, giving all his attention to the instruments, did not see the ground, so I took the controls and we made a landing on a rough field."

Artificial Leg Is Pained For \$16

By United Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Service extraordinary—that's what Kansas City pawnshops are offering nowadays.

Detective Harry Hirsch, assigned to pawnshops of the city, discovered just how complete this service has become.

Entering a shop, he noticed an artificial leg.
"What's that doing here?"
"We lent a man \$16 on it," replied the proprietor.
"Oh," said Hirsch. "How'd he get out of the shop?"
"I gave him a pair of crutches," was the reply.

\$1000 Offered For His Arrest



Organizing one of the greatest manhunts in the state's history, Acting Governor Robert Burns of Oklahoma has offered a reward of \$1000 for the capture of Charles "Pretty Boy" Floyd, shown above, "dead or alive." Floyd is charged with leading a gang blamed for 19 Oklahoma bank robberies, in which six persons were killed.

PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
PARIS—Better watch your step. Foot prints are changing in the sands of fashion. How? We'll show you.
First, who are the important shoe exponents in Paris? Note them down for here they are: Helstern, Greco, Perugia, Costa, Marouf and Santalari—to name the big six.

Next, what are their ideas about modern shoes. Helstern says that as far as he is concerned, toes are relatively pointed and heels high. For the street he prefers oxfords. For afternoon he feels that the shoe should match the costume—brown, navy blue, green, wine, or black. As for materials, Helstern prefers antelope, lizard and kid.

TWO THRILLS IN ONE VISIT
HERRIN, Ill.—James P. Brown, a tobacco trader, age 88, of Hanson, Ky., came here for a visit recently, and saw his first moving picture and first airplane. He was thrilled by both.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS

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Group Met Monday
With Mrs. Hickman.

A group of young women met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Hickman Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a young woman's circle, composed of women married not over five years.

Mrs. Hickman opened the meeting with an explanation of the different phases of work of the circle.

At the close of the program tea was served at 5 o'clock.

Bad weather prevented a large attendance, therefore the election of officers and the organizing of the circle will take place at the next meeting.

Those present were Meses. F. M. Jones, Charles Fagg, Jack Dwyer, John Miller, John Burke, Robert Ferrell and M. R. Griffin and Mrs. Hickman.

Scale Runners Club
Met Tuesday Afternoon.
The Scale Runners club met with Frances Lane Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 26, at 3:45 o'clock. The president, Frances Lane, presided. Minutes were read by the secretary, Marie Plummer. Roll call response was favorite pieces.

The program opened with the official junior club song by members.

Election of officers was as follows: Constance Lindley, president; Gladys Hoffman, vice president; Ruby Lee Pritchard, secretary; Johnnie Hazel Reese, treasurer; Frankie Mae Pierce, critic; Frances Lane, reporter.

Piano numbers were played by Constance Lindley, Johnnie Mae Murphy, and Johnnie Dora Hart. An interesting practice period from Junior Etude was given by Ruby Lee Pritchard. Piano numbers by Emma Lee Hart, Sybil Patterson, Biography of Fredric Handel by Frances Lane. Song, "My Dollie," by Marjory Murphy.

Piano numbers by Marie Plummer and Frances Lane.
Refreshments of brick ice cream, white loaf cake and devil's food cake was served to Ruby Lee Pritchard, Constance Lindley, Marie Plummer, Jo Camille Lobough, Johnnie Mae Murphy, Mary Page, Gladys Hoffman, Marjory Murphy,

ARCADIA
LAST DAY
TALLULAH
BANKHEAD
in
"THE CHEAT"
with
IRVING PICHOL

Frankie May Pierce, Sybil Patterson, Jane Taylor and Frances Lane, Wesley Jr., John, counselor, Mrs. A. F. Mrs. Lane.

PERSONAL

Randel Blackwood, T. C. U., arrived today with his parents, Mr. and C. Blackwood.

J. T. Hughes of Dallas, former manager of the theatre, with Grover Dallas, were visitors today, guests of Ty Gholson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tyler are business week.

J. B. Houghton, who work at the Sinclair pair shop after an illness weeks.

F. C. Ware is ill at North Austin street. Miss Imogene Jones, home yesterday, following weeks visit with her can, Mrs. Cannon of Dallas, friends of Dallas, taking the innants.

Mrs. William Gage, formerly of the The pur visiting Ranger, may occupy friends, among whom some friends, Mrs. F. L. Kelly, Mrs. Nellie Wray, Mr. Huell Smith of Breckmore, visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Preston Burk, day afternoon for a visit. Worth relatives.

Miss Jewel Judd, buildings at her home, Young said that her from an atypical fluenza.

Mrs. A. H. Powell came from several days home.

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"I'm Cook enough to Know"

"WHAT I know about making cigarettes...doesn't amount to anything at all! But I'm a good enough cook to be sure of this...You can't get a thing to taste good...unless you use fine ingredients."

"And what's more...you have to know just how to combine them."

"It must have taken an amazing knowledge of tobacco flavors...to work out that recipe for Chesterfield's good taste."

"Just as in a pudding...the proof of any cigarette...lies in the taste."

"Recently I tried Chesterfields for the first time. Right away, I knew that such taste and fragrance had to come from grade A ingredients...to say nothing of a carefully worked out recipe for combining them."

"Then, too, I found Chesterfields milder. I didn't know a cigarette could be so mild and at the same time so good-tasting."

"And have you noticed the paper? Pure white. I'm told it's the purest paper that can be bought."

"Even the package is whiter and cleaner-looking. Little things, I suppose, but I'm cook enough to know that purity and cleanliness must count in cigarettes too."

• And what a satisfying radio program Chesterfield has! Nat Shilkret's Orchestra and Alex Gray, soloist. Tonight and every night except Sunday at 10:30 Eastern Standard Time over the entire Columbia Network. Real radio entertainment.



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