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OIL INDUSTRY BREAK-UP PLANNED

Four Bodies Recovered from Horse Show Stable Fire

MORE VICTIMS ARE EXPECTED TO BE FOUND

Sixty Thoroughbreds Valued at \$400,000 Also Perish

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 9.—Four men, possibly more, and 30 horses, valued at more than \$400,000 was burned to death early today when fire razed the ramshackle old wooden stables used to house entries of the Oakland horse show.

VICTIMS ARE UNIDENTIFIED

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 9.—The stables of the Oakland Horse show were destroyed by fire early today with loss of three lives and an undetermined number of horses. The three men were believed to be stable men and were unidentified.

Firemen said they believed all the thoroughbred stock in the stable at the time perished. Tentatively placed at one-fourth of the number entered in the exhibition.

The show had concluded Saturday and many other already had moved their stock from the stables.

1,000 Refrigerator Cars Are Ordered

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 9.—An evidence of increased railroad material purchases and industrial activity was revealed today when one of the leading railroads of the Northwest announced that a new building program in its shops here involved the construction of 1,000 refrigerator cars, the most expensive type of freight rolling stock. Orders for car materials for building these cars included 5,000,000 feet of lumber, 2,000,000 feet of balsam-wood flexible insulation, steel, paint, hardware and other materials.

\$8,276,000 IS REPRESENTED IN NEW CHARTERS

AUSTIN, Feb. 9.—Capital of \$8,276,000 was represented in the new charters granted in Texas during January, according to the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas. This compares with \$10,813,000 in December and \$10,103,000 in January 1930. The 191 charters granted in January represented an increase over the 154 granted the preceding month, but were well below the 141 issued during the corresponding month last year. Oil companies formed the most important single classification, with 26 charters granted. Other types of businesses included 23 manufacturing companies, 15 real estate and building firms, 13 banking and finance corporations, 3 public service companies and 110 miscellaneous organizations.

Methodist Stewards to Meet Tonight

The board of stewards of the First Methodist church will meet tonight at 7:30 in regular monthly meeting.

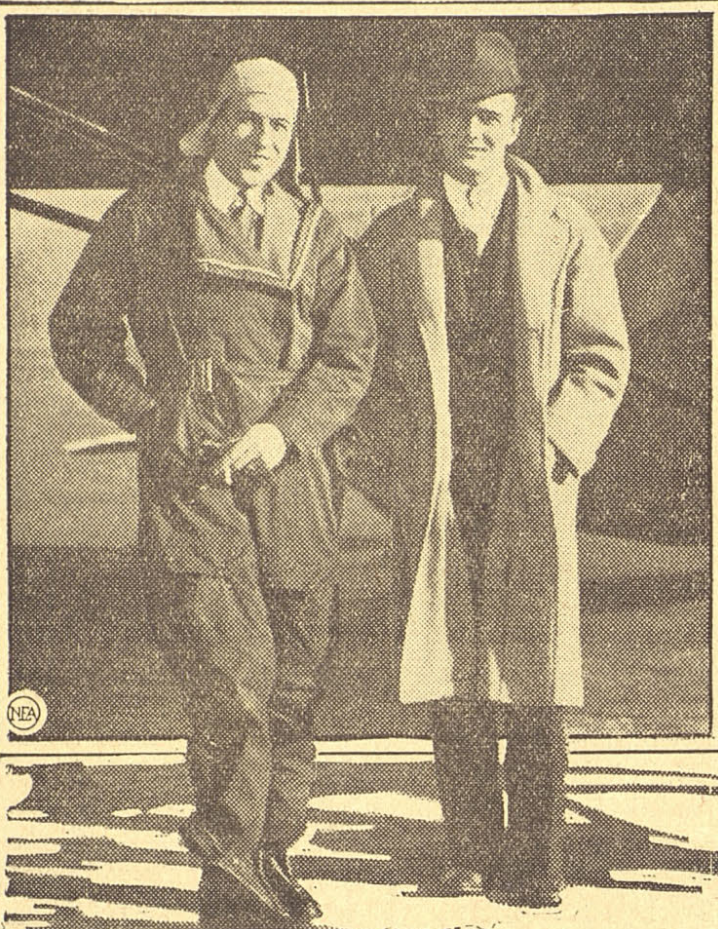
Final plans for the Fellowship banquet next Monday night will be made. It is expected that a larger crowd will attend the banquet since the fun program consists of nominating speeches for mayor of the city. The banquet will be served for 50 cents per plate and any man in or out of the church is invited to attend.

FIVE FIREMEN HURT

DALLAS, Feb. 9.—Five firemen were injured, one of them critically, when a speeding fire truck sideswiped a street car here today.

Captain Eddie Smith was rushed to a hospital where it was said he suffered a fractured skull.

When Harry Thaw's Son Won Air Races



It's in the role of prize winning aviator that Russell W. Thaw, 20-year-old son of Harry K. and Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, is shown above, at right, with his mechanic, after defeating William Patterson, New York transport pilot, in a special race for a \$500 award. Flying over a circuit from Roosevelt field, Long Island, to the Newark, New Jersey, airport, Thaw forged in 11 seconds ahead of his competitor. The youth learned to fly at the age of 15.

HOBO MENACE AWAKENS POLICE VIGILANCE IN BORDER TOWNS

DEL RIO, Feb. 9.—Economic depression may be causing starvation, grief and anxiety in various quarters but there is one especial species of humanity which openly declares itself heartily in favor of "business slumps."

Border towns throughout the southwest are feeling the pinch as cities and towns inland and visited by sterner weather during the winter season do not feel it.

It is caused by the hobo menace. Every freight train along the border carries from 10 to 50 tramps. Into small border towns they roll, swarming out of freight yards to bombard back-doors. City authorities in many border towns have ruled that hoboes be herded together, kept in a band and loaded on the first out-going freight.

Whether the next train out is going the way the hobo is, does not matter. "Get rid of them," is the order. Many a Weary Willie finds himself riding back and forth without ever reaching a destination.

"What, hard times?" chuckled one huge, shabbily dressed tramp as he shuffled into the hobo "jungles" at the edge of town and from each pocket began dragging out "hand-outs."

"Shucks, hard times are what I like! Say, when times are hard and there ain't no work, you can beg plenty of food. It's when times are good that it's hard begging. When everybody is working and dragging down big salaries, then is when housewives hate to feed you. Why, listen; this business depression that's my meat! I can step out and pick up two and three dollars a day on the main stem. I save that money and beg my eats at back-doors and spend the money for shoes and clothes."

"By the way," another spoke up as he poked at the jungle fire. "I hear they're opening up some road work near El Paso—"

"The devil with that!" cried out still another. "I'm lookin' for work an' prayin' I won't find any! Let

the guy who made th' road in th' first place fix it up — shucks, we don't never get no use from a good highway, do we? I'm not interested in highways where you have to work on them."

Border towns have been overburdened by hoboes coming in flocks by droves. At El Paso the American Legion feeds from 250 to 500 a day. Army cots are given the rovers at night in the army. As freight trains pull out, the sergeant in charge calls trains. Bands of hoboes leave the army under guard, are marched into the freight yards and placed upon out-going trains. Tramps stay in El Paso but 24 hours.

TWO BURGLARS ARE KILLED IN POLICE BATTLE

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—Two burglars were killed in a battle with police today after they had broken into a store. A companion was captured.

Another man was killed when his companion attempted to prevent him from holding up a soft drink parlor.

The dead are George Dertochine, 28; Roy Walsh, 28, and Herbert Tholl, 27.

Edward Wolf, companion of Dertochine and Walsh, was captured. Frank Groja who killed Tholl was held for the inquest.

BUTLER TRIAL IS CANCELLED BY NAVY DEPT.

Reprimand Administered by Secretary of Navy Adams

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Butler-Mussolini incident apparently was a closed chapter today with all the figures concerned declining further enlightenment on the abrupt ending of the internationally famous case.

The general court-martial of Major General Smedley D. Butler scheduled to begin next Monday in Philadelphia was called off with dramatic suddenness last night by Secretary of Navy Adams. At the same time Adams, who instituted the proceedings after Butler's Philadelphia speech concerning Premier Mussolini of Italy, made public the text of a reprimand administered to the veteran marine officer.

In cancelling the court-martial Butler gave as the basis of his action a letter from Butler in which the general stated he "greatly regrets the incident and the fact that my indiscreet remarks have caused embarrassment to the government."

ITALY MOVE TO REVISE TREATY IS SIGNIFICANT

By WEBB MILLER
United Press Staff Correspondent

ROME, Feb. 9.—Definite alignment of Italy beside the powers defeated in the Great war in favor of revision of the Treaty of Versailles and other post-war treaties is the most significant movement of Italian foreign policy since the war. In the past few weeks Mussolini has repeatedly enunciated Italy's demand for revision of treaties.

Mussolini's step constitutes a direct challenge to the international territorial, political arrangements imposed upon Europe by the Treaty of Versailles which was drawn by the victorious powers to serve as the law of Europe. As one of the victorious nations Italy's diplomatic alignment with the vanquished carries implications of great importance and is causing repercussions.

Diplomatic Regroupment
Among the most momentous of the possibilities arising from Mussolini's action is a diplomatic regroupment of powers which are discontented with the settlement made by the treaties—Germany, Italy, Austria, Hungary, Bulgaria, Turkey and Russia—into some form for concerted diplomatic action to counter-balance the group of nations vitally interested in maintaining the treaties intact. This includes primarily France and her Little Entente comprising Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Poland. England would likewise be concerned.

Although Mussolini disclaims the intention of forming an actual revisionist bloc he has said that present conditions in Europe arising from the treaties cannot avoid creating a "community of interests among the powers prejudiced by them."

Other recent developments in Italian foreign and economic policies which are attracting attention of European diplomats are:

Papse of the temporary "naval truce" between France and Italy which will mark commencement of their naval programs unless an agreement intervenes.

Russian Relations.
Declaration by Mussolini that Italy must turn eastward for her economic expansion.

Increasingly friendly gesture to Germany and Hungary and growing commercial relations with Germany.

Diplomatic visits recently to Italy of Litvinoff of Russia, premier Bisher of Hungary, Foreign Minister Russhi Bey of Turkey and Premier Venizelos of Greece.

In a message to a Berlin newspaper Mussolini recalled his statement regarding Italy's policy of avoiding the possibility of wars by revision of the post-war treaties and added that Italy demanded revision "not from national egotism but from reasons of justice and morality, which alone can form the basis of lasting peace."

Hungarian Gesture.
In a gesture to Hungary, Mussolini said: "The revision of peace treaties is necessary to restore a sense of security to Europe. There are moral wrongs like the mutilation of Hungary to be righted."

Both Stalin and the Hungarian Minister of war recently made statements.

In view of your letter expressing regret taken in connection with your long record of brilliant service, the Navy Department feels that it is no longer necessary to resort to proceedings by general court-martial and expects that this incident will have a salutary effect upon your future conduct in matters of this character."

Cisco Baptists Going to Albany

The Rev. E. S. James, pastor, will head a group of 12 or 15 members of the First Baptist church of Cisco, to the workers' conference of the Cisco Baptist association at Albany tomorrow. The party will leave Cisco at 8:30. The conference opens at 9:50, a. m.

The following is the program: 9:50 a. m.—Song service, H. D. Blair. 10:00—Devotional, the place of Prayer in the Revival, Ross A. Smith. 10:25—The place of the Individual in the Revival, Neal R. Greer. Special Music—Albany church. 10:55—The place of Bible study in the revival, J. L. Roden. 11:20—The place of giving in the revival, Chas Bryant. Congregational Song—Pentecostal Power. 11:50—The place of the Holy Spirit in the revival, E. S. James. 12:25—Closing song and adjournment for lunch. 1:30 p. m.—The W. M. U. and the executive board meetings. Devotional, Mrs. D. E. Jones. 1:45—Associational executive board meeting.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—"Red," 13-year-old battle-scarred veteran of many Virginia coon and cougar hunt, Saturday was awarded the Spratt's gold medal given semi-annually to the dog whose act or acts during the preceding six months earned him outstanding distinction in the canine world.

"Red," described by his master, A. A. Babcock of Gladstone, Virginia, as a "lovable old coon hound," was finally selected by the award committee from a list of eighty-six dogs whose acts were all of sufficient importance to gain them eligibility for the gold medal.

The committee, composed of Frank Dole, dog editor of the New York Herald Tribune, William Bruette, former editor of Forest and Stream, and Frank B. Rutherford, operative manager of the Pennsylvania S. P. C. A., also named ten "honorable mention" dogs whose courage, intelligence and devotion were of an exceptional caliber.

The Spratt's medal for dog heroism, the committee pointed out, carries unusual distinction to its canine winner in that only certified and documentary cases are considered for the honor and that only two medals are given yearly.

Scores of cases before the committee were replete with daring acts of courage and in many instances, a devotion was shown that would do credit to the human heart. "Red," the Virginia coon hound, displayed a brand of devotion and intelligence that will be quickly applauded by dog lovers, the committee said, although his act was not as "sensational" as some of the other certified reports submitted. Red's story is one of an honest home-spun devotion and rare intelligence.

Red, the official report stated, is in his thirteenth year and weighs 50 pounds. In his day he has bagged more than five hundred raccoons and has fought and killed several lynx and wild cats in the Virginia mountains. His immediate neighbor

is Pete, a collie dog. Pete disappeared, and when no immediate trace of him was found, it was presumed that he had unwisely given battle to a cat-o-mountain or some other vicious species of the hills.

Then it was noticed that Red was staying away from home far often than was his custom. And when he did come home he was restless, he barked and generally gave the appearance of attempting to communicate a message. For eight days he would appear only at meal times and then depart. Eventually, Babcock, his master, set out to follow him. Joyously, Old Red led him to an abandoned quarry hole a considerable distance away and there, forty feet down, was the alive but imprisoned Pete, the collie neighbor. And when the rescue party with block and tackle descended into the hole, they found a supply of Red's food. It developed that Old Red had not only been carrying his own food to the quarry hole for Pete, but he had been soliciting food from other neighbors as well.

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The dogs, to win honorable mention, performed a variety of heroic acts ranging from bizzard battling to charging rattlesnakes in defense of their owners. They were: Spotty, of Hammond, Indiana; Mona, of El Paso; Kaiser, of Chicago; a St. Bernard in Thousand Oaks, California; Sport, of Newark; Buster, of Camden, New Jersey; Parlez-Vous, of Willows, California; Jerry, of Modesto, California; Rinty, of Emaus, Pennsylvania; and Rags, of Fort Jay, New York.

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New President



Closer relations between the United States and Guatemala are foreseen through the forthcoming election of General Jorje Ubico, above, as president of the Latin-American country. Son of a former Guatemalan minister to the United States, he received his early education in Washington. As a coalition candidate, he is unopposed for election to the presidency.

SMALL OPENS ARGUMENTS IN VERNON CASE

VERNON, Feb. 9.—State Senator Clint C. Small, serving as special prosecutor, today delivered the opening argument in the trial of Emmett Thompson on charges of murder.

Arguments began after a long fight over the charge had ended and Judge W. M. Stokes had presented instructions to the jury.

The Texas solon challenged the jury to either convict the defendant of the most serious charge permitted by Judge Stokes, malicious murder, or to disregard lesser offenses and acquit him.

Thompson is charged in the slaying of Homer Crabtree, rancher, who allegedly was stamped to death.

LEGISLATURE CONSIDERING DIVORCEMENT

Precedent Cited in Disjointing of Packing Industry

AUSTIN, Feb. 9.—The oil industry will be broken into four branches if plans before the Texas legislature prove successful.

Rep. R. J. Long of Wichita Falls said the proposed program as he understands it calls for an act prohibiting the same persons engaging in oil production, oil piping, refining and marketing.

A precedent is set for the divorce legislation by a bill already before the house providing that the same or interlocking managements cannot control competing rail and motor lines. Divorcement of the packers from allied industries is cited as another precedent for the proposed plan.

Tom Cranfill, Dallas, president of the Independent Oil Men's association, was here today for a conference with other oil men. He declined to say what plans are in mind. The bill, however, has been knocked out to Long and other legislators.

Over protest of Rev. B. J. Forbes minister-member of the legislature from Parker county, and Rep. Harry N. Graves of Georgetown, the house of representatives today sustained the action of its committee killing the bill to repeal the search and seizure act. As a result evidence illegally secured cannot be used in Texas at least for another two years.

GAUGE MAKES MOST MINUTE MEASUREMENTS

By J. W. YOUNG
WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—A new instrument which makes measurements so accurately that it is apt to be out not more than four hundred-thousandths (.0004) of an inch one way or the other and does it without touching the parts being gauged has been developed by Dr. I. C. Gardner of the U. S. Bureau of Standards here.

It is called a optical coincidence gauge. One eyepiece which will magnify 85 diameters, prisms to change the direction of sight and adjusting lens make up this novel instrument.

The operator looks into the eyepiece, focuses it and by careful adjustment makes two points, the distance between which is being measured, appear to be in almost the same spot. He then reads on a scale the distance between these spots accurate within four hundred-thousandths of an inch. The instrument is so ruggedly constructed and so easy to operate that such accuracy is reached in routine measurements.

One application of this long distance measuring is the finding of the exact size of a piece of casting which has just been poured from molten metal and before it has cooled enough to be touched. If the optical gauge is fitted with a microscope system, measurements can be made far in the interior of hollow castings where it would be impossible or very difficult to take a mechanical measuring instrument.

Even the thickness of a coat of paint can readily be found with the new optical gauge. The diameter of a precision grinding wheel or lathe can also be accurately determined without stopping the machine.

WEATHER

West Texas: Increasing cloudiness colder southeast portions with near freezing temperatures tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy rising temperatures.

East Texas: Fair and colder with freezing temperatures in the interior and frost on the coast tonight. Tuesday fair, higher temperatures west and north.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

HUMILITY OF CHRIST—Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem other better than themselves.—Phil 2:3, 4.

PRAYER—Lord, help us honestly to face our imperfections and grow strong through service to others.

MR. BRUNKER GIVEN REBUKE.

Chicago has another little sensation. Albert R. Brunker, chairman of the civic safety committee of Chicago, visited the staid old city of Boston and delivered himself of a remarkable address. Among other things he said "Al Capone has 8000 city, state and federal officials on his payroll." Well, the voluminous and loquacious Chmn. Brunker returned to his home city and the authorities dragged him before a grand jury "picked from the ranks of our best people."

A reform prosecuting attorney and the grand jurors placed Chm. Brunker on the rack. All he could give them was hearsay evidence. He did not have any facts to disclose. Indeed, the grand jurors said that Mr. Brunker, "in testifying before the grand jury, neither directly or indirectly, offered any evidence in support of alleged charges and, on the contrary, Brunker denied that he had made the statements as published." As usual he blamed the reporter. They all do when called upon to produce the real stuff in the shape of evidence.

MR. YOUNG ADVISES.

Owen D. Young, one of the world's outstanding business minds, whose resourcefulness and common sense has smoothed out the rocky road of international diplomacy, has offered the benefit of his sound judgment to puzzled domestic statesmanship. It is significant that Mr. Young does not talk indiscriminately. He kept his counsel until he was asked to appear before congressional committees. When he did talk he said something worth listening to.

First he took a definite stand in favor of the ex-service men. Again he sketched a national financial reorganization aimed at combatting the inadequacies of the prevailing banking laws.

Before the house ways and means committee Mr. Young urged enactment of legislation for new losses to needy World War veterans at a cost of as much as \$500,000,000. He drew frank praise from a republican of the committee. Representative Crowther of New York, addressing the chairman of the board of the General Electric company, said, "You are the second witness before this committee to show a tinge of human sympathy. I congratulate you."

The other witness Representative Crowther referred to was Rome C. Stephenson, president of the American Bankers association, who said one of two suggested plans for advancing cash on certificates could be carried out "without serious injury to business."

Mr. Young has been mentioned many times as splendid presidential timber. He calls himself an industrialist but he is a many sided man.

Press correspondents and picture makers were grouped about him after his declaration for aid for the veterans. They bombarded him with questions. He made this declaration: "I am not a candidate for the presidency. You are doing all you can to keep me out of the race. Keep it up. You are doing me a favor." He is for a change in federal banking laws. Amendment of the constitution to protect the American people from a recurrence of present unstable banking conditions was held by the author of the so-called Dawes German reparations plan to be the only recourse if it is found the federal government has no authority to apply corrective measures to the banking business.

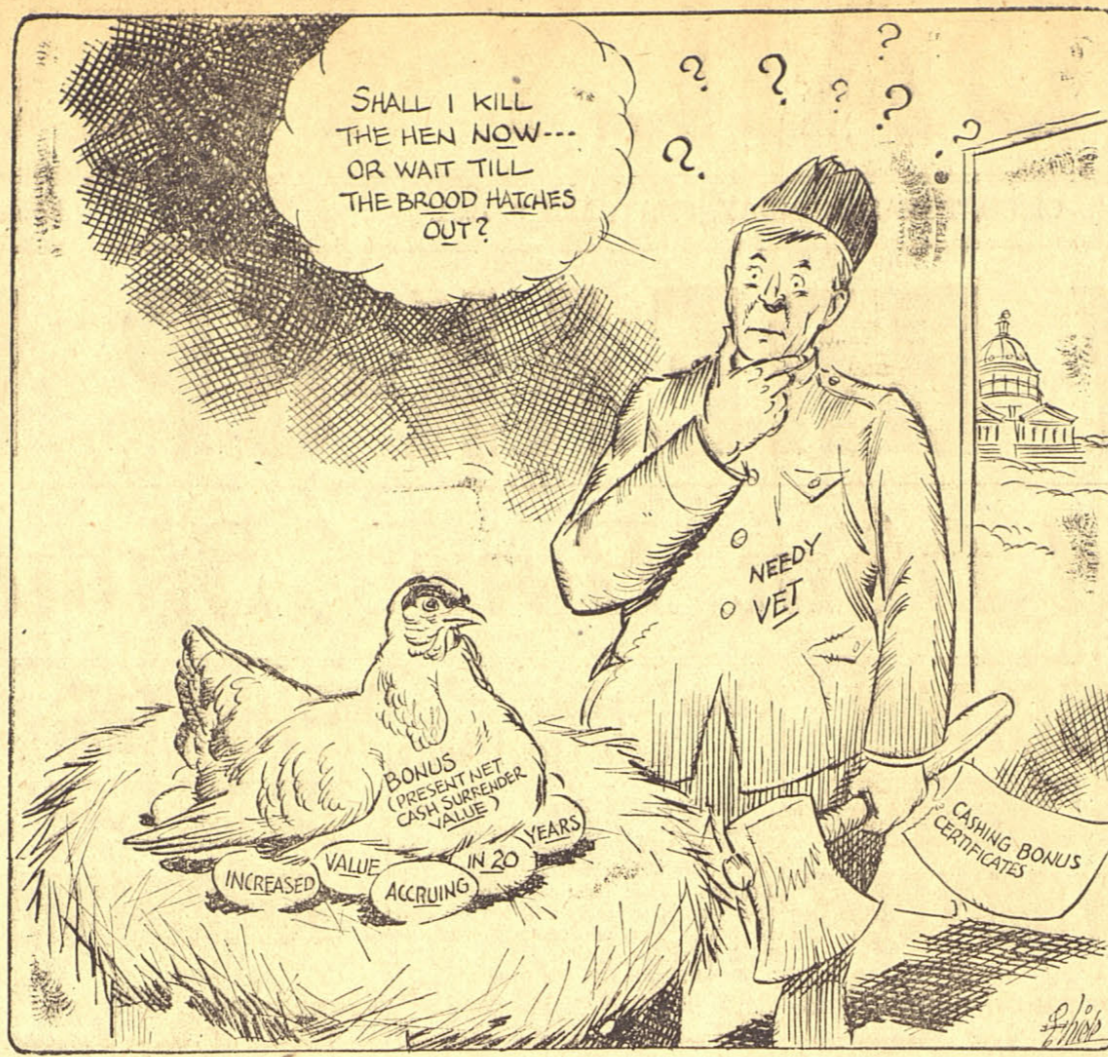
Testifying before the senate banking investigating committee he said "we have seen the thousands of bank failures and it is a great reflection on the American people of they cannot get protection against this condition. And this in a period of prosperity, of disturbed economic conditions true, but of prosperity. If it is finally decided that the federal government has not the authority to correct that I see no way out except through amendment to the constitution. We should try the first step and if it is found not effective then the second. The country cannot go on this way."

The volatile public mind, never satisfied, always seeking change, is quick to recognize outstanding public service outside official positions with offers of high office. As a private citizen Mr. Young has rendered meritorious service not only to his own country but to the world. As a successful business man and brilliant "industrialist" he has been able to act independently of the censure and criticism that traditionally invests elective positions. He is a spokesman with the authority of reason behind him, not the uncertain motives of political ends. He has no public position to maintain, no mercurial constituency to preserve. In the role of a private citizen he can speak for the public. No doubt his value outside the presidency is greater than it would be within.

THE GOVT. WRIGGLES OUT.

A lot of official smoke turned out to be only a small fire. The "Butler-Mussolini" incident has been officially closed and the navy department has been glad to wiggle out of an embarrassing contredrump through a small hole. A letter from General Smedley D. Butler to Sec'y Adams expressing regret this his "indiscreet remarks have caused embarrassment to the government" gave the government an opportunity to call off Butler's scheduled court-martial, save its face by the administration of a reprimand and escape the caustic criticism that was brewing about the affair. The navy department was not long in jumping at the opportunity. Sec'y Adams got both hands on the elusive "lock of hair" and so preserved the dignity of the government and satisfied its authority. The secretary should have added a clause of commendation in his reply to Butler for the move by which the

An Eggs-traordinary Dilemma!



valorous marine officer provided his superiors the opportunity.

How the government could justify a trial of the general with its hurried apology to the Italian premier is a question the public would still like to have answered. It is an established principle of this government that an accused is not guilty until so proved by proper legal procedure but the Washington officials forsook this principle entirely, it appeared, and by apologizing to Mussolini admitted the marine officer's guilt before having it legally established by court-martial.

Hanging an accused murderer and trying him afterward, would be a proper analogy to this mode of procedure.

OTHER OPINIONS

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE FIELD OF SULPHUR

Sulphur is one of Texas' principal industrial products. It is said that more than ninety per cent of the world's supply is produced by Texas industries, using Texas labor, Texas ports, Texas railroads and millions of dollars worth of the products of other Texas factories.

At this time the developed sulphur properties are located in Brazoria, Wharton and adjoining

The January issue of Chemical and Metallurgical Engineering recites that the supremacy of sulphuric acid in the industrial field is threatened by the increasing use of substitutes which can be more economically produced.

And, finally, the Lake Charles (Louisiana) American Press of January 26, is authority for the statement that the Freeport Sulphur company (Brazoria county) has obtained a newly discovered field near Vinton, Louisiana, and contemplates removal of its operations to that field.

And one of the possibilities indicated above are matters for the serious consideration of the people of Texas. Probably there is no way in which the development of pure economical methods in Canada can, or should, be obstructed. Probably there is no way in which Texas industry should be influenced to neglect fields for more profitable operation in other states. But Texas, through the immediate establishment of a bureau of industrial research, should develop new processes and new methods for the utilization of the mineral resources with which she has been endowed. There is no other way in which she can preserve to herself the fullest fruits of her magnificent industrial advantages. —Editorial Digest.

IN THE POLITICAL ARENA

By HUGH N. FITZGERALD
Melvin Traylor, one of the noted bankers and financiers of America, drifted in the other day and informed the legislative mind on the workings of the international bank and its relation to the debt paying plans of all the countries engaged in the bloody function known as the World War. He started on his own in Hill county as a clerk in a small grocery establishment. After cutting his eye teeth he got the brush from under his feet and became a bank clerk. It did not take him long to evolve into a St. Louis banker. He was called to St. Louis to teach the veterans of the banking game and then to Chicago where he became the head of one of the most powerful financial institutions of America. Now he skips from Chicago to New York and from New York to London and Paris and Berlin and the Hague to give advice to statesmen as well as financiers.

Col. Jesse H. Jones of Houston made the trip from the Bayou city to Austin as the guide and body-guard of Col. Traylor. Col. Jones before he was 20, made his escape from Tennessee and landed in the city of Dallas. Royal A. Ferris was the acking of Dallas bankers in those days. He leaned money on character or closeup as often as he did on collateral. He loaned Jesse Jones \$50. Now Col. Jones owns hotels, newspapers, office buildings and apartment houses and sits in the higher councils of an organization that is known as "the party of Thomas Jefferson."

Getting away from Napoleons of

finance and other great American games, men in the soup lines all over America, will eat lamb dinner on Washington's birthday if the plans of Pres. E. S. Mayer of the Lone Star Wool Co-operative and Edward Blanton, publisher of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' magazine, are carried out. These worthy gentlemen are residents of San Angelo, in the Concho valley where petroleum and mohair are running neck and neck for second and third places with wool holding the first place. Cois. Mayer and Blanton mailed letters to the National Livestock and Meat Board the American Packer and others suggesting that the sheep men of America who own about 52,000,000 sheep, donate sheep all over the nation for use of soup kitchens on the national day of the father of his country.

Their idea was to rid the nation of about 59,000 head of sheep and slit the hungry by filling their stomachs at the same time. Moreover these San Angelo colonels have raised about half of the \$27,000 which is Texas' quota in a national advertising campaign urging the consumption of more lamb meat. A Texas senator is in the limelight the most of the time. He should be placed in this lamb dinner picture. He asked this point-over question and to date, not one republican apostle of humanity has answered it. "Why is not money loaned to feed a mule just as much as dole as money loaned to feed a wife and children?"

Father Washington and his heroic riflemen, battling for the liberty of mankind, were on soup-house

rations (and scant rations at that) at Valley Forge in a winter that caused the timid to pray, the cowardly to desert and the Tories of the colonies to rush to the standard of King George the Idiot and the Union Jack. History makes note of the fact that patriots who placed liberty first survived the hideous ordeal of starving and freezing and with the aid of Lafayette and T. S. de Rochambeau ran the Red Coats to the Atlantic seaboard and across the ocean. Yes, a lamb dinner for the hungry on the birthday of General Washington would fill thousands of empty stomachs and rid the livestock industry of 53,000 spare sheep. Texas first.

Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Erwin Funk, editor of the Fayetteville (Arkansas) Leader, says: "That no city achieves permanent eminence without a live newspaper, and no newspaper becomes a real success save in a live community."

No community building force in any city or town is more powerful than an adequate editorial page in an up-to-date newspaper, weekly or daily.

The editorial page reflects first the character of publisher and editor. It is the trial balance sheet that sum totals the activities of every department—circulation, advertising and news.

An adequate editorial page is based largely upon the stories of the day as presented in the news columns. It takes into consideration the needs of its readers and is fair and honest in the treatment of its advertisers. It reflects the true character of the community and its people.

Above all other men, the editor realizes that the growth of the newspaper depends upon the development of the community. So he works in season and out for the success of the legitimate enterprises of his city and its trade territory.

The adequate editor knows that local prosperity is interlocked with state and national prosperity, so he watches closely all state and national legislation.

An editor today is an interpreter rather than a preacher or a teacher. He is the publicity and public relation man for the city or town, and should be so considered.

Public confidence is seldom given freely today, but once given it makes a newspaper and its edi-

torial page a tower of strength. With proper cooperation between editor and community, outstanding assistance can be given every worth while movement. The hope of this country lies in the fact that such editorial pages and such communities are to be found in every section of the union and are growing more numerous every year.

EVIDENCE OF GOD REVEALED IN EXPERIENCE

The sermon at the First Baptist church yesterday was the third of a series on the subjects of the "Fool" based on the first verse of the 14th Psalm, "The fool hath said in his heart, there is no God." In the two preceding sermons on this subject the pastor brought forth the providential and prophetic evidence that there is a God who reigns and cares. While these two messages dealt with the visible evidence, the message yesterday voiced the testimony of millions that there is an irrefutable evidence in the direct revelation of God to the heart of the man who has had an experience with Him.

Quoting the words of Christ, "If any man will to do His will, he shall know the doctrines," the pastor asked if the world of unbelievers really desire to know for a certainty whether or not there is a God. "So many?" said he, are so engulfed with the affairs of this world that they do not take time to give God a chance to reveal Himself. If there be no reality in this revelation, what power could have prompted the millions of martyrs of Christianity to suffer the pangs of medieval persecution? If there be no reality to this revelation, why do millions today sacrifice pleasures, luxuries and even blood for the protection of the Kingdom? Is it because the Christians are an inferior people intellectually or that they are all so emotionally constituted that the experiences they claim are merely a product of the imagination? Verily, no, but rather it is true that the greatest lights of statesmanship and accomplishment have been those who lived closest to God.

Irrefutable Evidence
"Some of you people," he continued, "may not be able to cite your adversaries to the fulfillment

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of prophecy or the manifestations of Providences, but there is not a living Christian who cannot say with the blind man who was healed, "One thing I know that whereas I was blind, now I see. Not only your experience in regeneration but the direct answers to your prayers and the prayers of those who have gone before you is enough irrefutable evidence of the actuality of God to make you stand in the face of antagonism until Christ comes again."

Continuing to show how He has been revealed through the Son, the Holy Spirit, the Militant Word, and transformed lives, the pastor called upon mankind everywhere to seek an individual experience with God. "And if all else fails to convince your critics," he continued, "merely refer them to the religion of your mothers. Two young men after hearing Bob Ingersoll assault Christianity were returning home when one of them said to the other, 'Bob surely, undetermined Christianity' tonight.' His friend replied, no, he failed to undermine one thing, and that is my mother's religion. Until someone shows me something better than her religion I am going to believe in God." The pastor will conclude this series next Sunday morning with his message on "The Self Made Fool."

GOT HIS BATH

EAST HAMPTON, Conn., Feb. 9.—"It's warm; I wish I had a bath," remarked Alvin Dowd a moment before the ice on which he was skating collapsed and ducked him in Lake Pocotopaug.

POLITICAL

City Election, Tuesday, April 7

For Mayor:
J. R. BURNETT
J. T. BERRY

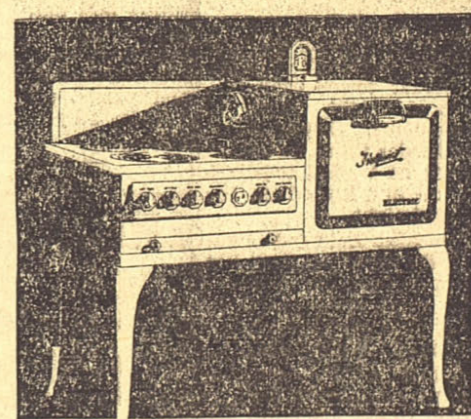
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For GINGER'S SAKE

by FTHEL HUESTON
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BEGIN HERE TODAY
To keep life from growing too dull in Red Thrush, Iowa, Ginger Ella Tolliver organized a Junior Country Club. It was to be exclusive—no parents, no babies, just the "younger set." Accordingly Ginger, whose father was a minister and whose stepmother, the former Phil Van Doorn, was both wealthy and indulgent, purchased the Mill Rush farm, a 10-acre tract with an old house, and remodeled it.

Into Red Thrush came Bard Holloway, a young artist who was hobnobbing around the country. Attracted by Ginger, he agreed to stay and paint portraits and decorate the new club house. The Tollivers made him their guest.

Bard thought "Joie de Vivre" would be a good name for the club. It was adopted. And he thought it would be splendid if they could import from Chicago one Nicolò Caleno. For Nicolò was handsome and he could cook and sing and strum a guitar. He would make a picturesque addition to the club. He would be a knockout on the opening night.

But on the morning of the opening there arrived at the Tollivers' not one Italian youth but what seemed an army. Little Angelo was a musician, and Pietro could cook. And Benito could sing. Nicolò, it seemed, could not come, so they had come in his place. Ginger took them on.

That night at the opening Bard realized he was falling in love with Ginger. The event was a great success. Pietro, Angelo and Benito added just the right touch of color, but Eddy Jackson began to think that Ginger would have her hands full with them, and Jenky Brooks, who with her husband, Benny, were the chaperons of the club, began to have misgivings.

But the Italians soon won her over and they made plans to stay at the Joie de Vivre. Benito built bird houses and planted gardens and the others were equally useful. Meanwhile Bard thought he had better leave Red Thrush, but Phil persuaded him to stay a little longer. But Phil wrote to Speed Roney, an old friend of Ginger's in the east, and asked him to come out and visit, as competition for Bard. And when Ginger heard this she was not pleased.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXI
Around Speed Roney had centered one of the most dramatic episodes of the brief but eventful life of Ginger Ella.

His connection with her sensational career dated back to the days when she had lived with her father and her three older sisters in the parsonage and when, although the youngest of the group, she had by a combination of native talent and sheer nerve forced herself upon them as manager-in-chief.

During the troubled years when her father was temporarily blinded by nervous strain, physical depression and mental worry, facing dismissal from the church and requiring the expensive treatments toward of complete and permanent blindness, she had conceived the brilliant—albeit entirely illicit—idea of starting a chain letter soliciting funds for a Methodist Home for the Blind.

With Ginger, to conceive an idea was but the prelude to its accomplishment, and until she was interfered with by a law and hide-bound Post Office Department, things financial in the parsonage had seen the sunny side of the clouds or the first time.

After many humiliating catastrophes of one sort and another she was finally freed from the coils of the law, but a belated homecoming of her ill-advised project came home to roost for a while in the shape of four blind Methodists from a Home for the Homeless at Curtis, Iowa. Unannounced and unexpected they dropped in upon her, confident of receiving the attentions they required until their blind Home, destroyed by fire, should be restored.

Ginger, hard pressed, pitying their sad estate so similar to that which had threatened her adored father, had received them not without bitterness, but with a spirit of grim courage also, and with her own hands had cared for them for a period of three months. It was one of them, the meekest, the most helpless, most pitiable, poor Ben Brooks, who had fumbled his blind way into the great heart of Miss Jenkins, who had taken him as her own for ever and married him, for his care and for the sake of her declining years.

Speed Roney in a fit of boyish revolt against parental discipline, had run away from college, and had an accidental encounter with a blind group, the motivating spirit of the blind group, had entered upon a farcical pretense of blindness in order to gain temporary admission to the parsonage.

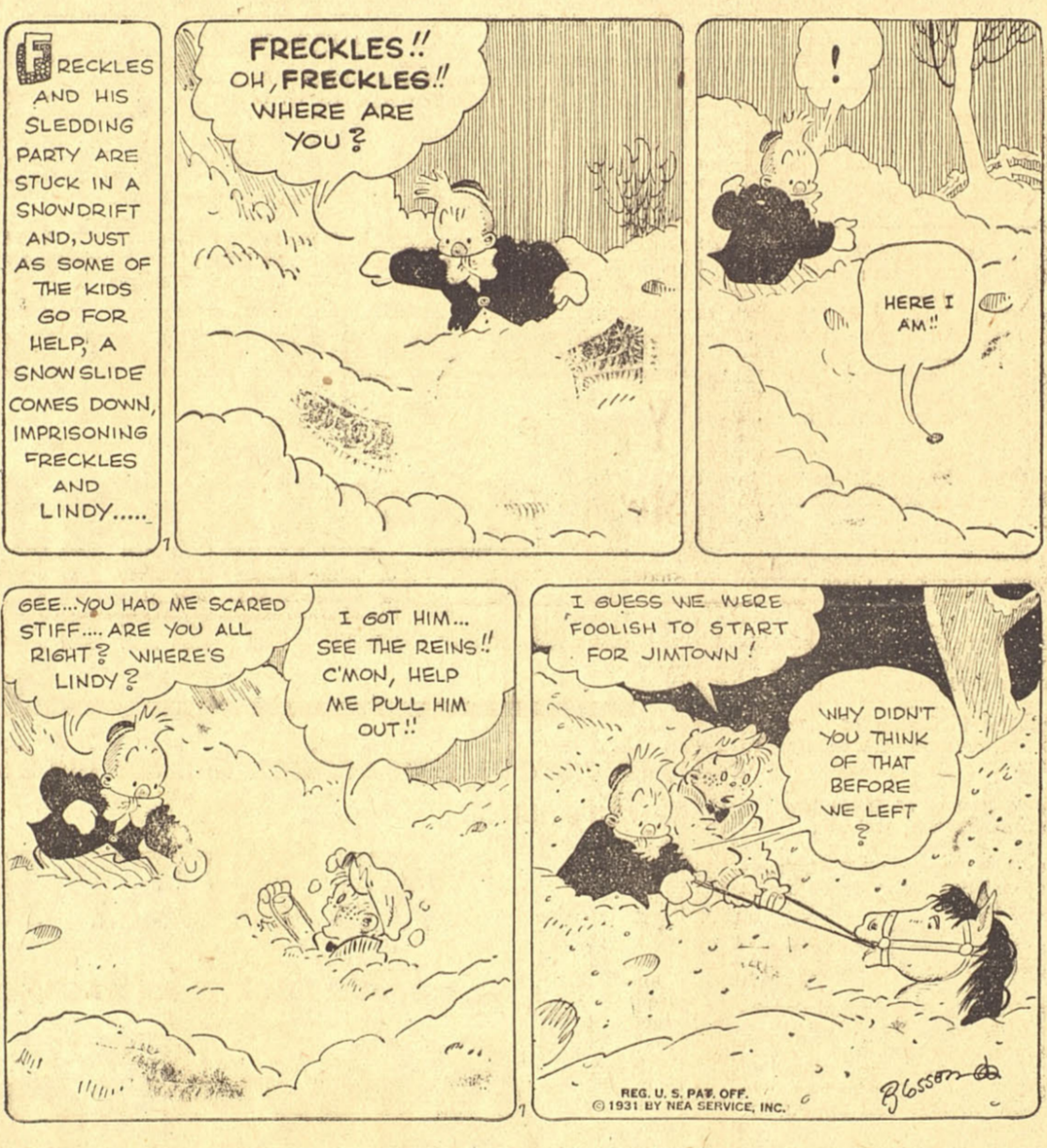
At first he was actuated only by the desire to play a good prank, but his young fancy intrigued with the "vivacious and warm-hearted" Ginger, he had continued the adventure for the sake of remaining in her presence until substantial embarrassing disclosures revealed the imposture and returned the venturesome youth to his new England home and his interrupted education.

It was not entirely a mischievous desire to complicate still further the troubled affairs of Ginger which had prompted Phil to send for him. She was deeply devoted to the girl and desired above all things that she should ultimately find the perfect happiness to which Phil believed she was entitled. She was not blind to Ginger's growing infatuation for the indolent and loving young artist, and she realized that propinquity and lack of other interest often goad an idle fancy into an entirely unfounded attachment.

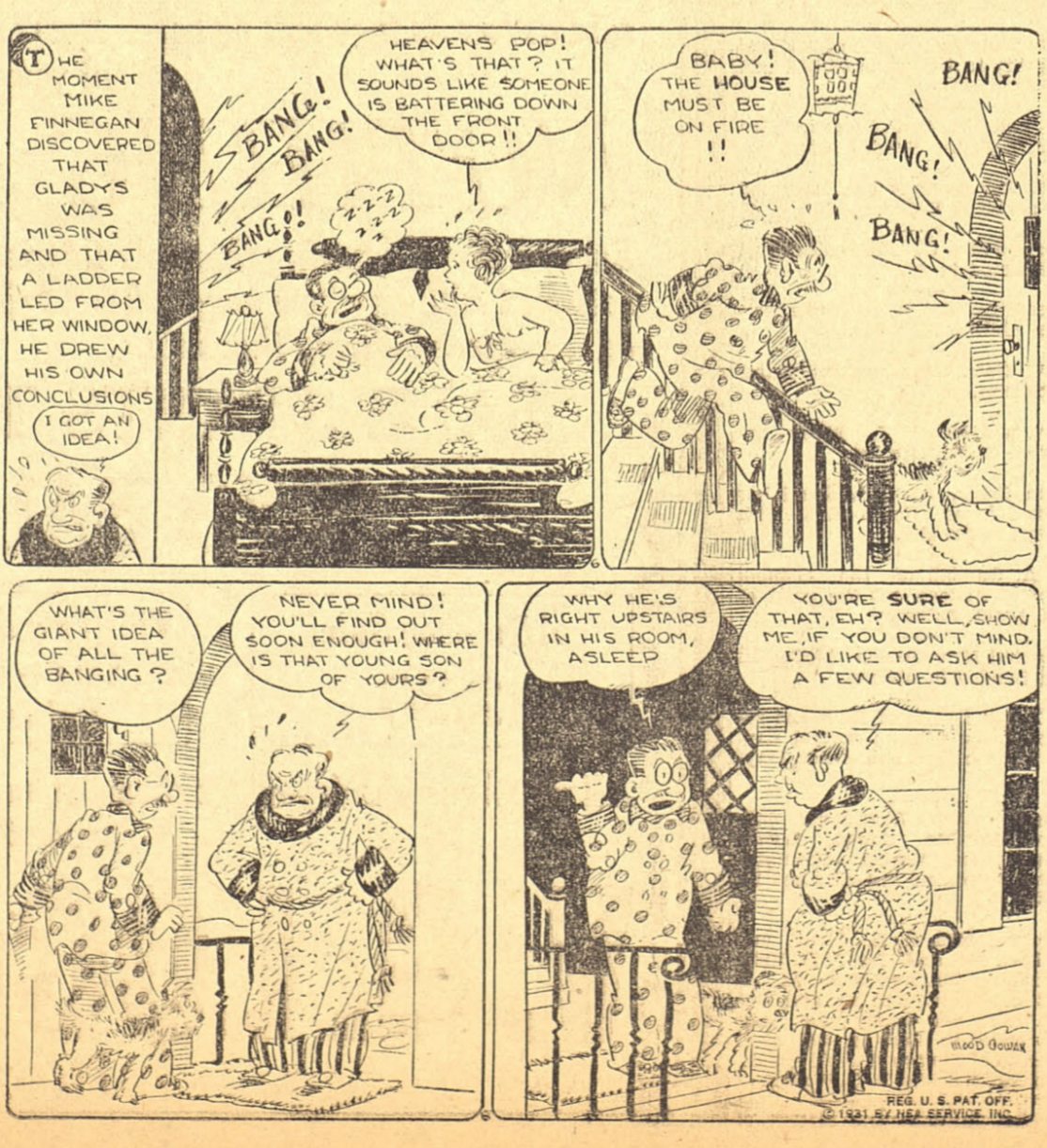
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COUNTY OF EASTLAND.
To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of George E. Limmroth, Deceased. The undersigned having been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of George E. Limmroth, deceased, late of Eastland County, Texas, by C. L. Garrett, County Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 29th day of December, 1930, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his office in the Spencer Building in this city of Cisco, in Eastland County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This the 16th day of January, A. D. 1931.

F. A. BLANKENBECKLER,
Administrator of the Estate of George E. Limmroth, Deceased.

DREAMERS ARE WORLD MOVERS SAYS PASTOR

"Dreamers and not 'rut-runners' move the world forward." Rev. H. D. Tucker told his audience last night at the First Methodist church in delivering his message from the subject, "Young People in School."

This was the second of a series on the general theme, "Youth of today." The subject for next Sunday night will be, "Young People in Business Society." It was announced. Mrs. James Moore presented the solo of the evening and the sermon was preceded by a program by the orchestra directed by Statham Adels and accompanied by Miss Adèle Anderson.

Continuing his message from 1st Corinthians 9:24, "So run that ye may obtain," the Rev. Mr. Tucker said in part: "Creators of big business have been dreamers. This word has been misinterpreted and misused. You young folks be dreamers and you will get somewhere in the world," he said.

The suggestions made to the young people from the text by the speaker were, to have a big goal, high ideals, be a dreamer, be courageous, be courteous and loyal, and be religious. These were given as marks of a successful life.

"Never permit yourself to reach a goal," Mr. Tucker said "When you are about to reach the goal you have set, set a bigger one," he said. "It is a greater day when a child starts to school than the graduation day," the speaker said. "More forces enter into the life that day than on any other through life," he said.

Wicked Men Forgotten
"Wicked men are only remembered for comparison with a good life," Mr. Tucker told the young people last night in urging them to live a religious life. "There is nothing but the gospel of Jesus that will release you from the habits of life," the speaker said.

In closing his message the Rev. Tucker reminded the teachers of their great responsibility in training youth.

"It is better to build boys than to remodel men," he said. "The youth of today need the sympathetic cooperation of consecrated teachers to assist them in working out the problems of life. School teachers take what we send them from our homes and do the best they can with the material we send them," the Rev. Tucker said.

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Italy Move To

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ments that the Treaty of Versailles could not continue indefinitely to regulate the affairs of Europe.

The surprising extent and depth of popular resentment against France is one of the outstanding impressions an observer receives in Italy.

In an effort to obtain a comprehensive idea of the grievances, I made a list of the principal complaints against France mentioned to me by the Italian man-in-the-street, ranging from waiters, hotel clerks, army officers, journalists to government officials.

Among the grievances and irritations mentioned were: That France helped arm and diplomatically support Jugo-Slavia, Italy's hostile neighbor; that France and the other allies cheated Italy out of her rightful compensation in territory for her war sacrifices; that Smyrna and part of Anatolia were promised to Italy in writing during the war but given to Greece; that France and England grabbed all the desirable Turkish possessions in Asia Minor and gave Italy who needed colonies nothing; that France and the other allies restricted Italy's territorial expansion at the head of the Adriatic in favor of Jugo-Slavia; that France wants to be mistress of the Mediterranean.

Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

Texas and Pacific
Change in schedule Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., effective 12:01 a. m., Sunday, March 16.

Train	East	Departs
No. 6 Texas Ranger	4:04 a.m.
No. 16 The Texan	10:20 a.m.
No. 10	8:50 a.m.
No. 2	1:10 p.m.

Train	West	Departs
No. 5	12:28 a.m.
No. 7 Texas Ranger	2:40 a.m.
No. 3	12:50 p.m.
No. 1 Sunshine Special	5:03 p.m.

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Announcements
The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, LEON MANER; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. P. B. GLENM, president; C. E. YATES, secretary.

Cisco Lodge No. 557, A. F. & A. M., meet fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. HAYWOOD CABANESS, W. M.; JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T., meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; JOHN F. PATTERSON, recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M., meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P. JOHN F. PATTERSON, secretary.

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PONIES MEET LONGHORNS AT AUSTIN TUES.

DALLAS, Feb. 9.—With more than half of their current schedule ahead of them the pupils of Coach J. W. St. Clair, head mentor of basket ball at Southern Methodist University, are bowing their necks in determination to bring to their school a Southwest conference championship. They have won four games out of as many starts against conference rivals, all on their home court, and will journey to Austin next Tuesday night to meet the Longhorns in their first tilt away from home. Four other conference battles that they will fight against the odds of being in the enemies

territory will be against the Baylor Bears at Waco, Texas A. & M. at College Station, Rice at Houston and T. C. U. at Fort Worth. Three other games, one with the Aggies and two with Arkansas are to be played on the home court. The guarding of Capt. Skeeters and McLaughlin has done much for the Mustangs in getting them off to a flying start in the conference race. In these two men Coach St. Clair has the best combination of defensive men in the entire southwest. Not only has their defensive work keep their opponents from scoring, but their floor work has enabled Williams, Reynolds and Johnson to chalk several counters. The fact that Williams and Reynolds are leading the conference in scoring honors in evidence of the support they receive from their guards. If the Mustangs can finish the season with as much fight and ability as they have displayed so far this season, they should not lose more than two games, which will be sufficient to bring to them their first Southwest conference basket ball championship.

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Southern Pac.	106
S O N J	49 1/2
S O N Y	25 1/2
Standard Oil	22
Sun Oil	40 1/2
Texas Corp.	33 1/2
Texas Gulf Sul.	51 1/2
Tex. & P. C. & O.	5 1/2
U. S. Steel	143 1/2
Warner Quinlan	7 1/2

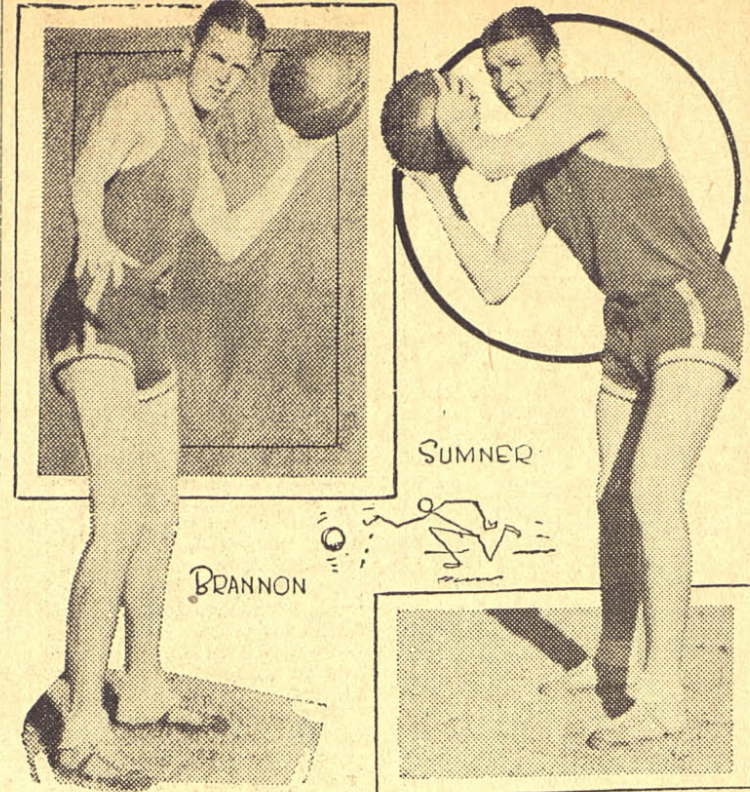
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Cities Service	19
Gulf Oil Pa.	69 1/2
Humble Oil	66 1/2
Ning. Hud. Pwr.	11 1/2
S. O. Ind.	36 1/2

CHARGED IN JAIL BREAK

HOUSTON, Feb. 9.—Roy Britton, underworld character with a long police record, was charged in Galveston today with being the "triggerman" in the Galveston jail delivery that cost the life of Jailer Joe Mayer and gave Tommie Reis, 23, a month of freedom. Reis was captured last night by Houston police and said that Britton who happened to be under arrest in San Antonio on other charges was the killer of Mayer.

PERENNIAL CHAMPS

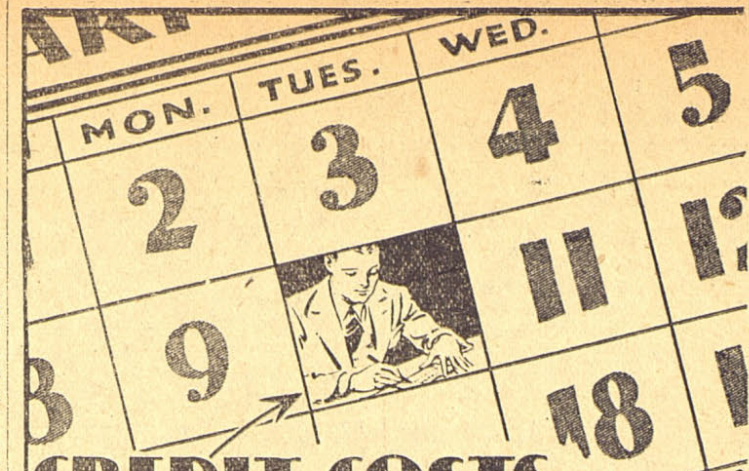


If the Horned Frogs fail to finish at the head of the Southwest conference this year, it will be the first time in three years that Wendell "Doc" Sumner and Buster Brannon have not played with champions. Sumner and Brannon were team-mates with the Athens Hornets when they won the state and national high school basketball championships in 1929. Last year both were members of the T. C. U. freshmen team that won the industrial league championship of Fort Worth and the Southern A. A. U. championship, playing under the colors of Schepps Aces. Brannon, in 1926, was a member of the Pine Bluff, Arkansas, team that won the state championship and went to the semi-finals in the national meet at Chicago. Sumner, as a sophomore, has won a place in the Frog starting line-up as forward. Brannon has started but one game for the Christians, but has played in each one and may start against the Bears at Baylor Saturday night.

"JEZEBELIAN HERESY" THEME OF MINISTER

The Rev. Bruce C. Boney at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning centered his thoughts around the "Jezebelian Heresy in Thyatira," and said in substance: "The woman sheltered by this church, and for which the church was censured was not a low-brow; was not physically given to shame. Her ostensible freedom from moral turpitude was what rendered her so dangerous to the church—respectable people do not take tramps or reprobrates for their patterns. Like Jezebel of Old Testament notoriety, she was more like a brilliant Phoenician princess, intelligent, attractive, able even to influence 'my servants' from right to what she made appear right, and altogether a desirable acquisition for the church. But when we search for the fault of Jezebel in the Old Testament we find that in her subtlety, she did not even suggest to Ahab the abolition of Jehovah worship, but persuaded him to apotheosize Astarte and Baal, or institute a heterogeneous worship for the northern tribes." To the destruction of herself, 70 sons of Ahab, her 400 votaries, or priests of Baal, and the Ten Lost Tribes of Israel, this anomaly or religion was wrought out. The warning against a repetition of this in Thyatira was the burden of the message of God to that church. The preacher said "When religion lowers its standards it brings shame upon itself, and endangers the souls of its membership."

Preceding the sermon Ruling Elder E. P. Crawford gave a report of the fifth annual convention of the men of the Presbyterian church of Texas. Mr. Crawford, who was accompanied by F. D. Pierce and Rev. B. C. Boney, said that the assembly was for all Presbyterian men in Texas, regardless of north and south denominational boundary lines, and declared that it was evident that those present—representing both U. S. (South), and U. S. A. (North) were for union. Speakers of national reputation were heard: Dr. T. W. Currie of Texas, and Dr. H. T. Kerr of Pennsylvania, moderators of their respective general assemblies, were among the speakers, as were President John H. Burma of Trinity



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BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 9.—Bridgeport police believe an unusual increase in the number of minor robberies and holdups is due to the fact "professional" criminals are taking advantage of the unemployment situation. The thieves believe, apparently, that the public will attribute the increase to desperate jobless men.

RAT POISONERS SOUGHT

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Catherine McGrath, 71, bled to death when a chicken bone, caught in her throat, penetrated a blood vessel.

Wichita Falls.—\$1,000,000 bond issue voted here for improvement to the city water supply.

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"Afraid of stomach gas, I lived on soup for months. Then I tried Adlerika and now I eat most anything without any gas."—Mrs. A. Connor.

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About Cisco Today

SOCIETY EDITOR, MISS MARJORIE NOELL—PHONE 80 OR 81

CALENDAR

Tuesday
The Altar Society will meet with Mrs. J. J. Collins, 408 West Fourth street at 3 o'clock.
The circles of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock as follows:
Circle 1 with Miss Alice Bacon, 904 West Fourth street.
Circle 2 with Mrs. R. Q. Bills 404 West Fourth street.
Circle 3 of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. W. F. Bruce on College Hill at 3 p. m.
The circles of the First Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock as follows:
Circle 1 with Mrs. Lee Owen, 407 West Fifth street.
Circle 2 with Mrs. Wm. Reagan, 508 I avenue.
Circle 3 with Mrs. T. Edgar Neal, 508 West Seventh street.
Circle 4 with Mrs. B. E. Morehart, 307 West Eighteenth street.
Circle 1 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. A. Merrill. All members are urged to be present to make final arrangements for the tea to be held at the home of Mrs. P. R. Warwick, Saturday Feb. 14.
Circle 2 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. H. Fee, 402 West Fifth street.
Circle 3 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet in an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. W. R. Simmons. There will be a covered dish luncheon.
The following circles of the Baptist W. M. S. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Circle 3 with Mrs. M. D. Paschall, Jr.
Circle 5 with Mrs. B. B. Poe.
Circle 7 with Mrs. Paige, 401 West Eighteenth street.
Circle 8 with Mrs. B. Montgomery.
Robert Blackburn was a visitor in Eastland yesterday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Shockley and son, Lonnie, were visitors in Abilene Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Adams were the guests of L. R. Hamner in Eastland yesterday.
Mrs. John Kane and Miss Wilda Kane have returned to Moran after a short stay in Cisco.
Mrs. Eddie McNeal is a visitor in Dallas this week.
E. B. Ward of Lubbock spent the weekend in Cisco.
Rev. H. D. Blair is a business visitor in Abilene today.
Ed Green left Saturday for a short visit with relatives in Oklahoma.
Mrs. Roscoe St. John of Abilene was a visitor in Cisco Saturday.
Harold Hartness spent Sunday in Breckenridge.
Mrs. Bill Clark and son of Coleman visited relatives in the city this weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland had as their dinner guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson, Mr. and

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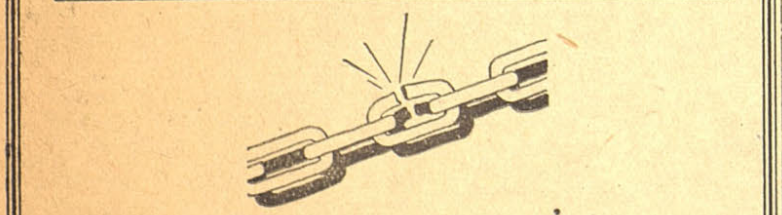
Afternoon Sale 2:30	This Is a Closing Out Sale -- a Money Raising Sale.	Evening Sale 7:30
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All who have jewelry and watches at our place for repair, will please call for same this week.

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