

OIL PRICE TO BE PROBED BY A COMMITTEE

AUSTIN, Feb. 8.—The house today joined the Texas Senate in demanding investigation of alleged discrimination in crude oil prices.

Jury In Johnson Case Is Selected

Jurors were chosen Monday morning in 91st district court for the trial of Tony Johnson on a charge of automobile theft.

Brooks to Explain Security Features

A. E. Brooks, internal revenue agent for the Treasury Department of the United States, will explain benefits and purposes of the Social Securities Act to employees and employers at the Lyric theatre in Eastland at 7.30 p. m. Thursday.

School Debaters To Argue Before Meet Wednesday

Eastland high school debaters will appear Wednesday afternoon before the Civic league, Mrs. Carl Miller, coach, announced Monday.

Ella Mae Taylor Is Sick at Austin

Miss Ella Mae Taylor, seriously ill at Austin a week from illness resulting from an infected wisdom tooth, may return this week to Eastland if her condition permits, friends stated Monday.

Eastland Citizens' Brother Succumbs

Hugh Burnside, brother of L. R., R. L. Burnside and Mrs. Vera McLeroy of Eastland, died of heart failure Sunday night at Laredo, where he was visiting.

Hunted by G-Men in Mattson Case



Prepared to aid in the hunt for the kidnaper of Charles Mattson, Tacoma boy subsequently murdered, this artist's sketch of the suspect has been broadcast by the Department of Justice.

Red Cross Relief Fund In Ranger Is Beyond \$850 Mark

Ranger's cash contributions to the Red Cross flood relief fund passed the \$850 mark Sunday when \$29.48 was contributed in a free will offering at a special flood service at the First Methodist church, in which the churches of Ranger participated.

Work In Progress On Seaman Street

Long considered Eastland's worst street, Seaman is now being improved under a federal road project.

Colder Weather To Visit Texas

High, unseasonal temperatures that hovered around the 70-degree mark Sunday, were predicted to fall to freezing and below in the north portion of West Texas Monday night, the weather bureau at Dallas reported, Monday.

Lindberghs Land In Palermo, Italy

PALMERO, Italy, Feb. 8.—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh arrived from Rome today on their holiday flight. Lindbergh said he would continue to Tunis, Africa, tomorrow, if the weather is favorable.

A. & L. ENTERS AUTO STRIKE CONTROVERSY

DETROIT, Feb. 8.—William Green, American Federation of Labor president, telegraphed from Washington today urging Governor Frank Murphy, mediator in the General Motors strike, not to accede to demands for recognition of the United Automobile Workers as exclusive bargaining agent.

Light Dust Storm Sweeps Panhandle And Oklahoma

AMARILLO, Feb. 8.—Light rains last night and overcast skies today in the Texas Panhandle, is relieved from a dust storm that swept the high plains, yesterday.

Cheaney Will Have Drive On Rabbits

Announcement was made here today that a rabbit drive would be held at Cheaney on Wednesday of this week.

Suspect Is Held In Mattson Kidnaping

NOYES, Minn., Feb. 8.—Federal agents disclosed today they were holding an alien ex-convict, Stanislaus Poracki, for questioning about the kidnaping and murder of 10-year-old Charles Mattson.

Funeral Planned For Elihu Root

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—Funeral services for Elihu Root, 92, former Secretary of State and of War, will be held tomorrow in the chapel of Hamilton College, his alma mater, at Clinton, N. Y.

GIVES BRITAIN NEW DUCHESS



His bachelor days over, the Duke of Norfolk, England's ranking peer and boss of King George's coronation arrangements, emerges from Brompton Oratory with his beautiful bride, Lavinia Mary Strutt, 20-year-old daughter of Lord Belper.

FUNERAL IS HELD FOR SLAIN RANGER RANCHER

Funeral services for James Benton Ames, 42, who was shot and instantly killed in Ranger Saturday night, were conducted from the First Methodist church of Ranger Monday afternoon at 2.30, with burial in the Ames cemetery, on the Ames farm near Ranger.

Brady Farmer Confesses to the Murder of Wife

BRADY, Texas, Feb. 8.—Sheriff Love Kimbrough of McCulloch county said today that Fred Brady, 36, had admitted slaying his 42-year-old wife Jan. 22, in a horse lot at their farm home, 7 miles northeast of here.

MINE SAFER THAN HOME

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio.—P. V. Waddell, attorney for the state industrial commission, says that working in a coal mine is just twice as safe as staying at home.

RESIGNATION OF JUSTICES IS RUMORED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Speculation on the possible resignation of some members of the supreme court received impetus today when the tribunal failed to act on controversial cases on its docket.

West Flooded As Mississippi Is Gradually Abating

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 8.—Hundreds of persons in California and Arizona were homeless today, highways were washed out and railroad tracks swept away as flooded rivers swept through the lowlands.

Rebels Capture Seaport of Malaga

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 8.—The rebels have captured Malaga, Spain's second largest seaport, giving them virtual control of the southern coast of Spain, insurgent sources reported today.

Townsend Aides Convicted In Court

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—John Kiefer and Dr. Clinton Wunder, former lieutenants of Dr. Francis Townsend in the \$200-a-month pension organization, today pleaded guilty to charges of contempt resulting from their refusal to testify before an investigating committee last year.

Ask Exoneration in Film Shooting



Mary Miles Minter, star of the silent movies and mentioned often in the William Desmond Taylor shooting investigation that rocked Hollywood 15 years ago, brought the case back into the headlines with an avowal that she had loved him and a demand that she be exonerated.

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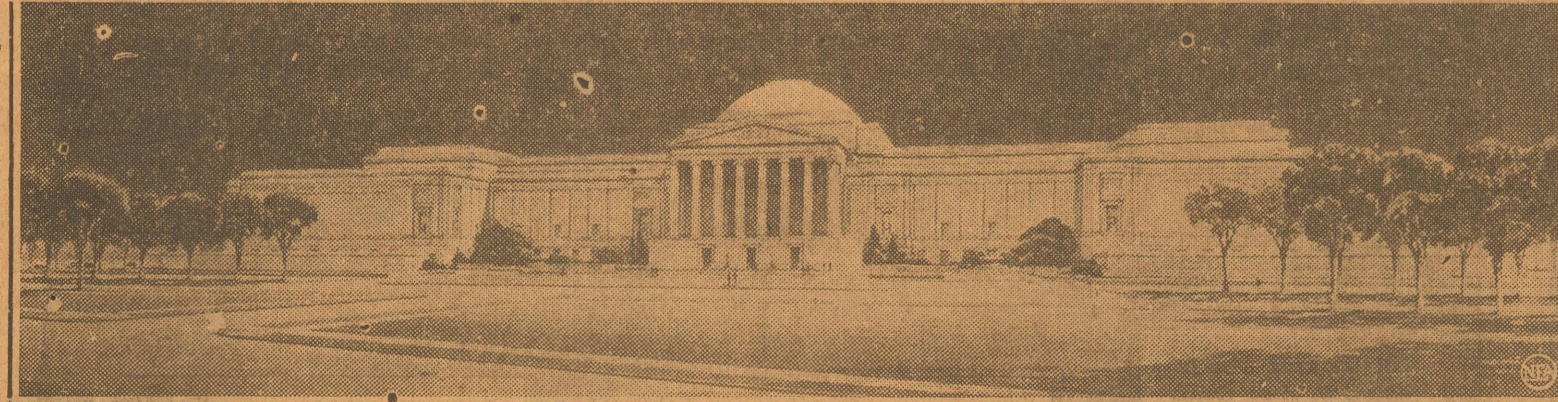
DATE IS SET FOR DISTRICT SCHOOL MEET

At a meeting of the district executive committee, held in Breckenridge, plans for the annual district interscholastic meet were worked out and dates named for the meet.

Carbon, Scranton To Meet Tuesday For Cage Title

Champions of Class B and Class A basketball meet Tuesday night at 7.30 in the Eastland gymnasium, for the county title.

Palatial Museum to House National Art Gallery at Washington



An architectural masterpiece in keeping with the art treasure that will be put on display in its halls has been planned by John Russell Pope in preparation for construction of the National Gallery on Constitution Ave., Washington, D. C., in accordance with terms of Andrew Mellon's offer to donate his fabulous art collection to the nation.

ONLY A FEW RULINGS MADE BY TRIBUNAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The supreme court today ordered oral arguments on the plea of the State of Texas to be allowed to file a suit to determine which of four states may impose inheritance taxes on the estate of the late Col. E. H. K. Green, son of the famous Hetty Green.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The Brotherhood of Railroad Shop Crafters today was denied a supreme court review of its suits challenging the validity of the railway labor act which forbids carriers to deduct union dues from pay envelopes.

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County Meet Will Be Held April 1-3

W. T. Walton, superintendent of the Ranger Public Schools, and director-general of the Eastland County Interscholastic League Meet for 1937, has announced that the county meet will be held in Ranger Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 1, 2 and 3.

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Advertisement for Eastland Telegram featuring a woman in a dress and text: EASTLAND TELEGRAM has Guest Tickets TUESDAY for Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Searles to see JAMES MELTON in 'SING ME A LOVE SONG' AT THE CONNELLEE Call at Telegram Office

