

Consul Urges Destroyers Be Sent To Nanking

GRIPINGS

This column is published as a daily feature and may be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper.

Frank Williams, manager of the gas company, lost a glove Saturday morning. He asked me to say that he would appreciate the finder either returning it to him or else coming around and buying the mate at a reasonable discount.

Frank and I drove over to Cisco to the bank Saturday morning. Sure was a big gang of folks lined up there paying their poll tax.

Frank and I decided that the only way Eastland county folks could be gotten together on anything was to have about five leaders for them to follow and let them all go in different directions.

Everywhere I've been today, people are talking about the possibilities of a war. Genevieve Lyon is scared to death that somebody is going to put some at the Chinese and slip up and kill her little Pekinese dog, Ching. That would be a pity.

Rode from Ranger to Eastland Friday afternoon with Bing McGlamery. We talked about the eccentricities of the human race and the uncertainty of a horse race and about how thankful Bert is he doesn't have to make a political race for his office this year.

Interesting people I've talked to recently include Jim Deek. One can never tell if Jim is lying or telling the truth. He related to me the story of a drive from Los Angeles to San Francisco and return in a little less than 24 hours.

It must be getting spring. The kids are flying kites. Their parents should warn them to be careful and not fly them over electric power transmission lines. Several boys are killed each year when using big kites with fine wire or when a string gets wet and the kite drops over an uninsulated wire.

Speaking of spring... I see a man working his garden right here. It won't be long until we'll be getting complaints about neighbors chickens giving folks trouble.

35 Chicago Fire Companies At Scene of Blaze

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Thirty-five companies were called out today to fight a serious blaze in the west side industrial district.

Firemen were handicapped in fighting the blaze by low temperature. After a two-hour battle the fire was under control.

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U. S. ACTS TO AID CITIZENS IN SHANGHAI

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The United States acted swiftly today to protect American interests in beleaguered China.

Poll Taxes May Be Paid Early This Morning

C. E. May announced Saturday that he would keep his office in Ranger open Sunday morning until 10 o'clock in order that those who have not already done so may obtain car licenses and pay poll taxes.

Alberta Johnson Given Three Year Suspended Term

Alberta Johnson, Ranger negro, was found guilty of the murder of Edna May Armstrong by the jury in the 91st district court Friday and given a suspended sentence of three years.

Judge Disposes Of Four Cases Friday Afternoon

While the jury was deliberating the fate of Alberta Johnson Friday afternoon, Judge Davenport disposed of four cases.

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U. S. Envoy To China



Nelson T. Johnson, above, United States minister to China, is one of the principal figures in the delicate situation arising out of Japan's decision to invade Shanghai.

Boycott Is Step Toward A War, Sen. Borah Says

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Chairman Borah of the Senate foreign relations committee today described an economic boycott as a step toward war.

Rosendahl Says Akron Is Best Rigid Aircraft

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Lieut.-Commander E. C. Rosendahl of Cleburne, Texas, commander of the Akron, declared before the House naval committee the Akron is the best rigid aircraft ever constructed.

County Second in Oil Production In This Section

Eastland county ranked second in the 22 counties composing the West Central Texas oil field in 1931 according to figures compiled by Dr. H. B. Tanner.

Hurley Protests Army Reduction

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Secretary of War Hurley today protested to Speaker John Garner against plans of the house appropriations committee to reduce the personnel of the army.

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FRESH SIGNS OF WAR SEEN IN SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, Jan. 30.—Foreign defenders of Shanghai's international settlement increased their reinforcements today as fresh signs of warfare loomed in the great eastern metropolis.

Three Bandits Rob Oklahoma Bank

LAWTON, Okla., Jan. 30.—Three bandits looted the Bank of Elgin in Elgin, north of here late today and escaped with \$2,000 in cash.

Japan To Buy American Cotton

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Japan expects to buy 600,000 more bales of American cotton in the next few weeks, according to a cable received today by the commerce department.

Ballinger Man Is Head of the Texas Fair Association

DALLAS, Jan. 30.—J. D. Motley of Ballinger, today was elected president of the Texas Association of Fairs, succeeding Russell S. Rhodes of Tyler.

JAPS' ONWARD MARCH



The chronology-map shows how Japan's troops, utilizing the most modern methods of warfare, swept swiftly and steadily through Manchuria in the last four months before threatening to occupy Shanghai in China proper as a reprisal for anti-Japanese boycotts.

FEAR EIGHT IN AIR LINER ARE KILLED

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 30.—The almost inaccessible Tehachapi mountains tonight enveloped the fate of a pilot and seven passengers of a Century-Pacific air liner which dropped from sight after leaving Bakersfield for Los Angeles late yesterday.

Married After 35 Years

After an engagement of 35 years, Julian Glasgow, 70, and Miss Laura Maude Eoff, 58, both of St. Louis, Mo., are married.

W. T. C. OF C. CAMPAIGN IS PLANNED

J. E. Moroney, director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, announced Saturday that a membership campaign for the organization would be staged in Ranger beginning on Wednesday, Feb. 3.

Mrs. Forecue and Son-in-Law Are Out on Bond

HONOLULU, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Grace Hubbard Forecue, socially prominent American, and three other men were released today from the first time since their arrest four weeks ago on charges of abducting and killing Joseph Kahahawai, young Hawaiian.

Coaching School To Be Held At Mineral Wells

DALLAS, Jan. 30.—Dr. R. N. Blackwell, former business manager of athletics at Southern Methodist university, announced today that he will conduct a two-week summer coaching school at Mineral Wells during the second and third week of June.

CHICAGO HAIRCUT PRICES REDUCED

CHICAGO.—To meet competition of non-union barbers, prices have been cut to 50 cents for hair cuts, 25 cents for children and 25 cents for shaves by union barbers in Chicago.

WEATHER

West Texas—Generally fair and warmer in south portion Sunday.

OLD LICENSES ON CARS WILL DRAW PENALTY

Automobile owners picked up after today without 1932 licenses on their cars will be made pay the 20 per cent penalty as required by law.

Duke Acquitted Of Murder Of His Son-in-Law

LIVINGSTON, Texas, Jan. 30.—Tom A. Duke, 46, was found not guilty here late today of the murder of his son-in-law, Leon Dougherty, 21.

Interscholastic League Adopts One Year Rule

AUSTIN, Jan. 30.—The Texas Interscholastic League executive committee announced tonight the adoption of both an eight-semester rule and a one-year transfer rule to govern participation in league athletics.

Two Tie in Texas Golf Tournament

SAN ANTONIO, Jan. 30.—Paul Runyan, 25, Y. Y., and Ray Mangrum, Los Angeles, professionals, were tied for first place in the eleventh annual Texas Open Golf tournament here tonight at the completion of 36 holes of medal play.

Will Orders Body Kept For Month

SAN FRANCISCO.—"Keep my body a month." That is what Miss Johanna Krause, who died here New Year's eve, ordered her executors to do.

DECLARED INSANE

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(Mail for Fort Worth or beyond 10:00 a. m.) Daily West—12:00 p. m. Daily East—4:18 p. m. Airmail—Night planes, 4:00 p. m. Day planes, 8:30 p. m.

GOVERNMENT MOVED AS JAP ATTACK LOOMS

Shanghai Is Reported Quiet Early Sunday With No Fighting.

Riot Ends With Second Escape of Negro Maniac

LIMA, Ohio, Jan. 30.—Dan Nelson, negro inmate of the state hospital for the insane, who last year choked a guard to death and escaped, today again made his way out of the institution in the midst of a riot of 800 inmates which, officials said, he excited.

Morrison To Speak On Tree Planting

R. C. Morrison, representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce tree-planting campaign will speak in Eastland Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Women's club.

Last of Famous O. Henry Quartet Has Passed Away

AUSTIN.—Howard H. Long, who sang with William Sidney Porter (O. Henry) in the famous Capital City quartet in Austin 40 years ago, has joined his comrades, the last to be called by death.

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DR. TANNER AGREES

Dr. H. B. Tanner, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, in answering an editorial which appeared in a recent issue of the Cisco Daily News, gives some of his views that are as apt in Eastland and Ranger as they are in Cisco or in any other part of the country.

"A good market for what is raised in their trade area is a crying need in Eastland and Ranger as well as Cisco," declares Dr. Tanner. "Last year we thought we had something like this started here in Eastland, even got \$3,000 paid in the bank in cash to start a marketing association. But the bank closed.

"In addition to what you say about trading out of town there is this fact that is often lost sight of. Every once in a while some real bright (?) talker speaks before the Lions or Rotarians and tells of the evils of buying out of town. Well, this rolls off the men like water off a duck, for when you get right down to brass tacks it is the women who do the buying, and they are discriminating buyers, you may believe.

"If they go into a store and find indifferent clerks and do not find what they want at a proper price, they shop till they do find it even if they go out of town to do it.

"It takes an up-to-date merchant to buy what he knows his customers want and then buy it so he can sell at a price to compete with his neighbors, and at the same time train his clerks to be courteous and obliging to all customers, no matter how they are dressed.

"A ready market for everything that is raised in this county is a goal we all ought to strive for and I am pleased to see you present it in such a forceful manner to your readers."

JESSE JONES NAMED ON FEDERAL AID BOARD

President Hoover named Jesse H. Jones of Texas a member of the two billion dollar aid board. He named Harvey C. Couch of Arkansas a member. Senator Joseph T. Robinson is a minority leader in the upper branch. John N. Garner of Texas is the speaker of the house. It is said that in recognition of these two distinguished Southwestern Democrats, Jones and Couch were given winning tickets in the contest for place. Couch is the head of many important public utilities in Arkansas and is said to be largely interested in other industries. Jesse Jones name, is almost a household word in Texas and in the nation as well. Jones and Couch are Democrats. A third Democrat probably will be named in a very short time.

General Charles G. Dawes is the president of the board. Other directors are Eugene Meyer, governor of the federal reserve board, Secretary Andrew W. Mellon and Paul Bestor, farm loan bank commissioner.

Jesse H. Jones is one of the leading bankers of the Southwest. He is owner and publisher of the Houston Chronicle. He is the owner of five hotels in Houston and the tallest office building in the South and has large interests in Dallas, Fort Worth and other Texas cities, as well as in the City of New York. He has been especially active in Democratic politics in state and nation, has held high position in the national councils of the party, and is largely responsible for the coming of the national convention in 1928 to his home city. A native of Tennessee, he came to Texas after his college days were over and has mounted every rung of the ladder under Texas skies. Is Texas in the picture? Well, go ask the people who read the newspapers and do a little thinking as well as a lot of reading.

Air Corps Diplomat Transferred to Texas

SAN ANTONIO.—Lieut. Col. Ira Longenecker, known to Washington newspapermen as the "practical diplomat," arrived here January 18 to become new air officer for the Eighth Corps area with headquarters at Fort Houston.

For the past four years he served as press liaison for the army air corps. He entered the World war as a captain of infantry and transferred to the flying service in November, 1917. He is an airplane pilot and aerial observer.

"KING AT SCOTLAND YARD"

GUILDFORD, Eng.—An envelope addressed to the "King at Scotland Yard," and containing a 10 pound note, was found by the side of Miss Jane Fleet, whose body was found in her house recently.

WORRY HASTENS DEATH.

SAN ANTONIO.—Worry accelerates the march of humanity to its grave, believes Mrs. Pilar Aranzaga de Diaz, who recently celebrated her 107th birthday. She was the first to learn of the defeat of Santa Anna in the Texas war for independence, and was an eyewitness to the march of Mexican troops to retain Texas.

PICKED PINS FOR PIN MONEY

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Governor Gifford Pinchot, who is much concerned with unemployment in Pennsylvania, earned "in money" by a unique method when he was a Yale student, the class book of 1889 reveals. Under the heading of remunerative occupations, Pinchot listed: "Picking up needles and tacks, 1c. each; catching mice, 5c. each."

OXFORD GRAD SETS EXAMPLE

PATNA, India.—Aml Goswami, a graduate of Balliol College, Oxford University, is a shoeblack here to demonstrate the dignity of labor to Indian unemployed.

Markets

Closing selected New York stocks:

American Can	59 3/4
Am P & L	16 3/4
Am S	16 3/4
Am T & T	111 3/4
Anaconda	10 1/4
Auburn Auto	128 3/4
Aviation Corp Del	16 3/4
Beth Steel	16 3/4
Byers A M	11 3/4
Case J I	34 3/4
Chrysler	13 3/4
Elect Au L	26 3/4
Cartiss Wright	1 3/4
Elec St Bat	30
Foster Wheel	8 3/4
Fox Film	3 3/4
Gen Elec	20 3/4
Gen Mot	20 3/4
Gillette S R	11 3/4
Goodyear	15
Int cement	16
Int Harvester	25 3/4
Johns Manville	18 3/4
Kroger G & B	13 3/4
Montg Ward	8
Nat Dairy	23 3/4
Para Public	4 3/4
Phillips P	4 3/4
Prairie O & G	5
Purity Bak	12 3/4
Radio	6 3/4
Sen Elec	32 3/4
Shell Union Oil	38 3/4
Southern Pac	32
Stan Oil N J	25 3/4
Sweeney Vac	9
Studebaker	11 3/4
Texas Corp	11 3/4
U S Gypsum	20 3/4
U S Ind Ale	23 3/4
Vanadium	37 3/4
Westing Elec	24 3/4
Worthington	18 3/4

Curb Stocks:

Cities Service	5 3/4
Ford M Ltd	5 3/4
Gulf Oil Pa	28
Niag Hud Pwr	6 1/2
Stan Oil Ind	15

FINDS MEAL ON STREET.
GLENDALE, Calif.—Desk Sergeant Charles Frager found a possum wandering forlornly about the streets here. The following night, the Frager family enjoyed a hearty meal of possum and potatoes.

Giving Him a Little Demonstration!



By Rodney Dutcher
SEA Service Writer
WASHINGTON.—Union labor, as it had test faith in the stories the economists, bankers and other business sages used to tell, appears to be increasingly bent on informing its members just what is actually happening to them.

It is using its own statisticians and publicists to obtain and distribute the facts and the background of employment, business and financial conditions, on the theory that the rank and file workers are both anxious for and in need of such information.

The railroad unions for years have published here a four-page weekly newspaper Labor, edited by former Congressman Ed Keating of Colorado, which covers national affairs from the labor viewpoint as well as actual labor news. That is one reason why you are likely to find a group of railroad men at some remote junction better informed on public questions than any other group of workers.

also invest in long term loans on real estate and in bonds and stocks of reliable corporations. The one dollar in ten is normally ample to meet reserves, but if depositors suddenly rush for their funds the whole credit mechanism is upset, banks must sell bonds to get cash—thus depressing bond prices still further, press business men for repayment of loans and avoid new loans in order to keep ready money (liquid assets) on hand. When farm and other commodity prices dropped debtors were less able to repay the banks, security behind credits decreased and bank investments in railroad bonds, real estate and other securities declined in value. The German financial crisis scared everyone, stimulating hoarding and withdrawals. Bond prices shot down the A F of L chart shows, at the same time and at about the same rate of speed with which hoarding increased.

CAREFUL estimates, the federation says, shows an average of two dependents for each unemployed worker. It conservatively estimates the unemployed at 1,000,000.

Another excellent example of labor union tendency to inform members is given in a careful survey by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers which undertakes to show the trend of industry away from the old chrysalis of a tariff profit. It quotes, in its monthly journal, bankers, industrialists and economists to show that speculation and the "habit of colossal and easy profits" was a major cause of the recent disaster. It lists various devices—well known—by which more than a fair return is taken analyzing them and concludes that business must turn back to the era of fair return on goods and services furnished for productive services or continue "in its spiral journey toward speculative attitudes—which means, in the end, ruin."

There is no radicalism in these labor surveys. They are scientific, usually, and well thought out.

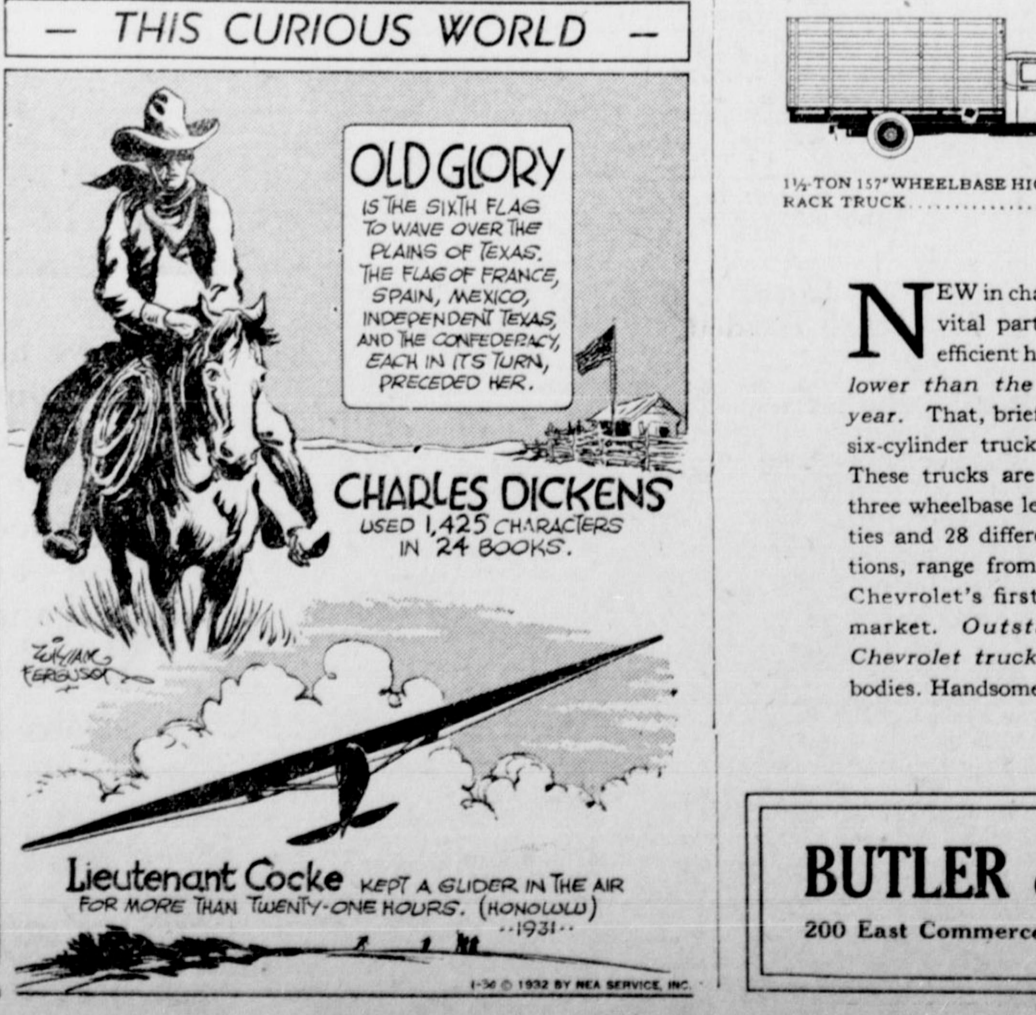
THROUGH the depression, the American Federation of Labor has issued a small "Monthly Survey of Business" which has attracted increasing attention and has been more and more widely quoted. It describes current situations in simple, intelligible language—the kind in which you know what all the words mean—and occasionally tosses in simple, significant charts and graphs. The January issue contained probably the most lucid, comprehensive yet brief accounts of the frozen credit condition, the bond situation and the resultant business restriction that this writer has seen. Also, similar explanations of the federal budget problem and the reparations tangle.

The point is made, which so many people still don't seem to get, that the banks hold about one dollar in ten of deposits and lend the rest at interest. Manufacturers, merchants and farmers depend on borrowing from that money to short periods for costs of doing business and the banks.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

OLD GLORY
 IS THE SIXTH FLAG TO WAVE OVER THE PLAINS OF TEXAS, THE FLAG OF FRANCE, SPAIN, MEXICO, INDEPENDENT TEXAS, AND THE CONFEDERACY, EACH IN ITS TURN, PRECEDED HER.

CHARLES DICKENS
 USED 1,425 CHARACTERS IN 24 BOOKS.



Pupils May Still Enroll in Ranger Junior College

The second semester has been in progress at Ranger Junior college about a week, and all who plan to enroll for courses are urged to register at once. Ranger Junior college offers all the courses ordinarily offered in the first two years of senior colleges, and students who complete two years of work here may enter the junior year of a senior college. Also the work taken here counts toward teachers' certificates on the same basis as that done in the senior colleges. Upon the completion of one year's work in Ranger Junior college, a student is entitled to a state first class two-year high school or four-year elementary certificate, and upon completion of two years of work here, a student is entitled to a state four-year high school or six-year elementary certificate of the first class, provided the work taken includes the prescribed courses in English and education in each case. The six-year elementary certificate may be conferred into a state first class permanent elementary certificate after five years of successful teaching.

Two courses which should be of special interest to teachers who wish to build toward higher certificates and to the ladies of Ranger who cannot take full time work are: The Chief American Poets and Prose Writers taught by Mrs. A. Neill on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 2:30 to 3:30 p. m., and American History taught by Miss Gladys Pinson on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.

Tom Lauderdale, who attended the Texas State College of Mines, and Dean Reimund, who attended the Missouri College of Mines the first semester, are enrolled in Ranger Junior college for the second semester. Others have inquired about work here, and it is expected that a few more will enroll on Monday.

W. E. Gattys, the state college examiner, inspected Ranger Junior college thoroughly on Friday, and he was well pleased with the progress and improvements that have been made since his last visit. He was especially pleased with the enlargement of the library and with the cataloging of books which had been accomplished the past summer and fall, and he was also well pleased with our increase in enrollment this year.

PEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE with BILL MAYES

There is at least one man in Ranger who does not approve of us very much and does not approve of our writings to any great extent either. (That rustling sound is a dozen or so of the readers who do not approve of us or what we write, getting all hot and bothered and shaking their papers because they think we are referring to them.)

One reason this man does not approve of our writings to any great extent is that sometimes we feel that it is necessary to jump on someone for something and he thinks all we should do is write up the general line of hoosy about how great people are, how important they are to the city and community, and whether they deserve it or not, go way out of our way to try to flatter them by making up a lot of bunk about them.

The ones with whom we have taken issue have, without exception, been broadminded enough to see both sides of a controversy and have not fallen out with us over what we have written. For instance, after making all kinds of fun of Jess Meroney because he failed to take down Christmas mailing posters in the entrance to the post office, he took them down and invited us to visit the post office so we could see how much better it looked with them down.

Usually, and we are not saying that this is the case in this instance, the one who gets all riled up about almost everything that is written in a paper, either for or against a cause, does little of sufficient importance to get his name in a column, and if he did he would probably think he should have gotten the whole column.

One reason we know he gets sore about it is because he won't even speak to us for several days after we write something of the kind, even though we go right on speaking to him as though we were too ignorant to see that he was all swelled up like a poisoned pup and didn't know that it was only his own ignorance that made him believe we should be ignored.

However, a little thing like being snubbed by the small fry means nothing in our young life,

because we have been ignored by experts.

Those who had to wait until their Saturday night payroll in order to pay their poll taxes, will be given the opportunity of paying their tax and getting a vote, because C. E. May has announced that his office will remain open until 10 o'clock Sunday morning so people may pay poll taxes and buy car licenses. Anyone who has not paid by that time is just out of luck as far as voting goes.

Those who want to pay a poll tax should do so as early Sunday as possible, because, no doubt, Mr. May wants to get it over quickly so he can get to Sunday school. And at that he is staying open as an accommodation to the public and they should appreciate this enough to get there early.

B. E. Garner says that he saw an interesting item in a paper recently, which we must have overlooked. He says that a man hitchhiked from San Antonio to Los Angeles in two days. His system was very simple. He placed a sign on his back which read "If you don't pick me up I'll vote for Hoover."

All along the road, so Garner says, men stopped to give him a ride, even getting out and opening the door to help him in the car.

Gus got to griping along a pretty good line Friday when he mentioned that a certain manufacturer of farm implements was putting a fast one by the business men of Eastland by putting on a short course that could be done just as well by the two county agents and which is being done by them every day in the year. In addition to that, in order to advertise their implements to better advantage, they get up a sucker list of business men, get them to give money for prizes to be donated in certain contests. All the business men get out of it is the privilege of giving the money, the manufacturer reaps the benefits in advertising that the merchant helps pay for. The farmer gets just exactly what he can get any day in the year—good advice—and gets no practical help from the course.

Ranger fell for this short course stunt a few years back, so it was probably thought that they would be wise to the scheme to work the citizens and would not go in on a proposition of that kind again.

France raided the American dollar, and dry agents raided Al Capone's brewery. Strange business, this liquidation.

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1 1/2-TON MODELS WITH BODIES PRICED AS LOW AS	\$670	1 1/2-TON 157" WHEELBASE HIGH RACK TRUCK... \$810
		1 1/2-TON 131" WHEELBASE PANEL TRUCK... \$755
		1 1/2-TON 131" WHEELBASE CANOPY TOP EXPRESS... \$750
		1 1/2-TON 131" WHEELBASE HIGH AND WIDE EXPRESS TRUCK... \$705

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NEW in chassis—new in bodies—new in every vital part that has to do with economical, efficient hauling—yet selling at prices even lower than the extremely low prices of last year. That, briefly, is the story of the new line of six-cylinder trucks, now introduced by Chevrolet. These trucks are available as complete units—in three wheelbase lengths—1 1/2-ton and 1 1/2-ton capacities and 28 different body types. The price reductions, range from \$10 to as high as \$65 and make Chevrolet's first-cost one of the lowest in the market. Outstanding features of the new Chevrolet truck: A new line of Chevrolet-built bodies. Handsome new lines. Stronger, more efficient body construction. Larger bulk capacity. New, roomier, more comfortable cabs. A wide variety of optional color combinations. A new truck-type six-cylinder engine, developing greater power and speed, and assuring matchless economy of operation. A new, heavier frame. New, stronger truck-type springs. A new, sturdier, smoother-operating truck-type clutch. On the 1 1/2-ton truck, a new, heavier, more efficient 4-speed transmission. A truck-type rear axle 25 per cent stronger than before. Interchangeable single and dual wheel equipment. For the 1 1/2-ton models, the easy-shifting Syncro-Mesh transmission. The lowest operating cost of any truck on the market.

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SPEAKING of SPORTS

By LEO H. PETERSON, United Press Staff Correspondent.

League's Last Ambition Fades With Robin Release

ALBANY, N.Y., Jan. 30.—The last ambition of the National League to win the championship by releasing Robin Hood from the Brooklyn club has faded.

A year ago Luque, one of the most colorful of National League pitchers, told the United Press he would retire after one more chance to pitch in a world series. It looked then as if 1931 would be the year for Brooklyn.

Luque took part in one world series—in 1919 when the Cincinnati Reds won the National league pennant, but he was on his way up then and received little chance to display his wares.

Cuban Came Into Own 4 Years Later

It was four years later that Luque came to the fore as the ace of righthanders. He won 27 games while losing eight and held his opponents to an earned run average of 1.93 per nine inning game.

Luque stayed with the Reds until the winter of 1929-30 when he was traded to Brooklyn. His work in 1930 put the Reds in the thick of the pennant fight.

Luque was always a colorful figure. He was a fighter to the last ditch. When you saw him walking out on the mound, you knew he was going somewhere. His attitude was such that one expected him to step on the face of anyone who got in his way.

Actually he wouldn't, of course. In common with most of the athletes who are so hard-boiled on the field, Luque was a very amiable fellow in private life and a great favorite with the other players.

While Luque gave the best years of his life to the game, baseball was kind to him. He didn't play on pennant winning teams, but he received a healthy salary and saluted it away. Two years ago he told a group of baseball writers he could retire from the game at any time and be financially secure for life.

Old Fargo Express Sells Himself to Broadway

Billy Petrolle, the Fargo Express, who ring experts once tagged as rusted stock that could roll no longer, has sold himself on the street hardest to sell, Broadway.

The North Dakota battler, who retired only to begin a come-back campaign in the fall of 1929, has won his way into the hearts of New York boxing fans. They are comparing him with other greats of the smaller divisions, McGovern, Lavigne, Gans, Leonard and the rest.

When Petrolle put the end to the championship aspirations of Eddie Ran, young Polish welterweight at Madison Square Garden, he left the ring about the biggest card outside of the heavyweight class. He had drawn 17,000 persons to see him fight and he didn't disappoint them.

Petrolle has been around longer than he cares to remember, and the boys are wondering what is going to become of the younger generation. His business seems to be baptizing youngsters with fire.

Official Wrecker Of Ring Careers

A short time before he knocked out Ran the Fargo Express had wrecked the aspirations of Billy Townsend. Previous to that he flattened Justo Suarez, the best piece of fighting machinery the Argentine has sent to this country since Luis Firpo. He ruined Jackie (Kid) Berg on the come-back trail and thumped Jimmy McLarnin. He was beaten by the latter in a return match however.

But for all of his success, Petrolle never has held a world's championship. The boys say of him "always a challenger, but never a champion."

Today he is rated as the outstanding contender for both the lightweight and welterweight championships of the world. It is regarded as almost certain that he will be matched to meet Tony Canzoneri, the lightweight king, some time this summer.

"My grandfather lived to be 110, so maybe I'll reach 100 and get a shot at a title," Petrolle told the press after his knockout victory over Ran.

The Fargo Express never has fought for a championship. Each time he met a champion, one or the other would be under, or above, the weight limit so that no title was at stake.

National Guard to Hold Indoor Rifle Contest Today

Company I, 142nd Infantry, Texas national guard, will hold an indoor rifle match this morning at 9 o'clock, which will be in competition with every national guard unit in the United States.

The team, composed of 10 men, will use .22 calibre rifles in shooting and their targets will be sent in to state headquarters. On arrival there it will be checked and the best team in the state selected.

When the winner of the state contest is selected by a comparison of the targets, this bunch of targets will be sent to national headquarters, where the winning team of the United States will be selected.

BROWNFIELD — Chisholm hatchery started operations.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

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Typhoid Fever Hits Chicago Low Level

CHICAGO — Typhoid fever struck a low level in Chicago during 1931, when only 13 deaths were recorded and 97 cases all told, according to the report of Dr. Herman N. Bandesen, Board of Health president.

With population at 3,458,000 persons, the death-rate was .37 per 100,000, the lowest ever reached. From preliminary returns, this is probably the lowest figure of any metropolitan area in the world. Bandesen said. It compares with 124 cases and 20 deaths in 1930, and shows the tremendous improvement since 1891, when almost 20,000 cases and nearly 2,000 deaths were reported in a single year.

HOKY AND SLIDES

Henry L. Farrell

One Way to Help

THE hullabaloo about football perils recalls an incident that occurred in the Army-Navy game. In the third period Referee Tom Thorne stopped the play and insisted that Lou Bryan, Navy tackle, be removed from the field. No one else had noticed that Bryan had been injured on a previous play. Bryan insisted he was all right, but Thorne had his way and Bryan was sent to the sidelines. Observant officials can do much to save young men from possibly lasting injuries.

It Rained

YOU might have thought it a joke that the Tulane football team working out for the Rose Bowl game, was driven indoors repeatedly by California rains. Especially if you lived in Florida!

Solicitous Connie

SIX or seven of the A's have been playing basketball during the winter. The other day Connie Mack issued a proclamation calling for a cessation of such activities by his young men. That reminds us, some of the A's thought they were playing basketball in St. Louis last October. Maybe Mr. Mack noticed it, too.

Hello There, Mal!

MAL STEVENS is the new president of the national coaches' association. Mr. Stevens is coach at Yale. One of the first things Mr. Stevens should do is to offer an amendment to the football rules making it obligatory for Georgia to allow Yale to win a football game.

Hard to Convince?

ON Nov. 12, 1930, Jim Londos and Rudy Dusek wrestled in St. Louis. Londos won. On Feb. 13, 1931, Londos and Dusek (the same men) wrestled in Boston. Londos won. On June 4, 1931, Londos and Dusek (again, same men) wrestled in Washington. Londos won. On July 17, 1931, Londos and Dusek (sure!) wrestled again in Washington. Londos won. On Aug. 12, 1931, Londos and Dusek (absolutely!) wrestled in Washington again. (The same!) Londos won. On Nov. 13, 1931, Londos and Dusek (oh, come now, you're spoofing!) wrestled in Philadelphia. Londos won. On Dec. 30, 1931, Londos and Dusek wrestled in Chicago. Londos won. You'd almost think that Mr. Dusek, or somebody, would be convinced about something by this time, wouldn't you?

DID YOU KNOW THAT—

TWO world championship wrestling matches were held on consecutive nights . . . the first was in Chicago. . . . Jim Londos wrestled Rudy Dusek there the night of Dec. 30 . . . the second was in Columbus, O. . . . John Pesek wrestled Joe Stecher there the night of Dec. 31. . . . The names are a little different . . . but what are names, or championships, in wrestling? . . . Maybe there were a few other heavy-weight wrestling championship matches on these two nights here and there. . . . We blush to think of not having noticed them.

Olympic Threats

THE coming Los Angeles Olympic games will see some performances during 1932 by four men in short pants. The four men are Ben Eastman, Vic Williams, George Spitz and Percy Beard. Eastman and Williams tied the 440-yard dash record in 47.25, established by Ted Meredith in 1916. George Spitz set a new world record for the indoor high jump, 6 feet 7 inches, the old record (Harold Osborn's) having been 6 feet 6 1/2 inches. Spitz also jumped 6 feet 7 1/2 inches outdoors, against Osborn's record of 6 feet 8 1/2 inches. Percy Beard broke the world record for the 120-yard high hurdles, making it in 14.15 seconds. These young men are going to be hard to stop.

Fire Prevention Poster Contest Prizes Awarded

Fire Chief G. A. Murphy, accompanied by Eodis Martin of the Ranger fire department, visited the Merriman school Friday afternoon and presented prizes awarded in the fire prevention poster contest held at the school. Prizes were awarded by C. E. May, C. E. Maddocks and D. McKee, insurance agents of Ranger.

First prize of \$1 was awarded to Glenn Rex, 7 years old, and who is in the third grade; second prize was given to James Hunt, 9 years old, and third prize was given to Vera Young, who is 8 years old. Second and third prizes were 75 cents and 50 cents respectively. A class prize of 75 cents was also awarded.

NEW STATE POLICE BUSY

SALEM, Ore.—Since its organization five months ago, Oregon state police have made 2,674 arrests. Fines and fees collected amounted to \$98,181 and \$42,729 respectively. Sentences to state prison aggregated 215 years.

Swedish Industries Booming Without Gold As Standard

WASHINGTON.—Sweden, off the gold standard since September, reports increases in industrial production, according to reports from the Stockholm office of the commerce department.

Sweden's general index of industrial production is now 116, as compared with 110 in October and 114 in September a year ago. Marked increases have been shown in the production of iron ore, iron, steel, wood products and wool pulp.

A marked decrease was felt in Sweden's foreign trade in 1931, however, and economic depression was felt in an increasing degree in exports of iron ore, lumber, paper and pulp.

MAY LEGALIZE HORSE RACING

BOSTON.—A bill filed with the Massachusetts Legislature would legalize horse racing and the operation of pools, ten per cent of the proceeds to go toward financing the state's old age assistance act.

C.M.T.C. Quota For County Filed

Captain Wayne C. Hickey of Company I, Texas national guard, announced Saturday that the quota for the C. M. T. C. had been filed and that no applications were being received.

Ten men were selected for training this year, with three alternates. These men have already been picked. A letter from Col. H. A. Ripley of the Eighth Corps area stated that the quota was selected from men who had attended camp last year. Blankets were mailed to them direct by the commandant of the Eighth Corps area and were returned by the candidate for admission.

Texas Railroads Operating Cheaper

AUSTIN.—Net operating income of Texas railroads for 11 months ending Nov. 30, 1931, decreased \$8,969,590 as compared to the net income for the same period in 1930.

Data compiled by the Texas railroad commission showed today that Texas railroads had a net income of \$27,395,943 for the 1930 period. The 1931 total was \$18,416,353, or a decrease of 32.7 per cent. Operating expenses of Texas railroads totaled \$114,223,360 for the 1931 period, while net revenue from operations was only \$38,872,113. Operating expenses for the 1930 period totaled \$142,150,546, while net revenue from operation amounted to \$49,310,406.

American in League Quiz

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Much Interest Being Shown In Gymnasium Class

J. B. Heider, in charge of athletics at the Ranger Elks club, announced Saturday that much interest is showing in the class being organized in physical culture under the auspices of the Ranger Elks club.

A number of business men have enrolled and are starting light exercises on Monday afternoon.

Robby Novack, junior welterweight champion, who has devoted much of his time in instructing classes of this kind and is well qualified to build up the body, will be here for some time and has charge of the class. He will give each one his personal attention and give the exercises requisite. Anyone interested can consult Robby Novack or J. B. Heider at the Elks club and they will be glad to give any information as to hours and rates.

YOUTH OWNS PHILATELIC PRIZES

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Fourteen-year-old Thayer Soule has a couple of philatelic prizes in demand by collectors throughout the United States. They are two envelopes carrying all 12 of the new George Washington bicentennial stamps, and postmarked "Washington, D. C., Jan. 1, 1932."



The love he gave her belonged to another, but Ellen forgot that when Larry's arms were about her. Ellen was a "dime-a-dance girl" at Dreamland where any man who bought a 10 cent ticket could dance with her. Larry had money, social position—and a wealthy fiancée. Though he laughed and danced and motored with Ellen he remained bound to marry the other girl.

Ellen gave him her heart, gambled with love—and the outcome makes "The Dime-a-Dance Girl" a thrilling serial. It begins Wednesday, February 3rd, in this paper.

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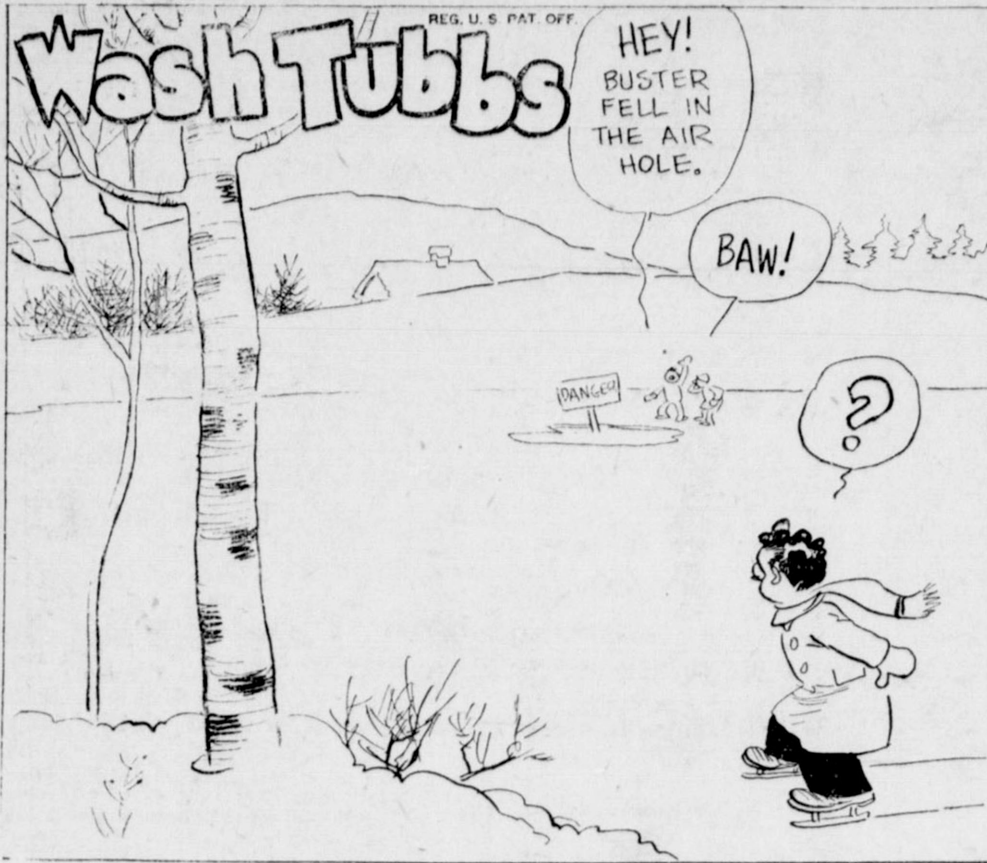
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By Williams



KANSANS PLAN CLUB TO AID MEN OVER 40

By United Press.
KANSAS CITY, Kan.—An organization designed to see that the man past 40 gets an even break in the fight for jobs has been formed here.

The 40-and-Over club, as its name implies, was organized by folks who are past their thirties. Its aim is to aid the older man adjust himself to new industrial conditions and give him a chance to earn his own living at his chosen craft.

Since the business depression began, thousands of men, strong, efficient workers, have lost their jobs, through no fault of their own, it is pointed out by the 40-and-Over club organizers. When new jobs open up, the average employer will give the preference to the younger applicants.

Dodge Charity.

The 40-and-Over club has no desire to keep the younger men out of work, but it does believe that the older man should not be forced on charity, just because of their age.

The club members also declare that there are enough jobs available for the older men and employers who are anxious to get experienced workmen, if the contact can be made.

Working on that premise, the club plans to open headquarters where all club members will be listed with their records. At the same time, this office will keep in touch with all vacant positions in the city, so that as soon as a man loses his job he can be put on the track of another.

Establish Prestige.

This headquarters will not be like the ordinary employment bureau, however. The attempt will be made to place a man unless his record shows definitely that he can handle the new job. In this way the club expects to work up a prestige that will make employers anxious to keep in touch with it.

All expenses of the 40-and-Over club are expected to be met by voluntary contributions from its members. The man for whom the club was formed, the man who is out of a job, is the one least able to pay for his membership, so no set fees are expected to be assessed.

Old Warriors May Convene

By United Press.
CHICAGO—Old warriors, who were hot-headed young braves at the "Custer Massacre," at the battle of the Little Big Horn in 1876, and are now the old full-bloods nearing the end of their trail, may have a place in the Chicago Century of Progress Exposition.

Plans are now being made for an inter-tribal council of Indian buffalo hunters of half a century ago, with the ultimate decision dependent upon Congress.

The ethnological group of the American Association for the Advancement of Science would serve as hosts to the Indians at their annual convention, to be held here next year. The proposal has already been laid before the United States Board of Indian Commissioners, in Washington, by Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Princeton, N. J., a member of the board.

General Scott is expected to be the only "paleface" to participate in the council, which will be held in the Indian sign language. He is known to all the plains Indians as "the man who talks with his hands," and has just completed a "talk" in the American Indian sign language for the federal government.

In the council circle will be Mountain Chief, the almost-blind leader of the Blackfoot of Montana; Washakie, son of the famous Shoshone chief of Wyoming; Tom White Horse, Arapaho, of Wyoming; Bitter Root Jim, famed storyteller of the Montana Flatheads; Bird Rattler, a Blood, of Montana; Deer Nose, a Crow, of Montana; Jim Eagle, an Arickara, and Foolish Woman, a Mandan, both living on the Fort Berthold reservation in North Dakota, and Iron Whip, a Yankton Sioux, of Montana. With the death of these men, the sign language will probably take its place with other dead languages.

Damrosch, at 70, Looks Ahead



Though Walter Damrosch, the dean of American symphony conductors, will be 70 on Jan. 30, he is looking forward to many busy days and new achievements in the field of music. Best known, and perhaps best-loved, of the nation's musicians, Damrosch posed for this picture specially for NEA Service.

Philadelphia Society Man Faces Trial As Slayer of Sister's Betrayer

By PAUL COMLY FRENCH
NORRISTOWN, Pa., Jan. 2.—Whether a father has the right to bare his daughter's life to save his son from the electric chair, will figure prominently in the murder trial of Edward H. B. Allen, 24-year-old society turfman.

The young social registerite is charged with the slaying of Francis A. Donaldson, 3rd, who, the boy's father, Horace Allen, charges, betrayed his 19-year-old daughter to a man named Rose.

Allen, now held in the Montgomery county jail on a charge of first degree murder, probably will be taken before the grand jury today.

District Attorney Stewart Nase said Allen is indicted he probably will be placed on trial early in February.

Apartment Shooting

The fatal shooting in the Allen's fashionable Green Hill Farms apartment on Nov. 9, climaxed a series of quarrels over Donaldson's attention to the Allen girl.

The Allen's have been prominent in Philadelphia society for many years, while the Donaldsons are comparatively newcomers to the Social Register, being listed during the past five years. With the publication of the 1932 edition of Philadelphia's Blue Book, however, the Allens were dropped while the Donaldsons still were listed.

As Lower Merion Township authorities reconstruct the shooting in the apartment, Donaldson had gone to discuss his attentions to Rose with her father.

Struck in Chest

Without a word he fired, the shot striking Donaldson in the chest, police charge.

Horace Allen, the once wealthy wool importer, who claimed he was living in the fashionable apartment as the guest of the manager, told police a different story.

"Before Mrs. Allen's death last April," he said, "she asked me to protect Rose from Donaldson. We feared him; feared his influence over Rose.

"After my wife's death my business failed and we were forced to leave our home in Haverford and move here as guests of the manager. Then one night Rose said that she was spending the weekend with friends at the shore.

"Later she was to join her other brother, William, in Virginia. When she failed to arrive, he became worried and called me. I phoned the friends where she expected to stop, but they said she had left the preceding morning.

Knocked Out Teeth

"Later that night she reached my son's home in Virginia in company with Donaldson and when William demanded where they had been, Donaldson struck him and knocked out two teeth.

"When Rose returned home I questioned her and she admitted that Donaldson had betrayed her in a hotel in Scranton, Pa., talking with Donaldson and agreed that it would be best to let him see her once in a while to stop any possible scandal.

"Then one night several months ago I was aroused at 2 a. m. I saw a light in her room and went to see why she was so late, when both she and Donaldson had promised to be home by midnight.

"I found them sitting on the bed, and when I objected, Donaldson handled me roughly.

"On Nov. 9, Rose left the apartment shortly before dinner and said she would dine with friends.

Apartment Fight

"I thought nothing of it until about 8:30 when Donaldson and young Lucas forced their way into the apartment. They were both abusive, swearing and cursing. Finally, Edward was knocked down. He got up and left the apartment.

"I don't recall how long it was until Lucas and Donaldson started to leave.

"As they reached the foyer, I heard a shot, then Edward came in to the apartment, laid a gun on the chair and sat down on theavenport.

"Within a few minutes the police came and arrested him.

"I know that he was worried over Donaldson's betrayal of Rose because he had always idolized her and tried to protect her.

"Former State Senator Fletcher W. Stiles, who will actively handle the defense case, is believed to be planning a defense on the basis that Donaldson forced his way into the apartment and failed to leave when requested and on emotional insanity.

Attorney Old Family Friend

John E. K. Scott, best known Philadelphia criminal attorney, and an old friend of the Allen family, is in charge of the defense. Stiles, however, as a resident of Montgomery county will be in charge during the trial.

Shortly after the slaying, Rose said that she would never forgive her brother, or her father for her sweetheart's death.

Later she visited Edward in the Montgomery county jail with her father, but refused to pose with him for pictures despite his willingness.

For several weeks after the murder, Rose and her father lived with Henry G. Pierce, wealthy friends in Haverford, but recently took a small apartment in Merion.

Trick Rackets Netted Billions

By United Press.
CHICAGO—"Business rackets" that have cost the public approximately a billion dollars in 1931 will be the chief problem facing the National Association of Direct Selling Companies convention here Jan. 29.

H. J. Bligh, Chicago publisher, and a past-president of the organization, says that a nation-wide survey shows "promoters of trick business schemes, classified as rackets, gleaned a billion dollar harvest last year from the small fry."

"Prize contests were one means of obtaining mailing lists, he pointed out, and fees for entry in these contests and for sales samples were one means of getting money. Home-work plans, employment schemes and other promotional offers drew his criticism.

"The unemployed and other persons hard pressed for money, who could ill afford to lose even small sums, were among the majority of victims," said Bligh. "The 'business racket' promoter invariably bases his appeal on the willingness of the needy to try anything to get a little money." Usually he seeks small individual sums, but goes after a great volume of returns.

Evidence gathered by a survey will be submitted to the Federal Trade Commission and Post Office Department, according to Bligh, who placed Chicago's contribution to these rackets at about \$15,000,000 in 1931.

Coyote Population of State Declines

By United Press.
SAN ANTONIO.—The weird call of the coyote in the brush country of Texas will be heard less often in 1932.

Over one-tenth of the state's coyote population was killed last year by the 81 men employed by the Texas division of the Federal Game Commission, U. S. Biological Survey, C. R. Landon, supervisor of the eradication program, reported 10,342 coyotes killed and 1,423 coyotes poisoned last year.

Most of the work centered in southern and southwestern border sections of the state, where coyotes prey on sheep, goats, poultry and stock. The wolves are the boldest mammals of the state, often slaying sheep and chickens apparently for the sport of it, Landon declared.

Texas Cotton Mills Use More Cotton Than Last Month

Special Correspondent.
AUSTIN.—For the second successive month, activity in the 21 Texas cotton mills reporting to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research increased in December. The amount of cotton used during December totaled 4,232 bales, as compared with 4,232 bales in November; the total was 17 per cent more than the 3,671 bales used in December, 1930.

"Active spindles increased 4.6 per cent in number during the month, going up from 137,030 in November to 143,294 in December, 1931," the bureau's report said. "At this figure, the number of active spindles reported in the state is greater by more than one-fourth than that reported in the period last year. The average consumption to this date for the five previous years has been 2,650,000 bales, which shows that consumption is still lagging nearly 100,000 bales per month behind normal.

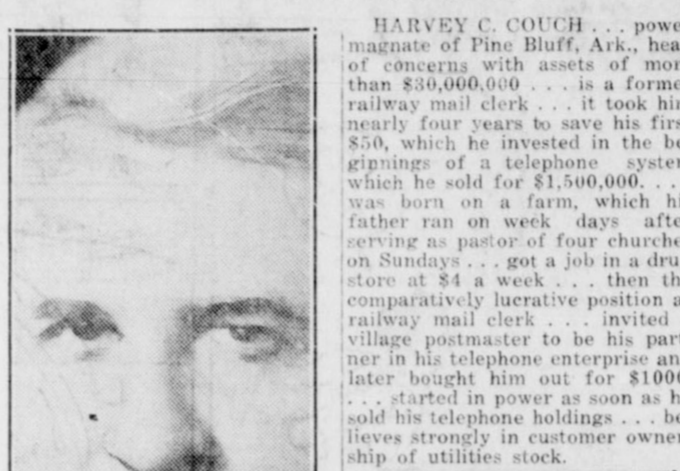
"According to the Association of Cotton Textile Merchants of New York, the sales of cloth for five weeks in December amounted to 254,692,000 yards as compared with 234,952,000 yards for December, 1930. Sales in December were 80 per cent of production whereas last year they were 78 per cent. Compared with November, the showing was not so good. Average weekly sales were down 15,000,000 yards at the end of December, 1931, compared with 32,935,000 yards at the end of November and 288,956,000 yards at the end of December, 1930.

"Cotton yarn prices held steady during December, 1931. In fact the quotations on Dec. 29 were exactly the same as on the first. The Liverpool prices of American middling spots moved up slightly from 5-18d (penny) to 5.20d (penny). The average price of 32's twist yarn in Manchester in December was 9.6d (penny) and the average price of middling 7-8 inch cotton was 5.23d (penny). The spinners ratio margin was therefore 18.4. The average absolute margin for the month was 4.37d (penny). This is .03d (penny) higher than it was in November. The end month margin was 4.33d (penny)."

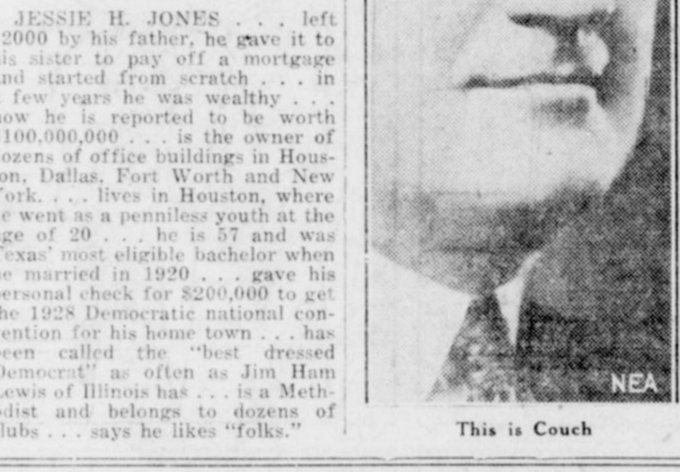
From Poor Boys To Millionaires

That's the Story of Two Southern Democrats Named By Hoover to Big Corporation to End Depression.

They started as poor boys—and now they're worth millions! These two men, outstanding in their states, have been named by President Hoover as directors of the new \$2,000,000,000 Reconstruction Finance Corporation formed by an act of Congress to end the depression. They comprise two of the three Democratic members.



Harvey C. Couch, power magnate of Pine Bluff, Ark., head of concerns with assets of more than \$30,000,000. It took him nearly four years to save his first \$50, which he invested in the beginnings of a telephone system which he sold for \$1,500,000. He was born on a farm, which his father ran on week days after serving as pastor of four churches on Sundays. He got a job in a drug store at \$4 a week. . . . then the comparatively lucrative position as railway mail clerk. . . . invited a village postmaster to be his partner in his telephone enterprise and later bought him out for \$1000. . . . started in power as soon as he sold his telephone holdings. . . . believes strongly in customer ownership of utilities stock.



Jesse H. Jones, left \$2000 by his father, he gave it to his sister to pay off a mortgage and started from scratch. . . . in a few years he was wealthy. . . . now he is reported to be worth \$10,000,000. . . . is the owner of dozens of office buildings in Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and New York. . . . lives in Houston, where he went as a penniless youth at the age of 20. . . . he is 57 and was Texas' most eligible bachelor when he married in 1920. . . . gave his personal check for \$200,000 to get the 1928 Democratic national convention for his home town. . . . has been called the "best dressed Democrat" as often as Jim Ham Lewis of Illinois has. . . . is a Methodist and belongs to dozens of clubs. . . . says he likes "folks."

Cotton Consumption in United States Shows An Increase

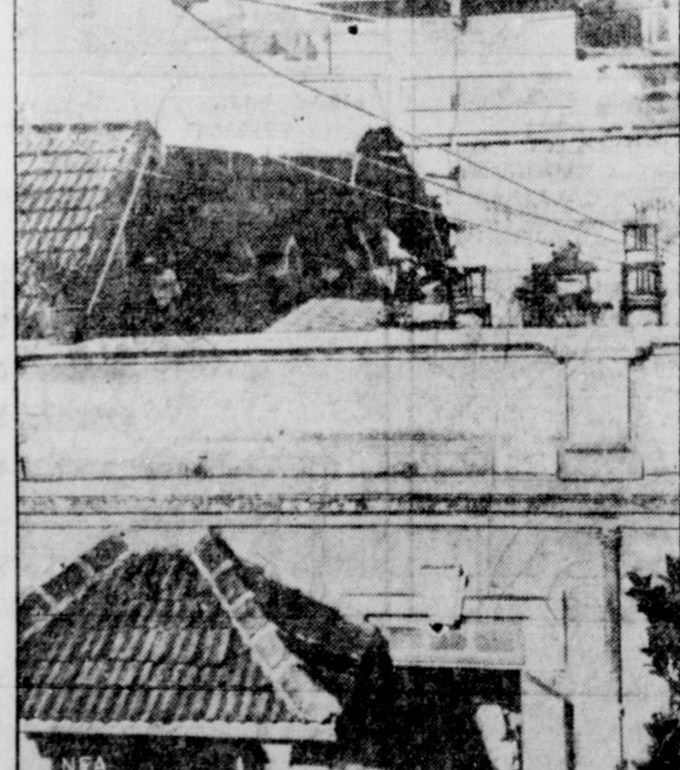
Special Correspondent.
AUSTIN.—Cotton consumption in the United States for December amounted to 415,000 bales, or more than 1,000 bales less than in November, but about 9,000 bales more than in December a year ago, according to Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research.

"Consumption in the United States as a whole since Aug. 1 was 2,195,000 bales," Dr. Cox said. "This is 194,000 bales more than the consumption for the same period last year. The average consumption to this date for the five previous years has been 2,650,000 bales, which shows that consumption is still lagging nearly 100,000 bales per month behind normal.

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Where Gandhi Was Arrested



Here is the queer tent-like home of Mahatma Gandhi, on the roof of a Bombay tenement house, where he was arrested by British police five days after his return from the London Round Table Conference. He was hustled off to a jail near Poona "for the duration of the pleasure of the British government."

Honor Rolls For Ranger Schools Not Completed

The honor rolls of the Ranger school have not been made out yet, H. S. Von Roeder, principal of the Ranger High school, said today, and will probably not be ready for publication until Tuesday of next week.

He said that the honor rolls were carefully checked to see that they were correct and were announced in chapel at the schools before they were ready for publication. This is done to be sure that no names were omitted. He said that the names had been turned in but the job of re-checking had not been completed as yet.

Second Monday In Ranger To Be Staged Feb. 9th

J. B. Ames, who has had charge of the Second Mondays in Ranger for several months, has announced that on Monday, Feb. 9, another trading day will be held.

During the late fall and early winter months, Second Mondays were not held because of bad weather on most of the days designated for trading days and because of the trade days that were held semi-monthly during the fall.

With the beginning of the new year, Second Mondays are to be re-established and will be held regularly, Mr. Ames said today. Much progress was made during the summer and early fall months in these get-together days and more than 500 farmers from over Eastland, Stephens, Palo Pinto and Erath counties had begun to look forward to their coming month making arrangements to be present.

It is hoped in the next two months that the crowds had to more than 500 each Second Monday and keep the popularity of the event growing.

Famed Slums of Paris Cleaned

PARIS—The "artistic slums" and homey hovels of Paris soon will be only a memory, according to Police Prefect Jean Chiappe, in his annual report before the municipal council recently.

"Paris will soon lose its hovels and slums, following their appointment, he was accompanied and handcuffed by Deputy Sheriff Ellis Johnson.

Peddy was indicted for conspiracy to rob the bank after the trials of Henry and Angelo McCauley, cousins, who entered pleas of guilty, and made statements allegedly implicating Peddy in the robbery. The Elysian Fields bank was robbed Nov. 19 while Peddy was out on bond pending a second trial in the robbery of a bank at Timpon. He was arrested the day before his trial was to start at Center and charged with conspiracy to rob the Elysian Fields bank.

"Soap" Gun Plea Fails Before Jury

SAN ANGELO—Clint Powell claimed at his trial that he used an imitation gun made of soap in effecting his escape and that of five others from the Tom Green county jail last May.

But Deputy Sheriff Thompson declared the gun Powell held was real and that it was cocked. The jury was impressed more by Thompson's testimony and assessed Powell five years on a charge of robbery with fire-arms in connection with the jail break.

Ontario Villages Vote Down Liquor

COLLINGWOOD, Ont.—There will be no government liquor store here, or at the village of Tanworth, voters decided recently.

A three-fifth majority must be obtained in favor of the move before the government can open a liquor store. The vote here was 1,000 in favor of the store, and 1,000 against it.

At Tanworth a vote of 347 was registered for removal of the store now in operation, against 345 for retaining it.

Roosevelt, Jr., Off For Philippines

Famous brother and famous sister are pictured here as Mrs. Alice Longworth, widow of the Speaker of the House, bade goodbye in Washington to Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., before his departure for the Philippine Islands to assume the post of Governor. This is one of the first pictures—if not actually the first—since the death of her husband.

Sterling Has Not Been To Western Boudry of State

AUSTIN—Gov. Ross Sterling has not been to the western boundary of the state since becoming governor, but a move is underway to get him to attend the cattlemen's convention in El Paso in March.

F. L. Blaney, campaign manager for Governor Sterling's campaign in ten West Texas counties, has been here urging the chief executive to attend the El Paso convention.

He did not go that far west during his campaign for the governor's office in 1930.

GIRLS KNIT SWEATERS.

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass.—In their spare time, Mount Holyoke college girls knit sweaters. Sixty already have been distributed among the jobless, and 200 will be given out within a month.

PONTIAC, Mich.—The placing of orange barrels in local grocery stores for customers to drop in contributions for the needy has resulted in about \$100 worth of groceries weekly.

Russia Is Found To Be Sexless

By United Press.
BERKELEY, Calif.—"Russia is sexless."

The Soviets, despite their lax laws on marriage and divorce, are more moral than Americans, with their morbid, abnormal interest in sex.

That's the answer of John London Malamuth, daughter of Jack London, to the charges of immorality hurled against modern Russia.

Mrs. Malamuth saw the Soviet experiment in marriage, women in industry, and the five-year plan at work. She lived in Moscow several months. There she and her husband, Prof. Charles Malamuth, patched up their shattered romance. Dropping a divorce action, they have come back to their home here.

"Monogamy is not doomed in Russia," she said.

"Easy divorce is not breaking up the home, nor is it leading to promiscuity. Marriage is little affected by the fact that getting a divorce is a mere formality of a few minutes' go to trial here Feb. 1 before Judge R. A. Hall on a charge of conspiracy to rob the Security State Bank of Elysian Fields. A venire of 60 men were drawn for the trial.

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Man Still Fights Bank Robbery Case

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For Philippines

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FREE HAIRCUTS

AUSTIN—Free haircuts for the unemployed is the newest service offered by the Austin employment bureau here. Joe Amstead, director of the bureau, has arranged with union shops to provide free tonorial service to all jobless men and their families.

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Kidnapers Threaten Death



Benjamin P. Bower, Victim of a kidnaping gang which seized him in his home at Denver, Colo., Benjamin P. Bower, bakery official, was held for \$50,000 ransom under threat of death. Mrs. Clara Poole and Mrs. T. H. Windsor were seized by the kidnapers and forced to accompany them to the Bower home so the visit would arouse no suspicions. Mrs. Poole furnished a description of the men.

Small Game Prey Of Ontario Hawks

By United Press.
WINDSOR, Ont.—Supposedly harmless hawks are destructive to small game in Ontario, according to Eldon Scratch, superintendent of the Pointe Police National park, in his annual report.

Scratch's statement upheld a similar belief held by Jack Miner, Ontario bird authority.

"We have actually seen the hawks taking squirrels, muskrats and quail," the report said. "And they were not sharp-shinned, or goshawks, the protected kind, either. They were fish-hawks and other types not considered destructive."

U.C.T.U. Leaders To Meet Feb. 12

Special Correspondent.
DALLAS.—Leaders in church, educational and business organizations are expected to gather at the Baker hotel in Dallas, Texas, Feb. 12 and 13 to attend the regional conference organized by the National Women's Christian Temperance Union. The object of the conference, according to the invitations being sent throughout Texas, is to "promote law observance; to study the problems of law enforcement, and to make vocal the sentiment of national prohibition."

The Dallas conference is one of a series of similar meetings held in 24 other principal cities from coast to coast. The speakers will address themselves to the various phases, problems, and discussions connected with state and national prohibition, including some of the political phases.

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Smiley's Only Bank Robbery Still Baffles

SMILEY, Texas, Smiley has never had but one bank robbery, and it was a baffling one. Late in 1931, a crew of robbers early in the morning one day picked a hole in the wall of the Smiley bank, fastened a cable about the safe, started a windlass and pulled safe, money and all through the wall onto a truck and drove away.

Japs Plan Boom To Boost Flying

TOKIO—The Imperial Aeronautic society plans to start a drive for 1,000,000 yen to endow civil aviation in Japan, according to the Osaka Mainichi, which long has been active in promoting commercial flying.

SPEARMAN—Work underway on \$50,000 three-story hotel building.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowan



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Pirate Chief Ill



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



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Court Tests Out Robot Stenographer

MANCHESTER, Eng.—A court stenographer is the newest addition to the growing robot family. The machine consists of a steel tape about a mile long on which every inflection of the voices of the judge, attorneys, clerk, witnesses and defendant is recorded electro-magnetically, to be reproduced later as often as required.

Princess Pat Too Fat For Insurance

SAN FRANCISCO.—Princess Patricia is too fat to obtain life insurance, despite her weight of only 45 pounds. That, at least, is what life insurance actuaries decided when application was made for \$20,000 life insurance, and later on a similar application for \$5,000 fire insurance.

San Antonio Plans Prohibition Rally

SAN ANTONIO.—Jane Addams, sociologist of Chicago, and Dr. Daniel A. Poling, editor of the Christian Herald, will be invited to speak at an anti-liquor meeting here in March, according to plans. On Sunday, Jan. 17, all ministers here preached prohibition sermons, observing the anniversary of the eighteenth amendment's passage. Courses of instruction in prohibition for Sunday schools here are planned by the Ministerial Alliance.

Showing At Columbia Today



Joi Darrow and Rochelle Hudson find favor in the eyes of Edna May Olin, who appears in her first starring picture, "Fanny Foley Herself," at the Columbia Theatre Today.

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 "Rosalie" and "Grand." Because of this financial responsibility, Ann, who is 28, is unable to marry Phil Eroyod, young lawyer to whom she has been engaged for eight years. Cecily, 22, loves Barry McEcol, an engineer, but when he proposes, she refuses to name their wedding date for the same reason.

Kidnapers Seize Wealthy Man, Demand \$50,000 Ransom



Howard A. Woolverton, 50, wealthy manufacturer of South Bend, Ind., was kidnaped by two men as he and Mrs. Woolverton were returning to their home from a movie. Mrs. Woolverton was warned not to report the kidnaping to police and to pay \$50,000 ransom to men who would signal her in Chicago Heights, Ill. Woolverton was released after being held captive for 24 hours.

The front door closed, and Cecily and Barry were standing in the lower hall. Ann called from midway of the stairs, "She's here! She's all right, Cissy! She's sound asleep. She's all right!" Cecily's hands were cold in Ann's warm ones. Her voice, when presently it emerged from the jabbering sounds which she and Ann had been making together, was chilly.

"Goodness! I thought he left ages ago, when Mary-Frances came." Barry mentioned, "Phil's on the front porch. We forgot to tell you." "Goodness! I thought he left ages ago, when Mary-Frances came." Barry mentioned, "Phil's on the front porch. We forgot to tell you."

person who keeps on drinking, when he knows that drinking will kill him in the end. I've heard that the cures for the drink habit are terrible. Well, I've taken the cure, Phil, and I'm not going to take it again. I'm through, dear. Not because I wish to be through, but because I have to be.

"I am not hiding behind trees tonight, Ann." Grand's voice and Rosalie's voice. "Goodnight. Thank you again for a beautiful day. Good-night, Mr. Carmichael—good-night." "But to help me, Phil? They've been so difficult. Just—to help me?" Phil sat immovable until he stood, because Rosalie, with Grand's arm about her—or, at least, halfway about her—came up the steps.

666 LIQUID - TABLETS - SALVE 666 Liquid or Tablets used internally and 666 Salve externally, make a complete and effective treatment for Colds. Most Speedy Remedies Known

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For Judge 88th District Court: J. D. BARKER. For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (re-election). For District Clerk: P. L. CROSSLEY

Classified Advertising Bring Results

LODGE NOTICES ATTENTION MASONS—Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. F. & A. M., Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, 7:30 o'clock. Work in First Degree.

SPECIAL NOTICES RINGLETTE OIL WAVE, \$1.00; guaranteed. Miss Johnnie Moore, 321 Walnut st., Ranger.

ROOM FOR RENT BEDROOM—Nice, clean, private home, adjoining bath; garage; reasonable rent. 309 Mesquite st., Phone 604, Ranger.

ROOMS FOR RENT SMALL HOUSE—Close in. 220 S. Austin st., Ranger.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT FOR RENT—Two and 3-room apartment in my home. Mrs. Wagner, 214 S. Austin st., Phone 116, Ranger.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous FOR SALE—Ever-bearing strawberry plants, 35c per 100. Haden Neal, Ranger.

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR TRADE—118 acres improved land, consider rooming house or grocery store. Telephone 398-R, astand.

POULTRY, PET STOCK FOR SALE—Tubercular tested mch cows. Dr. Bob Hodges, phone 320, Ranger.

Frigidire and Electrical Appliances Texas Electric Service Co. Next Door to Post Office WOLF'S For the Woman Who Cares! Eastland

THE DOCTOR'S HOURS Rare indeed is the Doctor who can say his working time is confined within certain hours. Office hours may be thus and so, but what with free clinics, Hospital staff service, Hospital calls, operation hours and emergency calls, the Doctor's working day is long and arduous. Even the Doctor with a highly specialized practice is not immune to broken hours of sleep and rest.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS

MARY ELIZABETH HARRIS Editor Office Phone 500 Eastland

Colonial Tea - Will Feature Next P. T. A. Meeting. George and Martha Washington effects will obtain in a very charming patriotic tea...

Party Held Friday Afternoon at Church. The Junior Boys and Girls World club were entertained with a party Friday afternoon from 4 to 5:30 o'clock...

Open House Meeting Held Friday Night. The Knights of Pythias open house meeting was held Friday evening in the P. T. A. building...

Party Given For Members of Bethany Class. Mrs. J. L. Coffey was house hostess with Mrs. Ashley co-hostess at a party given for members of the Bethany class...

Shower Given For Two Recent Brides. The Annona class of the Baptist church gave a surprise shower for two members of the class who were recently married...

OUT OUR WAY



MENTAL AND PHYSICAL BALANCE

KANSANS TELL OF BAD STORM 46 YEARS AGO

By United Press. WELLINGTON, Kan. - The worst blizzard in the history of the southwestern plains swept southern Kansas and northern Oklahoma 46 years ago...

Trains were days behind schedule, trails were blocked and all protected livestock froze in the storm commonly known as "the blizzard of 1886."

Just before sunup Jan. 7 of that year, a 70-mile an hour gale roared into Wellington, bringing snow and temperatures of 22 to 30 degrees below zero.

Caught Ranchers. As Kansans fought for their lives and property the blizzard swept southward into the old Cherokee strip, catching ranchers unaware with their great herds of fine cattle on leased grazing lands.

Wires Cut. Miller's 5,000 to 8,000 cattle were grazing peacefully on the 50 by 40 mile block that had been leased by the veteran cowman.

Daring cowboys volunteered to ride out and cut the wire fence so the cattle could find comparative shelter under the low banks of the Salt Fork River.

Prefers Death To "Solitary". SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Calif. Death is a lesser evil than the gnawing loneliness and despair of solitary confinement.

Stewart, transferred to San Quentin following the trial of the five men, to protect him from the vengeance of the Folsom convicts.

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SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY NEA Service Writer

If you are looking for something out-of-the-ordinary among the meat products, try beef tripe. It is easily digested and nourishing...

Tripe and Oysters in Rice Border. One-half pound tripe, 1 pint oysters, 4 tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons flour, milk, 3 cups cooked rice, 1 onion, 1 green pepper, 1 1/2 cups canned tomatoes...

Tomorrow's Menu. BREAKFAST: Stewed rhubarb, crisp broiled bacon, potatoes hashed in milk, corned muffins, milk, coffee. LUNCHEON: Corned beef hash, apple and celery salad, sliced oranges and bananas, milk, tea.

DINNER: Chicken pie, candied sweet potatoes, creamed onions, tomato jelly salad, vanilla ice cream with hot maple sauce, crisp cookies, milk, coffee.

Onions are the traditional vegetable to serve with tripe. Mashed potatoes, cooked rice, macaroni and spaghetti are often used as a border for tripe in a sauce.

Branded tripe makes an excellent hearty breakfast dish. Served with well-seasoned sauces, tripe makes a good main dish for many meals.

A pound of tripe will serve six persons, for there is no waste in bone, fat or gristle. Combined with other materials, even less is needed.

Tripe and oysters in a border of rice will serve six to eight persons. It is a good dish to serve

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"HELL DIVERS"

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Colliery Owners Find Mine In Mine

SHAMOKIN, Pa. - A mine when coal company officials investigated activities of "coal bootleggers," expert miners, securing coal for their own use from company property.

The investigators found a "bootleg" tunnel had been cut under the main tunnel of the Sterling colliery here. While miners were digging coal legitimately in the top tunnel, others were taking anthracite from the veins underneath.

A serious subsidence in a large section of the mine led to the discovery of the additional tunnel.

Poor Wheat Yield Cuts Soviet's Crops

WASHINGTON. - Poor yield and quality of the Russian wheat crop, chiefly due to the drought, has been reported to the bureau of agriculture department by Assistant Agriculture Commissioner Christy, in Berlin.

The yields of winter wheat, he reported, were fairly satisfactory, but much of the spring wheat acreage, which is more important, failed to make a crop, and a reduction in exports was felt after heavy engagements in the early 1932 season.

Because of the poor quality as well as the light yield, the Russians were compelled at times to either cancel their contracts, or to make price adjustments.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING. To the Stockholders of the EASTLAND, WICHITA FALLS & GULF RAILROAD COMPANY:

Pursuant to Section 1, Article 1 of the By-Laws of the Company, the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the EASTLAND, WICHITA FALLS & GULF RAILROAD COMPANY for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting for action, will be held March 1, 1932, at 11 o'clock a. m. at the principal office of the Company in the City of Eastland, Eastland County, Texas.

J. KLUGMAN, Secretary. Eastland, Texas, Jan. 31, 1932.

HERE'S WHAT BRITISH SUB CREWS ARE TRAINED TO DO IN CASE OF DISASTER

When the British submarine M-2 sank, the principal hope of rescue rested in the use of the Davis "breathing bag" by members of the crew. This bag is used to lessen the great difference in the pressure between the submarine level and the surface, and to afford air for breathing during the slow ascent from that level.



SAFE AT LAST! - Here is a British sailor coming to the surface in a test of the Davis submarine rescue apparatus of Chatham Dockyard, England, recently. In tests, it worked perfectly.



WHERE BRITISH SUB WENT DOWN - This map shows the approximate location of the sunken British submarine, M-2, in the English channel off Weymouth.

were decorated in the Valentine array. This same motif was carried out in the entertainment.

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THE LIFE SAVER - Here is a closeup of a sailor wearing the Davis apparatus. The flexible leather bag contains chemicals which regenerate the breath so it can be used over and over again, with the addition of oxygen from a small cylinder inside.

EASTLAND CHURCHES

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH. Mass at 10 a. m. This is Sexagesima Sunday and the Gospel read is taken from St. Luke VIII 1-15.

To Meet Monday At Church. The Elizabeth Pettitt circle and Mrs. Willman's circle will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the Methodist church, for a joint meeting.

All members are urged to be present.

But, speaking of money, wattered stock has taught many a man to paddle his own canoe.

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Warner Memorial To Present Play On February 12

The Thelma Riddle Dramatic club of the Warner Memorial university of Eastland, is to present a play, "A Wild Flower of the Hills," at the university auditorium on Friday, Feb. 12.

The cast of characters follows: Mammy, the old colored servant at the Burkes, Mrs. Pearl Bailey, Lily, her daughter, Minnie Brake.

Mrs. Caroline Burke, a jealous woman, Nina Mae Williams, Chloe, an unwelcome wife, Nina Belle Smith.

Sue Jackson, a designing girl, Ruth Hamon. Snow White, Chloe's unacknowledged father, J. V. McAlister.

Burke, Mrs. Burke's younger son, Aubrey Forrest. Jed Burke, her elder son, Arlin Kardatzke.

Zack Jackson, Sue's brother, an attorney, Elmer Kardatzke.

Japanese Foreign Visitors Shows Slump

WASHINGTON. - Foreign visitors to Japan during the first half of 1931 numbered 13,535 compared with 17,568 in the corresponding period of 1930, the department of commerce has been informed by assistant commercial attache W. S. Dowd, Tokyo.

The nationality of the visitors in the 1931 period was as follows, with figures in parenthesis indicating similar period in 1930:

American 2,911 (3,901); British 1,110 (2,911); German 300 (558); French 237 (254); Russian 477 (746); Chinese 8,000 (7,718).

The young men plan to leave here soon in a fishing lugger with a third companion. They will follow the coast line to Florida and Key West, thence to Andros Island in the Bahamas, Eluthera Island, Long Island, Cat Island and Inagua Island to Cape Haitan, and then following the south coast go inland.

They expect to be gone four to six months, depending upon conditions. Two will go inland and one will guard the boat.

The explorers hope to get fresh water fish, amphibians, insects and foreign plants for the University of Michigan, and will try to procure a museum lizard group from the Gonave Island for the Smithsonian Institute.

Their goal is tropical forests, deep ravines and high mountains. The peninsula they intend to explore is 50 miles long and 100 miles wide.

The explorers do not anticipate any difficulty with the natives, but the greatest danger is from disease. The natives speak a French dialect.

Both young men are well versed in biology and are graduates of Butler university. Attempts to obtain scientific information from the territory they expect to visit have failed in the past.

SAFETY PIN IN GIZZARD. SAPULPA, Okla. - A safety pin was found open in the gizzard of a hen Harry Copeland had killed for a chicken dinner.



CHANTAL shows new daytime frocks belted with authentic Chinese embroideries and boria with necklines finished with jade pendants carved to match the motifs in the embroidery such as the water picture.

FORT DAVIS - Work on scenic highway here progressing.

HAPPY - Turkey crop in this territory brought more than \$25,000 since Thanksgiving season.

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