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Roosevelt Asks For Social Security Measure

DISCOVERY OF BABY'S BODY TOLD IN TRIAL

By United Press
FLEMINGTON, N. J., Jan. 17.—Charles A. Lindbergh's son was killed instantly by a blow received during the actual kidnaping, the government disclosed today through physicians' testimony in the trial of Bruno Hauptmann.

Leads U. S. Fight On Utility Rates



As the new chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, Ewin L. Davis, native Tennessean, shown here in a new photo, is second only to President Roosevelt in the government's program to lower utility rates by squeezing out watered stock, establishing fair "yardsticks" and restoring fair practices in the industry.

DOGGETT TAKEN TO HUNTSVILLE FIRST OF WEEK

Clifford Doggett, convicted of the death of L. F. Threet, Cisco rancher, in Eastland district court, was Tuesday conveyed to Huntsville to await his sentence—death. Doggett received the supreme penalty when tried at 88th district court at Eastland, in Baird, where he was tried on robbery charges in connection with the case, he was given 99 years.

After Crash in Clouds Killed Two



These two planes crashed high in the air and plunged to earth, one wrecked and the other crippled, two flyers dying in the collision near Murfreesboro, Tenn. The craft were Indiana national guard planes, returning from the Miami air races.

INVESTIGATION OF McBEE CASE NOT COMPLETE

Ninety-first district court grand jurors at Eastland Thursday were on their second day's session of this week's recovering, and thought to be investigating the death of H. L. McBee, it was indicated by the district attorney, Grady Owen, Wednesday.

Ranger Quintet to Play in Eastland on Friday Evening

Eastland Maverick quintet and that of Ranger Bulldogs play Friday evening at the Eastland gymnasium at 7:30 in an Oil Belt conference game.

PENSIONS AND COMPENSATION ARE REQUESTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Roosevelt today submitted to congress a plan for unemployment compensation, old age pensions and the protection of mothers and children which he estimated would require \$100,000,000 to initiate.

Peanut Adjustment Contracts Offered County Producers

Beginning Thursday and extending through January, committees started work in old highway office, basement of court house, in Eastland; at Carbon Trading Co., Carbon; at Higginbotham's, Rising Star; at Chamber of Commerce in Cisco and Ranger, and at the hotel sample room in Gorman to aid peanut producers in the execution of peanut adjustment contracts.

The president said the plan safeguarded the national credit and took into careful consideration the capacity of industry to assume financial burdens involved.

Breck Rotarians Hear Program By Eastland Group

Members of the Eastland Rotary club, Tuesday, had charge of the meeting of the Breckenridge club. T. E. Richardson had charge of the program.

Senate Is Asked To Condemn The Federal Labor Law

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—The Texas senate today was asked to condemn the federal child labor amendment and request congress to write a new one.

Oil Belt Teachers Committee to Meet

Announcement was made today that the executive committee of the Oil Belt Educational association would meet Saturday morning at Mineral Wells.

DECISION IN GOLD CASES MAY AFFECT ALL WHO OWE OR HAVE DOLLAR DUE THEM

Editor's Note: This is the second of a series of three dispatches to simplify the issues involved in the gold clause cases argued before the Supreme Court last week.

America's Most Dangerous Gang Is Now Shattered

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The most dangerous gang in America has been shattered with the killing of Kate "Ma" Barker and her son, Fred, J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the bureau of investigation, said today.

Legislators Declare War Upon Crime

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—Texas legislators declared war on crime and criminals today. Heading the list of proposed measures to make good the boast that "crime doesn't pay" was a bill to create a state identification bureau with a superintendent to be named by the governor.

Convicts Captured After Prison Break

SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Calif., Jan. 17.—Clyde Stevens, paroled convict, provided the weapons and engineered yesterday's bloody and spectacular break from this prison in which one convict was killed, the warden and two prison directors wounded and the three other escaping convicts recaptured, officials charged today.

Pastor Announces Sunday Subjects

"The Kind of Religion the World Needs" will be the sermon subject for morning services at the Methodist church Sunday, Pastor E. R. Stanford announced Thursday. The sermon will be the second of a series on the world and religion.

Five Are Killed In Burning Home

MONTREAL, Que., Jan. 17.—Fumes from a burning motion picture projector in a private residence last night took five lives, with 13 others injured.

Pardon Is Revoked By Governor Allred

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—Gov. Allred today revoked a conditional pardon granted by ex-Governor Miriam Ferguson, January 4, to Earl Renois, convicted of burglary in Johnson and Dallas county and sentenced to five years.

LUNCHEON SETTING SOON

Date of the joint luncheon of the Rotary and Lions clubs, Retail Merchants, Chamber of Commerce will be set soon, H. C. Davis, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said Thursday.

12 SET AS START OF MA CANVASS

Jan. 28 was set Thursday morning for F. V. Williams, chairman of the Federal Housing movement as the start of the house to house canvass of home improvement needs in Eastland.

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Ripper' Will Aid For In Two Payments of \$372

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of a commissioner's court Wednesday for script warrants for \$345 were to fall due to a Dallas company on April 15, 1936. The 1935 April payment will amount to \$345 as interest will have accrued at the rate of six per cent Dec. 20, 1934. The will come from the county bridge fund.

that reminds me...

Workmen are busy in and out remodeling and painting up the Connellee theatre. This means that Eastland will soon have one of the best theatres in this section of the country in the near future.

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Remember, the Public Debt Is Your Debt

You owe \$385. You don't? Oh, yes, you do! That's your share of the \$48,000,000,000 debt of the federal, state, and local governments of the country. You may think you're square with the world and owe no man anything, but you're not—so long as these public debts continue to mount. It's a claim against everything you own or ever hope to own.

Treasury figures reducing these debts to terms of the

individual citizen are fortunate, because they bring home a thing that people are apt to forget about public debts.

Really, there isn't any such thing as a public debt. A public debt is simply a collective debt of all of us, and as long as it exists, no man is debt-free.

Do you own a home? It isn't debt-free, even though you've paid for it in full. Have you money in the bank? It isn't solely yours—the public treasury has a potential claim for \$385 against it.

Do you draw wages or a salary? It isn't all yours for certain until these public debts are paid.

We're too apt to think of the public treasury as some sort of inexhaustible fountain pouring out gold from a mysterious source. There's nothing mysterious about it. It all comes out of your pocket, and the pockets of your neighbors.

And that's true quite regardless of what kind of taxes is used to raise the money. Incomes taxes, tariff levies, production taxes, sales taxes, gas taxes, cigarette taxes, amusement taxes, liquor taxes—they all come from one source in the long run, the only source there is—the pockets of the people who work to produce either goods or services.

All that is not saying the money shouldn't be spent. The best authorities agree that the country collectively can carry a far heavier debt than we are now carrying. Probably it must.

But every man, woman and child has a direct interest in seeing that the money is well spent and that we get something of permanent value for the money.

That is one of the principal thoughts behind the president's plan to spend it for productive work rather than just dishing it out. It's not how much you spend—it's what you get for your money.

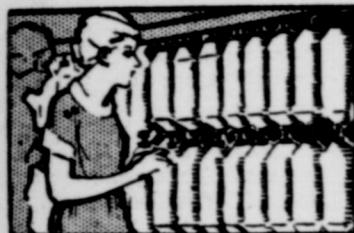
So the next time you hear of a billion-dollar appropriation, think to yourself, "That's \$8 out of my treasurers pocket. Is it worth it?"

THE DIFFERENCE



Says Students Taking College More Serious

By United Press OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 17.—The butterfly, the flapper, the lizard and the sophisticate are disappearing types among college students, Dr. Charles W. Gilkey, dean of the University of Nebraska, said in an address here today.



SILKEN SPINDLES



Gale Henderson

CHAPTER I GALE HENDERSON looked up at the whirling, silken spindles. White and lustrous and beautiful, they whirled in their mad dance. Round and round, round and round.

There was nothing about the long, gray room with its noisy machines, its 50 women workers, hands moving up and down, clamping on bobbins, snapping them off, nothing about the afternoon slowly drawing to a close to hint to Gale Henderson that this was to be the most eventful, exciting day of her 23 years.

CHAPTER I-A NO one had done more to help Gale keep her courage, to face each day as it came, than Steve Meyers. Steve's story was different. Two years older than Gale, they had known each other in grade school.

Steve and his mother lived a block down the street from the Hendersons. Often he and Gale walked home together in the late afternoons. Some times in winter they skated on the river. Some times they went to movies. When there were festivities among the young people of the mill village it was Steve who accompanied Gale.



Steve Meyers

Steve was totally unprepared that winter afternoon when she felt Steve's hand on her arm, halting her. She looked up, heard, in a voice not at all like Steve's natural one, "Listen, Gale, I want to talk to you. You know I'm crazy about you—I've been crazy about you for a long time. Before you went away to school, I didn't think I'd have a chance then—but you came back. Since then, when we've been going around together—well, some times I've hoped—listen, Gale, will you marry me?"

perfect a night to remain indoors. Phil had left the house immediately after dinner, as usual. Her mother was reading. There was no reason, Gale told herself, why she should not spend an hour on the river, skating.

It was glorious—gliding while the sure, swift strokes, feeling the wind against her face. Silver and black was the river. A silver ribbon winding between ebony banks. Gale skated faster. She wanted to get away from the others—to have the silvery, moonlit river to herself. Out here she could think—

(To Be Continued)

Students... College... Serious...

Alameda School News

The play, "Happy Hollow," that was given by the high school...

Farmers of Nation Get \$82,989,592 Under Loan Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—With only slightly over \$500,000 of the \$120,493,259 in loans on 7933-34 farm-stored corn still to be paid...

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



DOUGLAS SQUIRRELS HARVEST GIANT SEQUOIA SEED CONES FOR THE FORESTERS!

THE LETTER 'E' IS USED MORE THAN ANY OTHER IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE!

MOUNT EVEREST, HIGHEST MOUNTAIN IN THE WORLD, WAS KNOWN ONLY AS PEAK NO. XV UNTIL THE YEAR 1852.

MOUNT EVEREST, along with many other of the peaks surrounding it, was known only by a number on the trigonometrical survey charts in the Indian government offices...

CANADA PROSPERS MONTREAL.—Canadian corporations paid out nearly \$60,000,000 more in dividends to shareholders in 1934 than in 1933...

TRY A WANT AD

GORDON

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ladal of Alameda were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Henegar...

WEATHER SHIFTS BRIDGE

TOLEDO.—Guards were stationed on the \$3,000,000 Anthony Wayne high level bridge here, following discovery that concrete approach spans had shifted four inches...

TRY A WANT AD

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

Miss Lakey, Palo Pinto county demonstration agent, met with a group of ladies of this place on Jan. 8...

TRY A WANT AD

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



SHORT MONEY MEMORY

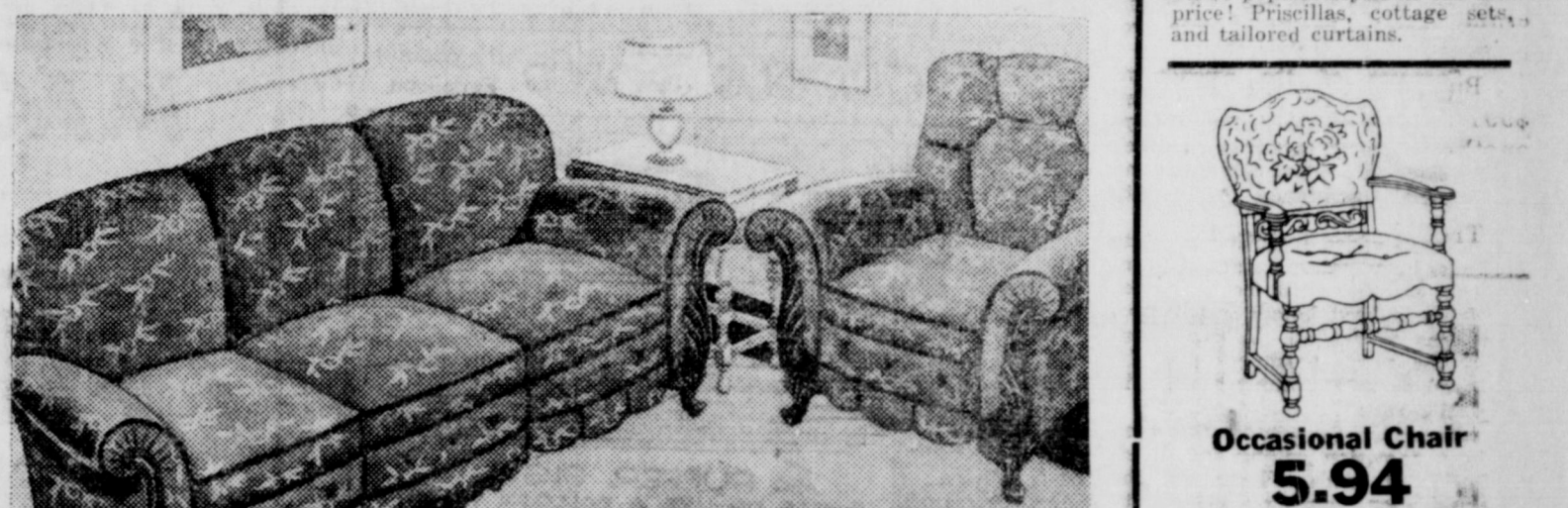
VAN BUREN, Mo.—H. A. Smalley, sawmill owner, forgot a check for \$725 for six years...

desk and did not find it until March of 1933. He is suing a bank receiver for preference on his claim.

Congress seems to be sure of defeating the bonus proposal, but well—it's willing to compromise on half.

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HOW'S FIRST?

Joseph Nathan Kane author of "Famous First Facts"

LEGISLATE FORESTRY ESTABLISHED AT CORNELL, 1890.

ALLEY OOP

ALLEY—I CAN'T GO ANOTHER STEP—YOU'LL HAVE TO GO—ON—ALONE

DANG IT! WHAT AM I, YOUR NURSE-MAID?

CRASH! WHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE!

WHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE!

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Would Prohibit Profit Making On Horse Races

By United Press
 OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 17.—Nebraska will be the only state in the Union where private individuals are barred from conducting horse racing for profit under provisions of a bill scheduled for presentation to the next legislature.

Sponsored by the horse racing committee of Ak-Sar-Ben Horse and Livestock show, the proposed bill provides for a commission of three persons appointed by the governor, who will serve without pay.

The commission will supervise licensing and regulating the statewide pari-mutuel system. County fairs, however, which want racing without pari-mutuel betting, will be excepted from jurisdiction of this regulating committee.

The Kentucky and Maryland system of appropriating a portion of collections from license fees and taxes assessed by the commission, for purchase and transportation of blooded stallions and jacks to all parts of the state, will be followed, according to members of the commission sponsoring the legislation.

Pari-mutuel horse racing in Nebraska was legalized Nov. 6 by an amendment put to popular vote. The movement was sponsored by Ak-Sar-Ben as a means of preventing loss of large amounts of money to the state and as a means of improving quality of state livestock.

Sponsors of the amendment promised every dollar realized from racing would go for development of horse breeding, livestock development, aid of 4-H clubs and financial assistance of county fairs.

As an added incentive to state horse breeding, one race daily at each meeting will be held for Nebraska-bred horses, under provisions of the bill. A percentage of the purse must be paid the breeder of the winning horse in such a race.

Tax relief for counties was seen in a provision calling for distribution of funds collected by the commission among all county fairs regardless of population of the county. These funds must be used specifically for payment of livestock and agricultural premiums, formerly raised by direct taxes in each county. Payment of such premiums, Ak-Sar-Ben believes, will encourage rebuilding of drought depleted herds.

License fees will be charged according to population of applicant counties. Harness horse races, most popular at county fairs, will be required to pay only one-fourth as much as running horse meets. Sunday racing is barred.

International Arms Pact



This international alliance leads a treaty existence at the Roney Plaza Cabana Sun Club, Miami, Fla., where they treat their friends to good times. Out for stroll along the boardwalk under the warm sun are Ruth Dodd of New York and Jean Marcadet (left) and Guy del Piaz of France.

Houston Steps Around Corner To Prosperity

By United Press
 HOUSTON, Jan. 17.—Houston, acclaimed the world's largest oil refining and marketing center, today was regarded as one of the nation's most thriving cities.

Year-end reports for the major industries, business firms, city government and the building trades revealed that the close of 1934 found Houston in the best condition since the period 1925-1929.

Banks paid dividends totaling more than \$500,000 to shareholders. Deposits on Dec. 31 had increased to \$192,532,664, which was

\$34,376,612 over the same period of 1933. Total bank clearings was \$1,246,139,725 for 1934, compared with \$1,051,135,777, an increase of almost \$200,000,000.

More than 500 new business enterprises were started during the year, more than half of which were made up of petroleum, merchandising and real estate organizations. Building boomed to almost the 1925-1929 levels. Utility connections increased greatly.

The port of Houston handled an oil export business of \$3,736,302 and oil imports totaling \$287,484. Inbound coastwise traffic totaled \$618,379; outbound coastwise traffic, \$12,161,047 and local oil traffic of \$588,949.—For a grand total of \$17,392,992.

Increase in Houston business was attributed to its location as a seaport in the center of a vast coastal oil and cotton region. During 1934, there were 25 oil field discoveries extending from Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, to Hidalgo county, Texas, on the Mexican border.

The city authorized construction of more than \$4,800,000 in new buildings during the past year, which represents a revival in the building trades comparable to Houston's boom days.

A postoffice survey revealed a vast shortage in desirable dwelling houses and apartments. Living quarters close to the business district rented at a premium.

City tax officials estimated that \$200,000 of the 1934 tax levy of \$5,260,000 was paid into the treasury in the best collection in several years.

School Business Manager H. L. Mills reported that a surplus of between \$15,000 and \$20,000 of the 1934 school budget would remain in the city treasury to apply on education in 1935.

Another indication of the city's prosperity was an 8 per cent increase in postal receipts for the last month of 1934, compared with 1933 receipts. For the year, the receipts were \$2,071,886 which was more than \$96,522 over 1933.

Business leaders believed that Houston was recovering from the depression more rapidly than any other southern city.

here for a reunion with their parents.

TALL COTTON TALE
 By United Press
 McALLEN, Tex.—J. L. Tyler, representative of a seed firm, claims to sell a variety of cotton seed which grows staple of mercerized finish and a stalk 9 to 10 feet tall.

Indiana officials announced they will jail fortune tellers in drive. But why not punish No one ever stays in an jail.

The supervisor of reclamation Alaska gets \$3,800 annually from the New Deal. It may be more well spent, but we have a national curiosity as to just how a reindeer is supervised.

BIG KENTUCKY FAMILY
 By United Press
 FRANKFORT, Ky.—Governor Ruby Laffoon of Kentucky was photographed at the capitol here with Assistant State Auditor Ben Marshall, Mrs. Marshall and their 13 children, all of whom are grown and 12 of whom are married. All the children had come

Dead Men Voted In Pennsylvania

By United Press
 PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 17.—More than 100 vote fraud cases involving wholesale cheating in this district have been disposed of after a series of astonishing and sometimes amusing revelations.

A total of 319 indictments were returned after county and federal investigations. Convictions totaled 132, and brought combined jail sentences of 40 years and thousands of dollars in fines. The trials cost taxpayers \$200,000.

Testimony at the trials showed that:

Dead men were frequent voters.

Twenty voters lived in a vacant lot.

Men and women never in a polling place voted regularly each election day and never knew it.

Some 25 voters lived in a three-room apartment.

Five votes for a "right" candidate make \$2; 50 for his opponent make six.

Hired thugs slugged voters to "make them reasonable."

Among those convicted on the fraud charges was a former republican "whip" in the Pennsylvania state legislature, Dr. Joseph G. Steedle.

Gold Cases—

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says that congress may regulate the value of the currency. It was under this clause that the gold clause bonds were outlawed and made payable in any legal tender.

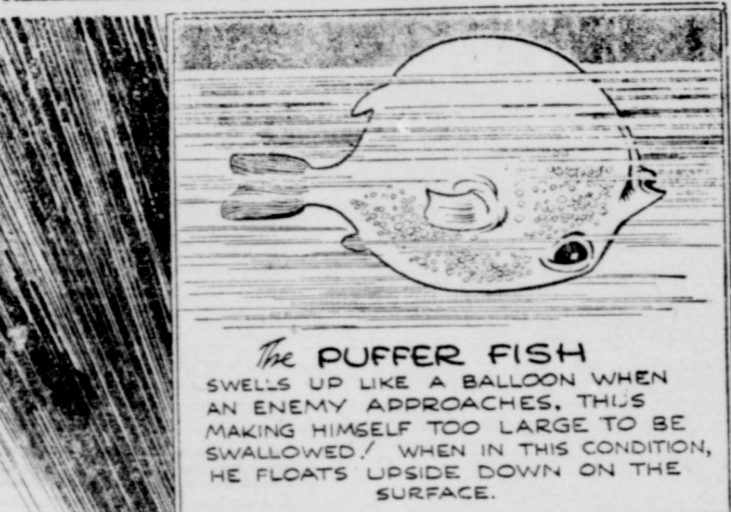
This conflict, the power of congress to regulate currency against the prohibition that forbade it to take private property for public use without just compensation, is the conflict which must be decided by the court.

This leads to the question of "what is just compensation?"

The bondholders say it is \$1.69 or currency or 25-8 grains of gold nine-tenths fine. Others contend that it may be any figure, noting that remote factors may enter into this question. For a buyer of gold bonds in 1929 who paid for them in paper dollars will be receiving more, on the basis of present prices of what he buys, if he receives just their face value in currency.

These are the questions, the answers to which will not be known until the court hands down its decision.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



VANCE BREESE was paid at the rate of about 50 cents a foot, for his test flight of a government plane. During the plunge, his air-speed indicator broke at 425 miles per hour. Brees was taped from head to foot, in order that his blood vessels might not break under the strain.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MARY E. DAGUE
 NEA Service Staff Writer

THE way a home-maker cooks rice is one of my tests of whether or not she knows her job. That sticky, shapeless mess that some women bring to their tables is my pet abomination. It's completely unnecessary, too.

The mistakes begin with the washing or lack of it. Coated rice should be rubbed between the palms of the hands and washed through many waters. Finally rinse well under running water when the last washing water is clear.

Unpolished and uncoated rice can be washed by putting the grains in a strainer and holding under running water.

A fine way to cook rice is by the Chinese method. Thoroughly washed rice is put into a large round-bottomed sauce pan with three times as much cold water as there is rice. One teaspoon salt is added for each cup of rice. The pan is closely covered and the cover is not lifted during the entire cooking period. Put sauce pan over a hot fire and bring to a "galloping" boiling point. This will take about ten minutes.

Then Boil Gently
 Reduce heat and boil gently ten minutes. Remove from direct heat and keep in a warm place for ten minutes. By then the water should be absorbed and the rice tender and flaky. Remove cover and serve.

Another good way to cook rice is by the double-boiler method. This takes about fifty minutes but requires no watching. When cooking in the boiler milk can be used in place of water. Rice may also be successfully cooked in a steamer, which takes about 45 minutes.

You can boil rice in a large kettle of boiling water, too. Add one cup well washed rice to three quarts rapidly boiling water to which 1 tablespoon salt has been

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: 3 c wheat bran, cereal, cream, toasted codfish, corn bread, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Oysters with rice, celery, green pepper and Chinese cabbage, canned red raspberries with coconut cup cakes, milk, tea.
DINNER: Baked bluefish, potatoes au gratin, stewed tomatoes, banana and peanut salad, lemon sponge pie, milk, coffee.

added. Stir with a fork, as a spoon tends to mash the kernels.

Drain Thoroughly
 When the grains are tender remove from fire and drain through a colander or coarse sieve. Hold the cooked rice over the sink and pour several quarts of boiling water through it to separate the kernels. Dry and reheat in oven.

It's a good idea to avoid potatoes and macaroni if you're planning to serve a rice dessert; and if substituting rice for potatoes in the main course don't serve a tapioca or cornstarch pudding for dessert.

For lunch serve a crisp vegetable salad and a fruit dessert with the following oyster and rice dish.

Oysters With Rice
 One cup rice, 1 pint oysters, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 1-2 cups milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, few grains nutmeg, 1-3 teaspoon white pepper, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, paprika.

Cook rice according to preferred method. Drain and wash oysters. Heat until edges curl. Melt butter in sauce pan, add flour and cook and stir until bubbling. Slowly add milk and oyster liquor, stirring constantly. Add salt and pepper. Sprinkle nutmeg over oysters and add to sauce. Put hot boiled rice on a deep platter and sprinkle with paprika. Pour oysters in the sauce around rice, sprinkle with parsley and serve very hot.

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Marketing Found Not Detrimental To Hog Raisers

WASHINGTON.—Direct marketing has not lowered returns to hog raisers, but the need for correct marketing outlets in 15 states...

Direct marketing has not lowered the general level of hog prices, but it has operated to reduce returns to producers, says Nils A....

Direct marketing has not increased marketing costs nor widened the margins between prices of hogs and prices of hog products...

While there are some regional local differences, covered by the complete report, they are matters of degree and do not alter the main conclusions...

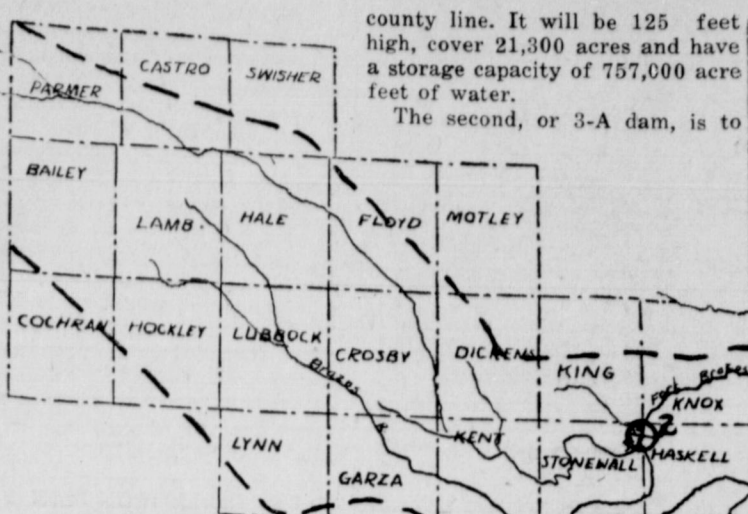
It may be noted that Palo Pinto county is to get three of the proposed dams—one-third of the total number of major dams to be constructed in the entire area...

On his outgoing trip. A black and white striped wood animal occupied the ground at foot of the box and showed no sign of moving...

ATLANTA, Ga.—Georgia's public service commission claims to have saved Georgians "not less than \$6,000,000" in 1934 by ordering reductions in gas, electric, telephone, express and freight and passenger railroad rates.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ellis and daughter, Norma Kate, have returned to their home in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chestnut visited in Tolar last week-end.

Eastland County Urged to Aid Brazos Project



Mineral Wells Is Seeking Support From Three Towns

Members of the chambers of commerce and business men of Ranger, Eastland and Cisco are being urged by George Barber, secretary of the Mineral Wells Chamber of Commerce to cooperate in aiding the Brazos River project...

The meetings were held in Ranger at 10 o'clock, in Eastland, at 11 o'clock and in Cisco at 1:30. In each instance the chamber of commerce of the towns visited was instructed by vote of those present to cooperate in any way possible in the undertaking.

By GEORGE D. BARBER. An idea of the magnitude of the proposed \$50,000,000 development of the Brazos river conservation and reclamation district may be gained from this map of the watershed drained by the Brazos and its tributaries.

In addition to the 12 major dams to be located at the points indicated on this map, it is proposed that a number of smaller dams be constructed on the tributaries of the Brazos.

Besides the \$50,000,000 appropriation to be asked of congress for the construction of the dams, an additional \$15,000,000 will be asked for soil erosion preventive work.

If this sum is granted, it is proposed that seven large experiment stations be established in the area; one for each section having one of the seven different types of soil.

Commerce has assumed the responsibility of arousing interest of the citizens in the area between Cleburne on the south Seymour on the north.

Chambers of Commerce, luncheon clubs, civic organizations of all kinds, and individuals will be urged to pass resolutions and write letters to Senators and Congressmen from Texas.

Finally, consideration must be given to the possibilities of developing the greatest recreational centers in the southwest on and around these lakes, of the possibilities for irrigating several thousand acres of land in Palo Pinto county.

With all of these advantages combined for bringing financial prosperity to those already residing in the county, and of the undeniable advantages of attracting new residents to towns and to the farms, the most conservative can see a doubling of the population in Palo Pinto county within the next ten years.

Next, consider the value to be derived from the employment of stations, or a total of not less than 112 demonstration farms.

Now that a brief picture of the entire project has been presented consider some of the many advantages to be derived from the construction of these dams—particularly as they will affect Palo Pinto county and Mineral Wells.

First, the money to be paid land owners for the lands that will be submerged by the lakes. As stated above, the three lakes in Palo Pinto county will cover an area of 34,200 acres.

Next, consider the value to be derived from the employment of a woman of 75 recently learned to use a typewriter so that she could correspond more easily with a son in New York.

NO SNOW; NO WORK. VALDEZ, Alaska.—Lack of snow stopped operations of the Clarence Poy gold mine on Mineral Creek near here.

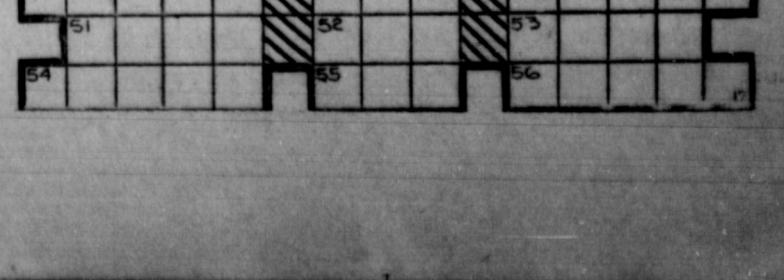
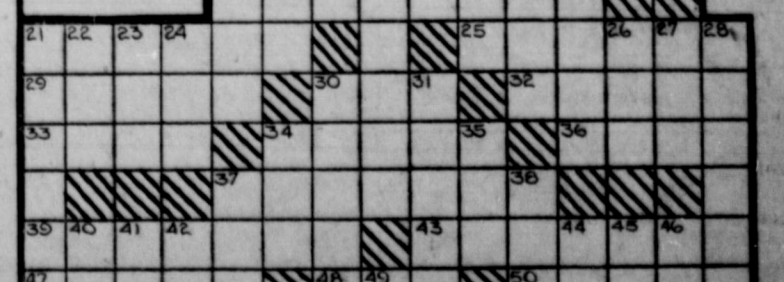
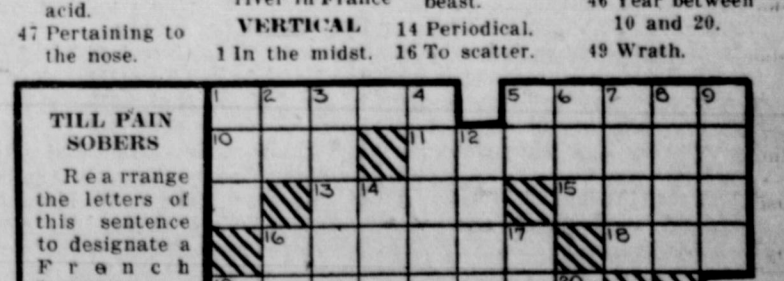
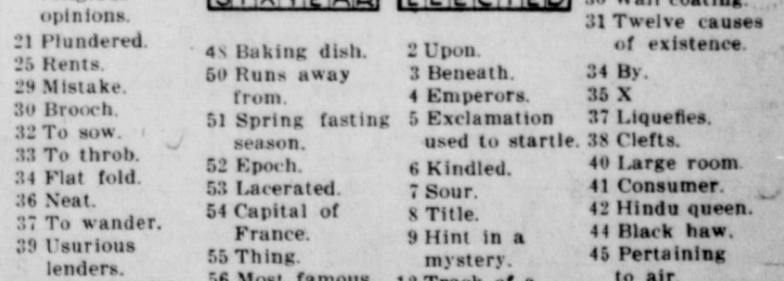
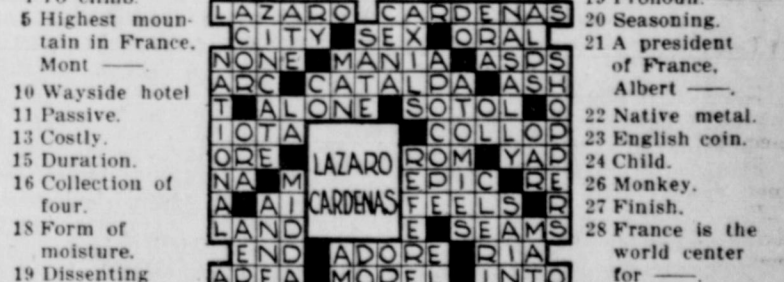
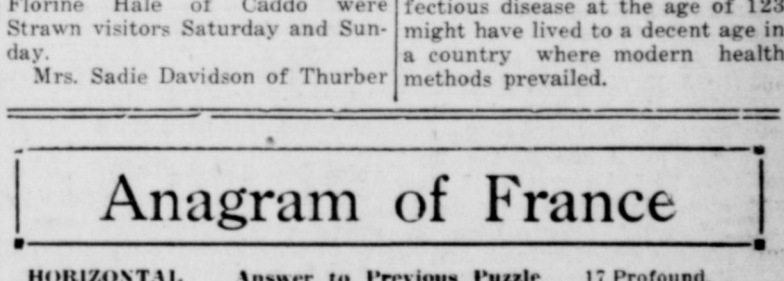
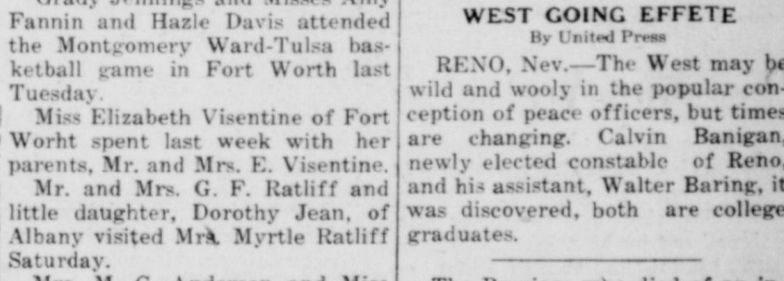
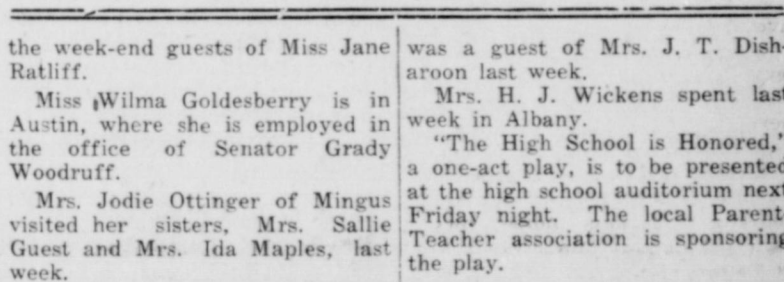
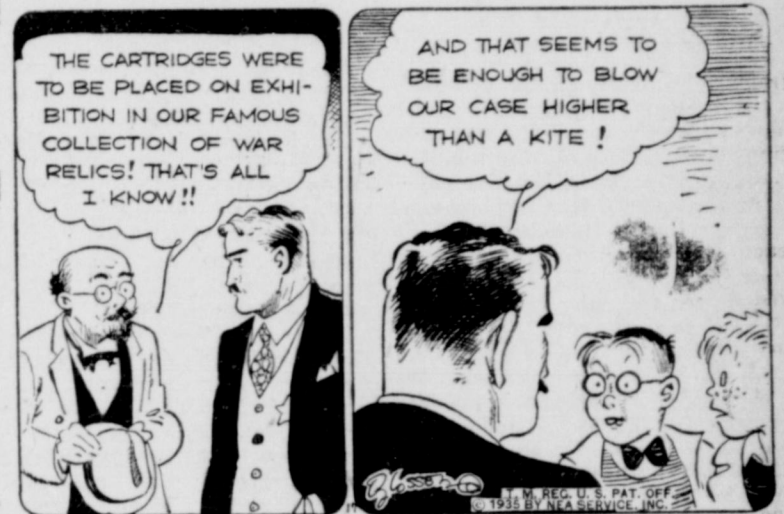
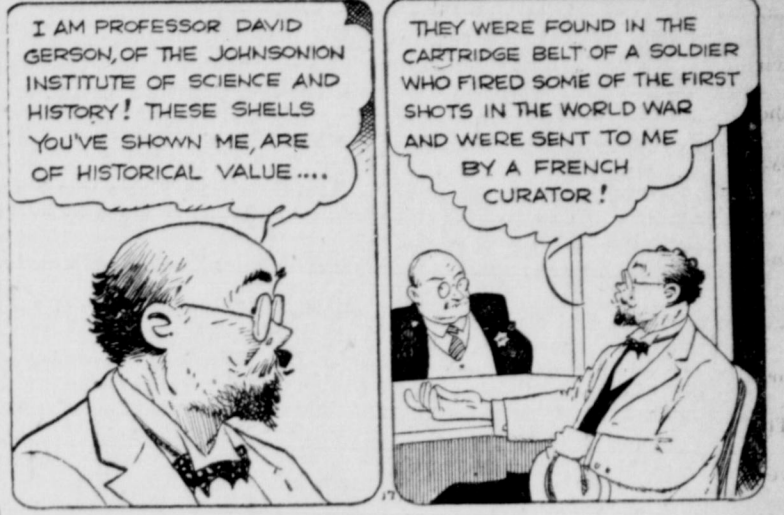
NICE PUSSY! HOQUIAM, Wash.—A mail carrier on a rural route out of Hoquiam passed up one patron's box on his outgoing trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ellis and daughter, Norma Kate, have returned to their home in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chestnut visited in Tolar last week-end.

Mrs. Maggie Young of Fort Worth has been quite ill at the home of her brother, C. D. Farmlay.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



OLD PEOPLE THRIVE In Missouri Town. OREGON, Mo.—People grow old in this town of only 900. There are more than 50 persons whose ages range from 80 to 102.

NOT THE ENRICO. NEWTON, Mass.—A man apparently unconscious from a fall, was picked up in a Newton Center doorway. En route to a hospital the man surprised Policeman Joseph Charlton by singing "O Sole Mio."

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ICE TO WOMEN. ALL women at some period of their lives need a strengthening tonic like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams

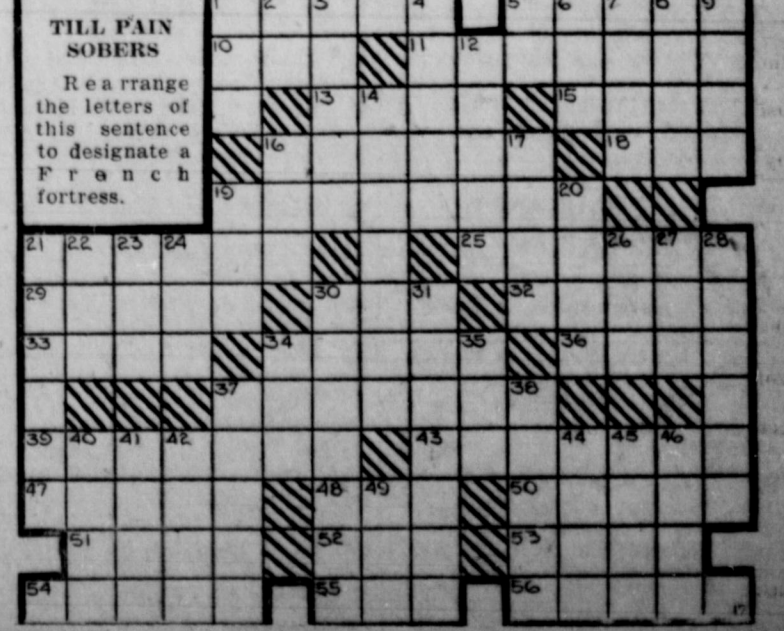


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Anagram of France

- HORIZONTAL. 1 To climb. 5 Highest mountain in France. 10 Wayside hotel. 11 Passive. 13 Costly. 15 Duration. 16 Collection of four. 18 Form of moisture. 19 Dissenting religious opinions. 21 Plundered. 25 Rents. 28 Mistake. 30 Brooch. 32 To sow. 33 To throb. 34 Flat fold. 36 Seal. 37 To wander. 39 Usurious lenders. 43 Salt of anise acid. 47 Pertaining to the nose.



Local--Eastland--Social

OFFICE 681 TELEPHONES RESIDENCE 288

CALENDAR TONIGHT Junior Thursday club meets 7:30 p. m., Community clubhouse.

FRIDAY

Busy Bee Sewing club, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. James Beale, hostess. Martha Dorcas "42" party, lower assemblyroom Methodist church. Public cordially invited.

"42" Party

Tomorrow Night The "42" party which begins at 8:00 o'clock, will be hosted by the Martha Dorcas class in the assemblyroom of the Methodist church.

Junior Thursday Club

Brilliant Game Tourney The brilliantly lighted Community clubhouse Tuesday night welcomed over a hundred guests who filled twenty-six playing tables in games of their choice.

Games and rules were announced by the club Miss Maurine Davenport and other members. Mrs. W. S. Barnett, Jack Ammer and Miss Marjorie Spencer, Jessie Lee Ligon, Lavelle Hendrick and Josephine Martin.

Games and rules were announced by Mrs. S. J. Petty, and favors awarded to Mr. J. O. Earnest, dog favor, a cake; Turner M. Collier and W. K. Jackson, tied for high contract, and a cocoanut pit was presented Mr. Collier; Mrs. Hazel Carter Ammerman, a cedar chest, high contract, and cut-for-all, deck of cards, to Miss Josephine Martin.

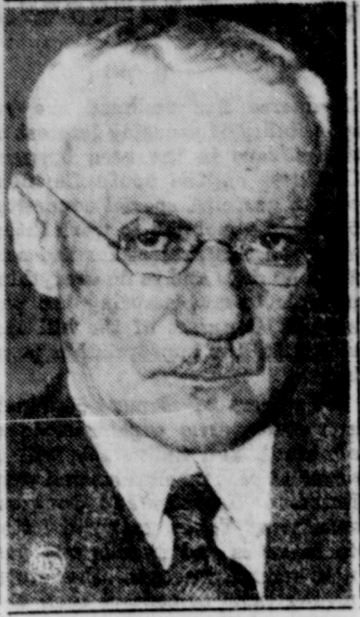
High score auction, L. Y. Morris, cards; next high, Mrs. Blankenship, tea set; cut, Miss Carter, white elephant. "42" high score, George Hipp, cocoanut pit; Miss Mabel Hart, library cards; cut, Mrs. Herby Hart, a picture.

Anagrams, high score, K. B. Tanner, library reading card, and Mrs. Laney, high, a picture. Refreshments of brick ice cream and wafers and mints in pink and white were served. A big chocolate cake was auctioned off by Mrs. W. K. Jackson, and brought the sum of \$8.10 on accumulative bid, with Mrs. J. D. Blankenship the final owner.

Personnel: Messrs and Mmes. Jack Ammer, John Turner, S. J. Petty, J. F. Little, W. K. Jackson, Crosland, W. S. Barnett, A. H. Johnson, L. Hart, Harry Sone, J. C. Whalley, James Horton, D. J. Fiensy, O. L. Duckett, J. H. Hart, T. M. Collier, John W. Turner, W. F. Davenport, George Hipp, Ben L. Sears, Curtis Kimbrell, W. B. Phillips, J. A. Beard, K. B. Tanner, Wayne Jones, Fred Maxey, J. O. Earnest, Sam Gamble, W. A. Martin, Arthur Vaughn, Milburn McCarty, L. Y. Morris, V. T. Seaberry, Earl Storey, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Chaney and R. C. Ferguson; Mmes. Hazel C. Ammerman, J. D. Blankenship, Gerald Wingate, A. H. Rhodes, Bess Terrell, C. W. Geue, W. Laney, John Sawyer, Misses Ina Mae Riek, Marjorie Spencer, Sally Hargus, Elizabeth Davenport, Josephine Martin, Jessie Lee Ligon, Nettie Thornton, Mary Carter, Maurine Davenport, Peggy McLaughlin, Nina Whitfield, Lois Nelson, Evelyn Hearn, Ruth Ramey, Wilma Thomas, Doris Powell, Kathleen Maxey, Barbara Ann Arnold; Messrs John M. Mouser, Joseph M. Weaver, Samuel Butler, J. E. Lewis, Blair Lewis, Bill Russell, Joe Hughes, Norland, D. G. Hunt, Aubrey Cornelius, Carl Tanner, Conrad Reeves, Butler, P. G. Russell, R. D. Mahon, Jr.

In the game intermission Mrs. Art H. Johnson was programmed in a number of brilliant songs, with sympathetic piano accompaniment by Miss Margaret McLaughlin. This was the largest tournament ever held in Eastland and was

Future at Sake



Arthur W. Cutten, the grain speculator famous for his activities in the Chicago pit, is pictured above as he attended a hearing before a cabinet tribunal in Washington, when his defense against charges of disguising grain future deals was presented.

Williams, E. E. Kingston, A. W. Hennessee, E. H. Jones, H. B. Meek, Eugene Tucker, R. E. Kilborn, R. H. Harrison, J. E. Richardson, R. N. Grisham, K. F. Page, Roy Speed, T. L. Amis, S. S. Harris, William Shirriffs, J. M. Mitchell, O. T. Peques, L. Y. Morris, W. K. Bagley, J. F. Davis, B. O. Harrell, O. O. Mickle, J. C. Pratlley, Ray Lerner, James Maxwell, Davenport, Marjorie Spencer, Lavelle Hendrick.

Martha Dorcas Class To Have "42" Party The Martha Dorcas class will present a "42" party Friday evening at 7:30 in the lower assembly room of the Methodist church, it was announced.

Appoint Committee For Joint Luncheon At Lions Club Meet

Committee appointments for the joint Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, Retail Merchants, business mens and Lions luncheon were made at the Lions club meeting this week.

President W. B. Pickens gave the assignments to G. W. Hipp, F. M. Kenny, and Wayne Jones. The trio will work out program details for the luncheon with other committees from the other groups.

H. C. Davis, secretary of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, and Charles T. Lux, state secretary of the Texas Retail Merchants association, gave a few brief remarks. Lux, of Austin, while in Eastland visited the Eastland association. From Eastland he went to Stamford.

Pork Should Be Well Cooked State Health Officer Says

AUSTIN.—Now that the winter season is here and pork and pork products are more freely used, warning against insufficient cooking of these is given by Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. Trichinosis is caused by a parasite in the muscles of pigs. This parasite may occur in large numbers in infested meat.

NOTE FOR NOTRE DAME

WESTER, Mass.—The seven members of the basketball squad of the Bartlett High school are of six foreign extractions — French, Irish, German, Greek, Polish and English. They are Kozlowski, Baker, Cassidy, Pauli, Pappas, Lane and Fournier.

EFFICIENCY IN THEFT

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—There's a trick to every trade and a thief who looted a department store cash register of \$87.17 realized it. He carefully studied a clerk's motions in opening a complicated cash register. Then when she walked away for a few minutes, he slipped behind the counter and took the money from the drawer.

FOR THE 19th HOLE

ASTORIA, Ore.—C. P. Hall, member of the Astoria Golf and Country club, has one for the boys around the locker room. Playing the short tenth hole here his tee shot dropped into a truckload of sod near the green. He climbed aboard the truck, and blazed away with his niblick. The ball popped out and curled up 10 feet from the cup. He narrowly missed his par three.

FIREBREAK IS EFFECTIVE

SACRAMENTO, Calif.—Ponderosa Way, world's longest man-made firebreak, extending 800 miles along the Sierra foothills, stopped nine out of 11 large fires from spreading into heavy timber stands during the last dry season. Only two fires which swept up to Ponderosa Way were carried across it, and in each of those instances, exceptionally high winds were responsible.

STOCK MARKETS

By United Press Closing selected New York stocks:

Table of stock prices including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, A T & S F Ry, Armour Ill, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Comy & Sou, Cons Oil, Cont Oil, Curtiss Wright, Elec Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Film, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Gt West Sugar, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Nat Dairy, Nat Ry, Montg Ward, N Y Cent Ry, N O Oil, Pennyc J C, Penn Ry, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purity Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Und Elliott, Union Carb, United Air & T, United Corp, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Vanadium, Western Union, Westing Elec, Cities Service, Elec Bond & Sh, Gulf Oil Pa, Humble Oil, Lone Star Gas, Niag Hud Pwr, Sterling, 84.88.

Await a Downpour, Not Mere Rainy Day

LEWISTON, Mont., Jan. 16.—The relief investigator was about to okeh an order for a local family when she asked: "Have you any money in the bank?" "More than a thousand dollars," came the proud reply. "Then you'll have to use that for the support of yourself and your family."

Flying Barber Pole To Be Tested Soon

RAPID CITY, S. D., Jan. 16.—A test flight by March 1 is promised by builders of the "flying barber pole," a screw-shaped combination of airplane and zeppelin, now under construction here. Designed to fly either forward or backward, the odd craft got its name from its resemblance to a barber pole. Around a helium filled bag are vanes which spiral much like stripes on a barber pole. The boring movement of the vanes is

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Three of a Kind



The three sweet, personable young ladies above are friends of yours; Margaret Lipsav, Jean Muir and Ann Dvorak. They can be seen Friday and Saturday at the Lyric theatre in First National's "Gentlemen Are Born," the drama of four boys who thought that all they needed to conquer the world was a college degree. The gentlemen in question are Franchot Tone, Ross Alexander, Nick Foran and Robert Light.

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It costs a considerable sum of money to obtain a divorce," Riordan said. "Our records show that divorces fluctuate with economic conditions, and if the number of divorces obtained can be used as a barometer it would seem that the depression scraped bottom in 1933 and conditions are now on an upward trend." During 1934 the number of divorces granted was 1,274, compared with 1,114 in 1933.

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JUNEAU, Alaska.—Alaskan fur prices, far under pre-depression levels, are improved over the last several years, an auction revealed. Trappers received \$7 to \$9 each for mink, \$15 to \$18 for lynx, \$18 to \$23 for cross fox, up to \$13 for martens, \$15 to \$19 for silver foxes, \$15 for otters, \$62 for silver foxes, \$12 to \$15 for red foxes.

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