

New slant on a "white Christmas": Newark, N. J., Santas have been ordered to keep their beards clean.

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A Memphis, Tenn., woman has had two appendices removed within three years. "Have you seen my operations?"

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EARTHQUAKE IN CHILE TAKES A TERRIFIC TOLL

SANTIAGO, Chile, Jan. 25.—Southern Chile lay stricken today by a violent earthquake, which caused an appalling loss of life and property destruction. The government rushed airplanes and special trains with food, nurses, doctors, medicine and clothing to the stricken regions. Communications were disrupted and it was impossible to estimate the loss of life. One amateur radio operator, in Concepcion, sent a message saying that he believed 2,000 persons had been killed in Concepcion alone and that 40 per cent of the buildings were destroyed. There was no other confirmation of this estimate, although a radio message from Valdivia said that the death toll in Concepcion was only 60. Several towns were reported almost entirely destroyed. Fires were burning in some of them, including Concepcion. Six provinces with a total population of more than 1,600,000 were in the earthquake zone, covering, roughly, an area 400 miles long and 100 miles wide on the south-central part of the country, along the Pacific Coast. The Talcahuano zone, 250 miles south of Santiago, was placed under a state of siege. One fourth of the city was reported destroyed and the naval base badly damaged. A few hours after the earthquake, which occurred at 11:34 p. m., reports had been received of 100 dead, but there was little doubt that the total would be much higher. Squadrons of military bombers were the first relief agencies to start south. The trains came next, with one of them carrying President Pedro Aguirre Cerdo, 40 doctors, 70 nurses and medical supplies.

Plaintiffs Winners In Damage Suit
An agreed judgment in the case of J. Young and others against Lone Star Gas company was approved Tuesday by George L. Davenport, judge of 91st district court. The plaintiffs, according to the agreement, receive \$550 from the defendant, plus all costs expended. The suit was brought by Mr. and Mrs. J. Young and minor children, Ralph C. and Margie Mae Young, as the aftermath of an accident Jan. 11 at Cisco in which a vehicle of the company's allegedly figured in a collision with the Young automobile. The \$550 award was apportioned as follows: For Ralph C. Young, \$10; for Margie Mae Young, \$200, and for Mr. and Mrs. Young, \$350. It was ordered that the plaintiffs recover nothing from R. W. Kleiner, who also had been named a defendant with the firm. Kleiner, said the plaintiff's petition was the operator of the gas company's vehicle which was allegedly parked on a street in Cisco on a morning when it was raining and visibility was impaired.

Dr. Richardson To Address Scouters
D. Rupert N. Richardson, Executive Vice-President of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will deliver the main address at the Annual Boy Scout Banquet of the Comanche Trail Council, to be held at the roof garden of Hotel Winwood, January 27th, at 6 p. m. The afternoon session of the meeting will begin at 3:30 p. m. in the Gold Room of the hotel. All plans for the meeting have been completed. Scouters are urged to make every effort to be present for the afternoon session and to remain for the banquet.

O'Daniel Appoints Insurance Head
AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel today appointed Truett Smith of Tahoka as life insurance commissioner for Texas. Smith, who is 34, has been district attorney for the 106th district. His appointment, if confirmed by the senate, will become effective on last Jan. 10.

No. 2 Nazi as Family Man



Field Marshal Hermann Goering, whose star rises following Nazi political shakeup, pictured in an intimate domestic scene with wife and infant daughter, Edda.

VESTRYMEN TO SERVE DURING YEAR CHOSEN

Austin B. Mitchell, Jr., priest-in-charge of this district for the Episcopal Church, has announced the following vestrymen have been elected to serve in 1939: Mineral Wells—W. Owen Boardman, George M. Ritchie, Joe D. Farr, R. H. Wicklund, Robert W. Russell, John C. Miller, Frank H. Payne and Major E. N. Jerry. Breckenridge—J. A. Boyle, J. E. Douglas, H. O. Mitchell, J. H. Ogden, W. R. Pittman, Mrs. J. A. Boyle, Miss Virginia Alexander and Mrs. A. E. Sweeney. Cisco—Alex Angus and Alex G. Tuttle, Mrs. Charles Roberts and Miss Laura Lou Waring. Eastland—John L. Ernst, P. G. Russell, H. J. Tanner and Mrs. O. E. Harvey. Ranger—G. D. Chastain, H. B. Phillips, Joseph H. Holt and Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale. Graham—Graham P. Stewart, C. H. Atkinson, John Meisterhane and Barron Greenway Collier.

Salazar Case Is Given To Jury Without Defense

SWEETWATER, Jan. 25.—Frank Salazar, 23-year-old farm hand, accused of murdering Paul Kennedy, father of the girl Salazar professed to love, placed his fate in the hands of a jury today, without making any defense. The prosecution indicating that it would ask the death penalty, completed its case today. Immediately Eugene Mathis, defense attorney, rested his case without calling a single witness. Salazar is being tried only on charges of murdering Kennedy, but he also has been indicted in the killing of Mrs. Kennedy, who was slain at the same time as her husband at their farm home near Miles.

Reports Received On Attempt to Rob A Bank at Strawn

Chief of Police Jim Ingram of Ranger received a report today that an apparent attempt had been made to rob one of the Strawn banks. According to the report the attempt was apparently made several days ago, and had not been discovered until a leak was found in the bank roof during a rain. Investigation showed that a hole had been cut in the bank roof. A hacksaw, hammer and chisel were found on the bank roof near the hole, where the would-be burglars had left them. Chief Ingram said he had been informed. No other clues to the attempted robbery were believed found.

GLASS IS VISITOR

W. I. Glass, College Station, district 7 extension agent, was a visitor Tuesday in the office of County Agent Elmo V. Cook and his assistant, Sam E. Rosenberg.

Discrimination By Germany Is Charged By U. S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The United States today accused Germany of "well-known discriminations" against American citizens in a formal note suggesting that settlement of Austria's debt would be facilitated by extension of the most favored nation treatment to American creditors. The note, another in a long series, was made public by the state department. It was delivered to the German minister of foreign affairs in Berlin last Jan. 20. One rebel column reported itself advancing by way of Sabadell, while another advanced around Tribado. Still farther north insurgents captured Solsona and sent vast motorized columns down the road to Cardona. Foreign warships, 20 miles up the coast from Barcelona, took aboard refugees, including Americans, after a brush with Insurgent bombing planes, which dropped explosives on the Caldetas sector, where the foreign embassies are located. Anti-aircraft guns, believed to include those on a French destroyer, opened up on the planes and all the foreign vessels, including the U. S. S. Omaha, cleared their decks for action. The United States Destroyer Badger sailed for Marseilles from Caldetas, with 22 refugees, including five women and three children. The ship is due at Marseilles tonight.

Rev. Hathcoat Is Named Scribe for Minister's Group

Rev. H. C. Hathcoat, pastor of the Church of God at Eastland, was chosen secretary of the Eastland County Ministerial Alliance at its first meeting of the year Tuesday at the study of Rev. P. W. Walker, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Eastland. It was voted to have a pre-Easter prayer week in which all Eastland churches would participate. Rev. J. B. Blunk, pastor of the First Christian church of Eastland, was appointed chairman of the special week. Full plans will be mapped later. By mutual consent it was agreed that churches should not conflict with other's dates for revivals. The churches also voted that the third Tuesday of each month would be the regular meeting dates for the alliance. Rev. Walker was retained as chairman. Those attending were Rev. Walker, Rev. J. I. Cartledge, Rev. Blunk and Rev. Hathcoat.

Eastland Man At Home After Going To Mother's Rites

Guy Patterson has returned to Eastland from Lott where he attended funeral services of his mother, Mrs. Lillie White Patterson, 76, widow of the late J. A. Patterson. Mrs. Patterson died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. A. W. Smith, in Bryan after an illness of a week's duration. Mrs. Lott had been a resident of Lott for 63 years but at the time of her death was visiting with her daughter at Bryan. Services were at the First Christian church of Lott, of which she was a member, and burial in the Lott cemetery. Mrs. Patterson's husband died in 1935. She was born in Paris, Texas. Survivors are the following children: Guy Patterson of Eastland, H. J. Patterson of Conroe, Taylor Patterson of Desdemona, Claude Patterson of Crowell, Mrs. Smith of Bryan, Mrs. Henry Johnson of Crowell, Mrs. C. E. Holder of Lott, Mrs. Len Tardy of Marlin and Mrs. Frank Arp of Belton. Thirty one grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren survive. All children and descendants attended the funeral rites.

LOYALISTS IN BARCELONA ARE FIGHTING BACK

PERPIGNAN, France, Jan. 25.—Generalissimo Francisco Franco's main force of 20 rebel divisions battled stateward around Barcelona late today to cut the last line of Loyalist retreat toward the French frontier. The insurgent column of Juan Yague, which pushed into the suburbs on the southern edge of Barcelona last night, was reported in Loyalist messages to have met stiff resistance, as the defenders rallied under the leadership of Lt. Col. Jose Ormerio, a hero of the defense of Madrid. The rebel columns, circling the city, however, reported swift progress in a drive around the famous Tribado Heights to cut the last two roads leading toward the north and to trap many thousands of Loyalist troops in Barcelona. All the heights around Barcelona, except those commanding the two main roads leading northward, were in insurgent hands, messages from Franco's headquarters reported. One rebel column reported itself advancing by way of Sabadell, while another advanced around Tribado. Still farther north insurgents captured Solsona and sent vast motorized columns down the road to Cardona. Foreign warships, 20 miles up the coast from Barcelona, took aboard refugees, including Americans, after a brush with Insurgent bombing planes, which dropped explosives on the Caldetas sector, where the foreign embassies are located. Anti-aircraft guns, believed to include those on a French destroyer, opened up on the planes and all the foreign vessels, including the U. S. S. Omaha, cleared their decks for action. The United States Destroyer Badger sailed for Marseilles from Caldetas, with 22 refugees, including five women and three children. The ship is due at Marseilles tonight.

French Buying a Big Air Force from U. S. Manufacturers

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Lt. Col. Rene G. P. Weiser, attache at the French Embassy, disclosed today that a French air mission to the United States is negotiating for the largest order of fighting planes ever placed in this country by a foreign power. Weiser said that the mission came here to buy several hundred planes. He said that the deal, if completed, may involve as many as 600 fighting planes, which would cost in the neighborhood of \$36,000,000.

Office Employee Is Sought by the REA For This Section

A bookkeeper-stenographer for the Comanche-Eastland County rural electrification project is being sought, it was announced here today by REA officials. Qualifications for the position have been listed as follows: Must have a knowledge of higher accounting and experience in double-entry bookkeeping and accounting practices. Must be a graduate of an accredited high school, recognized commercial or equivalent, ability to take and transcribe shorthand dictation is necessary. Applicant should be able to deal with the public pleasantly and efficiently. Salary will be \$70 a month, with opportunity for advancement. Applicants will submit written applications, in their own handwriting, stating their qualifications and experience, and will list three references in their applications, preferably names of employers or former employers, and giving age and sex in application. No personal interviews will be granted. Applicants who can meet all the requirements should address applications to P. O. Box 152, Comanche, and they will be notified when to appear.

Head WPA Chief's Aide Is Visitor

Alton Bell, representative of State WPA Administrator H. P. Drought of San Antonio, was a visitor Wednesday in the area WPA office at Eastland. While in Eastland he conferred with R. Towner Dickinson, area WPA engineer.

Jess Day and Wife Moved To Eastland

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Day, until recently of Graham, have moved to their farm south of Eastland. They are former residents of Eastland.

Nationalist Heavy Guns Trained on Barcelona



One of a battery of Nationalist General Franco's artillery hammering at Barcelona's gates, this big gun symbolizes imminent capture of Spanish Loyalist capital.

SUM OKEHEH FOR MATRON WORK BY WPA

Mrs. Susan Hunt, assistant county superintendent, reported Wednesday that Supt. T. C. Williams has been notified a WPA allotment of \$15,351 for the furnishing of matron service in public schools of Callahan and Eastland counties have been approved at Washington. Supt. Williams was notified of the approval by a message received from Senator Tom Connally. While it did not give full details of the project, the message from the Senator said no janitorial work will be provided and that it is eligible for operation upon the order of state WPA headquarters at San Antonio. Further details were awaited.

Grounds at Scout Cabin In Ranger To Be Landscaped

An engineer of the National Youth Administration has completed landscaping of the Boy Scout Cabin in Ranger, which is now under construction, with NYA labor being used. Walks have been laid out, places for shrubbery and other landscape beautification developments have been plotted by the engineer and will be installed according to the diagrams made for the project. The stone cabin was started the latter part of December, and the cornerstone was laid Dec. 21, in appropriate ceremonies. Work has progressed rapidly on the cabin, weather conditions considered, it was reported today, though there has been some delay because of rains and cold weather since the project was started. Work on the stone wall and gate at the Old Ranger Cemetery has also started again, after being shutdown for several days because of the weather, and this work, too, is now progressing more rapidly.

Junior College to Play Double Header

The Ranger Junior College basketball team will play two practice games tonight in the Recreation Building. The first game, beginning at 7:30, will be played with an independent team from Gordon. The second game of the double header will be with an independent team from Unity.

Ruling On Wages And Hours Up To Country's Courts

FORT WORTH, Tex.—Most of the questions which have arisen in connection with the federal wage-hour law must depend for answers upon court decisions, according to J. E. Jackson, Texas representative for the wage-hour administration. "Any opinions, even if from our legal department in Washington, are good only until the courts rule on them," he said at a forum here. "What I tell you here is merely my own opinion. An attorney's advice is valuable in these matters, but not necessarily correct." Explaining why queries which have been sent to Washington have, in many cases, not been answered, Jackson said that the administration was being swamped with similar requests for opinions. He said that no employee of a firm subject to the law could work more than 44 hours in any work week, unless paid time and a half for the overtime, and that the 25-cent minimum wage was merely a minimum, and should not be a basis for figuring either regular wages or overtime.

Re-Set South Ward Entertainment for Wednesday, Feb. 8

An entertainment sponsored by the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association, originally scheduled for February 2 at the Connellee theatre, has been re-set for Wednesday, Feb. 8, it was announced. Part of the entertainment will be a modern dramatization of Mary J. Holme's novel, "Lena Rivers," in which Miss Nanette Tanner will have a leading part. A specialty act, "These Women," will also be given with Clifton and Patsy Horn featured. The event is for benefit of the South Ward P.-T. A.

Professor Tells Of Difference In Songs Sung By Cowboys

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Many people sing cowboy songs, but it's a good thing they don't have to handle cattle while they do it, according to Dr. Newton Gaines of Texas Christian University, past president of the Texas Folk Lore Society. "The real cowboy has to use 'horse rhythm' in his singing," Gaines said. "His songs are framed in the rhythm of his working day in the saddle. The time of his songs fits naturally into the walk, trot or gallop of his pony. Then, too, most persons sing cowboy songs too loud. The cowboy does most of his singing when he is alone, in order to quiet the cattle and keep himself company. There is no occasion for noise." Gaines knows his subject when he talks about cowboy singing. He grew up on a ranch in the Big Bend country, and in recent years has made phonograph records of numerous cowboy songs.

Girl's Condition Is Fairly Favorable

Estelle Lotief, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lotief of Eastland, who has been suffering from bronchial trouble, was reported "getting along as well as could be expected" Wednesday morning. She is in a Gorman hospital.

Royal Arch Meet Is Scheduled Thursday

A stated meeting of the Eastland chapter of the Royal Arch Masons will be held Thursday night at 7:30 in the Masonic temple, according to an announcement issued Wednesday.

Oil Operator Will Move to Eastland

Olney S. Black, Midland independent oil operator, and family Wednesday were making preparation to move to Eastland. They have leased the Arnold Kirk home on Oak Lawn in Hillcrest addition.

NINETY ATTEND DISTRICT MEET OF LIGHT FIRM

Ninety persons were present at a recent meeting of the employees of the Eastland district of the Texas Electric Service company. The meeting was held in the TESCO recreation room at Eastland. Sam Morrison, Eastland, was in charge of the meeting. Graham, Breckenridge, Ranger, Gorman and Eastland were towns represented. L. R. Gray, superintendent of Leon plant, discussed "The Growth of the Leon Power Plant" and gave reasons why the plant was built at its present location and how consumers were found for the power it produces. C. W. Gene, Eastland, talked on "What Is a Kilowatt Hour?" He demonstrated a man-driven generator and showed a comparison of how man-hours work compares to electrical energy.

Hines Tells C. C. Group Highway 68 Designation Fixed

Harry Hines, member of the highway commission, announced Tuesday night at the annual Comanche Chamber of Commerce banquet that Highway 68 has definitely been designated as from Stephenville to Eastland by way of Lingleville and Desdemona. Hines also announced that improvements for Highway 80 have been voted for this year. Milburn McCarty, Eastland, immediate past president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, made a brief speech. Others from Eastland were H. J. Tanner, secretary-manager, and T. E. Richardson, president, of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce. The talk by Hines was the principal one of the evening.

Renders Judgment

Judgment for \$397.75 was rendered by County Judge W. S. Adamson for J. P. Kirk et vir, plaintiffs in a case against E. Sutton and others.

PENSION BILL IS PRESENTED IN THE HOUSE

AUSTIN, Jan. 25.—Bills to put in effect Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's tax and pension program, to abolish the state liquor board and to return horse race pari-mutuels under local option were introduced today in the Texas house of representatives. Rep. Alfred Petsch of Fredericksburg, introduced the O'Daniel bill "so that the people can be heard" before legislative committees. A resolution to allow an election on the proposal to make the governor's program part of the constitution, still awaits introduction. Petsch said that he had not consulted O'Daniel about the act, and that he would recommend adoption of a 2.5 per cent retail sales tax in preference to O'Daniel's 1.6 per cent transactions tax. Meanwhile the Texas Senate today confirmed O'Daniel's appointment of Harry Knox, Jr., of Brownwood as adjutant general, but bitter opposition delayed action on Elster M. Haile of Hereford, whom O'Daniel had selected as state tax commissioner. Haile's legal residence in Texas was questioned by Sen. Joe Hill of Henderson, who charged that he lived in Kansas. Regents named for the University of Texas and the state teachers colleges were confirmed as was W. C. Jackson of Fort Stockton to be judge of the 112th district court.

Stevenson Is a Brake to Untried Untested Policies

By Gordon K. Shearer United Press Staff Correspondent
AUSTIN, Texas.—Similarity is being noted in the positions occupied by Lt. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson in Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's administration and that of Vice President John Nance Garner in the president's regime. Just as Garner is regarded as a brake on New Deal ventures in Washington, Stevenson is looked upon as a check against state nostrums and untested policies. Garner, presiding over the senate in Washington, and Stevenson presiding over the senate in Austin, are in favorable situations to exercise powerful supervision. Stevenson's inaugural address was a discussion of the state constitution and its provisions, and a warning against hasty change. Chief Justice C. M. Cureton of the state supreme court, who has administered the oath of office to many state officials, said he considered it the greatest speech ever made on such an occasion. When Governor O'Daniel outlined his tax pension program at joint meeting of the house and senate, time-keepers reported that the applause given Stevenson continued longer than that which greeted the appearance of O'Daniel.

Kansas Guards Old Horse In Museum

LAWRENCE, Kas.—Comanche the horse that survived the Custer massacre, is going to make its last stand at the University of Kansas, according to Marvin Goebel, student editor of the campus Daily Kansan. "Custer made his last stand in Montana, but Comanche is going to make his in Dyer Museum and an attempt to remove him for a frontier celebration will be vigorously protested," Goebel said. At Hardin, Mont., a group of citizens has announced plans for a ceremony on June 25, in which the triumphant return of the museum horse would be a highlight of the 63d anniversary celebration. Dr. E. H. Lindley, chancellor of the university, said he had been informed of any plans to remove the horse and emphasized that nothing could be taken from the campus museum without permission of the board of regents. Dr. Lindley said that he would not sanction the removal of Comanche at least until he was informed more definitely about the celebration. Goebel said he intended to start a movement to "keep Comanche at K. U." The horse was the mount of Capt. Keough.

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A Golden Rule for South American Trade?

An American business man, one of the leaders in the effort to hold United States trade with South America, advances an ingenious suggestion. It would seem to merit the attention of those interested in the return of prosperity.

Here's the idea: South American countries don't buy nearly as much American goods as they might, simply because they haven't enough American dollars to trade with. And that is because we haven't been buying enough South American goods to furnish them the dollars.

Now this situation dovetails nicely with another situation we already have in the United States, this business executive points out. We have nearly two-thirds of the world's gold, most of it buried under the ground at Ft. Knox and other places. We are getting more all the time. In fact there is danger that we will get so much that the rest of the world will stop using it for money at all. Then we would be holding not only the gold, but the bag.

Suppose that American treasury experts figured out how much of that gold we can conceivably use as monetary backing and for adjustments we may want to make in the international money market (stabilization fund, etc.). There would still be a great store of gold left over.

Very well. Is there no better use for this surplus gold than to bury it in the ground? Yes, suggests this business man.

Why not take it, and buy with it, in friendly countries, surplus stocks of certain raw materials which are necessary war sinews, and which, not entering competitive trade at all, could be stocked as national assets just as the gold is stocked today? All are materials either not produced, or at least not adequately produced in the United States. Examples: tin, manganese, chromium, vanadium, nickel, wolfram, tungsten, mica, mercury, quartz, crystal, asbestos.

We buy these for gold from countries which itch to export the raw materials and desperately need gold to steady their monetary systems. There are many such countries in South America, countries with which we seek friendship and increased trade. Much of the gold would find its way back to the United States to buy American goods. The rest would serve to spread gold backing in many countries which desperately need it, and by thus tending to bring the world back to a gold system, would also tend to make all the more stable and valuable our own gold.

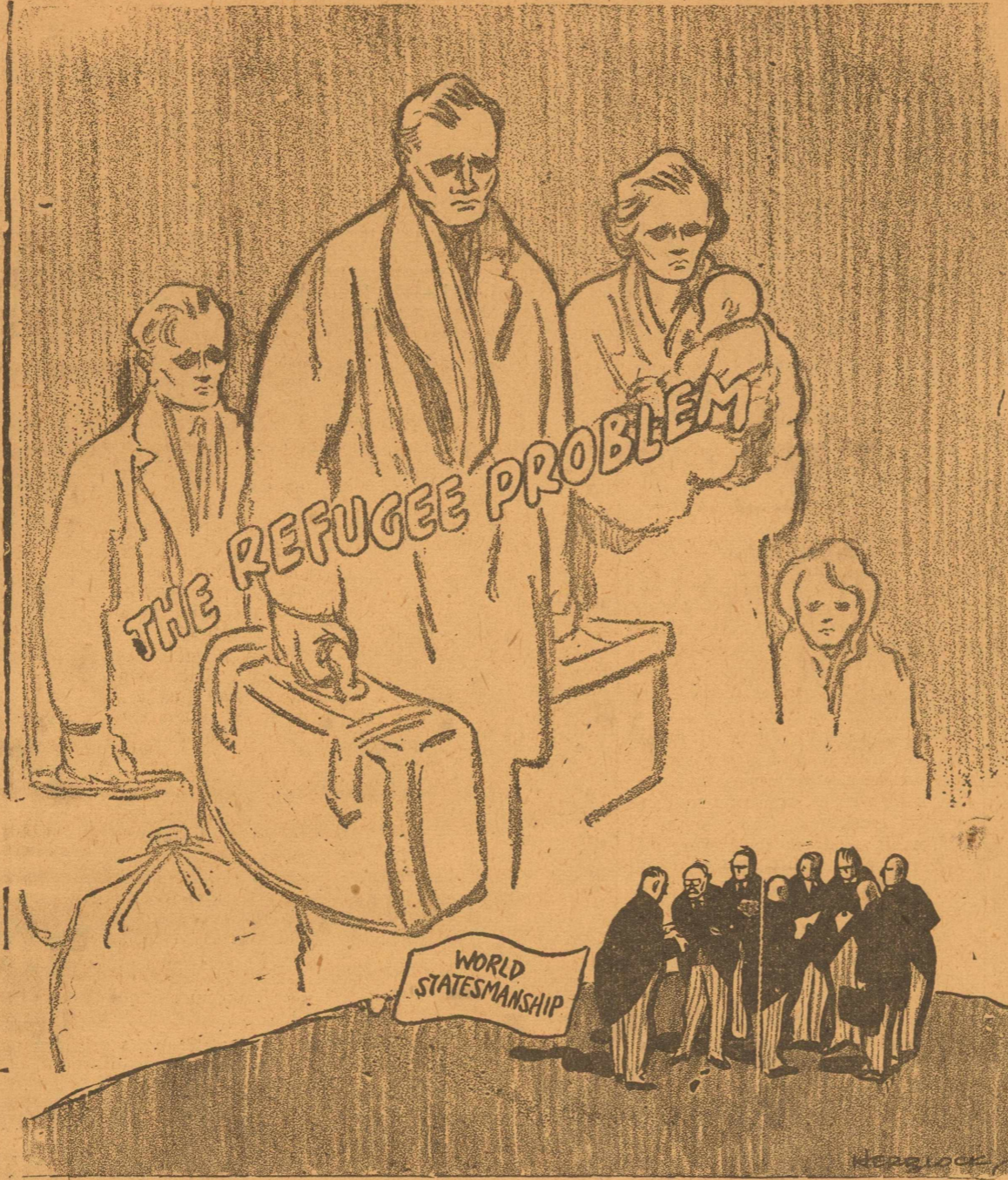
The United States loses nothing of value, gets precious raw materials against an emergency, serves to protect its remaining gold. The other countries export their raw materials, get needed gold. Trade is encouraged. Everybody is happy.

While the business man advancing the suggestion is primarily interested in getting American dollars into the South American countries so he can sell American goods for them, his suggestion is so simple and so apparently practical that it at least seems worthy of consideration.

You can always tell when a European country's really got its back to the wall: the head of the government has to cut his week-end short.

New Hyde Park, N. Y., has banned Anne Lindbergh Morrow's latest book, "Listen, the Wind"—fall.

STILL NO SOLUTION



Rioting in London



Britain's severest winter in years . . . widespread disapproval of Chamberlain's "peacemaker" role in Central Europe and the Mediterranean . . . Labor Party clamor for aid to Loyalist Spain bring almost daily rioting by workers and unemployed in London. Above, two husky "Bobbies" grapple with a struggling demonstrator, cart him off to jail.

Gold In Front In Colorado Mining

DENVER, Colo.—Gold led a mining revival which began in Colorado in 1937 and continued through 1938 near boom proportions, the state bureau of mines has revealed.

While production of most minerals showed a substantial gain over 1937, the upswing was paced by gold. More than 500,000 tons of high grade ore valued at \$5,000,000 were produced in the state during 1938.

The rise in gold production was noted particularly in the Cripple Creek district and "The Little Kingdom of Gilpin," where during the days of the famous Central City boom miners claimed to have discovered the "richest square mile of earth in the world."

J. P. Joyce, state mining commissioner, said that more than 15,000 hard rock miners were employed in the Cripple Creek area during 1938.

The gold boom also was felt in Boulder and Clear Creek counties, where new territory is being developed. Rich strikes were reported in regions heretofore untouched.

Mining activity reached a peak at Climax where the world's greatest molybdenum mine produced an average of 13,000 tons of ore daily. Prosperity in this

field was reflected when the Climax Molybdenum Company declared a Christmas dividend of \$3,270,000. The mine is the only one of its kind in the state.

Joyce said that if tentative plans to reopen flooded workings in the Leadville district materialized silver and gold production in Colorado would reach a new high this year.

The mining commissioner said a move was underway to obtain PWA funds in 1939 to aid in draining these mines, once the greatest silver producers in the nation. It was at two-mile-high Leadville that H. A. (Silver Dollar) Tabor made his wealth.

Most pessimistic note in the 1938 production figures was the drop of nearly 1,500,000 tons in the production of coal. The reduction was blamed chiefly on a dwindling market.

Joyce said that figures showed large output of limestone, mica, gypsum, granite, fireclay, building stone and cement.

CASTOR BEAN THRIVES

CLEVELAND, O.—A castor oil bean plant has grown to a height of 9 feet and is still growing. The plant, believed to be the only one of its kind in northern Ohio, has yellow blossoms, green leaves and is odorless.

A Missouri rule that beer may not be sold within 300 feet of colleges was probably at the request of the athletic directors who want to keep their boys in trim.

Attorney General Is Having Law Clinic

AUSTIN, Tex.—Attorney General Gerald C. Mann has announced the establishment of a legal clinic in his department.

All members of the department meet twice weekly, on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, to discuss the most important decisions of the appellate courts and to hear lectures on special topics.

The first series of lectures will be given by Judge W. J. Moore, first assistant attorney general, who will explain new federal court rules of procedure.

"This clinic should prove of inestimable value to the department and its members," Mann said. "It will give each staff member the advantages of the knowledge of the others, keep the members informed on new decisions, and alert to the daily questions and problems of the government, and thereby give the state a better legal organization."

Hawaiian police investigated a nude tattooed on a man's arm as an indecent exposure case. Better roll down your sleeves, sailors.

Many Senators Speak, but Few Listen



It may have been pictures like this, showing a majority of senators absent from their desks during debate on confirmation of Harry L. Hopkins as secretary of commerce, that caused senators to wonder if they had not made a mistake in permitting candid camera shots to be made of their deliberations. Whatever the reason, you probably won't see any more, as permission to make photographs in the Senate chamber was withdrawn.

Quail to Restock Texas Are Received

AUSTIN, Texas—Quail importations are due to start this week from Mexico to restock Texas hunting areas thinned out during the recent open season.

Two contracts have been let, each calling for delivery of 10,000 birds. The first 10,000 will be furnished by J. W. Johnson of Laredo at 95 cents a bird. S. M. Learn of Laredo will get \$1 each for the second 10,000. Prices are higher than those paid for similar importations last year. Scarcity and increased taxes are said to have raised the price.

In the past the quail have been "planted" on a cooperative system. For each bird furnished by the state a local organization supplied one.

Skelton At Wheel A Jolt To Pranksters

CAPTOWN.—Three young men in a North Natal town who had amused themselves by playing pranks on parked cars got a shock when they opened a door of a car.

At the wheel was seated a skelton dressed in a white shirt and felt hat. One of the youths collapsed, one stood petrified, and the third gave a terrified shriek.

GRANDMOTHER AT 34

KENTON, O.—Another claimant for the "youngest grandmother" title is Mrs. Ed Wren, 34, who first became a grandmother at the age of 30 and now has two grandchildren.

Goes Up in WPA



Howard O. Hunter, above, jumps from midwest regional WPA director to national deputy WPA administrator, succeeding Aubry Williams.

Funeral Conducted For John Hancock

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Fort Worth for John Hancock, vice president and general counsel of the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil company, who died Sunday. He was a former resident of Thurber and was well-known in oil circles here.

If Mussolini insists on having a share in a canal, it might be arranged that he be cut into the Florida ship channel.

MARKETS

Closing selected New York stocks:

Courtesy D. E. Pulley
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Am T & T	151
A T & S F	34
Chrysler	70%
Com & Sou	1%
Cons Oil	8%
Elec B & Sh	10%
Gen Mot	44%
Houston Oil	7%
Humble O & R	65%
Montg Ward	46%
Packard	4%
Pure Oil	9
Radio	6%
Socony Vac	12%
Studebaker	7%
Texas Co	43%
T P C & O	9
U S Steel	56%

Chicago Grain

Range of the market, Chicago grain:

Grain	Prev.
Corn—	High Low Close Close
May	52 51% 51% 51%
July	53 52% 52% 52%
Sept.	53% 52% 52% 52%
Wheat—	
May	70% 69% 70 69%
July	70% 69% 69% 69%
Sept.	71% 70% 70% 70%
Oats—	
May	28% 28% 28% 28%
July	27% 27% 27% 27%

DISMISS CASE
Case of W. J. Foxworth vs. E. F. Agnew and others has been dismissed by County Judge W. S. Adamson at the cost of the plaintiff.

Time saved by running the traffic lights is usually lost waiting for the ambulance.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



WHAT'S IN A NAME?

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By HARRY GRAYSON

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NEA Service Staff Editor

BASEBALL arm surgery gets its first real test this spring. Owners and pitchers anxiously await results to see if soreness simply can be cut out.

It will be a great boon to the game if arm trouble can be corrected. . . careers of valuable moundmen prolonged. . . by the surgeon's scalpel.

Never before have so many pitchers launched a campaign following arm operations as will start throwing apprehensively in this year's training camps.

Carl Hubbell, Johnny Allen, Hal Schurmer, Spud Chandler, Wesley Ferrell, and Clint Brown are major leaguers who have gone under the knife to have small bone chips and such removed.

This might well be called the year of the lame arm because the fortunes of so many clubs depend upon the response of ailing flippers. . . those of Dizzy Dean, Lefty Grove, Van Lingle Mungo, Lee Grissom, Schoolboy Rowe, and Tommy Bridges, in addition to those which were opened up. It also remains to be seen whether the shoulder operation to which Paul Dean submitted a year ago has restored a fair share of his old form.

THANKS to modern X-ray, trainers no longer have to rub pitchers arms in the dark.

In the old days, when arms failed to come around with ordinary massaging, the pitcher consulted some bonesetter like the late and famous Bonesetter Reese of You-know-where. If the bonesetter couldn't pull or crack the equipment back into working order, the pitcher usually was finished.

Surgeons now guarantee the injured pitchers' elbows and shoulders as good as new for ordinary

purposes, but it remains to be seen whether they can stand the strain of pitching.

So important has the cutting of pitching arms become that such operations will be a preferred subject at the annual meeting of the National Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons in Memphis, the week of Jan. 16.

There Dr. J. Spencer Speed, who operated upon Hubbell and Schurmer, and Dr. James A. Dickson of Cleveland, who removed a small bone chip from a point above the right elbow of Johnny Allen, will meet for the first time.

THE epidemic of arm injuries has been traced to a number of things, but pitchers generally hold that it was caused by the lively ball forcing them to bear down on every pitch. In close games, there no longer are spots in the batting order where a pitcher can ease up a bit and doctor up his wounds. With the present ball, practically every batter is a potential home run hitter.

Old-timers trace the trouble to the fact that pitchers are not worked hard and often enough these days, but this explanation scarcely is plausible in the cases of such workhorses as Hubbell, the Deans, Groves, Schurmer, Ferrell, Mungo, and Rowe.

And when a chip of bone is torn loose by a pulled muscle all the rubbing, pulling and tugging, and care in the world won't eliminate the soreness. The chip simply must come out.

The brilliant careers of numerous great pitchers of the misty past were cut short by the inability to locate the source of arm trouble. Big Ed Walsh was a notable example.

Modern X-ray easily might have lengthened the pitching years of many.

• JOHN T. FLYNN

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NEA Service Staff Correspondent

COMMISSIONER W O Douglas has gotten around to an old and irritating subject—the corporation director. He thinks they ought to be done with them.

The last board of directors—was the corporation itself—the board of the Standard Oil Company in John D's day and for some time thereafter. Perhaps it is still true. Every director was the head of some important activity of the company. They met every day and actually ran the company.

John D. himself was never a director of any other company save the U. S. Steel for a while.

Now a man may be a director of a dozen, 20, 50 companies. Of course he is not a director since he does not direct. He cannot possibly know what is going on in the company. And in the end, in most cases, he is not supposed to.

That's not why he is a director. He is representing some outside interest that is exploiting the corporation or he is there for the inside information he can get or he is representing some inside interest that is exploiting the corporation.

Of course this is not true of all directors of all corporations. But it is true of a majority of them.

Corporation managers, officials and directors make far more money out of the inside dope of the opportunities for cutting in on exploitive adventures than they make out of their salaries. That ought to be stopped.

I once suggested that there should be two boards. One should be a board which actually runs

the corporation and has complete control over its buying, selling, administrative problems. It should be composed entirely of the executives of the corporation with representatives of labor on it.

There should be another board named entirely by the stockholders and composed only of men who are actually owners of large amounts of stock, so that they have an interest in the corporation's health. That board should be an auditing, supervisory, scrutinizing, question-asking board.

Having made this suggestion, I was surprised to receive letters from two corporation executives, one of them well-known, telling me that such a plan had been installed in their corporations for some years and had worked well.

It is worth considering. Under such circumstances management and labor would be represented by the operative board and the stockholders would be represented by the supervising board. All that would be needed would be a prohibition against one man being on more than two or three such boards.

As for the public, any notion that the public can look for protection from the boards is ridiculous. The public must look out for itself through consumer organizations and public agencies such as the Federal Trade Commission, the S. E. C. and the like.

But none of these proposals will do very much good until the corporation laws themselves have been overhauled to get out of them the various sawed-off shot-guns, blackjacks and other gadgets used to hold up the public and the stockholders.

These ships, a part from auxiliary craft like boom defense ships, motor torpedo-boats, depot ships and tugs, will total 355,705 tons and will be greater than any figure ever approached by any nation in time of peace. The figure will be little less than the aggregate tonnage launched in any year of the war.

There will be five battleships, of a total tonnage of 175,000, three aircraft carriers, five large cruisers, seven small cruisers, eleven destroyers, nine submarines and five sloops.

The first important vessels will be the battleship, King George V, to be launched Feb. 21, followed by a sister ship, the Prince of Wales, in March. Three more warships of the same class, the Anson, Jellicoe and Beatty, will follow. They will be the largest and most strongly armored battleships ever built in Britain, and will be among the world's fastest dreadnaughts.

The three aircraft carriers, illustrious, Victorious and Formidable, of 23,000 tons each, will be the largest yet built for the Royal Navy. The five large cruisers, Fiji, Kenya, Mauritius, Nigeria and Trinidad, will be a new type, of 8,000 tons, with 12 six-inch guns and a speed of 33 knots.

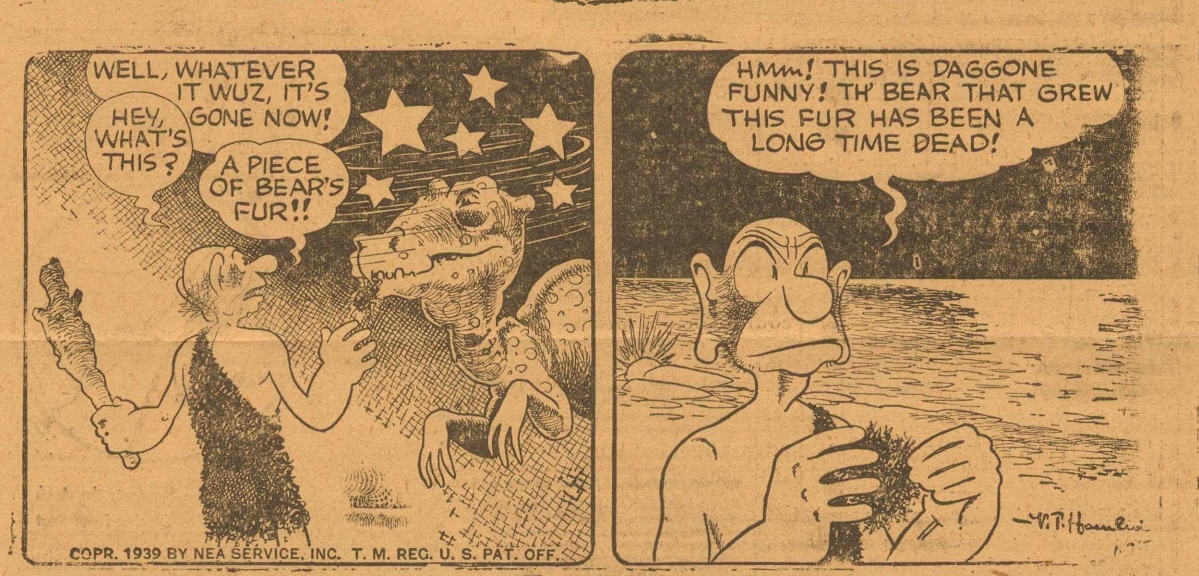
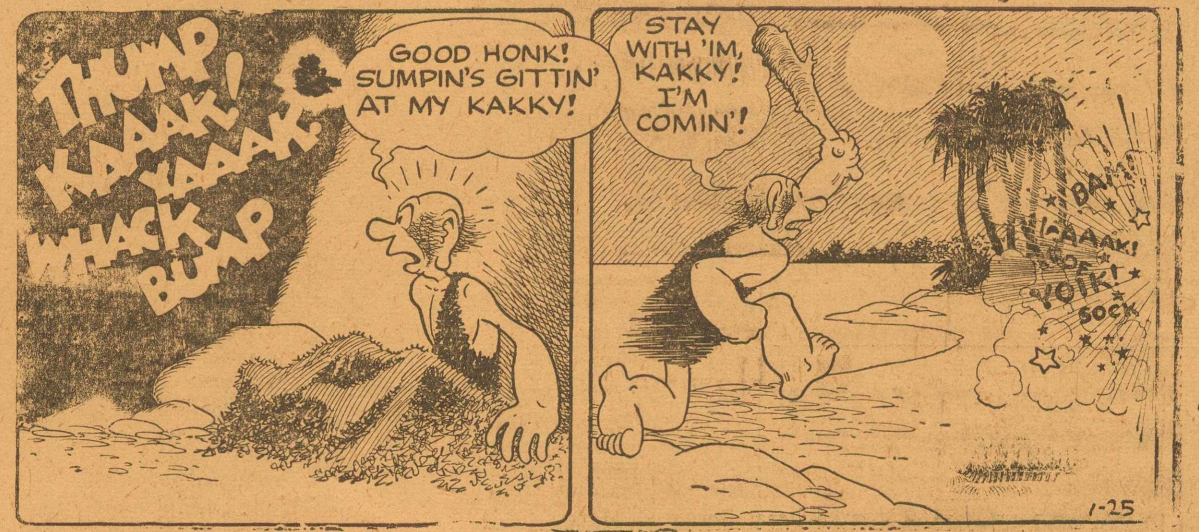
The seven small cruisers also will be a new type, with armament of ten 5.2-inch guns of a new model credited with a rate of fire of 14 rounds a minute.

With these new ships launched, there still will be some important warships on the stocks, including two 40,000-ton battleships, four heavy and three light cruisers. These and many other lesser vessels will be provided for in the 1939 estimates.

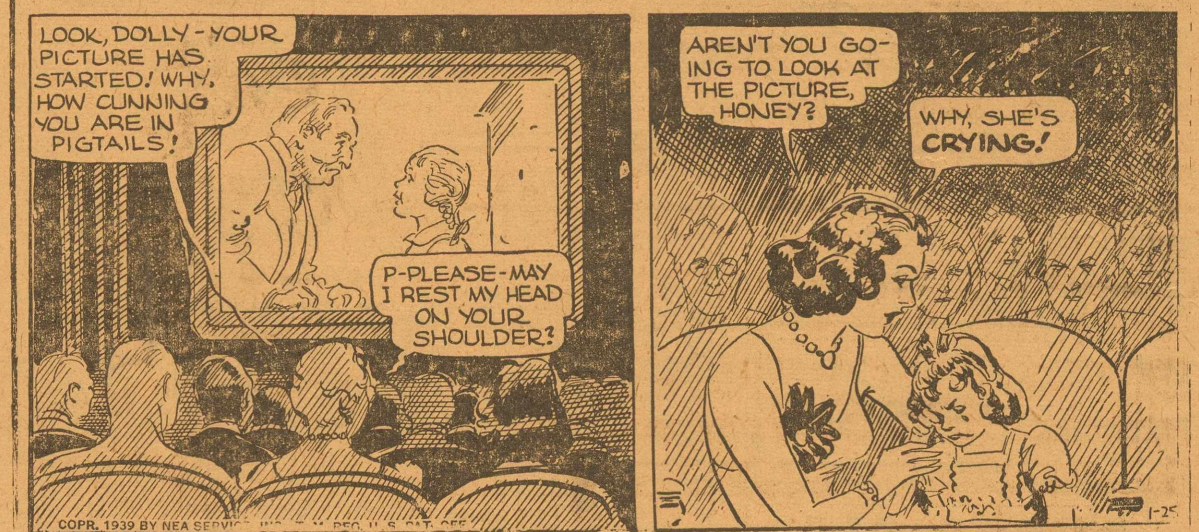
“OUT OUR WAY” — By Williams



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TUC Commission Warns That Taxes Are Due Jan. 30th

ABILENE, Texas — According to a statement made here by H. H. Rumph, district supervising examiner of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, unless contributions for 1938 are paid to the Commission before midnight of January 30, they will not be credited against the employer's Federal tax. Rumph was notified of this by Orville S. Carpenter, chairman director of the Commission.

"This is in accordance with the Federal law under Title IX of the Social Security Act and is not a ruling of the Commission," Rumph said.

Federal law under "If the contributions are not received by the Commission by this date, the employers must not only pay the 2.7% contribution to us but they also must pay the Federal Excise tax in full."

Rumph stressed the importance of employers including all salaries up to and including December as well as bonuses applicable for the year 1938 in the employer's reports.

Under the law, the State collects payroll taxes monthly and the Federal government collects them yearly. If an employer pays his State taxes before the Federal

• SERIAL STORY NO TIME TO MARRY BY ELINORE COWAN STONE

Yesterday, Janet and Lance break up over the veranda incident. The next night Cynthia comes quietly into Janet's room saying "there's something I got to talk to you about."

CHAPTER XVI
FOR a moment Janet thought that Cynthia must have seen her on the hotel veranda last night, and come to talk to her about that.

But Cynthia began abruptly, twisting her gloves between her slim fingers. "It's about the house, Jan. It's lovely, of course, but I shouldn't want it if I weren't sure it was all right with you."

"The house?" Janet echoed vaguely. "Tim called me at noon, and said Lance was willing to sell it to him. . . Tim wants to go to housekeeping, you know. Isn't that quaint? And—but, Jan, you don't mean Lance didn't mention it to you first?"

"There's no reason why he should," Janet said. "You see, that wasn't just a 'postponement party' last night, Cyn. Lance and I aren't going to be married at all."

"So that's why Aunt Mary looked as if she'd just swallowed the cream," Cynthia said after a silence that Jan thought would never end. "I wonder—Jan, should you mind telling me why the engagement was broken?"

"Oh," Janet said, evading Cynthia's direct violet gaze, "because of this and that. . . Getting married to Lance just began to seem—not such a good idea, after all."

But Cynthia, the gloves she had been playing with suddenly very still in her hands, said with one of her strange flashes of intuition, "So you've found out, too—how little he really matters, I mean. Oh, Jan! . . . And it hurts terribly, doesn't it? I thought, just at first, that it must be worse than seeing someone die."

But how did you—Janet, it wasn't you on the hotel porch last night, was it? I heard someone running."

"Yes," Janet admitted simply. "I was looking for you, Cyn. I—I went away as soon as I could."

"I'm sorry, Jan—truly I am." Cynthia spoke with a simple sincerity she seldom used. "I would have done anything to keep you from hearing. The only reason he thinks he wants me is because—someone else has me."

"Don't worry, Cyn. There were other reasons—more than you can guess. And now that I've had time to think, I'm—well, not exactly cheering about it, of course; but since the break was bound to come, I'm glad it hap-

pened before it was too late." Cynthia said, "Janet, I think I'll tell Tim I don't want the house."

"No, please, Cyn. It doesn't mean anything to me now, really. It's just—part of something that's behind me."

"You're sure?" "Please believe me, Cyn, I am."

"Well, then," Cynthia stood up—"I promised to call Tim in time for Lance to take us up to look the house over this afternoon."

Halfway to the door she paused and came back. "I know you don't want to talk about it, Jan," she said with a gentleness that touched Jan—as Cynthia's rare moments of tenderness always did—more keenly than kindness from anyone else.

"I just want to say—it won't hurt like this forever. It's no use to tell you that now, of course. But it won't. I know."

So Cynthia was to have the white house over which she and Lance had spent so many enchanted hours. In spite of her assurance to Cynthia, Janet found that it did matter terribly.

Young as Janet was, she realized that if she were to hold herself steady, she must keep in touch with the life she had always known. So she went about a good deal during the next few weeks.

FROM the beginning she understood that her broken engagement—if not actually the reason for it—was already an accepted fact among her acquaintances. Most of them skirted the subject with an offhand jocularity which they evidently believed made the situation easier for her, and perhaps it did. But beneath the harmless jests about her fickleness, her sensitive pride sometimes detected pity, and writhed under it.

During those first few weeks she saw Lance only a few times—once in a hotel dining room with an expensively dressed woman of uncertain age, and once, coming out of a theater alone.

Cynthia and Timothy Benton had dashed off again almost immediately on a European trip which was to keep them abroad until the first of the year, when the new house would be ready for them. Aunt Mary and Janet had occasional sketchy scrawls from Cynthia, but rarely knew exactly where she was to be at any given time.

Barney McKnight, deeply absorbed in his crusade, seldom turned up at the parties Janet went to, but dropped in at the apartment at odd moments. Occasionally he and Janet drove out alone to some inn or roadhouse along the turnpike to eat and dance.

Janet came to look forward to these jaunts—partly because, with Barney, she could relax and put off the protective coloration she wore among her other friends—after all, Barney knew the worst; and partly because she was fascinated by what he told her about his work. He treated her very much as if she were a younger sister, or a small boy, whom he liked and trusted, and found tremendously amusing. He made no apparent effort to entertain or flatter her; as if their casual companionship were not important enough for him to feel the need of that. Often they drove for miles, just watching the road roll by, without speaking a word. It was all very restful and uninvolved.

ONE Sunday evening, while they were having supper in a shabby ornate little Italian restaurant he had taken her to because, as he said, if the color scheme didn't put your eyes out before you were served, the food made you forget everything else, a waiter hurried to the table with a note for Barney. He read it, said to the waiter, "Tell him 'O-kay,'" and abruptly crumpled up his napkin.

"Think you can make it home alone if I put you into a taxi?" he asked. "Sorry, but I have a job to do."

"Why, I haven't had my dessert!" "Neither have I—and I'm the one who's paying for it, sister. You can take an ice cream cone home with you."

"But, Barney, I thought we were going to have a long talk." "Some other time. This is something big. It won't wait."

Already he had her coat, and when she got, bewildered, to her feet, he hustled her into it.

"Well, of all the hosts I have ever known," Janet protested, laughing a little, "you are the most unpredictable. Perhaps that's one of the reasons I like being with you so much."

"It might be illuminating to hear some of the others," he grinned, shrugging his shoulders into his own topcoat.

"Well, for one thing," Janet said quite seriously, "you're such a comfortable person to be with."

He stopped short, looked at her with searching speculation, and then broke into a short laugh.

"What a swell send-off for a nurse in a home for the aged and infirm!" he said.

He stowed her unceremoniously into a cab, paid the driver, and leaving her feeling mystified and strangely uneasy, darted off into the dark.

It was weeks before she saw him again.

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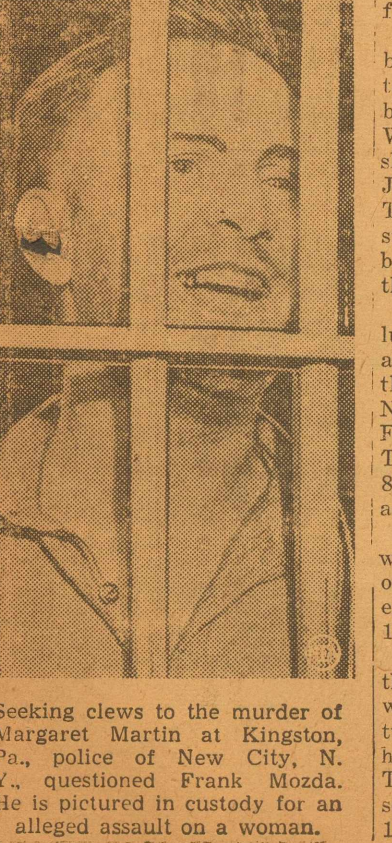
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Held as Suspect in Girl's Death



Seeking clues to the murder of Margaret Martin at Kingston, Pa., police of New City, N. Y., questioned Frank Mozda. He is pictured in custody for an alleged assault on a woman.

Society

The Times wants to be told about your visits and visitors. Personal items are always appreciated. Telephone 224, or mail or bring to—
THE RANGER TIMES
Ranger, Texas

Ladies of the Ranger Country Club to Meet With Mrs. McLaughlin

The ladies of the Ranger Country Club are asked to meet with their president, Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin at her apartment in the Gholson Hotel, Friday afternoon, January 27, at 2:30.

A number of important matters are to be discussed at this meeting. The "rules and regulations" chairman will present new "by-laws" which are to be voted on and adopted by the ladies club.

The president urges the presence of every member.

Fidelis Matron Class To Have Luncheon
The Fidelis Matron Class of the First Baptist Church will have a luncheon at the church Thursday at 12:30. Following the luncheon there will be a business session.

Co-hostesses for the social are Mrs. Eugene Tucker and Mrs. Tom Neville.

Mrs. Joe Hull Is Honored With Shower
Mrs. T. J. Powell and Mrs. J. B. Houghton honored Mrs. Joe Hull with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Houghton. Lovely gifts were presented to Mrs. Hull.

Refreshments were served to the following present: Mrs. E. R. Green, Mrs. Nath Deaton, Mrs. Edwin George, Mrs. Ernest Latham, Mrs. Thorpe, Mrs. Rice Harrington, Mrs. Z. B. Morgan, Mrs. James King, Mrs. Finis King, Mrs. Max Ohr, Mrs. Brann Garner, Mrs. Opal Harrison, Mrs. Arlie Carver, Mrs. Pearl Heinlein, Mrs. Onis Littlefield, Mrs. Jimmie Ken, Mrs. Roy McCleskey, Mrs. Bob Allen, Mrs. C. C. Cash, Mrs. Fred Vonker and Mrs. Pace.

Those unable to attend but sending gifts were: Mrs. Sig Faircloth, Mrs. Paul Hodge, Mrs. Ken Umberson, Mrs. Dick Williams, Mrs. H. T. Schooley and Mrs. J. A. Sloan.

Missionary Society Meets In World Outlook Program
Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met at 3 o'clock at the church Monday, with Mrs. Jesse Weaver, World Outlook superintendent, in charge of the program.

The devotional was given by Mrs. G. O. Strong.

Mrs. H. O. Bennett gave a talk on the "Methodist General Conference in Old Mexico."

Mrs. Ducker gave "Mexicans of Southwest."

A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. J. L. Turner.

Odd Fellows Lodge To Honor Mr. Madison

Ranger Odd Fellows Lodge No. 850 will meet Thursday night in regular meeting. Dinner will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m. at the I. O. O. F. hall in honor of M. M. Madison, deputy grand master, who will visit the lodge.

Several lodges are expected to be in attendance and all local members are invited to be present.

Royal Neighbor Juveniles Have Meeting Saturday

The Royal Neighbor Juveniles met Saturday, January 21, 1939, for the first meeting of the year. The following members were elected officers for the year:

Oracle, Jean Todd; vice oracle, Merl Lee Stiles; past oracle, Louise Green; chancellor, Fannie Goodrum; recorder, Mary Irene Wilson; receiver, Margaret Lou Hargraves; marshal, Lois Ball; assistant marshal, Katherine Adams; outer sentinel, Kaleen Butcher; inner sentinel, Ethel K. Butcher; patriotism, Beulah Smith; director, Mabel Southers.

A wiener roast was planned for Friday, January 27. All members are urged to be present at the party and also at the meeting next Saturday at 3:30 o'clock.

Cisco P. T. A. Extends Invitation To Hear Dr. Moore of Denton, Lecture

The P. T. A. of Cisco has extended an invitation to everyone interested to hear Dr. L. H. Moore from the department of education at Denton in a lecture at 8 o'clock Thursday evening at the high school auditorium at Cisco.

Proceeding the lecture there will be a dinner at the Laguna hotel, honoring Dr. and Mrs. Moore.

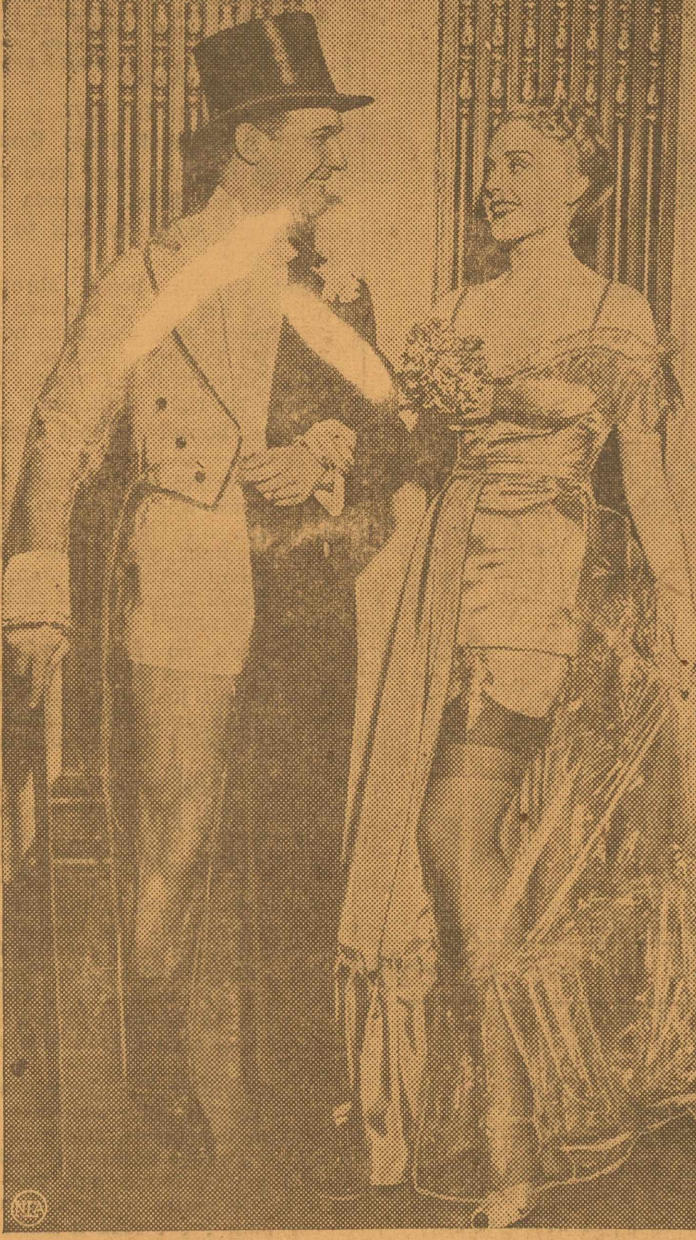
State Police Start War On Swindlers And Check Forgers

AUSTIN, Tex.—State police have organized their forces to combat widespread operations of forgery and check swindling bands reported to be victimizing Texas business people of thousands of dollars annually.

Equipped with elaborately prepared check forms similar to those used by national insurance companies, oil operators and other business firms several of the swindling groups are now active in Texas cities and towns, Homer Garrison, Jr., public safety director, warned. The swindlers move from state to state and are difficult to apprehend because of their changing methods and swift movements, Garrison said.

For an example, the state police head pointed to reports of a band of fictitious check passers, a man, woman, young girl and boy, who recently cashed bogus checks

Both Sides of Dress Question



Full dress in half dress... Don Crouse and Janet Moore use this stunt to show proper attire from skin out for evening wear at Chicago convention of national retail clothiers and furnisiers.

Is He Shielding Ransom Taxes?

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell returned to their home at Forney Tuesday morning. They came to Ranger Friday on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Morris Leveille.

Mrs. Viola Tucker and daughter, Kenzie, went to Dallas today where they met Mr. Tucker and marketed.

Mrs. Tom Watt and daughter, Margaret, went to Brownwood, Saturday, where Margaret took her regular dancing lesson at the Lon Smith studio. They were accompanied to Brownwood by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowen, who visited friends.

Miss Louise Newman spent the week-end at College Station, visiting friends.

Mrs. W. W. Mitchell is ill at her home, Breckenridge highway with throat trouble.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy M. Lee of Fort Worth visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Martin, over the past week-end.

checks to this department along with descriptions of the passers," Garrison said, "We would be able to expedite the issuance of warnings and information and have better chances of apprehending them."

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Mrs. H. O. Woods went to Longview today, from where she will be accompanied home by her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown.

Jack Blackwell went to Abilene today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cooper, who were recently married are visiting in the home of his father, V. V. Cooper, Sr.

Mrs. John D. McRae and daughter, Martha, who have been visiting Mrs. Otis Taft at the Gholson Hotel, the past ten days, left for Fort Worth today where she will visit her aunt, Miss Carrie Belle Murrey.

C. B. Pruet made a business trip to Fort Worth, Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Mae Rippe resumed her work in the hosiery department of Joseph's Dry Goods store, Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Schooley and daughter, Sally Ann, went to Temple, today to visit his sister, who is ill in the Scott and White sanitarium.

Hall Walker returned Tuesday evening from Austin, where he has been transacting business.

R. O. King, Sr., is at South Bend, where he is taking treatment at the Stovall Hot Wells.

Miss Eva Long of Breckenridge visited in the home of Mrs. S. W. Bobo, over the past week-end.

W. T. Walton and D. Joseph went to Moran, Tuesday night where Mr. Walton was the main speaker at the Moran luncheon club meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness to us at the death of our mother on January 21. She was 89 years and 18 days old. The children present at the time of her death were J. C. Brumlow and family of Ranger; Martha Griffin and family of Houston, Texas; a grandson, W. E. Brumlow and family of Odessa, Texas; a granddaughter, T. S. Mefford, and family of Stephenville, Texas and a grandson, J. W. Brumlow and family of Pampa, Texas. God bless all of our friends.
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