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Large Schools Will Remain Open Partial Personnel Of Finance Corp. Named

Announcement Made By School Board President At Citizens Meeting

Board To Engage Attorney At Next Meeting To Prepare School Tax Suits Against All Delinquent Tax Payers Of City

Announcement was made at the meeting of the citizens school tax committee by H. C. Wilkinson, president of the Ranger school board, and C. E. May, chairman of the school tax committee, that the Ranger schools would be kept open for the full nine-month term. This announcement was made in connection with the public schools and the Ranger Junior college and all schools will be kept open until the end of the semester, which begins on Wednesday.

In connection with the announcement it was brought out by H. C. Wilkinson that at the next meeting of the school board, which will be the second Tuesday in February, that arrangements will be made with some attorney to handle all the school tax cases and suits instigated as soon as possible against all delinquent tax payers. This step will be necessary in order to obtain enough money to assure the completion of the school year and both the tax committee and the school board are determined to keep the schools open.

A report of the financial condition of the school was made at the meeting by O. G. Lanier, which showed that a total of \$25,000 must be collected in the next four and a half months, but that \$15,000 of the tax was from so-called foreign corporations and that only \$10,000 would be needed from the taxpayers of the city.

With the announcement of the continuation of the schools and the concerted drive through legal steps in the courts to collect the taxes, it was brought out that through the co-operation of the citizens and the efforts of the citizens school tax committee, more had been collected in taxes to date this year than had been collected at the same time last year. This year, however, there was a deficit carried over from the last school year that had to be met and warrants had been issued during the last part of the school year against taxes that were collected early in this school year, which began on Sept. 3, 1931.

It was brought out at the meeting that the salaries and current expenses of the local schools was over \$7,000 a month and that \$25,000 was due from the available fund from the state. Warrants for three half-month payments of salaries have already been issued against this fund, however, so that all of it is not available for payment of future salaries.

Many families have been uncertain, as has been the school board, whether the schools would open after the end of the semester and some have been in doubt as to whether they would remain open for the full nine months. The action of the school board in announcing the completion of the school year was made possible, only on the assurance that they would take drastic legal steps to collect all school taxes and their determination along this line was brought out in Mr. Wilkinson's announcement that an attorney would be secured at the next meeting of the school board to handle all tax cases.

Faced with the necessity of saying either that the schools would remain open for the full nine months or that they would stay open as long as possible, the school board has taken the situation in hand and has determined to push all tax suits to completion. Suits will not be filed, however, until after the school board meeting early in February, and then anyone who has made arrangements for paying on monthly installments will not be sued. All who have not been placed on the "honor roll" by either paying or making arrangements to pay will be placed on the tax suit list and proceedings against them pushed as rapidly as possible.

MURRAY'S SPEECH IS IGNORED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Officials of the Anti-Saloon league decided to ignore the starting speech of Governor Alfalfa Bill Murray, who went before the dry organization convention last night with the suggestion that a retreat from prohibition might be necessary.

Murray's plan for regional liquor control among the states was described by F. Scott McBride, superintendent of the league, as an old argument with no new phase except the method of controlling the liquor within states. He said the Oklahoma governor, introduced as a dry leader, had visited from his prepared speech.

Chairman A. J. Barton of the executive committee said he could see no reason why the league should comment on Murray's speech. It will be answered in resolutions and a declaration of policy which will climax the league's five-day convention.

Tree Planting To Be Sponsored In Ranger This Year

Wayne C. Hickey, secretary of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, announced today that the Lions Club and the Ranger Chamber of Commerce would again sponsor a tree-planting campaign in Ranger this year as has been done in years past.

At the next meeting of the Lions Club, which will be held on Thursday of this week, the tree planting campaign is to be planned and preliminary work started.

R. C. Morrison, forester of the city of Fort Worth, who has been loaned by that city to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is in this part of the country making arrangements to aid cities in tree planting campaigns, and will be sought as one of the principal advocates of the plan and will probably come to Ranger to help work out details of the work and to give talks on tree planting.

The Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce have cooperated for four years in sponsoring a tree planting campaign.

National Guard Small Arm Team Selected In Match

Then members of the Company I, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guards of Ranger, have been selected in competition as the rifle team that will represent the company in small arms indoor matches.

In a shoot held to determine the members of the team, the members were selected. The personnel of the team and the score they shot in the matches are as follows:

Lieut. Lenson Bethel, 186; William O. Angus, 183; Gentry Acuff, 176; Melvin Belknap, 180; Earl Heflin, 194; Glenn A. Stallings, 170; Leroy Thomas, 180; Hershel Angus, 179; Daniel C. Thomas, 183; H. W. Pool, 179. Alternates selected were Richard J. Aaron and Clarence G. Aaron.

The team is captained by Corp. John H. Maynard and coached by Priv. Carl D. Aaron.

The team will compete in the Chief of Militia Bureau's indoor rifle match.

Damage Suit Is Before 88th Court

The case of Myrtle Richardson against Southern Ice and Utilities company was being tried in the 88th district court this morning.

The suit arises out of an automobile accident in which an employee of the company figured during a heavy rainstorm on the highway between Eastland and Ranger.

The jury was empaneled and evidence was being heard when time came for the noon recess.

Speaking of the Weather—

Only Way to Judge Future Weather Is by the Past—That's Why Millions of Weather Records Kept in Washington

Statistics of climate are merely digests or summaries of past weather, but they indicate, in a general way, the weather of the future.

There is a common impression to the effect that conservative meteorologists do not engage in long-range weather forecasting, except, perhaps, in an experimental and academic way, without reference to any direct application of their forecasts to human affairs. This idea is hardly consistent with the fact that nearly every big meteorological establishment in the world complex and issues climatic statistics, which are used as a means of anticipating the weather of the distant future and are intended chiefly for that purpose.

For example, the department of agriculture published a few years ago, as a section of the beautiful Atlas of American Agriculture, some elaborate charts showing the average dates of the last "killing" frost in spring and the first in autumn in all parts of the United States. These charts are merely a record of what has happened in past years. They enable farmers and fruit growers to know approximately when, in any locality, frosts are due.

In a similar way, engineers, designing sewers, assume that heavy rainfalls in the future will not greatly exceed in intensity those of the past as recorded in the climatic statistics of the locality; doctors send their patients to places where beneficial climatic conditions have hitherto prevailed on the assumption that substantially the same conditions will continue and so on.

It is chiefly because of such practical considerations that meteorologists maintain weather observations on a vast scale throughout the world and public records or digests of all these observations. There are many places in Europe and a few in our own country where weather records have been kept continuously for more than a century.

Some of these records are of formidable size. One of the startling sights to be seen in the weather bureau library at Washington is a file of volumes containing daily measurements of rainfall made in India. Each volume, presenting the figures for a single year, is as big as an unabridged dictionary and weighs about 12 pounds.

Tomorrow: What is the air like 2,000 miles above us?

River Pirates Fire On American Boat

PEIPING, China, Jan. 19.—River pirates on the Yangtze, said to be communists, captured an American barge captain today and shelled an American steamer.

Charles Baker, the barge captain, was seized west of Hankow and carried off for ransom. Six members of his Chinese crew were held with him. An American gunboat was sent to the rescue.

Other pirates shelled the American steamer China on the Upper Yangtze, killing one Chinese sailor and wounding another.

House To Probe Utility Holdings

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The house today authorized a thorough inquiry into public utility holding companies of every character, including radio, telephone, telegraph, aviation, pipe lines, buses and other agencies of transportation and communication.

If adopted a resolution by Chairman Rayburn, democrat, Texas, of the interstate commerce committee permitting a subcommittee to conduct the inquiry.

Missing Girl Is Found By Police

FORT WORTH, Jan. 19.—Lucile Strickland, 14, missing from Fort Worth for more than a week, has been found in St. Augustine, Fla., it was announced today by Sheriff Red Wright.

The girl's mother, two overcame with joy to talk to her over the telephone will leave tomorrow to return her to Fort Worth.

Lucile was found in St. Augustine by police there. She had written to a boy friend here telling him to address her in care of general delivery in St. Augustine. Police watched the window and picked her up when she asked for a letter.

Atticus Webb Says Texans Drinking Less Than Ever

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The fact that Texans during 1931 drank less liquor per capita than before in their history, is proof that prohibition is better enforced, Dr. Atticus Webb, superintendent of the Texas Anti-Saloon league, said today at a workers' conference of the Anti-Saloon league here.

"In obtaining its prime objective, namely temperance, prohibition has been successful," he declared. "This is shown by the few drunks arrested during the holidays."

Dr. Webb said all Texas congressmen and senators would be opposed to repeal or modification of the new prohibition, Richard Kleberg of Corpus Christi, who during his campaign announced for repeal or modification.

Making the Family Dollar Do Its Utmost

Every mother wants to give her children the best possible food and care, even when family finances are limited.

How this can be done is told in a series of six articles, written by noted experts, on "HEALTHY CHILDREN," starting Wednesday, Jan. 20.

OLAYA SAYS OIL DEAL NOT TALKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—A cablegram from President Olaya of Colombia was read to the house judiciary committee today considering impeachment proceedings against Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, denying Mellon ever took up with him the matter of oil concessions.

Representative Patman, democrat, Texas, who brought the impeachment bill, had charged the treasury secretary discussed the granting of the Barco oil concession with Olaya when the latter visited Washington. Later the concession was validated by Colombia and now is largely controlled by the Gulf Oil company, said to be a Mellon concern.

County Defers Payments On \$312,000 in Bonds

The county commissioners court passed an order at its last meeting which arranged for a deferment of the payment of a part of the county's bonds which are due for retirement in 1932 and 1933.

There were \$312,000 due to be paid in the next two years but due to the drop in assessed valuations in the county as well as the great sums involved in an engagement, the court thought it advisable to arrange with the Brown-Crummer Investment company to issue \$150,000 in refunding bonds which will serve to extend the payment of nearly half the 1932-33 accruals. By the new arrangement, \$50,000 will be due and payable on the first of August in 1934, 1935 and 1936.

The court ordered that a tax of 20 cents on each \$100 valuation be levied to meet the payments of the refunding bonds. The county treasurer is ordered to set aside \$412,500 out of funds on hand at present in order to meet the interest payment becoming due August 1 of this year.

Six Men Killed In Mine Blast

PARROT, Va., Jan. 19.—Bodies of six men killed in an explosion deep in the Pulaski anthracite mine were recovered early today by a rescue squad which had battled for hours against debris and bases to reach their entombed comrades.

The position of their bodies indicated all had died instantly.

Cause of the blast which roared through the main shaft only a few minutes after the 20 men of the night shift had entered the mine, probably never will be known.

Elmer Ingram Pleads Guilty In Liquor Law Case

Elmer Ingram, 17-year-old youth from the southwest part of the county pleaded guilty to a whiskey-making charge in the 91st district court this morning.

George Ingram, father of the boy pleaded guilty to a similar charge, having been caught at the same time, and asked for a suspended sentence. In his testimony, the elder Ingram testified that he is 38 years old and has a wife and 10 children to support and that he was forced into the whiskey making in a desperate effort to support his family.

Governor Denounces Finance Corporation

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 19. Gov. Floyd Olson, farmer-labor executive, today charged the federal government two billion dollar finance corporation held little or no benefit for 85 per cent of the nation's population.

Three Are Held As Counterfeiters

BRADY, Texas, Jan. 19.—Two men and a woman were taken into custody today by local officers and held in connection with passing counterfeit \$10 bills here.

Several West Texas cities have reported counterfeit bills lately and officers believe the arrests will break up the ring.

Long's Choice As Successor



O. K. Allen, shown here, is the Huey Long candidate for governor of Louisiana in the Democratic primary to be decided Jan. 19. Allen will be opposed by George S. Guion and Dudley J. LeBlanc, both anti-Long men. A second primary on Feb. 23 will decide the nomination if no candidate has a majority. Nomination by the Democratic party is equivalent to election. The winner will succeed Governor Long, who has been elected to the U. S. Senate, on May 16.

RUTH JUDD ON TRIAL FOR LIFE

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 19.—With crowds fighting to get into the courtroom, Winnie Ruth Judd, accused of the murder of her two former girl friends, went on trial today on a charge of killing one of them, Agnes LeRoy.

The attractive blond, daughter of a retired clergyman, will not be tried on the charge of slaying Miss Hedvig Samuelson, roommate of Mrs. LeRoy, unless the state is not satisfied with the verdict in the present case.

Mrs. Judd came into the courtroom shortly before 10 o'clock walking between two deputies. She appeared not at all nervous.

Action on Road Cutoff Delayed Until February

AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—With a protesting delegation of 45 citizens from 19 different places wanting to be heard, the state highway commission has put off until its next meeting a discussion of the proposed shortening of highway No. 1 west of Weatherford.

A shortening of 14 miles is reported possible in a 45-mile section of the road by cutting off at Weatherford over highway 89 and returning to highway 1 a few miles east of Ranger.

A census of 1,615 cars a day over the road was reported and an estimate submitted that a five-cents a mile of travel the cutoff would save more than \$400,000 a year.

Communities have asked to be heard along the proposed new route on the route of highway 1 and from places on the present route of highway 1 from Mineral Wells west to Odessa.

W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi outlined plans to connect Corpus Christi with West Texas. He asked particularly that the highway commission require only a 20-foot road on a present designated route, arguing that another route eventually will be needed to care for traffic to the port. Decision was referred for further hearing Wednesday.

W. C. Bedford Is Being Urged To Make County Race

The friends of W. C. Bedford of Deadmona are soliciting him to enter the race for county clerk.

Mr. Bedford has been a resident of the county for many years and is widely known over the entire county, especially by those of long residence, as he is one of the founders of Eastland county. If his friends can prevail, Mr. Bedford will announce his candidacy in the near future.

Brother of Judge Roland Dies At Oklahoma Home

Word was received in Ranger Monday by Judge R. C. Roland that his brother, Clyde Roland of Chickasha, Okla., had died at his home on Sunday night.

Funeral services are to be conducted at the former home of the Roland family at Roff, Okla., this afternoon with interment in the Roff cemetery. The Chickasha Post of the American Legion is to have charge of the services at the grave.

Clyde Roland has been ill at the Veterans' Hospital at Chickasha for some time.

Judge Roland was unable to attend the services in Oklahoma.

CHAS. DAWES WILL BE HEAD OF CREDIT CO.

Secretary of State Stimson Will Relieve Dawes At Arms Parley.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—President Hoover announced today the partial personnel of his two billion dollar reconstruction finance corporation.

Charles G. Dawes, he revealed, will retire as head of the American delegation to the Geneva arms conference and become head of the corporation.

Secretary of State Stimson will succeed Dawes as head of the arms delegation.

Eugene Meyer, governor of the federal reserve board, will become chairman of the board of directors of the corporation.

Mr. Hoover said that the names of other directors of the finance corporation would be announced after conferences which are to follow final passage of the bill in congress. The president said he wanted to maintain the non-partisan complexion of the corporation, intimating some of those named to the board would be democrats.

95 Births and 50 Deaths Reported In the County

Report of Mrs. John Matthews on birth and death registration for the year 1931. Numbers of births in the city of Eastland as recorded in 1931—41 girls and 54 boys, making a total of 95 births.

Number of deaths in the city of Eastland as recorded in 1931—20 females and 30 males, making a total of 50 deaths.

Number of births recorded in Prec. 1, in 1931—34 girls and 40 boys, making a total of 74 births.

Number of deaths recorded in Prec. 1, in 1931—26 females and 31 males, making a total of 57 deaths.

In a recent contest in the state, all registrars of births and deaths were asked to submit 10 reasons why births and deaths should be registered. These ten reasons were to be submitted to a group of three judges who were to select the best three out of all submitted and awards of \$500, \$300 and \$200 were to be made accordingly. Following are the ten reasons, which Judge Rzeppa, J. P., Prec. 1, of Karnes county, Karnes City, Texas, submitted:

- 1.—A birth registration is a checking-in and a death registration is a checking-out of a citizen.
- 2.—The registration of births and deaths is an inventory of the country's most important element, its citizenry.
- 3.—In law suits, these registrations furnish available data that is of vital importance.
- 4.—In criminal cases when age is in question, they again come in play.
- 5.—To the physician doing research work for the betterment of the race, they are of great help.
- 6.—To the minister in different phases of his work, they furnish necessary data for correct records.
- 7.—To the individual, much valuable information is at his command by these registrations.
- 8.—To our schools for correct appropriation of school funds, they are an absolute necessity.
- 9.—To the citizen who would see other things, they are necessary in securing passports.
- 10.—The individual, the state, the nation and every enterprise in the country, is at some time or in some way, affected by these vital statistics.

New Mayor Hangs Out Welcome Sign

MEDFORD, Mass.—The mayor's office at city hall was protected by a "private" sign on the door until John H. Burke, present incumbent, took office.

He had a painter change the sign to "welcome."

NEW RADIO SONG SOON

NEW YORK.—Paula Garten, famed as a song writer, will soon hear her latest song on the radio.

Entitled, "I'll Always Have a Little Smile for You," it will be sung by one of the most famous of National Broadcasting company crooners.

THE WEATHER.

By United Press.
West Texas.—Partly cloudy to night and Wednesday.

DRIPINGS

By GUS
This column is published as a daily feature and may not be construed as representing the editorial views of this paper. What follows is merely what a man thought at the time it was written, and the writer reserves the right to change his mind concerning any subject, without notice, explanation or apology.

THE HORROR OF T HANG

Another thing I believe is wrong and I am sure the mayor and city commissioners working without pay. The city devotes a good part of its money to the office and he should be paid for his work. If the city is poor to pay its servants then should cease to operate as an entity and go to pot. There are a property owners who do pay property taxes and they should have something in return in the form of municipal service besides services of the fire department.

FIRED

Only a short time ago the Conlee hotel paid the city something for the privilege of occupying a street out in front cleaned regularly? See for yourself. The city is certainly justifiable retaining some of its tax money for such legitimate expenses and yet cleaning and the upkeep of the city streets and parks. Then we let the town run down at a heel, the less likely and inviting it looks to the people who might consider making Eastland their home. And there's little incentive for people to pay taxes on property unless they see that reasonable part of the money is spent to keep the town going.

With

Hoss-eye has played the bench more than any player in the city since the move of his game to all the world that Douglas is a fall hunter. I venture to say that Hoss-eye was as badly scared as a quail was.

you free-to cost POINT

This is National Thrift Week. There are saving quite a bit of editorial space on the subject. It used to be considered thrifty to save. Now it's considered thrifty to spend. Funny how the attitudes change in so short a time. Little interest will be shown in National Thrift Week this year. I always did think it was a lot of money, myself. "Them as has, gets."

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NO MORE LADIES.

Ladies aren't what they used to be, according to Mme. Louise Tetrazzini, grand opera favorite of yesterday, who has returned to America for a farewell tour. She can't find any, and she is sorry.

But the vast majority of American women—and men, too—are giving three cheers because ladies, in the crinoline, mignonette sense of the nice old world, are not. Pedestals were uncomfortable. Women are having a much more interesting time since they slid down. Men may not adore them so blindly but they like them much better. A lady on a pedestal could never get very close to life.

Elaine, who lived at Shalot, as you may remember, was a perfect lady. When Sir Launcelot rode away without making a return date she lay down and died. That was all a lady could do. But the modern girls, whom Mme. Tetrazzini does not call ladies, have a fairer, broader sense of values. They know what is around the corner. They have been there. And when they receive a blow or two they fight a little harder instead of sitting on a curbstone and crying.

Tetrazzini says that women are no longer concerned about their homes and children. Still, a surprisingly large number of those women who are working are doing it in order to give added advantages to their families, and to help secure the type of home they want more quickly. Maybe it isn't ladylike. But it's a pretty good form of sportsmanship.

The word lady usually brings a drifting memory of dusky twilight, slim white hands that play with a silver tea service, voices sweet and a little breathless that sing old songs. The word lady has become confused with romance. Women at heart haven't changed at all. Tetrazzini doesn't need to worry about this. The girls who spun their dreams behind the looms at Camelot and Astolat in the shy old days, emotionally were basically the same as those who run department stores and pound typewriters. But the modern girl, with a keen urge to get into the world and be part of it, has a better sense of values, a better understanding of the work which men do, more sympathy and wisdom and tolerance and infinitely more common sense.

Maybe she isn't as much of a mystery as she was in the days when she stayed at home until the moon came up, but she is considerably more interesting and companionable. Distinctly more fun.

If taking a seat in the game means not being a lady neither she, nor the men who know her, mind in the least.

McFADDEN ON THE RAMPAGE.

Representative Lewis S. McFadden, Pennsylvania, republican, is on the rampage again. He has arrayed himself against the president's two billion dollar reconstruction bill. He denounced it as "a scheme of helping a gang of financial looters to cover up their tracks." McFadden is ranking republican on the banking committee which will bring the bill before the house. Mrs. Gifford Pinchot is going to make the race for the McFadden seat later along in the year.

Representative Thomas L. Blanton of Texas has volunteered to go to the rescue of McFadden and make speeches for him in the primary election campaign. Blanton of Texas is a rousing speaker but why should he interest himself in the political fortunes of this wild republican whose recent outbursts have made Brookhart of Iowa a political piker when it comes to spectacular attacks upon the president of the United States and relief measures of a financial nature recommended to the congress of the chief magistrate.

This is a queer old world and many of the political leaders are as flighty as the world is queer.

ANOTHER GERRYMANDER KNOCKED OUT.

Illinois has a republican governor and a republican legislature. In 1931, while the regular session was on, republican legislators enacted a congressional redistricting bill which was denounced by democrats and independents as a brazen gerrymander as well as disfranchisement of democratic voters down state as well as in the city of Chicago.

Now the Illinois supreme court by a four to one vote has held that the reapportionment violated a federal law, passed in 1911, requiring congressional districts to be contiguous and to contain as nearly as possible an equal number of inhabitants, thus throwing the April primaries back to the old order and perpetuating the districts as they have been for 30 years.

It appears that practical politicians do not control the republican supreme court of the commonwealth of Illinois. New York republican legislators were responsible for another brazen redistricting scheme. Their plan was declared unconstitutional by a republican supreme court. Texas lawmakers failed to redistrict the state. Now unless the governor calls a special session three representatives must be elected at large and daily the press parades the names of Texas democrats who are willing to sacrifice themselves upon the altar of patriotism and perhaps for the salary attached to the job.

Hermit Spent His Christmas In Coffin

By United Press.
CONSETT, Durham, Eng.—The strangest Christmas was that of Thomas Thompson, the 75-year-old hermit, who spent practically the whole time sitting in his coffin, which he purchased 15 years ago, and reading a prayer book. Thompson said that he often slept in the coffin for warmth, "although," he added, "there is not much room to turn in it." It was some 35 years ago that Thompson took up the life of a hermit, due to a family quarrel, when he was sexton at a church, here. From that day he has not seen his wife, or their three children, and his only friends now are the wild life of the lovely Derwent valley, near Consett, where he lives in a corrugated iron hut.

State Is Urging Feeding of Game During Winter

By United Press.
HARRISBURG, Pa.—An urgent appeal to all sportsmen in Pennsylvania to aid in feeding wild game during the severe winter months has been made by the state game commission. Boy Scouts have notified the commission that they will continue their practice of distributing food to game. Scout troops establish feed lines deep in the mountainous territories and visit them regularly. Rural mail carriers and country school children have joined the campaign. The carriers and the children take food to isolated spots. Farmers were asked by the commission to leave some corn stand along their fence rows, as corn shocks not only furnish food, but protection.

Now Then, Up and At 'Im!



Land Owners To Talk About Taxes

By United Press.
ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Property owners taxation problems will be the subject of a two-day round table discussion, beginning here tomorrow, with groups from at least six states attending. The discussion will be a feature of the National Association of Real Estate Boards' winter meeting.

The men and women who will air their grievances, and try to find a common ground for action in various state taxation controversies, are members of the Property Owner division of the association. None is engaged in the real estate business.

Suggestions for improvements in taxation conditions will be placed before the conferees—expected to number several hundred—by recognized tax authorities. Tax demands of owners in Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Iowa and probably other states will be made known.

Leading in the discussion will be F. Frank Lindsey, Chicago. Among speakers scheduled is Prof. Simeon Leland, Chicago, who with a research staff has been working on real estate tax relief problems of that city, as a member of the faculty of Chicago university.

Among association speakers will be Frank C. Wells of L. J. Sheridan Co., Chicago; Cary E. De Butts, Oak Park, Ill., realtor; Delbert Wenzlick, St. Louis, realtor, and Frank A. McNally, Chicago, architect.

Grist Mills Hum After Shutdown

By United Press.
HARRISBURG, Pa.—Pennsylvania's picturesque grist mills, long idle, are being reconducted and more than 600 are now grinding grain.

Trade from farmers, who have an abundance of low price grain, has been a stimulus to the old grist mills that had been idle years.

While a number of the old mills have been converted into tea rooms, summer homes and apartments during the last 10 or 20 years, many have been left intact, ready for business when the need arose. Pennsylvania had about 1,800 mills in operation 100 years ago.

CEREAL RELIEVED HIS CONSTIPATION

Kellogg's ALL-BRAN Brought New Health

Every one who has suffered from constipation should read Mr. P. M. Fisher's letter:

"For many years I suffered from constipation and used, for relief, all kinds of laxatives. After a few days' treatment, I would only find my condition the same as before and at times worse.

"Some time ago I started to use Kellogg's ALL-BRAN regularly, once a day as directed. Since doing this, I have found that I do not need any other medicine to procure the desired result, and it keeps me in a very healthful condition."—Mr. P. M. Fisher, 333 E. Grand Place, Ridgewood, N. J.

Constipation is caused by lack of two things in the diet: "bulk" to exercise the intestines; Vitamin B to tone the intestinal tract. ALL-BRAN supplies both—and also iron for the blood.

The "bulk" in ALL-BRAN is much like that in lettuce. Inside the body, it forms a soft mass, which gently clears out the wastes.

How much safer this is than risking pills and drugs—so often harmful. Just eat two tablespoonfuls daily—in serious cases, with every meal. If your intestinal trouble is not relieved in this way, see your doctor.

CRACKS IN THE DOME

AUSTIN.—Mayor Ernest O. Thompson of Amarillo, who was the youngest lieutenant colonel in the American army during the World War, one of the outstanding municipal chief executives in the country and a successful business man, has waded into state political waters.

He has reached a decision to be a candidate for congressman at large, seeking one of the three places to be filled this year from a probable free-for-all without plurality nominations.

Mayor Thompson's purpose has been discussed by him with friends and supporters of not only the Panhandle, but other sections as well.

Friends are filing the name of Congressman J. P. Buchanan of the Austin district for re-election to his 11th term. District Attorney Merton L. Harris of Smithville has been regarded as a possible candidate in the past race and in this year's race for congressman from the district.

Mr. Harris has declined so far to say what he will do about it this year. This week, personal friends were encouraging him to enter the race against Congressman Buchanan; but they got only a promise that his decision, whatever it may be, will be given them soon.

Apparently it rests with the state executive committee and Chairman Eugene Nolte to decide whether the republican party will hold a statewide primary in Texas this year, or nominate by convention such candidates as the party will offer for state and congressional places.

Backers of Speaker Garner and of Melvin E. Traylor are now preparing to stir up as much support as possible in Texas for each of these men for the democratic nomination for president. But it is probable that the first real show-

Park Bug Club Plans a Forum For Its Speakers

By United Press.
CHICAGO.—The Washington Park Bug club may have an open-air forum like the ancient Greeks, if they can get the south park commissioners to agree to spend \$50,000.

The Bug club has met on the Washington park lawn Sunday mornings for years and spent the greater part of the day haranguing about governments, political systems and almost any subject. When a listener found he couldn't make himself heard, or disagreed with a speaker, he merely moved on and shouted his beliefs to another crowd.

Now, Michael C. Walsh, club president for 10 years, and William L. Goodman Jr., a 22-year-old architect, plan a forum to seat 5,000. They have the support, they claim, of Senator James Hamilton Lewis, Clarence Darrow, Dr. Preston Bradley and Prof. Charles E. Merriam of the University of Chicago.

The forum would be a semi-circular bowl 250 feet in diameter with the platform surmounted by a modified Doric colonnade.

HURDY-GURDY RAISES FUNDS

By United Press.
ST. ALBANS, Eng.—The Rev. E. L. Warren, vicar of St. Albans, toured his parish with a hurdy-gurdy in an effort to raise funds toward \$1,000 needed for church expenses.

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Texas generally may feel well disposed to give a courtesy ballot to either of its favorite sons; but the question of tying a state convention to such a course by inviolable instructions to the national delegation is another matter entirely.

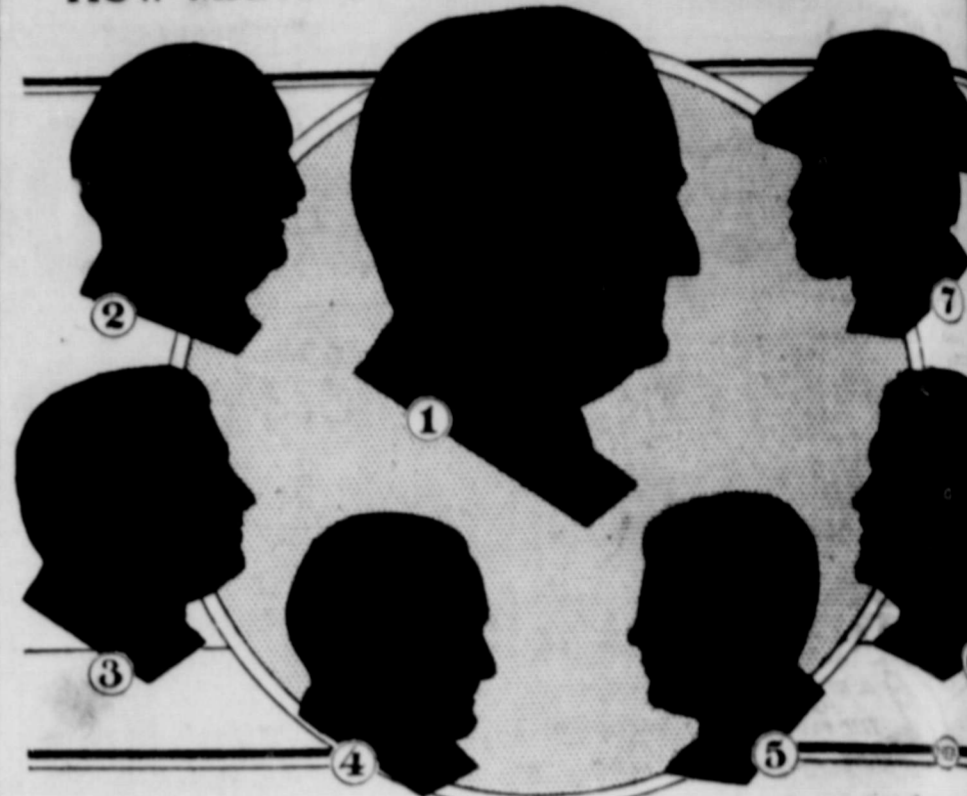


COLDS

Some men and women fight colds all winter long. Others enjoy the protection of aspirin. A tablet in time, and the first symptoms of a cold get no further. If a cold has caught you unaware, keep on with aspirin until the cold is gone. Genuine aspirin can't harm you. Bayer Aspirin does not depress the heart. If your throat is sore, dissolve three tablets in a little water and gargle. You will get instant relief. There's danger in a cold that hangs on for days. To say nothing of the pain and discomfort Bayer Aspirin might have spared you! Get the genuine, with proven directions for colds, headaches, neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatism.

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CAPITAL SILHOUETTES
HOW MANY OF THEM CAN YOU IDENTIFY?



By NEA Service
Can you identify these nationally prominent men by their silhouettes? Several are Democratic leaders who have risen to power in the present Congress. All are active in Washington affairs.

Here are some tips to help you.

- 1—A shrewd strategist, although hot-headed. He's the rising star of Democracy. He raises chickens and peacocks on his farm at home.
 - 2—Once a jockey, he still loves horse racing and spends many afternoons at the track. A Republican, he has already announced his candidacy for renomination.
 - 3—A roaring wet, who likes to expose scandals, smokes a corn-cob pipe and can toot a trombone.
 - 4—Powerful physically, oratorically and politically. A leading Democrat of the Senate. Did for him in 1928?
 - 5—Son of a famous father, he is winning recognition for his own abilities. He is only 36 and may be president some day.
 - 6—He is 71, six feet tall, weighs 211 pounds and was once a champion boxer.
 - 7—Probably the most picturesque member of the Senate. Wears exaggerated clothes, but wins votes by his deliberate theatrics. And those whiskers ought to make him recognizable to anyone.
- Their names appear on page 3.

Preacher Sponsors Repeal of Kentucky State Dry Law

By United Press.
FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 19.—The Kentucky legislature had before it today a bill to repeal the state prohibition act sponsored by a minister who is a member of the lower house.

The Rev. C. D. McCaw said his measure repealing the drastic "little Volstead act" of Kentucky, passed in 1920, was designed primarily to give financial relief to counties "where jails are filled with prohibition law violators."

Says Hoover Will Cut Own Salary If Bill Is Passed

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—A prediction that President Hoover would reduce his own salary if Congress voted a cut in any of the government employees, was made today by Representative Wood, Republican, Illinois.

Wood also said he was informed that Mr. Hoover's personal wealth does not reach a million dollars. He said he was correcting a false impression that "the President was very wealthy."

One Killed In Louisiana Election

By United Press.
HAMMOND, La., Jan. 19.—A Louisiana democratic election today was ushered in bloodshed, one man being shot and two others wounded in a battle on the down town here.

ROSE BLOOMS DESPITE
DETROIT, Mich.—Despite cold rain, which turned to the bush, a rose bloomed in the garden of Mrs. Besse here, New Year's eve. The rose was half the size of some-

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- LODGE NOTICES**
- ATTENTION MASONS**—Called meeting Ranger Lodge No. 738, A. M., Thursday, evening, Jan. 21, 7:30 o'clock. Examinations in all degrees.
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SPECIAL NOTICES

OFFICIAL HEADLIGHT Station Have your lights adjusted now. Black & White Motor Co., next door to Ranger Times.

MRS. C. L. ERVIN, exclusive agent for Baldwin Piano Co. Phone 117, 411 Main st., Ranger.

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

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

FOR RENT—Six-room house, neatly furnished, 716 Sixth st., Phone 15 or call at 916 Pershing st., Ranger.

14—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Our home on Strawn highway; will sell cheap. B., Hammond, Ranger.

18—Wanted, Miscellaneous

WANTED—Second hand incubator. Call 194, Ranger.

19—FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR TRADE—Seven acre chicken farm with nice 9-room residence with all conveniences; also 1 nice residence in Eastland with all modern conveniences, to trade for house in Ranger. J. C. Day, Realty, Eastland.

FOR SALE—Twelve copper-back broiler turkeys, weight 25 to 30 pounds, \$8 each. Nettie Sudarth, Ranger.

22—POULTRY, PET STOCK

FOR SALE—Turkular tested milk cows. Dr. Bob Hodges, phone 420, Ranger.

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 - 6—Congressman Henry T. Rains of Illinois, majority leader in the House.
 - 7—Senator J. Ham Lewis of Illinois, one of the pink whiskers and nobby dress.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



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YOUR BROTHER HASN'T BEEN HOME ALL DAY—WHAT DOES HE DO WITH HIMSELF FOR SUCH A LONG TIME?

WHILE BACK AT FRECKLES' HOUSE POP WONDERS WHERE HE CAN BE...

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Philosopher's Ghost May Take Stroll On Anniversary

LONDON—The body of Jeremy Bentham, philosopher and reformer, seated in a chair and enclosed in a glass case, has been at the University College, London, for nearly a hundred years.

The hundredth anniversary of his death will be observed in June and his ghost is expected to walk the corridors of the college as it is reputed to have done on previous anniversaries. The body is dressed in a long frock coat, and his three-cornered hat is supported by a pallid mask; the head, with features waxed and distorted, features were in a state of decay.

When he died, in 1832, he bequeathed a large sum of money to the college on condition that his body should be embalmed and kept in the college forever.

Haldness will certainly convert most women from wags to wits.

Nothing Much Had Happened

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Nothing ever happens at the farm of Mayor Bryce B. Smith.

The mayor returned from a trip east and paid a visit of inspection to his property, an experimental farm near here.

"Everything fine, Mister Mayor," said his hired man, Bill. "But nothing ever happens around here."

"I'm glad things went all right," the mayor said, and started to leave.

"Just a minute," said Bill. "We did have a little trouble. Some of your cattle got out of the pasture and trampled some flowers and shrubs."

"Is that all?" Mayor Smith asked.

"Well, those flowers forgot to close the pasture gate the next night and the cattle ruined 40 trees in the orchard."

"Too bad," the mayor said. "They were ready to bear fruit next season."

"Yes, that was too bad," Bill

Cyclist Has Circled Globe Three Times

DETROIT—Richard (Happy Dick) Diamond has pedaled around the world three times in the past 10 years, he estimated.

"Since I bought my first bicycle, when I was 15 years old," he said, "I have visited five continents and 40 of the 48 states. I'm going to make Australia next summer."

"After Australia, I guess I'll try and settle down. I'm married, you know, to Marjorie, an Indian girl I met in Montreal."

The globe cyclist said he has worn out five bicycles. He estimated his trips at over 70,000 miles.

agreed. "But that wasn't the worst thing that happened. One of our best steers got out on the highway and was struck by a motor car."

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Mississippi Look Quiet Though Bus.

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Douglas, making note of the apparent lack of shipping on the river, reminded that "a fleet of 10 barges towed by the Herbert Hoover (newest steamer of the line), will carry the equivalent of several hundred carloads or 60 or 70 packet boats, and you hardly see it going down the river."

Factors due to bring about further development of the river, which he predicts will continue through 1932, he listed as:

1. Reorganization of congress with representatives from gulf and southwestern states in key positions.

2. Election of Congressman Frank B. Reid, of Illinois, chairman of the House flood control committee, as head of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

3. Election of Isham Randolph, Chicago, president of the Mississippi Valley association.

Mary-Frances blushed and applied a paper napkin.

"You're pretty," he said.

"Cripes! You're awful pretty. But aren't you afraid of getting fat, drinking milk and eating such heavy food between meals?"

"Fat!" protested Mary-Frances. He qualified, "Well, plump—anyway."

"I certainly am not. I'm away underweight and my sister Ann and everybody worries about my being so—well, slender. My constant fight—just fight, fight all the time to keep from being right down skinny."

"Sure, I know. Just the same, you can't always tell. You got a swell little shape, and if I was you I wouldn't take chances with it."

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"You look good enough for me right now," Earl redeemed himself. "There ain't a girl on a big time today as good-looking as you are—and that's saying a mouthful. Perfect ideal avon-jew-nary type, like I've been telling you all along. Now, listen, hon, and if I was you I wouldn't take chances with it."

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YOU CAN TELL
WHETHER A HORSE
IS GOING TO JUMP
OVER A BUSH, OR
GO AROUND IT.
I CAN'T TELL WHAT
HE INTENDS TO DO.

YOU GOT TO KINDA PUT
YOURSELF IN TH' HOGGES
PLACE - BUT YO'RE SO
WELL EDUCATED, IT TAKES
YOU LONGER T PUT YOURSELF
IN TH' HOGGES PLACE THAN
IT DOES ME.

MENTAL LEVELS

SOCIETY and
CLUB NEWS
ARRITTA DAVENPORT
Editor
Phone 224 Ranger

Young Matrons Class
Meeting is Postponed.
Members of the Young Matrons
class of the First Methodist church
are asked to note the postponement
of the meeting formerly announced
to have been held at the church
Wednesday morning.

Progressive Lodge
Meeting Tonight.
There will be a meeting of the
Ranger Progressive Rebekah lodge
held at the hall tonight, at 7:30
o'clock.

Every member of the lodge and
especially those who have not been
attending are urged to be present.

Business Girls' Bible Class
to Hold Business and Social Meeting.
The Business Girls' Bible class
will be entertained with a business
session and social hour on Thursday
evening, with Miss Jo Burch,
hostess, at her home, Straw highway,
at 7:30 o'clock.

Country Club Dance
Saturday Night.
The Ranger Country club rooms
will be in readiness Saturday
night for a dance which will
complement members and friends.

Roy Costlow and his rhythm
musicians will play for the occasion.
Invitations have been mailed to
friends and out-of-town guests.

Legion Bridge Tournament
Wednesday Evening
Ladies' Auxiliary of the Carl
Barnes Post No. 69 of the American
Legion will entertain at the
Legion hall Wednesday evening,
Jan. 20, at 8 o'clock, with an
auction bridge tournament.

This marks the third tournament
of a series sponsored by the auxiliary.
Invitations have been re-
ceived and bridge lovers are look-
ing forward to the affair. Reser-
vations may be made by calling
Mrs. Al Jones, telephone No. 5. All
reservations should be made by
Wednesday noon.

Book of John Studied
At Adolphian Hour.
Mrs. Kenneth Russell led the lesson
from the first, second and third
chapters of John, yesterday
afternoon when the Adolphian
class of the First Christian church
met at the home of Mrs. E. O.
Sammons.

Open discussion of the chosen
topics featured the period of
study. Drawing the hour to a
close Mrs. John Stacks was named
hostess for next Monday after-
noon, with Mrs. Lorraine Herring
leader.

The hostess, Mrs. Sammons, passed
a plate of sandwiches, dough
nuts, and coffee to the following:
Misses, Herring, H. C. Anderson,
N. J. Perry, Bill Deaman, John
Stacks, B. S. Dudley, Hood, and
Jim Fox.

Council Program Led
By Mrs. C. D. Woods.
Mrs. C. D. Woods led the council
program Monday afternoon
with a group of 25 members present
for the Woman's Missionary
society meeting of the First Meth-
odist church.

Presenting the unusually inspir-
ing lesson Mrs. I. N. Griffith sang
a solo, accompanied on the piano
by Mrs. Walter Harwell. Follow-
ing was a lovely piano selection
given by Mrs. Harwell.

Great work has been planned to
be accomplished by this group of
active workers for the year. The
organization is steadily increasing
in membership with manifested in-
terest shown at each meeting day.

"Building a Church for
Tomorrow" is Topic for
Missionary Study.
"Building a Church for Tomor-
row" was well given in the form
of a program composed of Mrs.
A. C. Rice, Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Mrs.
W. J. Jackson, Mrs. R. E. Barker,
and Mrs. J. N. McFatter Monday
afternoon when members of the
Woman's Missionary Society of
the First Baptist Church met at
the home of Mrs. C. H. Dunlap for

SISTER MARY'S
KITCHEN

BY SISTER MARY
N. S. Service Writer

Another nourishing salad for
winter luncheons en famille is
found in lima bean and celery
salad.

Lima Bean and Celery Salad
Two cups lima beans (canned
or cooked dried ones), 1 cup diced
celery, 1 tablespoon minced onion,
2 tablespoons shredded green pep-
per, 2 tablespoons grated cheese,
French dressing.

The green pepper, of course, can
be omitted, but it adds a pleasing
touch of color. A vivid yellow
cheese is attractive if available.

Mix beans, celery, onion and
pepper, tossing lightly to avoid
crushing beans. Pour on French
dressing and arrange on crisp ro-
maine. Garnish with grated cheese
and serve with more French dress-
ing.

Baked Bean and Bacon Salad
Two cups baked beans, 4 thin
slices bacon, 4 tablespoons minced
onion, 1-3 cup tomato catsup,
French dressing.

If beans are not dry, drain thor-
oughly. Cook bacon until crisp
and cut in small dice. Combine
beans, bacon and pickle with catsup
and serve on a bed of crisp
celery. Serves four.

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Stewed
prunes, cereal, cream, waffles,
syrup, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Beef broth
with toasted crackers, baked
beans and bacon salad, brown
bread, sandwiches, sliced
oranges and bananas, hermits,
milk, tea.
DINNER: Breaded veal cut-
lets, baked squash, scalloped
tomatoes and dried lima beans,
raw vegetable salad, lemon
meringue pie, milk, coffee.

A good raw vegetable salad uses
equal parts of minced green pep-
per, finely shredded cabbage and
grated raw carrot. Each vegetable
is mixed with enough mayonnaise
to bind, and they are arranged in
layers on a lettuce leaf, making
the last layer of pepper. Serve
with a French dressing to which 1
tablespoons tomato catsup has
been added.

the rendition of the carefully
grouped numbers.
Papers in keeping with the sub-
ject were given helping to carry-
ing out a perfect study lesson. This
comes as the first joint assembly
of the month. It is a custom of the
organization to hold one group
meeting each month at which time
splendidly arranged features are
given. Educational study courses
of the Bible are selected by each
circle of the society with capable
leaders in charge.

Yesterday's hour was presided
over by members of Circle No. 1
of which Mrs. W. A. Lewis acts as
group reporter.

Drawing the profitable lesson
review in a close Mrs. Lewis in-
vited the occasion with a solo, ac-
companied on the piano by Carl
Brumbeles, popular and accom-
plished pianist.

A contest was held during a
short social, with refreshments
served to the large group of mem-
bers.

Philippines Open
Drive To Oust
Alien Chinese

By United Press.
MANILA, P. I.—To curb the il-
legal entry of aliens, especially
Chinese, into the Philippines, gov-
ernment officials are planning to
take a census of all Chinese in the
islands.

The move was started after re-
ports of investigators showed
many illegal entries by Chinese.
To help in the drive, Chinese
Consul-General H. W. Kwong has
offered to furnish certificates of
residence of Philippine Chinese.

"I play safe by
sticking to LUCKIES"

OH, WHAT A GAL IS MARY!
She's one of the genuine beauties.
That even the camera cannot flatter.
Sorrow and professional bad luck
followed her for years. Now she's
a bride...the studio clamor for her
...the public loves her...and the
Hollywood sun is shining. Her new
RADIO PICTURE is "MEN OF
CHANCE"—Here's to you, Mary
Austin! We're glad you smile
LUCKIES and we're grateful for
that statement you gave us with-
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Taste Is Aiding
Heredity Hunt

By United Press.
COLUMBUS, O.—Knowledge of
those human qualities which are
passed on from parent to offspring
by heredity progresses slowly
through small discoveries, scient-
ists at Ohio State university here
revealed.

If enough of these discoveries
are made, it is believed prediction
can be made as to the physical fu-
ture of the child and its suscepti-
bility to disease.

Dr. Arthur L. Fox, of the Du-
Pont Laboratories, recently an-
nounced tests showed certain per-
sons could not taste a synthetic
substance known as para-thoxy-
phenyl-thio-urea. Others found it
unusually bitter, even nauseating.
When parents could taste the
substance, their offspring invari-
ably could taste it. The reverse
also was found true.

One of the first simple factors
of heredity discovered was that of
blood groups, later used in deter-
mining parentage of babies in the
Barnberger-Watkins dispute at
Chicago.

It also has been learned that if
children have hair on the second
joint of the fingers, the parents
must also have it. Buffalo is be-
ing discussed by the same interests
which constructed a similar con-
duct in Chicago this year, accord-
ing to Cleveland reports.

The Continental Construction
corporation of Chicago is under-
stood to be the concern which is
considering the project. The Conti-
nental company is owned by the
Cities Service Co., Middle West
Utilities (Inall interests), Stand-
ard Oil of New Jersey, and a group
of southwestern oil companies, in-
cluding Texas Oil, Skelly Oil,
Southwestern Development, Phil-
lips Petroleum and Columbian Car-
bon.

Northern Ohio now craves the
bulk of its natural gas supply from
the West Virginia fields. The re-
ported project could serve Cleve-
land, Akron, Toledo and probably
Detroit as well as Buffalo.

Texas Gas May Be
Piped Into Buffalo

By United Press.
CLEVELAND, O.—Construction
of a 1,500-mile natural gas line
from the Texas Panhandle through
Cleveland and into Buffalo is be-
ing discussed by the same interests

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Notices Filed
and Marriage
Licenses Issued

Jack Vaught and Miss Emma
Miller, Eastland.
Buster Pendleton, Cisco, and
Miss Bertha Lee Rust, Ranger.
E. V. Lippard and Miss Jewel
Patterson, Eastland.

PARIS STYLES

By MARY KNIGHT,
United Press Staff Correspondent.
PARIS.—The winter short-cut
to chic depends more on the coat
than any other one part of the
wardrobe. Molyneux sees to it that
his clients arrive at that happy des-
tination in short order, by design-
ing his famous two-piece costume
and a plain coat. Nobody knows,
however, that the fur is not on the
coat until the coat comes off, and,
to everybody's surprise, the fur
doesn't.

The material of the dress is
rust colored, rough and a little
fuzzy but not thick. All there is
to the frock is three little bows
that tie in front, one at the V
neck, rather high, one in the cen-
ter front, and the third at the
waist. Two slit pockets appear,
one over each hip, and the skirt
is perfectly plain with an inside
pleat all the way down the front
that gives it plenty of walking
room. Its little stand-up fur col-
lar and deep cuffs are of natural
lynx. The coat has three-quarter
sleeves, wide at the elbow and slit
at the sides so that it slips easily
over the fur on the dress. It wraps
around the body snugly and
fastens at the left side.

MEDICOS AID JOBLESS.
By United Press.
DETROIT, Mich.—About 40 ap-
plications are being received daily
by the free medical aid bureau re-
cently formed by the Wayne Coun-
ty Medical society, for the needy.
Those having a family physician
are directed to him for medical
services without fee.

FALLS KILL CITIZENS.
By United Press.
—ST. LOUIS—More people died
as a result of falls in St. Louis in
1931 than from any other acci-
dental cause, except automobiles,
statistics just announced show.
The figures: Automobile fatalities,
184; falls, 151; railroads, 22;
street cars, 17; motorcycles, 5;
aphysiation, 26; burns, 36; drown-
ings, 8.

Personal

Mrs. T. L. McCollough of Cole-
man visited here yesterday after-
noon as the guest of her daughter,
Miss Edith McCollough, who is a
patient at the West Texas Clinic
and Hospital, Miss McCollough is
associated with the T. P. Coal &
Oil company of Thurber.

George Wesson of Dallas was a
business visitor in Ranger Mon-
day.

Ted Slone and mother of Abilene
visited Ranger relatives the
first of this week.

Mrs. Marion F. Peters and her
mother, Mrs. G. G. Lowe and daugh-
ter, Miss Frances of Midland, are
house guest of Mr. Peter's sister,
Mrs. Hortense Matthews.

Miss Marjorie Maddocks was a
business visitor in Eastland Mon-
day afternoon.

Chuck Bird of Mineral Wells is
visiting here.

Mrs. C. E. Maddocks has return-
ed home following a visit to Aus-
tin, where she attended the Texas
Congress of Mothers and Parent-
Teacher associations, which con-
vened there last week.

Henri Smith has recently re-
turned from an extensive visit to
San Antonio and Fort Worth.

Mrs. Alice D. True, Miss Adalia
Young of Breckenridge, Mrs.
Creager, assistant secretary of the
Eastland Retail Merchants associa-
tion, and Miss Lucille Self of
Cisco returned to their homes last
night, after attending the Retail
Credit association meeting held at
the Hilton hotel, Abilene, yester-
day.

Jessie Haney is a Fort Worth
visitor today.

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nally and 666 Salve externally,
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CIGARETTES

Mary Austin

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That even the camera cannot flatter.
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followed her for years. Now she's
a bride...the studio clamor for her
...the public loves her...and the
Hollywood sun is shining. Her new
RADIO PICTURE is "MEN OF
CHANCE"—Here's to you, Mary
Austin! We're glad you smile
LUCKIES and we're grateful for
that statement you gave us with-
out a cent of payment.

"I can't afford to take chances with my voice. So I play
safe by sticking to LUCKIES—they're always kind to my
throat. And I'm doubly grateful for your improved Cello-
phane wrapper which opens so easily with that clever
little tab."

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And Moisture-Proof Cellophane Keeps that "Toasted" Flavor Ever Fresh

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of today becomes the news of tomorrow, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evening over N. B. C. networks.