

West Texas—Partly cloudy and... in north portion. Temperatures to near freezing in the Panhandle. Partly cloudy and rising temperatures Thursday.

Ranger Times

UNITED PRESS SERVICE BRINGS LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TO TIMES READERS

"Ethiopians shave with sharp stones and bits of glass." It must be hard to decide whether wounded tribesmen are back from the front or the barber's.

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Modified Sales Taxes Before the Texas House

SPECIAL TRAIN TO ABILENE IS DEPENDENT UPON NUMBER OF TICKETS SOLD BY NOON THURS.

Meeting held in the office... committees were to sell tickets on a special train to Abilene on Friday, Oct. 25, for the Abilene-Ranger football game. The exact time for departure will be determined, but if enough are sold to justify the special train for departure will be determined at a meeting Thursday.

R. F. Holloway Is Disappointed In the Bulldogs' Showing

A letter from R. F. Holloway, former superintendent of the Ranger public schools, has been received by The Times, in which he says that he enjoys reading the paper, but in which he expresses some distress over the showing made to date by the Bulldogs.

Livestock Show At Cisco Is Due Friday, Saturday

CISCO, Oct. 23.—Arrangements for the Eastland County Livestock Show to be held here Friday and Saturday gathered momentum this week with details working out to advantage for what promises to be the biggest and best show of the character ever held here.

KEEPING THRU THE KNOTHOLE

With BILL MAYES many Ranger football fans expressed an opinion, or several, about the Bulldogs, how they could be improved under the system, how they would like to see the individual players do in a game, that it has been quite a joke about town for some time.

Noted Publisher Off to Manila

PASADENA, Calif., Oct. 23.—A mountain brush fire whipped by a 45-mile-an-hour gale roared into suburban Altadena early today, destroying two blocks of homes before it was checked by hoses of half a dozen fire companies.

BRUSH FIRE SWEEPS TOWN IN CALIFORNIA

Still out of control on other fronts, it destroyed Lavina Sanitarium, from which 35 patients fled in a rain of sparks, and threatened Mount Love tavern.

Troubled Times In International Field Are Expected Soon

LONDON, Oct. 23.—Troubled times in the international field are likely next, war, and if Britain finds it necessary to increase her defense forces, she will do so, Stanley Baldwin told the House of Commons today.

LAWYERS SAY PIERSON IS REALLY INSANE

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—Judge T. B. Greenwood, Austin, former associate of the late Judge William Pierson of the Texas Supreme Court, today told a Travis county jury that Howard Pierson, 21-year-old slayer of his father and mother is "utterly insane."

Bank Director Seriously Ill

Concern was expressed Wednesday over condition of G. W. Fisher, stockman-farmer and director of the Eastland National Bank, who was reported seriously ill at his home four miles north of Eastland.

GROCERIES AND MEDICINES ARE NOT INCLUDED

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—A modified 1 1/2 per cent sales tax combined with a 12 1/2 per cent increase in major occupation levies held the attention of the Texas house of representatives today.

TEXAS AWAKES TO FIND COLD WEATHER HERE

Texas awoke today to find a stiff norther blowing and rain falling. Thermometers had dropped near freezing temperature in the Panhandle.

Every Corn-Hog Producer to Get Vote in AAA Poll

Every eligible corn-hog producer in Eastland county, as well as each of the 287 contract signers, is entitled to vote in the national corn-hog referendum Saturday, Oct. 26, according to E. F. Altom, president of the County Corn-Hog Control association.

Office Sets Date Of Tax Collections

Dates for collection of state and county taxes at 13 towns and communities have been set by the tax assessor-collector's office.

Commission Fixes 50,163 Barrels As District's Limit

The West Central Texas district has been allotted a total allowable daily production of 50,163 barrels in the oil proration order of the Texas Railroad Commission effective Friday, Nov. 1, and continuing to Nov. 1, 1936.

Ranger Boy Suffers Severe Lacerations

Jackie Littlefield, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Onis Littlefield of Ranger, suffered a painful injury Sunday when he fell on a broken bottle while playing, severely cutting his arm.

Two Accidents In Succession Kill a Man Near Sherman

SHERMAN, Oct. 23.—Two automobile accidents in succession were blamed for the death of George Glover, 45.

World War General Is Seriously Ill

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Lt. Gen. Hunter Liggett, 78, commander of the first army corps in the Chateau Thierry, was in critical condition today at the U. S. Army hospital here.

Funeral Rites For W. C. Jones Held

Funeral services for W. C. Jones, about 75, who died at the county home south of Eastland, were held at Alameda Tuesday afternoon. Two daughters are among the surviving relatives.

200 Mules Burn In Fire at Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, Oct. 23.—Fire spread by a high wind today destroyed 200 mules, valued at \$30,000 as the horse and mule barns of the Burnett-Young Company were completely gutted.

Doggett Appeal Is Heard By Tribunal

Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen was in Austin Wednesday when the appeal of Clifford Doggett, convicted slayer of L. F. Thrett, was heard by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Discharge 91st Court Jurors Wednesday

Petit jurors who appeared initially on Monday for service in 91st District Court were discharged for the week Wednesday by Judge George L. Davenport.

Remove Workmen From Docks Where Two Were Killed

LAKE CHARLES, La., Oct. 23. Sheriff Henry Reid removed all guards and workmen from the docks here today as the result of a pitched battle with 400 striking longshoremen which claimed two lives.

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Last of Methodist Banquets Will Be Held In Ranger

The last district banquet for the Cisco District will be given in the basement of the First Methodist Church at Ranger Thursday evening at seven o'clock.

Highway 1 May Be Designated Over Highway 89 Route

AUSTIN, Oct. 23.—Redesignation of the Bankhead Highway, known as State Highway No. 1, from Weatherford over Highway 89 to a point south of Strawn, was announced in Austin Tuesday after a conference between members of the State Highway commission and Milburn McCarty of Eastland. The designation over Highway 89 is to be made upon completion of Highway 89, however.

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RANGER TIMES Has Great Tickets for MR. AND MRS. J. A. JONES to see PAUL MUNI in "DR. SOCRATES" Thursday at the ARCADIA Please call at Times for Your Tickets

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We Lose War Profits, But Gain Peace!

The plight of the Simple Simon who wants to eat his cake and have it too is as nothing compared to the difficulties besetting a nation which wants to have both war profits and neutrality.

President Roosevelt's neutrality stand has already brought some anguished squawks. The loudest has come from the Conference on Port Development of the City of New York, Inc., an organization of shipping and exporting firms which has protested vehemently against the trade restriction as "hasty and ill-advised."

This organization declares that American trade with Italy has given jobs to thousands of citizens, especially in the New York area, through which 90 per cent of our exports to Italy flow. After asserting that the neutrality proclamation "virtually abandons America's traditional insistence on neutral trading right and freedom of the seas," it adds:

"Our exports to Italy have exceeded those of other nations, and are now at stake unnecessarily. . . . Italy offers us a market for our surplus and she buys more than she sells us on balance."

All this is probably quite true—and it just goes to remind us that peace, like every other blessing attainable by man, has its price.

For the one thing that ought to be clear, in any discussion of neutrality legislation, is this: we can keep our skirts clear and avoid the danger of being drawn into a foreign war, or we can make hay while the sun shines and cash in on war orders—but we cannot possibly do both.

Living up to the arms embargo will be costly; make no mistake about that. It will prevent us from selling many a bill of goods. If the present war spreads and involves such nations as England and France, our loss will be even greater.

Nations at war need to buy many things, and they are thing which we are peculiarly well equipped to sell them.

But self-denial of that kind is the price of peace. If we are determined not to get drawn into another European war, our one hope is to forget about the profits.

The lesson of 1917 is unmistakable. When you set yourself up as warehouse and granary for a warring nation, you are simply leading with your chin; sooner or later you find your own fortunes inextricably tied up with the fortunes of the army of your chief customer.

The anguish of these New York exporters is natural and understandable. Our embargo, even though it is incomplete, is costing them money. What we need to keep in mind is that any sound neutrality program is bound to be expensive.

But you might remember that the profits we would have lost if we had refused to sell goods to England and France during the World war would never have amounted to a tenth of the money we actually did lose by going to war on their side.

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON.—There are two journalistic theories about Mr. Hoover.

One is that he seeks re-nomination by the Republicans. The other is that he has neither thought nor expectation of re-nomination, but seeks only an influential voice in party policy and selection of the candidate.

The answer is this: Hoover in recent months has summoned to him certain old friends, usually ex-officials here, who still exert some political influence in their home states. He has asked them point-blank whether he could obtain their state delegations for the next G. O. P. convention.

Frequently, one hears, the consultants have expressed polite doubts. Whereupon Mr. Hoover has been known to pull out a list of possible nominees and then, carefully outlining the disqualifications of each, cross the names off one by one until there was left only that of good old Herbert himself.

Confidants say Hoover suggests himself as another Grover Cleveland, who was voted out of office in 1888 and re-elected four years later. (A possible side-light on that idea is the fact that Cleveland had a popular majority of 100,000 votes in 1888—despite his electoral college defeat, whereas Hoover was defeated by a majority of more than 7,000,000.)

When political correspondents go into a huddle these dull days, they often arise agreeing that Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan looks, at this admittedly early date, like the most probable nominee for the Republicans.

This comes through a process of elimination after the premise that the outstanding possibilities now are Vandenberg, Col. Frank Knox of Chicago and Gov. Alf Landon of Kansas.

Wrong as they may or may not be, most people here are unable to take the Knox candidacy very seriously. Faced with an obnoxious paucity of "available" material, politicians seek primarily a vote-getter of demonstrated ability. Colonel Knox has never had a chance to demonstrate his popular appeal at the polls.

Landon, according to shrewd men who have been out to look him over, lives up to much of the current hallyhoo for him. While his stature scarcely overtops the Washington monument, it appears to be at least equal to that of Coolidge or Harding.

He is described as a man who would accept much of the liberal program Roosevelt has advanced to date—such as AAA, the power policy, banking reform, TVA and the labor dispute act—but would fight for a "New Deal at bargain rates."

But it is this liberalism of Landon's which already causes eastern leaders to look askance at him and it's said to be very doubtful whether Landon would make the concessions to them which they would demand in return for support.

Also, the boast that Kansas state and local taxes under the personally and publicly parsimonious Landon have been cut from \$127,000,000 to \$97,000,000 can be riddled by citation of New Deal millions—relief, benefit checks, public works and so on—which have poured into Kansas and made such a reduction possible. Other governors have similar records.

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Enjoyed by Both Parties Over Here



Greek Income For George II May Be Small

By ANTHONY KEDRAS

United Press Staff Correspondent
ATHENS, Greece.—Ex-King George of Greece will receive an annual income of ten million drachmas (about \$50,000) when he is restored to the throne.

According to reports here this is the sum that will satisfy him. And he will not even ask for any arrears that might be due since his abdication 12 years ago, or for any income from the former royal estates now the property of Greek refugees and peasants.

At the same time a large part of the estates not occupied by the refugees and peasants are likely to be returned to the royal house, thus considerably augmenting George's annual income.

Among them, and probably the richest, is the Tatoi estate of roughly 125,000 acres, in which there are forests, pastures, orchards and vineyards. Only one small part of this is a refugee settlement.

The estate was bought by King George I, in 1880, and was the summer residence of the royal family. On a hill stands the small plain tomb of King Alexandros who died from blood poisoning caused by the bite of his pet monkey.

One of the first moves of the Royalists for George's return was to get parliamentary approval for

the transfer of the bodies of King Constantine, Queen Sophie, and the Dowager Queen Olga, from the Russian church in Florence, Italy, to the tomb at Tatoi.

On the island of Corfu is another royal estate surrounding the Palace "Mon Repos." The estate measures about 625 acres. King George I left it in his will to Prince Andrew, who, when it was confiscated on Georges II's abdication, started a law suit for its return. The suit is still before the Greek courts.

The estate of Manolas in the north-eastern Peloponnesus, was once the property of Crown Prince Constantine. It measured about 500 acres and is entirely occupied by refugees and peasants.

There is also the Monodrendri estates in Thessaly, about 350 acres in extent.

MARKETS

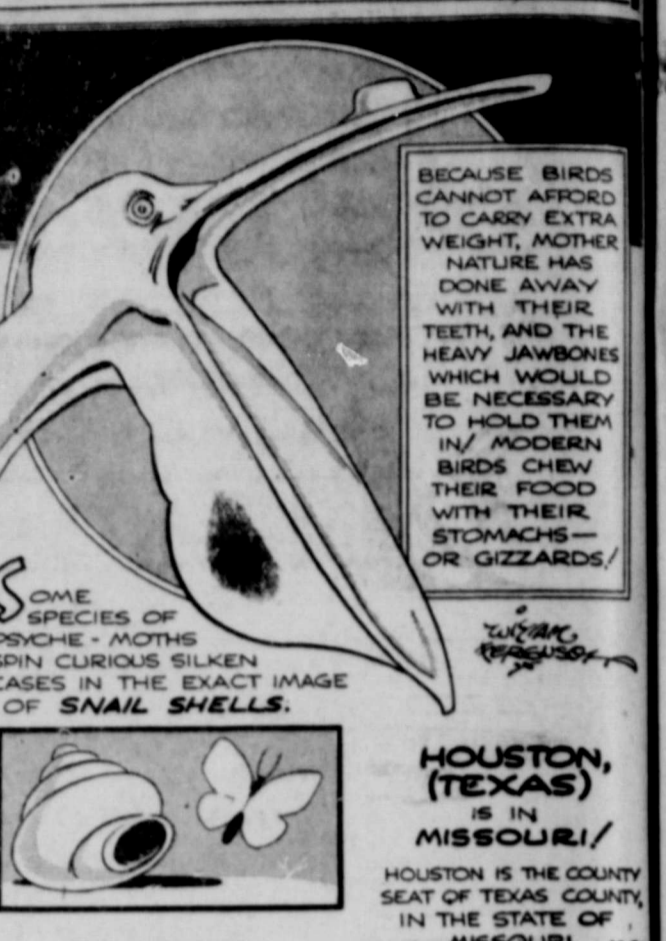
By United Press
Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their closing prices, including Am Can, Am P & L, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Bendix Avn, Beth Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case J I, Chrysler, Comw & Sou, Com Oil, Curtiss Wright, Elec Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Freepport Tex, Gen Foods, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Gt West Sugar, Hudson Mot, Ind Rayon, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Lij Carb, Marshall Field, Montg Ward, Nat Dairy, Ohio Oil, Penney J C, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil Ind, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Und Elliott, Union Carb, Un Avn Corp, United Corp, U S Gypsum, U S Ind Ale, U S Steel, Westing Elec, Worthington.

Table listing Curb Stocks and their closing prices, including Elec B & Sh, Ford M Ltd, Gulf Oil Pa, Humble Oil, Lion Star Gas, Niag Hud Pwr.

Table listing FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK prices for hogs, top butchers, mixed grades, packing sows, steers, and fat cows.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



SOME SPECIES OF PSYCHE - MOTHS SPIN CURIOUS SILKEN CASES IN THE EXACT IMAGE OF SNAIL SHELLS.

HOUSTON, (TEXAS) IS IN MISSOURI! HOUSTON IS THE COUNTY SEAT OF TEXAS COUNTY, IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI.

THERE is not the slightest vestige of a tooth in the mouth of any bird now living. Prehistoric birds had teeth, but their added weight was a burden to the flying birds of later ages. The bill of the modern bird is lightly constructed. Even those of hornbills and toucans are surprisingly light.

Mother Serves As Second to Fight
By United Press
AUCKLAND, N. Z.—W. Billy Aitken fights in the ring, mother is at his corner as his second.

When Aitken, a lightweight first intimated that his mother were dubious about the move, it was pointed out that there was nothing in the rules to say seconds should be men or women. "He is only a little over," says Mrs. Aitken of her son. "I am going to look after him!"

PLANT TREES FOR ARCHERS
By United Press
GLASGOW.—On Inch Lonaig, one of the many islands in Loch Lomond, Scotland, guides point out to travelers yew trees which the Scots say were planted by Robert Bruce. From them to provided shafts for his archers.

...but, after all is said and done, it's the cigarette itself that counts
...the question is, does it suit you?



Now, when it comes to a cigarette that will suit you... you want to think whether it's mild, you want to think about the taste

That Chesterfields are milder and taste better is no accident . . .

The farmer who grows the tobacco, the warehouseman who sells it at auction to the highest bidder, every man who knows about leaf tobacco will tell you that it takes mild, ripe tobaccos to make a good cigarette.

In making Chesterfields we use mild ripe home-grown and Turkish tobaccos.



Outstanding .. for mildness .. for better taste

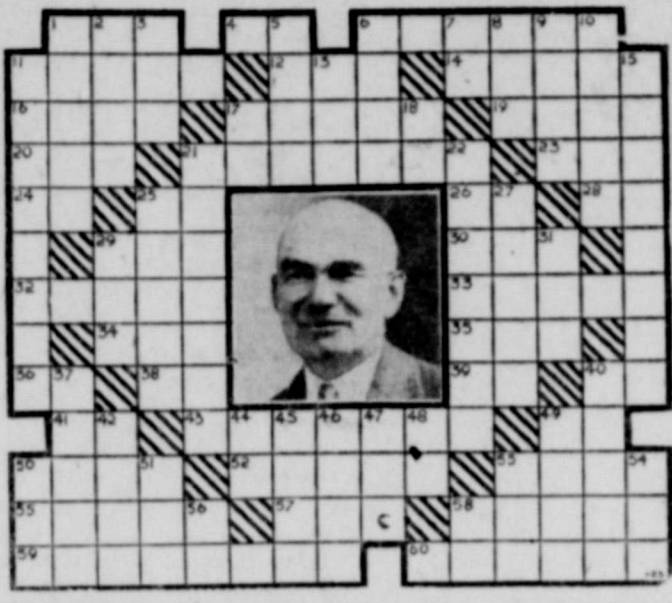
"OUT OUR WAY" - - - - - By Williams



QUICK RETURNS

Radio Engineer

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle... 1. 4, 6 Man who helped make radio practical... 11 Promenades... 12 Bird... 13 To languish... 14 Unoccupied... 15 Fog... 16 Chestnut... 17 Chatters... 18 To soak flux... 19 Italian river... 20 Street... 21 Wittleism... 22 Bagie plant... 23 To rub out... 24 Japanese coin... 25 Beer... 26 South Carolina... 27 Right... 28 Behold... 29 Postscript... 30 Like... 31 Kith... 32 Models... 33 Mother... 34 Senior... 35 He took out over 100... 36 Helix... 37 Opposite of winner... 38 Molding... 39 Fifth month... 40 Hall!... 41 Heap of stones... 42 Slovak... 43 Note in scale... 44 In... 45 To growl... 46 Encountered... 47 Measure of area... 48 Bill of fare... 49 Japanese fish... 50 Before... 51 Moccasin... 52 Bare!... 53 Form of "a"... 54 Dad.



SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MARY E. DAGUE... Tomorrow's Menu... BREAKFAST: Orange juice, cereal, cream, plain omelet, crisp toast, milk, coffee... LUNCHEON: Cheese fondue, stewed tomatoes, crusty rolls, celery hearts, nut pudding, milk, tea... DINNER: Cider cocktail, stuffed lamb chops, Martinique potatoes, green peas in cream, stuffed prune salad, raisin puff puddings, milk, coffee.

ALLEY OOP - - - - - By HAMLIN



The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowen



Job Seekers to Be Trained to Help Themselves

SANTA BARBARA, Cal.—A new college to train leaders for the self-help cooperative movement has been established here. As their laboratory and clinic, the students are working in the Santa Barbara county cooperative industries, a local cooperative which has more than 1,000 members and is rapidly developing into a model project of its kind.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



NO UPSETS

The proper treatment for a bilious child... ANY mother knows the reason when her child stops playing, eats little, is hard to manage, Constipation. But what a pity so few know the sensible way to set things right!

Blizzard Used As Storm Term First In Iowa... ESTHERVILLE, Ia.—The word "blizzard" in connection with snowstorms first was used in Iowa, according to Sir William Craigie, editor of a dictionary of American slang. He said the word originally was used as descriptive of a sudden, sharp blow, a shot from a gun or a verbal tongue-lashing.

Helps Prevent Many Colds... VICKS VA-TRO-NOL... Try a WANT-AD!

HELPS PREVENT MANY COLDS... VICKS VA-TRO-NOL... Try a WANT-AD!

The GOLDEN FEATHER

by Robert Bruce... CHAPTER XXI... EVEN a government detective on a manhunt has time for a little private life occasionally—especially when the trail he is on grows cold and leaves him temporarily, without a lead. So it happened that the night after the raid found Larry Glenn and Bobby Wallace eating an informal dinner with Jean Dunn in Jean's apartment.

