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THE WEATHER
West Texas: Partly cloudy and warmer north and west portions tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy, rising temperatures.

A group of youths picketed a Detroit billiard hall in protest against "poor loafing conditions. Apparently the pool room operator thinks he's running a business."

REVOLUTION BREAKS OUT IN MEXICAN STATE

MATAMOROS, Mexico, Jan. 31.—Clashes between federal soldiers and "rebel" fighters, identified by Matamoros police as Los Dorados, Mexican fascist organization, broke out today in four cities.

Totally Ignores a Parking Ordinance



Digging out in sub-zero weather after the century's worst snowstorm proved a staggering task in Michigan's busiest upper peninsula as this remarkable photo of Ironwood's Main street shows. Leaving behind death, suffering, isolated communities, stranded miners and school children, the 150-inch snowfall piled drifts 25 feet deep in places. Ironwood battled 12-foot drifts downtown.

January Pension Checks Decrease To \$12,339 Total

January pension checks, totaling \$12,339, have been received by 827 persons, according to a report from the State Old Age Assistance Commission on file Monday in the office of County Clerk R. V. Galway.

Month	Persons	Amt.
January	827	\$12,339
December	848	12,643
November	863	12,858
October	852	12,753
September	882	13,121
August	868	12,887
July	942	13,841
June	947	13,924
May	942	13,850
April	889	13,157
March	803	9,151

NEW LOWS SET BY WEATHER IN MANY CITIES

Cold winds swept down on Texas from the north Monday, sending temperatures to new lows for the season and promised freezing weather almost to the Gulf Coast Monday night.

Slapped in New Eastern Incident



U. S. Consul John M. Allison, above, became the center of newest discord when he was slapped by a Japanese entry. Japanese apologized, but said Allison refused to leave a building occupied by Japanese forces.

HOUSING BILL IS DEFENDED IN THE SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Sen. Robert Wagner of New York, interrupting the senate anti-lynching filibuster for a final struggle over the housing act, today defended the elimination of the "prevailing wage" amendment on the grounds that it would abrogate the rights of workers to bargain collectively.

Poll Taxes Are Being Paid Here At A Rapid Rate

Today is the last day for paying poll taxes in order to become a voter in 1938, and this morning people of Ranger were taking advantage of the opportunity to have a voice in government by paying their taxes.

Funeral Is Held At Carbon Sunday For Mrs. Abbott

Funeral services for Mrs. W. S. Abbott, 75, resident of the county 40 years, who died Saturday at Carbon of pneumonia, were conducted Sunday at the Methodist church in Carbon.

PART OF LOOT OF MAIL THEFT IS RECOVERED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 31.—Recovery of \$10,000 of \$28,950 stolen from a railway mail pouch in West Texas last November was announced today by postal inspector F. L. Clappitt.

Former Pastor at Eastland Sent to Fort Worth Church

Abolishment of the Gatesville district in the Central Texas Methodist conference and absorption of churches in the district with the Waco and Cleburne districts has been announced by Methodist church officials.

New Hope Club In Meeting Thursday

The New Hope 4-H Club women meet Thursday, Jan. 27, at the home of Mrs. Floyd Woods.

Four Meetings of H. Demonstration Clubs Are Planned

Miss Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent, announced today that home demonstration club members this week will discuss "The Background of the Kitchen" at four meetings.

New Home Agent Arrives to Begin Work In County

Miss Mabel Caldwell of Garland arrived Sunday in Eastland to begin work as Eastland county assistant home demonstration agent, succeeding Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart, transferred to Fredericksburg to become home demonstration agent of Gillespie county.

Funeral Is Held For T. O. Bray at Ranger Monday

Funeral services for Thomas Owen Bray, 70, who died in San Angelo Sunday morning, were conducted from the First Baptist church of Ranger this afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Rev. K. C. Edmonds in charge at the church.

Governor Grants a Pardon to Person Given Prison Term

Governor James V. Allred by proclamation has granted Carl L. Nix, formerly convicted in this county, a full pardon and restored his citizenship, it was disclosed by 88th district court records.

Apology Accepted In Slapping Case

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The United States today accepted as satisfactory expressions of regret from the Japanese government for the slapping of John Allison, American consul, by a Japanese soldier at Nanking.

Today Deadline to Obtain Poll Taxes For 1938 Voting

C. H. O'Brien, assessor-collector, and deputies today began issuance of poll tax receipts and exemption certificates on the final date on which they are available.

Breckenridge Host To WPA Conference

Mrs. Medora S. Pitcock of Eastland, area supervisor of WPA women's and professional projects held the second of a series of eight conferences in the Stephens county sewing room Saturday afternoon at Breckenridge.

Stanley Reed Is Now Justice Of Supreme Court

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Stanley Reed was sworn today as associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, shifting control of the court to a liberal bloc of five justices.

54 Herefords To Go On Auction at Mitcham 1st Sale

Fifty-four Prinee Domino registered herefords will be on sale at the first annual G. P. Mitcham and Son ranch auction Tuesday, Feb. 8, 12 miles northwest of Cisco.

Sorry to Disillusion You, but There Ain't No Ground-Hog He Won't Come Out Feb. 2, Neither



Wednesday is Ground-Hog day. The tweny little prophet is supposed to slip out of his burrow, stretch, look around for his shadow and if he sees it, that's six weeks bad weather; dead ahead.

Venire Is Selected For Murder Trial

STEPHENVILLE, Texas, Jan. 31.—A special venire of 60 men was selected today from which to choose a jury for the trial on Feb. 24 of Ewart Jones, 21, charged with murder of his stepfather, W. H. Spillers, 50.

Barcelona Digging War Dead Out of Ruins In the City

BARCELONA, Jan. 31.—Weary gangs of civilian men toiled throughout the night and into the day, digging bodies from debris in the old quarter of Barcelona, after two nationalist air raids Sunday.

Heiress Is Born To the Throne of Netherlands Today

SOESTDYK, Netherlands, Jan. 31.—Princess Juliana heir to the throne of the House of Orange, gave birth to a girl today, her first child.

Railroads Seeking Higher Freight Rate

DALLAS, Texas.—Railroads operating in Texas began their fight today before the Texas Railroad Commission for a 15 per cent general freight rate increase.

Making Lumber From Timber Demonstrated

Approximately 300 persons Friday witnessed a demonstration in the use of a portable saw mill in converting native timber into lumber at Kokomo, County Agent Elmo V. Cook reported today.

Poll Taxes to Be Available Here at Late Hour Tonight

Poll taxes will be available in Ranger until midnight tonight, by special arrangement.

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MARINES LEAVE CHINA

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Has Great Tickets
Tuesday for Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson
To See JOAN BENNETT in "I MET MY LOVE AGAIN" AT THE ARCADIA Call at Daily Times Office.

Don't Lose Your Vote; Today Is Last Day to Pay Poll Tax!

