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# CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO, TEXAS—1,614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes of water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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## HOUSE VOTES STATE PAY SLASHES

### Cotton Bill Is Signed by Governor Sterling Today

#### McDONALD HAILS LAW AS RELIEF

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Gov. Ross signing today signed the bill providing Texas farmers from planting more than a third of their cultivated land in cotton in 1932 and 1933. It goes into effect 90 days after present special session adjourns. "I believe its passage has checked further drop in cotton prices and will eventually result in a stabilized cotton market," said Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald. "I do not expect any immediate rise of great interest in prices."

#### Senate's Two Blind Members



For the first time in history, the United States Senate will have two blind members when it convenes for its next regular session. They are Senator Thomas P. Gore (left), Democrat of Oklahoma, and Senator Thomas D. Schall, Republican, of Minnesota, seen here in Washington as they took up their duties as representatives of their home states.

#### OVERPASS WEST OF CITY BEING PAVED

Putting the asphalt topping on the overpass on Highway No. 1 at Hartnell's crossing three miles west of Cisco, was begun today by the Jago Construction company. Crushed stone has already been laid on the strip, and only a day or so will be required to complete the paving work. The overpass constructed last year, eliminates the hazardous grade crossing over the Texas and Pacific railroad.

#### Rides 300 Miles to College



Miss Virginia Wester, 16, above, rode 300 miles on this horse to attend Texas Technological college, Lubbock, Texas, bringing along a "string" of nine horses with which she will pay her expenses through school by operating a riding academy. She is the daughter of a rancher who resides near Las Vegas, N. M.

#### Assures College Of Support

The Rev. M. O'Malley, pastor of the First Christian church of Pampa, Texas, was in Cisco yesterday to assure Dr. Lee Clark, president of Randolph college, of the interest of the denomination in his section in the college. The Rev. Mr. O'Malley declared that he believes firmly in the school and that there is a very evident interest among the people of the northwestern part of Texas, where he himself is widely known, in the school here. He offered his services at all times in the forward movement of the institution.

#### 10 PER CENT REDUCTIONS ARE VOTED

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Ten percent salary slashes for state employees getting more than \$1,000 annually were voted by the Texas house of representatives today sitting as a committee of the whole. The senate deferred action. Companion legislation designed to permit the state automatic tax board to be changed into a state estimating tax board was meanwhile rushed to a conference committee. If house and senate adopt it before midnight with a two-thirds vote in each, the board will meet to fix the state tax at its present figure, 69 cents on \$100 valuations.

#### SEE BRITISH ACT AS MOVE TO NEW ERA

(By United Press)  
Out of great Britain's decision to suspend the gold standard may come a "new era" in international financial relations, with close cooperation to solve the world's economic problem, experts predicted today. An international conference seeking to end the unsettled condition of foreign finances through redistribution of the world's gold was under consideration in London. Such a conference would also attempt to solve such problems as war debts, reparations and armament, all of which affect present-day conditions. Chancellor of the British Exchequer Philip Snowden in two speeches, urging the calling of an international meeting to end the "dislocation of gold reserves" under which 65 per cent of the world's supply has been amassed by France and the United States.

#### Three of Ten Convicts Retaken

GRANITE, Okla., Sept. 22.—Three of the ten inmates of Granite reformatory who kidnaped three guards and escaped under guard last night, were captured today on the street at Altus, Oklahoma. It was revealed today that tower guards last night, not knowing the inmates held three of their number as hostages, shot Sergeant J. N. Boughman; through an earlobe, Boughman and the other two guards were later released. Posses with blood hounds pursued the other fugitives today.

#### CISCO WILL ENTERTAIN AT COUNTY FAIR

Cisco will provide the entertainment for the opening night of the Eastland county fair at Eastland tomorrow evening, Secy. J. E. Spenser announced. The program will consist of a 45-minute concert by the Lobo band, directed by G. W. Cannon, beginning at 7:30 with the following presentations: F. L. Reynolds, two vocal numbers; Miss Arlene Scudder, whistling; Mrs. Larry Waterbury, Jr., piano; Dr. E. L. Graham, shooting stunts; Thomas Parks, stringed orchestra. Announcements will be made by Mr. Spencer or Mr. Varnell. The program will be presented from a platform to be erected just from the Eastland square behind the Texas state bank building. Exhibits will be located in various vacant buildings in the city and grouped according to classification.

#### RUSSIA AND JAPAN SEEM IN AGREEMENT

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Sept. 22.—House and Russian officials appeared today to be in agreement over the Japanese occupation of Mukden despite reports from Hainan of violent Russian reaction. The Soviet consul was not disturbed over the movement of Japanese troops toward northern Manchuria. Japanese deaths in fighting at Chang Chun were placed officially at 180. There was no estimate of Chinese casualties.

#### CHINESE THREW BOMBS AT HARBIN BRANCH OF THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK

HARBIN, Manchuria, Sept. 22.—Chinese threw bombs at the Harbin branch of the Yokohama Specie Bank today which failed to explode.

#### POOR BUSINESS SEATTLE, Sept. 22.—The business of making counterfeit dimes is reported to have increased when they arrested Frank O'Farrell, 57, and Orrin Dixon, 36. Their practice was to make a five-cent purchase each time they disposed of a coin. Dixon was found to have \$2.70 in his pockets, and his room was littered with candy bars.

#### On the Merchants' Birthday Calendar

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Manles, Route 2, Cisco, announce the birth of a daughter, September 21 at 12:08 p. m.

#### INDEPENDENTS WILL PUSH OIL TARIFF

FORT WORTH, Sept. 22.—October 19th is the date for the semi-annual convention of the Independent Petroleum association of Texas at Tyler, it was announced today after a conference between officials of the association, and Tyler representatives. The convention will consist of a sort of "Tariff on Oil" rally, and men of national importance are scheduled to appear. The directors of the association have been called to meet on that occasion with special attention to tariff activities, in addition to determination of a future Texas program. The association has twice joined other states in efforts to secure a tariff according to Rupert P. Ricker of San Angelo, former chairman of the tariff committee, and believes that this is one measure that all can agree on. All elements in the industry will be asked to join in this convention and in the activities which may follow, according to Tom E. Cranfill of Dallas, president.

#### LOBOES GRIND FOR BATTLE WITH INDIANS

Capitalizing upon the experience of the game with Gorman last Friday evening Coaches Jeffries and Hill are driving their Lobo squad through sessions of earnest practice this week in preparation for the team's clash with the Comanche Indians here Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The team showed to good advantage in its initial encounter with Gorman but it also revealed that a great deal of hard work is ahead of the coaches and the boys before the team is ready to step into its conference schedule. The line is due for a working over in several places to eliminate defensive weaknesses which were patent during the clash. The team's preparation for the game with the Comanche Indians here Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

#### Free Swims for Children Saturday

The swimming pool at Lake Cisco will be open to school children for free swims Saturday, instead of Friday. Manager Albert Hunt said Saturday the pool will be open all day and school children are invited to take advantage of the opportunity to swim, without cost. No free swims will be offered Friday, as stated yesterday.

#### ABILENE TOO HASTY SAYS MAYOR BERRY

Mayor J. T. Berry and Council George Fee returned yesterday from Abilene after a conference with Abilene officials upon the Abilene commission's action in passing an ordinance reducing the domestic gas rate from 75 cents per 1,000 cubic feet to 50 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, to follow Abilene's example in the matter. "From the statements of the Abilene officials we interviewed we have been convinced that Abilene has taken too hasty a step," said Mr. Berry. "In the last analysis Abilene will not be able to enforce the ordinance and consequently the people of that city will not receive the benefit of the reduction ordered."

#### 7 KILLED AS STORM ENDS HEAT WAVE

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 22.—The longest heat wave in the history of the southwest was broken today after violent storms swept the area, killing seven persons. Two fatalities were reported in Missouri, two in Kansas and three in Oklahoma. Jimmie Holt, 17, Oswego, Kansas high school senior, was instantly killed by flying timber as he sprayed flat at the fair ground stadium along with his team mates in an effort to escape the storm's fury. C. N. McNickle, 94, was killed by a falling tree at his farm near Oswego. Two St. Louis army fliers, Chauncey G. Weoman, the pilot, and Lieut. Phillip P. Brennan, crashed to death when the storm forced their plane down near Fulton, Mo. Lightning claimed the lives of Oscar Bond, Elmer Patterson, and Leonard Fawatzky, in Custer county, Oklahoma.

#### DALLAS FILES BRIEF FOR TPN CONSTRUCTION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The Dallas chamber of commerce filed a brief with the Interstate commerce commission today supporting the application of the Texas and Pacific Northern railway to construct a new line between Big Spring and Vega, Texas. Examiner O. D. Weed has recommended that the commission authorize construction of only a part of the line to Brownfield and Lubbock.

#### Apartment House Falls, Killing One

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—A west Philadelphia apartment house collapsed today, killing George Mitchell, 45, and pinning a man and a woman beneath tons of wreckage. A score of persons were also injured, one critically. Firemen were recovering Mitchell's body when they heard George Jameson, 41, and Anna Bell, 35, pinned beneath the debris, calling to each other. They then directed their attention toward rescuing them.

#### Maker of Internal Machine Sought

HARRISBURG, Ill., Sept. 22.—County officers, seeking the maker of an internal machine which exploded in a borrowed truck today, killing one youth and critically injuring another, arrested for questioning Harvey Thompson, brother-in-law of the owner of the vehicle. A clue to a possible motive was that Mrs. Mark Wulness, the truck owner's wife, had her husband arrested a week ago on an assault and battery charge. Albert Farmer, 21, was the youth killed and T. S. Farmer, 18, a cousin was gravely injured.

#### Cleaner Finds Bomb in Shop

DALLAS, Sept. 22.—Andrew Jackson, operator of a cleaning and pressing shop here, found one of his windows shattered and two sticks of dynamite lying on the sidewalk in front of his establishment when he went to work today. Jackson asked police protection. He said he has been cleaning and pressing suits for 25 cents which is below the average price.

#### DEBATE COSTS EAR

CANTON, O., Sept. 22.—Ahmed Hassas and two companions, debated religious. The argument grew heated. Ahmed is now in city jail minus his left ear. Nasser Maki, Ahmed's alleged assailant, is held as a suspicious person.

#### MATCH MAKERS BUSY

BELLEVILLE, Pa., Sept. 22.—Orders for 11,232,000,000 matches necessitated employment of an extra shift at the Federal Match company plant here. The extra men were employed at night. The orders were estimated to guarantee employment until late in January, 1932.

#### CLOSING TIME FOR TRAINS

Waco and Rotan train No. 36 (S. Bound) 7:50 a. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 16 (E. Bound) 9:50 a. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 3 (W. Bound) 11:45 a. m.  
Waco and Rotan Train No. 35 (N. Bound) 11:45 a. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 4 (E. Bound) 4 p. m.  
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 1 (W. Bound) 4 p. m.  
All night mails close at 9 p. m., with exception of Sunday when night mails close at 6:45 p. m.

#### Three Firemen Hurt When Wall Falls

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Three firemen were injured today when a burning wall fell on them. The men had rushed to fight a blaze in the J. B. Blanton automobile warehouse. Flames had eaten away part of the wall support, and the three were trying to hold it in place when it crashed. The injured: Fire chief Woody, Captain Otto Brinkman and Truck Driver Revy McMain. McMain was most seriously hurt, sustaining a split lip and severe body bruises.

#### Brinkley Sues Kansas Newspaper

JUNCTION CITY, Kans., Sept. 22.—Dr. J. E. Brinkley, Kansas goat plant specialist and defeated candidate for governor last year, today filed a \$5,000,000 libel suit against the Kansas City Star and three defendants.

#### Marriage Insurance Operators Arrested

DALLAS, Sept. 22.—With six men in custody, postal authorities here today sought to arrest more as they investigated two marriage insurance schemes one of which is said to have swindled Texas out of nearly \$1,000,000. Arrest of more than a score was expected by tonight. Both companies maintain headquarters here and have branches throughout the state.

#### Workers Protest Pay Injunction

LONGVIEW, Sept. 22.—More than 400 pipe line workers milled about the city today in angry mobs in protest because their paychecks have been held up by a court injunction restraining the Texas Pipe Line Co., from paying the Gregg Construction company from building a 44-mile pipe line.

#### NAT'L ROAD MEN TO MEET AT SALT LAKE

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 22.—One of the outstanding national conventions, which will be held in the West this year, is that of the American Association of State Highway Officials, convening here Sept. 28. The convention will be called to order by Henry H. Blood, president, who also is Utah State Highway Commission chairman, and formerly president of the American Association of State Highway Officials. Governors of several western states, congressmen, federal and state highway officials will be on the program. The indications are that the attendance will be the largest of any similar meeting of the national body since its formation, due somewhat to the fact that 1931 will go down in road history of the United States as the record year for highway construction in the 48 states.

#### Murder Verdict in Bachelor's Death

PORT ARTHUR, Sept. 22.—An inquest verdict of murder was returned here today in the death of B. R. Moisein, wealthy bachelor, found shot to death in his burning apartment in an exclusive part of town here yesterday.

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#### TWO KILLED

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 22.—A southbound Frisco passenger train crashed into a truck at a railroad crossing in Packington today, killing a six-month-old baby boy instantly and fatally injuring his mother. The dead: Billy Joe Gore and Mrs. Ed Gore, 21.

#### WEATHER

West Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Probably showers and slightly cooler in Panhandle.  
East Texas—Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight and Wednesday. Possibly scattered showers near coast.

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### DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

**THE EXCELLENCY OF GOD'S NAME:—**O Lord our Lord, how excellent is thy name in all the earth! who hast set thy glory upon the heavens.—Psalm 8: 1.  
**FORSAKE EVIL:—**Thus saith the Lord of hosts; Turn ye now from your evil ways, and from your evil doings.—Zechariah 1: 4.

### EFFECT OF THE COTTON BILL.

The state legislature has passed a bill limiting cotton planting in 1932 and 1933 to 50 per cent of the land cultivated this year. An additional provision of the bill prohibits planting the same land to cotton in successive years. The avowed purpose of the bill is to limit the 1932 and 1933 production of cotton to 50 per cent of the production of 1931.

Constitutionality of the measure, which is expected to receive Governor Sterling's signature, is attacked in some quarters while proponents point to the clause requiring crop rotation which they claim supports the legality of the measure by investigating it with the authority of the state to enact and enforce conservation laws.

Whether or not the bill is constitutional, it will at least be immune from the courts to a much larger degree than oil or bus regulations. Test of the law cannot be made until somebody has broken it, and that means planting too much acreage to cotton cannot take place before next March.

Maybe by that time, or before, whatever price effect the law promises will be felt. This effect, of course, hinges upon the question whether other cotton producing states which passed cotton restriction laws will put these laws into effect in spite of the fact that Texas failed to pass a measure that is similar.

There is one thing sure, if cotton restriction legislation is generally enforced, and that is that the new laws will revolutionize farming. More diversification will be the result as farmers turn to other means of grubbing a living from their acres. Agricultural workers will find a fertile field for their efforts which have invariably run up against the impregnable wall of the single crop habit. Terracing and conservation programs may be more effectively undertaken and the raising of hogs and cattle and other livestock, which has become a necessary adjunct of profitable farming, can be more rapidly developed. The live at home program, which alone promises security to the family which derives its sustenance through agricultural pursuits, may be found in this crisis to achieve a significant advance.

### HATCHER'S PROSPERITY PLAN.

A man whose salary remains at the level established in 1928, the man whose salary today is higher than he was then. With so many thousands of worthy Texas men and women out of jobs, he is, in all probability, more prosperous than he has any right to be.

Food, clothing, rents—they are approximately twenty per cent cheaper than they were in 1928. That being the case, the man who is paid on the 1928 scale, could lose a day every week and still be a little more prosperous than he was in ante-depression days.

It is the happy thought of W. Gregory Hatcher, former treasurer of the State of Texas, to give to employees of state and county and industry a vacation without pay one day in every six. The money thus saved by state and county and industry would be used to furnish jobs to Texas' little army of unemployed.

Immediately such a policy were inaugurated, insists Mr. Hatcher, the depression would be forgotten so far as Texas is concerned. For every man and woman in the state who honestly wants a job, there would be a job. Some people would be accumulating a little less surplus in the banks, but other people would be eating more regularly and, perhaps, a little better.

### MARIHUANA.

Teeth in the law prohibiting sale of marihuana are biting the hands that enforce it.

To prove the sale against a suspected peddler, a Houston detective bought from him a quantity of marihuana cigarettes. Upon this evidence, an indictment was returned and the seller brought to trial.

In court, however, the case fell to pieces. It developed that the detective who made the purchase was as guilty, under the terms of the statute, as the man who made the sale. In consequence his position in court was that of an accomplice, and his evidence was thrown out for want of corroboration.

Under the present wording of the statute, which Houston officials will ask the present legislature to correct, the law against peddling of this native narcotic is, to all intents and purposes, unenforceable.

It has been pretty well established that many Texas narcotic addicts enter the shadow world via the marihuana route. When the legislature passed the bill in question, the action was widely lauded as an effective step in the fight against dope. It is to be hoped that the legislature now in session will find a way to remedy what appears to be a fatal defect in the statute.

### OTHER OPINIONS

**LOCKING THE BARN**  
The old and always futile procedure of locking the barn after the horse has been stolen has been recommended to the legislature by Governor Sterling in the submission of a bill to prevent the automatic tax board increasing the state property tax rate for this year. If this

### Spilling the Beans!



### In the Political Arena

By THE POLITICAL ANALYST

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—The more successful farmers move to the city—that has been a definite trend for a generation.

Representative Lawrence Westbrook, in commenting upon this column's view that tenantry will be reduced by the new legislative policy toward agriculture, and brought out several significant aspects of the matter. In a letter he said:

"I desire to commend the comments on the acreage reduction law made by 'The Political Analyst.'"

"Economists of all persuasions have agreed almost unanimously that the most serious aspect of the agricultural situation in the South is involved in the system of tenantry which has been, for many years constantly expanding.

"It is a well-known fact that tens of thousands of our best farmers within the past two decades have left their farm homes and moved to the cities, leaving their lands to be worked by tenants. The tenant is naturally more interested in the immediate return from his farming operations than he is in the maintenance of improvements and the conservation of the soil; and the landlord likewise is concerned with

the most he can squeeze from the tenant's labor. The result has been the steady deterioration of farm lands, of farm homes and the degeneration of our rural life.

"The existing economic situation is being felt especially keenly by those same farm families which have moved to the cities; and there can be little doubt that there will be a return movement from the cities back to the farms.

"The acreage reduction law is another blow at tenantry. It will bring about diversification and the adoption of sound farming methods.

"Land mortgage companies could take no more constructive step in their own interest than to seize this opportunity for re-colonization of the farm lands which they have had to foreclose. The working of farms by their owners will obviate the necessity of any kind of acreage or conservation regulatory laws.

"LAWRENCE WESTBROOK"

It seems doubly difficult to get through the legislature any of the needed measures for relief of delinquent taxpayers. Legislation especially requiring initiative and constructive efforts in the capitol because those needing it are without voice there. The house threw out a bill that would have given the dispersed homeowner from which his property had been foreclosed an opportunity to redeem it. The legislature earlier in the year turned Rep. A. P. Johnson's constructive

bill for the correction of serious abuses in the delinquent tax system. It is to be more regretted that the constructive reforms such as these get killed off regularly since the state itself does not benefit by the forfeiture and seizure of a man's property when he lacks the few dollars to meet his taxes, but the benefit flows to an organized group in each principal county that fattens off the misfortunes of others, by, in a strictly legal way, buying in the properties.

One might hope that the rigid strict-constructionists might begin to care a little less about disturbing the established order of things, when the course would be to the substantial benefit of great numbers of people, and the benefits would enhance the building of society's bulwark, of a contented, home-owning citizenship.

Here are the eight senators who cast their votes against crop control: Holbrook, Hopkins, Hornsby, Martin, Moore, Purl, Rawlins, Woodruff. Senator Woodruff also opposed the bill but paired his negative vote on final passage with a supporter of the relief measure who was forced to be absent at the time.

### NOTICE.

Any one caught removing a Traffic Sign will be subject to a fine of \$100 and a reward of \$50 is offered to any one giving information leading to the arrest and conviction of a guilty party.  
J. T. BERRY, Mayor.

One million fish are to be distributed from the San Angelo fish hatchery to the lakes and rivers of West Texas this month.

### Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON E. WAITE  
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

That fame and fortune have come to the great advertiser. Their products have become a part of the life of the world.

Continuous advertising of quality has brought the goodwill which has made these concerns what they are today.

To be a success any business must have the good-will of the people it serves. Good-will is obtained by keeping customers satisfied.

It is a well known fact that continuous advertising gives full value for money spent and, by so doing, keeps their customers satisfied.

Continuous advertising makes a strong appeal to the pocket-book; so strong that it creates the necessary desire to possess.

The selling of quality merchandise through the printed page means increased business, and increased business means increased profits. Now is the time for the business concern that is not a regular advertiser to get busy.

Large quantities of merchandise are being bought daily from business concerns who are regular advertisers. There's a reason, of course.

People have been educated to read the advertisements before they buy, and then buy from the advertiser.

who offer them the best for money.

Some of the tales we hear these days about conditions in some of our fairer tale and a bad nightmare.

Of course it was not long ago we remember, there was the easy money and artificial acceptance of artificial facts. They were opposed to common sense and, therefore, to stability, with the result that day men are faced with the math of a glorious dream, which ended for a whole at least, hope has come and with it, we hope, dawn of saner times.

Now is the time to cease to be on a mad era of booms, which led to a crisis in the commercial history of the world.

It is the time that every one should be made to improve himself and not retard it.

Endeavor to forget the past give your thoughts and energy towards today and tomorrow.

A Floyd county farm woman recently awarded a contract to supply Texas A. & M. college with gallons of home canned black-peas at a cost of \$720.00.

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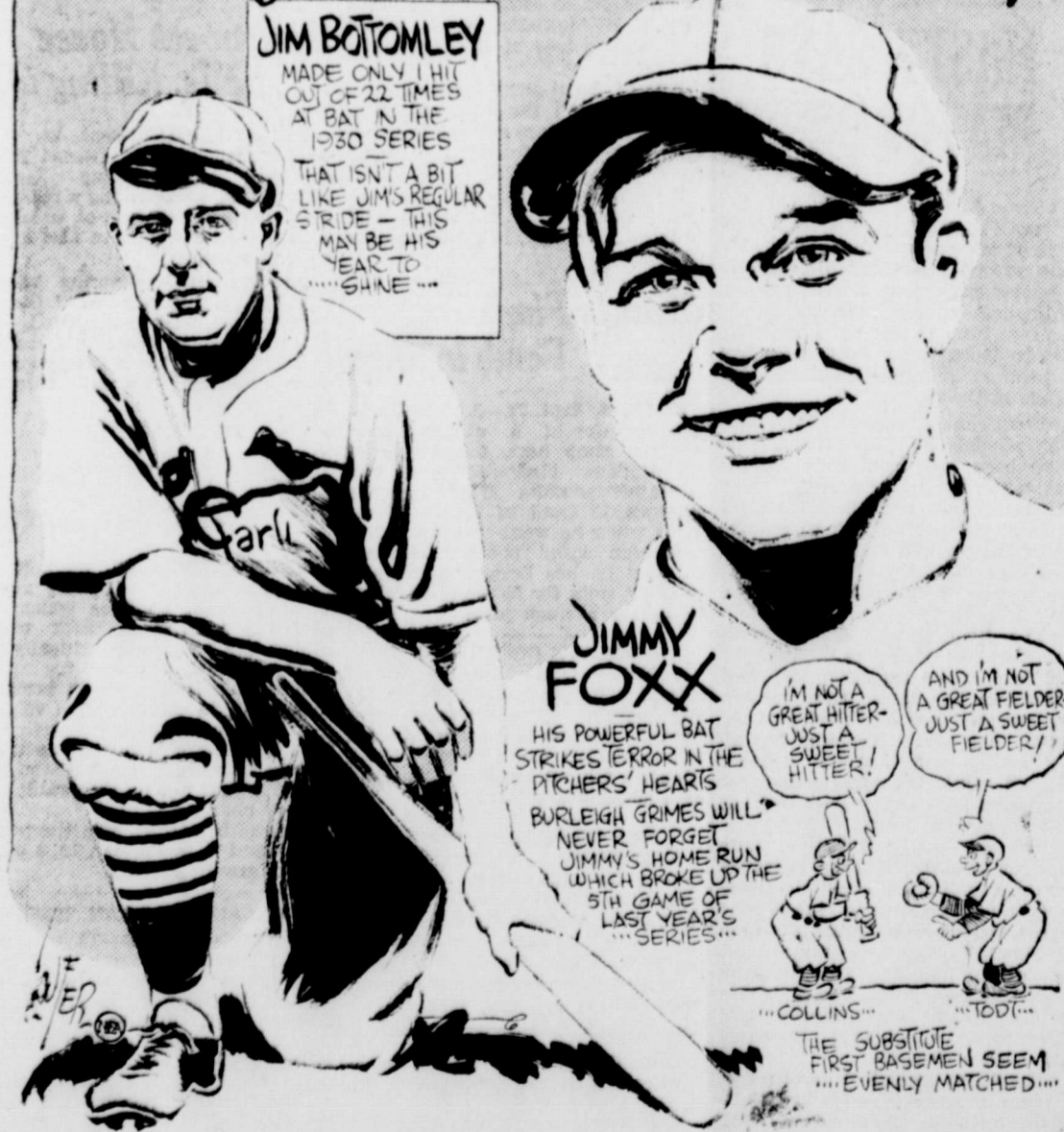
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### BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

### Rating World Series Stars!



**FIRST BASE** TRYING to choose between Jim Bottomley and Jimmy Foxx is a task for a crystal gazer. On a season's play, no one could rate one over the other without making himself a lot of enemies. But for a short series, past performance swings the balance in favor of Foxx. The Cardinal pitchers are not likely to forget the power of Jimmy's bat, and because of his habit of breaking up well-pitched games with disconcerting home runs, Foxx is given the preference over Bottomley in the pre-series picking. The Cards and A's rate about evenly on first base substitutes. Jim Collins is in his first year and hasn't the experience of his Athletics rival, Phil Todd, who is a finished fielder but not very potent on the attack. The Athletics enjoy a slight edge at first base solely because of Foxx's long-distance hitting.

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# 27,464 MILES OF ROAD PAVED DURING YEAR

The state highway systems were improved during 1930 by the surfacing of 27,464 miles of road and the improvement of 7,813 miles to a standard ready for surfacing, according to reports received by the Bureau of Public Roads, U. S. Department of Agriculture. The surfacing covered was 2,393 miles greater than in 1929. New surfaces to afford improved traffic service were placed on 12,251 miles of old road, and on 15,213 miles not previously surfaced. The state highway systems include 325,493 miles of which 226,000 miles are now surfaced. This surfacing is composed of 84,112 miles of the higher types of roads, bituminous macadam, bituminous concrete, cement concrete, and brick and 142,109 miles of low-type road (sand-clay, gravel, and water-bound macadam).

The roads built in 1930 by types were: sand-clay 2,243 miles (8 per cent); gravel 13,063 miles (48 per cent); water-bound macadam 1,371 miles (5 per cent); bituminous macadam 1,273 miles (5 per cent); bituminous concrete 697 miles (3 per cent); cement concrete 8,749 miles (32 per cent); brick 28 miles (less than 1 per cent).

Expenditures by State highway departments on roads in 1930 amounted to \$986,000,000 or an increase of 22 per cent over 1929. Of this amount \$713,000,000 was expended for construction, \$191,700,000 for maintenance and the remainder for equipment interest on roads, and miscellaneous purposes. The state highway departments also made other disbursements such as principal payments on bonds and transfers of funds to counties amounting to \$160,000,000. Construction expenditures in 1930 were 28 per cent greater than in 1929.

A study of the sources of revenue shows that the state highway program was financed largely by motor vehicle and gasoline tax revenue and by bonds. The retirement of which is to be largely by motor vehicle funds. Property taxes and state appropriations, which once constituted the main sources of revenue, are now relatively unimportant. The total state highway revenue during the year was \$1,367,437,437 derived as follows: Motor vehicle revenues, 26 per cent; gasoline taxes, 36 per cent; bonds, 20 per cent; federal aid, 8 per cent; state taxes and appropriations, 4 per cent; funds transferred from counties 5 per cent; and miscellaneous revenue, 1 per cent. At the beginning of 1930 a balance of \$285,000,000 was on hand, which made the total funds available \$1,423,000,000. Only 9 states reported decreases in their incomes in 1930.

The figures as reported do not include the work done by counties, townships, and other jurisdictions in local roads.

## SCHOOL BOY'S LETTER STARTS COTTON DRIVE

MEMPHIS, Sept. 22.—A 14-year-old country school boy, whose farm home was bordered by cotton patches and who daily saw sickness and suffering because farmers were without funds, although their gardens were abundant in food-stuffs, is credited with being the inspiration for a "Buy Cotton" campaign launched by the Press-Scimitar.

The boy, Lewis Mock, who is known in school as "Pooch," wrote Editor Tom Sharp a suggestion to alleviate the suffering. Sharp had asked readers to write letters suggesting a remedy of the over-production in the cotton.

"I am a boy, 14 years old," the letter read. "I suggest that all the surplus cotton should be made into overalls and given to little boys that cannot buy them."

All farmers should plant only one-half of their land in 1932," Lewis lives near Biggers, Ark. that was severely hit by the 1931 drought. His father's farm is 25 miles from the Missouri line. Around it are farms where conditions are not so good and where suffering is found.

The newspaper editor printed Lewis' letter and from it conceived the idea of launching a "Buy Cotton" campaign.

The campaign called for every citizen to buy \$1 worth of cotton goods. The paper said that increased consumption would lead ultimately to the opening of mills, that it would shortly result in a demand for raw cotton. Governors of 12 southern states were asked to endorse the campaign.

Lewis said he wrote the letter without advising his parents. The thought of writing Editor Sharp came, he said, after visiting neighbors' places.

**ANCIENT EASTERT EGG.**  
YORK, Pa., Sept. 22.—A Colored Easter egg, dated 1879, was found during house-cleaning at Shrewsbury by Mrs. Louise Young. The egg was described as being as light as a feather, the gas forming when the interior decayed evidently having escaped through pores. It was colored dark blue, with etching of a rabbit and chickens on the shell. It bore the name of Mrs. Young's son, Robert.

## "Alfalfa Bill" Turns Doctor

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 22.—Prescription for the prevention and cure of appendicitis has been formulated by Oklahoma's governor.

"When you are suffering from an attack of appendicitis, you should stop eating all food and drink milk," said William H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, who has prescribed remedies for the nation's oil and cotton industries.

Murray's "cure" is a simple one to follow.

"If you wash out three pounds of fresh grapes, swallow the seeds whole. Follow this diet for 24 hours and the pain will be gone. Why, I do not know, any more than I know why the moon affects fence posts, but it's that way."

"Then for a few days cut out all red meat, eat half-cooked onions and cabbage. If you can't get grapes, take some raisins, cook them in warm water overnight, but don't boil them."

"The thing that causes appendicitis is refined food," he said. "Your diet must depend upon your activity, occupation, age and health conditions. For instance, newspaper reporters can eat 'most anything, including in billiard balls."

## LAWYER DOUBTS BRITISH PRIVY COUNCIL POWER

DUBLIN, Sept. 22.—That the privy council of the British Commonwealth of Nations is powerless to enforce its decrees in judicial matters is the assertion made by Hector Hughes, a King's Counsel of the Irish Bar, in a book to be published shortly.

He says in an interview that many of the ideas incorporated in his book were gained during a visit to the United States and Canada last year, as a guest of the legal associations.

Hughes deals extensively with the grave dissatisfaction existing among some of the autonomous nations regarding appeals to the judiciary committee of the privy council in London which is Britain's final word in legal disputes. He quotes the sovereignty, which is enjoyed by each of the dominions, as defined by the Imperial conference of 1926, namely "autonomous communities within the British empire, equal in status, in no way subordinate one to another in any aspect of their domestic or external affairs though united by common allegiance to the crown, and freely associated as members of the British commonwealth of nations."

Hughes maintains that this sovereignty includes the right to make each dominion supreme court supreme within its own borders, and that several of the dominions, including Australia and the Irish Free State, have protested against the privy council's interference with dominion supreme courts' finding. These protests, he says, occurred at conferences in 1911, 1913, 1923 and 1930 where the matter was raised as a question of constitutional principle.

## Texas Studies Cotton Roads

VICTORIA, Sept. 22.—Cotton highways may soon relieve the farmer without benefit of legislation. That is, if certain experiments now being conducted by State Highway Engineer Gibb Giehris are successful.

These experiments, being conducted near Gonzales and Yoakum, are in line with a suggestion recently sent Gov. Ross Sterling by Leopold Morris, editor of The Victoria Advocate.

"Highly compressed cotton, properly treated, would be more durable and cheaper than other road material even at 18 cents a pound, according to preliminary investigations," Morris wrote Sterling shortly after he called the Texas Legislature into special session to pass a cotton acreage reduction bill.

"Buildings erected many years ago in New Orleans on cotton foundations are still standing," Morris said in a leading railroad constructed in England, built through swamps of bales of cotton a half century ago is still in existence."

Morris wants a congressional committee to study the matter, as well as highway engineers. He further recalled that several years ago, when the price of rubber was low, the British government built several highways of rubber.

**VILLAGE HIDES TRUTH.**  
EASTPORT, Me., Sept. 22.—A stranger, gazing upon it from one of the nearby hills, never would guess that Pleasant Point, five miles from here, is an Indian village. There are no traces, the community, consisting of a group of neat frame buildings, a schoolhouse, a public square and a baseball diamond. It is the ancestral home town of the Passamaquoddy tribe and now has a population of 450.

**3,000 PLANTS IDENTIFIED.**  
CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—More than 3,000 specimens of plants, the majority from South America, submitted to the Field Museum for determination and study by herbaria in London, Paris, Stockholm, Geneva, and Berlin have been identified recently by Associate Curator Paul C. Standley. All of the specimens, Standley said, were returned to the cooperating institutions.

Air mail service was inaugurated through Wichita Falls, Texas, with the opening of Air Route 33, on August 1.

## This Letter Lured Three to Death

CLARKSBURG, Sept. 22.—The letter which lured three children to their deaths in Clarksburg, West Virginia, was found by police here today.

*Miss Grethe Eicher  
312 Cedar St  
B. Del.*

*Grethe Darling*

*Mr. Quinn is coming after you  
children, I have told him what to  
do - so you can do as he says  
I will wait for you here and  
when you get here, we can all go to  
live with him.*

*Love  
Mother*

Digging into the effects of Harry F. Powers, West Virginia "Blue-beard," Clarksburg police have found this letter with which the three children of Mrs. Asta B. Eicher, one of his woman victims, were lured to Clarksburg and slain. It was addressed to Grethe Eicher, eldest of the children, at Park Ridge, Ill., shortly before Powers, then known as Cornelius O. Pierson, went back there to get them. Officers say that Powers either forged the letter or forced Mrs. Eicher to write it while she was confined as his prisoner in a dungeon under his garage near Clarksburg.

## Royal Bride Orders Linen

LONDON, Sept. 22.—The Infanta Beatriz, daughter of King Alfonso, took advantage of her recent visit to Lord and Lady Londonderry to order Irish linen for use in her future home. Her wedding will probably take place in the second week of October.

The Princess selected a considerable amount of table linen in pastel shades as well as some fine white specimens, hand-embroidered and trimmed with Irish lace.

Lingerie for her trousseau is being made in France and Spain by firms, and at the profits of the work will go to charity.

The Infanta Beatriz has chosen Irish tweeds and Scottish home-

spuns for the tailor-mades and sport suits. It is understood that royalists from Zaragoza, Spain, are planning to send a basket of roses from a garden in Aragon, so that petals of the flowers may be strewn in the path of the bride and bridegroom on their wedding day.

**PENNSYLVANIA BEES BUSY.**  
HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 22.—Pennsylvania apiaries produced 1,750,000 pounds of honey during 1930. The production came from 20,000 beekeepers, owning 150,000 colonies of bees, according to the State Department of Agriculture, which estimated that \$700,000 was invested that \$700,000 was invested in the industry in the state.

A modern whiteaway has been installed in the business section of Spearman, Texas.

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

**ITALIAN SUNFLOWER SEED**  
BRADSHAW IN FROM ITALY AND PLANTED BY ANTONIO DOMARICO OF OMAHA, NEBR. GREW TO A HEIGHT OF 15 FEET.

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**CAVE FURNISHES HEAT.**  
JOPLIN, Mo., Sept. 22.—A home refrigeration and heating system, with absolutely no maintenance cost, has been rigged up by J. Frank Walker here. Walker's house is built over an Ozark cave. By running a pipe line from the cave to his dining room and living room, Walker can keep his home at a uniform temperature of 58 degrees all year around if he desires it.

**SERVED WELL.**  
BEDFORD, Ind., Sept. 22.—Stone gutters, instead of the usual metal which carried off rain water from the Lawrence county court house here for almost 60 years, were revealed recently when the structure was razed to permit the building of a new court house. The gutters, builders said, had served without repairs since installed.

Citizens of Coleman county, Texas, recently sent a carload of watermelons as a gift to the citizens of Ravenna, Nebraska. Ravenna supplied Coleman county with a carload of flour and canned goods during the 1930 drought.

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# U. S. YEARBOOK GIVES STORY OF DEPRESSION

By THOMAS L. STOKES  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The history of the depression for future generations to ponder, with charts and diagrams and detailed analyses to satisfy the most exacting, is contained in a book prepared by the Commerce Department and published today.

Only a few bright spots light up the otherwise dark story told in the 606 pages, which carries this, as every year, the precise title "Commerce Year Book." It is an annual publication and tells, this year, the developments of the depression during 1930.

It is a facts and figures book, a mine of information for the economist and statistician. Nowhere in its pages is there a mention of one of the most controversial issues of the depression period, the tariff, nor does it deal with unemployment except as a phase of the general situation.

**Series of Charts**  
In a series of charts and lengthy explanation of them, the book shows the downward trend in business and industry, in foreign trade, in employment and wages, in agriculture, and in price movements.

The opening sentence sums up well the trying experience through which this country and the world has passed.

The recession in business activity which commenced in the latter part of 1929 developed into a world depression of major proportions by the latter part of 1930 accompanied by the accumulation of large stocks of raw materials, throughout the world, extensive price declines, curtailment of industrial operations and growing unemployment, unsettled political conditions in many foreign countries, the severe drought in the United States, the decline in the price of silver, and other similar developments," it says in a nutshell.

**Proof of Optimism**  
The book gives proof that the optimism expressed in the early months of 1930 by President Hoover and leading business men that the depression then was about to end was well-founded in developments at that time.

In the case of many downward trends, the book cites figures to show that the trend reached lower depths in the short 1931 depression. The charts, sprinkled throughout the book almost uniformly, show a continually descending line.

A series of excerpts best show, in thumb-nail form, the outline of the depression.

## 101 Ranch May Be Aided by Oil

PONCA CITY, Okla., Sept. 22.—Col. Zack I. Miller believes that new oil discoveries on his famous 101 Ranch near here eventually will help him in straightening the tangled finances of the ranch.

Set by financial difficulties, one of which was the failure of the 101 Ranch wild west show at Washington, creditors have asked a receiver for the ranch.

Colonel Miller, veteran plainsman and last of the famous Miller brothers, has asked time to recon his finances and pay off some \$700,000 in debts against the ranch.

"If the price of oil is raised to a profitable level, interest in development of the ranch land leases will show vast stores of oil," Miller said.

He explained the famous Watch-torn field, which has produced more than \$10,000,000 worth of petroleum, was located mostly on his lands. The first oil well in this locality was drilled by the 101 Ranch Oil Company northwest of the famous Miller "White House."

## DRILL REPORT

Drilling report filed with W. J. Carden deputy supervisor oil and gas division, Railroad commission of Texas for the 8th district, Coleman, Texas, Week ending Sept. 16th, 1931.

**Brown County**  
Bonwell and Holloway, Parker well No. 1, T. D., 2601 feet, fishing for the 6-5-8 inch casing.  
B. D. Dossier, Cleveland well No. 1; Snodding without filing intention to drill.  
Humble Oil and Ref. Co., Kliger well No. 4 A; drilling at 960 feet.

**Coleman County**  
W. L. Jackson et al., Wagner well No. 1, drilling at 650 feet.  
Centennial Oil and Gas company, Newton well No. 3; pulled the casing in.  
Jamison, Pollard & Forster, Kingsberry well No. 3, drilling at 1358 ft.  
F. A. Lane et al., DeBusk well No. 1; drilling at 465 feet.  
J. C. Shaffer et al., Shields estate well No. 1, dry and abandoned at 2271 feet.

**Fisher County**  
A. E. Service, C. W. Crawford well No. 1, Block 1 B B B & C R. B. survey, intention to drill.

Ten thousand people lined up celebrating the completion of a concrete highway into Brownwood, Texas, recently.

Lampasas, Texas, recently celebrated its seventy-fifth birthday with a three days' celebration.

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## A Bird of a Trick



Putting a cigarette in his master's mouth is just one of many tricks that delighted a London court audience when Jack a jackdaw appeared as "plaintiff" against a man who struck and injured him with a sick. The bird is shown here with his owner, Freeman Thredgold.

## TEXAS TOPICS

**By RAYMOND BROOKS**  
AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—The best catch of the special session was made by Rep. R. M. Hubbard of Bowie county.

Rep. Phil Sanders of Nacogdoches was presiding as speaker. He put his 260 pounds behind a swing of the gavel and broke its handle. The

heavy wooden mallet flying back almost into the face of Mr. Hubbard who was sitting beside the speaker. Mr. Hubbard reached up and caught the flying gavel though the jagged end of the broken handle punctured his hand.

The state board of mansion supervisors, created by the legislature to assist in redecorating and ultimately renovating and refurbishing the governor's mansion, will hold a meeting at Austin within the next two or three weeks. Mrs. Dan Moody is chairman, has announced. Members already are discussing plans for gradually equipping the mansion with suitable and harmonious furnishings and art material. Lack of money will cause the work to be carried on slowly.

## SISTERS 300 YEARS OLD

BOSTON, Sept. 22.—New England has four sisters whose ages total nearly 300 years. They are: Mrs. G. H. Wright, of Gales Ferry, Conn., and Mrs. Charles A. Chesley of Swampscott, 71-year-old twins; Mrs. Harriet J. Gustin, 75, Danvers, and Miss Mary E. Clarke, 77, Lynn.

## KEEPS FARMER COOL

ST. PAUL, Neb., Sept. 22.—Last winter's snows are still keeping Frank Teichmeyer's ice box cold. When a blizzard heaped up a high snowbank near his home he covered it with straw. The snowbank has provided ice throughout the summer. There was but one drawback to the plan. A large apple tree failed to bear fruit, or even leaves, because of the cold of the drift which surrounded it.

## HALTS HAMMER WILDER

SALEM, Mass., Sept. 22.—Judge Harry Dew issued an order restraining Calvin Worden, 45, from using a sledge-hammer to gain entrance to the Worden home in Lynn. The action was taken after Worden, finding his house locked, had battered down the front door with a hammer.

## FRAT MEN RATE HIGH

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 22.—Another college campus myth has been exploded. Fraternity members do not spend all their time in initiations and collegiate pranks. They study, and study hard, according to

## PAVED WITH WHEAT

CIMARRON, Kans., Sept. 22.—A road north of here has been "paved with wheat" at least that is the way it appears to those who drive over it. Trucks hauling wheat over the road have dropped so much that it is "nearly as thick as the sand used by the highway department in constructing it."

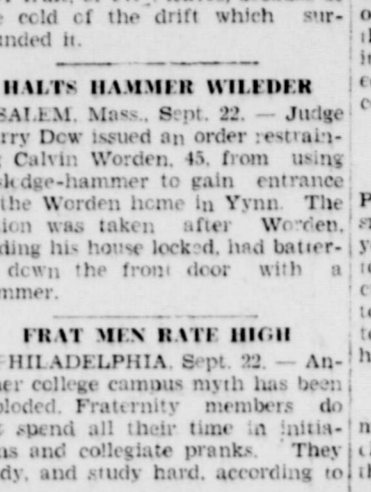
## PLAN SMALL PLANTING

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 22.—Pennsylvania farmers will plant the smallest winter wheat acreage this year since the Civil War, according to the State Department of Agriculture. Farmers reported planning to seed 687,000 acres, just half the total area harvested in 1903, the high record year.

## Members of the chamber of commerce at Ralls, Texas, planted tiny park in grass recently, doing the work themselves.

## Collingsworth county, Texas, building a \$150,000 court house at Wellington.

## Never "dose" except on doctor's advice



## Heinrich Brüning, Iron-Willed German Chancellor, Dictator Against His Wish

By H. A. PETERS  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
BERLIN, Sept. 22.—A dictator against his own wishes!

An idealist who began his political career with the vision of a single majority party, working together for the rebuilding of the Fatherland, and who sometimes today gives the impression that he still cherishes such a vision. An iron-willed disciplinarian, who carries many problems to his God in prayer, before reaching a final decision.

Heinrich Brüning, Chancellor of the German Republic, is, as all rulers are certain to be, the object of unbounded admiration and of considerable unpopularity.

Brüning is intensely devout. His elder brother, Hermann, who died in 1924, as a prelate in the Catholic church, had a great influence over him. The family has had its pew in the Dome chapel at Muenster, the home city, for several generations. The Chancellor attends mass regularly. Often, in the midst of a tremendous problem, he sits himself alone and on his knees in prayer seeks guidance.

"To the man in the street" especially to the workers, Brüning is an enigma. This because he seeks no publicity, has never made an effort to popularize his name and seldom interprets his decisions and his actions. In some ways he recalls the spirit and idealism of Woodrow Wilson; he possesses the same tireless energy for exhaustive study of a subject and the same tenacity of conviction.

**Favored by Hindenburg**  
The relationship between Von Hindenburg and his Chancellor is one of the most interesting in the government today. The old field marshal was quickly drawn by the military precision of the serious young man, who had served three years in the infantry on the Western Front, had commanded a machine-gun section and been a sharpshooter, and who later had come up through the ranks of the Catholic Party to its leadership.

The first of the war on the young bachelor-chancellor he is still unmarried today, can hardly be overestimated. Brüning entered the war rather unassuming, retiring, incurable book-worm. The first call to arms found him rejected—physically too small. He tramped from barracks to barracks. His chest expansion was under regulations. It was not until 1915 that he managed to enlist. He was almost immediately sent to the Western Front, where he distinguished himself. He was mentioned in army despatches and received several medals, including the Iron Cross.

Brüning's life up to the war years had been somewhat sheltered—law study in Munich, study in Strasburg, Bonn, France and England—he was nearly 30 before he finished. The war years toughened him, both physically and mentally. The Chancellor today has unbound-

ed energy and he cannot abandon a problem until he is satisfied it has been carried as far as possible.

**Seems Opinionless**  
His seeming indifference to the opinion of others is a protection to him. It is a curious fact that little of the census for the stringency of the flood of dictatorial decrees based on the famous paragraph 48 of the constitution is directed against President von Hindenburg who issues them. The brunt of the blame is laid at Brüning's door. Von Hindenburg remains the grand old man of the Republic.

Brüning is 46, tall, rather slender, with cool eyes behind rimless spectacles, and a somewhat thin, ascetic mouth, which has drawn for him the characterization of "coldness." Those who know him say that his first words dispel this illusion. His head is bald.

The earnestness of his conversation never fails to make friends. His command of both English and French have done much to help in his contacts with foreign statesmen. Brüning is perhaps better known throughout the foreign press than at home and therefore more popular abroad. This because he stands as a bulwark against radicalism and repudiation in foreign eyes. Here he is known as the author of emergency decrees which cut the standard of living and force new sacrifices.

**Simple Diet**  
His diet is simple. He has few pleasures besides reading. He has only one failing—smoking. During the war, like most soldiers, he used cigars whenever he could get them. Warned that they were endangering his health, he was persuaded to give them up. He now uses cigars.

Heinrich Brüning has been called cold, unfeeling, the second "Iron Chancellor." Parts of the masses have accused him of failure to realize their distress; have blamed him for not stabilizing wages and achieving reduced prices of staple goods. They have blamed him of ruthlessness in his emergency decrees which cut civil service salaries and shaved war veterans' compensations and unemployment doles.

But it is because he realized the necessity for drastic measures in order to keep the fabric of German business life from falling to pieces that he chose the lesser evil and called on the people for further sacrifices.

Here is a man whose government, within the space of a few days, closed the entire banking and mar-

ket system of Germany, which threw arbitrary restrictions on the channels through which flow the very life substance of the country, who shut off access to the life savings of millions of small citizens—and all this with surprisingly little violence. And there was more understanding than outright criticism of the man and his problems.

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Laura Lou Brookman Author of "MAD MARRIAGE"

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Petty Norma Kent, 20-year-old...

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CHAPTER XXIX

Norma gave a sharp tug at her...

"I don't want you to go!" she...

"I'll do it for you," Norma offered...

Norma leaned against the arm of...

"I'm glad," Norma said slowly...

"That's right, Mother," he said...

"LEAST EFFORT. TIRED ME" WOMEN who find themselves in a weak, run-down state...

There was talk of men and women...

She sat back very still and white...

"Please don't!" I'm sure something terrible is going to happen...

"I'm just that you're tired, dear. Better get to bed, Mother and Dad will look out for you while I'm away..."

She refused to be quieted and comforted...

"Something will happen!" she repeated a dozen times...

It all resulted in a strained, miserable state of affairs...

til four o'clock Monday afternoon. They were gathered in a little group in the station waiting room...

They don't want me here! "They" referred to Mark's parents...

On the rear of the last platform she could still see Mark, waving.

Amos and Andy Banquet Feature

"Amos and Andy at 9 o'clock will be one of the special features of the Men's Fellowship banquet...

The male quartet of the First Methodist church will furnish music...

A \$20,000 school building was recently completed in the Graham district...

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Train Schedule

RAILROAD TIME TABLE. New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m., June 7. T. & P. West Bound. No. 7 ... 1:45 a. m. No. 3 ... 12:20 p. m. No. 1 "Sunshine Special" ... 4:57 p. m.

SAVE TIME Get Results. A Daily News Want Ad will scour the field in a few hours for what it would take you days to locate.

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ARE YOU GOING TO SCHOOL THIS FALL?

BEAT DAMAGED CORN. RYLAND, Kan., Sept. 22. — The intense heat which prevailed in this section recently damaged corn...

IMPERSONATOR. MEXICO, Mo., Sept. 22. — E. H. Vander, farmer near here, has a turkey gobbler with motherly instincts...

AVIATION. A large gravel pit on the south of the Peace river near Quamsh is furnishing sand and gravel for highway construction...

MEMPHIS AND WELLINGTON, TEXAS. Memphis and Wellington, Texas are holding bond elections for installing municipal gas distribution systems.

LIQUID OR TABLETS. Relieves a Headache or Neuralgia in 30 minutes, checks a Cold the first day, and checks Malaria in three days.

666 Salve for Baby's Cold.

Business Directory. DR. HUBERT SEALE. Successor to Dr. M. C. Carlisle, Dean Building. Res. Telephone 187; Office 164. General Practice, emphasizing Diseases of Children, and Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses Fitted.

Announcements. The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, H. S. DRUMWRIGHT; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Cisco Lodge No. 558, A. P. & A. M. meets fourth Thursday, 8 p. m. FRED A. STEWART, W. M.; L. D. WILSON, secretary.

Cisco Commandery, K. T. meets every third Thursday of each month at Masonic Hall. GEORGE BOYD, commander; L. D. WILSON, acting recorder.

Cisco Chapter No. 190, R. A. M. meets on first Thursday evening of each month at 7 p. m. Visiting Companions are cordially invited. JACK BOMAN, H. P.; L. D. WILSON, secretary.

Lions club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel roof garden at 12:15. E. O. ELLIOTT, president; O. J. TUNNELL, secretary.

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OUT OUR WAY



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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS.



France Bans Plane Hunting

PARIS, Sept. 22.—The department of the Seine, suspecting that hunters this season would attempt to take to the air, has forbidden hunting by airplane. Shooting from automobiles also is banned.

But this is not all. The official regulations include the notation that "it is formally forbidden to use bloodhounds for any kind of hunt, even in pursuing verminous animals." The prefecture further takes it upon itself to defend little birds which are beneficial to agriculture; it recalls that one must not "blind finches to make them sing better" and so lure others from their nests.

The new regulations permit the hunters to smoke out foxes and badgers from their lairs, emphasizing that the raven, magpie, jay, buzzard and wood pigeon are harmful birds and that the fox, weasel and what have you are wild animals.

The ordinance forbids transport of living game without a permit, even if such animals are being brought in for their fur and skin. Wild rabbits and boars—dead—may be taken to the market and sold without any formality. Before killing a sparrow, special authorization must be obtained.

Bankhead Meeting At Eastland Tonight

EASTLAND, Sept. 22.—At 8 o'clock tonight at the Eastland chamber of commerce rooms there will be held a meeting of Eastland citizens for the purpose of discussing ways and means of pulling traffic over the Broadway of America, which traverses this section.

Delegations from St. Louis, Kansas and Cisco are expected to be in attendance. Grady Bell of Odessa, representing the Broadway of America, will be present to explain plans being put into operation by the Broadway of America association for stimulating traffic over the hush of the highway.

HIKE 500 Miles. TORTONA, Italy, Sept. 22.—Eight young Catholic seminarians, without money, but with sturdy legs, arrived here recently after walking all the way from Rome, a distance of more than 500 miles.

Seven acres of irrigated land belonging to the State Tuberculosis sanatorium near San Angelo, Texas, provides the major part of the vegetables at the institution. It is estimated that the products from the tract saved \$5,000 in one year.

A ninety-acre emergency landing field is being opened at Canadian, Texas, by the United States department of commerce.

Unofficial estimates place the total production of the 1931 wheat crop of the Texas panhandle at fifty-seven million bushels.

PALACE NOW PLAYING Dorothy MACKAILL in THE RECKLESS HOUR with CONRAD NAGEL

Locked the Stable After the Horse Was Stolen

We are all familiar with the above saying which means, Action came too late. Now, that is the way with many people about their insurance—they think about it when it is too late—they lock the stable too late.

When your car perhaps has been stolen or you are faced with a liability suit, then it is too late to insure—

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Dad Says Powers Was "Bad Boy"



Harry F. Powers, West Virginia "Bluebird," who lured seeking women to their deaths through a matrimonial agency always was a "very bad boy," according to Wilko Drenth, left, pious immigrant farmer of Fair-

Washington's "Great Stone Face"



Carved in granite, the great stone face of George Washington is shown here looking down from the Mount Rushmore Memorial in the Black Hills of South Dakota. Size of the head, now nearing completion, is indicated by the men working on the nose. The head is 60 feet from chin to top of forehead and is built on the scale of a man 465 feet tall. Likenesses of Jefferson, Lincoln and Roosevelt also are being chiseled into the stone.

About Cisco Today

CALENDAR Wednesday The South Ward P. T. A. will meet at the school building at 3:30 Wednesday afternoon. The Happy Thimble Sewing club will meet with Mrs. Ernest Lemon, 305 West Seventh street. Judge Milburn McCarty, prominent Eastland lawyer, was a visitor in Cisco today on business. Mrs. Bill Rathmell and children of Abilene are visiting Mrs. W. D. Hazel. Miss Rita Troxell is visiting in Desdemona for a few days. Mrs. T. E. House and Miss Thro Seaman were visitors in Eastland yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Clarkson and Miss Letta Clarkson spent yesterday in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed of Carbon were guests of Mrs. W. D. Hazel Sunday. Mrs. Fred Higginbotham spent the weekend in Gorman. Rev. and Mrs. E. S. James are spending today in Dallas. Miss Frances Hicks of Hoidenville, Oklahoma, left this morning after a visit with Mrs. Jack Cabaness. Fred Hackle of Abilene is spending today in Cisco. Mrs. E. L. Hartfield and Mrs. T.

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STAMFORD, Sept. 22.—No ballyhoo: just business! With that watchword, five executives of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will start out next week on a swing of the far-flung territory for the holding of nine district meetings in the period between September 23 and October 3 inclusive.

These will be strictly business meetings, for affiliated towns only, and invitation to attend will be restricted to our town directors, together with presidents and secretaries of local chambers of commerce," explained Houston Harte, West Texas Chamber of Commerce president. "At these conferences matters will be discussed wherein we want co-operation of affiliated towns for massed effort. How to use our freight bureau, how to get publicity for towns through the West Texas Chamber benefits to towns of a public expenditure and tax committee and of civic beautification committee, work of our agricultural committee, oil and gas committee, breeder-feeder committee—all of these things will be explained with emphasis on pooling of efforts."

Schedule. The schedule of district conferences is as follows: District 9, San Angelo, Wednesday, September 23. District 6, Big Spring Thursday, September 24. District 8, Fort Stockton, Friday, September 25. District 7, Carlsbad Saturday, September 26. District 2, Lubbock, Monday, Sept. 27. District 1, Amarillo, Tuesday, Sept. 29. District 3, Wichita Falls, Thursday, Oct. 1. District 5, Abilene Friday, Oct. 2. District 10, Colman, Saturday, October 3.

Hat Craze Brings Out Biographies

PARIS, Sept. 22.—An unexpected result of the craze which has swept the world for the little hats which bear her name, is the sudden appearance in French of seven historical biographies of Empress Eugenie, who had almost been forgotten in history until an enterprising milliner took her up.

Her biography is particularly colorful, especially since she linked the France of 1870 with modern days, having died in exile in England, July 11, 1920. She failed to reach the 100 years promised to her by a fortune teller who in her youth had announced that Eugenie would become a ruler, would live to 100 and die blind.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

Table listing various New York stocks and their closing prices, including American Can, Am. P. & L., Am. Smelt, Am. T. & T., Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Aviation Corp. Del., Beth Steel, Byers A. M., Canada D. Y., Case J. I., Chrysler, Curtiss Wright, Elect. Au. L., Elec. St. Bldg., Foster Wheel, Fox Films, Gen. Elec., Gen. Mot., Gillette S. R., Goodyear, Houston Oil, Int. Cement, Int. Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger, G. & B., Lig. Carb., Mont. Ward, Nat. Dairy, Para. Public, Phillips P., Prairie O. & G., Pure Oil, Purity Bak., Radio, Sears Roebuck, Southern Pacific, Stan. Oil N. J., Studebaker, Texas Gulf Sul., Tex. Pac. C. & O., Und. Elliott, U. S. Gypsum, U. S. Ind. Alc., U. S. Steel, Vanadium, Westing Elec., Worthington, Cities Service, Ford M. Ltd., Gulf Oil Pa., Humble Oil, Niag. Hyd. Pwr., Stan. Oil Ind., U. S. Tires, Gulf Products.

PERFECT COATING.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 22.—An enamel coating for wires, which is reported to completely insulate and withstand heavy strains, has been perfected by a paint and varnish company here.

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The district 4 meeting will be held in Fort Worth date not yet fixed, and will be in the form of a general membership meeting for that district. The district director will preside at each conference. President Harte will attend district Nos. 9, 6, 8, 5 and 10 meetings, and Wilbur Hawk and Spencer Wells, vice presidents, will attend district Nos. 7, 2, 1 and 3. D. A. Banden, manager, and Maury Hopkins, assistant manager, will be at all meetings, explaining the work program.

New Disease Is Killing Bees

CARSON CITY, Sept. 22.—Ranchers and bee keepers in this vicinity are wondering if there is a possible connection in the presence of a mysterious disease which has caused paralysis among horses and bees.

In recent weeks a number of horses have died from symptoms similar to paralysis. Large quantities of bees, in some instances entire colonies, have been wiped out by the disease, which has the same peculiar characteristics of the former.

New a farmer residing in Carson Valley has come forth with the statement that, in making a study of grasshoppers, he found them clinging to stalks of alfalfa, unable to use their hind legs. A large number had already died.

In competition with over 8,300 towns and cities throughout the United States, Spur and Marfa, two West Texas towns, were among the highest fifty-two competitors that received cash awards or honorable mention in the 1931 campaign of the Better Homes in America organization, which promotes beautification of homes and cities.

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment—Phone 80.

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