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Coldest Weather in History Sweeps Over East

TEMPERATURE REACHES 60 BELOW ZERO

Record Cold Waves Hit Half a Dozen Cities on East Coast.

Coldest winter blasts in 60 years struck the eastern seaboard today as new snowfall accompanied milder temperatures in the mid-west.

East of the Allegheny mountains temperatures plunged to 60 below zero and set new all-time records for cold in half a dozen cities. The poor and destitute, suffering from a week of blizzards and cold, faced new hardships.

Owlshead, N. Y., reported an unofficial record of 60 degrees below zero; Lake Edward, Que., had 50 below, and New Hampshire and Maine recorded more than 40 below zero.

Fears were expressed for crews of coastwise vessels forced to battle heavy seas in the cold.

A mid fall of light snow, Lake Michigan again was the scene of thrilling battles between men and winter elements.

Death toll of the storms since Christmas day, today was mounting past the 150-mark.

Expect Gold to Reach \$41.34 in Stabilization Plan

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The best informed opinion today expects stabilization of the dollar to take place at about \$41.34 per gold ounce, representing a dollar devalue of 50 per cent.

Two almost inevitable developments in the administration currency program intend, before President Roosevelt will finally stabilize the dollar in relation to gold, however.

These developments are, (1) to negotiate for international stabilization and (2) to ask congress for authority to seize the gold profit inherent in a devaluation of currency.

Women 12 Hours Past Old Record

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 29.—Mrs. Frances Harrell and Miss Helen Richey were more than 12 hours past a new world record for women endurance fliers today after they had passed their ninth night aloft.

The plane, which officially passed the old mark at 6:08 yesterday, made a refueling contact at dawn, indicating the new record-holders plan to remain up at least several more hours.

Rioting Reported In Argentina Towns

ROSARIO, Argentina, Dec. 29. The office of the chief of police announced today a rebellious movement had broken out simultaneously here and at Santa Fe.

By 1 p. m., five persons had been killed and six wounded at the town of Santa Fe, and four dead and nine wounded in Rosario. The government was making widespread arrests in Buenos Aires, Santa Fe and Rosario.

THREE GUESSES



Doomed to Hang

Death on the gallows will be the fate of Marinus Van Der Lubbe, 24, Dutch stone mason, above, convicted of burning the Reichstag building in Berlin. The Dutchman's four co-defendants were acquitted.

While wrestling with another boy last week his opponent pinned him with a twisting knee hold. Injured bones in the knee developed blood poisoning and he died last night. He lived with his mother. He will be buried at Mount Vernon tomorrow.

Son of Ranger Man Dies After Wrestling Bout

FORT WORTH, Dec. 29.—A friendly wrestling match with neighborhood companions today proved fatal to Darwin Moulton, 15, son of J. O. Moulton of Ranger.

The following named persons have been selected to serve as petit jurors in the 88th district court for the weeks beginning Feb. 5 and Feb. 12:

Monday, Feb. 5
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War Cost Germany 13,000,000 Citizens

BERLIN.—Germany lost 13,000,000 citizens, due to the war and the Treaty of Versailles. These figures show that Germany's losses were:

2,000,000 killed at the front in the war.
3,000,000 to 4,000,000 died of hunger, due to the food blockade.
3,000,000 to 3,500,000 were lost by the decreased birth rate.
6,500,000 Germans lost their citizenship and became Polish, or French, or other subjects by the Treaty of Versailles.

British Build Two Giant Air Liners

LONDON.—Two giant British air liners now being built will each have three cabins, including a smoke-room.

The machines are under construction at the well known Short works at Rochester, Kent, for the Imperial Airways and will go into service early in 1934 on the London-Paris route.

Thirty-nine passengers will be accommodated in the three cabins—12 in the forward cabin, 12 in the center cabin, and 15 in the after cabin. Three entrance doors will provide access to the interior of the planes. One door for the pilots will be near the nose of the fuselage, one just aft of the forward cabin and the third aft of the rear cabin.

Normal cruising speed, with the airplane fully laden to over 14 tons, will be around 108 miles an hour, while maximum range will be about 700 miles. Four motors with four-bladed airscrews will provide the power.

Woman Denies She Told Attorney To Draw Her Money

HOUSTON, Dec. 9.—Mrs. Adele Pinkin of New York denied here today that she gave C. E. Heidingsfelder, Houston attorney, authority to withdraw her \$34,500 trust fund from a city bank.

Heidingsfelder told officers here was robbed of the money at his office Christmas day by a bandit who posed as a client.

CHRISTMAS FURNISHED JOBS

HARRISBURG, Pa.—Natives of Pennsylvania's mountains have found an excellent means of livelihood in providing Yule decorations, due to the increasing popularity of laurel and rhododendron for this purpose due to their evergreen foliage. Some greens are gathered early in the year and kept in cold storage for the Christmas season.

GIRL ADMITS SHE KILLED A PLAYMATE

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 29.—The confession of a 13-year-old girl that she murdered her younger playmate, in an outburst of temper, left authorities undecided today as to what action the state would take.

Mary Kavala, 13, of Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y., was held as the confessed slayer of Josephine Waropay, 8, the child whose trussed body was found Sunday behind a clubhouse building.

The murder was committed without accomplices, the district attorney said.

"Mary claimed," he said, "that Josephine had been telling stories about her mother and her family and in a fit of temper she struck Josephine in the face with a rock. Then she bound her hands with strands from an old mop. She put a rubber band around her neck and tied strands from the mop around the neck. She had found the rubber band, which had been cut from an inner tube of an old tire."

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Writes Serial

Mabel McElliott, above, author of "Married Flirts," the new serial.

Married Flirts, a new story of modern marriage that starts Jan. 4 in this newspaper, tells of the ups and downs of two young couples, married the same day. There is a background of New York society, with a series of dramatic incidents that work up to a surprise climax.

Mabel McElliott, author of this story, is a close observer of the gay young set about which she writes. She's been a reporter on Chicago and New York papers now lives on a farm near Mamaroneck, N. Y. She's married and has two children.

Other serials written by Miss McElliott include Darling Fool (The Man Hunters, and Heart of Flame. A number of her short stories have appeared in magazines.

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BANKERS TO SELL STATE RELIEF BONDS

AUSTIN, Dec. 29.—With a voluntary association of bankers to market state relief bonds and an authorized call upon the federal government for an allotment of \$1,000,000 for additional purchase of beef cattle for canning, the relief outlook was brighter today.

Fred Florence and George W. Briggs, Dallas bankers, head the bond marketing organization as chairman and vice chairman. John L. Lafferty, Fort Worth, is secretary. An executive committee of 150 will carry on the campaign to sell bonds.

Their campaign was bolstered by a ruling from the attorney general the bonds have a first lien on all state taxes going into the general fund, other than taxes on real estate.

Work of selling began at once with a check of all offers already made for the \$2,750,000 relief bond issue. This indicates that about \$1,300,000 of non-duplicating offers, are available.

Texas Baby Has Major Operation

BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 29.—Surgeons at Johns Hopkins hospital today successfully removed a brain obstruction which threatened the life of five-months-old Sue Trammell of Houston.

The child was rushed here by plane early in the week for the operation, which was performed by Dr. Walter Dandy.

Hospital authorities described the child's condition as good, but explained the outcome of the operation could not be foretold at this time. The operation required about two hours.

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PWA DOLLARS TO GIVE JOBS TO MILLIONS

WASHINGTON.—Public works dollars, distributed in cities and hamlets throughout the nation under the recovery program, are expected to create employment for millions during 1934.

As the new year approaches, the federal public works administration has allotted nearly all of the \$3,300,000,000 voted by congress in June for the two-year emergency program of public works.

Four Million at Work
Approximately 5,000,000 workers now are busy on a diversification of federal and non-federal projects. Another army of men now unemployed is assured of wages throughout the coming year.

The PWA is confident that it will reach its major objective—employment of millions of men, with consequent restoration of purchasing power.

Heavy-set, fatherly Harold L. Ickes, who, as secretary of the interior, was named custodian of the big public works fund, has carried on his work expeditiously in order to safeguard the taxpayers' money. In six months he has accomplished much to stimulate industrial activity.

Administrator Ickes has indicated he will recommend an additional PWA appropriation by the coming congress. The amount to be asked has not been mentioned, but observers predicted it would approximate \$1,500,000,000.

Loans and grants have been authorized by the PWA to aid in financing about 10,000 public works projects. Recent reports revealed a marked increase in the number of construction contracts.

According to latest compilations, contracts made and work already under way on federal projects alone involve expenditures totaling over \$600,000,000. As 1933 neared an end, PWA had made allotments amounting to more than \$650,000,000 for non-federal projects.

Large allotments for federal undertakings included \$400,000,000 for federal aid highways in every state, \$50,000,000 for roads in the

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Job Sales Report Being Completed

AUSTIN, Dec. 29.—Several weeks will be required to complete a report to be made to the house of representatives by its committee investigating job sales. Chairman Harry Graves said here before returning to his home at Georgetown today.

A final session here yesterday ended with submission of records of state receivership and appointment of receivers in state cases.

NEW DRIVE ON HOARDED GOLD IS LAUNCHED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—The government's new drive against gold hoarders is aimed at individuals who have held on to large amounts of the metal in defiance of previous orders. Acting Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau said today.

"We are worrying about the big fellows and the drive is directed against them," he said. "This is a year-end mopping up."

Unlike previous anti-hoarding orders, the new regulation applies to holders of less than \$100 in gold as well as larger amounts. But Morgenthau said he was not worried over those who may be keeping just one or two gold pieces.

He was uncertain as to what penalties would be imposed under his latest order. Previously gold hoarders of more than \$100 were subjected to a maximum penalty of \$10,000 and 10 years in prison.

He did not know whether holders of less than \$100 would suffer any penalty or any fine above double the gold held.

Morgenthau said he believed that several million dollars in gold would be recovered as a result of the order.

Three Executed In Texas Prison

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Dec. 29.—Dewey Hunt, twice convicted for the slaying of Samuel Cole, Dallas street-car motorman, and who has been in jail three years while attorneys argued his fate, died in the electric chair in the State Penitentiary at Huntsville early today.

Cole was shot down by a hijacker in November, 1928. Hunt later was arrested, identified as the killer, experienced a speedy trial and was found guilty. The jury imposed the death penalty.

Attorneys for the condemned man appealed the sentence to the Court of Criminal Appeals. The case was reversed because the indictment did not specify that the killing was done "with malice aforethought." The court ruled that no more than five years could be assessed under the statutes on such an indictment.

County attorneys called a grand jury and Hunt was reindicted. He was convicted and again given the death penalty.

An attempt to have Hunt freed before Christmas last year failed when judges of six civil district courts announced their refusal to hold a hearing on writs of habeas corpus filed for Hunt by his attorneys. Previous attempts to have Hunt released also had failed.

In over-ruling applications to hear the writ, the judges said they believed they had no jurisdiction to pass on a criminal case.

Prior to the new trial obtained by Hunt's attorneys, attempts were made to get the prisoner released. They failed. The court refused to recognize bond pending a new trial.

If he question of former jeopardy, raised in an application for another writ, was pigeon-holed when the court announced it could not hear the writ before date of the new trial.

Hunt vigorously denied he held up Cole and shot and killed him when the motorman failed to respond quickly to the gunman's commands.

In the death row at Huntsville, the condemned man appeared little worried concerning his fate.

Thanksgiving Day Hunt told guards he was thankful he had only a few more weeks of this "life in the pen" ahead of him.

Besides Hunt, two negroes died in the electric chair the same day. They were Carl Stewart, Travis county, and Clarence Booker, Waller county. Both were convicted of murder.

Hunt, at his second trial last October twisted nervously in his chair under fire of arguments from District Attorney William McGraw.

When the verdict of "death" was read, Hunt appeared puzzled. He turned to a newspaper reporter and said, "I'm tired—think I'll go to bed."

Seven ballots were required before the second jury could get a unanimous vote for the death penalty.

that reminds me...

We're calling all parents... if your boy or girl hasn't seen the picture now showing at the Lyric Wild Boys of the Road, hustle them down there and let them see it. It is without question one of the best moral lessons for boys that are inclined to rove that we have ever seen. And at that whether a boy or girl isn't inclined to roam it will do them good, and plenty of good. Such motion picture shows are the kind that make men and women worth while out of boys and girls.

It's raining folks... just what we "ordered." And means thousands of dollars worth of benefit to all of this entire section. This is the kind of weather that West Texans can sit back and enjoy to the limit. We simply can't have too much rain. With plenty of water we can accomplish anything. Without it we are hopelessly lost. The gods are smiling upon us... it is time for a prayer of gratitude.

Just one more day after this and the old year's business will have been finished. Eastland merchants no doubt will not show a big load of money having been made during the year but they at least are in a position to start the new year with plenty of faith and confidence in the future. From here on out we believe that whatever happens will be for the best. There is a matter of a bank for Eastland. We think that with the old regime out of the way every energy will be put forth to get one in the near future.

More names are being added to the honor roll of having paid their school taxes, but not enough as yet. It takes money to run the schools and if your school taxes have not been paid, now is the time to get busy and pay them. City taxes will have penalty and interest added if not paid before January 1st. It will be economy to go and pay them if you have overlooked them.

9:49 Bible Class To Hear Special Program Sunday

A special program is announced for rendition at the Men's 9:49 Bible class, which meets each Sunday morning in the main auditorium of the First Methodist church, but which is non-denominational. Judge J. E. Hickman is the teacher.

A feature of the program for next Sunday will be an address by Mrs. C. Q. Smith of Cisco on the subject, "The Other Wise Men," and violin and piano selections by Miss Wilda Drago and Mrs. Wanda Drago Beall.

Aged Gorman Man Is Found Dead

GORMAN, Dec. 29.—Bryant Leroy Park, 74, was found dead in his bed last Thursday morning. His wife called him to get up and he did not answer. He had possibly been dead only an hour or so.

Mr. Park was born in Mississippi September 20, 1859, and was first married to Miss Sarah Coward in 1885, and to this union six children were born. Mrs. Park passed away in 1901. In 1908 he was married to Miss Eva Miller. To this union two children were born and the mother of these children passed away in 1911.

Mr. Park spent most of his life in Comanche and Eastland counties. For more than fifteen years he has made his home in Gorman. Mr. Park was one of Gorman's best citizens.

In the year 1917 he was married to Miss Bertie Wood. He was converted and joined the Baptist church in 1918.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, Dec. 22, at the Gorman Baptist church, with Rev. J. L. Roden in charge. Interment was held at Gorman cemetery.

Those surviving him are, his widow; four sons, Lonnis of Oliver Springs; Jessie, of Sudan; Leroy of Portales, N. M., and Earnest of Gorman; two daughters, Mrs. Veola Swan, Gorman and Mrs. Veola Morris, Oliver Springs, and six grandchildren.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Probably local showers east and north portion tonight. Slightly warmer east portion Saturday.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

KINGDOM IS WITHIN: Neither shall they say, Lo here! or, lo there! for behold, the kingdom of God is within you.—Luke 2: 14.

FARMERS AND THEIR FEDERAL TAX PAYMENTS

This is the closing month of a dead year. And the record should be kept straight. Actual cash payments of \$11,052,937 were paid to American farmers during the first seven months operation of the New Deal agricultural adjustment act. This total brought down to the closing of books Dec. 10 was payment direct to wheat, cotton and tobacco farmers in return for contracts to reduce acreage planted to those crops. In addition, indirect cash returns to farmers have resulted from the drawing up and placing in effect of 24 marketing agreements; 13 of which concern milk in that many states. No figures are available on the amount of loans made to corn and hog farmers on the crop which they have sealed in warehouses as securities for loans. The reader should bear in mind that under the agricultural adjustment act the secretary was authorized to make hundreds of millions available in this way. It is significant that the government has been called on to advance only about one-third of the total and local banks the nation over, when they "found that the government considered the crop sealed in warehouses as good security stepped in and began lending freely on such collateral." As for the cotton acreage reduction program for 1933, it has thus far resulted in payment to 1,012,290 farmers of \$110,000,000 in round numbers.

Texas is the leading agricultural state. It is the largest producer of cotton in any of the states listed in the fleecy staple belt. It is one of the new money crops of Texas. Christmas is on the way. Texas is moving forward. Make it a real holiday season as the finish of one of the most remarkable as well as memorable years in the history of the republic.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN THE PICTURE

A powerful organization is the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. It has a membership of hundreds coming from the cities and the smaller towns of the West indeed, all West Texas. Well, its executives sent a burning telegram of protest to Col. Westbrook and a copy of the same was sent to Harry L. Hopkins, federal emergency relief director. Their protest declared against further delay in the expenditure of \$8,900,000 in federal funds for highway construction in 27 Texas counties "stricken by the dry weather and flood." Indeed, the directors of the organization pointed out that \$6,230,000 of the fund was provided with emergency relief money and that \$2,670,000 was made available from CWA funds Oct. 1. A total of \$5,000,000 of the allotment was for Panhandle counties and \$2,000,000 for other West Texas counties.

Col. Westbrook has the floor. He has many knotty problems to thrash out. He realized by this time that it is "a long road to Tipperary." West Texans are thoroughly organized. They know what they want. They think they know what they are entitled to from the chiefs of the various set-ups "away down here in Texas."

The right kind of community is where the newspapers, churches, the clubs, business concerns and the individuals generally are working harmoniously toward the same end—and that is the development of a finer community.

Quite a number of our law-makers have been living in the realms of theory for some time. The sooner they get down to realities the better.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

T. A. GREHAN, advertisement manager of the Dublin (Ireland) "Irish Independent", says:

"Truth, Mr. Printer, spell it with capitals, TRUTH. It is becoming so sorrowfully scarce. When you, dear reader of these lines—that is those of you above forty—were in the 'youngdoms' we 'said' our mind as the working of our young brani conveyed its message to our tongue.

"Well, sometimes the 'saying' was not too happy and probably led to sadness of a kind. But, gosh, it WAS the truth. It was what happened. It was a tongue record of an incident. It was a perfectly delivered record of a something.

"Do you, readers, men and women, realize that Truth, as an undisguised, unalloyed statement of facts, is a thing that is dying from want of nurture? It is! It is!

"Truth is a grand thing, beloved by many, flirted with by many, but ignored by countless thousands. "We jolly ourselves that we love this enthralling thing, Truth. The fact of the matter is we fear it, so, consequently, we avoid it. Let this be your big mind adventure today."

OUT OUR WAY



BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON.

Tuxedo Man Is Found Dead By Side of Highway

WINDLE GORMAN, Dec. 23.—Windle Paris, 22, of Tuxedo, was found dead early Sunday morning four miles west of here on the edge of a pasture near the highway. The tires on the left side of his automobile were blown out. It is thought that Paris, while enroute to spend Christmas with relatives in De Leon, fell asleep while driving, and when the tires blew out his car hit the pasture fence with such force that his body was thrown out on the ground. His back and right arm were broken and his skull fractured. His body was taken back to Tuxedo for funeral services.

Baker Hotel Will Have German Dance

The Baker Hotel of Mineral Wells, has announced a German dance to be held at the hotel from 12:10 a. m., January 1, to 4:00 a. m.

The dance will be preceded by a floor show and New Year's entertainment from 11:30 p. m., December 31, to 12:10 a. m., January 1.

Some scientist tells us that half a peanut will provide enough energy for a half hour's thinking. Some of the thoughts we've heard expressed must have come from even less than half a peanut.

The UNKNOWN BLOND

By LOUIS BROOKMAN

BEGIN HERE TODAY. DAVID BANNISTER undertakes to find out who killed TRACY KING, orchestra leader, financial editor and former newspaper man. He works on a murder case with GAINES, reporter on the Post.

Among those suspected of JULIET FRANCE, blond, professional singer, who was shot shortly before his death, HIRSHMAN SCRIBNER, who wrote the threatening letter, and J. PARROT, down-and-out vaudeville singer. He also knows MELVINA HOLLISTER, maid and spinster, had quarreled with King recently. AL DRUGAN, friend of King, is found dead in a wrecked automobile.

Bannister possesses the public's attention as he visits his aunt's home, ostensibly as a guest, but she knows he is there to investigate her death. Her death leaves him a heir to \$150,000.

Juliet's stater and brother-in-law come to see her. They have arranged with police for Juliet to go later. Juliet asks Bannister to go. Later Juliet asks Bannister if he is glad she is staying in answers rather stiffly.

Now go on with the story. CHAPTER XLIV. A FEW hours earlier they talked in more friendly fashion than ever before. Now that she had changed, and Juliet France thought she knew the reason.

"Perhaps," she said quickly, "I shouldn't stay. Perhaps it would be better if I didn't."

"I'm sorry," Bannister apologized. "I didn't mean what I said to sound the way it did. I didn't mean to be rude. It's only that it might be easier for you if you went with your sister and brother-in-law."

"I won't do that," she told him. "I'll see this through to the finish. There was silence for several moments. Juliet leaned back, resting one arm on the piano. She had never looked lovelier and Bannister had never seemed less aware of it.

"I don't know what Elbert told you," the girl said slowly, "but do know him! I hope you don't think I've done anything too foolish."

"Not at all," he assured her. "But it wasn't the truth. He pretended she had been foolish. Outragedly foolish. He couldn't for the life of him understand how a girl like Juliet France could let herself become involved in a flirtation with Tracy King. Involved to such an extent that she had been the victim of blackmail. He couldn't understand that and yet he knew it was true.

"I'd like to tell you about it," she said, "only I don't suppose it makes any difference now."

No, of course, it didn't make any difference. Not the slightest.

Bannister said, "If I were you I wouldn't think any more about it."

Her fingers touched the piano keys. She played a few notes of the original love song she had sung one evening before. "Do you like that?" she asked.

"Very much," he said.

She played the melody, began singing softly when she came to the chorus. When she glanced around again he was reading the

Markets

By United Press

Closing selected New York stocks:

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Am Can, Am P & L, Am F Pwr, Am Rad & S S, Am Smelt, Am T & T, Anaconda, Auburn Auto, Avn Corp Del, Barnsdall, Bath Steel, Byers A M, Canada Dry, Case e J I, Chrysler, Comw & Sou, Cons Oil, Contl Oil, Curtis Wright, Elec Au L, Elec St Bat, Foster Wheel, Fox Film, Freeport Tex, Gen Elec, Gen Foods, Gen Mot, Gillette S R, Goodyear, Gt Nor Ore, Int Cement, Int Harvester, Johns Manville, Kroger G & B, Liq Carb, Marshall Field, M K T Ry, Montg Ward, McKesson & Rob, Nat Dairy, N Y Cent Ry, Ohio Oil, Packard Mot, Penney J C, Penn Ry, Phelps Dodge, Phillips Pet, Pure Oil, Purify Bak, Radio, Sears Roebuck, Shell Union Oil, Socony Vac, Southern Pac, Stan Oil N J, Studebaker, Texas Corp, Tex Gulf Sul, Tex Pac C & O, Und Elliott, Union Carb, United Corp, U S Ind Alc, U S Steel, Vanadium, Western Union, Westing Elec.

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Range of the market, New York cotton— High Low Close Prev. Jan. 1018 1009 1009 1014 Mar. 1029 1022 1026 1026 May 1045 1039 1041 1042 July 1060 1054 1058 1058

Chicago Grain— Range of the market, Chicago grain— High Low Close Prev. Corn— 51% 49% 49% 51% July 53% 51% 51% 53%

Oats— May 37% 36% 36% 37% July 35% 34% 34% 36%

Wheat— May 85% 83% 83% 85% July 84% 82% 82% 84%

Rye— May 57% 56% 56% 58% July 59% 58% 58% 60%

Cross Roads

V. E. Pedigo spent Christmas in Dublin with his mother.

Miss Elaine Hale is visiting her aunt of Santo.

T. E. Hall and family of Lorenzo, Texas, is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Monroe Ainsworth has returned home after several months in California.

Mrs. H. D. Browning is on the sick list. We hope she will soon recover.

Alvin Johnson and family of Alameda visited her parents here Monday, Mr. J. W. Kitchan.

Essie Walker and family of Eastland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Walker Sunday.

J. T. Walker spent Monday with his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Ferrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stifner spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Cambell.

Weldon Hale and William Love visited Mazon Ferrell Monday.

V. E. Pedigo's sister is visiting him.

J. H. Ainsworth visited her mother, Aunt Nancy Fox, Monday.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



amounting to more than \$60,000, 000 had been made for federal buildings throughout the country under the PWA's policy of substituting utility for magnificence.

River and harbor and flood control projects have shared major portions of the public works fund.

The war department is carrying on a comprehensive river and harbor and flood control program with PWA funds. Allotments for flood control work on the lower Mississippi river alone amount to \$44,120,000. Army engineers also received \$74,945,700 for general river and harbor work; \$33,500,000 for the upper Mississippi river, \$20,250,000 for the Bonneville dam on the Columbia river in Oregon, and \$25,000,000 for the Fort Peck dam and reservoir in eastern Montana.

Municipal and sewer projects in scores of municipalities have been approved in the non-federal category. PWA had made allotment for more than 1,100 non-federal projects up to Dec. 15.

Approximately \$50,000,000 have been allotted for low-cost housing and slum clearance projects for score of cities in a dozen states. In addition to this, \$100,000,000 was turned over to the public works emergency housing corporation, which was created by PWA to facilitate and expedite housing and slum clearance projects.

PWA has been financing for its fund the national recovery administration, civilian conservation corps, civil works administration, and other national emergency organizations. It was officially reported that the total number of men re-employed by all agencies financed by PWA funds is past the 5,000,000 mark.

Try a Want Ad it Pays

Ten Years Younger

There is probably one statement we hear around the Crazy Water Hotel more than any other. We hear it just as our smiling guests are shaking hands with Mr. Cartwright, and saying goodbye. It usually ends up with: "I feel ten years younger!"

What do they mean? Well, they might be thinking about the climate. Here in Texas, sunshine is no novelty—but have you ever tried our sunshine here? We don't have any copyright on fresh air—but have you ever stretched your lungs over our mountain air at sunrise on a nippy winter morning? And there are plenty of ways to enjoy this climate. We're still playing golf in our shirtsleeves. And the bass have been taking flies. And the first few days of the duck season, at day-break every morning it sounded like a war.

All these things are right at the city's doorstep.

It may be our guests after all, however, are thinking about the wonderful relaxation, stimulation, youth-ification in a course of Crazy Mineral Baths. In giving their bodies a good overhauling, you might say, inside and out, with Crazy Mineral Water—Nature's perfect eliminant.

Come to the Home of Crazy Water. Throw off about ten years of unnecessary age. Go home with an appetite like a timber wolf. And what will this cost you in dollars and cents? Listen:

Rates by the week (our "Treatment Plan") include a comfortable outside room, Crazy Mineral Baths, as much Crazy Water as you can drink, your meals (and GOOD cooking)—in fact, all the comforts of a first class modern hotel—for as low as \$20 per week single, \$35 double.

If that isn't enough to make you drop everything and come, write us for more. Better still, just come and see!

CRAZY WATER HOTEL

THE HOME OF CRAZY WATER Mineral Wells, Texas

PROFIT CUTTING FARMERS TO GET FEDERAL AID IN 1934

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The government money to be used for reducing production of basic crops will continue, Chester Davis, new AAA administrator, who believes in improving incomes by direct methods, today in reviewing the 1933 program of the department.

Seven Months' Work
When created seven months ago the farm administration view of farm crop reduction as inevitable because of heavy over-production and losses of foreign markets. Farm purchasing power and value had shrunk to one-fifth former levels. Profits in farm commodities were all going to distributors.

Under leadership of Peek and Agriculture Secretary Wallace and a general farm co-operation, programs have been effected to reduce planting of cotton, wheat, corn, tobacco and rice, and production of hogs. The ultimate total of benefit payments in these programs may reach \$775,000,000. Marketing agreements for milk, marketing basic commodity under farm act, have been signed for important milk sheds. These together with price and business agreements and aims to increase farmers' prices without burdening consumers.

Dairy Control Plan
The milk situation is troublesome and Davis thinks it is not likely to improve until a national dairy control plan is applied. A special committee is working out a plan to reduce production and pay benefits from processing taxes.

Secretary Wallace has indicated congress will be asked to add sugar and cattle to the basic list.

Administrator Davis hopes to work out a series of regional marketing agreements to cover additional farm products. Agreements effected for California cling peaches, citrus fruits, deciduous fruits, walnuts, peanuts, and voluntary agreements by vegetable growers are proving eminently successful, Davis said.

The cotton program was first to get under way. Spectacular plowing under of 10,304,000 acres saved this year's crop from swamping the overburdened market which, Peek declared, would have caused price collapse and ruined cotton producers.

More than one million participating farmers have received \$110,000,000 in rentals based on estimated yield per acre. Cotton growers also hold options on 2,400,000 bales of government cotton on which they should realize about \$48,000,000.

Ten Cents a Pound Loan
Loans of 10 cents a pound have been offered on the present crop, and advances of four cents a pound on optioned cotton. Contracts are being distributed to reduce 1934 cotton acreage 15,000,000 acres. Compensating payments probably will total \$125,000,000.

Wheat farmers agreed to reduce 1934 acreage nearly 8,000,000 acres, and their benefit payments are under way. First checks will total about \$70,000,000 with \$30,000,000 more to be paid early next year. An export corporation formed to dispose of 35,000,000 bushels of surplus northwestern wheat had sold more than 8,000,000 bushels on Dec. 15.

Seeking increased prices for corn and hogs, an emergency slaughtering program in September disposed of 6,200,000 pigs and cows on which a premium was paid. The government is purchasing this pork for relief distribution and by-products are being sold to highest bidders.

1934 Hog-Corn Program
The hog-corn program for 1934-35 calls for 25 per cent reduction in hogs farrowed and marketed and 20 per cent in corn acreage, for which benefit payments will total \$350,000,000, with \$180,000,000 to be paid as soon as contracts are signed and accepted.

Because of acute need for cash in the corn belt, loans of 45 cents a bushel, basis No. 2 corn at Chicago, are available on stored corn to farmers who agree to reduce corn and hog production.

Growers of flue-cured tobacco have pledged themselves to reduce production as much as 30 per cent. A marketing agreement signed in October will bring them approximately \$110,000,000 for 1933 crop, in addition to \$10,000,000 in adjustment payments. This figure is compared with returns of \$43,000,000 for 1932 crop and \$56,000,000 in 1931. Benefits to be paid on all types of tobacco probably will reach \$40,000,000.

The new export agency under Peek will seek to sell farm surplus abroad while the AAA continues to control production, processing, and marketing.

County Supervisor Tells About Sanitation Methods Now Available

Under the National Industrial Recovery Act, \$20,000,000 was made available to Texas, part of which will be used in sanitary work throughout the state.

At present the work here will consist of installation of pit type private and sanitation of water supplies. Under the present arrangement, labor for this work will be furnished free and it is expected that many will take advantage of this liberal offer to put their premises in a sanitary condition.

In speaking of a similar program, Surgeon General Cummings, United States Public Health Service, said: "With such appropriations available, in no way could they be more useful to this and future generations than in the construction and installation of adequate and safe water supplies and sewage disposal systems."

The fly and mosquito are responsible for the spread of a large number of the communicable diseases. Every one should unite in a battle of extermination of these pests. Their extermination will not only lessen disease, but will also save money that would otherwise be spent for illness, and make living more pleasant.

The mosquito raises from 50 to 300 children at one time and only takes around two weeks to have full grown children. The fly raises around a million children in one season.

Mosquitoes are responsible for the spread of malaria, dengue, and yellow fever. Malaria is spread by the bite of the Anopheles or malaria mosquito. Dengue fever and yellow fever are transmitted by the Aedes aegypti or tiger mosquito. The best way to prevent these diseases is to destroy the breeding places of the mosquito.

They breed in any standing water, therefore, you should drain, ditch or fill such places, spray oil on water each week, too, or stock the water with surface minnows, as they will eat the wiggle-tails. Houses should be screened.

Flies help spread typhoid fever, dysentery, diarrhea, tuberculosis, anthrax and cholera. They breed, live and feed in filth. To prevent their increase, all refuse should be disposed of at once, garbage kept in covered containers, privies made sanitary and houses screened. Every neighborhood raises its own flies, so that their number is an excellent index to the sanitary conditions. The state health department, county and city health officers, are only too glad to assist in banishing this source of disease.

Each year about 5000 people in Texas are ill with typhoid fever, and over 500 die of it. The average duration of this illness is eight weeks, and so over a quarter million days are lost; if each person earned two dollars per day a total loss of half a million dollars would be the result, not counting the money spent for doctors, medicines, and funeral expenses.

Typhoid fever can be controlled by the use of pure water, pasteurized milk or clean milk, clean foods, proper disposal of sewage, screening against the fly and destroying its breeding places, by search for and care of human carriers and by the general practice of vaccination.

Typhoid vaccine is a harmless solution. This is injected under the skin in the upper part of the arm, in three doses, usually at weekly intervals. It ordinarily protects against the disease two to three years or longer, although one who is definitely exposed to infection should be revaccinated more frequently.

Certain people, apparently healthy, carry the germs of typhoid in their intestines or urinary tract and cause many cases of typhoid fever each year through handling of foods with unwashed hands. They are called typhoid carriers.

Flies not only help spread typhoid fever but also dysentery, diarrhea, tuberculosis, anthrax, and cholera. They breed, live and feed in filth. To prevent their increase all refuse should be disposed of at once, garbage kept in covered containers, privies made sanitary and houses screened. Every neighborhood raises its own flies so their number is an excellent index to the sanitary conditions.

Hookworm disease could be eliminated entirely if sanitary provisions were made for the disposal body discharges. Hookworm is caused by a small, whitish worm, which, when full grown, is about a half inch in length and as thick as a small hairpin. The very young and very tiny worms get into the body, usually by boring their way through the skin; occasionally they are swallowed.

With these worms at work the patient's blood becomes thin and watery. He grows pale and listless and may have indigestion. Often a person who has a mild case is thought to be merely lazy, when he is really sick. It also retards the growth of children.

All that is necessary to cure hookworm is to get the worms out of the patient's bowels. You should consult your family physician in

Weekly Sunday School Lesson

The Life of Paul

Text: Phil. 3:1-14
The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 31.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D.
Editor of The Congregationalist

This final lesson in the life of Paul is in place of the usual review of the quarter's lessons. In this case, that review would be simply a review of Paul's life, because all the lessons of the quarter, except one for World's Temperance Sunday and one on World Peace, have had to do with the conversion of the Apostle and his ministry in the early church.

We have no means of knowing the exact age of Paul, or the number of years occupied in his Christian ministry. In the story of the martyrdom of Stephen, we have the first introduction to Paul, in the statement that those who stoned Stephen to death laid down their garments at the feet of a "young man whose name was Saul."

It is expected that this campaign will greatly lower the incidence of typhoid fever as well as reduce the 2500 cases of dysentery, diarrhea, and enteritis that occurred last year in the state.

The cost for a sanitary privy is prohibitive and a person desires a cheaper construction, they should see Mr. Waters to determine whether or not some substitution can be made in the original plans. It has been found that those constructed in compliance with the specifications of the state department of health are the cheapest in the long run.

This department has no desire to force the expenditure of money from those who cannot afford it. Every effort will be made to reduce the cost to the minimum.

Ex-President Hoover advises the G. O. P. to hold its fire against the democratic administration until enough errors have accumulated. But the next presidential campaign is less than three years away!

With the price of gold going up, we don't hear of any people being praised as worth their weight in gold.

For this he was willing to suffer the loss of all things, and for this he was willing to forget everything that lay behind in his life. He describes himself as a man "pressing toward the goal of the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus."

What higher goal could a man have? And what nobler example could we all have in the pursuit of it than that of the Apostle Paul?

The rubber code finally has been signed, after both the administration and the industry had stretched a point or two.

We are indebted, also, to the entire wonderful record of Luke in the Book of the Acts—a record which bears upon its face the evidences of intimate knowledge and deep appreciation.

As Paul neared the close of his career and surveyed his own life, he wrote to Timothy, his "son in the faith," in the words of our golden text, "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the course, I have kept the faith."

It was a simple statement of what was true concerning his elemental purpose and his faithful-ness to it.

Paul was not a boaster or a braggart. There was in him the essential humility of the man who was measuring himself constantly

New U. S. Envoy

Answer to Previous Puzzle
S. envoy to the people.
12 Coccombs.
17 Street.
18 Exclamation.
21 He is an — of a novel (pl.).
22 And is well-known as an — (pl.).
25 Famous.
27 Kind of theater.
29 Eccentric wheel.
31 To shiel.
32 Calico.
33 Handkerchief.
34 Vulgar.
36 A marvel.
40 Trunk of the human body.
42 Sheaf.
44 Variant of "a."
45 Letters.
46 Yellowish gray.
47 Species of pier.
48 Minor note.
49 Amphibian.
51 Writing implement.
53 Tea.
55 Postscript.

OKRA NEWS
OKRA, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McCollum spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Ira Holbrook of Vernon.

Misses Kitty Sue Lewis and Dixie Cox are here from Brownwood to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tremble, who have been visiting here, have returned to their home in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. William Poole, formerly of Sayre, Okla., are new residents of this community.

Mrs. Orville Adams, who has been very ill, is improving rapidly.

Theo Adams of Gladewater is here to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lark Jones of Lubbock were visiting relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wallace and little daughter, Patsy Anne of Berger, were here visiting during Christmas.

Miss Vesta Hilton is spending Christmas with relatives near Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Claborn and little son, Billie Joe, of Gladewater, Mrs. J. W. Claborn and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Maxwell, Jr. spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Chambers of Sidney.

Malcolm McDaniel of Dallas is here to attend school.

Miss Mary Adams spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Grady Adams of Santa Anna.

A number of young people were entertained with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Edwards Saturday night.

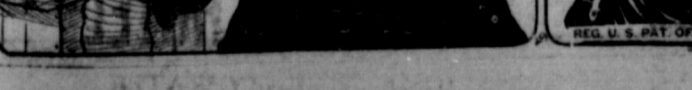
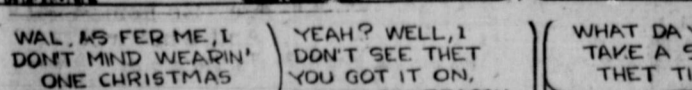
Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Abel of Ralls were here to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Edwards and little daughter, Pauline, of Longview, are here visiting friends and relatives.

Germans, by a new ruling, may visit any country except Austria. And that's the only decision of Germany's, probably, in which Austria might concur.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)

By Cowen



ANSWERS

to today's THREE GUESSES

Lincoln Ellsworth's plane is a NORTHROP GAMMA. The country indicated is LIBERIA and its capital is MONROVIA. JACK LOVELOCK of OXFORD holds the world's record for the mile.

THE Metropolitan Opera Association OF NEW YORK

is pleased to announce that in collaboration with the proprietors of LUCKY STRIKE Cigarettes, it has been enabled to utilize the complete facilities of both the Red and the Blue networks of the National Broadcasting Company, to the end that on Saturday, December 30, and every Saturday thereafter, from two o'clock, Eastern Standard time, and until such time as each Opera is finished—the complete Operas presented at the Metropolitan Opera House will be broadcast. We know that the public will be glad to avail themselves of these unique opportunities. They mean that Opera in its best form is brought to every home in the United States. We feel that this is a great step forward in the development of fine music in this country, and that it will be of great interest and a source of pleasure to the entire American public.

Metropolitan Opera Association

Giulio Gatti-Casazza
GIULIO GATTI-CASAZZA
General Manager

BER

Frank Arrandale... silver wedding... at their home on Christ... They were presented... silver set by the... Mary Johnson, Mr. and... presented a lovely wed... and many gifts were... from friends, both in... and out of town. Guests... the dinner were Mrs. A... Leedy, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo... Albert Leedy, Mr. and Mrs... Leedy and daughter, Virginia... Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Joe... Tullas and sons, Teddy and... Walters of Fort Worth, and... Lang of Amarillo. Mr. and... Arrandale have two children... Bert and James Arrandale... Mr. and Mrs. Carl Adams and... children Billy Louise, Junior and... Buddy of Tahoka, Texas, spent the... days in Thurber. Mrs. Adams... will be remembered as Miss Paul... Minnick... Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter and... daughter of Carlsbad, N. M., are... visiting in Thurber and Strawn... Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wiggins... spent Christmas with their rela... in Morgan Mills... Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonds and... sons, Vernon and Jerry, and Tom... Lang of Amarillo, and Mr. and... Mrs. Bill Watson and baby... of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the holi... days with their parents, Mr. and... Mrs. S. P. Lang... The members of the Epworth... League had a Christmas tree at... the church Saturday night. After... a short program the members ex... changed gifts. There were 15 pres... Clarence Dodd of Fort Worth... and Mrs. P. M. Ferguson of Dub... lin visited Mrs. Will Shane and... family Sunday afternoon... Mrs. Aaron White and children... Dorothy, Lora and Billy, were in... Stephenville Thursday afternoon... Mr. and Mrs. Dave Box had as... their guests during the holidays... Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Box and fam...

ily of Hawley, and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Whittenton and children, D. W. and Estelle of Liberty... Mrs. Wesley Box spent the week-end in Fort Worth... Misses Frances Whitworth and Dorothy White, who are attending college in Denton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Whitworth and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron White... Mrs. Cicero Harris and children, Uraine and Junior, are visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma... Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Dixon and children of East Texas and Miss Zelta Woods of Fort Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Woods... Thomas Henley, Ralph Hammett and Lloyd Carrett visited in Weatherford and Fort Worth Saturday... Shelton Lee, who is attending college at Austin is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. S. Lee... Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Henley and daughter, Marguerite, spent Christmas Day with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bullard at Gordon... Gomer and Chester Miller of Sonora, Texas, are visiting friends and relatives here... Billy Turner of Fort Worth is spending the week with Clifford Masters and other relatives... Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Banies and sons, Edward and Earl, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Whitworth and Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers... Kokomo News... We are having some cool weather for the present... Mrs. Luther Hendley and children of Lamesa are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hendricks... Misses Edna and Alta Everton spent the holidays with homefolks... Mr. and Mrs. Truman Powers of Eastland have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Powers and family... Mrs. Ezzie Hendricks and boys, Mr. and Mrs. June Hendricks and...

family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wood and family of New Hope, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hendricks... Miss Fanny Neely of Ranger is visiting with her uncle, Lon McDonald and family... Several of this community were shopping in Eastland Saturday afternoon... Miss Allene Rodgers was in Eastland last week... Rev. Willie Skaggs was not here for services Saturday night, but preached to a large crowd Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Finis Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Berry Thomas of Alameda last week... Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Graham of Eastland were visiting in this community Christmas... Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hendricks spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Tidy Faves and family... Miss Eunice Timmons is visiting with relatives in Coryell county... L. D. Reynolds of Breckenridge is visiting with his aunt and family, Mrs. Elmer Rodgers... Mr. and Mrs. Otis Goodwin and family spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Goodwin, of Grandview... Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Shugart spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Woodall and family of Lone Star... The school children enjoyed a Christmas tree at the schoolhouse Friday afternoon... Howell who are attending Southern Methodist university at Dallas, came in Friday to spend the holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Z. L. Howell... Billy McGowan, who is attending school at Austin, came in Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGowan. His mother met him at Eastland... Mrs. O. A. Young and little daughter of Fort Worth are guests of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Barron and her mother, Mrs. R. K. Glanton... Walter Henry, who has been in the reforestation camp near Stephenville, came home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henry... Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Williams attended the picture show at Eastland Thursday night... Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Lee and family Saturday night and Sunday... Robert Weir of Kilgore visited old friends here Sunday before going to Stephenville to visit his mother... Mrs. Roy Rushing and her mother, Mrs. John Williams, went home with Mrs. Worth Smith to Eliaville Thursday and stayed until Monday when Mr. Rushing drove up there and brought them home. Mrs. J. H. Rushing, Sr. and son, Weldon, also went up there Monday and spent the day with Mrs. Smith... Mrs. J. R. Buchan and her daughters, Miss Lillie Buchan and Mrs. R. D. Wright, drove up to Ranger Thursday and did some shopping... On Tuesday afternoon of last week Mrs. J. W. Griffin and Mrs. W. C. Bedford were hostesses for the Christmas program and party of the "21" Study club at the clubhouse which had been beautifully decorated with festoons of red and green, bunches of mistletoe, a pretty Christmas tree and red and white roses. The decorating had been done by the house committee of which Mrs. W. E. Barron is chairman and Mrs. A. C. Robert and Mrs. Griffin, members of the committee. After a short business session the following Bible day program was led by Mrs. Aaron Henslee: Scripture 23rd Psalm, by club. Life of Henry Van Dyke by Mrs. C. M. Bratton; story, "The Other Wise Men" by Mrs. C. W. Maltby; story, "The Mansion," by Mrs. Hugh Roe; song, "Silent Night," by club prayer, Mrs. Roy Ashburn; reading, "Keeping Christmas," Mrs. Aaron Henslee... Questions were asked by the leader as substitute for Mrs. J. E. Heeter, who was absent. Each number was well rendered and enjoyed but the story of "The Other Wise Man" which is said to be the most popular short story ever written, having been translated into many languages, was the outstanding number on program. Mrs. Maltby who is specially gifted as a reader, gave it entirely from memory, with splendid expression... At the close of the program gifts were distributed from the tree, by numbers being drawn, the last gift being a bedspread given by the club to Mrs. Griffin who lost her home by fire a few months ago. The hostesses served refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, fruit cake, orange nut-cake, with sprigs of mistletoe as plate favors. Those present were Meses. Roy Ashburn, Plummer Ashburn, Gifford Acrea W. E. Barron, W. C. Bedford, C. M. Bratton, W. H. Davis, J. W. Griffin, Mattie Henry, Aaron Henslee, A. B. Henslee, C. W. Maltby, A. C. Moore, John Mendenhall, D. B. Parks, Hugh Roe, Fred Welder, R. D. Wright, A. C. Robert, Clarence Ragland and Miss Nora Robert and little Cleve Jean Bratton. Mrs. J. H. Rushing, Sr. and son, Weldon, drove down to De Leon on business Saturday... The monthly program of the Parent-Teacher association was presented to a packed house on Thursday night at the high school. Under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Mattie Henry, this organization is doing much to make our school a community center...



Five men, three of them employees of the Missouri-Pacific railway, perished in the wreckage of this freight train, derailed when the engine struck cattle standing on the track near Calvert Junction Texas. The other two men were transients who were killed when a refrigerator car was crushed. The engine and eight cars left the track. The photo shows wreckers clearing the track.

Where Cattle Caused Fatal Train Wreck

Howell who are attending Southern Methodist university at Dallas, came in Friday to spend the holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Z. L. Howell... Billy McGowan, who is attending school at Austin, came in Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McGowan. His mother met him at Eastland... Mrs. O. A. Young and little daughter of Fort Worth are guests of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Barron and her mother, Mrs. R. K. Glanton... Walter Henry, who has been in the reforestation camp near Stephenville, came home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Henry... Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Williams attended the picture show at Eastland Thursday night... Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Griffin were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Lee and family Saturday night and Sunday... Robert Weir of Kilgore visited old friends here Sunday before going to Stephenville to visit his mother... Mrs. Roy Rushing and her mother, Mrs. John Williams, went home with Mrs. Worth Smith to Eliaville Thursday and stayed until Monday when Mr. Rushing drove up there and brought them home. Mrs. J. H. Rushing, Sr. and son, Weldon, also went up there Monday and spent the day with Mrs. Smith... Mrs. J. R. Buchan and her daughters, Miss Lillie Buchan and Mrs. R. D. Wright, drove up to Ranger Thursday and did some shopping... On Tuesday afternoon of last week Mrs. J. W. Griffin and Mrs. W. C. Bedford were hostesses for the Christmas program and party of the "21" Study club at the clubhouse which had been beautifully decorated with festoons of red and green, bunches of mistletoe, a pretty Christmas tree and red and white roses. The decorating had been done by the house committee of which Mrs. W. E. Barron is chairman and Mrs. A. C. Robert and Mrs. Griffin, members of the committee. After a short business session the following Bible day program was led by Mrs. Aaron Henslee: Scripture 23rd Psalm, by club. Life of Henry Van Dyke by Mrs. C. M. Bratton; story, "The Other Wise Men" by Mrs. C. W. Maltby; story, "The Mansion," by Mrs. Hugh Roe; song, "Silent Night," by club prayer, Mrs. Roy Ashburn; reading, "Keeping Christmas," Mrs. Aaron Henslee... Questions were asked by the leader as substitute for Mrs. J. E. Heeter, who was absent. Each number was well rendered and enjoyed but the story of "The Other Wise Man" which is said to be the most popular short story ever written, having been translated into many languages, was the outstanding number on program. Mrs. Maltby who is specially gifted as a reader, gave it entirely from memory, with splendid expression... At the close of the program gifts were distributed from the tree, by numbers being drawn, the last gift being a bedspread given by the club to Mrs. Griffin who lost her home by fire a few months ago. The hostesses served refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, fruit cake, orange nut-cake, with sprigs of mistletoe as plate favors. Those present were Meses. Roy Ashburn, Plummer Ashburn, Gifford Acrea W. E. Barron, W. C. Bedford, C. M. Bratton, W. H. Davis, J. W. Griffin, Mattie Henry, Aaron Henslee, A. B. Henslee, C. W. Maltby, A. C. Moore, John Mendenhall, D. B. Parks, Hugh Roe, Fred Welder, R. D. Wright, A. C. Robert, Clarence Ragland and Miss Nora Robert and little Cleve Jean Bratton. Mrs. J. H. Rushing, Sr. and son, Weldon, drove down to De Leon on business Saturday... The monthly program of the Parent-Teacher association was presented to a packed house on Thursday night at the high school. Under the leadership of the president, Mrs. Mattie Henry, this organization is doing much to make our school a community center...

We regret being unable to secure a copy of the program... On Friday night the Senior class presented their play at the high school. Weldon Rushing who is senior sponsor directed the play which was acted well and quite interesting... Mrs. Pierce Carruth and two sons, Elwood, 11 years old, and Tommy Dick, 2 years old, left Friday for their home in Hobbs, N. M., after visiting here a week with her father, T. J. Henry, whom she found in rather feeble health. Besides Mrs. Carruth, others who visited Mr. Henry were his son, Joe Henry and wife of Odell, and J. T. Henry and wife of Dublin, and with the two children, Tip Henry and Mrs. Eula Jones, who live here, there was quite a family reunion. It was the first time Mrs. Carruth had visited her former home town since the death of her mother a few years ago and she spent almost the whole week right with her father and only a few of her many friends had the pleasure of seeing her. Before coming here she had visited a married daughter (formerly Estelle Carruth) at Kilgore... The program rendered Saturday night at the Methodist church Christmas tree celebration was one of the best ever given at this church. W. E. Barron, superintendent of the Sunday school and his committees deserve much praise for the entertainment. A two-act play directed by Mrs. Annie Daniels was very entertaining. The girls, all of whom acted their parts well, were Misses Roma Lee Wright, Edra Parks, Latrell McGuire, Penelope Robert, Ruth Crenshaw, Agatha Genoway and Virginia Bruce... School Hill News... Several from this community attended the Parent-Teacher association program at Desdemona Friday night and all had a splendid time... Mrs. Many Fagen and her three sons, Henry, Willie and Robert, are spending the holidays with her father and brother, Grandfather Brock and Arthur Jim Brock. Grandfather Brock has been in ill health for some time. Mrs. Fagen lives at Aspermont... There was a Christmas tree at the schoolhouse. A large crowd attended... J. O. Hare is spending the week-end with his brother at Crosbyton. Scott Crager is moving to the Plains... Jack Hare and J. L. Morrow are working on the road... Mr. and Mrs. Paul Franks, who live on the Plains, are visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson... Jim Wells has been on the sick list for some time but is better now... S. Brock will move on the Crager place and will take charge of the school bus after Christmas... Doyle Yardley is spending the holidays with homefolks. He is a student at John Tarleton college, Stephenville... Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Haynes, who live on the Plains, are visiting their relatives at this place... There is singing at this place every fourth Saturday night. Everyone is welcome to attend... Mrs. Gladys Morrow is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Crager... Tom Christian of near Rising Star is moving on his father's place in this community... Miss Nonie Williamson is spending the holidays with homefolks near Stephenville... MISSED DEPRESSION... DANVILLE, Ky.—There never has been any depression in the life of Rev. J. W. Parker, minister in Boyle county. He has joined in holy matrimony 4,528 couples during the 45 years he has been a minister. "I average two a week," Rev. Parker declared, "and I don't think they run to divorce courts, either..." A scientist predicts that in 50 years, people will have nothing to laugh at—unless they read the history of today...

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DESDEMONA

Miss Minyon Whitworth who is attending John Tarleton college at Stephenville, is spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Whitworth. Her many friends were delighted to see that her name was on the honor roll of the college. Her report card which some of her friends were privileged to see, showed her grades to be above 90 in almost every subject. Such a report reflects credit not only upon herself and her parents but also upon Desdemona High school from which she graduated... William Howell and Robert...

Kokomo News

We are having some cool weather for the present... Mrs. Luther Hendley and children of Lamesa are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hendricks... Misses Edna and Alta Everton spent the holidays with homefolks... Mr. and Mrs. Truman Powers of Eastland have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Powers and family... Mrs. Ezzie Hendricks and boys, Mr. and Mrs. June Hendricks and...

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NEW COMET By Scarbo LES STOEFFEN THE GIANT RACQUET WIELDER FROM LOS ANGELES CLIMBED THE TENNIS LADDER FASTER THAN ANY OTHER PLAYER IN THE LAST THREE YEARS. IN 1931 HE RANKED 15TH, 6TH IN 1932, AND NOW RATES NO. 3 POSITION. BELLSNORTH VINES SAYS HE'LL BE IN THE TOP SPOT BY NEXT YEAR.

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Actual Business Improvement Is Seen In Statewide Survey

AUSTIN, Tex., Dec. 28.—Business has become more and more encouraging with the advance of the month, Dr. F. A. Buechel, economist and assistant director of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research pointed out in his monthly survey of business conditions.

The growing optimism is based upon prospects of monetary stability and upon evidences of actual improvement in trade and industry, and on indications that greater business momentum will be attained after the turn of the year," he said.

Monetary and other uncertainties which have clouded the business situation during recent months either are being clarified or are receding into the background. Viewed from almost any angle, the outlook for the early months of 1934 is one of considerable promise. Expansion in many industries probably will lack the speculative stimulus which gave rise to the sharp April-July advance of this year, but gains appear likely to be better distributed throughout the industrial structure.

Retail trade is making a favorable showing and there are indications that a slowly rising general price level is in immediate prospect. Several leading industries

Mae West of Cabbage Patch

is the efficacy of the specific methods which are now being employed being questioned as a means of bringing immediate relief to agriculture, but the nationalistic philosophy which appears to dominate current policies with reference to agriculture is arousing increased public attention and criticism.

"That there was wide divergence in point of view within the Agriculture Adjustment Administration organization itself concerning these problems is evidenced by public statements following the resignation of Mr. Peek from the Department of Agriculture and his transfer to the State department. Moreover, Mr. Peek's speech before the American Farm Bureau Federation in Chicago indicates clearly that the divergence in point of view between him and his colleagues involved in much broader field even than that of a national versus an international philosophy for agriculture. Rather it had to do with the proper relationship of government to our basic economic institutions—private property rights and sacredness of contract.

"There is grave concern," Mr. Peek said, "over the expressions of a few ultra-liberals about the government taking over private business. If you want my opinion—personally, not officially, mind you—I would say that this apprehension is unwarranted. Unless it hushes, the government has more than enough to do as it will get up before it rains. The foundation of the whole American economic structure from the first has been a respect for private property rights and the sacredness of contracts. Legitimate profits have always been regarded in this country as a proper reward for individual initiative, industry and thrift. I know of no substitute for such traits. I am in favor of the profit system, but I am in favor of starting with the farmer. There is a broad in the land a propaganda of more or less importance for doing away with the profit system. This means no more and no less than doing away with the institutions under which we have all grown up and prospered or less. I am against the racketeers in the underworld. But the remedy lies not in destroying our institutions.

According to press reports, Mr. Peek in his new capacity will devote his time to the expansion of foreign trade for American farm products through promotion of reciprocal tariffs, barter and international arrangements. Those who agree with Mr. Peek that agriculture stands to benefit more from an effective program of expanding foreign outlets for agricultural products than in restricting production to domestic requirements will watch him develop his program with great interest.

Insofar as the government's gold purchasing program of the past six weeks of more has resulted in depreciation of the dollar in terms of foreign exchange, no branch of agriculture has benefited as much as cotton, since cotton is by far the most important agricultural product entering into foreign commerce. Moreover, of all the cotton states Texas receives the greatest benefit because of the large proportion of the cotton produced here. This fact accounts in large measure for the favorable current business statistics in Texas, especially in connection with retail trade.



Doctor Refutes the Nervous Breakdown

BERKELEY, Cal.—There is no such thing as a "nervous breakdown," Dr. M. C. Reid, University of California psychiatrist, claimed today.

Actually, Dr. Reid said, the condition termed a "breakdown" is a mental "compromise."

"A typical case that we have in college," the psychiatrist said, "is the student who attempts to take subjects in which he is uninterested or for which he is mentally unadapted. Unable to force himself to give the concentration to master these subjects, he worries continually, and at the approach of finals he attempts to drive his brain and will power."

"The result from a case of this kind is that the conscious mind is determined to carry on, but the subconscious mind rebels. The so-called nervous breakdown is a compromise. The individual 'saves' his face and the scorn of the world is changed to sympathy and solicitation. This is an unconscious evasion of responsibility."

Relaxation was cited by the psychiatrist as an aid to overcoming such conditions.

Bootlegging Gold Rivals Liquor Profit

NEW YORK.—The bootlegging of gold threatens to replace the bootlegging of liquor. An arrest has just been made on the Canadian border, which is believed to indicate that gold smugglers recently have carried \$1,000,000 worth of the precious metal out of the United States. The situation of the gold prices is unique in history, and threatens to develop countless bootleggers of the yellow metal into foreign countries experts say.

Under the present law the Assay offices and the mints cannot pay more than \$20.67 an ounce for gold, while the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is buying gold daily for almost twice this price, that is newly mined gold. Secondary gold recovered from old gold and scrap is not purchased by the Government at this higher price, and actually is glutting the market. The gold in both cases has exactly the same purity and is "as

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FLOUR TEXAS KING	48-lb. sack	\$1.45
COFFEE Maxwell House	lb.	28c
PINTO BEANS	5 lbs.	25c
PRUNES	3 lbs.	19c
SORGHUM East Texas	No. 10 can	59c
Compound 8-lb. cart.		57c
SUGAR 10-lb. bag		49c
Campbell's Soups		
TOMATO Vegetable or Vegetable Beef	4 cans 25c	3 cans 25c
PORK & BEANS Van Camp	can	5c
COFFEE Pipkin's Special	2 lbs.	35c
Country Gentleman CORN Royal Gem	2 No. 2 cans	19c
Libby's Asparagus Tips small tips	Square can	21c
Royal GELATIN	Pkg.	5c
Chase & Sanborn Dated COFFEE	Lb.	25c
LOUISIANA JEFFREY'S—No. 5 can		33c
Ribbon Cane SYRUP No. 10 can		59c
ORANGES	doz.	15c
Winesap APPLES	doz.	20c
LETTUCE	each	5c
BANANAS	doz.	15c
Round STEAK	lb.	17½c
Sliced BACON	lb.	19c
CHUCK ROAST Branded Beef	lb.	10c
PORK CHOPS Nice and Lean	Lb.	15c
Ground VEAL for loaf	lb.	10c

Eskimos Facing A Hard Winter

POINT BARROW, Alaska.—It looks like a long, hard, dreary winter in this northernmost Alaskan settlement.

Eskimos harpooned only a few whales last spring and the catch of foxes was far below normal. This fall the Eskimos were unable to bring back any whales or walrus for food.

The tend of every successful whaling expedition calls for a celebration among the natives here. Gay flags are hoisted and natives enjoy games and jumping contests. Frequently a "skin" dance follows a catch and native men and women are tossed in the air and caught in blankets. Children, garbed in warm furs, join in the fun.

But this year these celebrations were marked by their absence.

Christmas also calls for a celebration, with food and presents sent up from the outside world. Christmas provisions ordinarily arrive during the previous summer. But this year they will be noticeably lacking.

LONGFELLOW HOME YIELDS PIPE

By United Press
 BRUNSWICK, Me.—A tobacco pouch and a briar pipe were discovered by Walter Hall behind a partition in the old Longfellow house on Federal Street, where the poet once roomed. It is believed that the pipe and tobacco date back to about 1825, the year Longfellow was graduated from Bowdoin College.

COMMON NAMES MISSING

By United Press
 WILLOWS, Cal.—Six towns in Glenn and Tehama counties apparently have no Jones, Johnsons Browns or Smiths. The towns of Artois, Clark Creek, Gerber, Los Molinos, Stonyford and Vina lack representatives of the "big four" families, telephone company officials said. They declared it was a phenomena.



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Canada Plans a New River Project

By United Press
 MONTREAL.—Plans for a gigantic irrigation scheme, involving an expenditure of \$15,000,000 and a territory in northwestern Saskatchewan of 1,000,000 acres, have been submitted to the Dominion government by three Moose Jaw men.

The plan, which now awaits the sanction of federal and provincial governments, is backed by A. W. E. Fawkes, W. R. Bennett and A. E. Martin. The men state that financial backing for the scheme is available.

The project would give 1,500 men work for three years. Seventy per cent of the cost would be for labor.

Part of the plan consists in the construction of a huge dam across the Saskatchewan river. At this dam 100,000 horsepower of electrical energy could be developed. The plan also makes provision for water supplies to Moose Jaw and Regina.

The irrigation plan involves the watering of a strip of land 30

Internal Revenue Collections Show A Big Increase

WASHINGTON.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Guy T. Helvering has made public the comparative statement of internal revenue collections for the month of November, 1933.

The total revenue collected during November amounted to \$135,706,922.65, compared with \$85,484,476.64 collected in the month of November, 1932, an increase of more than \$50,000,000.

The items which in the aggregate accounted for the greater part of the increase in collections were the tax on dividends amounting to \$6,394,489.24; collections from the estate tax in the sum of \$6,214,717.72, approximately \$4,000,000 in excess of the amount collected in November, 1932; tax on fermented malt liquors in the sum of \$8,040,943.55; the tax on gasoline \$17,037,101.66, an increase of about \$3,000,000 over the preceding November; the tax on automobiles and motorcycles of \$2,071,786.99, equal to about

three times the amount collected in November, 1932; and the agriculture adjustment processing taxes of \$30,265,904.02. The tax on dividends, fermented malt liquors and the processing taxes were not in force a year ago.

The collections from income tax aggregated \$17,783,439.42, an increase of about \$3,500,000 over November of last year. With the exception of February, 1933, this is the first month since January, 1931, that the collections from income tax have been greater than the amount received from that source for the same month in the preceding year. This result is gratifying to internal revenue officials who regard it as a sign that the campaign for the collection of back taxes upon which the bureau is engaged is bearing fruit.

Hunter's Dog Saved Him From a Bear

By United Press
 PORTERVILLE, Calif.—Bud Creeks, veteran Porterville hunter, was alive today largely because his dog gallantly attacked a bear which had him cornered.

Creeks was attacked by the bear just after he had shot her cub. Her claws ripped through his trousers, shredding them, as she charged. The dog's attack diverted her attention while Creeks escaped with the cub.

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Colorado Selects			PORK & BEANS		25c
POTATOES	10 lbs.	21c	100 per cent Pure		
JUMBO			COFFEE	lb.	15c
CELERY	stalk	15c	Borden's	MILK	8 small cans 25c
NICE SIZE			Harvest Glow	FLOUR	24 lbs. 85c
APPLES	doz.	10c			48 lbs. \$1.47
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Any Cut Baby Beef			Full Cream		
STEAKS	lb.	15c	Fancy Baby Beef		
Lean Pork Chops or Ham	lb.	15c	ROAST	Chuck or Seven	10c
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Sliced BACON	lb.	19c	PORK ROAST	lb.	12½c
Sweet Cream			STEW MEAT	lb.	7c
BUTTER	lb.	23c	PORK SAUSAGE HAMBURGER or Veal Loaf	3 Lbs.	25c

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... scene of the Nativity with... the Holy Child, in... church choir recess, was hung...

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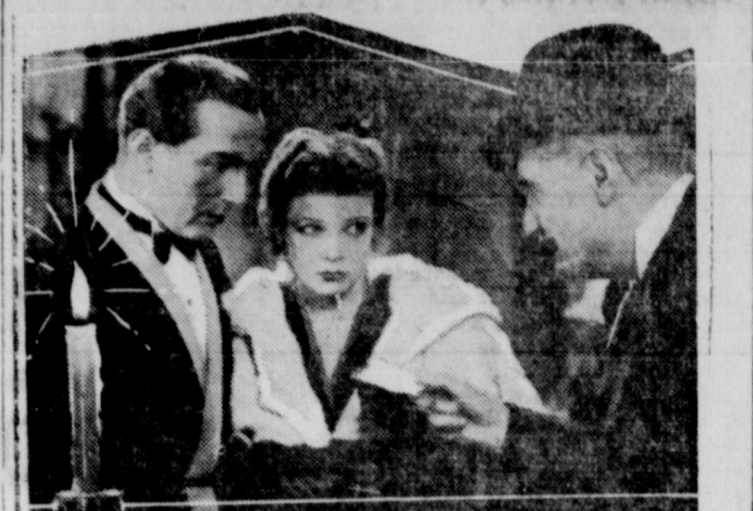
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New Year's Eve Midnight Matinee, 11 P. M., Sunday Night



PAUL LUKAS, ELISSA LANDI AND LAURENCE GRANT IN "BY CANDLELIGHT" UNIVERSAL PRODUCTION

The advent of the talking picture has vastly increased the possibilities of screen comedy. This is the statement of James Whale, director of "By Candlelight," Universals Continental comedy by Siegfried Geyer, which plays Saturday night at the Lyric theatre, with Elissa Landi and Paul Lukas in starring roles.

Repeal Brings Out An Orange Wine... NEW ORLEANS—Enactment of the twenty-first amendment gave impetus to two Louisiana industries that have prospered quietly more or less during the repeal period—manufacture of orange and strawberry wines.

Three Nations Order British Airplanes... LONDON—Twenty-three British military airplanes have been ordered by Denmark, Spain and Portugal.

CAT CAME BACK... FORT WORTH—Four months after County School Superintendent John T. White took a mother cat and her kittens to a farm 17 miles from here, the cat turned up unexpectedly at his back door, having deserted the farm and made its own way back.

EATS 51-YEAR-OLD CAKE... WESTPORT, Conn.—A slice of wedding cake, made nearly 51 years ago, was eaten recently by Prof. and Mrs. E. D. Merriman. The slice was from a cake baked for their wedding in 1882. It was preserved in a sealed tin until taken out this month.

DOG WHEELS BABY BUGGY... TEMPLE, Texas.—If you see a big Belgian police dog proudly rolling a baby buggy down the streets of Temple, call her Monty. The dog was trained by E. L. Morgan to look both ways before crossing a street, and carefully to lift the buggy over curbs with her teeth.

WET ROAD CRASHES LOW... HARRISBURG, Pa.—Out of 36,376 motor vehicle accidents since the first of the year, 73 per cent occurred on dry roads, according to the state department of revenue. Nineteen per cent occurred on wet roads.

One Sure Way to End Coughs and Colds... Persistent coughs and colds lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a new medical discovery with two-fold action: it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

BY SISTER MARY... WHEN economical meals must be served, much thought and planning are required to prevent them from becoming monotonous. Cereals always are comparatively low-cost foods and can be used to advantage not only as breakfast dishes but also as substantial hot main dishes for supper or luncheon.

Tomorrow's Menu... BREAKFAST: California grapes, cereal, cream, plain omelet, cornmeal muffins, milk, coffee. LUNCHEON: Spanish rice, celery and apple salad, toasted muffins, cup custards, milk, tea. DINNER: Veal stew with dumplings, spinach timbales, cabbage and tomato salad, raisin pie, milk, coffee.

Spanish Rice... One Bermuda onion, 2 tablespoons butter or bacon fat, 2 green peppers, 1-2 cup brown rice, 2 cups canned tomatoes, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper. Melt butter or fat in frying pan and add onion and peppers finely minced. Cook five minutes. Add tomatoes. Sprinkle rice over top and season with salt and pepper. Cover frying pan and cook over a low fire for one hour. As soon as rice begins to absorb tomato juice, water and stir occasionally to prevent sticking and burning.

Samp and Nuts... One-half cup samp, 1 tablespoon butter, 1-2 teaspoon poultry seasoning, 1 cup broken nut meats, 1-2 cup cream, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper. Soak samp over night in cold water. Cook in boiling salted water until tender. Then add butter, nuts and seasoning. Cook until cream is absorbed and serve at once.

DOG FACED FIRING SQUAD... NEW BRITAIN, Conn.—Convicted of slaying more than 250 pet rabbits in various parts of the city, a police dog faced a one-man firing squad here in expiation of his crimes. The selectmen ordered the dog killed after they had paid out \$450 in claims for rabbits killed.

YOUTH, 9, BAGS 2 TURKEYS... FORT WORTH.—Nine-year-old Bobby Scott was the envy of his playmates, as well as some of his father's friends, when he bagged two wild turkeys on a hunt recently with a party of business men. The youth was the only one in the party to bag a turkey.

NRA AIDED GRADUATES... BATON ROUGE, La.—The employment relief program of the national government has enabled a number of Louisiana State university graduates of the engineering department to obtain positions, it was announced by L. J. Lasalle, dean of the college of engineering.

WOMAN, 102, AIDS MAN, 72... BOSTON.—Mrs. Lucy Keough had to interrupt her birthday celebration to care for her son-in-law, Michael J. Carty, who had fallen into Boston harbor's icy waters. Carty is 72. It was Mrs. Keough's 102nd birthday anniversary.

FIRST TRIP IN 15 YEARS... STIRLING CITY, Calif.—Barney Tobias, 89, made his first trip out of this little mountain town in 15 years when he went to Oroville for treatment for a strained arm. He had not been out of Stirling City since 1918.

BRING YOUR OWN RAZORS... CLEBURNE, Texas.—The commissioners' court here has decided that prisoners in the county jail will get food and bedding and other incidentals, but they must provide their own razors and blades.

DOGS SAVED WOMAN... LITCHFIELD, Conn.—Condemned by an enraged buck while working in the woods near here recently, Mrs. John C. Barnard was saved from injury when her two dogs worried the animal until she could escape.

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