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STOCKS OF GOODS NEAR 1928 FIGURES.
 A Washington correspondent lets it be known that the bulging warehouses of America are being relieved of the glut of overproduction of manufactures. Stocks of manufactured goods had dwindled so at the end of the fiscal year that the situation was akin to 1928, "giving reason to expect increased business." As for raw material, Secretary Lamont of the department of commerce was unable to say the same. Surpluses in general were undiminished. Secretary Lamont emphasized industrial production for the year ended June 30 was of greater volume than in 1929 and 1922 and 31 per cent more than in the depression year 1921. He found foreign trade not so bad as indicated by dollars and cents values. Exports were 34 per cent lower in dollar value and imports 37 per cent under the previous year on June 30.

Figures are fascinating — figures dealing with exports and imports in by-gone years as compared with the record made at the close of the last fiscal year. Depressions come and go, but the world of commerce and finance and agriculture stagger on forever. All down the corridors of time lean years have followed fat years. Then fat years followed lean years. This will be the record of the future.

MILLIONS FOR HIGHWAY PREDICTED.

An Iowa congressman, C. C. Dowell, was chairman of the house roads committee in the last congress. He will be the ranking member of the committee in the new congress. He believes that because of the unemployment situation and the comparatively low costs of road building at this time, congress will be disposed to go ahead with a liberal highway program and the appropriation figure may approximate a third of a billion dollars. Total appropriations for roads by the federal government in the current fiscal year amount to \$205,000,000. Regular appropriations for the purpose was fixed at \$125,000,000. To this, because of unemployment, congress at the last session added \$80,000,000. A reminder that the Texas highway commission is investing millions of dollars this winter in new roads and bridges as well as road maintenance. John T. Flynn, in a recent number of Colliers Weekly, had a startling article dealing with the gasoline racketeers and gasoline racketeering the nation over. Losses to the state in gasoline taxes, according to Flynn, run into millions annually and in all the 48 states racketeering has assumed an industry of increased proportions and deserves to rank with the illicit manufacture of moonshine liquor or the running in of liquor from other countries.

SPEAKING OF THE POUND STERLING.

Great Britain away back in 1873 led the movement for the demonetization of silver and the adoption of gold as the standard of the world. Ramsay MacDonald's new government deserted the gold standard and all that happened since is interesting. Under force of steady selling which has been buffeting the British pound sterling ever since it was taken off the gold standard, the quotation Dec. 1 broke abruptly to \$3.30, the lowest price in ten years. At that time the English pound was only 12 cents above its all time record low of \$3.18, reached in the chaotic post-war adjustment period, just prior to England's return to the gold standard. Two-thirds of all the gold of the world is held in storage by the government of the United States and the government of France. Now the champions of the white metal are clamoring for the governments of the earth "to avenge the crime of 1873."

William Jennings Bryan was born 39 years too soon. He should be walking the states today thundering his cross of gold and crown of thorns in denunciation of the golden calf and its worshippers. Bryan is not in the land of the living, but Col. Arthur Brisbane has taken up the cudgel for the white metal.

BIG BILL AND MAYOR JIMMY.

Big Bill Thompson was mayor of Chicago for three terms. He came very near bankrupting the second greatest American city. Then he was thrown out and Anton J. Cermak, (d), came in. On the first day of December there were 23,000 city employes waiting for their pay checks. Chicago, municipally speaking, was broke. Then 50 of its richest citizens signed a pledge to insure the payment of the imperiled salaries. This aid came at the right time. This is the plan. The city is to sell within the next few months \$30,000,000 worth of 1930 tax anticipation warrants to provide funds for payroll and other expenses. A campaign patterned after the liberty loan drive of war times was planned to sell the certificates.

MAYOR JIMMY WALKER OF NEW YORK IS ON THE GOLD COAST

Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York is on the Gold Coast asking for a pardon for Tom Mooney. He should be on Manhattan Island where his board of aldermen have adopted the record budget of \$631,000,000. This was the vote; Tammany aldermen 61, republican aldermen 3. Of course, it was a party vote. Mayor Jimmy is asking for justice for Tom Mooney. Taxpayers in the city are clamoring for a lighter load. Municipal government comes high. County government comes high. There is where the taxpayers' money goes.

BORGNUM HAS NEW COMMISSIONS.

Gutzon Borglum, the sculptor who passes his winters in Texas, has accepted commissions for a nine foot bronze figure of William Jennings Bryan and a bust of Gen. John J. Pershing. A dispatch from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, says the Pershing bust will be placed in the Nebraska state capitol at Lincoln, while Bryan's figure will be made from a life mask taken by Borglum when the democratic leader was secretary of state under Woodrow Wilson. Sculptor Borglum does not know where the Bryan memorial will be placed. Will Illinois bid?

SNELL'S EMPTY HONOR.

Representative Bertram Snell of New York won the party nomination for the speakership. An empty honor, of course, but Snell was and is playing for the minority leadership should John N. Garner win the speakership for the democrats. These Eastern leaders of the two major parties are of the opinion that the East should be the big voice of the nation in the halls of legislation as well as in financial circles. Western republicans were ambitious to win the minority leadership. They were bowled over — left on the outside of the breastworks so-to-speak. Republican Snell has given warning that the G. O. P. leaders will do their level best to organize the house as well as the senate Dec. 6. Now watch the political fur fly.

Lookout, Boys! Don't Sink the Ship!



Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
SEA SERVICE WRITER

WASHINGTON—Official White House dinners have the reputation of being dull and uninteresting, but experts agree that they are no worse than most other formal dinners in this capital.

Some guests are bothered by nerves because smoking at the table is out of order. Cigarettes are not served. But, at White House dinners as at other dinners, the comparative success of the evening is likely to depend on your luck in drawing a partner. And it seems reasonable to say that that President and Mrs. Hoover have no more fun at these functions than their average guest.

The cabinet dinner was eaten on Dec. 3, and the others will be: Vice president's, Jan. 7; Diplomatic, Jan. 14; Speaker's, Feb. 2.

The diplomatic dinners are the biggest because the president must make sure that the head of every foreign mission, large or small, is invited. The record for people served is 54.

GUESTS assemble in the Blue Room if it's an ordinary-sized affair, and in the East Room if it's large. The Marine Band plays in the foyer. In the cloakroom each man is given a card bearing a table diagram, showing him his place and naming his partner. Both his seat and his partner's are predetermined according to rank; women always take the social rank of their husbands. Ambassadors outrank ministers and outrank each other in the order of their seniority in Washington. The same goes for members of Congress, senators always outranking representatives.

The guest guest finds his partner and then everybody gets in line, two by two, according to rank, under supervision of ushers and aides, who are commanded by the famous Ike Hoover, veteran chief usher. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover come downstairs and pass along the line, greeting everybody.

Then the procession parades into the state dining room, the president leading the way. His partner is the ranking woman of the evening, who sits at his right, and Mrs. Hoover's partner is the ranking man of the evening, who sits at her right. At the four annual dinners mentioned the dean of the diplomatic corps, the speaker, vice president and the secretary of state are the ranking men. Mr. and Mrs. Hoover sit opposite each other. With no more than 50 guests, a long, straight table is used, but with more than that the table spreads around the room circularly.

EVERYBODY sits down at 8 o'clock, and the most awful thing you can do in Washington is to be late at such a dinner.

Six courses are served: An appetizer, most likely seafood; a soup, usually a bouillon; a fish, which may be mackerel, shad roe, bass, or anything but catfish; a main course as likely to be special lamb or prime beef as it is capon, chicken or filet mignon, plus potatoes and a couple of cooked green vegetables; a salad, which may be any kind of a salad, and dessert, which is always ice cream with cakes. The only liquid is plain water—no mineral water or ginger ale, even.

The food is never exotic, but always is cooked elegantly. The menu has been made up in the kitchen and submitted for Mrs. Hoover's approval or alteration. One waiter serves seven or eight persons.

Finally the president and his wife arise and everybody goes to the Blue Room, where the men leave the women and accompany the president to his study for cigars and coffee. The women have coffee and some sneak off to side rooms for a cigaret, which they mustn't smoke in the Blue Room. After a half hour the party reassembles and sometimes there is music. Nearly all the great musical stars have appeared at the White House one time or another. After the music Mr. and Mrs. Hoover say good night to a few, honored guests, bow toward everybody in general and go off upstairs. That means the party is over. Husbands retrieve their wives and take them home.

as a result.

F. O. Mackey, president of the Broadway of America Highway association, left El Paso Dec. 1 on a tour of inspection of the highway as far east as Metcalf. He went particularly to inspect the billboards which have been placed along the route to advertise the Broadway.

W. A. Hammett Is Back From Trip

Constable and Mrs. W. A. Hammett, accompanied by their son, Lynn, have returned to Ranger after a week spent visiting with their daughter, Mrs. W. K. Campbell, and family, of Pecos.

While on the trip they visited the Davis mountain region and came back full of enthusiasm over the beauty of the section.

Judge Rowland Is Able To Be Up Now

Judge R. C. Rowland of Ranger, who has been confined to his home for the past week on account of illness, was able to be out Sunday for the first time.

Judge Rowland said today that he was feeling much better and was able to attend court in Eastland today.

MANISTEE, Mich.—Manistee is becoming book-minded, a report issued by Miss Angie Messer, director of the public library, indicated. In October, the report showed, the library circulation increased 2,468 volumes over September. There were 105 new registrations during the month, Miss Messer said.

RANGER HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

MISS JEWELLE JUDD
 Editor

Advisories Meet.
 All advisories meet at 2 o'clock today.

Home Economic Department.
 The home economics department, of which Miss Hagaman is head, is showing evidence of doing excellent work. The food and clothing departments are both under Miss Hagaman's supervision. Many lovely dresses have been made by the second-year clothing girls, while the first-year classes are making various other things to wear.

Miss Davis Week-End Guest in Cisco.
 Miss Hazel Davis was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. A. F. Fiddle in Cisco.

Dramatics Club.
 A picnic is being planned by the Dramatics club for Wednesday night.

Dream Snaps Man's Vertebra in Place

SPRINGFIELD, Mo.—A miner, Oscar Brooks, suffered a dislocated vertebra in his back when he was partly buried in a rock slide. The injury, while not dangerous, confined him to his bed, and refused to yield immediately to treatment. One night, while dreaming, Brooks lunged in his sleep. The vertebra snapped back into place.

QUILT DEPICTS LORD'S PRAYER

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—At 87 years of age, S. R. Peacock has triumphed in his life's ambition to create the Lord's Prayer in a quilt. The quilt, containing 11,000 hexagonal pieces, each three-eighths of an inch wide, depicts the Prayer in red letters. Preparing for the task with two other quilts, the aged man, an employe of a carpet company, took 13 months to complete his "masterpiece."

New York Plans A New Hatchery

CORTLAND, N. Y.—A trout and bass hatchery in Beaver creek near here is planned by the United States bureau of fisheries, it was announced recently.

The hatchery is expected to supply about 500,000 trout and bass annually for restocking of New York state rivers, lakes and streams. The plant will be the only federal station in New York state.

Announcement has been made

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



The INDIAN
 BELIEVED THAT A SCANDAL MAN COULD NEVER ENTER THE HAPPY HUNTING GROUND OF THE RED MAN'S HEAVEN

BY SCALPING ALL HIS VICTIMS, HE ASSURED HIMSELF THAT THESE EARLY ONES WOULD NOT BOTHER HIM LATER ON.

The Hudson Valley
 WAS ANCIENT BEFORE THE Grand Canyon WAS EVEN STARTED.

recently of experiments under which 101 ruffed grouse were, for the first time, raised successfully in captivity.

Success in the experiments, made under direction of the New York state conservation department, was credited to the fact that the grouse were never allowed to set foot on the ground. A wire netting supported the grouse.

The experiments were expected to aid in saving the species from extinction, which has been threatened by the rapid clearing of forests in the state.

Three Bandits Rob Davenport Bank

DAVENPORT, Ia., Dec. 7.—Three bandits who used a machine gun, a sawed off shotgun and a pistol, robbed the Northwest Davenport Savings Bank today.

The loot was estimated at between \$4000 and \$5000.

Trot Lines Banned From Lake Eastland

Eastland city authorities report that their recent troubles with trot line fishermen have been settled and that there are no trot lines being used to fish in Lake Eastland now.

Golden, Florida
 Arcadia Theatre Bldg., Ray
 Cut Flowers, Pot Plants, Novelties, Seeds and Bulbs, Onion Plants, New Stock

"NOW WE CAN ADVERTISE IT"

Products are nearly always put on the market before they are advertised. Quite frequently, changes have to be made in an article before the public generally will accept it. Color, design, flavor—those are some of the things the public has to be consulted about. Sometimes a product won't sell at all and simply has to be discontinued. As soon as people show that they welcome an article and as soon as all refinements and improvements have been added, then you could hear the manufacturer say, if you could be in his office, "Now we can advertise."

When you buy advertised goods, you may know they have gone through the experimental stages. You may be sure that the manufacturer knows they are right and that he is willing to stake his reputation on them. You may be confident that you are buying goods that have sold and that would continue to sell without any advertising at all. For advertising merely lets all of the people know—now—what considerable numbers would find out by word of mouth ten years from now.

Of course, advertising goes a step farther. Word of mouth hardly ever tells all the uses of a product. It often doesn't give the real reasons for its superiority. Advertising tells people all about a product and the numerous ways in which they can use it.

Whatever you buy, therefore, let the advertisements be your guide. When the manufacturer says, "Now we can advertise it," you know that you can safely say, "Now we can buy it."

READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS EVERY DAY IN THIS NEWSPAPER

DALLAS LEADS AS SITE FOR CELEBRATION

DALLAS.—The colorful history of the Lone Star state, the largest in the union and the only one that has been under six flags, will be reviewed when the centennial celebration of Texas' independence is held in 1936.

Although Dallas has not definitely been chosen as the site, such a strong movement is under way throughout the state that this city's selection is regarded as a certainty.

It is planned to hold the centennial celebration jointly with the golden jubilee celebration of the state fair of Texas.

While Dallas is comparatively young among Texas cities, the fact of its central location is a point stressed by leaders in the movement to hold the celebration here.

They point out that while Dallas has no shrine such as the Alamo, or San Jacinto battlefield, with which to attract the public, it is within reasonable distance of these historic spots.

By holding the celebration in Dallas the state will make a bid for visitors from all parts of the country. Other points of interest, including the Alamo at San Antonio, San Jacinto battlefield near Houston, the Goliad battlefield and the state capital at Austin, will be the centers for minor patriotic celebrations and pilgrimages.

Wilbur C. Hawks, president of the Tri-State Fair association of Amarillo, has suggested that circular tours of the state be held during the centennial year. These would center at the exposition in Dallas but would include all the historical sites and points of interest.

PORKER'S KICKS INJURE MAN LONDON, Ont.—The dying kicks of a porker seriously injured Fred Batram, an employee of the Coleman Packing company. Batram was sticking a hog in the slaughter house, when the animal lashed out so furiously that it knocked him into two and a half feet of scalding water.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness and goodness which was shown during the illness and death of our darling father and husband.—Mrs. A. H. GLOVER AND SONS.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop) By Cowan



SPEAKING of SPORTS

By DIXON STEWART, United Press Staff Correspondent. Hobart Finally Learns How to Win a Game.

"Notre Dame knows how to lose," Coach Hank Anderson assured sympathizers after the Irish team's string of 26 consecutive games without a defeat was broken by Southern California.

But what about Hobart? Or didn't you know about the little update New York college and its unparalleled record? Hobart also saw its record shattered on the same afternoon that Southern California defeated Notre Dame.

Resolution On Preacher's Death Passed By Class

The following resolution on the death of Rev. R. C. Pender, aged 47, of the Oil Belt Bible class, was passed Sunday at the regular meeting of the Oil Belt Bible class of the Central Baptist church of Ranger.

Whereas the members of the Oil Belt Bible class of the Central Baptist church of Ranger, Texas, have just learned of the death of one of Texas' most loved and honored preachers, to-wit: Rev. R. C. Pender of Abilene, Texas.

And be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be given to the Ranger Times for publication, with request that the loved ones of our brother be furnished with a printed copy, and one sent to the Buckner Orphans' home of Dallas, Texas, and one kept upon the records of this class.

A Dutch scientist says there are two fundamental forces at work in the universe. Yep, Good liquor and bad liquor, and the more they work the less chance of getting in Dutch.

Gemis of Peril by HAZEL ROSS HAILEY

Solon Faces Pen In Tax Fraud



BEGIN HERE TODAY Mary Hawkins plans to ensnare The Fly, who "framed" her brother, Eddie, with the murder of Mrs. Jupiter and ran him down to keep him from telling. She is aided by Mr. Jupiter and Bowen of the Star. Mary's fiance, Dirk Ruyter, believes Eddie guilty and breaks with Mary when she will not give up the investigation.

Mary sails for Miami on the Jupiter yacht to follow The Fly. Bruce Jupiter and Countess Louise, a questionable friend, go along, vowing to rout Mary, who has a change of heart. The gold-digger, Louise introduces the party to Count De Loma, who Mary learns is The Fly. Bruce quarrels with Louise over a diamond bracelet she cannot account for. De Loma gave it to her as security for a loan. Bruce makes her return it to Mary, who discovers it was stolen from Mrs. Jupiter the night she was killed.

Using the Jupiter necklace as bait, Mary dances with De Loma. He gets the necklace from her by a ruse, dances, then kisses her. Dirk knocks him down. Dirk, unconscious with a twisted ankle, is taken on board the "Gypsy." De Loma goes, too, and tries again to steal the necklace. Bowen gives Mary proof that the countess is an adventuress. The "Gypsy" sails. The Fly realizes he has walked into a trap. The yacht goes aground and the murderer's trial by fire begins. The heat, monotony and old Fort Jefferson prison staring him in the face nearly drive The Fly crazy. He shoots the necklace, shoots at Bruce in the get-away, and is shot in return. Then he escapes to the prison in a rowboat.

They were sitting on the edge of Mary's bed, arms about each other, grinning foolishly but happily at each other. Not all the diamonds that glittered on their cheeks was caused by the rain. Mary found that sometimes it was harder to bear happiness than its absence.

She plucked an infinitesimal handkerchief out of her pajama pocket and blew her nose vigorously. "Happy?" Dirk asked gently. "Terrible happy!" "It's been a long time!" It was their old joke, but instead of laughing they were suddenly more serious than they had ever been with each other. Quickly, breathlessly, they kissed and clung as if they would never let go.

"Oh, why were you so cruel!" Mary asked when she could manage to speak. "It was awful—I thought I couldn't live, and bear it, for you to think those things of me!" "Dirk put his hand over her mouth. "Don't!" he begged. "I was just a jealous fool, that's all! I never dreamed you could be right about that other terrible thing—a lift out of bed, gently with his big hand. "You were right, though! I want you to know I'm eating humble pie, honey, and liking it."

"Yes, you mustn't!" They both laughed at this feminine inconsistency, and then began to consider getting the invalid down stairs again. When this had been accomplished, with one of Dirk's arms about Mary's shoulder and the other about Bates, they still found themselves loath to part.

"I've got to be the papa here and look after you two brats," Bates decided. "Mary, get along to your room or I'll use the old slipper!" "But I couldn't sleep!" "Lie there and count sheep then. You don't want to be asleep tomorrow when we bring back The Fly, do you?"

"You're going over?" "At sun-up." "But—be my about you?" "We'll take the chance. If he knows what's good for him, he'll come along peacefully. That's a horrible hole he's taken refuge in. I doubt if there's a drop of fresh water. If the sun comes up he'll again tomorrow he'll know what help is!"

"Where did he get the gun—" and the chloroform?" "The gun was his own. I got it back from the Ambassador's house detective who took it from him and have been keeping it in my room till lately. But I've got my own, and yesterday I persuaded Mr. Jupiter he ought to keep one handy. He had it lying on his table, but some time yesterday it disappeared. The door was locked. Either De Loma had a skeleton key and walked in and filched it—he could see it plainly through the loophole—or he snatched it through the open porthole. It could be done easy enough, with a bent wire."

ed, somewhat loudly, that the man was certainly dead. Something that might be his body lay at the foot of the gray walls on the rocks, half in and half out of the sea.

Captain Hendricks advanced the idea that, hopeless of attracting the tug's attention, De Loma had deliberately jumped.

Only one stood silent, tearless, offering no suggestion whatever. Louise slowly she put up her hands before her face, and stood with bent head. Mary, her hand fast in Dirk's as he sat beside her in a deck chair, looked away from the sight of the other woman's grief. It came to her how she would have liked to have Dirk.

Half an hour later the tug had come as close as possible to the stranded yacht and stopped just off the roof in the free channel. A small boat was lowered and a doctor sent over. While the medical man was busy, Bruce Bates and his strong-armed sailor had been dispatched in the tug's dory to bring back The Fly, alive or dead.

They rowed the half mile to Fort Jefferson and soon returned with the crumpled body of The Fly in the body of the boat. Mary shook away from the sight, and the sound of Bates' cheerful voice opened her, as he bowed up to his employer, grim and white-faced, leaving over the rail.

"There she is, sir!" he held up the ruby necklace, gleaming like drops of heart's blood in the early morning sun. Mr. Jupiter nodded, but there was no triumph or even pleasure in his face.

"Does he live?" he asked in a low voice as De Loma was carried up the deck and laid on the bed in his room.

Bates nodded. "Crazy in the head," he said softly. "Getting talk about the sun getting in his eyes. What doesn't he mean by that? The sun won't up till just a little while ago."

The doctor came out of Bruce's cabin, and greeted the assemblage with the false cheerfulness of those who are not directly concerned in a tragedy. "Your son will live," he told, here, "but he must be gotten to a hospital immediately. This heat—something might happen to the wound."

Mr. Jupiter looked like a man relieved from death. "Your son will live," he said, here, "but he must be gotten to a hospital immediately. This heat—something might happen to the wound."

He made Eddie telephone me and say he was coming over, then he put on Eddie's coat and came

his place. Eddie was locked in, the other man guarding him, but he got away. That was when he called you, and he hid somewhere. They looked for him in the car, but didn't see him until just as he was crossing the street to meet me.

Dirk called her shoulder reassuredly. Mr. Jupiter jerked about abruptly and walked to the rail, dropping his head in his hands.

When she was quieter, Mary lifted her head and asked bashfully: "Do you think Eddie knows how he didn't do it? I hope so! For, God forgive me, I've never been really sure until now!" She buried her head again for a moment, and this time it was the dry, hard sob of shame that shook her. "In a line and a cheat. It wasn't the world I was proving Eddie's innocence to—it was myself! All the time I was blaming you, I was as bad as you were."

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



Woolworth Managers Meet In Ranger On Sunday, December 6

Ranger and the local Woolworth store was the scene of an enthusiastic get-together meeting of Woolworth manager of this district Sunday. Because the local store was found to be so nicely trimmed up for Christmas when the assistant district manager made a visit here last week, Ranger was decided upon for this meeting and for a general tour of inspection of displays and trims by the visiting managers and their assistants.

In addition to the time spent going over the store, a meeting was held at the Paramount hotel, which was in charge of Supt. F. D. Rupe of Dallas.

R. H. Wilkerson, Vernon; Manager O. A. Owen, and assistant, Earl Osteen, of Wichita Falls; Manager A. Rudy, and assistant, L. D. Cochran, of Brownwood; Manager J. J. McCarthy, and two assistants, R. F. Swindler and Wilbur Johnson, of San Angelo; Manager H. L. Below, and assistant, R. G. Riley, of Coleman; Manager G. H. Phillips, of Altus, Okla.; Manager C. F. Newberry, and assistant, Leroy Pinell, of Sweetwater; Manager J. H. Morarity, of Childress; Manager I. R. Richardson, and assistant, E. C. Griffin, of Breckenridge; Manager R. H. Snyder, and assistant, Doyle Williams, of Ranger.

The present employees of the local Woolworth store, who were responsible for the good condition of the store as found by the inspection made by the assistant district manager are Miss Henrietta Goss, cashier; Miss Jewel White, assistant cashier and floor girl; Miss Lona White, floor lady; Margarite Lester, Faye Knott, Wilda Duke, Alta Fay Mowels, Lavene Beckman, Beulah Cranham, and Myra Ruff, clerks; Doyle Williams, assistant manager, and R. H. Snyder, manager.

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CREOMULSION FOR THE COUGH OR COLD THAT HANGS ON

Those who were watching at the precise moment of the accident were divided in their stories of what had happened. Bates stoutly maintained that the man's foot had slipped; he had chanced a moment trying to save himself, and dropped, unable to cling to the slippery stone. He also maintain-

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OUT OUR WAY



HIS PAPER ROUTE

Personal

Miss Dandeline Pate was the Saturday guest of Miss Elnora Cleveland.

Mrs. Alice D. True was an East-hand visitor Sunday.

George W. Manning, advertising representative of the Times Publishing company, was a visitor in Dallas yesterday attending the meeting of the Texas Daily Press league.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fletcher of East Texas have returned to Ranger to make their home after spending several months in the East Texas oil field.

Mrs. Bob Althausen and daughter of East Texas are visiting relatives in Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Powell and son were visitors in Weatherford over the week-end.

Mrs. L. J. Newman of San Antonio is visiting her son, C. J. Newman, and family, 417 Austin street.

Texas Fox Hunters To Gather Monday In East Texas

By United Press.
LIVINGSTON, Texas, Dec. 7.—Famous Texas hunters and their fox hounds gathered here today for the four-day program of the Texas Fox and Wolf Hunters association.

The program embraces field trials, bench shows, and special events. Dedicated as "Old-Timers" reunion, the meeting brings together pioneer fox hunters and hound breeders for what will be the last hunt for many of the veterans whose memories hark back to the founding of the association.

Dean of the hunters and breeders is E. S. Wickes, of Bryan, still active in the chase after 64 years of fox and wolf hunting. Many of the hounds which he brought from his kennels at Bryan, as well as many others in the famous pack present, can, by reference to the International Stud book, be traced through direct lineal descent to the original English and Irish hounds imported by George Washington and Lord Fairfax.

Washington and Lord Fairfax were among the early breeders of American fox hounds and laid the foundation of the present strains. Wickes is considered the foremost authority on Walker hounds, his association with the breed running back to his acquaintance with the Walker brothers, founders of the strain.

Dr. J. F. Roseborough and Eli Roseborough, both from Marshall, first master of hounds and first secretary, respectively, of the association, are in attendance. The association was formed 39 years ago with Col. John D. Rodgers, of Galveston, as president. The first board of directors included Wickes, Cone Johnson of Tyler, Capt. Tom Brown of Waco, Judge John Baker of Waco, Capt. Craig of Marshall, "Uncle" Pete Colvin of Houston, La., and "Uncle" Pete Reeves of Tyler.

Other features on the program in addition to the four day derby trials include a barbecue given by the citizens of Polk county Dec. 9,

the bench show to be held on same day and a series of races to be staged at night.

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SOCIETY and CLUB NEWS

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Hodges Oak Park P.T. A. To Meet.

Members of Hodges Oak Park Parent-Teacher association will meet at the school Tuesday afternoon at 3:45. The meeting will be presided over by the new president, Mrs. O. S. Driskill. Vice president recently elected is Mrs. Mitchell.

An entertaining program has been arranged and members are asked by the president to attend. Miss Adams' room will furnish the entertainment.

New Voice Teacher Here.

Edmund Meredith, tenor soloist and pupil of Dr. Pontius in Minneapolis, is in Ranger and will begin a class in voice culture. Mr. Meredith will have his studio with Carl Brumelow. This young man is highly trained and comes to Ranger with an excellent recommendation. He will be tenor soloist in the choir of the First Baptist church, directed by Carl Brumelow.

Class To Meet.

The Gleaners Sunday school class of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Ewers at her home Wednesday afternoon at 8:30 for their regular social meeting. All members meet at the church at 2:15 promptly.

Eleventh Annual Firemen's Ball Thursday Evening at Elks Club.

The Ranger firemen will entertain with their eleventh annual ball on Thursday evening at the Elks club.

Music for this entertainment will be furnished by Clayton Hunt and his six-piece orchestra.

Chief George Murphy announced this morning that plans are being made to hold in making this the most enjoyable dance ever given by the department.

The public is invited to attend this annual event.

Special Meeting Of New Era Club.

There will be a special meeting of the New Era club held at the home of Mrs. O. L. Phillips, Summit street, Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Young Couple To Make Home In Ranger.

Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church, performed the pretty ring service Saturday afternoon, uniting W. H. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown, and Miss Marjorie Bernice Robinson of Corpus Christi, in marriage, with the ceremony performed at the church in the presence of a group of friends and members of the families.

The young couple are quite popular and well known here. They will make their home in Ranger.

St. Rita Altar Society To Be Entertained Tuesday Afternoon.

Mrs. Morris Leveille will act as hostess at her home, Odde street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 to members of St. Rita's Altar society. Mrs. Leveille will be assisted during the afternoon by her co-hostess, Mrs. W. W. Carlin.

Junior New Era Club Meeting This Evening.

Miss Eva Long will entertain the Junior New Era club at her home this evening at 7:45. Members are invited.

Miss Ramey To Meet With Co-Workers Demonstration Club.

Miss Ruth Ramey will preside at the meeting of the Co-Workers Home Demonstration club to meet with Mrs. J. W. McDonough, Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Every member is invited by Miss Ramey to be present.

Public Is Invited To Attend Colony School Play Thursday.

The public is invited to attend a two-act play, "The Two Brides," which will be presented at Colony school Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. This play production is

HUNTS DEER AT 91.

By United Press.
FORREST CITY, Ark.—Colonel Ed Landvoigt, 91-year-old sportsman, this year opened the hunting season by going on a deer hunting trip. His shooting was the envy of other members of the party which bagged two bucks. Colonel Landvoigt, however, was not one of the men who made the kills.

The dance at the Ranger Country club will open with the usual greeting of friends, presentation of special guests for the affair and cordial haste of the courteous entertaining committee.

Roy Castlow and his rhythm rustlers will play for hours of gay dancing. Due to the close approach of Yuletide this will likely be the club's last dance of the year, and plans have been carefully made to make the function one of delight.

Daughters Complimented With Birthday Party.

Mrs. John Reuser and Mrs. Arthur Matthews delightfully entertained Saturday their two daughters, Misses Aline and Sammy Ruth, with a party celebrating their thirteenth birthday. The color scheme of red and green was carried out emphasizing the approach of Christmas. The dining table was centered with a lovely birthday cake baked by Mrs. Wade.

Games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon.

Those enjoying this delightful event were Daisy and Lucille Woods, Katherine and Margaret Smith, Pauline Bryan, Camilla Hunt, Diane Harkrider of Dallas, Maxine Wheatley, Melba Morgan, Rachel Martin, Juanita Kimbrough, Muriene Rice, and Allie Bryan, and the two honorees, Aline and Sammy Ruth.

MYRTLE, Miss.—Cousby Hopper says the south will experience a cold winter. He makes his forecast because his chickens are growing hair on their legs and feet, a good forecaster of weather conditions, he contends.

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