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THE FORECAST
West Texas: Cloudy, probably occasional snow tonight. Wed. except rain in the southeast. Cold in the southeast tonight; somewhat warmer Wed. except in extreme southeast.

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Wintry Blast Blankets the Entire Panhandle In Snow

TWO KNOWN DEAD AS NORTH TEXAS GRIPPED BY COLD

Temperatures Drop in All Sections of State

CITY FEELS WAVE

28 Degrees Is Lowest Registered in Midland

By Associated Press
A wintry blast blanketing the entire Panhandle with snow Monday heralded the arrival of a cold wave which moved deep into the southwest.

Two persons were dead in the Panhandle because of slippery streets and highways, as one to four inches of snow fell, dropping the temperature to 23 at Borger, 13 at Pampa. Other parts of the state did not have temperature drops as low as had been expected.

At Paris the temperature was 33, Tyler 37, Austin 38 and San Antonio 37. Overcast skies hovered over most of Texas, with prospects of rain in the south.

The lowest temperature reached in Midland since the arrival of the first chilly blasts Monday evening about seven o'clock, was at seven a. m. today when a reading of 28 was read at the Southern ice and utilities thermometer. After 10 o'clock this morning, however, a slow rise was noted, 31 having been reached at one this afternoon.

Colder weather and rain is forecast for the Midland vicinity.

BONUS BILL READY FOR HOUSE FLOOR; PASSAGE CERTAIN

Backers of Plan Sure Of Speedy Action On Demands

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (AP)—A bonus bill backed by major veterans organizations is ready to go to the house floor today, with sponsors seeing a quick passage and transmission to the senate.

Without a single voice raised in opposition, the house veterans and means committee voted Monday for cash payment of the bonus to 3,000,000 war veterans.

Sitting in secret session until after dark, the committee approved a bill supported by leading veterans organizations and once warring house blocs. Plans were drawn for a speedy house vote.

Only minor changes were made in the measure, which would give former soldiers full maturity value of their adjusted compensation certificates.

Allow those desiring to hold their certificates and cancel unpaid interest.

Set up no definite method of raising the money for payment, estimated by supporters of the bill at \$1,000,000,000 immediately upon enactment.

The way was cleared for the committee to report the measure when backers of the Patman bill to pay off in new currency decided to postpone their fight over the method of payment and join the drive for passage of the authorization bill advanced by the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Disabled American Veterans.

Committee members said that votes along strict party lines brushed aside suggestions by Representative Treadway (R-Mass.), ranking minority member, that the bonus be paid with relief money or through a bond issue.

MORGAN DEFENDS FINANCE GROUP

Says International Finance Did Not Push U. S. Into War

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (AP)—J. P. Morgan told the Senate Munitions Investigating Committee today that German acts, not international finance, pushed the United States into the world war. He said, "we agreed to do all lawfully within our power to help the allies win the war as soon as possible."

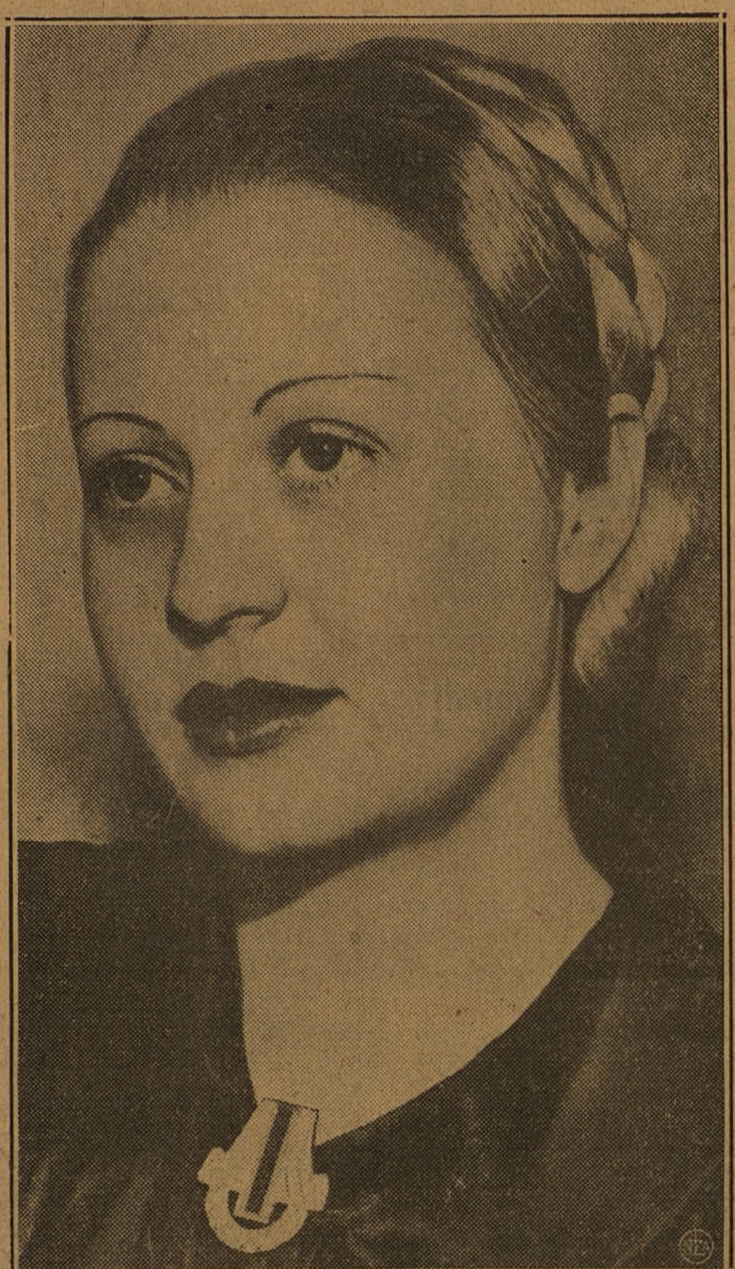
Morgan said that his banking house "turned loose" with loans to the allies as soon as President Wilson consented. He said that the firm's sentiment from the beginning was with the allies.

The committee disclosed a secret memorandum from former Secretary of State Lansing, asserting that Wilson had approved of the removal of "obstacles" by Morgan and other bankers encountered in lending to the allies.

Jones to Train Polo Horses at Big Spring

Elmer Jones, local polo player and horse dealer, moved Monday with his string of ponies to the Webb Christian ranch near Big Spring. Jones will train a large string of Christian's horses, there being approximately 100 blooded animals on the place.

Hurls Bomb in 'Gift of God' Case



A new sensation in the famed "gift of God" baby case was sprung in the sworn statement of Mrs. Grace Thomason, above, barring details of an alleged plot to obtain a baby and palm it off as the child of Mrs. Nelle Muench during the latter's trial in the Dr. Isaac Kelley kidnaping. According to a copyrighted story in the St.

GAUGE TAKEN ON MAGNOLIA WELL

No. 3 Edwards Flows 1789 Barrels in 3 Hour Test On Monday

Gauge was taken yesterday on the Magnolia No. 3 Edwards, latest big well to come in in the Waddell pool in northeastern Crane county. The well registered a flow of 1789 barrels in 3 hours, which would amount to 14,312 barrels per day. Flow was made through two 4 inch lines. The Magnolia producer is located in section 2, block B-23, public school land, and encountered the big pay at 3530 feet. Total depth was 3532.

After drilling to 4295 feet, Wahlmaier, York & Harper No. 1 Ed Jones, Gaines county wildcat, lost tools and is now waiting on socket to resume fishing. The test was reported as being in red beds and lime, but details as to where the first lime stringer was picked up have not been made public. Location of the Jones well is about 19 miles northwest of Seminole in section 4A, block G, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. survey.

Operators are still running swab in Gulf No. 1 Waddell, deep pay discovery in the Tubal area of Crane county. Latest results announced were the swabbing of 52 barrels of oil in 5 hours. The well is still making about 100,000 cubic feet of gas per day, and when the hole is finally satisfactorily cleaned out to bottom at 6317 feet, it is probable that tubing will be run and a test made. With the amount of gas being made, the well may flow through the tubing. The No. 1 Waddell is in section 4, block B-27, public school land.

Superior Oil Co. of California's wildcat test in Howard county, the No. 1 Logan, was last reported drilling in limestone at 2845 feet. The well encountered some sulphur water just below 2500 feet, but this was completely cased off, and it is being carried deeper in search of pay in the horizon from which the Donnan field is producing. The No. 1 Logan is in section 34, block 31 township 1 north, T. & P. survey.

Crafton Oil Co. No. 1 E. F. Cowden, wildcat being drilled in section 19, block 43, in the central part of Ector county, was drilled this morning at 3695 feet in anydrilite. A few lime stringers have been picked up and solid lime should be drilled into soon.

Seven inch pipe was run to 3137 feet in new section of hole in W. T. Walsh & Harry Adams Corp. No. 1 Avertit in Gaines county. When tools were lost at 3132 feet several weeks ago, efforts to recover them failed and whiptoe was set at 3090 feet and new hole made. The well is drilling ahead today and will probably go on down with cable tools. The No. 1 Avertit is 3 miles southwest of Seminole in section 228, block G, W. T. R. R. survey.

Brigade B Romps in Alamo Down Winner

Sheriff A. C. Francis drew first money at Alamo Downs San Antonio, Monday when his three year old thoroughbred, Brigade B, romped home to win a \$500 race of five and a half furlongs, with thirteen crack fillies of the same age competing. The Fred Turner filly, Play May, was sixth in the group, gamely out-running such winners as Infinita, Lo Sweep and Elizabeth T. all of whom have victories in fast company to their credit. Jockey A Morgan was up on Brigade B. Rainy Weather was second and Donceña was third. Brigade B paid \$15.10, \$7.70 and \$4.50.

Amerada Officials Visit in Midland

A group of six officials of the Amerada company are in Midland, visiting the office here. Coming from Tulsa, Okla., and Fort Worth, the officials are: H. G. Officer, Tulsa, head of the land department; H. E. Marsh, Fort Worth, Texas division land man; F. W. Covault, Fort Worth, Texas division production superintendent; W. G. Ricketts, Tulsa, general production superintendent; E. A. Porter, Tulsa, assistant general manager; and J. F. Hosterman, Fort Worth, assistant division geologist.

ITALY ATTACKS NEUTRALITY ACT PROPOSED BY FDR

Is Evident Mussolini Had Knowledge Of Attack

STUDY EMBARGO British Are Anxious To Impose Oil Sanction

By Associated Press
Attacks on the United States' neutrality program proposed by President Roosevelt occurred in the Italian press today, apparently with the full prior knowledge of Premier Mussolini.

Unofficial Paris reports said that aiffed by the British general staff are pressing for an application of the oil embargo; with diplomatic circles foreseeing the probability of its initiation before February 1.

The war from the Ethiopians celebrated their Christmas, buoyed by hopes of victory. Continuous rains in the past week are aiding them.

BRUNSON AND PALS TAKEN BY POLICE IN WICHITA FALLS

Believe Two of Gang Kidnapers Dallas Officer

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 7. (AP)—Jack Brunson, escaped Oklahoma bank robber, and two companions were arrested Monday night in a wild chase across Wichita county after holding up three persons and stealing two automobiles.

Brunson's companions gave their names as Lloyd Ward and J. C. Vestal.

Officers expressed the opinion two of the men were the kidnapers of R. J. Luther, Dallas motorcycle officer, abducted Friday when he stopped to question two men suspected in a hit-and-run accident. Luther was taken on a wild ride over North Texas, then left handcuffed to a desk in a deserted school house 12 miles from Sherman.

Three men in an automobile stolen last Friday at Oklahoma City stopped Ernest Fain and E. C. Green of Wichita Falls as they were driving home from Dundee. The trio brandished pistols, and drove away in both their machines and the Oklahoma City car.

Shortly afterward they drove both into a ditch, and took the automobile of a visitor at a farm home, whose name was not learned immediately. Deputy Sheriff Dick Chapman and Bob Crowder, state highway patrolman, overtook the mean near Holliday, and arrested them as they abandoned the car.

The officers said Ward shot himself in the foot with a shotgun as he left the machine. A bullet hole was found in the Oklahoma City car and there were bloodstains on the back seat.

A department of justice agent identified Brunson.

Midland Fair Gets A Boost From the Centennial Review

"Where can there be produced a rodeo to exceed that at Midland's Western Fair?" an editorial in the Texas Centennial Review of December asked.

Fair stockholders will meet Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the county commissioners' court room, to elect officers and lay plans for 1936 shows, probably acting definitely upon the proposal of the Centennial to make the summer rodeo here a part of the state's big celebration.

All stockholders interested in plans for the future of Midland Fair, Inc., have been urged by the officers to attend the meeting tomorrow.

CORRECTION

Through an error, it was stated in Monday's paper that Mrs. C. R. Blount was brought here from Hobbs, N. M., for a Cesarean section. The statement should have been that she was brought here for a serious operation.

RUTH CLASS TO MEET

The Ruth class of the Baptist church will hold a business meeting at the church this evening at 7 o'clock. All members of the class are urged to attend.

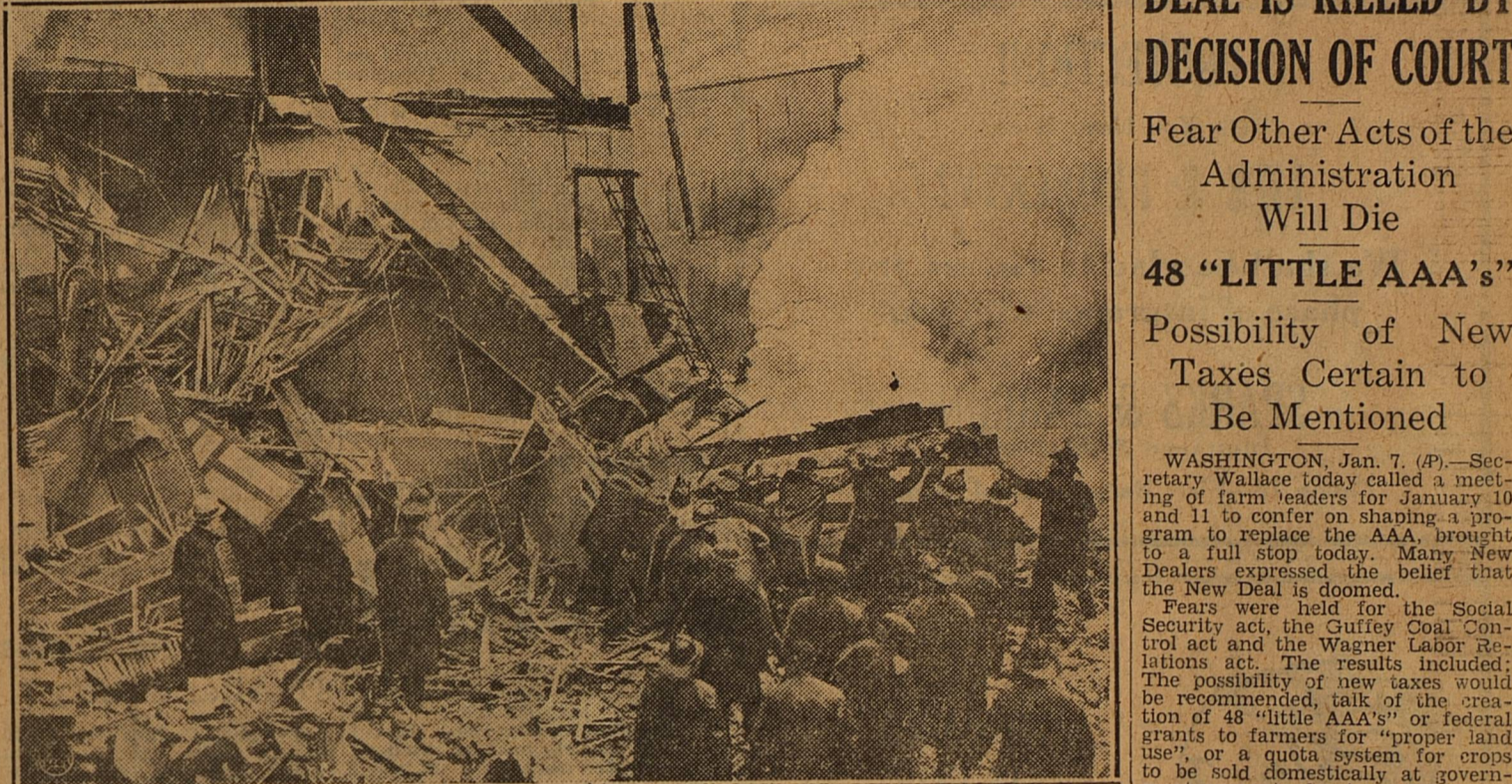
"Queen of Southwest" Refuses an Offer In Movies After Passing Screen Tests

After being selected as winner of the beauty contest in Roswell, N. M., last summer, Miss Betty Jean George was awarded a trip to the San Diego Exposition and to Hollywood, but refused a film offer, according to the February number of "The Southwest" magazine.

"Miss George won the finals of the contest which was staged at Midland and in other cities and towns of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, with approximately 1,800 contestants. She is seventeen years old and lives at Bartlesville, Okla.

SECRETARY WALLACE CALLS MEETING FARM LEADERS ON NEW AID PROGRAM

Where 5 Died in Tenement Blast



Shattered by a terrific explosion that was felt over a large area of Buffalo, N. Y., this four-story tenement was a twisted heap of smoking wreckage with only a few sections of wall standing as firemen hunted through debris for victims. Five persons were killed and several injured. The explosion hurled pieces of furniture nearly a block. Police believe a man looking with a lighted candle for a gas leak may have caused the disaster.

Anniversary Observance Church Starts Tonight

Dr. M. E. Dodd, Shreveport pastor and educator and southern denominational leader, arrived this morning to remain through Friday, being the principal speaker at the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the First Baptist church.

Tonight marks the opening of the week's program, Dr. Dodd preaching at a 7:30 o'clock service on the subject of "Holy Ghost Religion," dealing with the person, presence and power of the Holy Spirit.

The four other engagements of Dr. Dodd will be on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, also on Friday afternoon. Special music with W. W. Lackey in charge, will be given at each service, the public being invited to all of the meetings, according to the Rev. Winston B. Borum, pastor.

2 MILLION MARK PASSED BY BANKS

Better Conditions Shown By Increased Amount Of Deposits

Combined deposits of the two Midland banks, showing a total, December 31, 1935, of \$3,375,242.27, had registered a gain over the same date a year ago of \$69,122.52. The greater deposits reflected better conditions in the city, and in Permian Basin oil properties and money in the farmers' personal accounts due to a good crop year and better markets.

Tabulating the increase, interesting figures are revealed: First National bank, Dec. 31, 1935, deposits \$1,458,045.00, year ago \$1,015,522.00; gain \$442,523.00. Midland National bank, Dec. 31, 1935, deposits \$899,197.27, year ago \$676,557.25; gain \$222,640.02.

Another interesting comparison was that of deposits at the bank call of October 4, 1929, just before the decline from the Wall Street crash. The First National bank at that time reported \$1,221,513.00 and the Midland National \$271,871.36.

Detailed statements of condition of the banks will be published shortly.

TO TULSA

Al Loskamp has gone to Tulsa, Okla., on business.

HERE FROM ANGELO

Mrs. J. D. Bodkin of San Angelo visited friends in Midland Monday.

IN FROM RANCH

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Stevens were in from the ranch Monday.

MRS. MOFFETT HERE

Mrs. J. E. Moffett of Stanton is in town today.

Man Hunts Collar With a Dog in It

PORT ARTHUR, Tex. (AP)—Detective Chief R. C. Parsley lost an ornate collar with a dog in it during a quail hunt.

The collar had been worn by a dog the officer valued highly, but was put on a new animal he wanted to try out.

On his first hunt, the new dog, an English setter, fled when Parsley shot at a covey. "The dog doesn't matter, but I'd like to recover the collar," the chief said.

VISITS FROM SLATON

Miss Vivian Arnett had as her guest Sunday Clyde Bucklew of Slaton.

MANY BELIEVE NEW DEAL IS KILLED BY DECISION OF COURT

Fear Other Acts of the Administration Will Die

48 "LITTLE AAA's" Possibility of New Taxes Certain to Be Mentioned

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (AP)—Secretary Wallace today called a meeting of farm leaders for January 10 and 11 to confer on shaping a program to replace the AAA, brought to a full stop today. Many New Dealers expressed the belief that the New Deal is doomed.

Fears were held for the Social Security act, the Guffey Coal Control act and the Wagner Labor Relations act. The results included: The possibility of new taxes would be recommended, talk of the creation of 48 "little AAA's" or federal grants to farmers for "proper land use," or a quota system for crops to be sold domestically at government-guaranteed prices. Some supporters of the now invalid act are seeking a constitutional amendment that would give a similar bill the legal authority lacking in the AAA.

FIRST APPROPRIATION BILL IS REPORTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7. (AP)—The first of the new appropriations bills carrying over \$875,000,000 (millions) for two dozen government agencies and undertakers for "proper land use" of the house today as reported by the appropriations committee.

The bill asked \$74,000,000 greater than the last fiscal year but \$47,000,000 less than the presidentially-approved budget.

The Department of Treasury today announced that no further steps would be taken for procuring processing taxes on either the old or new contracts.

No checks will be issued for benefit or rental pay or refunds for AAA administrative purposes.

An official of the AAA department said Monday that his employees would report to work today, but what they would do, he did not know.

Persons who have studied the supreme court decision on the act fail to see how it will have any effect on 12 cent loans on cotton because AAA had not made through the AAA, but through the AAA and the CCC.

The New York stock exchange board, in a meeting Monday night, gave the president of the board authority to close it temporarily in event of heavy speculation in cotton.

JAPS; CHINESE IN COUNTER CHARGES

Each Alleges Other Used Guns in the City Of Peiping

PEIPING, Jan. 7. (AP)—The Japanese military today protested to the North China government, the alleged firing on Japanese officers by Chinese soldiers as the Japanese were entering the city. The Chinese reported that exactly the opposite happened.

Chinese sources reported as imminent a civil war in inner Mongolia.

Hog Prices Soar as AAA Decision Given

CHICAGO, Jan. 7. (AP)—Hog farmers witnessed one of the most spectacular market price rises in history today following the AAA decision by the Supreme Court Monday ruling the act invalid.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



Most girls seem to think that the old adage says the lass shall be first.

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Iowa girl has been in two plane wrecks, three auto smash-ups, and a train crash. It would be just her luck now to get a run in her hose.

In Italy, there was a time when it was funny for a man to stop at a gas station to have his cigar lighter filled.

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Society and Clubs

Christian Women Study Latin America At Meeting Monday

Mrs. Chas. Sherwood was hostess to the regular meeting of the women's missionary society of the First Christian church at her home, 511 W. Louisiana, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Ratliff conducted the devotional study and Mrs. Mary Erickson led the devotional prayer.

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Tomorrow's Menu BREAKFAST: Oranges, cereal, cream, scrambled eggs, whole wheat muffins, milk, coffee.

LUNCHEON: Rice and peanut butter loaf with tomato sauce, cress and apple salad, pumpernickle, hermits, milk, tea.

DINNER: Fricassee of chicken, mashed potatoes, saffron fritters, cranberry and orange salad, steamed fig pudding, milk, coffee.

Miss Lydie Watson Appears in Sketch Of "About Town"

In the "About Town" column of the El Paso Herald Post for January 2, appeared the following paragraphs:

A visitor who is enthusiastic about El Paso's Sun Carnival is Miss Lydie Watson of Midland, Tex.

She has 50 pupils in the oil and cattle town. Her class always fluctuates about that number. She is now teaching the children of her former pupils.

One of her pupils at present is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moore, former El Pasoans.

Miss Watson spent the New Year holidays in El Paso as the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. B. Poe.

The "About Town" sketch was written by Betty Luther, member of the Herald Post staff, who formerly lived in Midland.

Mrs. Wright Hostess To Altar Society

Rev. Edw. P. Harrison O. M. I., resident priest of St. George's church, presented a summary of the Bible at the meeting of St. Anne's Altar society with Mrs. Fred Wright, 904 W. Tennessee, Monday afternoon.

A routine business session was also held.

Present were: Father Harrison and Mmes. Sara Dorsey, Jewell Dorsey, Percer, James Fitzgerald, Wm. Walsh, Allen Tolbert, Joe Kelly, Sam Cummings, Jack Jordan, C. C. Duffey, Jack Cusack, and Fred Wright.

Episcopal Church Plans Draperies

Planning of draperies for the church occupied the attention of members present at the meeting of the Episcopal auxiliary with Mrs. John P. Butler, 308 S. Marienfeld, Monday afternoon.

At the close of the business hour, the hostess served refreshments to: Mmes. R. C. Tucker, B. H. Ellison, Erle Payne, Don Sivalls, I. E. Daniel.

FEMININE FANCIES BY KATHLEEN EILAND

From the looks of this gray, dour sky, the new "rain gloves" that we've just been reading about may soon be in demand among Midland women.

This latest addition to the "rain wear" of the well-dressed woman is hailed as fashion's latest and most practical contribution to the smart girl's wardrobe.

The gloves are made of waterproof, oiled silk, are transparent, and can be carried in the pocket or purse, ready to pull on over your cherished leather or fabric gloves when Jupiter Pluvius is in the ascendancy.

They come in small, medium, or large sizes, and may be chosen in a color to match one's raincoat.

Miss Charlotte Niven, who for the past 15 years has been executive head of the World's Council of the YWCA, thinks that the best outlook for youth in the entire world today is in China.

Miss Niven may be correct. Far be it from us to challenge any statement by a woman of such wide experience. Nevertheless, we think that whether or not such a thing is true would depend upon the makeup of the individual youth.

Some of us might not think that a land where thousands starve yearly, where other thousands are swept into eternity every few months by uncontrollable floods, and where many of the remaining thousands are either destroyed by plague or harassed perpetually by the horrors of war, we repeat, some of us might not think such a land offered any promising outlook either for a happy, a successful, or a long life.

It is a trite fact that men and women rarely offer the same advice on the same problem. But it is again emphasized in the "Leap Year" articles which have found their way into print, even when this unusual year is scarcely a week old.

Specifically, we are thinking of an article by a man and by a woman. The man, a sociology professor, warns women who plan to take advantage of Leap Year to do it this year and not wait until 1940. He also points out that there is a surplus of single men, which is in her favor (we suppose she may thereby be encouraged to try, try again if the first prospective mate does not whisper a coy "yes").

The other side of the argument is presented by a popular woman columnist (not Dorothy Dix) who advises strongly against women taking advantage of Leap Year, unless exceptional circumstances urge it. She says that men prefer to fight for love and not have it presented to them upon a platter as it were.

We have a feeling that the woman feels strongly what she says, whereas the professor is probably speaking with his tongue in his cheek.

Anyhow, Leap Year is very much like any other year so far as matrimony is concerned, we think. And the same rules of the pursuer and the pursued apply as at any other time of the calendar.

Methodist Circles Elect New Officers For Current Year

Because of illness in the family of the pastor, Rev. K. C. Minter, the joint business session of all circles of the Methodist missionary society Monday afternoon was omitted and circle meetings were held at the homes of members. Officers were elected for the coming year.

Fourteen members of Mary Scharbauer circle met at the home of Mrs. L. L. Payne, 1047 W. Illinois, and installed the following officers: Chairman, Mrs. M. H. Crawford; vice chairman and study leader, Mrs. Hugh Barnes; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Ray Bevel; reporter, Mrs. L. L. Payne.

Mrs. Jess Prothro led in prayer. After the business session, the hostess served refreshments.

Mrs. A. J. Norwood led a devotional on "The Joy of Jesus," Mark 9:10-15, at the meeting of the Laura Haygood circle with Mrs. Noel G. Oates, 301 N. Pecos.

The following officers were elected for 1936: Chairman, Mrs. Jess Barber; assistant chairman, Mrs. P. S. Nettleton Jr.; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Everett Klebold; supt. of study in circle, Mrs. C. E. Nolan; reporter, Mrs. A. J. Norwood.

Nine members and two visitors were present. Mrs. M. V. Coman led the Bible study at the meeting of Belle Bennett circle with Mrs. Terry Elkin, 610 N. Main street.

The 10 members present chose the following officers: Chairman, Mrs. Terry Elkin; vice chairman, Mrs. J. H. Rhoden; secretary, Mrs. R. R. Cowan; treasurer, Mrs. S. M. Vaughan; Bible leader, Mrs. M. V. Coman; mission study leader, Mrs. Geo. Glass; Mrs. W. Ily Pratt has been appointed reporter for the circle.

Announcements

Wednesday The Wednesday club will meet with Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith, 201 North E. Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Fine Arts club will meet with Mrs. Fred Fairman, 705 W. Storey, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Junior Woman's Wednesday club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Geisler, 308 W. Texas, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mothers' Self Culture club will meet with Mrs. Richard Gile, 707 North D street, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Midweek club will meet with Mrs. Hugh Corrigan, 705 N. Marienfeld, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Thursday Bien Amigos club will meet with Mrs. R. E. Kinsey, 1001 W. Missouri, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lucky Thirteen club will meet with Mrs. Kirby Sims, 107 N. Marienfeld, Thursday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.)

doubted if anyone could do good without being good. If that's right, and maybe it is, some of us are going to have to stop, look and listen.

It has come to pass that if you are decent you are called old-fashioned.

Five minutes after a man leaves town his wife invites her kin to come over.

The man who wants to make another thousand dollars before he retires will never retire.

A boy suffers when he learns to smoke. After becoming a man he suffers when he tries to quit smoking. Man was made to suffer.

There is no glamor in this thing of being a country reporter. His job is to watch people grow old, and then record their deaths.

I once heard a preacher say he o'clock.

Thursday club will meet with Mrs. Geo. T. Abell, 1505 W. Illinois, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Friday Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. W. G. Aitaway, 501 N. Colorado, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Saturday A story hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning. Pre-school children are asked to come at 10 o'clock and children of school age at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. R. Ashley is in charge of the hour.

Chaparral Troop, Girl Scouts, will meet with Mrs. L. G. Lewis, 714 W. Kansas, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mesquite troop, Girl Scouts, will meet at the Baptist annex Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Each girl is asked to bring paper and pencil in order to take a signal test.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn have returned from a honeymoon trip to Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Carter Lockard of Hillsboro, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howell.

Mrs. A. W. Thomas returned the past weekend from Santa Barbara, Calif., where she visited a sister during the holidays. She was accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. Ho-

mer W. Fritz of Dallas and Mrs. Margaret Worthington who had been making her home here. Mrs. Fritz returned to Midland to stay with Mrs. Thomas until Friday of this week, while Mrs. Worthington remained in Santa Barbara. Wallace Amick, brother of Mrs. Thomas, who also visited in California, returned with the party.

A. W. Wyatt has returned from a trip to see the Rose Bowl game.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Spradling have returned from New Orleans where they saw the Sugar Bowl game on New Year's Day.

Mrs. F. E. Melear of San Antonio is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. E. Estes. She plans to leave for her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cochran and Mrs. W. C. Cochran have returned from California. While there they saw the Carnival of Roses at Pasadena.

PERSONALS Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn have returned from a honeymoon trip to Memphis, Tenn. Mrs. Carter Lockard of Hillsboro, Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howell. Mrs. A. W. Thomas returned the past weekend from Santa Barbara, Calif., where she visited a sister during the holidays. She was accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. Ho-

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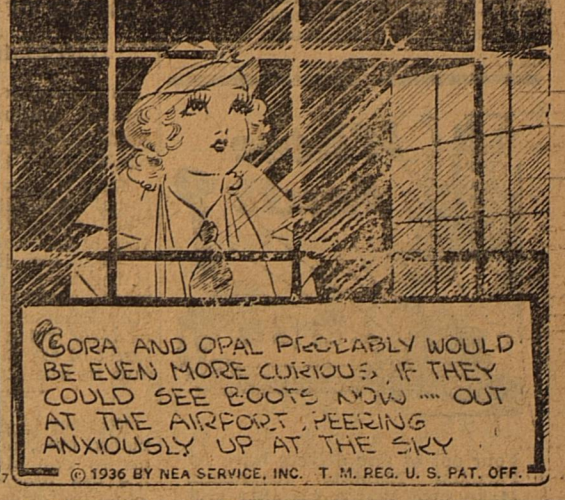
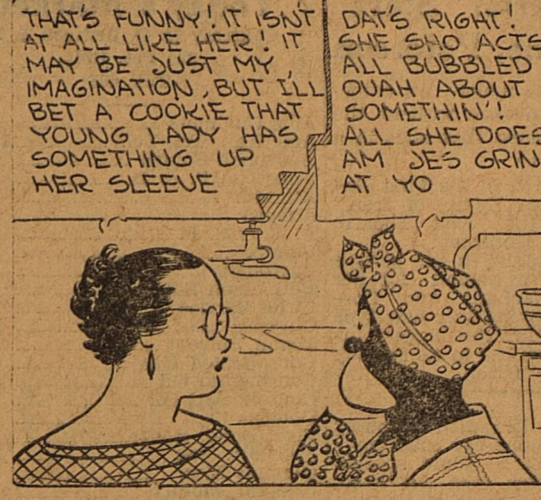
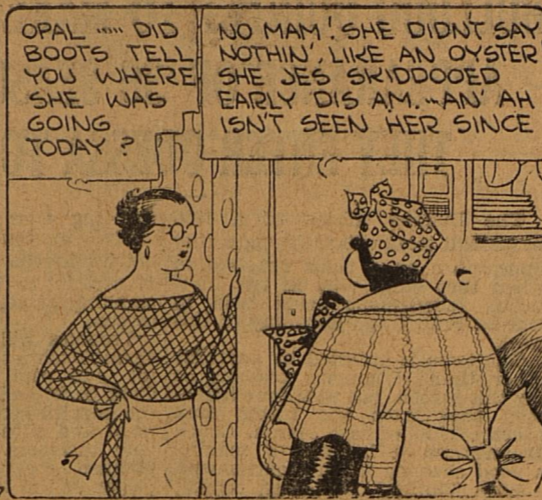
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FORM THE FOOD OF MOST SPIDERS, AND SPIDERS FORM THE FOOD OF CERTAIN FLIES.

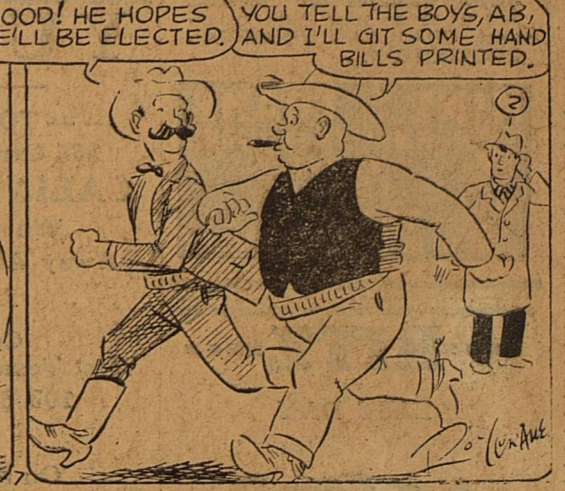
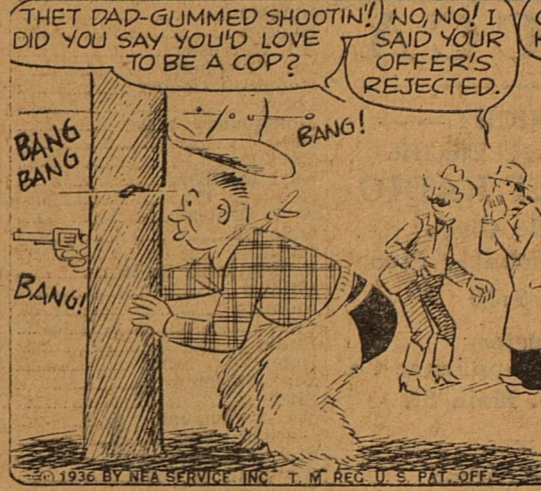
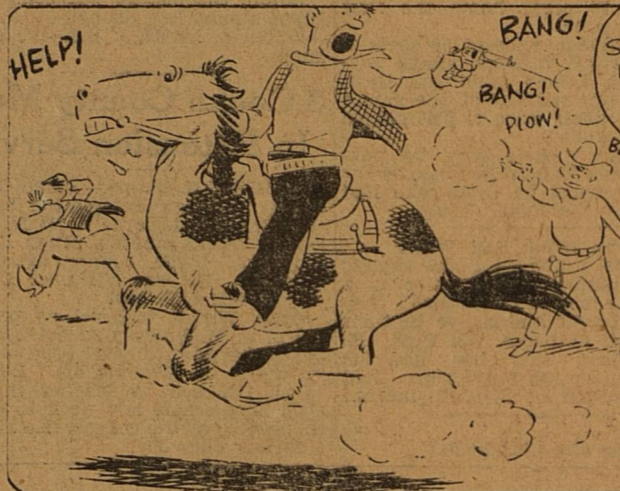
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WASH TUBBS

What Chance Has Easy?

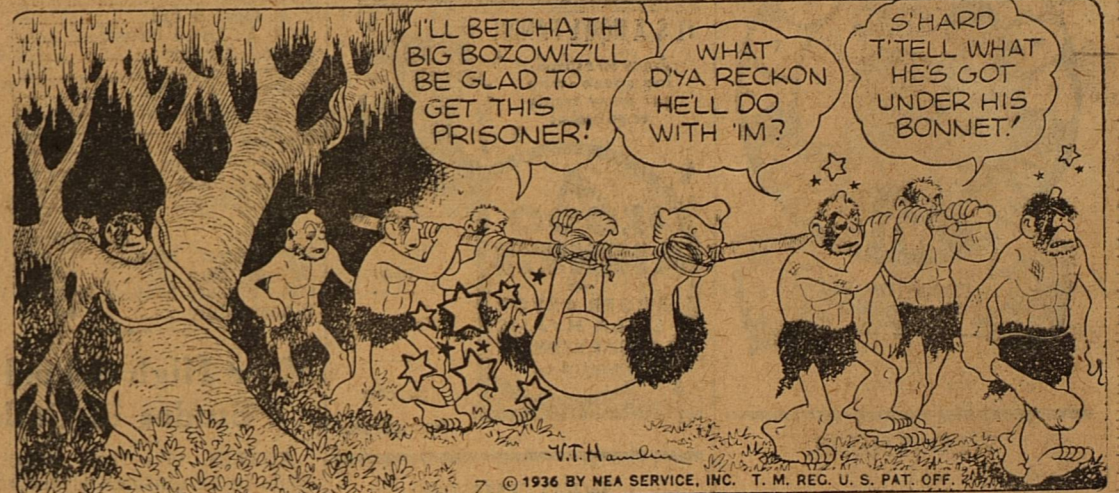
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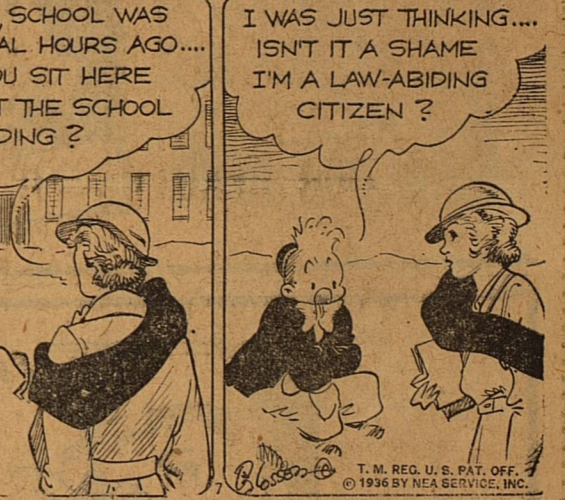
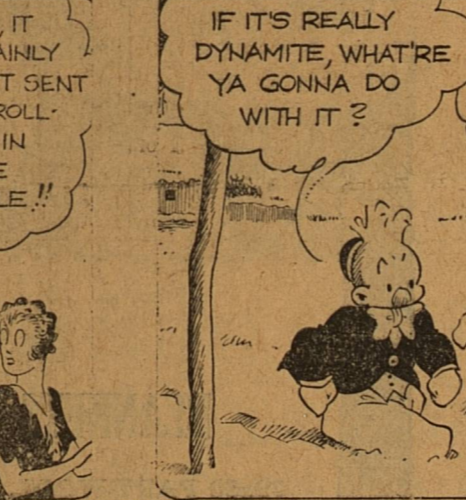
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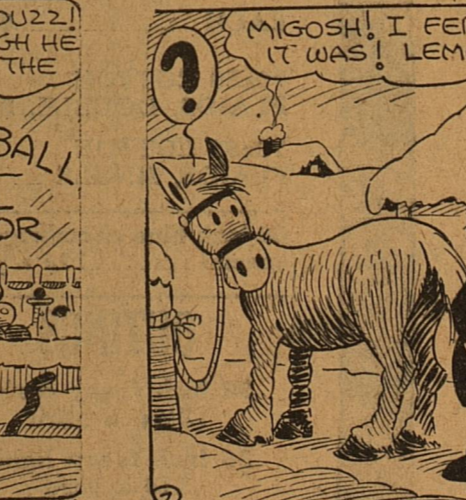
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His Memory Gets a Jolt

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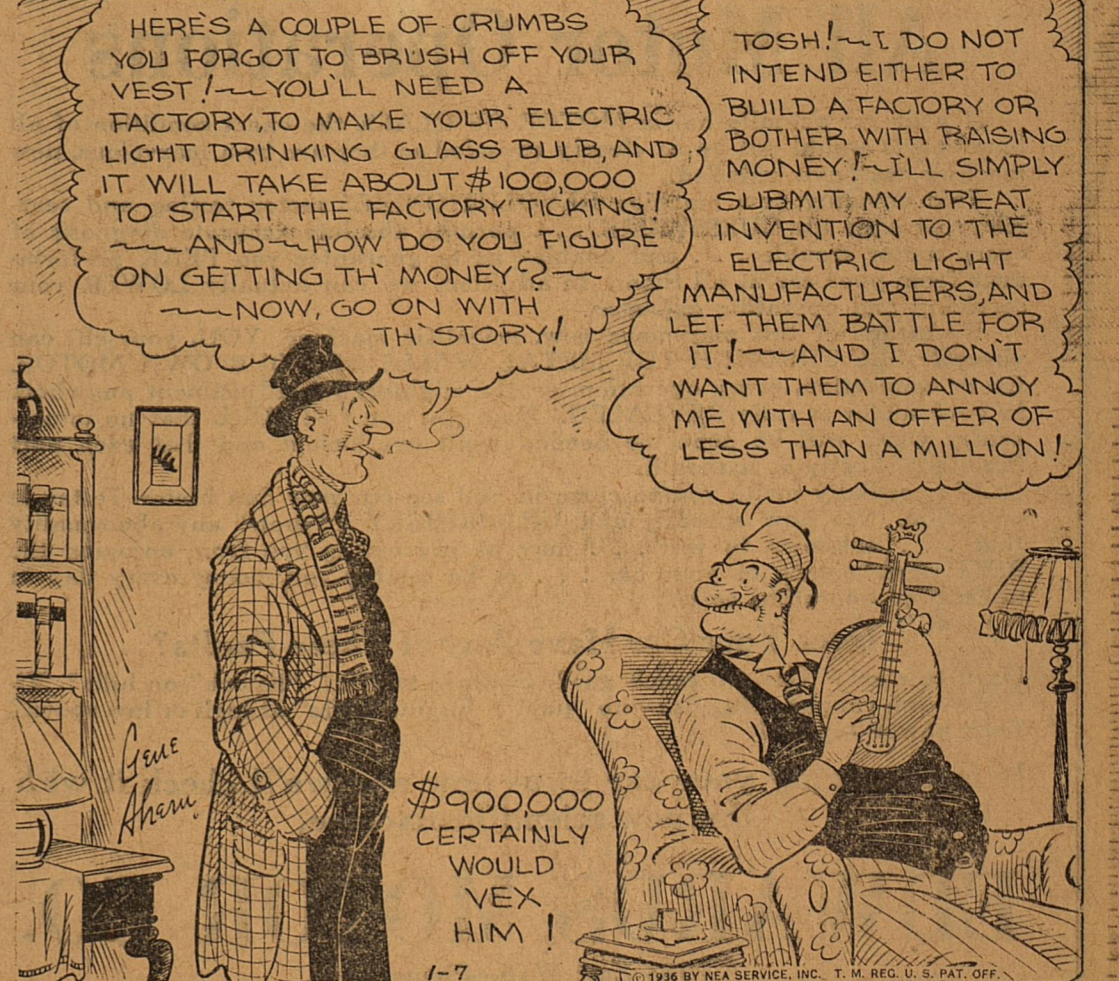
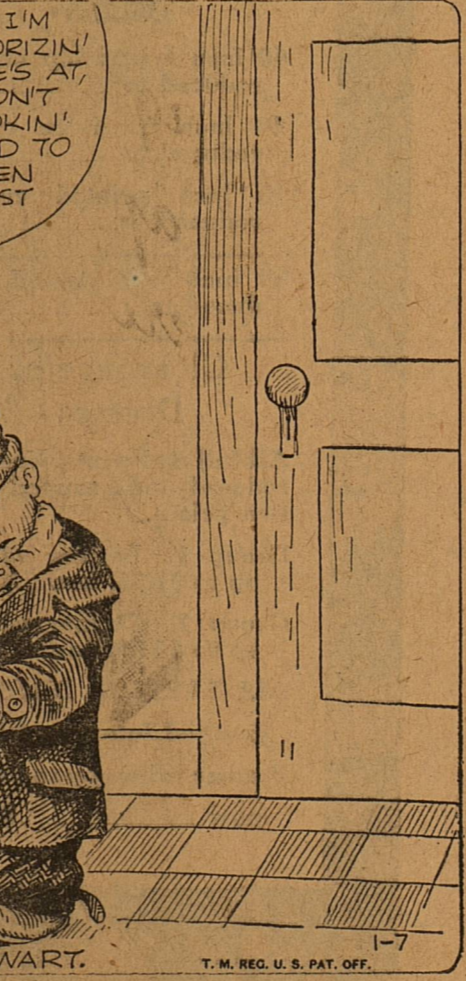
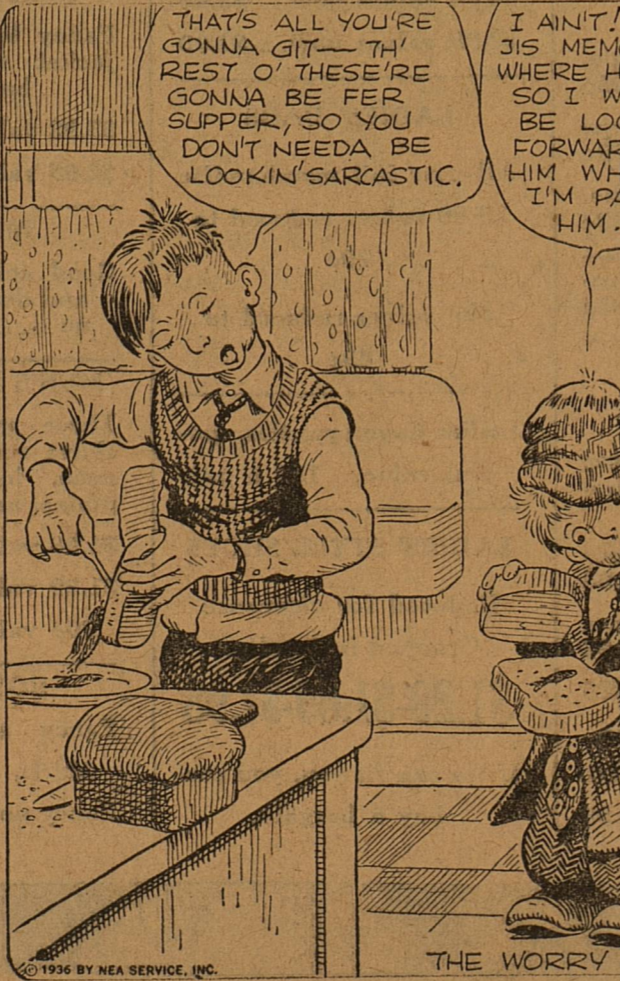


OUT OUR WAY

By WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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Man becomes very dull mentally under the great pressure of ocean depths, recent tests show.



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Advertisement for 'Paddy O' Day' featuring Ginger Herself and Jane Withers.

Advertisement for 'Man of Iron' starring Barton MacLane and Dorothy Peterson.

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Is it possible to make an entertaining motion picture without the kind of love interest that ends in a cinch and a kiss?

Flatfish begin life with normally placed eyes, but one eye soon travels to one side.

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On the Screen TODAY ONLY

Advertisement for 'A \$1,000 A Minute' with Roger Pryor, Leila Hyams, and Edgar Kennedy.

Advertisement for 'The Face' starring Wallace Ford, Phyllis Brooks, and Molly Lamont.

Today's Markets

Courtesy H. O. Bedford & Co. 320 Pet. Bldg. Tel. 405

Table of market prices for various commodities including oil, flour, and other goods.

Table of market prices for cotton, wheat, and other agricultural products.

More High School Studes in College

AUSTIN, (AP)—High school students in 11 southern states are going to college in larger numbers.

BULLDOG QUINTET TO MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE OF '36 SEASON WHEN THEY ENTER ODESSA TOURNEY FRI.

The Bulldog edition of a 1936 basketball team will make their first appearance on a court this season when they enter play in the Invitational tournament being held in Odessa Friday and Saturday of this week.

standing ones of West Texas included in the lot, have accepted entries to the Odessa meet, and it is certain to be one of the outstanding of this section during the season.

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3 Cooke County Men In Extension Service

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Advertisement for Texas Prosper when Texas Money Stays at Home, featuring Gulf Insurance Co.

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Large advertisement for 'The Uniteds January Clearance' with various clothing items and prices.

Large advertisement for clothing items including Blankets, Outings, Silks, Coats and Suits, Men's Dress Pants, Men's Suede Shirts, Men's Sweaters, Men's Ties, Men's Dress Shirts, and Men's Work Shoes.