

MIDLAND MONEY PEACE DRAFT

SEC. MORGENTHAU REFUSES COMMENT ON NEW TAX BILL

Warns Against New Expenditures on Budget

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1. (AP)—Secretary Morgenthau declined today to tell the Senate Finance Committee whether the House tax bill disregards President Roosevelt's recommendations but agreed that the Treasury would have to be satisfied with the measure if Congress enacted it.

After reading a prepared statement warning against new expenditures outside the budget Morgenthau asserted: "As long as I am secretary of the Treasury I am not going to try to write tax bills."

MRS. PECK TELLS OF WORK, PLANS OF GAME COMMISSION

"West Texas should feel proud that the recently appointed chairman of the Fish and Game Commission resides in West Texas," said Mrs. Hal Peck, member of the commission, in an interview with a Reporter-Telegram staff writer this morning. "He is Jess Showers of Vernon who succeeds Sen. A. E. Wood of Austin. The other new appointee is Jack O'Brien, sports writer of San Antonio. He succeeds Col. Murrell Buckner of Dallas."

"We feel confident that Mr. Showers will make the commission a good chairman for he is vitally interested in the entire state and would do everything to further the expansion and conservation of our game," she continued.

Mrs. Peck attended a meeting of the commission at Austin Tuesday of last week. Members voted to hold an exhibit of Texas wild life at the Centennial celebration at Dallas in 1936. Federal funds will be asked for use in the project. Stuffed animals will be used.

It was also voted to do experimental work in the coastal salt water division with the aid of the laboratory of Texas Arts and Industries College at Kingsville and Federal funds.

The commission will make another effort to pass a universal hunting and fishing bill at the special session of the legislature in October, if such a session is held. Delaware passed such a law this year, leaving Texas the only state that doesn't have the law.

For the interest of would-be duck hunters, Mrs. Peck reported that the Federal government at present has no ducks and no ducks are being raised. If any duck season is granted, however, it will be for 30 continuous days, she said, and there will be no zoning in Texas.

The work of the Game, Fish, and Oyster commission is carried on through a number of divisions. There are a game division and a fish, the coastal division which includes work with oysters, the sand, shell, and gravel department, the pollution department which works against pollution is handled by several departments but the commission does more of the enforcement than do the others, Mrs. Peck said.

The International Game commission convention will meet at Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 12-15. We should all avail ourselves of the opportunity to go," she declared.

Following the meeting of the commission, Mrs. Peck made a trip to the Gulf Coast where she gathered for various kinds of the finny tribe, demonstrating her prowess as a fisherman by good catches.

Amarillo Residents Alarmed by 'Planet'

AMARILLO, August 1. (AP)—Seeing a "strange planet" speeding across the northern sky last night, a number of Amarillo residents became alarmed.

The light, which sometimes would travel to the west, sometimes to the east, often appeared precariously near to the earth, they reported.

At other times it would go almost straight up and one night it took a zig-zag course.

Weatherman H. T. Collman said he too had observed the light but explained that it was no cause for alarm. It is merely a weather observation balloon with a two-inch candle in a Japanese lantern attached.

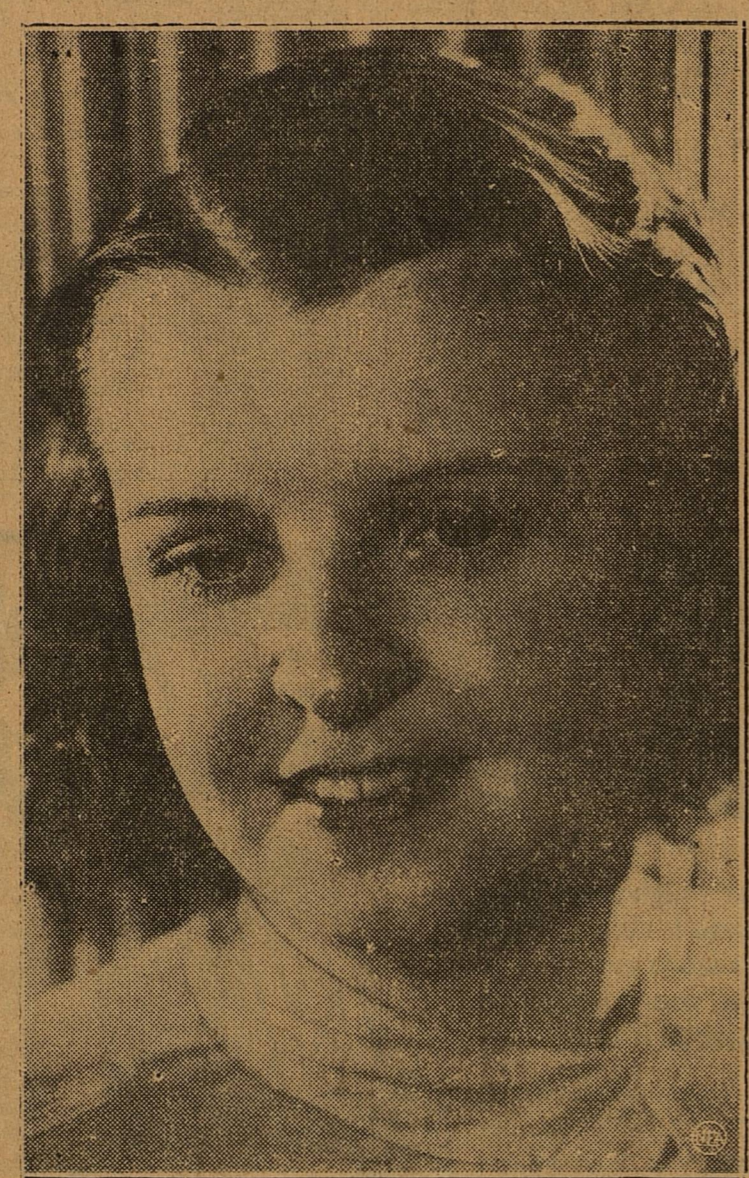
A balloon is sent up four times a day, at 4 a. m., 10 p. m., 10 p. m. The balloon, 27 inches in diameter, is filled with hydrogen and rises about 600 feet a minute. It might be seen for about 20 minutes or until it reaches an altitude of about 12,000 feet if the weather is clear. The day balloon may be seen for one and one-half hours or until it reaches about 54,000 feet.

Readings are taken every minute the balloon is in sight to determine the wind velocity and other conditions of the upper air.

The candle burns out before the balloon returns to the ground.

Balloon observation work previously was done at English Airport but was transferred to the downtown weather station recently as the first step toward discontinuing the government weather bureau at the airport.

Talley a Film Star



A movie star before she ever has appeared on the screen—that's the rating Marion Talley has achieved, due to the high figure in her contract. She has passed two screen tests with such success that studio chiefs prophesy a great hit for her when the vehicle which they have been seeking for five months finally is found. More like a charming co-ed than an opera star the Kansas girl appears in this especially attractive picture, just taken in Hollywood.

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Rescuers were hampered when another tank car caught on fire. Railroad officials were considering dynamiting the wreckage in an effort to speed the search.

At least seven men were believed killed to night when a freight train derailed and caught fire at Bruceville, about 15 miles south of Waco. At least 20 others and that not more than eight of them escaped before the car caught fire.

Others injured said that several men were riding on a car of rocks which overturned and it was believed that some of them were crushed to death beneath the rocks.

The estimate of dead was made by injured persons. One man said that he was riding in a car with about 20 others and that not more than eight of them escaped before the car caught fire.

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Alligator Fishing Is Exciting Sport For Mrs. Hal Peck

Fishing for alligators was one of the thrills experienced by Mrs. Hal Peck of Amarillo, now here, while on a trip to the coastal regions of the state last week.

Mrs. Peck, who is a member of the Fish and Game Commission, attended a meeting of the committee in Austin and then went to West Columbia, Texas, where she was a guest of Manor Lake club.

Alligators rarely show themselves in the day time, she said, except to poke their heads in sight, but at night, when fishers go out in boats, the flashlights which they carry reveal dozens of eyes shining on every side.

Alligators are "roped" with a wire noose which is tightened about the aquatic reptile's throat. Mrs. Peck's negro guide after roping one, plunged into the water and turned over and over with the alligator in its struggles until it was subdued.

At Eagle's Nest Lake her party visited the "City of Alligators."

She brought back two small alligators in captivity.

Fishing at West Columbia was mostly for bass and the former Midland woman had good luck at casting.

From West Columbia, she visited Freeport on the coast, traveling by boat out to the red snapper banks. Although two other women in the party, natives of that section of

SAYS "WHISPERING CAMPAIGN" ON THE NEW DEAL STARTED

Report Roosevelt in Ill Health Part Of Plan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1. (AP)—E. P. Cramer, describing himself as an advertising man of Plainfield, New Jersey, and a small stockholder in the Electric Bond and Share company, told the Senate Lobby Committee today that he suggested some months ago that the utilities companies start a whispering campaign that President Roosevelt was insane.

He said that the suggestion was made as a part of a program to defeat the New Deal.

Cramer testified that at first his idea was not carried out or developed, however. In the past few weeks there has been a "whispering campaign" started that the President was in ill health.

HOUSE REFUSES AGAIN TO ABOLISH 'UNNECESSARY' CO.

WASHINGTON, August 1. (AP)—Continuing its opposition to President Roosevelt's wishes, the House refused today to accept the utility bill proposed to abolish "unnecessary" holding companies.

The action was taken in rejecting a motion of Chairman Rayburn of the Interstate Commerce Committee to instruct House conferees to agree to the section approved by the Senate.

Nine Midland Boys Enlisted in Army

EL PASO, Aug. 1.—The following new residents of Texas, were enlisted at Fort Bliss, Texas, during the month of July:

Johnnie E. Jenkins, Brownfield; Frank J. Tomak, Jr., Comstock; Ralph R. Clark, Jewett; William W. Walker, Wustenberg; William D. Stoffey, El Paso; Leon C. Highfill, Fort Bliss; Albert G. Lundy, Jayton; A. J. Simmons, Jean; Floyd W. Flud, Lamesa; J. Estes Wade, Littlefield; John L. Carr, Marshall; S. Coffey, Allen; G. Heard, John W. Jones, Robert W. Taylor, Elton E. Walker, Johnny L. Woods, Thomas J. Waddington, John D. Hill, Midland; Charles R. Gundy, Louis V. Simpson, Monahan; A. D. Baley Grimes, James M. Woodruff, Odessa; Tommy Boyd, Jesse L. Wartes, Petersburg; Charles A. Gallaway, Rankin; William E. Brewster, Salt Angelo; Robert O. Baker, Saragosa; Carl Hite, Spring Lake; Irvin R. Cowley, Wichita Falls; Troy R. Allen, Wickliffe; Hester S. Shappard, Waxahachie.

30 Attend Quaker State Meeting Here

More than 30 Quaker State oil dealers and station attendants attended a meeting here today. The meeting was held at the Quaker State hotel in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

A representative address was given after a 20-minute talking film was shown. Nelson was assisted by many Wyatt oil dealers, salesman, includes Bizzell, Carl Smith, J. C. Miles, Roy Tillman, B. T. Graham and S. A. Debnam.

HOUSE AND SENATE TENTATIVELY SET A. A. A. AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, August 1. (AP)—Working steadily toward an agreement, the House and Senate conferees on the AAA amendment tentatively agreed today to accept the Senate provisions permitting suits for recovery of processing taxes and for the restoration of the export debentures program.

THREE MEN—ONE FOR LONG THE SECOND ACCEPTING HIM AND THE THIRD MUM—TYPIFY SOUTH'S ATTITUDE OF HIM

What does the South think of the Kingfish who looms large in its midst? To find out, Frazier Hunt talked, literally, to the men of the home town who had heard him talk, and he records what they had to say in the following article—the tenth of twelve written exclusively for this newspaper. This is one of the many sections of the country which noted Frazier Hunt has visited, "Listening to America"—and impartially reporting what he hears.

By FRAZIER HUNT
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Crossing from Arkansas into Hueyland I stopped at a combined gas station, pool hall and checker-playing headquarters in a sleepy village just six miles north of the Louisiana line. The proprietor was a heavy-set man of about 55, who sported a walrus mustache and a pair of bright blue eyes.

"If Huey Long runs on a third ticket he'll carry the whole south," he said with great finality. "Don't know why it is but folks just six miles below here are better off if we are up here in Arkansas. An' as soon as you get twenty miles south you get ten dollars for every one we got here."

I mentioned Roosevelt. He shook his head. "He ain't near as popular here as he was six months ago. Say, we got some men here who been on relief for two years. They ain't done a lick of work and they'd laugh in your face if you offered them a job. Why, small farmers here can't get their crops in 'cause they can't get men to help 'em."

In Long's Home City I hit it straight for Huey's home city. That's Shreveport. It was from this community of 80,000 that he first ran for governor and started on his spectacular career.

Mechanical 'Paul Bunyan' Prods Logs to Market



Paul Bunyan, U. S. loggers' legendary "what a man," who reputedly could have cleared a log jam with a flick of his finger, has a worthy counterpart—this cat-

SEX-SLAYER IS GIVEN DEATH

Verdict Is Returned After Four Hours Deliberation

PEORIA Ill., August 1. (AP)—General Thompson, 26, was convicted last night of the ravishment murder of Mildred Hallmark, 19, by a circuit court jury which fixed his punishment at death in the electric chair.

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District Meetings of WTCC Announced

Announcement of a series of district meetings of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have been made by Ray H. Nichols, president, the one for districts 2 and 6 to be held at Lubbock at noon Wednesday, August 7, at the Hilton Hotel. Midland is in district 6.

RETURN TO MIDLAND

Pete Patterson and his wife have returned to Midland from Shreveport where he has been in charge of a polo team for the last several months.

An injury sustained by Patterson forced him to give up the polo.

IN HOSPITAL

A. E. Horst of West Texas Office Supply Company was taken to a Midland hospital last night for treatment. He has been ill for several days. Hospital attendants reported that he seems to be resting better today.

CONFERENCE OF FOUR POWERS MAY MEET IN PARIS

Mussolini Refuses to Pledge Against War

GENEVA, August 1. (AP)—It was reported here today that a four-power conference to discuss settlement of the Italo-Ethiopian conflict may be held in Paris or in Ventimiglia, Italy, next week, after Premier Mussolini demanded a modification of the Anglo-French peace formula draft.

Telephone conversations between Premier Laval of France and Mussolini brought the latter's demand that a proposed pledge of non-resort to arms during peace negotiations be removed from the draft formula.

League circles predicted that something tentative in the way of an agreement would be worked out within the next 24 hours.

The proposed formula called for a revival of the Italo-Ethiopian commission with three appointments of a fifth, neutral member.

During the arbitration period Italy and Ethiopia would pledge themselves not to resort to war.

FIVE AGRARIANS KILLED WHEN SHOT FROM AN AMBUSH

MEXICO CITY, August 1. (AP)—Dispatches from the state of Colima today said that five agrarians were killed, supposedly in an ambush, while returning from Ocotilla after a conference with President Lázaro Cárdenas.

From the state of Tabasco came reports that the new governor, General Amaro Calles, and the military commander, General Miguel Henríquez, had given opponents of Tomas Causal, former political dictator of Tabasco, 24 hours to leave under a threat of expulsion.

PROF. RETURNS TO TEXAS UNIVERSITY

AUSTIN, August 1.—After a leave of absence of seven months, during which he has held several important posts under the National Recovery Administration, Edward Everett Hale, associate professor of economics at the University of Texas, will return to his teaching duties. Dr. E. T. Miller, chairman of the department of economics, has announced. Mr. Hale has recently been appointed labor management director of the Works Progress Administration, with headquarters in San Antonio. He left the University February 1, 1934, in order to accept an appointment to a New Deal position in Washington, and was transferred to Dallas.

REV. BASS IS ROTARY SPEAKER

The Rev. T. H. Bass, pastor of the Church of Christ, addressed the Rotary Club today, using a lesson from the stories of two seas, the Dead Sea and the Sea of Galilee, to depict the unselfish service capable of being rendered by such organizations as the Rotary Club.

The speaker, who recently moved to Midland, pledged his cooperation to civic organizations in all worthy movements.

A life history of J. E. Hill, one of the charter members of the club, was given by T. Paul Barron. The program was in charge of the Rev. Winston F. Borum. Dr. F. Borum made a brief talk, urging all possible effort by the club in the youth movement.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Before taking a dip, you have to dip into your fun for the right outfit.

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TAX DISPUTE MAY LEAD WAY TO BUDGET CURE

Out of all the squabbling about the "soak the rich" tax projected for congressional consideration, there should at least come forth an excellent educational program on the general subject of government finances.

On the one hand we have Michigan's Senator Vandenberg declaring that the program as the president has outlined it is "inadequate, incomplete, and pathetically superficial."

It is his idea that Congress should take a few months off to think things over and then come back with a plan that would not only boost the taxes on the very wealthy, but would increase the takings from citizens of more modest means.

On the other hand, we have the well-to-do Mr. Charles H. Sabin, Jr., appearing as the mouthpiece for a group of wealthy men who feel that the administration should simultaneously reduce income taxes and balance the budget; and before anyone can remark that this would be a good trick if you could do it, they hasten to suggest an all-inclusive federal sales tax.

Just what will eventually be done with the program, subjected as it will be to strong pressures from diametrically opposite directions, is something for the seventh son of a seventh son to worry about. But it should at least set people thinking about some of the fundamentals of government finance problems.

To begin, we might reach the point of understanding that in any scheme of tax reform we can't have it both ways. A reduction of income taxes would be a blessing, and so would a completely balanced federal budget; but some of our publicists and statesmen have been agitating for both things at the same time, and this educational program might convince them that this just naturally can't be done.

Beyond that, however, the discussion should focus attention on the fact that one of the greatest needs of the hour is the restoration of order to government finances.

A budget which goes unbalanced for a year or two, in a country as potentially rich as the United States, need not worry anyone. A budget which is permitted to stay unbalanced for year after year, while high officials evade the subject of tax revision by relying hopefully on a business revival, is about as ominous a portent as a government can face.

We seem at least to be coming to grips with this problem. If the coming row over the advisability or otherwise of soaking the rich arouses us to the importance of a balanced budget, it will be one of the most useful developments of the year.

EQUALITY IN PIONEERING

It is interesting to note that the very first acts considered by the pioneers who went up into the Matanuska Valley in Alaska concerned the health of the colony.

The question of garbage disposal, the control of stray dogs, and the distribution of milk for the children became the first subjects of importance to the colonists, and the council of 18 delegates from the nine camps made rapid progress for the benefit of the 200 families settled there.

But even more interesting than this is the fact that the 18 persons forming the first council in this pioneer colony included nine men and nine women.

SERMON ON HOLLYWOOD

Any young woman who has been bitten by the moving picture bug would do well to meditate over the tragic message left by Julia Ann Graham, the former West Virginia choir singer who committed suicide after a vain attempt to gain stardom in the movies.

Miss Graham wrote: "Had I known what faced an inexperienced girl without dramatic training, I would never have left home for Hollywood. The fight is terrific—it forced me to choose death rather than carry on."

That brief note is a sermon in itself. Any girl who has dreams of rising to fame on the silver screen should read it and meditate over it before buying her tickets to Hollywood. The odds against the untrained nobody in filmland are nothing less than overwhelming.

Ex-President Calles of Mexico has just been married for the third time. It will not surprise anyone to learn that he was known as the "strong man of Mexican politics."

Letters to the Editor

Editor, Reporter-Telegram:

As chairman and vice-chairman of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Taxation and Public Expenditure Commission, I am in agreement with previous declarations and policies of the West Texas Chamber, and we are reporting and recommending herewith relative to the constitutional amendments being voted upon on the fourth Saturday in August as follows:

(1) Free Textbook and Apportionment Amendment, S. J. R. No. 24: This amendment abolishes a provision in the constitution which ever since 1891 has required one public school fund to be distributed on a scholastic population basis. The scholastic population method of distributing school funds has severely penalized West Texas. Our native white population is 16% greater than the rest of the state, and having but little negro and Mexican population, the scholastic population is proportionately less and our enrollment and average daily attendance is proportionately greater than the rest of the state. A complete analysis shows that West Texas has around 29% of the scholastic population of the state, while West Texas has only 35% of the school enrollment and average daily school attendance of the state.

The proposed amendment makes possible the allotment of school funds on a daily attendance basis instead of the discriminatory scholastic population basis. This change has been recommended by the State Department of Education and by the State Board of Education and the report of 1932 states as follows: "The basic law should be so amended as to provide for the distribution of state school funds on basis of enrollment and average daily attendance; that is on basis of service actually rendered by the schools. The state should no longer subsidize absence from school. Its resources should not be used to the extent of millions of dollars annually to reward non-performance of duty."

If the funds were allotted on an enrollment and daily attendance basis West Texas would secure from 2% to 8% more money than we have been securing for over forty years. On the basis of a thirty million dollar available school fund this means that the West Texas schools would secure from \$900,000 to over \$1,500,000 per year more than she has been securing. This amendment enables over 400,000 forty year West Texas discriminated and the securing of more funds for our public schools and should be vigorously supported by West Texas. There might be some misgivings about the free textbook provisions of the amendment inasmuch as it enables the giving of free textbooks to private or sectarian schools. It is a fact, however, that this will not add to the cost of free textbooks as the present law requires books to be purchased in accordance with scholastic census. Since all children, regardless of color or religion, are included on the census rolls, whether they attend the public schools or not, it, therefore, appears that this provision will not result in the purchase of additional books. Furthermore, if any one has religious scruples about books being furnished to parochial schools, the State Board of Education will always approve and prescribe the books. There need be no fear that parochial schools will receive per capita allotments because the amendment states that no part of the available school fund shall ever be appropriated to or used for the support of any sectarian school. We see nothing in the free textbook provision that should keep West Texas from mandating voting for this amendment in order that we may do away with the discriminatory scholastic census basis of allotment.

(2) Old Age Pension, H. J. R. No. 19: This amendment enables the Legislature to make a payment of \$15.00 per month to every citizen of Texas over the age of 65 years, excluding only criminals, inmates of state institutions, etc. There is nothing in the amendment limiting the payments to indigents and persons without means of support, and under the provision of the amendment a millionaire is eligible for the pension. The amendment makes no provision as to the total cost to the state or as to how the revenues are to be raised. If a pension \$15.00 a month is to be paid to the 232,450 persons in Texas over 65 years of age, the total annual cost to the state will be over forty million dollars. This is more money than annually is appropriated to our schools and is equivalent to the total cost of our state government, excepting highways.

Already 25% of the people of the state draw their means of support from taxes and these taxes, according to 1932 figures, consume 97% of the net income of the individuals and corporations of Texas. In fact, the total tax bill consumes all of the net income of the people of Texas excepting nine million dollars. It, therefore, seems impossible that the proposed new tax burden can be consumed by taxes on income.

To place the new burden on property and raise the revenue from ad valorem taxes would be still further beyond all reason and possibility. Already these ad valorem taxes are confiscating the property of West Texas and leaving in its wake bankruptcy and destitution. On an average ad valorem taxes are consuming 99% of the net returns from property.

We would favor and support an old age pension plan if the needy were assured of its benefits. Under the provisions of this amendment, however, it is inconceivable to think that West Texans can support it at least until proper restrictions are added to the salary basis of the present tax base is broadened and property taxes are relieved. We recommend that our organization vigorously oppose this salary basis amendment.

(3) Abolishing the Fee System, S. J. R. No. 6: This amendment abolishes the fee system in all counties with population of 20,000 or more and enables the commissioners courts in counties of 20,000 or less to abolish the fee system and pay for such services on a salary basis. Long have we opposed the pernicious fee system as one which tends to develop inefficiency, injustice and additional expense to the taxpayer. We believe that this amendment should be supported and adopted.

(4) Commitment of Insanity Patients, H. J. R. No. 39: This amendment would make it possible to commit to an institution allegedly insane persons without trial by a jury. The limit of temporary restraint of patient is ninety days. The purpose of the amendment seemingly is good, but there is nothing in our previous declarations and policies which justify a chamber of commerce program on this measure.

(5) Suspended Sentence Amendment, H. J. R. No. 46: This amendment grants the courts having original jurisdiction of criminal actions the power after conviction, to suspend the imposition or execution of sentence and to place the defendant upon probation and to reinstate such sentence. We likewise pass this amendment as one not within the purview of our chamber of commerce activities.

(6) Mode of Amending the Constitution, H. J. R. No. 48: This amendment, if carried will enable special sessions of the Legislature to submit constitutional amendments. At the present time constitutional amendments can be submitted only by the regular legislative session. We likewise have no objection to this amendment and see in it no West Texas issue.

(7) Prohibition Repeal, S. J. R. No. 3a: This issue has in no way been a part of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce program and we think it inadvisable as an organization to take a position either for or against. The above covers all seven amendments ever submitted in the August election and we think it impossible that our organization call upon our affiliates and constituents to vigorously support the school apportionment measure, to oppose the old age pension measure and support the abolishing of the fee system measure.

Yours very truly, JAMES D. HAMLIN, Chairman, Taxation and Public Expenditure Commission, West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

H. C. CUSTARD, Vice-Chairman, Taxation and Public Expenditure Commission, West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Sea Legs Blamed for Injury NEWBURYPORT, Mass. (U.P.)—Mrs. George Morrill blamed "sea legs" for her broken arm. The day after her return from an ocean voyage she fell in her home and broke her arm. The same kind of accident happened last year after an ocean trip.

Canada Imports Fruit MONTREAL, (U.P.)—Nearly 500,000 cases of canned and dried fruits will arrive here before the Australian fruit shipping season ends in September, it is estimated. Already 250,000 cases have reached here, mostly on Canadian-owned ships.

Wire Mesh Replaces Jail Bars KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (U.P.)—Bars on the jailhouse at Knoxville have been replaced by wire mesh which cannot be saved. The head jailer himself cannot see it, as he found when his back saw merely scraped off the paint.

Rabbit Drives Resumed DALHART, Tex. (U.P.)—Rabbit drives, which were discontinued during the drought, have been resumed. The pests were allowed to run uncontrolled during the drought because many families depend upon them for food.

Heavenly Hash! Take one reckless natural-born fool; three drinks of bad liquor; a fast high-powered motor car; soak the fool in the liquor, add a dash of swagger, pour behind the wheel of a car and let go at increasing speed. Clear away resultant wreckage, place in black satin-lined box, and garnish with flowers. Serve with soft music.

Policeman: "How did the accident happen?" Motorist: "My wife fell asleep in the back seat."

"Is this the Fidelity Insurance Company?" "Yes, ma'am, it is. What can we do for you?" "I want to arrange to have my husband's fidelity insured!"

A wealthy client insured her valuable wardrobe while traveling in Europe. Upon reaching London she found an article missing and immediately called her broker in New York. "Gown lifted in London," Her broker replied, after due deliberation. "What do you think our policy covers?"



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

"If there were four flies on the table, and I killed one, how many would be left?" inquired the teacher. "One," answered the bright little girl. "The dead one."

Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Bobo of Rome, Texas, are the guests of their son, Dr. Tom C. Bobo. They are accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Christian and daughter, Virginia Ann, of Decatur.

Soviet Salvages Alcohol ARCHANGEL, (U.P.)—A hydrolysis plant producing alcohol and sugar from by-products of sawmills, chiefly from sawdust, has started operation here. Construction is planned for two more large plants of the same type.

5c Cigars Honesty's Reward MONTREAL, (U.P.)—Honesty pays? George Gray found a wallet containing \$4,000 in cash and negotiable securities in the gutter and returned it to the owner. As a reward, the owner bought Gray two five-cent cigars.

James H. Goodman, Lawyer, 314 Petroleum Bldg., MIDLAND, TEXAS

Large advertisement for Goodyear tires featuring the slogan 'Here's the Evidence' and 'Prices that Prove Extra Economy'. It includes various tire models like G-3 All-Weather, tread patterns, and mileage records. A prominent offer states 'WITH A LIBERAL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE \$5.10' and 'LIBERAL TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE \$4.70'. It also features a 'GUARANTEED' seal and 'EASY TERMS' as low as 51¢ a week. The ad concludes with 'DON'T BE FOOLED by trick discounts from padded price lists. BUY NO TIRES until you see how MUCH MORE QUALITY Goodyear gives you FOR THE SAME MONEY - OR LESS!' and 'Lowe's Service Station' at the corner of West Wall and Colorado in Midland, Texas.

Advertisement for Jimmie Ross, a dancing musician. It reads 'Dancing Music' and 'HOTEL SCHARBAUER SATURDAY NIGHT AUGUST 3 9-? Admission \$1.25 Couple'. The text is arranged vertically with large letters.

Advertisement for Blatz beer, featuring a keg illustration and the slogan 'WHY OUR KEG BEER IS ALWAYS THE BEST'. It lists 'Blatz Special' and 'ALWAYS ON DRAUGHT TEXAN CLUB'. Contact information includes 'Edelweiss - Phone 52 - 119 South Main'.

Society and Clubs

Flat and Flattering



Winners of Midland Contest to Enter Lubbock Pageant

Miss Martha Louise Robertson and Miss Mary Betty Willis will leave early Friday morning for Lubbock where they will enter the semi-finals of the Beach Fashion and Beauty Pageant, to be held there Friday and Saturday sponsored by theatres in a number of towns.

Miss Robertson, representing the Hotel Scharbauer, was awarded first place in the Midland contest several weeks ago. Miss Willis, representing the Kaydelle Shop, was awarded second place.

The winner in the Lubbock contest will enter the finals at Roswell, New Mexico, from which one girl will be chosen as winner of a trip to Hollywood and a Paramount screen test. During the Hollywood visit, she will be entertained in various ways, a trip to Catalina Island being one of the attractions.

The trip to Lubbock will be made by automobile and the entrants will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Hodge.

Miss Robertson is a medium brunet and Miss Willis is a decided brunet in coloring.

Girls will be required to model bathing suits and evening gowns in the pageant.

Miss Willis will wear a black bathing suit with white accessories. Her evening gown will be of white chiffon and of peach net.

The white chiffon gown is a new fall model made with high neckline and a slight train. Touches of silver are used as adornment and silver slippers will be worn.

The peach net is made in backless style with fitted neckline and full skirt. A cluster of wood violets at the throat gives a note of contrasting color. Silver slippers are worn with this gown also.

FEMININE FANCIES

BY KATHLEEN EILAND

In search of something new and different, we wandered down Main Street yesterday afternoon, and perhaps because we were looking for them, we did find several little things that were new—at least to us.

Did you ever have to scramble widely through a box trying to find the proper mallets and balls before you could enjoy a game of croquet? There is no need to do that now. Croquet sets come with mallets and balls held in upright racks where they are easily seen.

Another advantage is that the racks can be carried from the house to the court and back again very easily. Which means a lessening of lost and weather-rummed sets.

We've seen ramekins often enough but those yesterday were the first that we had seen with a handle somewhat like the handle of a saucepan. The ramekins are in oven-bake wear and we presume the handle is to prevent spilling or burning of hands when transferring them from stove to table.

A new gas stove has a light, shaded by a reflector globe at the back of the cooking surface. Just another conceit which is of help to the cook, especially on dark days or when something has boiled over.

We like the new design in silverware which places the principal decorative motif just above the bowl of the spoon and the blade of the knife instead of at the outer end of the handle. It gives a pleasingly different touch. We've just had a thought, however. Wonder if it would be harder to keep clean?

Small round copper bowls suspended in black metal frames make pretty flower holders. The reddish tones of the copper contrast nicely with the dark metal.

"G. W." Painting Bequeathed

PHILADELPHIA, (U.P.)—Painted by Rembrandt Peck in 1786, an original portrait of George Washington has been left to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania in the will of Mrs. Clara Reeves Henry.

Swiss Girl Prefers Hot Dogs

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill. (U.P.)—Miss Marianne Schadelin, social worker from Switzerland, a graduate of the University of Zurich and a student at the University of Oklahoma in America, thinks waffles, hot dogs and hamburgers are the best American foods.

Spray Eradicates Thistles

AMES, Ia. (U.P.)—Perennial weeds, such as thistle, creeping jenny, pepper grass and quack grass, are being eradicated by Iowa farmers through spraying methods. Sodium chlorate has proved the best remedy.

Yellow and Green Color Theme at San Souci Party

Yellow and green playing a prominent part in the refreshment course marked the meeting of the San Souci Club at the home of Mrs. C. P. McWilliams, 407 N. Marl-enfeld, Wednesday afternoon.

A number of club guests shared the afternoon's diversion including: Misses H. P. Fagg, Claude Cowden, W. E. Bailey, Roy Whitman, Frances E. Weaver, Jr., Joseph Markley, Jr., and Miss Corrine Lee.

Bridge games were played with high score going to Mrs. J. S. Schow, low score to Mrs. E. L. Hoffer, and out to Mrs. Fagg.

At the tea hour, a party plate was served to club guests and the following club members: Misses Paul Chabas, R. B. Cowden, J. G. Harper, Hoffer, Schow, and the hostess.

Chaparral Troop Holds Swim and Supper Party

Chaparral troop, Girl Scouts, held its regular meeting in the form of a swimming party and supper at Pagoda Pool Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

Investiture ceremony was held for George Ann Farley.

Present under the leadership of Mrs. L. G. Lewis and Mrs. Paul Chabas were the following girls: Geraldine Lewellen, Margaret Maness, Cleo Tidwell, George Ann Farley, Nell Ruth Bedford, Ruth Reeves, Jane Bounds, Mary Pane Harper, Jessa Lyn Tuttle, Frances Neill, Beth Reeves.

The troop will meet next for a weiner roast and bonfire at the home of Mrs. Lewis, 714 W. Kansas, Wednesday, Aug. 14, from 7:30 o'clock until 9:30 o'clock in the evening.

Skin Test Is Best Guide to Cosmetic Tint for Milady

The ideal system is to remove every trace of old makeup, pinch the cheeks until natural color shows, then get a rouge that matches the spots of high color. Try on several shades of lipstick until you find one that makes your lips the identical shade of the freshly rouged cheeks. The same rule holds in regard to face powder. No person can look at a row of jars of powder and be able to tell you which shade is right. You simply must put one on after another to find a tone which harmonizes so perfectly with your skin tone that, once you have pressed it on and brushed it off, it will be impossible to tell that there is powder on your skin. Remember always that to be well powdered you shouldn't look powdered at all.

If you prefer dry rouge to creamy varieties (in the summer-time, a good many do), apply it after powder. This way, you run less chance of making streaks and a more natural effect is gained.

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Sure to add glamor to dark sheers and prints for town is this mushroom hat of black novelty straw with a wreath of tiny flowers in confetti colors around the crown. A small stiff veil is fastened to the brim.

Zodiac Sign

HORIZONTAL: Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Fifth sign of the zodiac called the constellation

8 To agree

13 Sins

15 Theatrical play

17 To relieve

18 Toward sea

19 Collar part

20 Region

21 Recofia

23 Dispositions

25 Certificate of indebtedness

29 Goose

33 Pertaining to air

34 Norse god

35 Gazelle

36 Requires an imaginary belt in the

44 Morning star

49 Nimbus

50 Branch-like

52 Crippled knowledge.

53 Egg-shaped 2 Gaelic

54 To divert 3 Native metals

55 God of war 5 Unoccupied

56 It contains the star 7 To doze

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VERTICAL

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14 Monkey.

16 Encountered.

22 Small stones.

24 Mason's trade.

26 Auto.

27 Portuguese coin.

28 Wrath.

30 Poem.

31 Falsehood.

32 Et.

35 Writer

37 Accent.

39 Roof edge.

40 Scoria.

41 Balsam.

42 German wife.

43 Sweet potatoes

44 Animation.

45 On the lee.

46 Slovak

47 Container

48 Last word of a prayer

49 Anxiety

51 Consumer

51 Greek "m."

Meals Economizing on Heat Reasonable on Hot August Days

An amusing poem pops into my mind at the moment. It starts: "On some days I am domestic. I love my pantry shelf," and finishes understandingly on other days domestic? Not if I know myself." It is those "other days" that we're concerned about today.

You plan foods that can be prepared early in the day you will find that many hours of freedom from cooking. And of course, if you use your time economically, that helps, too.

One of the nicest hot weather dinners I know begins with hot bouillon and goes on to a jellied veal leaf served with salad of mixed greens and assorted rolls and finishes up with peach mousse and date and nut bars. Everything has been prepared and put in the refrigerator until wanted for serving with the exception of the bouillon and that's only a matter of boiling the teakettle and pouring boiling water over your cubes or paste or whatever you use.

Use Variety of Greens

I'm taking it for granted you'll be buying your rolls and then you can choose the assortment the family likes.

Don't forget to get as wide a variety of greens as the market affords for your salad. Escarole, romaine, watercress and chicory are in season now and each one is a different shade of green and has a distinctive flavor. Then for contrasting color slice some tender button radishes over the top and sprinkle the whole thing generously with a well seasoned French dressing.

Right now I want to give you the recipe for date and nut bars.

Date and Nut Bars

One cup light brown sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cup flour, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 4 tablespoons milk, 1 cup chopped dates, 1 cup nut meats, 1 teaspoon Vanilla, powdered sugar.

Beat eggs until light, then add sugar and beat until it is dissolved. Add remaining ingredients with the exception of powdered sugar. Beat well and pour into a square pan lined with heavy waxed paper. Bake in a moderate oven (35 degrees F.) for twenty five minutes. Cut in bars and roll in powdered sugar.

Shortcut To Summer Grooming Should Be Used

Unless she budgets her time rather carefully, the woman with limited income is likely to find inaccurate grooming pretty much of a problem during the hot months.

Naturally, one who has a maid to keep accessories and lingerie fresh or who can afford to go to a beauty shop twice instead of once a week has little trouble. The majority, however, simply have to figure out a way to look neat and attractive without spending too much time about it.

It's an excellent idea to have several sets of knitted silk underwear that do not have to be ironed. These, along with stockings, can be squeezed out at night and hung up to dry. Unless you live in an extremely clean city, don't try to wear white gloves more than one day.

To keep your legs and arms neat and lovely, pick a depilatory that discourages as well as removes superfluous hair. There are several types. The wax varieties are good for the legs and the heavy, creamy ones are satisfactory on arms. With stockings so sheer and oach bathing so popular and such fun, you undoubtedly will have to use your depilatories at least once a week.

Unless your skin is unusually sensitive, better buy a deodorant that doesn't have to be used oftener than once every four or five days. Never apply it within 48 hours after removing hair, let it dry and be sure to rinse off before you dress or put on your nightgown.

Use Brush on Hair And Scalp Exercise To Beautify Locks

Any girl who wants to have healthy, attractive hair should exercise her scalp conscientiously and regularly, use a tonic to alleviate excess oil or dryness, as the case may be, and take special care to select only the purest liquid shampoos.

If you get professional finger waves or marcel once a week, the chances are you won't want to give your hair a nightly brushing. In spite of what you are told about upward strokes not ruining a wave, you probably know from bitter experience that they do. However, your scalp must have some exercise.

If you don't use a hair brush (it's advisable, of course), then massage your scalp with finger tips each night before you go to bed. Simply rest your elbows on a table put your head in your hands and then move your scalp—not your fingers—back and forth until every inch of it tingles.

If you do this properly, there's no reason why a wave should be badly mussed, much less straightened out.

If you are using a special tonic to correct an individual scalp ailment or one that simply stimulates the roots of your hair, apply it before you start to massage. Part the hair in small sections and, using a clean cotton pad, rub in the tonic. If you are careful, this procedure won't ruin a wave either.

If you have straight or naturally curly hair, by all means form the brushing habit. Hold the brush loosely in one hand, place it flat against your scalp and brush upward. Wipe the brush after every stroke and don't stop until every bit of scalp and each hair has been cleaned and polished.

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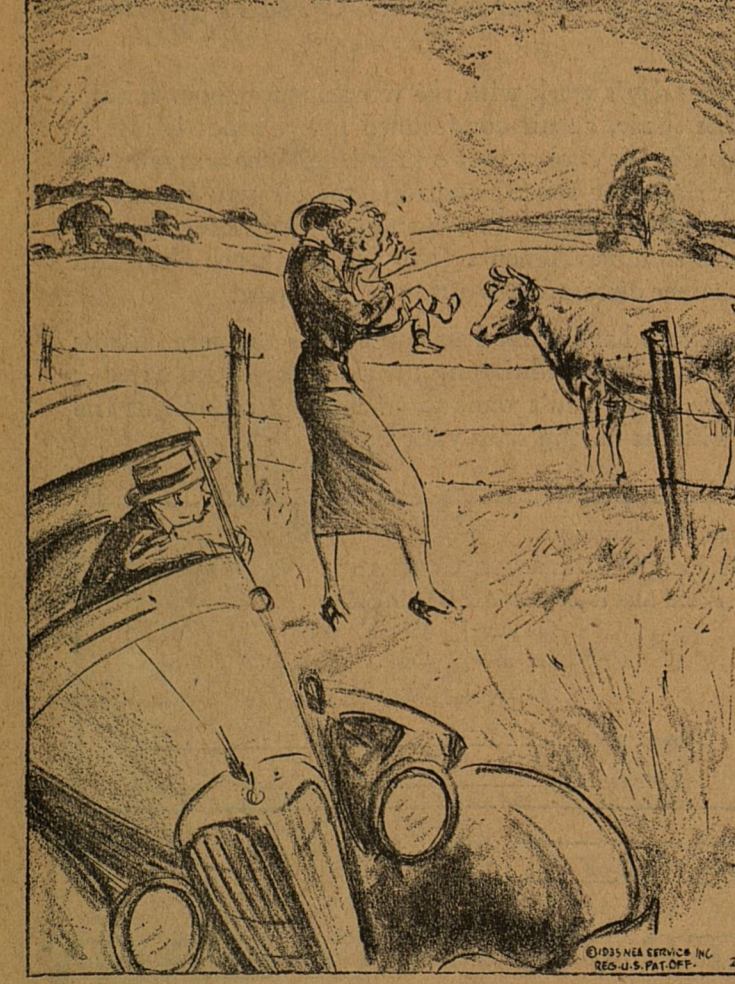
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Side Glances.....by Clark



"Are we going to have to stop for every cow between here and Chicago?"

Women Operate Dairy

LOUISVILLE, Neb. (U.P.)—An all-women dairy is one of the thriving Louisville enterprises. Mrs. John Phelps and her 20-year-old daughter, Josephine, operate a dairy consisting of 40 cows and deliver milk besides.

Smile Priced at \$6,500

DAVENPORT, Ia. (U.P.)—Unable to wrinkle his forehead, pucker his lips or smile properly, due to injuries received in an automobile accident, E. F. Wade, of Des Moines, has filed a damage suit for \$6,500 here.

New York City recently received the first carload of horseshoe nails shipped into it in more than a century.

FAT MAN REDUCES 53 POUNDS-OH BOY!

Don't be stubborn, you big fat men—throw off your fat before your fat throws you into the discard. Do as S. A. Lanier of Sawtelle, Calif., did—read this letter:

"I have used two reducing belts to no benefit but since using Kruschen Salts each morning in my coffee I have taken off 7 lbs. in a week and eat most anything I like. I weighed 243 lbs. 6 months ago and now I weigh 190 lbs."

Take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning—cut down on fatty meats, potatoes and sweets—now you know the safe way to lose unsightly fat.

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Improvement In Agriculture Over The State Noted

by Harry GRAYSON

DALLAS, Texas, July 30.(P)—A noticeable improvement in agricultural conditions, which has engendered a stronger undertone of confidence in trade channels, and department store sales six per cent larger than in the corresponding month of 1934, are the salients of the Monthly Business of the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas, released today.

Favorable weather and ample supply of moisture in most areas, the Review says, were responsible for the improvement in the conditions of agriculture. The Department of agriculture in its July 1 report, the Review continues, estimated that the production of most crops in this district during the current season greatly exceed that of a year ago.

This is particularly true of feed crops and the large supply now available will greatly benefit farmers during the current season as well as provide ample feed generally for the cultivation of the 1936 crops. The Department's estimate also reflected a moderate increase in the area of cotton in cultivation July 1 as compared with that of the same date last year.

While the crop is later than usual this year, the Review explains, commercial reports indicate that plants have made good growth in recent weeks. Livestock and their ranges reflected a further substantial improvement and conditions are now materially better than a year ago.

CHICAGO, August 1.(U.P.)—The charging Chicago Cubs now are the best story in baseball. Their remarkable comeback has National League moguls huddled, including Charles A. Stoneham of the New York Giants, and Samuel Breadon of the St. Louis Cardinals. Stoneham and Breadon love to win, but also like to get the swag in doing so, and Wrigley Field is a mint when the ball is rolling right for the Bruins.

Naturally, the happiest senior wheel magnate of all is Charles John Grimm, vice president of the Chicago club. Grimm also happens to be manager of the Cubs. The Chicago outfit's drive is of vast importance to Grimm, for it makes his position secure for the first time since June, 1934, when there were reports that the banjo-playing boss would be succeeded by either Clarence (Pants) Rowland, the old White Sox leader who now does Fox's foraging for the North Side colonists, or Jack Leivell, who led the Bruins' Los Angeles farm team to a new Pacific Coast League record of 137 victories last year.

Those closest to the situation suspect that the veteran catcher, Gabby Harnett, has had managerial aspirations since he assumed charge when Grimm, with the army in the doldrums, took a brief vacation last season.

Owner Wrigley Goes to Bat for Grimm and Gets Results. As early as a year ago last spring, Grimm himself was the basis for hints that William M. Walker, who succeeded the late William L. Veck as president of the Cubs, intended to resign. Young Philip K. Wrigley's idea in purchasing Walker's stock last October undoubtedly was to oil the inner works of the organization. There is little question but that Wrigley created the vice presidency for Grimm at the same time in hope that his pilot would enforce discipline. He remarked that Charley, the one-time clown, was a bit shy in that respect.



JOE DUCKY WUCKY MEDWICK, YOUNG OUTFIELDER OF THE ST. LOUIS CARDINALS. THE VEGETABLE MAN IS PRESSING ARMY VAUGHAN, OF THE PHILADELPHIA PHIGHTS, FOR THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP OF BOTH MAJOR LEAGUES WITH 350. HE LEADS IN TOTAL HITS AND RUNS SCORED, AND IS IN THE FIRST FOUR IN RUNS BATTED IN... WELL, I'M LIVING UP TO THE NAME OF DUCKY. MEDWICK IS THE ONLY PLAYER IN HISTORY WHO WAS SHOWERED FROM THE FIELD BY OASTMEN AT THE 7th GAME OF WORLD SERIES LAST FALL...

way along the remainder of the route. There ought to be plenty of excitement on the lake front when the Cubs return from Pittsburgh and Cincinnati for series with the recently crowned Pirates, another rejuvenated aggregation, August 6-8, and the Cardinals, August 9-11. The Bruins' chances will be determined on their final eastern trip, which starts in Brooklyn on August 14. If the return to Wrigley Field within hailing distance of the top they may be hard to head off after successive series in their own backyard with the Cincinnati Reds, Phillies, Braves, Dodgers, Giants, and Pirates.

Representatives Are Urged Attend Meet

Urging attendance of all West Texas newspaper representatives at the annual convention of the West Texas Press Association August 16 and 17, at Big Spring, R. Henderson Shuffler of Odessa, secretary, mailed a letter this week promising a "whale of a time."

The West Texas Press Association is meeting in Big Spring on Friday and Saturday, August 16th and 17th, and we are very anxious that you be with us this year. Two of the boys are doing better this year than in the past, and more of them will be at the convention than in a number of years.

A program has been arranged which we feel will be of interest to everyone, and which we can assure you will be brief and business-like. Chairman Harry Hines of the Texas Highway Commission is to speak on highway matters in West Texas. Dr. W. A. Jackson of Texas Tech will discuss plans for West Texas' part in the Centennial, and Director H. H. Williamson of the Extension Service will tell of plans for the coming year under the AAA.

Big Spring has arranged a fine entertainment program, with a luncheon at noon Friday, a banquet Friday evening, and the annual ball the same evening. On Saturday morning, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will give a breakfast for the Editorial Board of West Texas Today, and all West Texas newspaper men and their wives attending the convention.

Univ. Professor Is Granted Leave

AUSTIN, August 1.—Page Keeton, associate professor of law at the University of Texas, has been granted leave of absence from his teaching duties to accept a \$250 research scholarship at Harvard University. Mr. Keeton's place will be taken for the 1935-36 session by Prof. Fowler V. Harper of the University of Indiana Law School. Professor Harper, who has held the position of assistant reporter of facts for the American Law Institute ever since that organization was founded, is considered an outstanding authority on torts in the United States, according to Judge I. P. Hildebrand, dean of the University of Texas School of Law.

Weekly publishers will be particularly interested in a new feature of the convention, the contest for selecting West Texas' Best All-Round Weekly, with a loving cup offered by Max Bentley and Charlie Guy for the winner. Two consecutive issues of your paper since the first of the year must be submitted to the secretary by ten o'clock Friday morning, August 16th. These will be judged and the winner announced at the close of the convention. Taking home the loving cup for first place wouldn't hurt anyone's standing with the home folks. Judging will be on the basis of standards set up by NEA.

For second prize, the Big Spring hotels say they will mark PAID on the hotel bill of the runner-up. Not a bad prize in itself! Golfers will also compete Saturday afternoon for the Bill Parker cup.

For the winner, two consecutive issues of your paper since the first of the year must be submitted to the secretary by ten o'clock Friday

A maximum sick leave of 30 days a year is allowed federal employees in Washington. Eighty World War veterans die daily. This is a total of 30,000 a year.

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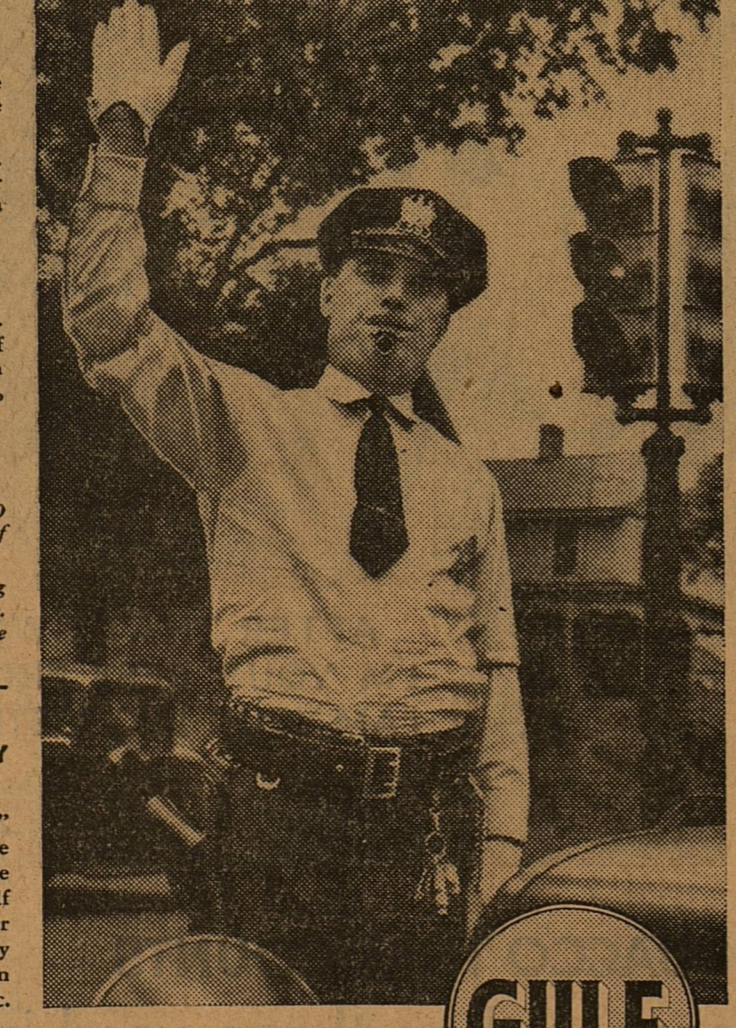
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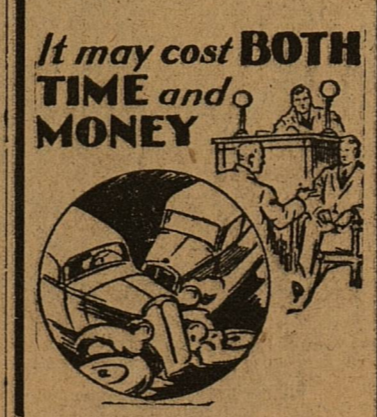
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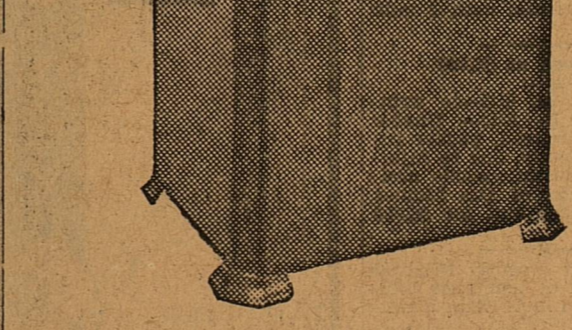


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AUSTIN, August 1.—Texas cement statistics for June showed a considerable slump both from the previous month and from June, 1934, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Production, which totaled 275,000 barrels, was down 22.5 and 27.1 per cent respectively from the previous month and the corresponding month last year. Shipments, amounting to 313,000 barrels, declined 7.9 and 7.7 per cent respectively from the two periods. Stocks on hand as of June 30, totaling 651,000 barrels, were 5.4 per cent below those at the end of the previous month but 9.4 per cent above those on the corresponding date last year.

port said. "Production, 8,730,000 barrels, was 6.2 per cent higher than in May and less than 1 per cent below June last year. Shipments, 7,624,000 barrels, were 2.6 per cent above those of the previous month but 10.7 per cent below the June, 1934 figures. Stocks on hand on June 30 totaled 23,098,000 barrels, 9.7 per cent above those at the end of May and half of one per cent less than on June 30 last year."

Women Rated Best Drivers
SACRAMENTO, Cal. (U.P.)—California's state motor vehicle department has found that women are the most careful drivers. Only 15 per cent of accidents were attributed to women drivers, who constitute 28 per cent of the state's licensed operators.

There are more than 885,000 pension cases, covering all wars, on the U. S. government rolls.

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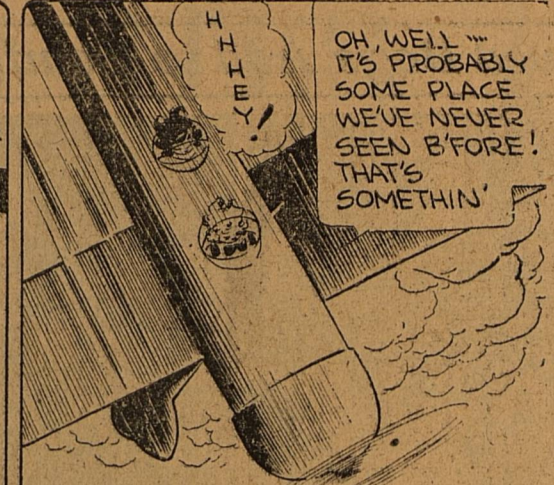
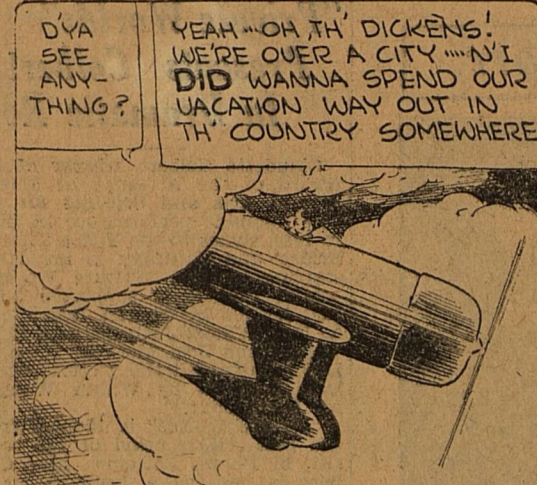
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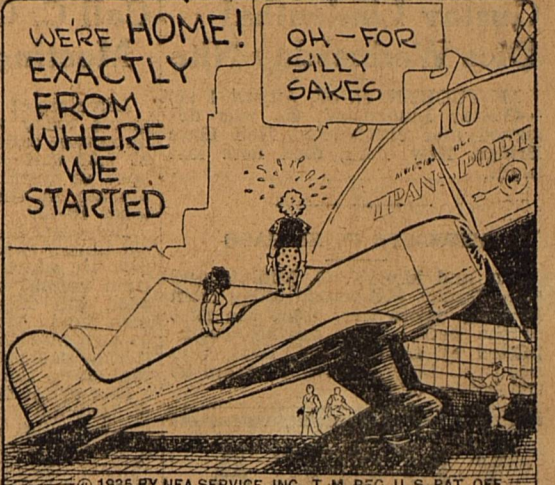
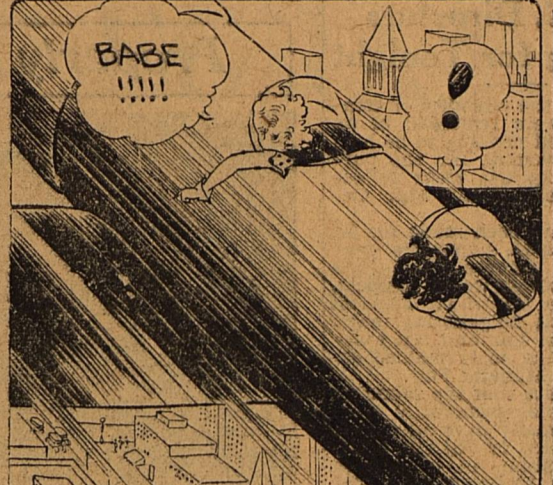
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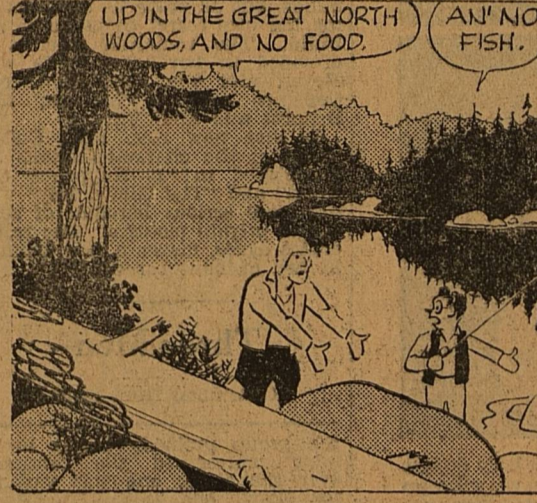
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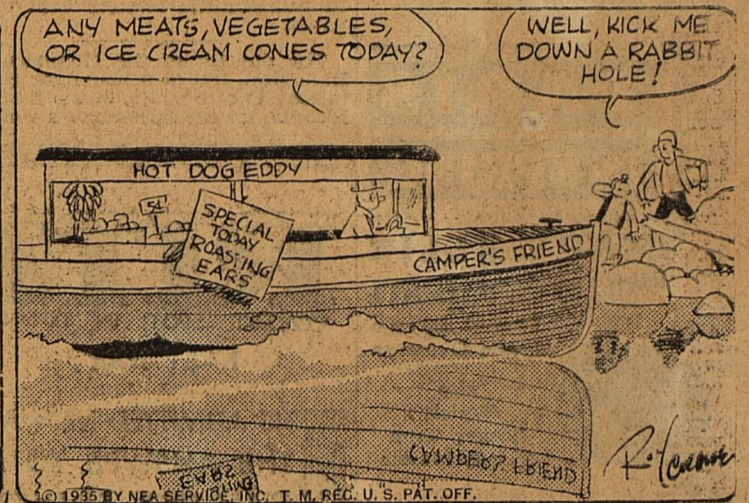
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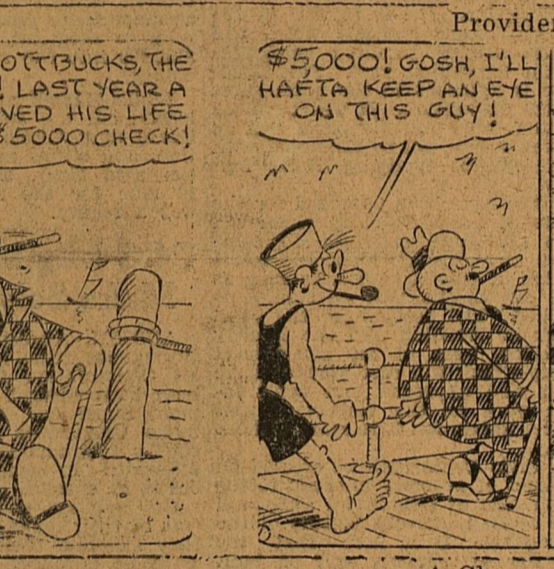
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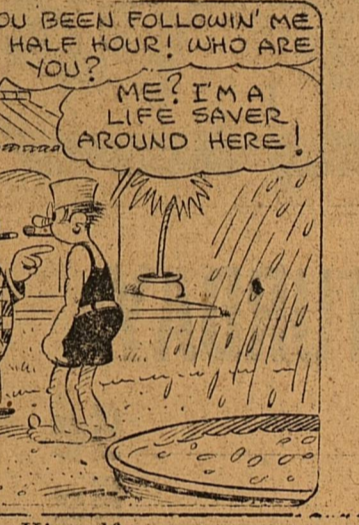
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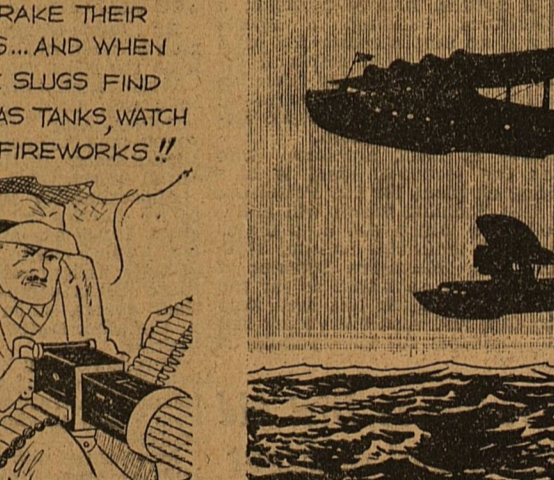
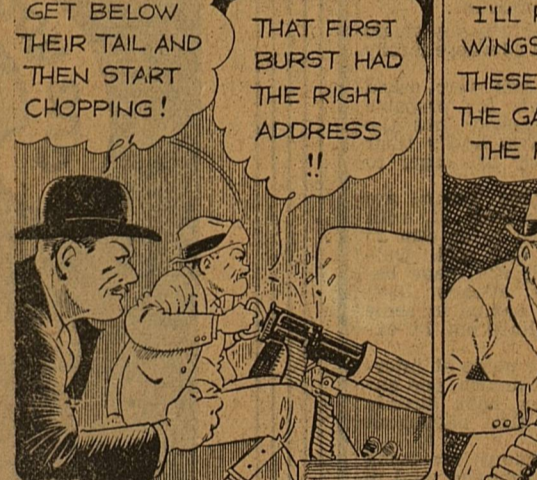
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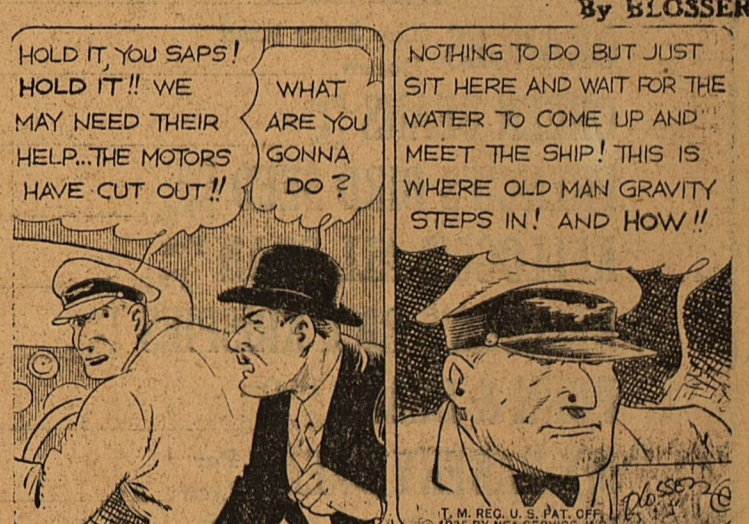
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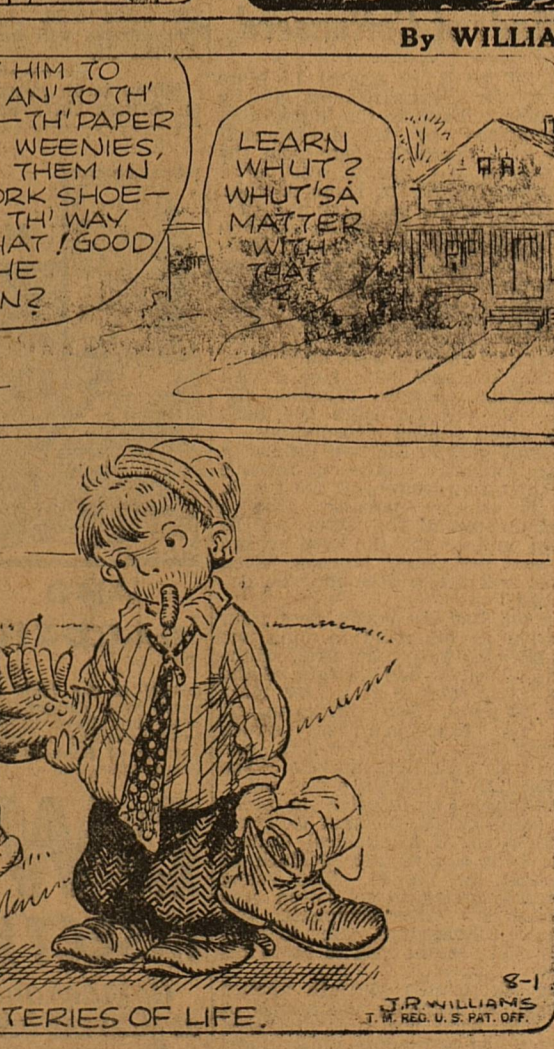
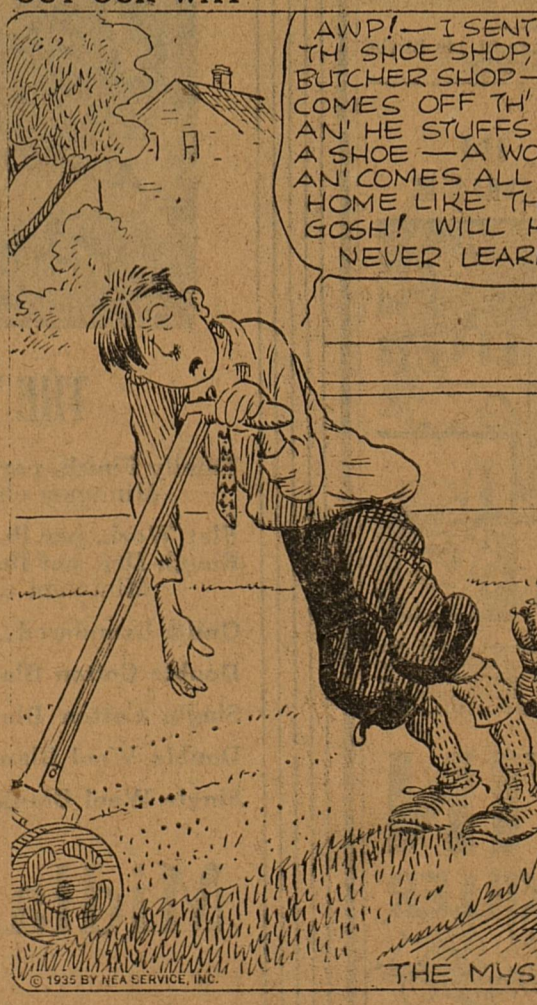
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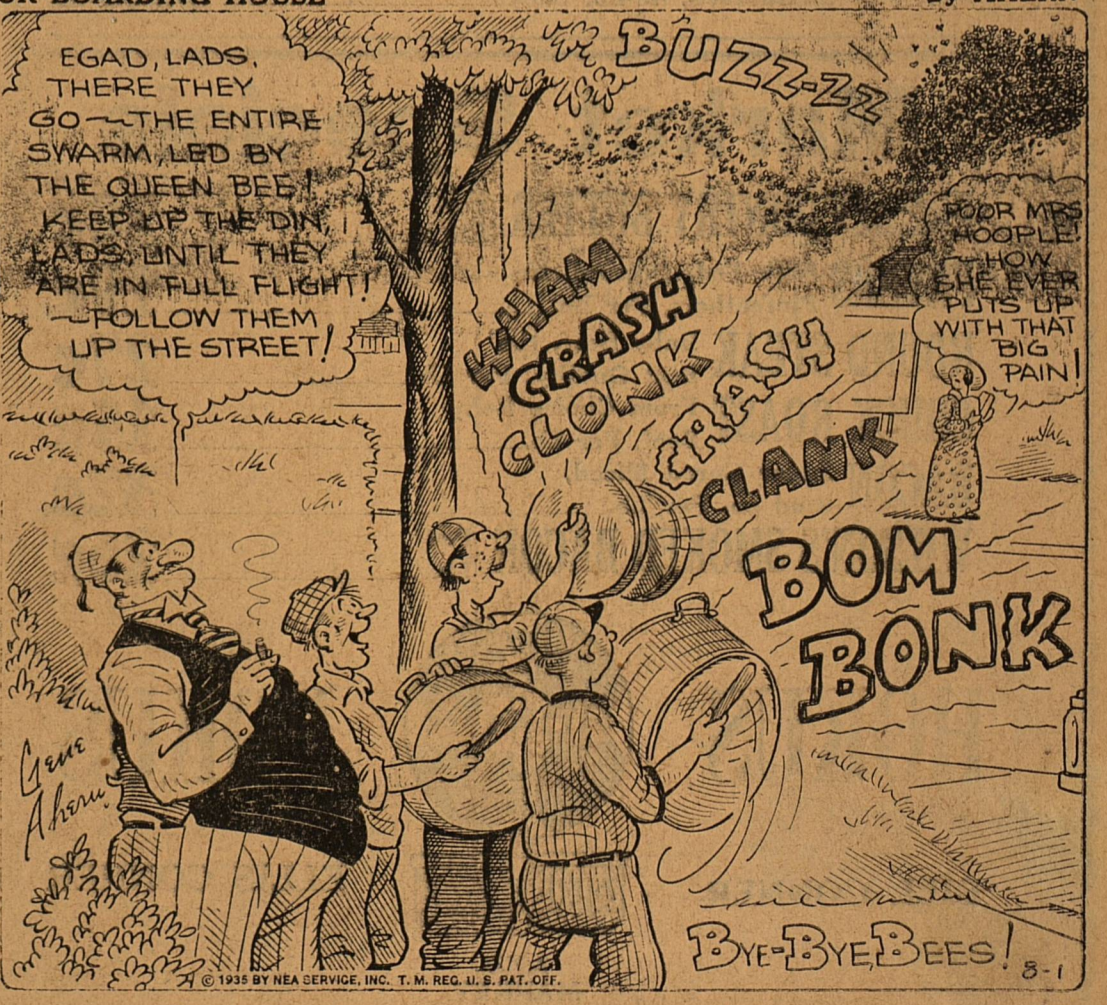
A Chance to Save Himself



OUT OUR WAY



By WILLIAMS OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By MARTIN

By CRANE

By HAMLIN

By SMALL

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Gustav Lindenthal Dies Wednesday Nite

MOTUCHEM, N. J., August 1 (AP)—Gustav Lindenthal, 85, who designed and constructed Hell Gate Bridge, New York, died here last night.

MIDKIFFS IN EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Midkiff and son, Hunter, will return today from El Paso where they went the first of the week. They will be accompanied by another son, Sam, who has been in the C.M.T.C. camp at the border city.

YUCCA

Cool—Washed Air
LAST DAY

PARIS IN SPRING

A Paramount Picture with **MARY ELLIS TULLIO CARMINATI**
Idea Lupino
Lynne Overman

also Variety
Looney Toon
Melody Master

FRI-SAT.

Colbert PRIVATE WORLDS

CHARLES BOYER JOAN BENNETT
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Call C. C. Directors Meeting for Tonight

Directors of the chamber of commerce today were reminded of an important meeting to be held at 7:30 this evening for the purpose of working out steps to cooperate in the Midland Fair October 19-23.

Proposals have been made for an old timers' reunion, a sponsors' contest in which representative girls from various towns would compete, good will trips on which business men would visit neighboring towns to advertise the fair and other activities calculated to crystallize attention on the Midland Fair.

Due to the fact that the founding of Midland dates principally from the year 1885, many have advocated a Golden Jubilee or fiftieth anniversary celebration, in connection with the event, to honor older and former citizens.

Dr. W. E. Ryan asked all directors to attend promptly at 7:30 in order to transact the matters with dispatch.

RITZ

COOLEST SPOT IN TOWN
LAST DAY

HE ADMITTED HE WAS THE ANSWER TO A MAIDEN'S PRAYER! SWELL HEAD

A COLUMBIA PICTURE

Properly Stowed Bags Add to Comfort



Comfort, pleasure, and safety on a tour depend largely on efficient loading of the luggage, and modern body designs have done much to ease the problem, as these views of Chevrolet models reveal. In the upper left view, the suitcases have been fitted in snugly, the adjustable front seat having been moved forward to allow extra leeway, and the driver is now pushing back the seat to clamp the bags in place for the day. Upper right, the tourist is utilizing the baggage space back of the rear seat. The two lower pictures show the loading of a coupe compartment and a sedan trunk.

HOLTS HAVE SON

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Holt are the parents of a son born Wednesday afternoon in a Midland hospital. The baby has been named David Glenn. Mrs. Holt and the child will return to their home today.

Preparations for Centennial in High

DALLAS, August 1.—Preparations for the Texas Centennial Exposition which opens here June 6 next year went into high gear with the coming of August. The turning point from planning on paper to actual construction was reached this week and Centennial Park is alive with workmen clearing sites for the \$15,000,000 worth of exposition buildings which must go up during the next ten months.

CCC Eligibles Asked Make Selves Known

AUSTIN, August 1.—Young men throughout Texas eligible for Civilian Conservation Corps enlistment have been advised by State Enrollment Supervisor Neal E. Guy to make themselves known to their county administrators if they are interested in being among the 16,000 to be enrolled by August 31.

Money Saving SPECIALS

Take a Look at these

FOR	
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY	
BANANAS Big Yellow Fruit Dozen	5c
LETTUCE Iceberg, Large Firm Head, Each	5c
ORANGES The Juicy Kind Dozen	10c
GREEN BEANS Per Lb.	2c
FRENCH'S BIRD SEED Per Pkg.	11c
KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN Per Pkg.	11c
KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES Per Pkg.	10c
PORK & BEANS 16-Oz. Can	4½c
MY BAKERY BREAD Per Loaf	8c
FLOUR Worthmore Brand, Every Sack Guaranteed, 48-Lb. Sack	\$1.51

Market Specials

FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER Per Lb.	20c
FRYERS Milk Fed, Dressed, No Pinfeathers, Per Lb.	19c
ROUND STEAK Baby Beef, the Best Quality, Per Lb.	27c
CHUCK ROAST From Choice Baby Beef, Per Lb.	15c
BACON Sugar Cured Sliced, Rind on, Per Lb.	32c
WILSON'S SMOKED BACON Per Lb.	26c

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AND MARKET

More Money, Diet Aid Discovered in Flour Made of Cottonseed

FORT WORTH, August 1.—More money for Texas farmers and a valuable addition to the human diet is promised by the development here of a palatable flour from the germ of the cotton seed, goal of research men for three decades. Credit for the discovery and perfection of the flour, which has won the approval of the American Medical Association's committee on foods, goes to C. W. McMath, young chemist, and T. J. Harrell, past president of the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers' Association.

IN HOUSE AND GARDEN

DWIN is the long sought relief for those who delight in making things grow but have been discouraged in a product of Baldwin Laboratories, Inc., Saegertown, Pa.

"Private Worlds" Presents Colbert In Dramatic Role

Claudette Colbert, winner of the Award of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for the best feminine performance in films in 1934, comes to the Yucca Theatre Friday and Saturday in her latest starring picture, "Private Worlds."

Three Men--

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the group probably pretty accurately represented the sentiment over the state; one was violently for Huey; one took him without a struggle; the third was intimidated.

Roosevelt Is Strong

In Dallas the city editor of a newspaper said to me: "Huey couldn't carry 10 per cent of the people of Texas. Roosevelt is still strong as mustard. When Huey was talking some of invading this state a group of men came into the office and wanted to know what would happen if they rotten-egged Huey. That tells their sentiment."

Wadley's

Final Clearance

OF

Footwear

GROUP No. 1

Consists of about 100 pairs of ladies' shoes and sandals in blue, red and white... the shoes are in light colors and whites... They are odds and ends left over from the sale, but every pair is a bona fide bargain at

\$1.00

GROUP No. 2

This lot consists of odds and ends of our entire stock of white shoes. Former values up to \$8.00 that we offer to close out quickly at, the pair

\$1.95

GROUP No. 3

MEN'S SPORT OXFORDS

We have 40 pairs of two-tone, white and light colors, left that we offer to close at, the pair

\$2.49

Make Your Selections Early

Wadley's

"A Better Department Store"

striking miner would get a drop of relief. At least she was grateful."

TOMORROW: Californians tell how they are faring.

A-11 LANDS

An A-11 piloted by Lieut. Col. McNarney, landed at the Midland airport today. McNarney was on his way to March Field in California from Langley Field in Virginia.

SOFTBALL TONIGHT

Softball games scheduled for 8:15 o'clock tonight on the softball field include: Midland Hardware vs. Continental; Gulf vs. Cox Motor.

Divorce Business Thrives

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. (UP)—Judge M. D. Walner reports a thriving divorce business here with his court granting an average of 10 a day.

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