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West Texas: Cloudy, probably rain in the North and East portions tonight and Wednesday; warmer except in Rio Grande Valley.

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Bruno Breaks, Declares Innocence

Ratable Taking Gas Provisions Invalid CHANGE IN STORY WOULD BE LIE, SAYS

Llano Hotel Sold To Dallas Buyer

Sale of the four-story Llano Hotel to A. W. Snyder of Dallas and associates, was announced today by John Scharbauer, Dr. John B. Thomas and Clarence Scharbauer owners for the past two years. The consideration was not announced. Mr. Snyder becomes manager of the hotel Wednesday morning, retaining Jack Vantreas as assistant manager. The new operator, it was reported, will announce shortly the complete organization owning and operating the hotel, with improvements and changes contemplated. It was believed that an entire floor of the building will be converted into modern three and four room apartments, for rent to Midland residents. Other rumored improvements would include a larger lobby and renovation throughout the entire building. Mr. Snyder came to Midland three months ago for relief of a sinus trouble. He liked Midland so well that he decided to locate here and the purchase of the Llano followed. He has been in hotel business for twenty years. His associates were

CONSERVATION LAW IS GIVEN SET-BACK BY THE DECISION

Gas Companies Win In Federal Court Ruling STATE TO APPEAL McCraw Will Carry Case to Supreme Court of U. S.

AUSTIN, Mar. 31. (AP)—A three-judge federal court today held invalid an order of the railroad commission enforcing the ratable taking provisions of the Texas gas conservation law. The decision was considered of the greatest importance to the Texas program for conserving natural gas resources. The ratable taking ruling favored the Texhoma natural gas company and the Consolidated gas company. The court agreed to issue a permanent injunction against the commission order. The plaintiffs argued that the state was without power to compel them to purchase ratably, thereby dividing the markets they have developed with those having none. The F. C. Henderson company and the Portland gasoline company lost in a sweet gas ruling. Attorney General William McCraw said the ratable taking decision would be appealed to the supreme court of the United States.

GOVERNOR ALLRED UNABLE TO VISIT MIDLAND DURING PRESS CONVENTION

G-MEN UNABLE TO CAPTURE KARPIS IN NEW TRAP MONDAY Number 1 Outlaw Is Not Discovered In Raid

Offers to Send Some Representative In His Place

TOPEKA, Kas., March 31. (AP)—Announcement that a raid of federal officers at Hot Springs, Ark., in an attempt to capture Alvin Karpis, public enemy No. 1, had failed to apprehend the accused Bremer kidnap was made Monday night to the Kansas highway patrol. Lieutenant Colonel Wint Smith, director of the Kansas highway patrol, telephoned the information to his assistant, Frank Stone. "Smith said he believed Karpis had been there but had left," Stone announced. The raid was made on a remote farm home near Hot Springs, Ark., early Monday. Smith arrived at the scene after it was made. Stone later said he had learned definitely that no arrests were made in the raid at Hot Springs, but did not know whether any had been made elsewhere. He said two members of the Kansas highway patrol, who were present when the raid was made.

Governor James V. Allred, invited to appear as principal speaker at the West Texas Press Convention here May 22-23, advised by letter today that he will not be able to attend the meeting on account of a previous engagement. "I want you to know how very much I appreciate the invitation," he wrote, "and I trust you will pardon my delay in writing you. I have been confined to my room most of the time the past two weeks with a streptococcal throat, which explains my failure to write to you sooner. I sincerely regret that it is going to be impossible for me to come to Midland on that date you mention owing to conflicting dates both on the 22nd and during that week. I shall be glad to have a personal representative there to substitute for me since I can't come personally if you will let me know whether this will fit in with your plans." Officials of the press association will be contacted at once, according to T. Paul Barron, Midland editor and chairman of the host committee to ascertain what is desired as a substitute program. Other speakers, who previously had accepted, include Lowry Martin of Corsicana, Houston Mart of San Angelo and Gene A. Howe of Amarillo.

Five CIA Students Spend Holiday Here Five Midland girls who are students at CIA spent the weekend here at their spring vacation. They were: Misses May Beth Jenkins, Peggy Jo Howze, Edna Mae Elkin, Margaret Miles, and Olga Trammell. Miss Trammell who arrived last Thursday returned to Denton Sunday night as senior students were required to be present at school earlier than others. Miss Jenkins and Miss Howze, who arrived Saturday, plan to return to the college Wednesday, as will Miss Elkin. Miss Miles, who arrived last Thursday has not definitely decided whether she will leave for Denton Wednesday or remain here until the last of the week.

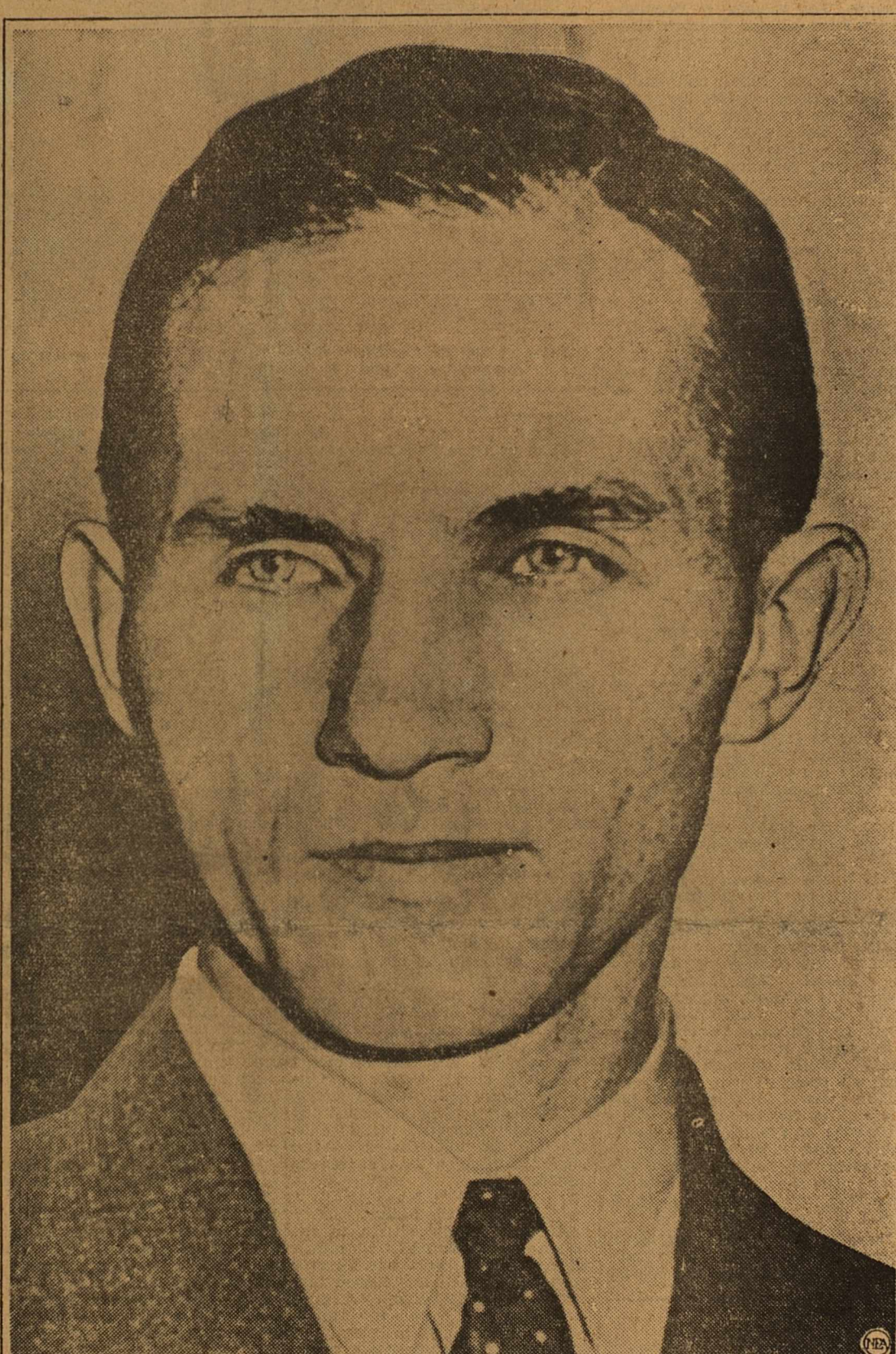
IRAN WITHDRAWS CONSULS FROM U.S. Newspaper Articles Called Discourtesy to That Country Blamed

WASHINGTON, March 31. (AP)—The Iranian government has ordered its legation in Washington and its consulates in the United States closed, because of articles appearing in the American press which it considers a discourtesy to the Shaah. Presumably in connection with the arrest in Elkton, Md., last October of the former Iranian minister to Washington, the Near Eastern monarchy ordered all its diplomatic and consular personnel in the United States to return to Iran immediately. This has resulted in the closing not only of the legation in Washington but also of the Iranian consulates in New York and Chicago. It was stated authoritatively Monday that the action was taken because of the "hurt" of the Persian government concerning articles and references in the press of the United States which were considered in Tehran to be discourteous and unfriendly to the Shaah and to Persia in general. It was disclosed also that last Saturday the Iranian charge d'affaires, Hossien Ghods, had informed Secretary Hull of the withdrawal of the diplomatic and consular personnel. These have been skeletonized since the minister was recalled to Iran. He sailed Jan. 4. Salary of the chief justice of the U. S. Supreme Court is \$20,500 a year. Shoe production has increased more than 50 per cent in the last 15 years.

PAY DOUBLED IN YOAKUM WILDCAT

Honolulu and Cascade Discovery Drilling Below 5,260 By FRANK GARDNER That the additional pay section logged from 5,215 to 5,230 feet by the southeastern Yoakum county discovery has more than doubled previous production was indicated yesterday when the well swabbed 55 barrels of oil from 2:30 to 3:00 p. m. Prior to drilling the new oil section, the well had been showing only about 20 barrels daily yield on swab. A soft section from 5,248 to 5,253 is reported in some quarters to be the source of a possible increase, but confirmation is lacking. The Yoakum well, Honolulu and Cascade No. 1 Bennett is now drilling below 5,260 with 4,100 feet of oil in the hole. Unless an unexpectedly large oil zone is hit, the No. 1 Bennett will probably be drilled down to water. The territory it is testing is totally wild and operators will not risk the possibility of missing any pays above the water horizon. It is about 11 miles southeast of Plains. New Location for Tubb Area The Tubb area of western Crane county, present "hot spot" of West Texas drilling activity, received location for another test when Gulf announced plans to drill the No. 2 Tubb. It is 440 feet out of the northeast corner of section 12, block B-27, public school land, a quarter mile west of Humble No. 1 Tubb, deep Permian pay producer bottomed at 4,375 and rated at 861 barrels per day after acidizing. The only active Gaines county wildcat, Landreth No. 1 Kirk, is reported to have lost returns after starting to drill with rotary and is now mixing circulating mud. Total depth reached is 100 feet in soft sand. Located in the southwest quarter of section 22, block A-21, public school land, it is about mid-way between the Walsh and Adams Seminole gasser and the Means pool in northern Andrews. The test promises to be highly interesting when

"The Wages of Sin"



Bruno Richard Hauptmann, who tonight will pay with his life for the kidnap-murder of baby Lindbergh exactly four years and one month after the crime was committed. The 29-month-old son of the famed American flyer was kidnaped March 1, 1932 and his body was found in the woods five miles from the Hopewell, New Jersey, home from which he was taken on May 12. On September 19, 1934, traced by a ransom bill, Hauptmann was caught in New York and on February 13, 1935, a jury declared him guilty and assessed his penalty as death in the electric chair. Despite many delays and a determined fight in his behalf by Governor Harold G. Hoffman, chief executive of New Jersey, the last chance to escape the chair disappeared Monday when the New Jersey Court of Pardons refused to grant him clemency. He will go to the chair some time after eight o'clock tonight.

Million, 4 Years Time is Spent in Hauptmann Case

By HARRY FERGUSON United Press Staff Correspondent FLEMINGTON, N. J. (AP)—It took \$1,200,000 and more than two years of grinding work by police and federal agents to bring Bruno Richard Hauptmann to trial in Hunterdon County Courthouse on Jan. 2, 1935. At 9:45 a. m. on that day Hauptmann was led in from the jail by Lieut. Allan Smith of the New Jersey State Police and Deputy Sheriff Hovey Low of Hunterdon County. The prisoner was seated in a folding chair, with a guard on each side of him. He had on a brown suit, blue necktie and brown shoes, but that wasn't what everybody noticed first. Hauptmann had changed the way he combed his hair—it was parted on the left side instead of the right in an attempt to plant doubt in the minds of witnesses who would be called upon to identify him. "Your honor," said Egbert Rosecrans, defense counsel, "I move the admission to the New Jersey bar of Mr. Edward J. Reilly of Brooklyn, N. Y." Reilly stood up—Reilly who had won acquittals in 1,000 homicide cases—a heavy, ruddy man in striped trousers and morning coat. "We are glad to have you with us, Mr. Reilly," said Justice Thomas W. Trenchard. The nation's most sensational murder trial was on. It took a day and a half to get a jury of four women and eight men. Attorney General David T. Wilentz had never prosecuted a criminal case until he found himself in the hot courtroom at Flemington where the heat of so many human beings packed into so small a space raised the temperature from 68 to 83 in three hours. He laid his lines carefully; minor witnesses established the fact that the crime was committed in Hunterdon County, and then Wilentz walked half-way across the courtroom and said: "Mrs. Lindbergh, will you take the stand?" Mrs. Lindbergh Dressed in Black She had on a little black hat that tilted down over her nose and a black coat and dress. There was no rouge on her face and she seemed lost in the big oak witness chair. Wilentz carried over to Mrs. Lindbergh a scrap of cloth and asked her if that was part of the shirt her son was wearing the night he was kidnaped. "Yes, that's the shirt," she said, gulping back her grief. "Your witness," said Wilentz. Reilly bowed to Mrs. Lindbergh and the court. "Mrs. Lindbergh's grief needs no cross-examination," said Reilly. Colonel Next Witness Lindbergh was next. He had been in court all the time, sitting about eight feet from Hauptmann behind the prosecution table. He contributed two pieces of testimony. He said he heard a crash on the night of the kidnaping—

TRENTON, March 31. (AP)—The iron nerve of Bruno Richard Hauptmann snapped today—only a few hours before his execution. He "broke down, weeping freely." Sobbing in German he cried "I am innocent, but I am not afraid to die."

"Any change in my story would be a lie," the weeping prisoner told Warden Mark Kimberling, who prepared the death cell a few feet away to receive the victim at eight o'clock tonight.

ATTEMPTED COUP AT LAREDO FAILS, 1 DEAD, 4 INJURED

City Under Military Control After Fight

LAREDO, Mar. 31. (AP)—An attempt to seize control of Nuevo Laredo on the city hall but were surprised by a gun fight in which one man was killed and four wounded. A group attempting a coup marched on police hall but were surprised by police who opened fire. Mayor Herrera put the city under military rule immediately. The outbreak was attributed to a political feud.

MIDLAND DEBATE TEAMS VICTORS

Boys and Girls Win Over Big Spring Students Monday

Midland debating teams, carried off the honors of the day when both the boys' and the girls' teams of Midland High School met two boys' debating teams of Big Spring High School at Big Spring Monday afternoon in a practice debate on the present interscholastic League question, "Resolved, That the Federal government should control the production of cotton." The local decision by the judges while the girls' received a unanimous decision. Midland boys debated the affirmative side of the question while the Midland girls upheld the negative side. Teams from both schools offered excellent arguments at the debate, materially by the encounter, hearers said. Accompanying the team to Big Spring were their coach, Miss Jessie B. Cummings, Mrs. H. R. Sindorf, Jack Walton and Robert Payne.

MRS. PHILLIPS WILL BE SPEAKER

Colored School Children To Appear on Health Program

Mrs. H. N. Phillips, acting chairman of Health Board, work among negroes, will speak at the Board's weekly program to be broadcast over station KRLL Wednesday morning from 10 o'clock until 10:15. She will give a brief review of work among negroes and Mexicans since organization of the Midland County Public Health Board. Three musical selections will be presented by eight colored school children trained by Henrietta Curtis. The songs will be "One Day As I Was Walking," "He Never Has Left Me Alone," and "Couldn't Hear Nobody Pray." The singers, a boys' quartet and a girls' quartet, will be: Jamell Cobbs, Ella Mae Taylor, Dorothy Taylor, Lila Ray, William Simmons, Clayton Ray, Charles Norris, and A. B. Norris. Father Edw. P. Harrison will serve as announcer for the program.

Miss Golladay Is Leader on Campus

Miss Bettie Ruth Golladay of Midland, was among the highest ranking students in Sul Ross College for the first semester of the 1935-1936 long term. Miss Golladay is president of the International Relations club, book-keeper for the college annual, The Brand, is a member of the Satchel Literary society, and also a member of the dramatic organization, "Mask and Slipper." She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Golladay.

BACK FROM BIG SPRING

Mrs. Eben Holman of the Cotton Flat community returned Monday from a Big Spring hospital where she underwent an operation several days ago. She was reported doing well this morning.

LAST DAY LICENSES MAY BE PURCHASED

Drivers Will Be Subject To Fines If Caught Without Tags

Today is the last day for driving motor vehicles without drivers' licenses and 1936 registration tags without violating current Texas laws. After midnight tonight drivers of cars not bearing the new plates may be fined and given a 20 per cent penalty on the price if the machine is driven April 1 or later, according to current laws of the state. The highway patrol is preparing to strictly enforce the drivers' license, after midnight.

GONDAR FALLS TO ITALIAN TROOPS

Important City on Lake Tana Surrenders to Army of Il Duce

GONDAR, Ethiopia, March 31. (AP)—This strategic city at the head of Lake Tana today fell into the hands of the Italians. The movement is considered the most important in the war thus far, since Lake Tana, supplying water for Anglo-Egyptian Sudan and Egypt is of vital British interest. The average whale, in a period of two years, travels a distance equal to that round the world.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



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BEHIND THE SCENES
—IN—
WASHINGTON
By RODNEY DUTCHER
Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, March 31.—A new group of hitherto concealed brain trusters has been pulled out of the bushes by the president himself, to compose the committee which will make a survey of the government for him, with a view to reorganization. Nobody will ever know exactly how much influence Louis Brownlow, chairman, had on the New Deal. But members and proteges of the Brownlow group have come into government ranks in considerable numbers.

Just as Dr. Felix Frankfurter of Harvard was called on to recommend lawyers and Dr. Tugwell brought in numerous economists, Brownlow often has been asked to recommend men for the New Deal's administrative and executive jobs. A lot of political policies, he and his lieutenants have drafted administrative set-ups for various agencies.

The aid he has given and now is expected to give in the reorganization study is especially interesting because behind Brownlow are the Rockefeller and their millions. He is director of the Public Administration Clearing House of Chicago, which heads up 15 national associations of public officials and of others interested in the science of government—all heavily subsidized by Rockefeller money except the U. S. conference of mayors, which supports itself.

There's a loose tie-up with the University of Chicago, which is furnishing land for a building to house the affiliated groups. The secretaries of those groups and Brownlow are often referred to as "Brownie and his boys."

"Brownie" and various of "his boys" helped organize the administrative set-ups of FERA, AAA, CWA, WPA, PWA, and TVA, avoiding contact with political policies and staying in the background. Roosevelt called Brownlow in months ago to discuss government reorganization.

Chickoogan is especially intimate with Secretary Ickes and Harry Hopkins. Once a newspaperman in Washington, he was appointed a District of Columbia commissioner by President Wilson and was city manager of Petersburg, Va., and Knoxville, Tenn., before he began his present work.

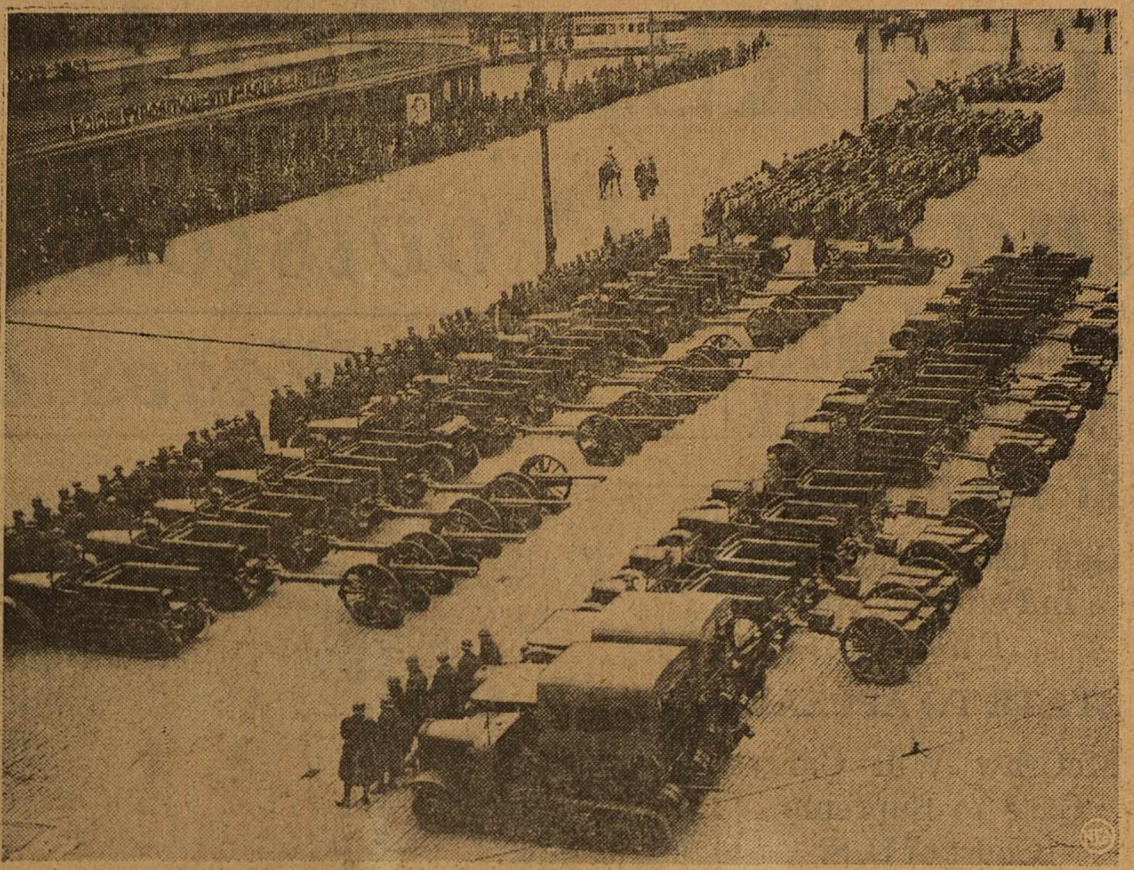
Has Two Noted Aides The other two members of the reorganization committee are Brownlow's close associates, Charles E. Merriam—boss professor of political science at Chicago University and the man who makes the National Resources Board, with its national surveys and national planning go round—and Luther H. Gulick, director of the Institute of Public Administration and a member of Brownlow's board.



Any other man would pad that enough to take care of his wife's expenses, and not make the boss think he was such a small timer.

"War Won't Come!" Is Terrified Hope Of Franco-German Frontier Dwellers

By MORRIS GILBERT
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
STRASSBURG, Alsace, March 31.—"My father," said the taxi-driver, was a French soldier in the war of 1870. I was a German soldier in the World War. My son is a French soldier today."
That, in three sentences, is the tragic story of Strassburg, ancient citadel by the Rhine, doomed since Roman times to be the battlefield of Latin vs. German.



Infantry and field artillery of the Strassburg Garrison draw up for the inspection by General Gamelin, commander-in-chief of the French army.

Two miles from Strassburg's gates, the great frontier river speeds its lusty current through the Alsatian plain. Only the hatred and mistrust of governments makes the Rhine, here, a boundary. There is nothing "natural" about it. The same flat land extends on either side, dotted with the same kind of villages. The villages are composed of the same kind of Grimm's fairy-tale cottages of beam and plaster, gayly painted. Similarly, of blood and custom with its official enemies across the river makes Strassburg a sad town, and troubles the character of its population. Not that Strassburgers aren't loyal to France. It is calculated here that only 5 per cent of the population is pro-Hitler. For the other 95 per cent, Nazifism is a thing of terror. But, speaking German as well as French, having belonged only eighteen years ago to Germany, and casting back in their racial memory to the days before Louis XIV when Strassburg was a "free" German city, the Strassburgers' hearts are divided. So much that was German used to be congenial to them that they can see both sides of the Franco-German political conflict with fatal clarity.

"I listened to Hitler on the radio last night," a Strassburger told this correspondent. Like the taxi-driver, he had been a German soldier, his son a French one. His name was German and he spoke French with a German accent. "I hat what he stands for, but must admire him. Make no mistake. Hitler is an ace." This from a loyal Frenchman.

Strassburgers Whistle Against War Menace "War won't come. It can't," they say in Strassburg. Whatever the real possibilities may be, it looks as if here, this town that has a terrified wish for its father, because Strassburg, in war, might easily be doomed. One hears that the city would be destroyed in the first hours of fighting.

Strassburg is the frontier. The bridge to Kehl across the Rhine is two miles off. Barracks, built in 1931, are lined up close to the river. A reinforced cement blockhouse guards the bridgehead on the French side, its machine-gun capable of sweeping the bridge. Other blockhouses defend the railroad bridge close at hand. Balls of barbed wire stand ready for placing. An extra machine-gun on two on the riverbank casually sticks its nose out of a sack of grain. There are guards at the gates of factories which line the "Little Rhine," the canalized backwater of the big river on the French side. The barge port by the river, where canalboats can float to the North Sea or the Mediterranean, via the Rhone-Rhine Canal, bristles with defense.

None of these precautions, it appears, could save the busy town from shelling should an enemy decide to do so.

Villagers Have New Diversion
Along the Rhine on a Sunday afternoon, the strolling burghers of Alsace have two attractions to divert them. One is soccer football. The other is the celebrated Maginot Line. Village football draws the biggest crowds, but there are hundreds of citizens promulgating among the mysterious and menacing outposts of reinforced concrete which sprout unexpectedly from peaceful fields and wood clumps.

The army is on guard here in that nonchalant and apparently shiftless way which is the French "polite" tradition. A "troupe" which is rather better slang than "police" leans against a blockhouse with camouflage dome atop, his rifle at his side.

Elsewhere, in quieter spots, the blockhouses seem unguarded. A peasant woman fishes serenely in a marshy stream. A glint of steel blue in a patch of woodland down the road becomes, on approach, the glitter of acres of new barbed wire, cunningly strung through the young growth of trees. These patches have sprung up overnight.

A stone's-throw away, the roaring current of the Rhine which is in flood these March days seethes past. A permanent pontoon bridge has been disconnected on the French side. At the disjointed bridgehead stands a pile of fag-gots four feet high, six feet across. It is a little too regular, until one notes the wasplike metal tube which emerges from a small square loophole, a foot above the ground.

Across the Rhine Offenburg, a quiet town in the hitherto demilitarized Rhineland zone, was the closest any German troops approached the French border opposite Strassburg. A good highway winds across the Rhine-land plain to the Kehl bridge, and there are plenty of by-roads, so the distance of eleven miles, militarily speaking, is not great. However, the German soldiers are out of sight of blithely French eyes, even if much in the public sight at Offenburg.

Not more than 600 troops occupied this outpost of the German advances into Germany. Their arrival had been greeted with banners. The Nazis hooked-cross flag dangled itself from several hundred windows along Adolph Hitler Strasse where it debouches into Offenburg's principal square.

If there was tension across the Rhine, there was none there. Apart from the posters demanding subscriptions for the Winter relief, and the usual Nazi banners, there was no excitement.

In fact, it seemed possible here that the report is true that Hitler dispatched his troops to this region not only to make an end of treaty inequalities but also to help his local police and private warriors in the coming German elections.

Helen Jepson to Be On Ford Sunday Hr. Helen Jepson, glamorous soprano of the Metropolitan Opera and acclaimed by critics as the "find" of the year, will be guest artist with the Ford symphony orchestra and chorus, under the direction of Victor Kolar on Palm Sunday, April 5. The program will be broadcast from 9 to 10 p. m. EST, over the entire coast-to-coast CBS network.

Miss Jepson was born in Pennsylvania and reared in Akron, Ohio. From childhood she possessed an intense desire for vocal expression and her voice attracted attention while at high school. After graduation, still fascinated by music, she set out to secure the first job she could get in order to carry on her study. This was in a music store where she sold records of artists she admired. Soon thereafter she applied for and won a scholarship at the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia. In 1928 she made her operatic debut with the Philadelphia Civic Opera and in 1930 she scored with the Philadelphia Grand Opera Company. Not long after, Gatti-Casazza heard her on a radio broadcast and offered her a Metropolitan Opera contract.

The orchestra and chorus presenting "The Heavens Are Telling" from "Die Walkure" and "Musetta's Waltz" from "La Boheme" both by Puccini. Wagner's "Good Friday Spell" from "Parsifal" by the orchestra will close the first portion of the program.

The orchestra will open the second half with "The Bamboula" by Coleridge-Taylor. Miss Jepson's second group including "The Night Has a Thousand Eyes" by Hageman, and "Love's Own Sweet Song" from Kalmen's "Sari", will be followed by a dance number from "L'Arlésienne" Suite No. 1, by Bizet, by the orchestra. The program will be closed with Miss Jepson, accompanied by orchestra and chorus, singing "The Inflammatus" from "Stabat Mater" by Rossini.

Another short talk on current affairs will be presented during the intermission by W. J. Cameron, of the Ford Motor company.

High Water is Blessing YAKIMA, Wash. (UP)—Flood water usually is a menace, but Mrs. Bessie George is thankful for high water. When her house near here caught fire, 20 farmers formed a bucket brigade and extinguished the blaze, using the water from a swollen irrigation ditch. The ditch is usually dry at this season.

Next: What great English philosopher is honored on a Newfoundland stamp?

The Prophet

By I. S. Klein
MONEY THAT GREW ON A VINE
THE new Negro Republic of Haiti was formed in 1804 and the constitution ratified in 1807. Henry Christophe became president, and his first problem was how to raise money. He looked about him for a solution, then he saw it—growing on a vine! It was the gourd, which grew profusely in Haiti and which the natives used for utensils, bowls, spoons, and bottles. Christophe ordered the entire gourd crop of Haiti confiscated. Soon he had more than 200,000 in his "treasury." He put a value of 20 sons on each. Then he bought up the coffee crop with the gourds that were needed so badly by the peasants, and resold the coffee to European merchants for gold. Since then the gourd has become the standard of Haitian currency. It is used generally for domestic postage, as on the stamp shown here, while the centime and piastre is the basis of foreign postage.



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The Town Quack

(Reserve the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.)
wears his corduroys and boots, he walks into the postoffice only to have some squirt like Clint Lackey yell: "Tippie."
Jess Rodgers, the city editor who got his breeches sag in the rear and won't even use the energy it takes to pull 'em up. And if you ever catch him with his tie on and his collar buttoned, tell him about it so he can correct the condition. I know he wouldn't want to be a sissy.
And you take Gardner, the oil editor. He wears tweeds and brogues like a student at Oxford, or some other type of Englishman. If he started by a stove and didn't run into it, some of us would think he wasn't sober. And wait till you hear him answer the phone. When he hollers "Hello," you'll be turned stone deaf, even if you are able to hold on to the line.
We realize we are a bunch of rough necks, but somebody has to use these types of people. A newspaper almost anywhere has a flock of them. It would be nice if we had some of those collar-ad boys working for us, but we just can't afford to have them around showing us up.

Charley McClintic played a sound truck on Main street Saturday and some citizen wanted to arrest him for being a nuisance. Charley says he has got by for over thirty years, so why arrest him now for being a nuisance. He said it was the first time he had disturbed the peace since he ran the horse race on Main street in 1904. Bob Beverly hailed him before the J-P and it cost him \$12.40.

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Society and Clubs

Spring Brings Yen for Salad On Menus; Varied Recipes Are Given

BY MARY E. DAGUE
NEA Service Staff Writer

The salads that come in the spring, trala-la, are my favorites of the year—crisp and green and tender and tempting at a time when I feel as if every day is blue Monday.

Stuffed pepper salad is unusual and quite inexpensive. If you serve a hot soup for the first course, the salad will do as the main dish for family luncheon, too.

Stuffed Pepper Salad

One cup cottage cheese, 4 tablespoons thinly sliced new green onions, 1 cup stoned and sliced steamed prunes, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 2 large sweet green peppers.

Remove tops from peppers and take out seeds and pith. Drop into boiling water and boil three minutes. Drain and cool. Cut in slices one inch thick. Combine cottage cheese with onion prunes salt and pepper. Place pepper ring on a bed of lettuce and fill each ring with cheese mixture. Use about three rings for each salad plate and put spoonful of mayonnaise in the center. Garnish with paper-thin slices of radish and a dash of paprika.

Macaroni salad is a good substitute for potato salad. Serve it after hot tomato bouillon and before a

fruit dessert.

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST: Grape juice, cereal, cream, scrambled eggs with sautéed, rye toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Noodle soup hearts of celery, rhubarb float milk, tea.
DINNER: Broiled fish steaks, shoestring potatoes, creamed radishes, stuffed beet salad, rye bread shredded pineapple, chocolate cake milk, coffee.

Macaroni Salad

One cup macaroni, 1 cup sliced celery, 1 tablespoon minced onions, 4 tablespoons chopped green pepper, 2 hard cooked eggs, canned red pepper, salad dressing, lettuce.

Cook macaroni in boiling salted water. Drain and blanch. Chill. Add onion and mix thoroughly. Add celery and green pepper and enough salad dressing to make quite moist. Arrange on a bed of lettuce and garnish with strips of pimento and slices of hard cooked eggs.

This salad dressing is made with oil and is excellent with all vegetable salads.

Salad Dressing

Three eggs, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1

FEMININE FANCIES

BY KATHLEEN EILAND

Big Spring has chosen the purple petunia for its official flower and the lantana for its shrub.

Good for Big Spring! We'd like to see Midland come out with a special flower, too.

Somebody has figured that a waiter walks four miles a day at his tasks. Ask any newspaper reporter if he can't better that record and think nothing of it.

Another thing we could do without: Finding sports editors and oil editors trying to write additional paragraphs for this column. Sometimes we'd include them but for our tenderheartedness that makes us realize how embarrassed they would be to see their attempts in print.

Now sports editors and oil editors are all very well and we heartily applaud their stories in their own lines. But when it comes to writing something for women, they remind us of that old saying that women are "not to be understood" by men.

The sedate and up-on-a-pedestal Christian Science Monitor, which is

teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon mustard, 1-8 teaspoon pepper, 1-2 cup oil, 1-2 cup vinegar.

Stuffed Beet Salad

Four good size cooked beets, 12 pimento stuffed olives, 1 package cream cheese, 2 cups shredded cabbage, 1-2 teaspoon celery seed, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 4 tablespoon oil, 1 teaspoon sugar, 1-2 teaspoon salt, few grains pepper.

Scoop out inside of beets to form cups. Let stand in French dressing for an hour or longer. Chop olives and combine with cream cheese. Fill beets with mixture. Season cabbage with sugar, salt, celery seed and pepper. Toss lightly with a fork and add lemon juice. Mix well and beat in oil. Serve stuffed beets on bed of cabbage and pass extra French dressing.

Plain brown bread and butter sandwiches and rye bread and butter sandwiches are perfect to serve with any of these salads.

Women of First Christian Church Are Hosts to Missionary Societies of Town

The women's organization of the First Christian church was host to other missionary societies of the town at the regular Fifth Monday meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

A crowd that practically filled the church heard the program which was featured by a 30-minute talk on "The Life of Kagawa" given by Mrs. Chas. Klapproth.

Mrs. Klapproth, who was among Midland citizens who heard the famous Japanese Christian speak at Lubbock last winter, correlated the material from three volumes into a definite story of the man who is one of the world's greatest social and religious leaders.

The program was opened with a piano prelude by Mrs. Frank Miller, followed by a welcome by Mrs. J. E. Pickering wife of the pastor

of the host church, an invocation by Mrs. Edd Erikson, and a congregational hymn, and a devotional by Mrs. Lee Corpeilus.

Mrs. Geo. Bennett sang a solo and Mrs. A. O. Thomas presented an appropriate reading, Patsy Lou Arrington also sang.

As a reward for the largest representation from any church present, a book, "Kagawa the Man" by William Axling, was presented to the Baptist WMU. Mrs. Winston F. Borum accepted the book on behalf of the society.

A social hour during which refreshments were served followed the program.

Vases of carnations, hyacinths, and stock decorated the church with special attention focussing on a tall blue vase filled with stately columns of rose-hued stocks.

YWA Members Have Study Program

Members of the Baptist YWA met at the church Monday evening and presented a study program dealing with the life of Miss Fannie E. S. Heck. Miss Heck was author of a number of songs, poems, and books. She was one of the leaders in the establishment of WMU work at the beginning of the present century.

Those discussing topics for the evening were Misses Nora Mae Bizzel, Dorothy Hines, Esda Stewart, and Obara Hines.

Other members present were: Miss Marjorie Ward and Miss Louise Farrington.

Mrs. Iris Bounds, counselor, was unable to be present because of illness.

Midland Couple Is Married Quietly In Ceremony at Big Spring Saturday

Miss Sweetie Smith, daughter of Mrs. F. A. Smith, and Mr. Earl Ray, son of Mrs. Virgil Ray and the late Mr. Ray, both of Midland were married quietly in the Methodist church at Big Spring Saturday night.

The bride chose for her wedding a costume of dark blue with black accessories. Her traveling suit was of beige sharkskin trimmed in brown and worn with brown accessories.

The bride and groom are well-known in Midland where they were both reared and graduated from the

High School.

Mrs. Ray attended Hardin-Simmons university at Abilene and later was a student in the University of Texas. She is now teaching her third term at the Stephenson school in Midland county.

Mr. Ray was a letter man in High School football. Later he attended Southern Methodist university at Dallas and Texas Technological college at Lubbock. He now operates a ranch southeast of Midland and is engaged in the cattle commission business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray will make their home on the ranch.

Ten Members of Class Present

Ten members of the Belmont Bible class attended the regular meeting of the class with Mrs. H. H. Nicholson, 505 W. Tennessee, Friday afternoon. They were: Misses J. B. Crawford, C. E. Nolan, A. W. Lester, W. G. Attaway, J. M. King, C. E. Strawn, W. L. Fickett, Jimmie Gee, the hostess, and Miss Annie Lee King.

Mrs. J. M. King taught the les-

Mrs. Alexander Has Strawberry Garden

Mrs. E. L. Alexander, a home food supply cooperater of the North Midland home demonstration club has a strawberry garden containing 2000 plants.

This garden is located near the

water tank from which the plants are irrigated.

The Mastodon, an everbearing variety, was chosen and the plants were transplanted during the first of March. The earlier in the spring that the plants are set, the larger the crop that will be produced. Early setting also gives opportunity for development of a better root system before fruiting.

Mrs. Alexander has planted as companion crops beets, radishes, onion seeds, and also sets and lettuce.

FOR A LITTLE BOY

By Helen Welshimer

WHAT can I give to a good little boy?
I haven't a pony or cart.
Or a hoop like a moon and a thin golden spoon...
None of these, child of my heart!

I DO know a very tall hill we can climb
With a perfectly wonderful view.
Where drift of tall towers is seen in the clouds.
Please, honey-child, will that do?

I'LL show you the way that the sun shadows lay
In Rugs on the green fields in spring;
I know which tree is a good wishing tree,
And the spot for a new fairy ring.

I'VE learned all the tales of knights with red plumes,
Who went on crusades and why.
I have discovered, and I'll share with you,
The reason that elves don't die.

I'VE seen I can't give you a pony and cart,
A coat that the king's tailor spun;
A three-cornered hat—not a present like that...
But, darling, I think we'd have fun!

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Announcements

Wednesday

The Wednesday club will be host to other study clubs of the town at a Centennial tea in the museum at the courthouse Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Thursday

The Friendly Builders class of the Methodist church will have a party at the home of Mrs. Rea Sindorf, 801 North D street, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Friday

The women's Golf association will hold its weekly luncheon at the Country club Friday with Mrs. J. D. Finley and Mrs. W. R. Bowden as hostesses.

Saturday

Chaparral troop, Girl Scouts, will meet at the home of Mrs. L. G. Lewis, 714 W. Kansas, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Each girl is asked to read for some requirement to be passed.

The story hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning from 10 o'clock until 11, under direction of Mrs. J. R. Astley.

Police Discard Puttees

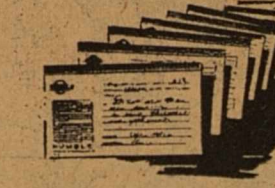
TOLEDO. (U.P.)—Toledo police think their new chief, Ray Allen, is "tops". He has recommended to City Manager John N. Eddy that their cumbersome black puttees and breeches be replaced by comfortable straight-leg trousers.

INDIGESTION—GET QUICK RELIEF

Millions of men and women are suffering from disturbances of their digestive systems, due to acidity, and this is often the real cause of ill health, tired-out, run-down feeling, loss of "pep" and zest for living. If you are suffering from indigestion, atonic dyspepsia, sour stomach, gas pains, "raw stomach," inflammation of the intestines (enteritis), gastric acidity and sick headaches, you can't afford to ignore these warning signs. Take Gasa Tablets, the Doctor's Prescription, which are intended to soothe the raw, inflamed lining of the "acid stomach," and to help convert the starchy foods into dextrose. Because of this remarkable success in many cases of acidity and digestive troubles resulting from acid conditions, Gasa Tablets are offered to sufferers under a guarantee that the first bottle must produce results or money back. On sale at

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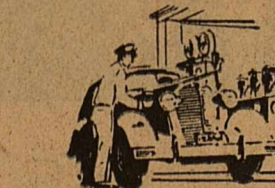
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SEVEN COUNTIES SHARE IN 34 NEW WELL LOCATIONS

Heavy Drilling Is Likely to Stay At Constant

By FRANK GARDNER
Thirty-four new well locations distributed over seven West Texas counties last week indicate that the increased volume in drilling will remain at a constant for some time. Upton county led in the number of first reports with nine, followed by Ward and Winkler with five apiece, Crane, Ector and Howard with four each and Pecos with three.

The new locations are as follows:
Crane County
Gulf No. 5 Henderson, 440 feet from the south and 1,210 feet from the east line of section 3, block B-23, public school land.
Gulf No. 133 McElroy, 1,707 feet from the south and 2,233 feet from the west line of section 200, block F, C.C.S.D. & R.G.N.G. survey.
Gulf No. 2 W. N. Waddell and others, 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 18, block B-21, public school land.
Humble No. 2 J. B. Tubb, 1,980 feet from the north and west lines

of section 11, block B-27, public school land.
Ector County
Gulf No. 9-A University, 330 feet from the south and 2,160 feet from the west line of the north half of the south half of section 2, block 35, University survey.
Stanolind No. 29 J. M. Cowden, 440 feet from the south and 2,200 feet from the east line of section 35, block 43, township 1 north, T. & P. survey.
Stanolind No. 30 J. M. Cowden, 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 35, block 43, township 1 north, T. & P. survey.
Stanolind No. 31 J. M. Cowden, 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of section 27, block 43, township 1 north, T. & P. survey.
Howard County
Sinclair-Prairie No. 38 Dodge, 2-310 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east line of section 3, block 30, township 1 south, T. & P. survey.
Sinclair-Prairie No. 39 Dodge, 2-310 feet from the south and 930 feet from the east line of section 3, block 30, township 1 south, T. & P. survey.
Sinclair-Prairie No. 40 Dodge, 2-310 feet from the south and 1,650 feet from the east line of section 3, block 30, township 1 south, T. & P. survey.
W. E. Production Co. No. 1-E J. A. Scriener, 390 feet from the south and east lines of section 12, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. survey.
Pecos County
Cardinal No. 37-E Tippet, section 40, block 194, G.C. & S.F. survey,

150 feet from the north and 383 feet from the west line of lease.
Marathon No. 10-G Yates, section 34 1/2, 860 feet south and 1,360 feet west of the southwest corner of Tyler survey.
Stanley Thompson No. 1 Elsinore Cattle Co., 3,978 feet from the north and 1,203 feet from the east line of section 53, block D, G.C. & S.F. survey.
Upton County
Brewer and Smith No. 1 Cordova Union, 2,310 feet from the north and west lines of section 19, block 1, M. K. & T. survey.
Choate and McCamey No. 1 Cordova-Union, 990 feet from the north and 1,650 feet from the east line of section 2, G.C. & S.F. survey.
Cordova-Union Oil Co. No. 1 Fee, 2,460 feet from the south and 2,280 feet from the west line of section 34, block 1, M. K. & T. survey.
Ellis No. 3-A Robbins, 2,310 feet from the south and west lines of

section 4, G.C. & S.F. survey.
Eppenaer Drilling Co. No. 1 Perry, 2,310 feet from the south and 2,970 feet from the east line of section 3, block 3, G.C. & S.F. survey.
Hope Petroleum Co. No. 4 Lane, 1,650 feet from the north and 2,310 feet from the west line of section 36, block 1, M. K. & T. survey.
J. E. Lucas No. 1 Cordova-Union, 2,310 feet from the south and 330 feet from the west line of section 2, G.C. & S.F. survey.
J. E. Lucas No. 1 Cordova-Union, 330 feet from the north and west line of section 21, block 1, M. K. & T. survey.
J. S. Pittman and others No. 1 Lane, 990 feet from the south and east lines of section 32, block 1, M. K. & T. survey.
Ward County
Eppenaer No. 5-A Combes, approximately 2,310 feet from the northeast and 330 feet from the

northwest line of J. W. Hollingsworth survey No. 4, 660 feet southwest of the No. 4-A.
Pat Hill and others No. 3 Clements, 990 feet from the northwest and southeast lines of section 24, block 5, H. & T.C. survey.
Lydecker and others No. 2-B Archenhold, 990 feet from the northeast and 1,650 feet from the southeast line of section 23, block 5, H. & T.C. survey.
Sid Richardson No. 1 Hathaway, 330 feet from the northeast and 2,310 feet from the southeast line of section 37, block 34, H. & T.C. survey.
T. P. Coal and Oil Co. No. 13 James, 2,310 feet from the northwest and 330 feet from the southwest line of section 5, block 34, H. & T.C. survey.
Winkler County
Atlantic No. 5-J Hendricks, 2,310 feet from the north and 1,650 feet from the east line of section 14,

block 26, public school land.
R. H. Henderson No. 2-B Walton, 330 feet from the north and west lines of section 10, block 26, public school land.
Humble No. 2-D Walton, 990 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east line of section 20, block 74, public school land.
Illinois Oil Co. No. 1 Scarborough, 1,650 feet from the north and 2,345 feet from the east line of section 2, block 77, public school land.
Tidewater No. 1 Walton, 330 feet from the south and 2,310 feet from the west line of section 24, block 26, public school land.

The Sports Horn

By JESS RODGERS

Midland golfers will open play in the Sand Belt league at Stanton next Sunday, according to J. J. Birkingsley of Colorado, president of the Sand Belt association. Big Spring will open at home against Odessa and Lamesa will start the season against Colorado in the latter city.

The schedule:
April 5
Odessa at Big Spring, Lamesa at Colorado, Midland at Stanton.
April 19
Big Spring at Lamesa, Colorado at Midland, Stanton at Odessa.
May 3
Odessa at Colorado, Lamesa at Midland, Big Spring at Stanton.
May 17
Colorado at Big Spring, Stanton at Lamesa, Midland at Odessa.
June 7
Odessa at Lamesa, Big Spring at Midland, Colorado at Stanton.
June 21
Big Spring at Odessa, Colorado at Lamesa, Stanton at Midland.
August 16
Lamesa at Big Spring, Midland at Colorado, Odessa at Stanton.
July 19
Colorado at Odessa, Midland at Lamesa, Stanton at Big Spring.
August 2
Big Spring at Colorado, Lamesa at Stanton, Odessa at Midland.

DISTRICT LIQUOR CONTROL FORCE AT BIG SPRING

BIG SPRING, Mar. 31.—Big Spring Monday definitely was established as the site of one of the state's district liquor enforcement offices.
An Associated Press dispatch from Austin announced that the state liquor control board was preparing to place a staff of four, including a district supervisor in Big Spring this week.
The announcement said that L. E. Morris of Colorado had been appointed supervisor for this district liquor law enforcement, in which hitherto had been directed from San Angelo and Lubbock, pending establishment of the local office.
The Big Spring staff, along with staffs at Abilene and Beaumont was the last of 17 enforcement district organization placements.
The liquor control board, some time ago authorized the establishment of district offices to assure strict enforcement of the new state liquor laws. Big Spring was included in the initial list of headquarters cities, but opening of the office here was delayed. Local citizens and civic groups recently had contacted state officials in Austin to urge early establishment of the local bureau.

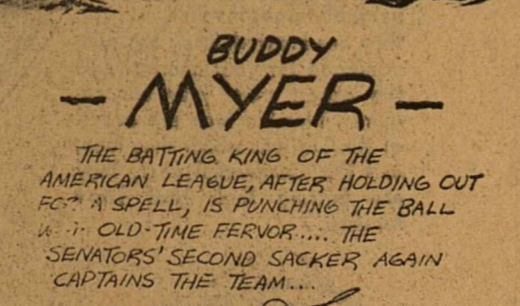
Senators' Socker And Suprise



AT 19 THIS HIGHLY-RATED WASHINGTON SENATORS' ROOKIE IS LIKELY TO WIN A REGULAR JOB AT THIRD BASE. — HE HIT .305 FOR CHATTANOOGA...



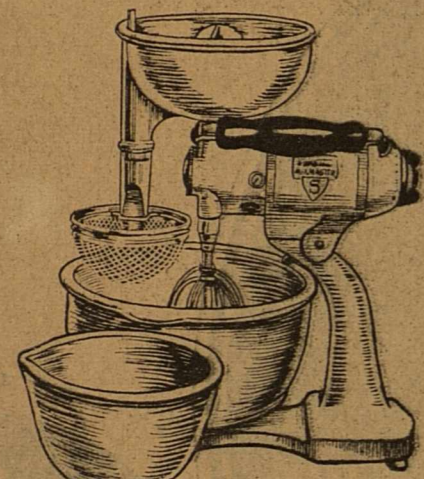
SO THAT'S WHY THEY CALL IT THE OUTFIELD — HIT 'EM TO ME AND YER OUT.
ROBERT ESTALELLA, THE LITTLE CUBAN PEPPERHOT INFIELDER, HIT .314 IN 15 GAMES AT THE FAR END OF THE SEASON AND MAY BE SWITCHED TO THE OUTFIELD...



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Recall Pioneer Days At Cotton Festival

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. —The Texas of pioneer days and of today as well will have special representatives at the court of the king and queen of the Centennial Cotton Festival at Texas A & M College, April 3.

Miss Margaret Houston, great-granddaughter of Sam Houston, commander in chief of the Texas Army at San Jacinto, president of the Republic of Texas and later governor of the state, and Miss Jane Turner, of Longview, will be these special representatives.

Miss Houston, whose home is in Oklahoma but who is now a student at Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville, will represent Sam Houston, her great-grandfather as one of the first chief administrators of the state, while Miss Turner has been designated by Governor James V. Allred as his representative.

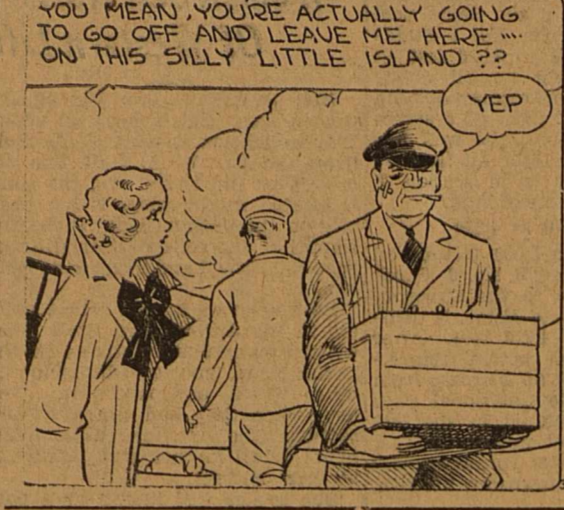
These two young women with their escorts will be accorded special seats of honor on either side of the

throne to be occupied by Miss Nellie Boone, of Fort Worth, as queen, and R. L. Huckabee, of Holland, as king. Miss Margaret Manor, of San Angelo, will be maid of honor to the queen.

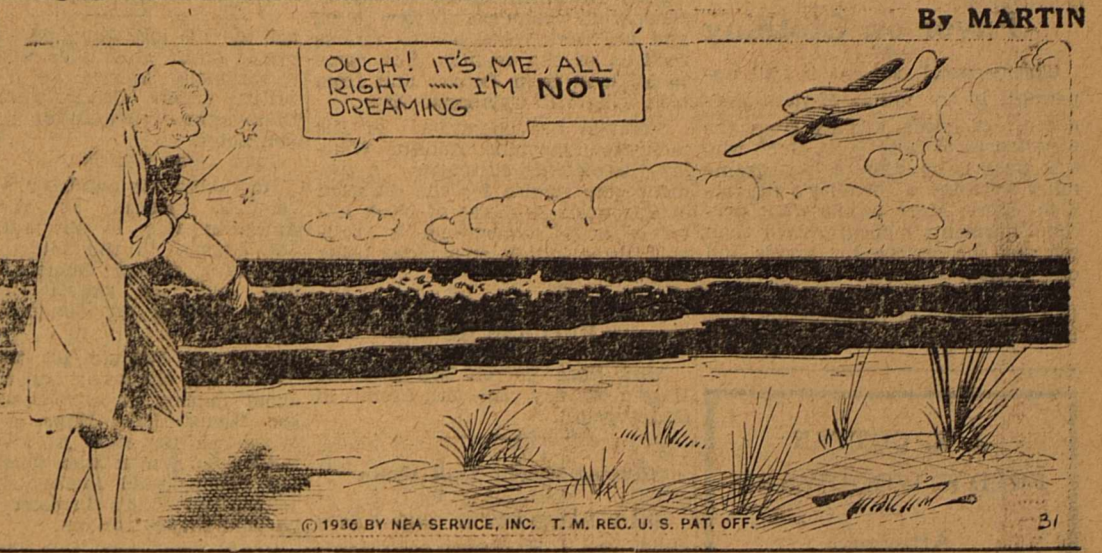
Since the festival will carry out the atmosphere of the Old South in its setting and decorations, the young women from educational institutions, towns and cities and various organizations of the state who will appear in the royal entourage will be known as belles. One hundred or more of these special representatives with their escorts will be included in the court.

Songs of Solomon Unknown SAN JOSE, Cal. (U.P.) — Raymond Wallace failed to win membership in the San Jose State College Pegasus Literary Society after reading parts of the "Songs of Solomon." Members of the society failed to recognize the extracts from the Bible but merely held that the literary qualities were not up to the necessary standard.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

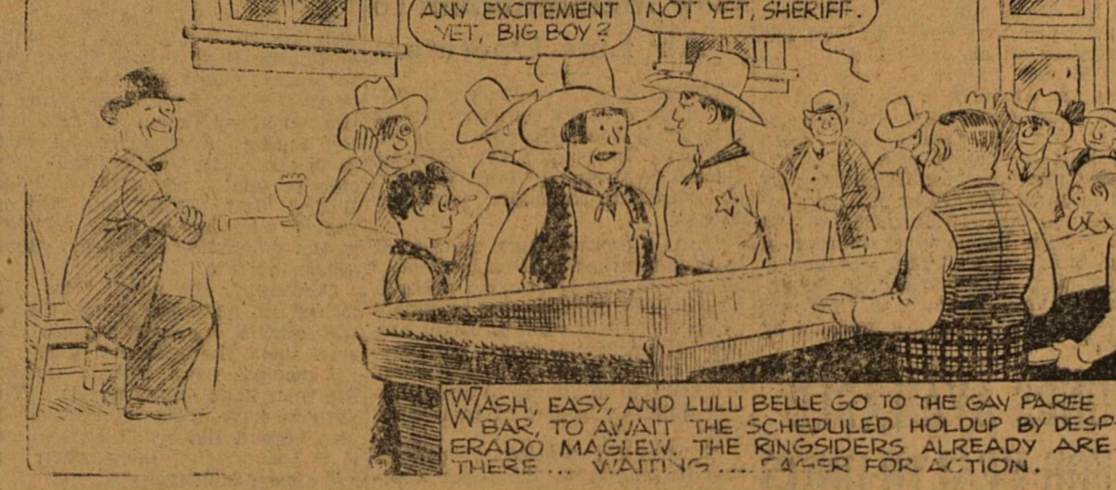


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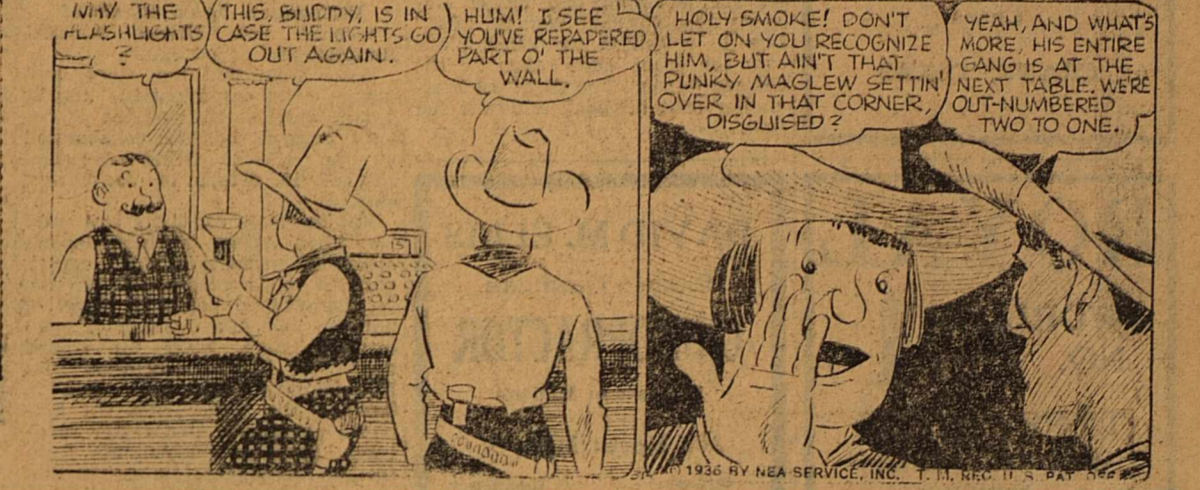


By MARTIN

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Ready for the Fireworks



By CRANE

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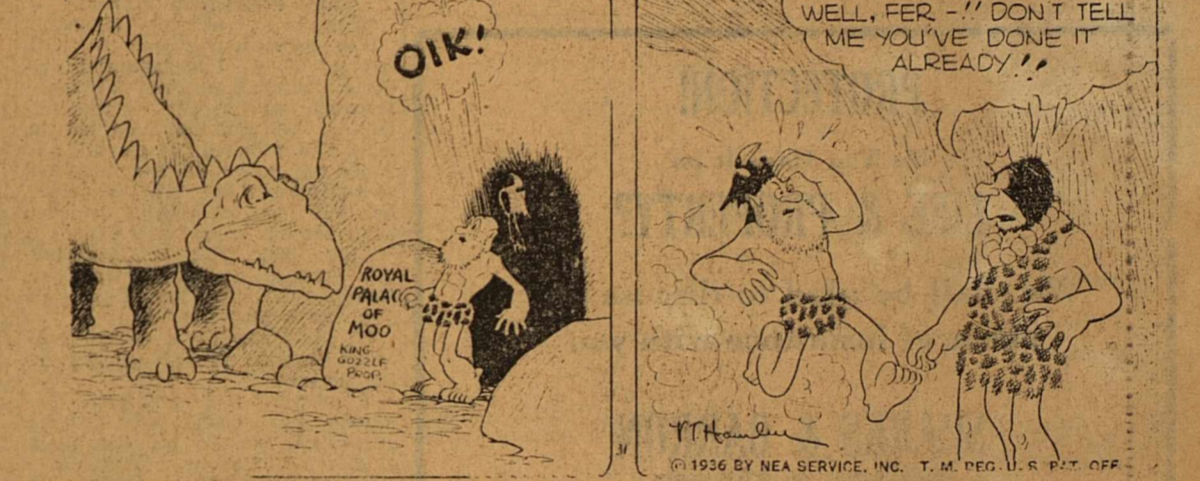
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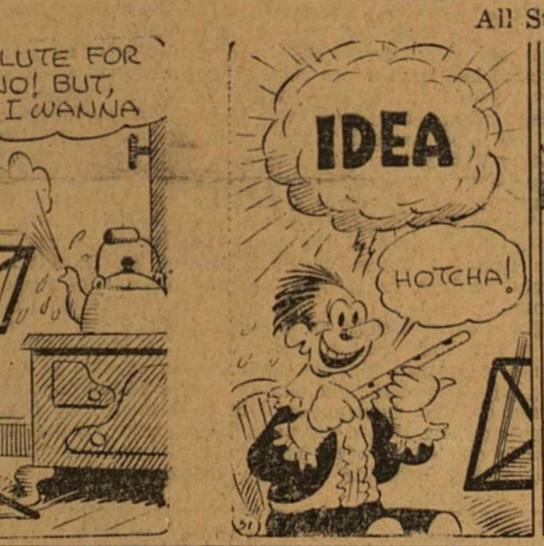
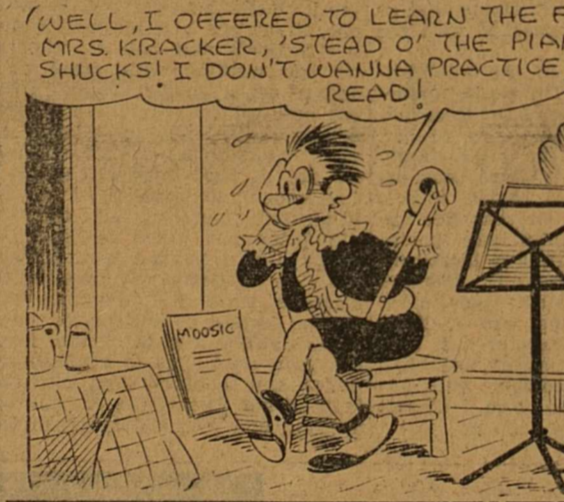


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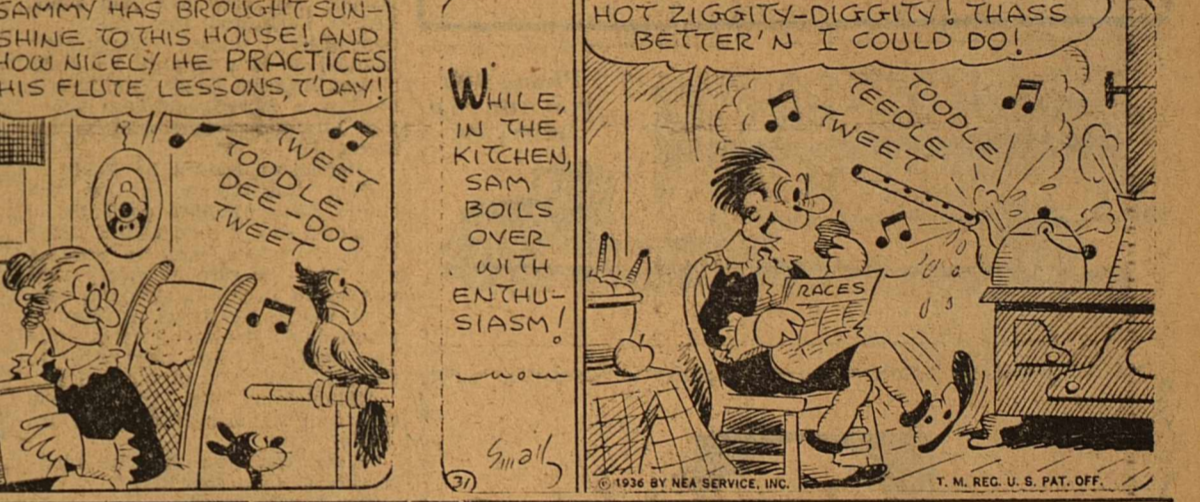


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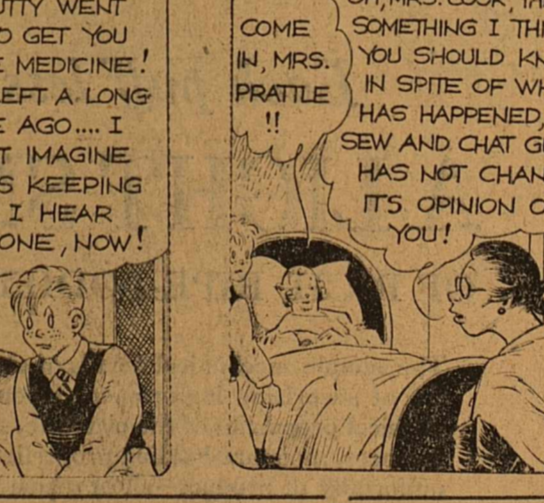
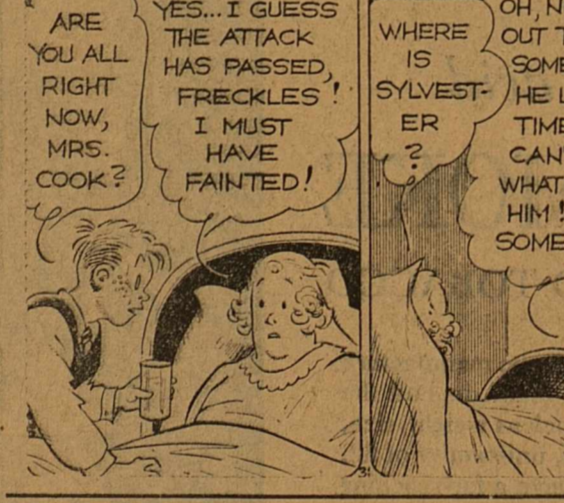


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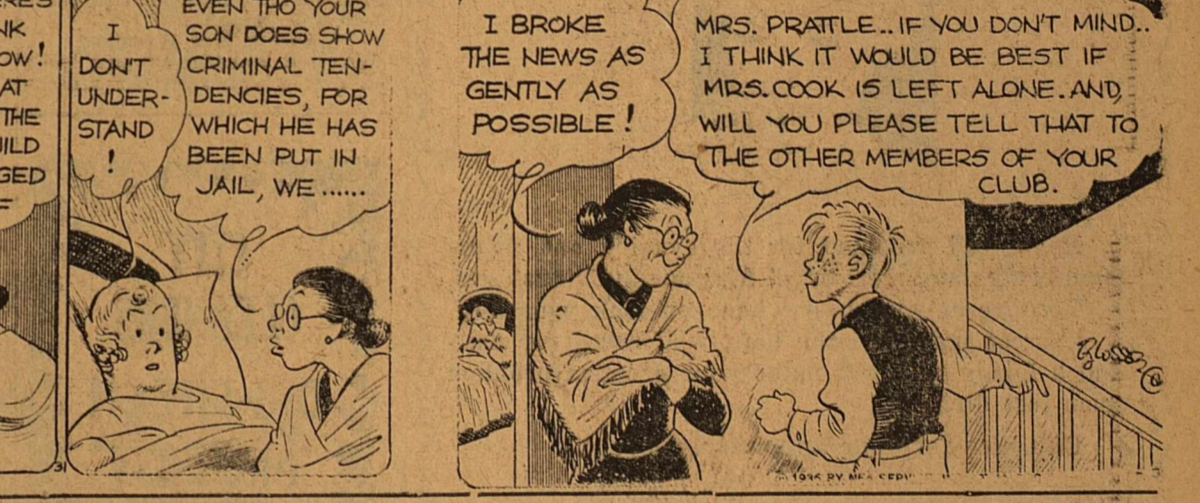


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