

San Antonio Residents Flee Homes

'Heads Fascists'



The White Shirt Crusaders which he heads, are "American Fascists" and advocate violence when and if necessary to achieve their aims, George W. Christians, saluting, above, is said to have admitted. The Crusaders were charged by a Kansas City minister with sending him a threatening letter. The pastor protested to President Roosevelt, declaring he had proof that the Crusaders plotted government overthrow.

FRENCH ARMY WILL BE KEPT AT FULL STRENGTH 2 YEARS

Conscription Terms Will Remain Doubled

PARIS, July 2. (AP)—The French government, bent on keeping its army at top strength in troubled Europe, announced Wednesday it would retain provisions for two-year conscription service.

Edouard Daladier, the minister for national defense, told the army committee of the chamber of deputies any shortening of the length of military service was "out of the question."

Early in 1935 the term of conscription was doubled to span the period when Frenchmen born in the World War's lean years were called to the colors.

Daladier, however, said the army would be "democratized." This was taken as an indication he might try to reduce the bridge of class distinction between officers and men, without endangering discipline.

The senate army committee Wednesday night decided upon a detailed study, to be carried out by French military experts, of potential defense positions along the Swiss border.

DYNAMITE BLAST BLOWS 3 TO BITS

Accidental Discharge Of Dynamite Blamed For Accident

NOWATA, Okla., July 2. (AP)—O. C. Gaines, superintendent of a highway project here, said today that three men had been blown to bits at 9:30 a. m. in an accidental discharge of dynamite at a highway bridge three and one-half miles south of here. He said that the dead were Frank Rountree, foreman; and two unidentified laborers.

Injured Youth Is Brought Back Here

L. E. Cook and wife returned Tuesday from San Angelo, bringing their son, Mack, who was injured ten days ago in a fall from a race horse at Menard. Although suffering from a blood clot at the base of his brain, Mack has been showing signs of improvement steadily, Cook said. He is at the Cook home on the Harry Tolbert farm five miles west of Midland.

The eleven year old boy was riding a two-year old filly in an early morning work-out when the accident occurred. She attempted to break for an opening in the outside rail but was held on the track. She was close to the fence and made a leap to one side, throwing Mack off, his head striking a post. He was rushed to a San Angelo hospital, remaining in care of surgeons there until early this week.

TORNADO KILLS 1, INJURES FIVE IN LOUISIANA TODAY

Six-Year-Old Boy Is Victim As Home Demolished

TWO TOWNS HIT Trio Not Expected To Recover From Effects

ARCHIBALD, La., July 2. (AP)—A tornado which struck here and also at Mangham, Richland parish, today left one dead and five injured, three of them seriously. The tornado lasted five minutes, coming from the southwest and sweeping out to the northwest. Ernest Bradford, six, was killed when the Bradford home was demolished by the storm. An infant in the Bradford family was seriously injured.

OFFICERS FOLLOW COLD TRAIL AFTER OUTLAWS ESCAPE

Trammell and Gibson Believed To Be In Another State

MANGUM, Okla., July 2. (AP)—Federal agents and Southwestern Oklahoma officers followed a cold trail today in their search for two fugitive Texas convict killers, who kidnaped a Texas youth and released him unharmed and fled into this state.

Sheriff E. N. Clabaugh expressed belief the two men, identified by Sheriff F. D. Anderson of Hollis as Luke Trammell and Forest Gibson, had escaped into some other state.

Trammell and Gibson broke from Reetzville prison farm 13 days ago, killing a guard. Appearing at Buck Creek, Texas Tuesday they abducted Huger Pogue, 19, taking him on a wild ride, later releasing him and stealing another automobile.

John Little, temporarily in charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at Oklahoma City, said that investigators had been sent into southwestern Oklahoma to join in the search because the men had violated the Dyer act by driving a stolen car across a state line.

PEEK IN ATTACK ON TRADE POLICY OF U. S. LEADERS

Trade Agreements Of Country Given Criticism

CHICAGO, July 2. (AP)—George N. Peek, former special advisor of President Roosevelt on foreign trade, charged today that the administration's policies had opened "the United States of America to economic and perhaps political colonization by other nations."

He declared "the trade agreement program is breaking down the markets for American agriculture and industry and by contributing to a prolongation of the farm crisis is undermining the whole basis of recovery."

Hat Bands Ready For Midland Visitors To Other Cities July 4

Midland citizens planning to attend July fourth celebrations at Pecos, Big Spring, Stamford, Brady, Ozona, Lubbock, Canadian, Sweetwater or other points, were requested today to call at the chamber of commerce office and get hat bands.

The hat bands are suitable for men or women and can be used as badges or in windows of automobiles to advertise this city.

Pope Pius Orders Movie Censorship

VATICAN CITY, July 2. (AP)—Pope Pius today ordered a world censorship of movies under direction of his bishops. The order was issued in an encyclical letter addressed directly to bishops and archbishops in the United States.

The pope expressed himself "angushed" at the "lamentable progress of the picture industry in portrayal of sin and vice." He told bishops to obtain from the faithful annually renewable promises to refuse to patronize undesirable movies.

Here's Real Farm Relief



Here's the answer to that musical query, "How you gonna keep 'em down on the farm?" A radio on a cultivator does it for Herschel Batey, Paragould, Ark., farmer, shown here as he enjoyed music and baseball resumes while his mule team moved up and down the corn rows. Batteries and radio were set on the tongue of the cultivator and aerial fixed from front to back, with the cultivator frame serving as the "ground." Arkansawyers for miles around flocked to the farm to admire the innovation.

Meeting of Powers Urged by DeValera

Urges Conference To Prevent War In Europe

GENEVA, July 2. (AP)—An immediate convocation of a conference of the great powers to prevent a European war was proposed at the league of nations assembly today by Eamon de Valera, President of the Irish free state.

The suggestion surprised delegates but dovetailed into what appeared to be a determined plan to make a durable deal with non-league Germany.

De Valera said that if the powers meet now in a peace conference "the terrible menace that threatens all of us today can be warded off."

Three of the world's greatest powers rallied in support of a fascist-shelled league of nations structure Wednesday in the face of veiled hints of withdrawals by smaller nations.

The three were Great Britain, France and Soviet Russia. Spokesmen for the first two said their governments would not recognize Italy's annexation of Ethiopia and all voiced continued faith in the league's future.

These expressions of hope alternated with notes of bitter disillusionment as the spokesmen surveyed the wreckage of their attempts to save Ethiopia from what they branded as aggression.

SPASE AREAS GET LIGHT RAINFALL

Various Sections Over West Texas Touched By Showers

Sparse areas received light showers Wednesday night in various sections of West Texas, reports received here today said. Grand Falls was reported to have had a good shower, although only a small territory was benefited. A light fall was registered between Midland and Stanton. A strong wind from the northwest blew sand and a light sprinkle here at approximately 10 o'clock last night.

Citizens Urged To Do Shopping Friday

Midland citizens were reminded today to do their weekend shopping this evening and Friday.

Stores and business institutions signed practically 100 per cent to observe the July fourth holiday and to remain closed all day Saturday.

Although a motorcade will carry from 75 to 100 local people to the Pecos rodeo Friday, store employees and citizens in general were expected to be divided among July fourth celebrations over a wide area, taking advantage of the Saturday and Sunday double holiday.

MEXICO TOWN IS TAKEN OVER TODAY BY FEDERAL GROUP

13 Strikers Killed In Demonstration In Merida

GOVERNOR OUT Force Resignation After Battle In Capital

MERIDA, Yucatan, July 2. (AP)—Federal troops took control of Merida today after police, guarding the palace of Governor Fernando Lopez Cardenas, killed 13 striking bus drivers during a labor demonstration. Fifty one other strikers were wounded.

Cardenas, who was blamed by labor leaders for the demonstration, resigned. The legislature named Florencio Paloma acting governor. President Lazaro Cardenas has ordered an investigation of the affair.

WEMPLER RETURN FROM CONVENTION WORLD ROTARIANS

District Governor's Work Begins For Fiscal Year

Fred Wemple and family returned late Wednesday after an extended absence in which he and Mrs. Wemple attended the convention of Rotary International at Atlantic City.

Going first to Buck Hill Falls, Pa., they attended the assembly of the officers of Rotary International, Wemple in his capacity as new governor of the forty-first Rotary district. They went then to the Atlantic City meeting and, following its completion attended the national democratic convention at Philadelphia.

The district governor assumed his official duties July 1 for one year. Following an assembly of presidents and secretaries of all clubs in the district, to be held soon at Stamford, he will make an official visit to each of the sixty clubs.

Qualifications of Applicants to Job As Postmaster Cited

To fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in this city, the United States Civil Service Commission has announced, at the request of the postmaster general and in accordance with an order of the president, an open competitive examination.

To be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must reside within the delivery of this post office, must have resided for at least one year next preceding the date for close of receipt of applications, must be in good physical condition, and within the prescribed age limits.

Both men and women are admitted. Under the terms of the executive order, the civil service commission will certify to the postmaster general the names of the highest three qualified eligibles, if as many as three are qualified, from which the postmaster general may select one for nomination by the president. Confirmation by the senate is the final action.

Applicants will not be required to assemble in an examination room for scholastic tests, but will be rated on their education and business experience and fitness. The civil service commission will make inquiry among representative local business and professional men and women concerning the experience, ability, and character of each applicant, and the evidence thus secured will be considered in determining the ratings to be assigned to the applicants.

The commission states that presidential postmasters are not in the classified civil service and that its duties in connection with appointments to such positions are to hold examinations and to certify the results to the postmaster general. The commission is not interested in the political, religious, or fraternal affiliations of any applicant.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office in this city, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

PERKINS RETURN

Mrs. John Perkins and daughters, Dorothy and Dell, returned Tuesday from a ten day vacation trip to Cloudford, N. M. Col. Perkins has been visiting his parents in Starkville, Mississippi.

Winning Trio In or Out of Water



Bathing beauties who win their titles in the water instead of posturing before ogling judges are (left to right) Elsie Petri, Eleanor Holm Jarrett and Mavis Freeman. They comprise the team which won the 300-meter medley race at the women's national swimming meet in New York.

U. S. DEFICIT HIGHEST EVER LISTED DURING PEACE TIME YEARS IN NATION

Morgenthau Places Red Ink Figure at Four And Half Billions to July 1

WASHINGTON, July 2. (AP)—Speaking in round figures, Secretary Morgenthau Wednesday placed the treasury's deficit for the fiscal year ended last midnight at \$4,400,000,000—the largest such red ink figure in the nation's peace-time history.

His statement, made in a nation-wide radio address and couched in non-technical terms, also fixed the public debt at the financial year-end at \$33,750,000,000.

Against this, he listed figures termed an "offset" or "recoverable assets," which added to \$3,750,000,000. Apparently, important items are to be revealed on the treasury's daily statement today—as to the close of business June 30. Wednesday's statement, dated June 29, showed a deficit of \$4,727,000,000 and a gross indebtedness of \$33,841,000,000.

Morgenthau likened his speech to the chairman of a board making his annual report to stockholders.

The plans of government as well as business, he asserted, are "subject to unforeseen and extraordinary events." In this connection, he declared at a later point that if the funds for paying the bonus were left out of consideration, the deficit for the fiscal year would be \$2,700,000,000.

"We may derive real encouragement and satisfaction from these facts," he said in conclusion. "National income is rising; as a result federal revenue is increasing; federal expenditures are on the decline, and the nation's business is continuing to show steady improvement."

GAUGE ON GAINES WELL 107 BARRELS

Landreth Discovery Is Still Swabbing Today

By FRED GARDNER
The new Gaines county discovery, Landreth Production Company No. 1 Kirk, swabbed 107 barrels of oil and emulsion in 24 hours ending yesterday afternoon. The amount of emulsion present was reported to be small, probably about 5 per cent. Swabbing was still in progress today, plans of operators being indefinite. The well may be shut in nights for several periods in order to determine whether it will build up sufficient pressure to flow.

Reports indicate that the fluid level can not be lowered below 200 feet by swabbing. Although gas volume is only 500,000 cubic feet per day, many think that the No. 1 Kirk will flow through tubing when all the water and emulsion is cleaned out.

Drilled to a total depth of 4,820 feet, the Landreth strike was given two acid treatments, the first with 1,000 gallons, and the second with 3,000. It was increased by acid to almost twice its natural production of 3 barrels an hour on swab. Cores from 4,703 nearly to total depth showed many streaks of oil saturation, but good porosity and permeability were lacking. Location is in the south central part of Gaines county, in the southwest corner of section 22, Block A-21, public school land. It establishes the presence of oil in an area eight miles north-west of the Means pool in Andrews county, the closest production.

Eight miles to the northwest, See. (OIL NEWS) Page 6

FLOOD WATERS IN CITY SEND MANY TO HIGHER GROUND

Rivers Threaten To Spill Into Parts Of Town

RISING RAPIDLY Streams Come Up At Rate of 1 Foot Per Hour

SAN ANTONIO, July 2. (AP)—Residents of northern and southwestern sections of three rivers areas evacuated their homes today as the fast rising Atascosa, Frio and Neches rivers threatened to spill into the city.

The Neches floodwaters, reported as being at a 30 foot level, were backing into the government subsistence home project southeast of the three rivers. The Frio backwaters were threatening homes in the north end of the city.

The rivers are rising at a rate of one foot per hour, due to heavy rains in the Christie and Campbellton areas early Wednesday.

Fears were felt for the safety of Tilden, 25 miles west of the Frio. Last reports were that the waters were licking the courthouse steps there.

Twenty one persons were drowned and at least 14 others are missing as the devastating South Texas floods pounded homes into driftwood, drowned hundreds of head of livestock and did more than \$1,000,000 livestock and crop damage.

After 12 lives had been counted earlier, rescuers and rehabilitation workers reported late yesterday that four members of a prominent family near Nixon had been drowned when flood waters crushed their home and that the bodies of five Mexicans had been recovered from Plum creek.

80 Midlanders to Make Pecos Trip

Armed with Midland hat bands and traveling as a unit, approximately 80 local citizens will go to Pecos Friday morning to attend the opening day performance of the three-day Pecos rodeo.

The motorcade of twenty cars will be headed by R. D. Scruggs. Those making the trip were asked to assemble on the west side of the court house square at 9:30 a. m., leaving town at 10 o'clock.

Other groups will go to July 4th celebrations at Brady, Ozona, Sweetwater, Stamford, Lubbock, Big Spring and Carlsbad.

18 ARE KILLED IN RUSSIA ACCIDENTS

Marine Disaster Takes Lives of 11 When Boat Sinks

MOSCOW, July 2. (AP)—Eighteen persons were killed in fire and marine accidents, dispatches received here today reported. Eleven members of a hydrographic expedition were drowned in Kandalaksha bay in the White sea when their life boat sank. Seven employees were killed in an explosion in a soviet petroleum factory at Odessa. Ten others were seriously injured.

TWO LANDINGS AT PORT

Two landings were listed at the Midland airport late Wednesday. Lieutenant Brecht, Selfridge Field, Michigan, en route to San Diego; Captain Hawkins of Randolph Field en route to Fort Bliss at El Paso. He was flying a BT2.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



The whittler is most chipper when making chips fly.

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HEAVY DEPOSITS MEAN SOUND CONDITIONS

Any Midland citizen should be proud of the strong statements of condition of the two local financial institutions, as reported in yesterday's issue of The Reporter-Telegram. At this season of the year, often thought of as the slack season, bank deposits usually are "off." As a refutation of that condition, the two banks here reported the heaviest deposits in the history of the institutions, taken on a regular "call" date.

More than two million and a half dollars, at a time when neither crops nor livestock are in the midst of a marketing season! That indicates a sound condition for the area served by these banks. Agriculture, livestock industries and oil interests have had better times, else this money would not be lying in the coffers, seeking an outlet for profit and for expansion.

At such a time, Midland citizens should take stock of the opportunities for expanding the city, for attracting additional citizens and for further becoming a territorial metropolis of permanent nature. Midland always has been a good town, both when it was a small cattle city and since it has become the business center of a great oil empire. How to make it better and better, to clinch its position as the future city of an ever growing area,—that is what faces Midland people, those with the money, today. What Midland needs first is houses. Let's build.

BEHIND THE SCENES

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WASHINGTON

By RODNEY DUTCHER

Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, July 2—Few other developments, if any, stand out in retrospect after the democratic convention as conspicuously as the decision of a major party to stress in its campaign the distinction between the constitution and the U. S. supreme court.

It is the present intention of Roosevelt and his new dealers to hammer away on this line through the campaign. The argument will run like this:

The constitution is a great and immortal document and should not be tampered with unless conditions obviously require and public opinion overwhelmingly demand.

But the supreme court is made up of nine human beings, prone to human weaknesses and prejudices, including certain reactionary gentlemen who are neither abreast of the times nor free of the background of special privilege and corporate exploitation from which they propose to the bench through appointment by republican presidents.

This will be something of a theme song among democratic orators—unless, you must bear in mind, popular reaction seems unfavorable.

Larger Bench in Prospect
The implication which will be stressed, more or less specifically, is that Roosevelt hopes for vacancies on the court which will allow him to appoint judges of liberalism as well as high standing.

Privately, the president has given serious consideration to the proposal that he ask congress for the power to appoint additional justices to the court, so that a liberal majority might outweigh what is now the conservative majority, consisting of Justices Sutherland, Van Devanter, McReynolds, Butler, Roberts—and sometimes Chief Justice Hughes.

Opinions of the liberal minority of Brandies, Stone, and Cardozo—and sometimes Hughes—will be accepted somewhat as party dogmas insofar as these men have held certain new deal measures to be constitutional.

Side Glances by Clark



"I hated to quit my last job, but they was beginning to treat me like one of the family."

Can't This Be Settled Some Way?



logical follow-up of the language of the platform and Roosevelt's acceptance speech (either in immortal declaration for human rights or an attempt to "silk up class hatred," as you prefer) will be to show that these justices are "servants of special privilege" rather than friends of the plain people.

Raking Up the Past
Unless planned campaign tactics are reversed, you will be hearing that:

Justice Van Devanter is an ex-politician and corporation lawyer, an attorney for the Union Pacific railroad in its land-grabbing days, who later, as a judge awarded the Union Pacific land along its right-of-way worth millions of dollars—and has decided for the railroads in every major railroad case before the supreme court.

Justice Sutherland was a republican senator, protégé of Senator Reed Smoot of Utah and buddy of Harding, who, as a justice has described as an "extraneous circumstance" the fact that a woman employ "needs to get a prescribed sum of money to insure her subsistence, health, and morals."

Justice Butler was a lawyer for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, who, as regent of University of Minnesota, forced out professors who disagreed with his ideas about valuation, rates, and municipal ownership.

And, of course Hughes was counsel for Standard Oil and many other big corporations and so was Roberts, the latter's clients being the

anti-labor union Pennsylvania railroad. No one can say now whether such line of attack will be effective. It might turn out to be a big mistake.

TOWNSEND GROUP TO HOLD CONCLAVE

CLEVELAND, July 2 (U.P.)—A flag will creep up a pole on Cleveland's public square and a band will play on the morning of July 15 to open formally the second annual convention of the followers of Dr. Francis E. Townsend.

Confronting the five day meeting of 15,000 delegates from every state will be the invitation to join with a national union for social justice in the Union Party.

Taking their cue from Dr. Townsend, founder of the old age pension organization, the vanguard of leadership here to close arrangements for the convention in public auditorium make no prediction as to action on the third party proposal.

The leader of the \$200 a month old age pension organization has said the convention must decide whether to affiliate with N. U. S. J. and possibly other progressive groups.

Hold New Interest
The Townsend convention, consequently takes on new significance and interest for Clevelanders who relaxed with the departure of republican national convention dele-

gates to the stride of the summer long Great Lakes Exposition.

Hundreds of householders prepare to open their homes to the representatives of some 5,000 Townsend clubs who will find hotel rooms unavailable. The daily mail brings a flood of reservations to the local arrangements committee.

Of primary interest with the third party proposal is consideration of old age revolving pensions, Ltd.

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Theatrical Star

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers. Includes 'Answer to Previous Puzzle' and 'VERTICAL' clues.

Crossword puzzle grid with a portrait of a woman in the center.

leaders predicted inquiry would result in a new unity and determination on the part of delegates to drive their pension proposal toward enactment as national law.

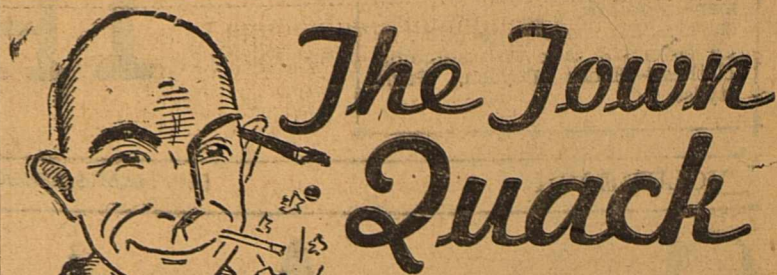
New Board Formed
Of keen interest, also, will be the new national advisory board, composed of representatives of the various state areas and functioning in advisory capacity to the national executive board.

Delegates representing considerably more than half of the chartered Townsend clubs will jam the main hall of the Cleveland auditorium and overflow into the connected music hall.

Some will come at the expense of their clubs, others at their own expense. Among them will be about 3,000 members of the Townsend legion, super unit within the pension organization.

Special Trains Due
At least three special trains from California, home of the movement, will swell the Townsend army assembling by bus, plane, private automobile and train. Some of the clubs will send the maximum of one delegate for each 100 members, and many of the largest will be represented by the maximum of 10 delegates allowed them.

Fifteen local committees with a combined membership of about 150 are busy preparing for the entertainment of the hundreds of middle aged and aged men and women, who will be here from July 15 through July 19. The Great Lakes



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

vacation is very tiring, and she needed one badly after such effort.

Which reminds me to request that anyone having guests in the home, parties, club meetings or church "socials" please telephone us, as we hope in our feeble way to keep track of the news during this three weeks period.

There's nothing like crystallizing sentiment before taking a vote. It took an American political party a week to nominate a candidate by acclamation.

All my life I've tried to be a financier. But I've learned that the only way I can make a dollar is to save a dollar. From here on out, watch me squeeze the tail feathers before I let the eagle loose.

Exposition, around the corner from the auditorium, is expected to furnish a large part of the diversion between sessions.

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Society and Clubs

Club Women Are High In Praise For Four-H Work

In the 4-H Club clothing contest Saturday 27th, Martha Stewart, Pleasant Valley Club demonstrator, says in part, "There very closely since my limited allowance did not allow me very much money. My expenditures show that \$19.95 was spent for the following five dresses, three slips, seven pairs of shoes, one brassiere, two pairs of shoes and for accessories. I have enjoyed working in the club very much. I think that a girl is missing half her life when she does not belong to this club."

Martha won third place in her demonstration. In renovating her closet, Mrs. W. A. Eason, Valley View Home Demonstration Club wardrobe demonstrator, says in part, "I took the pole out and papered the closet with white paper to reflect light. Then put a shelf eight inches from ceiling of closet for my hats and pattern box. The pole was replaced two inches below the shelf. A second shelf was added at the bottom so that space for storing boxes was convenient. For only fifty cents I built a closet in another bedroom. It was made from a mattress carton I got at a furniture store. It is six feet high and three feet by three feet. It has a rod for hangers, a shelf for boxes, and a shelf which provides ample room for storing winter blankets and coats. Club work certainly is the thing for the rural homes."

"My dress cost only fifty cents," said Miss Elsie Campbell, Cotton Flat home demonstration club wardrobe cooperater. Miss Campbell's dress and slip took first place in the county clothing contest Saturday June 27th. The dress was of print and was self-trimmed. The color and the design were both good for Miss Campbell.

Announcements

Friday
The BTU of the First Baptist church will hold a business meeting at the church Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Every member of the BTU is urged to be present. There will be an all BTU social following the meeting.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Sharp at Feeler's tourist camp east of town Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Saturday
There will be no story hour at the children's library Saturday because of the July Fourth holiday.

VISITED LAKE

J. H. Goodman and wife spent Wednesday at Sweetwater, going with friends to a party on Lake Sweetwater in the evening.

Arizona Visitors Are Entertained

Mrs. Bob Dewey was hostess at a very individual bridge party Tuesday evening in honor of her mother, Mrs. H. L. Corbett and her sisters, Marymargaret and Babs. Mrs. Corbett and daughters are from Phoenix, Arizona.

Instead of having prizes the guests were each given a paper-bag. At the end of the fourth hand the bags were opened and the two winners at each table chose what they wanted from the bag of the person at the left of them, and gave that person what they did not want from their own bag. This unique distribution of prizes continued throughout the entire party and each guest ended up with four articles.

Guests attending were: Mmes. and Messrs: Ben Carsey, Roy Downey, Tom Rainbolt, M. B. Arick, John Skinner, E. M. Crawford, S. S. Stinson, Bob Bailey, Walker Fuller, T. C. Chatham, Arlie Taylor, Messrs J. C. Cunningham, Frankie Louis, Paul McFadden, W. M. Holmes, Mmes. R. C. Barber, Albert Chass, W. G. Henderson, H. L. Corbett and Messes Marymargaret and Babs Corbett.

Study Club Meets With Mrs. Duffey

The Catholic Study Club met with Mrs. Claude Duffey Wednesday morning at ten o'clock with Mrs. Schouten as leader.

The club studied the subject, "The Life of Christ." Members present were: Mmes. Pat Riley, J. Kelly, Allen Tolbert, Fran, Wright, George Farley, James Fitzgerald, Jack Jordan, Schouten, and the hostess.

To Organize First Delphian Chapter

Organization of a Delphian chapter at Midland is scheduled to be perfected at a meeting Wednesday, July 8, at 9:30 a. m., it was announced today. The chapter is being sponsored and assembled by Mrs. Laura McDaniel Brown, national representative, of San Antonio. The meeting will be in the Crystal ball room of Hotel Scharbauer.

Delphian chapters throughout the country are organized, composed of groups of cultural and socially prominent women of various cities. Mrs. Brown said. An attractive and instructive study course is planned for the chapter here.

Census Report Shows 116 On Pre-School List

Census of six year old children shows 116 eligible for primary departments of the public school next year, a report today said.

Names of the pre-school children follow:
Lynn Thomas Abell, Clyde Adams, Melvin, Atwell, Elvin Atwell, Harold Barber, Dorothy Barron, Mary Ellen Barron, Harry Bauer, Mary Rebecca Bird, Donald Bizzell, Wilda Bond, Buddy Glyn Booth, Eddie Jo Bryan, James Edwards Bryan.
Mary Nell Casselman, Fodora Castellon, Patsy Ruth Cline, Edith Ray Collins, Mary Francis Collins, Robert Connor, Hugh Cooper, Sharon Lee Cornelius, Alma Faye Cowden, Elizabeth Ann Cowden, Thomas Joe Craddock, Eugene Currier, Jacqueline Danley.

Joe Brown Davis, Maurice Dearman, Frankie Drake, John Allison Drummond, Maxine Eckert, Lois Dee Eiland, Daniel Estone, Billy Fred Flournoy, Gloria Fredregill, Geraldine Fuller, Frances Louise Gibbins, Robert F. Girdley, Harvie Gray, Jimmy Greene, Jo Ed Greenhill.

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Parents Defend Three R's
PASADENA, Cal. (U.P.)—An educational requirement committee has reported to the Board of Education that modern education lacks adequate training in the three R's. Parents interviewed, supported the demand, for more "reading, writing and 'rithmetic'."

A person sentenced to death in Utah has the choice of being hanged or shot by a firing squad.

Shirley Brunson Celebrates Her Seventh Birthday

Miss Shirley Brunson celebrated her seventh birthday Tuesday afternoon from three to five at her home on North Carrizo Street. After the children had enjoyed games on the lawn, the birthday cake was cut and quintuplet balloons were given as favors.

The guest list included, Dorothy Lynn Butler, Martha Jane Bucy, Sharon Lee Cornelius, Patsy Lou Arrington, Joan Stanley, Bernal Pemberton, Billy Elkin, William and Edward Weyman, John Zant, Gene Connor, Frederick Prickett, Bobby Brooks Eidson, Della Beth Cooper of Fort Worth, Betty Ruth and Eloise Pickering, Patsy Boone, Eugene Jones, Patsy Riley, and Billy McKee.

Personals

Mr. Allen Dorsey, formerly associated with the Amerada Oil Company, has gone to Lubbock to work during the summer months. He will enter Texas Technological College in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black have returned from their honeymoon trip to California.

Miss Doric Black is attending summer school at Huntington Lake, Lakeshore, California. She will return to Midland in August.

Mr. I. R. Lyons of the Fort Worth chamber of commerce is in Midland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Reese, Bennie Sue Ratliff and Louis Thomas will leave tomorrow for Monterey, Mexico for a vacation trip lasting until the 13th or 14th. They plan to visit in Mexico City, also.

Homer Ingram, Elvis Clements, Stanton Brunson, Lum Daughtery, W. W. Brunson and Joe M. Cist are among the Midland people who have gone to Stamford for the Cowboy Reunion.

Mr. Alex Turner has returned from Dallas.

Mrs. R. E. McWilliams and son Billy, and Mrs. W. A. Woods, her mother of Big Lake, visited Dalton McWilliams last night. They are on their way to Stockton, California where they will visit Mrs. McWilliams's sister, Mrs. Ross Fritz for a month.

Mr. Curley Flynn and nephew, Marion Flynn, Jr., are leaving tomorrow to spend the Fourth of July in Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shroder left on their vacation for Colorado.

Mrs. Verner Stevens of Waco is visiting her sister, Mrs. Louise Hill Pope. They will both leave tomorrow for Fort Worth and Waco. Mrs. Pope will return in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Harper and children have returned from a vacation trip to Dallas and Galveston.

Painted Turtles Carry Greetings

SAN ANTONIO, Texas. —Small Texas turtles have carried a Centennial message to hundreds of persons throughout the United States in recent months, as a result of the activity of F. G. Leith of San Antonio. Leith has mailed the turtles to many men and women in public life, including governors of states and other state officials and mayors of many American cities. Painted in gay colors on the back of each turtle is a picture of the Alamo, sacred shrine of Texas liberty, and a short Centennial greeting.

Bolt Tolls Church Bell
PORT STANLEY, Ont. (U.P.)—When lightning struck the Roman Catholic church, the cross caught fire and the bell began tolling. The fire was put out without great damage.



CHAPTER ONE

This is the story of a rose. A red rose and a silver dress that altered the destiny of Central Europe. Simple things, you'll say, to wield such power. How could a fragrant, perishable rose or a bit of cloth do such things? Turn to your history books, gentle reader. Turn back to those halcyon times before that fateful day at Sarajevo.

To most of us, the name of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria calls up a picture of a benign, portly gentleman with sparse white hair and a flowing, carefully-combed white beard. Surely this is not a romantic figure. But hold, Francis Joseph was not always old; his hair was not always thinning and white. Nor was Austria always a country beset with the strife and woes that are its lot today.

There was a day when Austria was a happy land and one of the most powerful nations on the European continent. Those were the days, too, when Francis Joseph was younger, when his hair was brown and his eyes sparkled, when thoughts of romance and high adventure raced through his mind and set his pulses thumping. It was in these days that the red rose and the cloth of silver dress were so all-important.

In 1856 Francis Joseph ruled the Austrian Empire under the dominating hand of his mother, the Dowager Empress Sofia. A stern, forbidding woman, the Empress kept her twenty-six-year old son well in check and jealously guarded him from all contact with the world.

All important state and domestic decisions were made by Sofia, the king himself being just a handsome figurehead. So it was no surprise to him to learn that his mother had just selected the future Empress of Austria, and incidentally his bride, without consulting him. The fortunate girl was to be Princess Helena, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Bavaria, Sofia's brother-in-law and sister respectively. Sofia and the Duke had been at loggerheads for years, and the two families saw little of each other.

The Dowager Empress and Duchess Louise, her social-climbing sister, had cooked up the plan between them.

A messenger, Colonel von Kempen of the King's Dragoons, was even now en route to Bavaria to bring the official tidings to Helena. His trip was being attended by Count Pauff, young Captain of the King's Guards, was beating the colonel's carriage to every way-station, and was taking the fresh horses in an effort to reach Helena before the colonel arrived with the news. For Leopold, or Poldi, as the court was called, was the princess's fiancé.

Of all the seven daughters of the Duke and Duchess, one was a source of constant worry to her mother. She was Elizabeth, or Cissy, who, like her father, cared little for the pomp and ceremony of her, noble station, and much preferred to milk a cow or chop down a tree to making herself a marriageable princess. Cissy was swinging along the road now, on her way to tell her father,

household," said Max with some heat, as he and Cissy started back to the castle. "She can do what she likes with Austria — and she does! She made her son Emperor — but she's not going to make your sister marry a man she doesn't love."

Back at the castle, Max welcomed Poldi warmly and told him he could marry Helena with his blessings. The Duchess overheard this, and icily invited Max into the next room.

"Suppose I tell you," pointed out Louise, "that I expect Helene to be Empress of Austria!"

"I don't want to have anything to do with the Austrian Court!" exclaimed Max vehemently. "It gives me a pain."

"It does, does it?" said his wife coldly. "It never occurs to you that we're practically penniless—buried out here away from Vienna—with seven daughters to marry off."

"Six," said Max definitely. "Leave Cissy to me."

Louise spoke with authority. "Go back in there and tell Poldi you didn't mean it."

Maximilian, Duke of Bavaria went. Some minutes later, Colonel von Kempen arrived. The Emperor, he announced formally, desired that Princess Helena and Duchess Louise be escorted to the Emperor's summer palace at Hellbrunn, where the birthday party and betrothal was to take place.

Helena was tearful; Louise jubilant. They quickly prepared to leave. Louise ordered Cissy to pack her sister's things and not to forget the cloth of silver dress.

Within two hours, amid good-byes and waves from the Duke and his remaining daughters, Louise Helena, von Kemper and a coach

"Good morning, Cissy! Where's my breakfast?" Duke Max shouted. "In the first place," said Cissy swiftly, "Mother wants you to have breakfast at home. In the second place, something terrible has happened and you've got to do something about it at once."

"Whoa!" said Max. "What's the excitement?"

"In a few minutes the whole Austrian Empire is going to walk right into your house and take Helena off to marry the Emperor."

"What's so terrible about that?" asked the Duke. "You sound as if she's going to be married off to a ditch digger."

"But what about Poldi?" persisted Cissy. "He's been racing the messenger from court. He's waiting for us at home."

"Poldi? Oh yes. Of course. Poor boy. It's going to be a pretty hard blow for him." Max shook his head. "Father, we can't let this happen. You're not going to let your daughter marry a man she's not in love with."

"Why — uh — certainly not," said Max.

"Your aunt is not going to run my

full of luggage, set out for Hellbrunn and Emperor Francis Joseph.

In a short while Cissy had a donkey cart hitched up. She was sitting in it, reins in hand, when Max rushed up.

"Where do you think you're going?" he asked suspiciously.

"To Hellbrunn."

"What do you think you're going to do when you get there?"

"I have no idea. Giddap!"

"Whoa! Do you realize who you are? Princess Elizabeth of Bavaria bumping her way to the Imperial Austrian Court in a donkey cart!"

"The carriages are all gone. Giddap!"

"Whoa! Can't you wait a minute?" shouted Max. "I — I've got to take my uniform, haven't I?"

"I've got it right here, Father," said Cissy calmly. "Jump in."

"Well, let me get my hat and coat!"

"They're right here, too, darling." Max looked grimly at his favorite daughter for a moment, the clambered into the donkey cart.

(To be continued)

PALMER'S ON TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Palmer and children have gone to Springfield, Missouri, to visit her mother and father.

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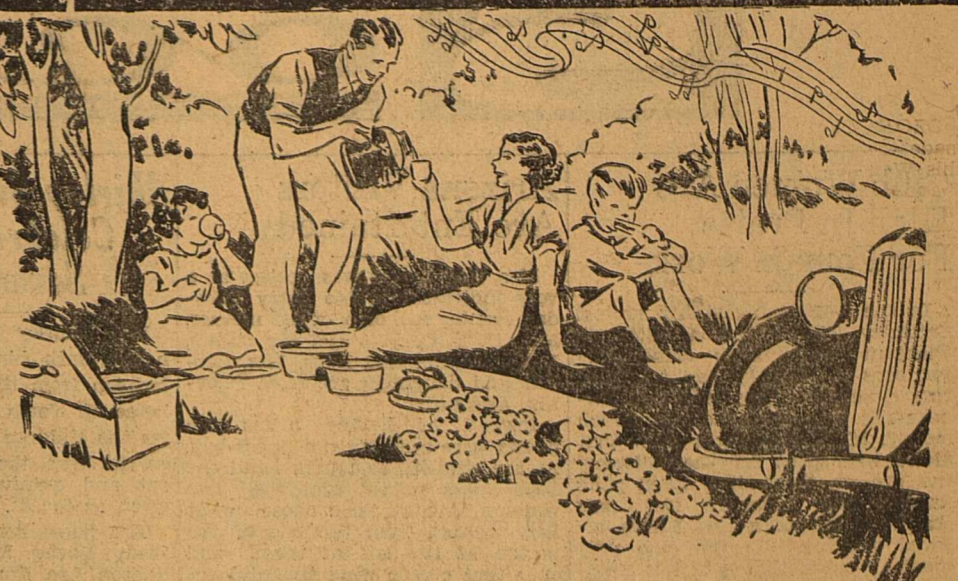
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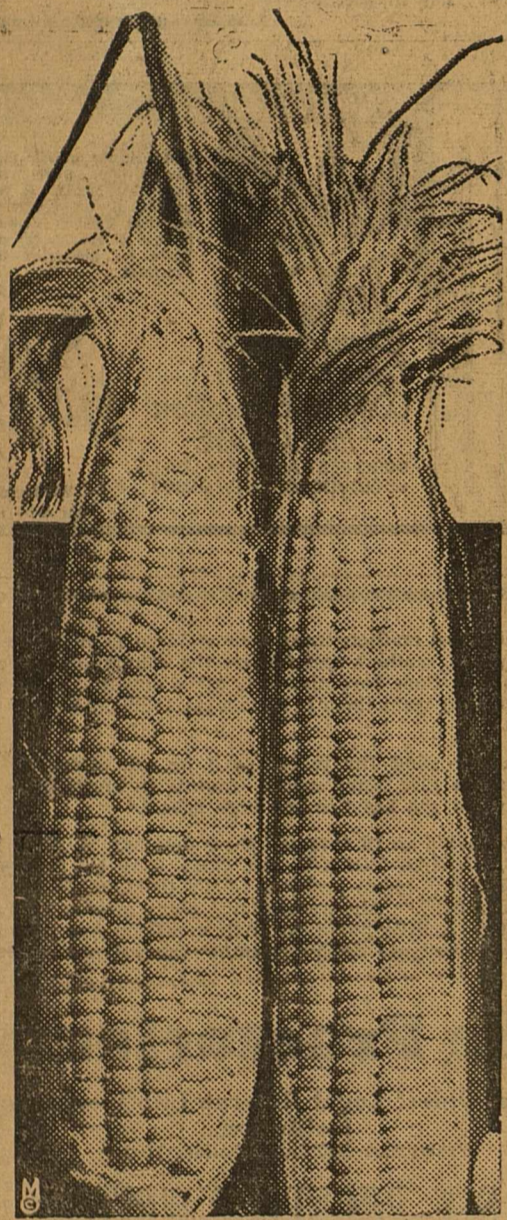
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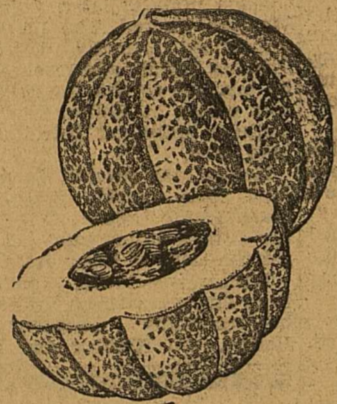


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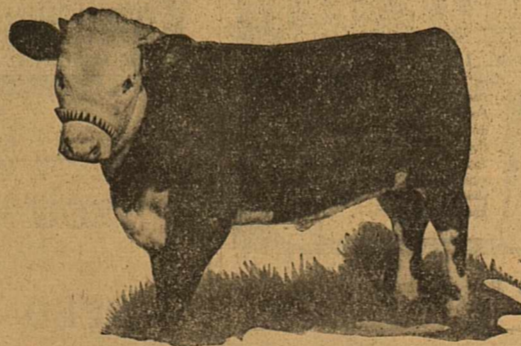
COFFEE FOLGERS
1 Pound Can 29c

LIPTON'S TEA
1 Pound Can 89c
1/2 Pound Can 45c
1/4 Pound Can 24c

MARSHMALOWS 1 Lb. 16c
 PEANUT BUTTER Heinz 9 1/2 oz. 22c
 PICKLES Heinz Fresh Cucumber qt. 24c
 OLIVES Tasty Queen 13 oz. jar 26c
 CHERRIES Maraschino 3 oz. jar 10c
 APRICOT Butter, Ma Brown, 14 oz 19c
 CATSUP Del Monte 14 oz. bottle 16c
 NAPKINS 60 per Package 9c
 WAX PAPER Cut Rite 3 for 20c
 GINGER ALE Canada 2 for 25c

OLIVES Tasty Queen Stuffed 8 oz. 26c
 PORK & BEANS 16 oz. Can 5c
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 VIENNA SAUSAGE, Wilson's 2 for 15c
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 SARDINES Delmonte 15 oz. 2 for 21c
 JUICE Delmonte Pine apple, 3 for 25c
 GRAPE JUICE Quart 25c
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 CORN No. 2 Primrose, 2 for 25c
 HOMINY No. 1 Can, 2 for 5c
 DOG FOOD Sandy No. 1 1 can, 3 for 23c
 SYRUP Brer Rabbit 1 pound 13c
 BEANS No. 2 String 2 for 15c

CAKES Betty Crocker Angel Food 25c
 TOMATOES No. 2 can 2 for 15c
 CAKES Carmal Fruit Nut Bar, each 15c
 WHEATIES 2 Pkgs. 25c
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Celebration At Ozona To Draw 30,000 Persons

OZONA, Texas.—Plans are being made to entertain 30,000 persons in this West Texas community July 2, 3 and 4 on the occasion of the official Texas Centennial Ram sale and celebration.

Thousands of ranchmen who own the 9,000,000 sheep in Texas will be present as will be breeders from Montana, Utah and California.

Ozona, which calls itself the biggest little town in West Texas, is 30 miles from a railroad, has approximately 150 people engaged in the ranch business, and is in the third largest county in Texas. There are no farms in the county and neighbors frequently live 25 miles apart. The town is proud of its fine homes there being more than 30 which were built at costs in excess of \$25,000 each.

The three day program will be opened the morning of July 2 with the ram sale after which there will be a colorful parade, depicting the development of West Texas ranching industry. Rodeo programs and races are planned each evening and there also will be platform dances in the moonlight, fishing excursions on the Pecos river, and festivities

STORIES IN STAMPS

By I. S. Klein

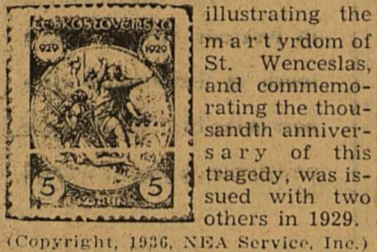
FOUNDER OF CZECH UNITY



MANY Czech tribes inhabited the region that is now Czechoslovakia, but it was not until the 10th century that they were united into a strong political whole and imbued with the Christian spirit of the west. That great achievement was due to the efforts of "Good King Wenceslas" or Wencelas the Holy, founder of the Czech nation.

Wenceslas ruled only nine years, but in that short time, besides uniting the Czech tribes, he built the heart of the city of Prague, freed the slaves, and abolished the gallows. For his good work, he was canonized and his body was placed in the chapel of St. Vitus cathedral in Prague.

This famous ruler is venerated all the more because of his violent death, in 929, at the hands of his jealous brother, who coveted the throne. The stamp shown here,



centering around more than 100 house parties which will be held during the celebration.

A genuine welcome is planned for visitors in this western community where the millionaire often has for his best friend one waddy who works for \$40 a month. Free barbecue will be served each day.

No. 13 Clings To Girl

TOLEDO, (U.P.) — Donna K. Martin, who is 13, is the daughter of city fireman number 13, stationed at number 13 engine house. She was born on a Friday, the 13th learned to walk at 13 months, had 13 guests at her 13th anniversary party.

Robins Wound Cat

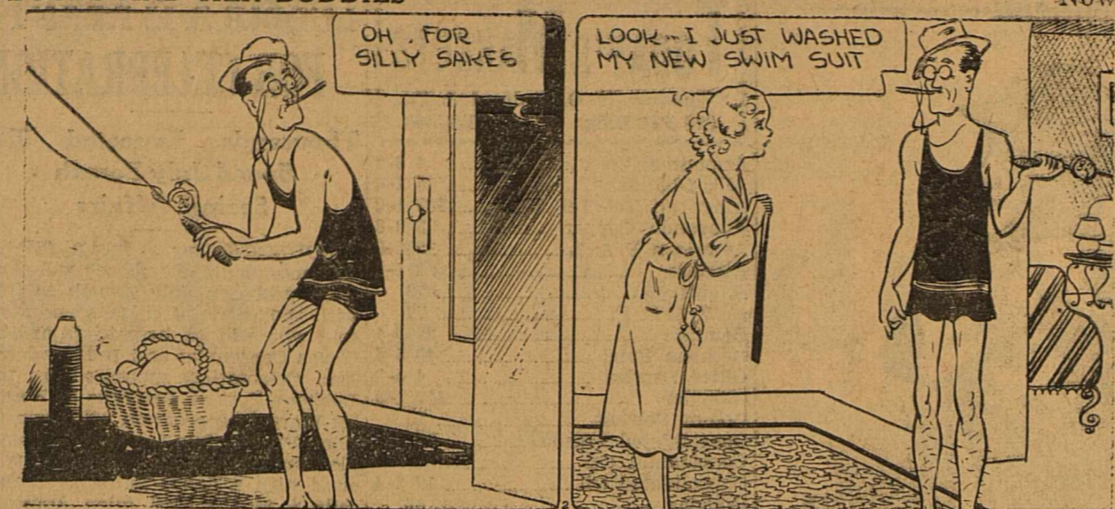
TORONTO, (U.P.) — A large cat here is nursing wounds received when two robins reversed the usual role and attacked it. The cat stroled to near the robins' nest for their approval, and they charged it, administering severe pecks to the animal's back.

Millionth Mile Flown

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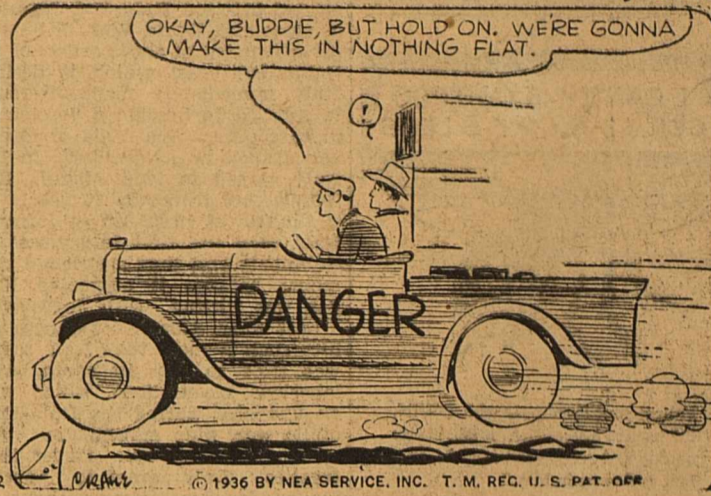
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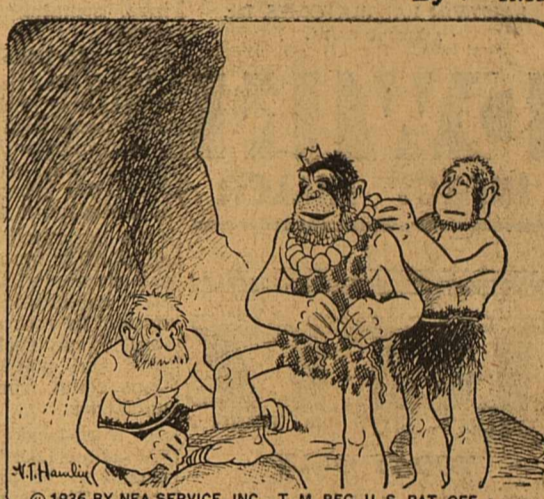
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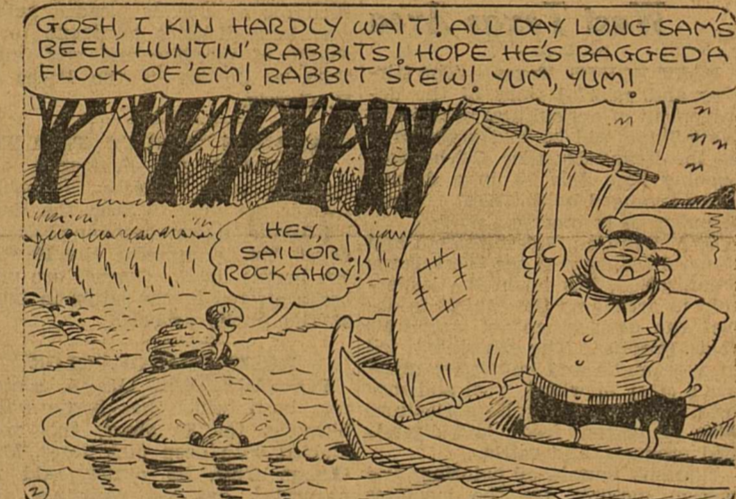
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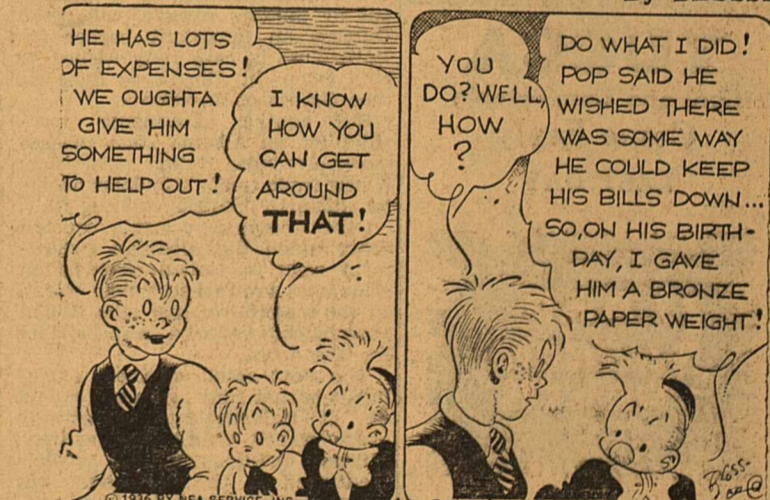
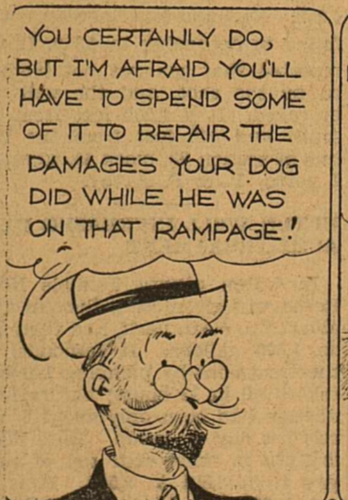
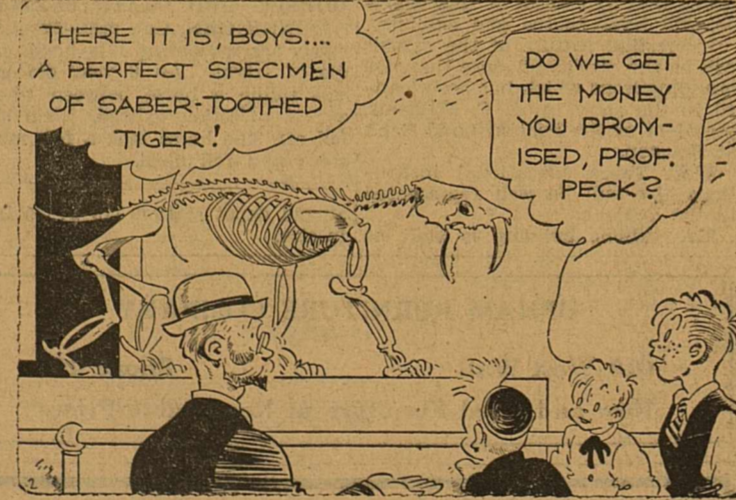
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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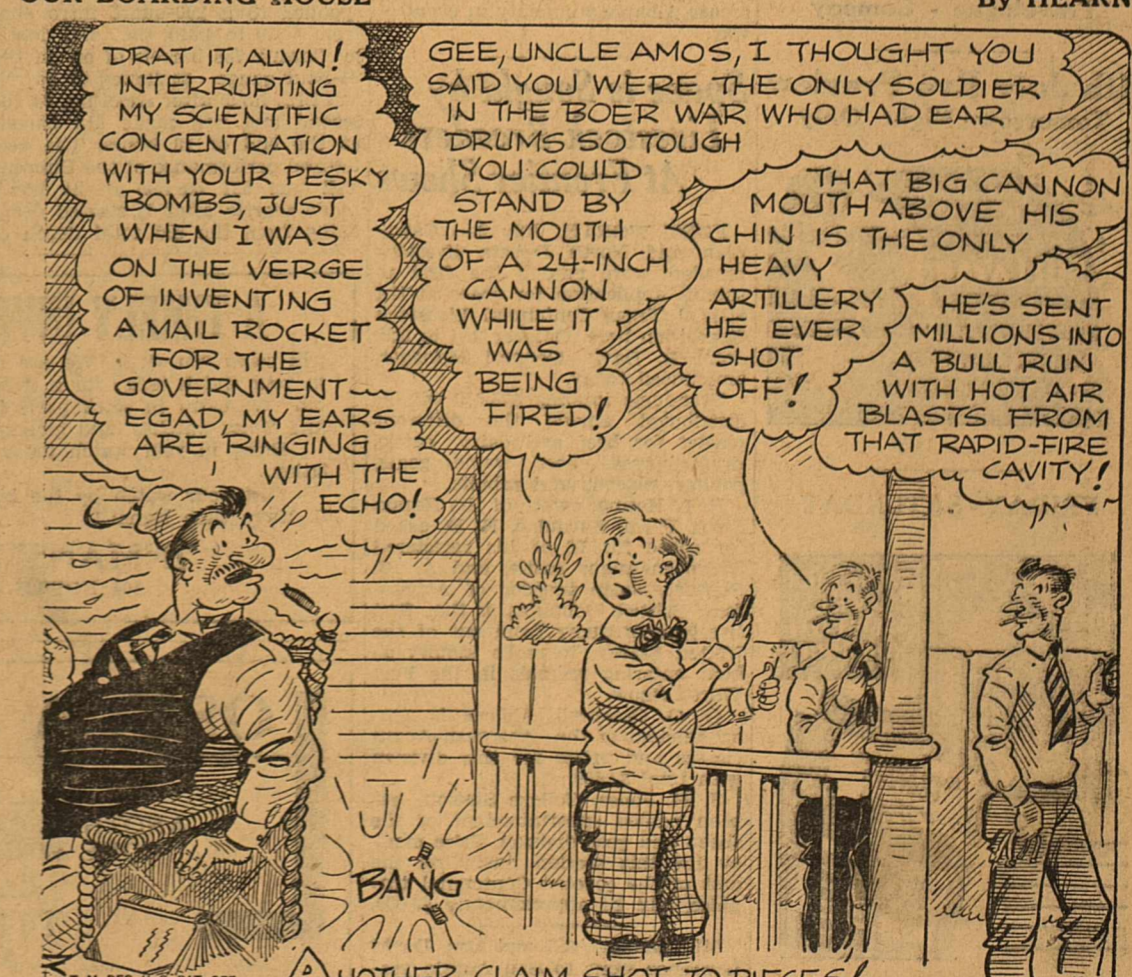


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ITALY REGAINS ALBANIA AS ALLY TO ASSURE ADRIATIC SUPREMACY

ROME, July 2. (U.P.)—While Mussolini's legions were annexing Ethiopia this spring, Italian diplomats, it has just come to light, were extending Italy's tutelage over Albania, strategically wedged in between Yugoslavia and Greece—across the Adriatic.

Rome was still celebrating the fall of Addis Ababa when Italy and Albania, without any publicity, were exchanging ratification of nine treaties and protocols which further bind the tiny mountain neighbor across the narrow Adriatic.

Central European diplomats, always concerned with Italy's policy in their part of the world, were quick to sense that Mussolini had staged another diplomatic "coup" which, in the event of trouble, will place Italy in a stronger position against Yugoslavia and Greece.

Reduced to skeleton form, these nine treaties call for a series of Italian loans to Albania roughly totaling \$20,000,000 which Albania will spend on projects stipulated by the Italians.

Roads to Be Built These projects, it is reported will include extensive improvements to the harbor of Durazzo to facilitate trade exchanges between the two countries and the construction of a network of new roads to improve Albanian communications.

To understand Italy's absorbing interest in Albania it is necessary to recall the bitter rivalry which has existed between Italy and Yugoslavia since the World War. Failing to get possession of that portion of the Dalmatian coast which it desired, Italy immediately made overtures to Albania to become a "protector" in case either Yugoslavia or Greece had designs on its territory.

In 1931 Italy agreed to lend Albania 100,000,000 gold francs in 10 yearly installments of 10,000,000 gold francs. Italy paid the first two years' installments and then suspended payments because it suspected King Zog was flirting with Yugoslavia.

Last year Albania's finances got into such a mess that Italy saw it was time to step in again. After laborious negotiations, which went on unabated during the Italo-Ethiopian war, nine agreements were concluded this May. Under these treaties Italy agrees to advance money, in some cases without interest, and in others at 1 per cent a year, to develop Albania's agricultural, communications and public works.

Old Loan Cancelled Under the first treaty the loan of 1931 was declared cancelled. Albania renounced the receipt of further installments from Italy under the previous loans, and Italy cancelled the repayment of all funds advanced until April 1, 1931.

To systematize Albania's finances, Italy agreed to cover the entire fiscal deficit of the year 1934-35, amounting to 9,000,000 gold francs. In return Albania obligated itself to pay such credits which private and public Italian organizations claim from various Albanian municipalities.

A third treaty, grants Albania and "Agrarian Loan" of 10,000,000 gold francs to be paid in five installments. The loan will be paid in cash, agricultural implements or materials purchased from Italy each year must be equivalent to one-fourth of each year's installment. The Albanian government will pay 1 per cent interest on this loan, and will repay the principal over a period of 50 years, beginning 9 years hence.

Oil Royalties Involved The loan is guaranteed from royalties which the Italian official oil agency, AGIP, is obligated to pay to Albania for exploitation of oil fields.

Another agreement, called a "convention," obligates Italy to advance credits (the amount is not stipulated) for improvement of the harbor of Durazzo. The project includes new warehouses, harbor machinery, navigation signals, seawalls, harbor roads, pier improvement and general re-equipment of the harbor offices.

Money for this work will come from the Italian Institute of Credit. These improvements, it is pointed out by military experts, will make Durazzo an important harbor for Italian use in case Italy wished to land troops in Albania to fight either Greece or Yugoslavia.

Still another agreement provides for an Albania state tobacco monopoly under Italian supervision. A new trade treaty stipulates quotas for Albanian products entering Italy. Other minor agreements concern debts which the Albanian government owes to Italian construction companies for various public works. In the majority of cases the Italian government assumed responsibility for the debts.

The next result of these agreements is that Italy again has extended its influence into practically every branch of Albanian activity. Military questions are not publicly mentioned in the documents, but it's generally conceded a large proportion of the money will be expended for projects which will increase Albania's mobility in event of war.

Premiums totaling \$75,000 will be distributed among the different classes for beef and dairy cattle, draft horses, sheep, swine, goats, poultry, pigeons and rabbits.

R. L. Hanna, owner of the Hanna Stock Farm, Bartlett, N. D., asked for space for 16 of his registered Aberdeen-Angus cattle, and A. C. Stewart, sheep breeder of Abbottsford, British Columbia, is the first livestock producer from out of the United States to make inquiry about entering animals in the Port Worth Show.

G. O. Cresswell, Abilene is superintendent of the Aberdeen-Angus classes and prizes for this division with total \$7,500.

J. M. Jones, College Station, has been named superintendent of the sheep and goat division. Prize money for this section, including the cost of the coveted Centennial trophies, will be approximately \$9,000.

Miss Maxine Hill and Mrs. David Lawrence went to San Angelo yesterday and are expected to return tomorrow.

Regular Redhead

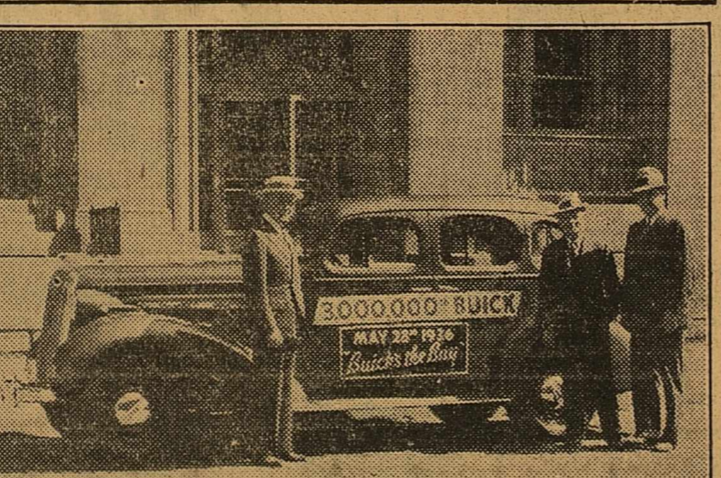
RALPH RED KRESS

IS IN AGAIN.

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KRESS WAS ORDERED TO CHATTANOOGA LAST SEASON, BUT BEFORE HE COULD BOARD A TRAIN HE WAS RECALLED TO FILL OUT THE WASHINGTON INFIELD IN THE SECOND GAME OF A DOUBLE-HEADER. THE RED-HEAD HIT MORE THAN 400 FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE CAMPAIGN.

3,000,000th Buick Produced; Starts Tour of Dealerships



ON ITS WAY. The 3,000,000th Buick, just off the assembly line, is here shown beginning a tour of Buick dealerships where it will feature floor displays during coming weeks. The car rolled off the line May 28th and is a Series 40 Special four door sedan with built-in trunk.

It was the 139,525th Buick of the 1936 models produced since their introduction last Fall. In the photo, left to right, are: Harlow H. Curtsie, Buick president, Charles T. Scannell, general manufacturing manager and W. F. Hufstader, general sales manager.

Oil News--

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Humble No. 1, C. H. Eubank, another interesting Gaines test, is still making fast time as it drills through the salt section, last reported depth being 2,523 feet. Top of the salt section was called at 1,842 feet. This is slightly lower than that marker in the McElreath and Suggs No. 1. John Sparks, a dry hole drilled about four and a half miles to the northwest. Location of the Humble test is 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 6, block AX, public school land.

DUNNING DISCOVERY FLOWS 788 BARRELS IN DAY

The discovery well in the Cummins pool of Ector county, W. H. Dunning, Jr., No. 1 Cummins, responded to a 200-quart nitro shot from 4,210 to 4,310, the total depth, by flowing 788 barrels of oil on the 24-hour gauge. It flowed 71 barrels the first hour after shooting, 65 the second and had made 618 barrels at the end of 18 hours. The best natural performance of the Dunning well was 621 barrels in 24 hours made shortly after it started deepening from the old total depth of 4,252. No important increases were found in deepening to 4,310. It was reported that gas was not increased by the shot, and the well will be tubed. It is 2,200 feet from the south and 440 feet from the east line of section 33, block 45, township 1 north, T. & P. survey.

UPTON WELL INCREASED BY ACID TREATMENT

In Upton county, Humble No. 1 Reese, was given 500 gallons of acid, allowed to clean itself, and then given 1,500 gallons. It responded to the treatment by pumping 140 barrels of oil in 13 hours; natural production had been only about 6 barrels per day on pump. Total depth is 2,630 in lime, with top of main pay from 2,591 to 2,595. It is located 330 feet from the north and 2,310 feet from the west line of a 160-acre tract in section 2, H. & T. C. survey.

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Bendix	25 3-4
Bethlehem Steel	49 5-8
Cities Service	4 5-8
Chrysler	112 1-8
Comm Solvent	15
Consolidated Edison	36 5-8
Continental Oil	30 1-8
Consolidated Oil	12 3-4
Douglas	58
Elec. Bond Shares	22 5-8
Preepor - Tex	26 1-4
General Elec	38 1-4
General Motors	67 1-2
Goodyear	24 3-8
Humble	62 1-2
Hudson	16
Int. Harvester	83 1-4
Int. Telephone	14
Kennicott Copper	38 5-8
Loews	49 1-2
Montgomery Ward	42 5-8
Nat. Dairy	46 1-2
Nat. Distillery	35 3-8
N. Amer. Co.	26 1-4
N. Y. Central	36 1-4
Ohio Oil	12 3-4
Packard	10 1-2
Pennsylvania R. R.	31 5-8
Phillips	41 1-8
Pure	17 3-8
Radio	7 1-2
Remington Rand	13 3-8
Sears Roebuck	73 3-4
Shell	17 1-2
Socony Vacuum	18 1-4
Southern Pac. R. R.	33 1-8
Standard Brands	15 3-8
Standard of Cal	37 5-8
Standard of N. J.	58 1-4
Studebaker	38
Texas Co.	11 1-4
Tidewater	15 1-4
T. P. Coal & Oil	10 1-2
T. & P. Land Trust	9 1-4
United Air Craft	22
United Corp	7 1-8
U. S. Rubber	29
U. S. Steel	58 3-4
Warner Bros.	10
Western Union	85 1-2
Westinghouse	121 5-8
TOTAL SALES	1,070,000
Close Prev.	
NY Cotton July	12.41 12.40
Cotton Oct.	11.70 11.70
Chi Wheat, July	100 7-8 95 7-8
Wheat Sept.	102 97

Exhibit to Show Development Of West Texas Area

FORT FORTH, Texas.—The stirring and colorful story of the development of agricultural pursuits in West Texas will be told graphically at the Texas Frontier Celebration, opening here July 18, in a display being arranged by the West Texas chamber of commerce.

D. A. Bandoen, Vice President and General Manager of the West Texas organization, has taken the leadership in arranging the exhibit to depict the development of America's "Last Frontier." The exhibit will tell in a dramatic and impressive manner a story of wheat, wool and mohair, oil and minerals, agriculture with its cotton, feeds, and diversified products, and cattle.

Interesting feature of the exhibit will be the display of more than 400 branding irons which has been loaned to the show by A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank at Houston.

West Texas educational institutions also will be well represented in the exhibits. The exhibit building is built as an old depot station 110 by 80 feet in size.

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HONOLULU JUNKS OLD AUTOS

HONOLULU (U.P.)—Honolulu claims a better average class of motor cars than any other American city. Obsolete machines are dumped immediately into the sea instead of being reconditioned.

"CHERRY" TREE A LILAC

TOLEDO (U.P.)—For years, a "mystery tree" grew in Dr. George M. Reinhart's yard. It looked like a cherry tree, but never bore cherries. Now it is blooming—not cherry blossoms, but white lilacs.

ROSES CHANGE COLOR

PORTAGE, Wis. (U.P.)—A Scotch rose bush, which has borne white blossoms for 30 years, this year budded with deep pink roses. Mrs. George Cliff, its owner, said no naturalist has yet explained the reason for the change in color.

HORSE'S ODD DEATH PUZZLES

DUNNING, Cal. (U.P.)—Psychologists are wondering if a horse can die of fright. An 8 year old girl was riding a horse between whom a real affection existed, when she fell off. The horse took a few more steps and fell dead.

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