

I don't think we've ever lived in a time when the influence of a good neighbor was more needed throughout the world—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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THE FORECAST
WEST TEXAS: Fair today and tonight.

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Four Men Killed In Oil Well Accident

\$500,000 Oil Lease Transaction Completed

Body of Murdered Man Discovered In Lake

LIVES ARE SNUFFED OUT BY POISON GAS

Bids Goodbye to Girlhood



Given the choice of being a man or a woman, Zdenka Koubka, 24, chose to become a man at the insistence of a girl he now plans to wed. Koubka, seen right as member of the Czech women's track team, set the woman's record for 800 meters in the 1932 Olympics. He is pictured at left on arrival at New York, under a woman's passport, to fill a theatrical engagement. Another operation will complete his transformation.

Midland Public Schools Will Be Opened For 1936-37 On Seventh of Next Month

The Midland public schools will open the 1936-37 term, Monday, Sept. 7, Supt. W. W. Lackey has announced.

More detailed information about the opening and a list of the teachers in the system will be published in a later issue of The Reporter-Telegram.

New Course Offered

Every ambitious student who expects to specialize in some Occupation should investigate the Diversified Occupational Training Program. Mr. H. D. Beard, who will teach and supervise the course, has arranged to be at the High School every morning of next week to explain the course for the benefit of the students and parents. Arrangements for the course must be made within the next few days.

The purpose of the Diversified Occupations course is to give the student practical working experience in that type of business in which he chooses to work. The student will receive pay for his services in the business but he must not plan to take the course for immediate financial returns. The student must understand that this course is to prepare him for a position in some chosen business in which he would like to work after he has finished high school and he should not plan to take it for any other reason.

Boys, Girls, Eligible

The course is offered to both girls and boys of junior and senior rank. The students will spend the morning in school where he will devote two class periods to the study of Diversified Occupations and meet classes for regular high school courses the other two periods. In the afternoon the student will spend his entire time in the business where he is employed receiving the training of actual experience under the supervision of his employer.

All available material concerning the occupation in which the student is being trained will be collected and placed in his hands to study during his class period at school. The student's supervised study will be carried on directly parallel to his work in the business. During the class period throughout the year the student will take each separate phase of the working program assigned to him by his employer and study it in detail, using the informational material the school and his employer has collected for his use.

Advantages Cited

The Diversified Occupations pro-

Trent Farmer Leads Officers After Confession

SWEETWATER, Aug. 15. (P)—The body of G. H. Jones, middle-aged filling station operator, was found in Lake Sweetwater Saturday by officers who were directed by Clarence Duncan, Trent farmer, who confessed to the murder of Jones, stating that Jones, a former employer of his wife, had been trying to induce her to leave him, officers said.

Duncan, arrested Wednesday, was formally charged Friday with murder. He made a statement to officers after three days of questioning, according to county attorney Alvin Nemir.

Members of the fire department were summoned to the lake to drag for the body of the murdered man.

Duncan's bride of a month, Billie Lorene Duncan, and brother, Winford Allen, Stamford, also are charged with the murder. They were arrested at Stamford, where they were visiting relatives, after the finding of Jones' car, the lights burning, at noon Wednesday near the White Hat school 13 miles east of here. "osses had spent three days searching for Jones' body.

Jones, who for two months operated a beer place east of here three weeks ago moved to Trent, where he ran a combination grocery and filling station one mile east of the town, at the George West place. He lived in a trailer house, set up beside the service station.

Slicks Up



Being only 45 inches tall isn't going to keep Charley R. Lockhart, tiny state treasurer of Texas, from "painting the town red" during his stopover in New York. He's seen here sipping up for a tour of the bright spots prior to leaving on an ocean cruise financed by the gift of employees in his office.

REBELS REPULSED BY LOYALISTS IN CRITICAL BATTLE

British Announce An Agreement of The Neutrality Pact

By Associated Press

The government Saturday repulsed a rebel attack at Trun in the most vicious assault in the four weeks of war as the British foreign office announced a full agreement with France's proposal for the prohibition of arms and munitions exports to Spain. They warned that meddling in the rebellion might bring "serious repercussions."

K. O. Ambler, San Antonio, Texas, held hostage in the Huécula province by government forces, was reported rescued among 37 other persons.

Complications entered the strife when Portuguese border guards fired on government troops near Camp Major, Portugal.

NUSJ PARTY GIVES UNION PARTY VOTE

Delegates Unanimously Endorse Coughlin Pick In Race

CLEVELAND, Aug. 15. (P)—Representative William Lemke and Thomas O'Brien, union party's presidential and vice-presidential candidates were overwhelmingly endorsed Saturday by the national union of social justice.

BIRDS' NEST SOUP COSTLY SINGAPORE, Aug. 15 (U.P.)—China's favorite delicacy, bird's nest soup, is one of the most costly foods in the world. The new valuation for customs export duty in British North Borneo fixes the value of the delicacy at \$20 a pound, including duty.

AMERICAN GROUP RETAINS TITLE AS SWIM CHAMPIONS

Late Victories By Japs Fail To Lift Crown

BERLIN, Aug. 15. (P)—Japan won the 200 meter breast stroke and the 1500 meter free style Olympic titles here Saturday but failed to overhaul the United States for the official Olympic men's title.

The American girls retained team honors despite a victory by Rita Mastenbrook, Holland, in the 400 meter free style final, Marshall Wayne, United States, won the 10 meter diving championship. Elbert Root and Frank Kurtz, both of the United States, were second and fifth, respectively.

PATIENT RECOVERS

Mrs. W. J. Glenn who was treated for heat prostration at her home here Friday, was reported by the attending physician to be "all right" Saturday.

WICHITA FALLS MAN PURCHASES WARD PROPERTY

Caprito Interests Are Transferred In Sale

IS RECORD DEAL

481 Acres of Proven Production In Change

By FRANK GARDNER

One of the largest oil deals transacted in West Texas in several years came to light Saturday when it was revealed that S. (Blackie) Caprito well known operator, had sold out his holdings in the Southeast Ward field for a reported price of \$25,000.

Through its agent, Barney Flynn of Wichita Falls, Rio Bravo Oil Company is said to have obtained the extensive Caprito leases in the Ward field, including the prolific Bennett 80-acre lease with its eight producing wells. Several tracts totaling 491 acres changed hands in the deal, on them 15 oil wells producing an aggregate daily allowable of 562 barrels and 18 proven locations yet to be drilled.

No part of the payment will be made in oil, it is understood. A reported cash payment of \$140,000 will be made now and a like amount will be paid the first of the year, it was said, the balance to be taken up in notes payable annually.

Formerly of Breckenridge and Big Spring, Caprito is well known in West Texas oil circles. In recent months he has been residing on his lease south of Monahan.

Physician Announces Opening of Offices



Named as permanent chairman of the Cleveland national convention of Father Charles E. Coughlin's National Union for Social Justice, Sylvester W. McMahon is shown above. McMahon is national secretary and Ohio state director of the radio priest's organization.

Dr. Calvin M. Kessler, formerly of the West Side Hospital at Breckenridge, announced today the removal of his office to Midland, at 303 John B. Thomas Building. Dr. Kessler was supervising the installation of fixtures and equipment Saturday.

Marion Peters' Collection of Famous Cattle Brands To Be In The Movies

Marion F. Peters of Plainview, former Midland resident who gained international notice by his unique collection of cattlebrand drawings, is entering new fields of endeavor with his hobby.

He arrived in Midland late Saturday, accompanied by his daughter, Francis Lowe Peters, to assist in the production of short feature film centering about cattle branding and the cattle brands of the West. The central theme will be the passing of hot iron branding on the range.

Melton Barker, who is here to film a kid comedy, employing about 80 Midland children, will make the cattle brand feature film also. He and Peters are collaborating on the "chatter" or explanatory speaking script to accompany the scenes. Filming of the feature will begin Monday on some ranch near Midland.

As planned by the two, the film will consist of a cattle branding scene. Following that will come office scenes showing Peters and then a group of letters from famous people and their drawings of cattle brands will be thrown on the screen, accompanied by explanatory speeches by Peters. Among these drawings will be those of the half-circle-O of E. J. Coddin, Chas. McClintock's wine-glass, and Audie Francis's Buzzard-X.

Francis Lowe Peters will make two drawings of brands.

The concluding part of the film will show cowboys riding over a hill at the close of the day's work and will feature a musical number.

It is estimated that about 30 days will be required for completion of the film. After completion it will be booked for showing, probably in Texas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico.

Peters whose hobby of cattle brand collection had its inception during the time he lived in Midland as manager of the West Texas Gas company, said that he would be pleased in the event that the film could have its initial showing in Midland as he considered this as the birthplace of the whole idea.

After the film is made he will go to Dallas to confer with booking agents.

He now has more than 300 letters and drawings in his collection from notables all over the world.

While residing in Midland, Peters was prominent in civic affairs and in service club work.

3 ENTOMBED IN A MINE FOUND DEAD

Rescuers Fail In Their Efforts to Save Men From Dying

KIRKLAND, Ontario, Aug. 15 (P)—Three miners entombed almost a half-mile below the surface at the Lakeshore gold works were dead Saturday, the Canadian press reported.

WOMAN TELEGRAPHER SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 15. (U.P.)

Mrs. Mary Love Neff, pioneer telegraph operator who started service in 1867 and worked during the Black Hawk Indian War, has been honored by Old-Time Telegraphers and Historical Association. She holds a life membership in the association.

Flanagan Qualifies for Degree in Study of The Older Generation By Activities for Pension Applicants

By KATHLEEN EILAND

If a degree in the study of the Older Generation were being offered, Pete Flanagan of Midland would be an apt candidate for the honor. As investigator for district 18 of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, he has the task of investigating applications for old age assistance in an area of 13 counties in West Texas.

The thirteen, including Howard, Ector, Midland, Martin, Glasscock, Andrews, Gaines, Terry, Lynn, Borden, Garza, Dawson, and Yoakum represent a population of 88,617 according to the 1930 census.

Flanagan's activities, however, are confined to that part of the population which has applied for assistance and that part is a small percent of the whole. Since the federal census of 1930 gave 4500 persons over 65 years of age as residents of district 18, it was estimated that 3000 men and women of this area would ask the state for aid.

In fact, the number has been much lower, only 2100 to date. New ap-

plications are being received each day, however, and the permanent files will probably stabilize at 2400 or 2500.

Work in the district, whose headquarters is at Big Spring under Geo. G. White, began in February of this year but actual investigation of cases opened later.

In Midland county, 80 aged persons are now receiving aid. Those who receive their first pay in August will receive back pay for July, also.

Sees Poverty

As investigator, the Midland man's task is set among the bitter places of existence. He sees lives where the outstanding fact is poverty—not the casual lack of abundance which warns the average Texan to look at the price tag before he buys a new suit or to make the old car do for another year—but the poverty that means insufficient food and clothes that will not keep out the chill of northers.

"I go to places where I actually know there is not enough to eat,"

he said, "and where there is a lack of proper clothes."

But his experiences have left no trace of bitterness or contempt in his attitude. Rather, hearing him place of residence has little to do with the number of applicants as about the same number of persons ask for aid from each county and about the same from towns and rural communities.

They talk, one senses a warm sympathy and an appreciation of his clients—men and women who have been unable through the years to accumulate a financial reserve and now must ask the state for aid.

"I really enjoy working with them," he continued. "Most of them are good, average, needy people."

Not Professionally Trained

Practically all applicants are working people not professionally trained. They did only hard work during their physical prime and when their bodies were worn out they had no trained professional skill to support them.

Mr. Flanagan's records, however,

have included the case of one superannuated preacher and one or two old time school teachers.

When the person desiring assistance has made application in duplicate from through the office at Big Spring, one copy of the application is sent to Austin and the other to Midland to the investigator. Then the latter's work begins.

He must visit the applicant and observe his living conditions—his home furnishings, their arrangement, the food, and clothing. His report is turned in to the Big Spring office and allocation of assistance is made according to the needs of the individual.

Fifteen dollars a month is the maximum state aid, matched by an equal sum from the federal government. The amount of assistance may be set below this, at the point dictated by the applicant's judged needs.

Husband and wife do not necessarily receive the same amount, he explained. If one is in bad health,

Four men, B. B. Stripling, Granville Tolbert, Jack Hall, Bertis Magness, all employees of the Chemical Process Company of Odessa, died at 12:10 a. m. Saturday before they could be dragged from the cellar of an oil well they were preparing to treat in Crane county.

The well, known as the Magnolia No. 6 Edwards, is in the Waddell pool in the northern part of the county and had come in for strong natural oil and gas production two days earlier. The acid crew was engaged in loading the hole with oil before pumping in acid, and the chain of events leading to the four-fold tragedy started when one of their number descended into the cellar of the rig to open the casing gate-valve and release some the gas pressure.

Tolbert was reported to have been the first of the quartet to have gone into the cellar. As he opened the valve, it was reported, he was heard to scream for help. Stripling immediately rushed into the cellar in an effort to ascertain what was wrong. When he did not appear immediately, one of the other men, others at the scene of the accident were uncertain whether it was Hall or Magness) were in after him. After only a short lapse of time the fourth member of the crew attempted to reach the stricken ones but also fell a victim.

Leo Hurley, fifth and last member of the company crew, tried to go in to the pit after the men, holding his breath while doing so, but was "hit" by the poisonous gas and barely managed to reach safety.

While Hurley was attempting to reach the men one of the members of the drilling crew on the well on which the acid men were working, went to an adjoining lease and obtained the help of a rig crew there.

Several methods of rescuing the men were tried before gas masks were finally procured, after which rescuers entered the death zone and brought out the bodies of the victims.

Tolbert, Hall and Magness were all residents of Breckenridge while Stripling, superintendent of the company in this zone was from Hamilton. The bodies of all the victims were sent to their home towns for burial. Stripling will be buried in Hamilton this afternoon.

At the time of their deaths all the victims were residing in Odessa. According to reports, three were married but Tolbert was the only member that left and children. He was the father of two.

LINT CARRY-OVER IN U. S. PLACED AT 5,000,000 BALES

Consumption During The Year Brings Down Total

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15. (P)—The current season cotton carry-over was placed at 5,397,185 bales by the census bureau Saturday, compared with 7,280,477 one year ago and 7,743,695 two years ago.

Consumption during the year ending July 31 was reported at 6,348,432 bales lint and 731,490 linters compared to 5,360,867 lint and 719,000 linters the preceding year.

FOES OF JEWS SAYS HE WAS ATTACKED; LETTERS STOLEN

Unknown Assaultants Slug Doctor In Hotel Room

AHEVILLE, Aug. 15. (P)—Doctor Charles Vaughn, Los Angeles pastor and leader of opposition to the inclusion of Jews in a conference of clergyman and laymen, reported Saturday that he was slugged as he entered his hotel room here.

He said that when he regained consciousness he found his room looted of a quantity of letters addressed to persons who had been combating communism.

22 PERSONS KILLED WHEN TRUCK IS HIT BY FREIGHT TRAIN

Driver Pulls Ahead Of Cars In Path Of Train

LOUISVILLE, Quebec, Aug. 15. (P)—Twenty-two men and boys were killed and a dozen injured when a fast freight struck a large truck in which they were riding.

Four persons in the truck jumped to safety. Observers said that the truck passed two cars which had halted at the grade crossing for the train, and drove directly into the path of the locomotive.

The truck contained members of a group returning from a political rally.

MODERN 'VALJEAN' WILL BE RETURNED

Marland Rules Escaped Convict Must Serve His Sentence

FORT SILL, Aug. 15. (P)—Governor E. W. Marland announced today that Carlton B. Chilton, Cleveland, Ohio, who escaped the Oklahoma reformatory 23 years ago, must return to finish a two-year sentence for stealing \$400 from a bank.



When people's ideas are in harmony, they can act in concert.

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BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

By RODNEY DUTCHER Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—As the extent of the drought disaster begins to be realized, it becomes increasingly likely that we will hear more and more about crop insurance.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace has been promoting the idea. There is also at least a hint that Gov. Alf Landon has been studying it, with a view to a possible pronouncement later.

Both the Hoover and Roosevelt administrations have established farm relief programs and neither program has proven satisfactory.

The old federal farm board is a sad memory. The AAA crop control programs have been messed up by drought and the supreme court, even assuming they were otherwise sound.

No one knows how the current soil conservation program will turn out, but it is obvious enough that farmers need some protection against the ravages of nature and that it may be good political medicine to propose some such plan for them.

Furthermore, the "ever-normal granary" plan, which Wallace suggests should be combined with any system of crop insurance, presumably would also serve to protect consumers from violent fluctuations in food prices such as occurred in the case of meat last year and will soon be repeated.

Collect Valuable Data. AAA officials are working on plans for crop insurance covering all possible risks to wheat. Regardless of whether a new deal or a republican administration decides that a federal system of insurance is a good thing, the records of the AAA will prove invaluable in determining the extent to which the system would be feasible.

These records cover individual farms for six years and although they cover only farmers who participated in AAA programs and the period is about the worst that American agriculture has ever had, there was no prior data on which an actual study might be made.

Great areas are likely to produce practically nothing in very dry years and bumper crops in years of heavy rainfall. The succession of drought years, 1930, 1934, and 1936, however, has struck many of the best farming sections.

Jardine Cited Snags. Even in 1928, Secretary of Agriculture William M. Jardine was reporting that every year thousands of beginners in farming and farmers with heavy interest charges to meet "are economically ruined or seriously crippled in their future production programs by reason of unexpected failure or destruction of their growing crops."

At the same time, Jardine pointed out some difficulties in the way of crop insurance system. A uniform rate plan, or even an ap-

proach to it, he said, would result in discrimination against the better farming sections in behalf of less favored sections and would unduly encourage bringing more sub-marginal land into production.

Complaints from localities where insurance premiums were high because of severe crop hazards would be likely to lead to dangerous political pressure for rate revision. It would also be difficult to make sure that policy holders lived up to requisite conditions.

Foggy on Premium Rates. One proposal suggested at AAA would insure the farmer for up to 75 per cent of his crop. Ideas about how to fix the premium rate seem rather hazy thus far. One plan would determine the average annual crop deficiency over a six year period and then work out a similar average for the individual farm.

A rate would be worked out on the basis of each average and then the two rates would be averaged together to compute the premium rate to the acre.

Officials seem to favor collecting premiums in the form of grain rather than in cash and collecting them only in years of excess production. This would both draw off surplus from the market and build up the "ever-normal granary," which would be simply a system of holding grain in storage against lean years.

Blind Veteran Efficient Switchboard Operator

LONDON, (U.P.)—Telephone calls from all over the world pass through the intricate switchboard of the London Hospital, the largest voluntary hospital in England, at the rate of about 800 a day. Yet this vital clog in a hospital of 750 beds is controlled by a blind former service man.

Horace Manning is the man. He was totally blinded while serving with the Sixth City of London Regiment, an d was trained as a telephone switchboard operator. He has been at the London Hospital for 15 years. He never makes a mistake, although he handles eight exchange lines and 37 extensions. He has memorized the numbers of all the doctors and hospital officials. After each toll or trunk call he moves over to a typewriter and types full details of the call for reference.

Bread Thief Not Hungry

BRISTOL, Conn. (U.P.)—A box of bread was stolen during the night at a chain store here, but the next morning one of the store's customers found the box, still containing the bread, at the entrance to a nearby park.

Progress of Social Security In Its First Year Is Revealed

BY FRANK BANE Executive Director, Social Security Board

The Social Security Act will be one year old on August 14.

Its first anniversary finds every state in the Union, Hawaii and the District of Columbia co-operating with the federal government in three or more of the act's provisions—for the aged, the unemployed and the handicapped, and for child welfare and public health.

Eight million workers in 16 states are covered by unemployment compensation laws. Fourteen of these laws were passed after the federal act and 13 already have been approved by the Social Security Board.

These 8,000,000 workers represent approximately 45 per cent of the total number who will be covered when all states have similar laws.

With next legislatures meeting during the coming year, and with at least 14 of them contemplating such laws, the prospects are that this percentage will be raised materially within a year.

CHILDREN ARE AIDED

Nearly a million dependent children and needy aged and blind persons are being kept from want and given a chance to live a normal family life through monthly assistance payments in 40 states.

Thirty-eight states, representing approximately 75 per cent of our total population, have plans approved by the Social Security Board for assistance to the needy aged; 21 states, representing 41 per cent of our population, have plans for the needy blind, and 22, representing about 35 per cent of our population, have plans for dependent children.

In addition, 10 states have submitted to the board for approval 12 plans—three for the aged, three for the blind and six for dependent children.

Every state is benefitting under the child welfare and child health measures of the act, and 46 states, Alaska, the District of Columbia and Hawaii have set up approved plans of their own for one or more of these services—maternal and child health, crippled children and child welfare.

Social Security accomplishments cannot be measured wholly in terms of cash payments to the needy. Records submitted by state and county officials, however, indicate what federal-state public assistance means to the man or the woman who comes to old age without a roof over his or her head or enough food to eat.

The average of monthly payments to the needy aged has increased in North Dakota from \$1.08 a month in 1935 to \$14.86, and in Michigan from \$9.65 to \$16.91.

COVER SEVERAL FIELDS

The provisions of the Social Security Act cover a number of distinct though related fields—unemployment compensation, old-age benefits for the present or future employed, assistance to the needy aged, security for children, aid to the blind, vocational rehabilitation, and public health.

The distinction between old age benefits and public assistance for the needy aged must be clearly understood.

The first which is the only part of the act to be directly administered by the Social Security Board without relation to state legislation or state administration, sets up a plan for making retirement annuity benefits available to those employed now or in the future, when they reach the age of 65.

These annuities, which will begin in 1942, will be paid as a mat-

How Social Security Act Has Helped Needy

The amounts given in the table below represent the total federal funds made available to the states from Feb. 1 to Aug. 7, 1936. Under the Social Security Act, advances are made to the states on their own estimates of needs. At the end of each quarter, these amounts are adjusted on the basis of a federal audit and reports on actual expenditures.

Table with columns: Aged, Blind, Dependent Children, State, and Grand Totals. Lists states and their corresponding financial figures.

The above table excludes the plans for old age assistance in Kentucky, Hawaii, and Louisiana and for aid to dependent children in Louisiana. The plan for Hawaii was approved July 6 and those for Kentucky and Louisiana on August 7.

* Grant provides benefits from July 1 to September 30.

er of right, and their amounts will be in proportion to the individual's wage and work record.

It is estimated that these annuity benefits will begin to accrue for 26,000,000 Americans Jan. 1, 1937.

Public assistance for the aged, on the other hand, provides for cash payments both immediately and in the future, on a basis of need, to those over 65, who, on investigation by the state or county, are found to

be without resources for the necessities of life.

HELP GIVEN BLIND

In addition to providing for the needy aged, public assistance also offers aid to the needy blind and to dependent children. For this grants are made by the Social Security Board to all states with plans conforming with the requirements of the act.

For the aged and the blind these grants come to approximately one-half the total amount spent by the state, and for dependent children to one-third.

One of the most urgent problems confronting the social security program today is that of effective administration and co-ordination of activities within the state, among the various states, and between the states and the federal agencies.

By providing grants to cover the entire cost of state administration for certain measures, and by contributing substantially to the state's administrative expenses for others, the Social Security Act clearly indicates the emphasis placed on effective administration.

HIGH STANDARD SET

The fact that three-fourths of the staff of the Social Security Board are appointed from civil service rolls, and that the remaining fourth—experts and lawyers, at the request of the board, been approved by the Civil Service Commission, indicates further the high personnel standards being maintained by the board.

In all these state-federal programs the state makes its own plans, sets up its own administrative machine and is responsible for its effective operation. The Social Security Board stands ready, however, to assist and counsel any state on its own request, in relation to these matters.

All over the country it is being demonstrated in actual practice that a competent staff is a good investment for states that want to get maximum returns on their social security appropriations.

Progress is also being made—through joint planning on the part of agencies within a state, through inter-state conferences, through state and federal co-ordination—in integrating the work of the various partners in this great co-operative enterprise.

The social security program is in line with a course along which we have been moving for many years, and which in 1935 brought us to the Social Security Act.

We have not reached the end of the road, but in this first year of the act, we have taken a long stride forward.

Forest Fire Damage Curbed NAKINA, Ont. (U.P.)—Residents here buried their furniture and other belongings underground and fled when forest fires threatened the village.

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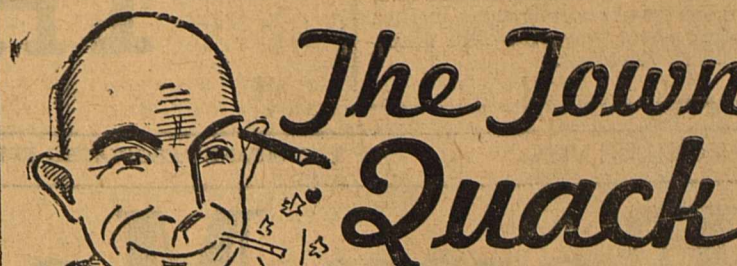
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The Town Quack

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

Hap Corrigan fishes on the gulf coast the fore part of the summer and then goes to the Colorado streams for the balance.

Add to list of pep show attenders: Gordon Holcombe.

I want to be an executive. I've just read where a business expert said that an executive should leave the details to his underlings. He should let them make their own decisions, should give them responsibility and should protect himself from fatigue. I want to be an executive.

"What, no poetry today?" asked the friend.

"No," the husband replied. "I don't know what my wife meant, but when she received the last one she wrote and said I must not be taking enough exercise."

Which reminds me of the time I attempted to pull a wise crack in the class of a dignified old college professor.

"Will someone please raise a window?" was his comment.

I read about a letter received by a weekly paper from one of its subscribers:

"Please send a few copies of the paper containing the obituary of my aunt. Also publish the enclosed clipping on the marriage of my niece, who lives in Saugerties. And I wish you would mention in your local column if it doesn't cost anything that I have two nice puppies for sale. As my subscription is out please stop the paper as times are too hard to waste money on newspapers."

Because they have been unable to get any publicity in the society columns, I will relate that Dave Johnson, Felix Stonehocker and Jim Harrison have returned from the tall timber up Cloudcroft way.

I saw O. B. Holt talking to a big crowd on the street and he had both arms stretched as far as he could reach. I didn't know what it was all about until someone said George Glass claims to have caught bigger fish than that up Tincup way.

Buddy's Flowers advertisement with phone number 1089 and address 150 W. Wall.

Suits and Plain Dresses advertisement with price 50c and address 210 N. Colorado.

Gulf States Life Ins. Co. advertisement for Veterans with Harkerider Agency contact info.

Barrow Furniture Co. advertisement featuring quality suites at bargain prices for this week only.

Philco advertisement featuring a radio with 'Three Fronts' and 'Foreign Tuning System'.

GROWING CONDITIONS FOR CROPS IN TEXAS BETTER THAN ONE MONTH AGO

Growing conditions over Texas as a whole were favorable during July, and the condition of all growing crops on August 1 is above that of July 1. Most of the State received rainfall in June and during July, and improved conditions are noted in practically all areas except the eastern side of the Panhandle and the north central area bordering on Oklahoma. In these areas the drought situation is critical. In other areas, excepting scattered localities, moisture supplies have been adequate to excessive, although additional rainfall will be needed in all of northwest Texas to maintain present conditions.

Range and pasture conditions are above average for August 1 and, with the exception of north and northwest Texas, the State is in an excellent position. Rainfall is badly needed in these areas, and if it does not come soon stock will probably be moved to more favored sections in the southern portion of the State and to feed lots.

The Texas cotton crop is forecast

at 3,850,000 bales from the August 1 condition of 72 percent of normal on the 11,912,000 acres left for harvesting after deducting the 10-year average percentage abandoned from the estimated 12,280,000 acres planted this year. This indicates a yield per acre of 155 pounds, based on conditions as of August 1. Last year Texas produced 2,956,000 bales, or an average of 133 pounds of lint per acre, on the 10,657,000 acres harvested.

A crop of 12,481,000 bales is forecast for the United States, based upon an August 1 condition of 72.3 percent of normal and an indicated yield of 199.7 pounds per acre on the 29,924,000 acres left for harvest after deducting average abandonment. Last year the entire Belt produced 186.3 pounds per acre on 27,335,000 acres, or a total of 10,636,000 bales.

Corn condition steadily improved during July and is reported at 67 percent of normal on August 1 as compared with 56 percent a month ago, 85 percent a year ago and 69 percent the August 1 10-year average (1923-1932). The yield per acre is indicated at 16.0 bushels, which is 2.5 bushels above July 1 indication, but is 3.5 bushels below the 1933 yield and eight tenths of a bushel below the 10-year average yield. The total crop is forecast at 68,192,000 bushels compared with 89,368,000 bushels produced in 1931 and 80,574,000 bushels the 5-year average (1928-1932) production.

Grain sorghum acreage has been drastically curtailed this year. The estimate is for 3,560,000 acres for all purposes, which is only 80 percent of the 1935 acreage. With a good feed crop last year and considerable carry-over into this year, Texas farmers apparently anticipated less need for a large sorghum crop and reduced acreage accordingly. August 1 condition of Texas Grain Sorghum is 69 percent of normal compared with 79 percent a year ago and 74 percent the 10-year average. The indicated yield of 14.0 bushels per acre is 1-2 bushels above the 1935 yield and forecasts a total production of 49,840,000 bushels compared with 60,075,000 bushels on the much larger acreage last year. Rainfall will be needed in northwest Texas to mature the grain crop.

The yield per acre of Texas rice is indicated at 51 bushels per acre from a condition of 89 percent of normal on August 1, and the total crop is forecast at 10,557,900 bushels, compared with 8,840,000 bushels last year and 9,029,000 bushels the 5-year average (1928-1932) production.

Texas broomcorn acreage is estimated at 42,000 acres as against 75,000 in 1935. Many growers did not receive satisfactory returns from the 1935 crop and curtailed their acreage this year. The change in plantings is general, but a larger reduction is reported in the northwest. Condition of the crop is placed at 62 percent of normal, which indicates

Side Glances by Clark



"I told him that was our lowest estimate and asked him if he thought we were in the construction business just for the fun of it."

es a yield of 285 pounds per acre and forecasts a total production of 6,000 tons compared with 12,000 tons last year.

The condition of all tame hay is placed at 70 percent of normal, which indicates a yield of 1.00 ton per acre. The forecast of production is 920,000 tons compared with 775,000 tons in 1935. Wild hay condition at 81 percent of normal indicates a yield of 1.00 ton per acre and a total crop of 283,000 tons. The production last year was 305,000 tons.

Sweet potato prospects improved materially during July. Condition on August 1 is reported at 71 percent of normal and indicates a yield of 78 bushels per acre. The crop is forecast at 4,758,000 bushels, compared with 6,300,000 bushels last year.

Fruit crop prospects improved somewhat during July but are still below average. Peaches showed the greatest improvement and production is now forecast at 1,200,000 bushels, which compares with a 5-year average (1928-1932) production of 1,200,000 bushels. The production of 1,200,000 bushels produced in 1935. While it is too early to form a definite idea as to the citrus crop, conditions are about the same as a year ago. Present prospects point to a fairly good crop.

Grandma Shouldn't Give Young Parents Child-Rearing Advice

By Olive Roberts Barton
Sometime I am going to write a book to Grandmas. Not ON them, but to them.

I am a grandma, and I'm not a million either. Here I am with three babies to coddle and cherish, and oh how I do the usual wrong thing. I advise their mother too much. Some times I get them here to myself and, although I don't have the ready cookie-jar handy, being a desk person pretty much, I hand out cookies in the form of all kinds of concessions. I ruin them by taking it for granted they have some sense and instincts, and give them peace.

But oh, how I pester their mother. I am forever pointing out to her the dangers of this and that. You see, I love them so that I think no one realizes how precious this small fry is but myself.

Dangers of Bedtime
One night I heard a terrific crash overhead. Mother went up to see who threw a bomb. She came down presently and explained calmly that Decdie had got out of bed, climbed her small blue bureau and pulled it over on herself.

Another evening I heard a thump. My heart froze, but again Mother announced upon investigation that Baby had just fallen out of bed, by making a mountain of bed-clothes and pillows and standing on the cliffs she had lost her balance over the crib rail.

Each time I thought, "Well, MY youngster never did that." And then I began to think. Of course they did. Once I was in the country with my toddlers, and an uncle of mine warned, "Watch them. Don't let them go near the barn or near the pig-pen alone."

"Old fossil," I thought. "Just a crank!"

And then one day he called me. He had found one young Columbus exploring the stall of a calf, sitting on the calf's back while the animal was taking a siesta.

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Hardhood Is Desirable, Too
These were only two of the many things I thought too unlikely to bother about. And now comes the thought. Isn't it some kind of providence that makes young mothers so casual? And is it a complete sign of senility that makes us Grandmamas so cautious? What ails us? Why do I think always of the things that might happen?

Naturally, I have learned by experience—and some bitter ones, too—that things do happen. I know now that calves don't always lie still or hogs grunt suspiciously and stay at a safe distance.

But I know, too, that if I ran the roost, my grandchildren would be afraid-cats and sissies in time. I know that my fears would become contagious. That they would not learn to avoid fire, as the "burnt baby" does, or to take care of themselves. I have learned that most young mothers and all young children are products of a plan that includes a bit of adventure. I must not be a "Grammy Tippy Toe," for, if I am I'll have to sit alone. Experience calls and experiences teaches. Safety is important but so is hardhood. There must be a nice balance of both.

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9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Divine worship and sermon by the pastor. He will bring a message on "Finding God in the Sea."
6:15 p. m.—Vesper service. The pastor's subject will be, "Peter's Downward Step."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Cliff M. Epps, Pastor
W. Ivy Pratt, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. DeLo Douglas, Choir Director

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship and sermon by the pastor.
6:30 p. m.—World Friendship club meets at the church under direction of Mrs. Frank Prothro.
7:15 p. m.—Senior and Hi Leagues meet.
8:15 p. m.—Evening service and sermon by the pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Winston F. Borum, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship and preaching by the pastor. Sermon subject: Streams That Fail.
7:00 p. m.—BTU training service.
8:15 p. m.—Evening service, and preaching by the pastor. Sermon subject: Traffic Lights.

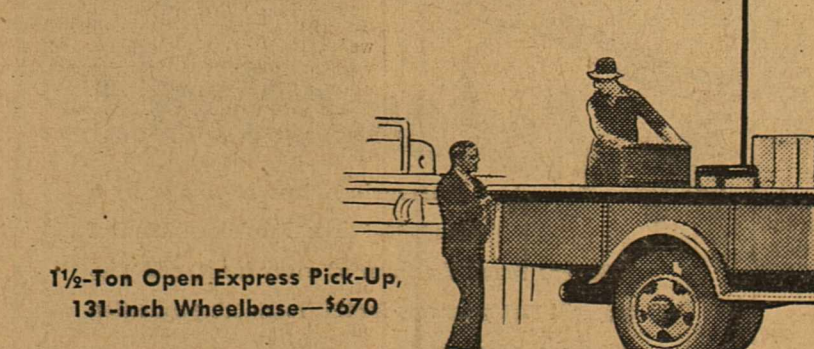
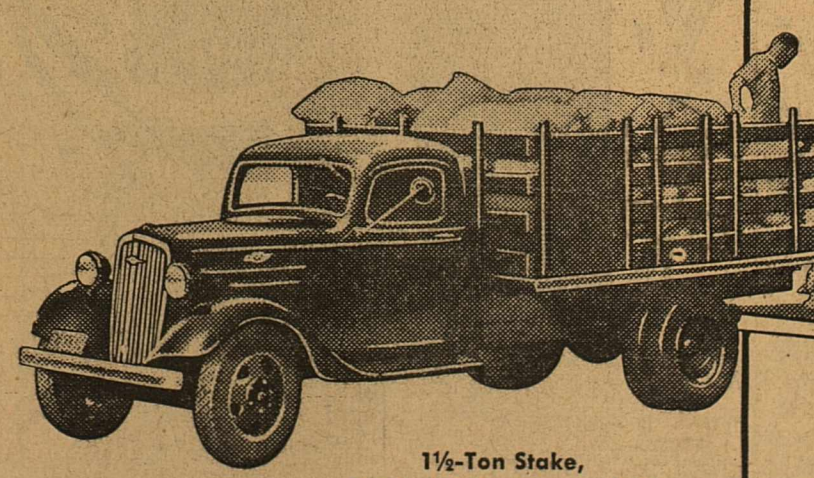
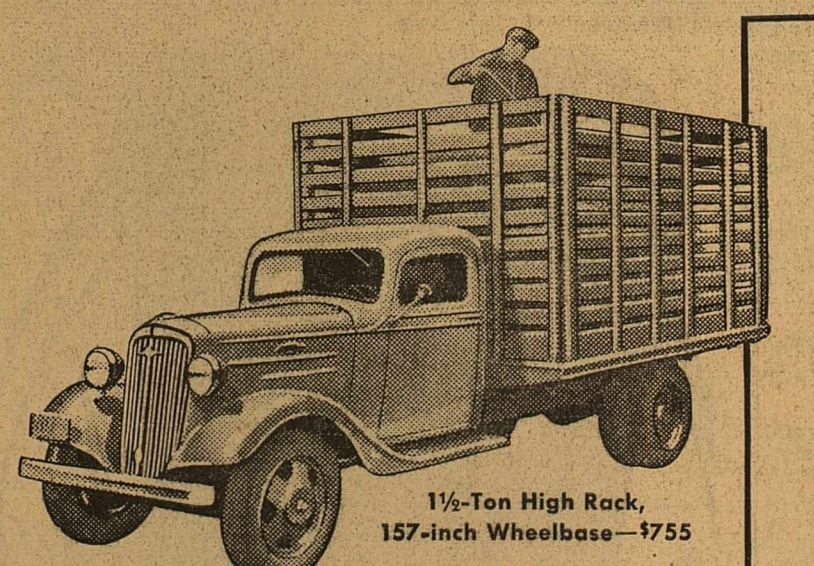
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H. G. Bedford, Supt. Bible School
Mrs. Iee Cornelius, Director of Music

9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
10:50 a. m.—Communion service.
11:00 a. m.—Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: God's Personal Call.
6:00 p. m.—Evening service and sermon by the pastor. Subject: The Sure Power of Prayer.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
10:00 a. m.—Sunday morning Bible study.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship and sermon.
6:00 p. m.—Sunday evening service.
3:30 p. m.—Tuesday Women's Bible class.
8:00 p. m.—Wednesday—Midweek Bible study and prayer service.

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Society and Clubs

Engagement of Miss Dunagan to Mr. Neill Is Announced at Dinner Party on Friday

The H. B. Dunagan home was the scene, Friday evening of an attractive four course dinner, at which the announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Annie Fay Dunagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, to Ernest Neill was made known. Mrs. Dunagan, mother of the bride-elect, was hostess for the occasion.

The color theme of pink and white was carried out in both the floral decorations and appointments. Large floor baskets and one table bouquet of pink zinnias were placed at vantage points about the room. The dinner tables were arranged in the shape of a horseshoe, at the head of which sat the honoree. Immediately facing her was a miniature wedding party, made up of small dolls, standing before a small improvised archway of baby breath and lace fern. Asparagus fern and white periwinkles bedecked the inside edge of the table, while the white and pink periwinkles formed the floral decorations for both wings of the table. The remainder of the decorations further carried out the pink and white color theme, the small place cards bearing a tiny lily of the valley seal, while the mint cups, in the shape of small bridal hats tied with chiffon ribbons, were all in pink.

Miss Sil Honors Handley Visitor At Bridge Party Friday

Honoring Miss Virginia McCamey, of Handley, Texas, Miss Maxine Sil entertained with three tables of bridge at her, 124 South Big Spring, Friday afternoon.

Peach, green, and yellow was the color scheme carried out in the gay table covers, tallies, and refreshment plates. Red and green cherries frozen in peach tinted ice cubes floated in fruit punch, and the plate contained a congealed salad of delicate green. The sandwiches were flower shaped, with yellow filling, and centered with Bon bon dishes, filled with peach, green, and yellow candies were on the tables.

A large basket of brilliantly hued marigolds and asters added to the decorations. Miss McCamey was presented with the guest prize, an Elizabeth Arden gift box. To Miss Jean Brewer, recently moved to Midland from Breckenridge, went the award for high score, a bottle of eau de cologne.

Guests were: The honoree, Misses Doris Black, Edna May Elkin, Dorothy Cummings, Dorothy and Dell Perkins, Evelyn Phillips, Margaret Miles, Wanda Ticknor, Read Thomas, Jean Brewer, Isabel McClintic, Mrs. Jake Tibbets, and the hostess.

Games Vary Routine Of Story Hour At Children's Library

Games varied the procedure of story telling at the story hour held by Mrs. J. R. Ashley in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning.

Betty Ruth Pickering presented a piano solo and Ann Mason told a ghost story as special numbers.

Children present were: Ann Mason, Cecil McCoy, Norma Jean McCoy, James Pennington, James Spears, George Merritt, J. C. Flowers, Carter Flowers Jr., Duane Fritz, Helen Conner, Mary Nell Moran, Laverne Vaughan, Lillie Jean Vaughan, Joan Vaughan, Jeannette Vaughan, Betty Ruth Pickering, Eloise Pickering, Walter Sutton, Robert Sutton, Charles Sutton, Irma Tunnell, Paul Tunnell, Audie Merrill, Royce Williamson, Charles Williamson, Dennis Stevens, Cecil Stevens.

Mary Taylor Leader For Friendship Club

The World Friendship club will meet Sunday evening at the Methodist church at 6:30 o'clock. Mary Katherine Taylor will be leader in the following program:

Hymn—No. 85.
Prayer—
Scripture—Psalm 67.
Talk—"My Country"—Minnie Frances Merrell.
Quiet Music—
Poem—"My Garden"—Helen Conner.
Talk—"The Feast Dolls"—Marjorie Hall.
Roll Call—
Hymn—No. 134.
Benediction—

FEMININE FANCIES

By KATHLEEN EILAND

"We can understand the quirk in a woman's constitution or mentality that will make her exchange a good meal at noon for a sandwich—just in order to get a shampoo and wave-set.

We can't understand it—but we're perfectly capable of doing it.

For the most cooling fruit on these days, our vote goes to grapes. The big gray-green kind with lots of meat and few seeds.

The new gold jewelry is lovely. It will be especially effective with the rich blacks worn this winter. We like particularly the chains with heavy lavaler effects and the almost barbarically-wide bracelets to match.

For those interested in home decorations, we garnered this recipe for a "dream window": "Dull silver fabric for draperies, hanging in simple straight folds. Glass curtains of white lace net, fine and filmy as a cobweb. Wallas of ivory toned wall paper, with a silver, yellow, green and white design."

Sounds charming enough for a dream, anyway.

We like the severe simplicity and the straightforward outlines of the new Post Office building as shown in the architect's sketch on display in the old building.

Since it is to face the courthouse, we are glad the architecture is to be in keeping with the design of that building.

Our most heartfelt thanks as a savior to all beauty-loving working girls would go to the person who contrives to make a shoe that is comfortable enough to wear to work and good looking enough that one doesn't mind wearing it.

Personals

Gordon Holcomb and family have returned from Dallas and other cities on a vacation trip. They visited the Centennial while away.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Hubbard and children of Carlsbad, N. M. are the guests of his sister, Mrs. R. O. Walker and family, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cornelius and family have returned from a few days' visit to his father at Mineral Wells and from a visit to the Frontier Centennial celebration at Fort Worth. Mrs. Cornelius' father, J. K. Graves, is visiting them here.

Mrs. H. O. Ward of Rush, is visiting her son and family. Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Crites.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox have returned from a trip to Minnesota, Idaho, and other sections of the country.

Miss Joan Montgomery of Fort Stockton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Fulk. She will be here all this week.

Lum Daugherty left Saturday for the Double Heart ranch rodeo at Sweetwater.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Pickering and family will leave Monday for Mississippi where they will visit his people. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Pickering's mother, Mrs. L. O. Thompson, who will continue on to her home in Florida. She has been visiting her daughter for sometime.

Mrs. R. Steele Johnston and son, Milton, are leaving this weekend for Georgia where they will spend a month visiting relatives. Mrs. Johnston announced that she will return by Sept. 15 in order to open her winter classes in the speech arts at that time.

Mrs. A. E. Feeler, Miss Algerine Feeler, and Miss Janice Mullins spent the past weekend in San Angelo.

Mrs. Susie Graves Noble left Saturday for Fort Worth, where they will attend Midland Day at the Centennial.

J. M. Jacobs, of Iran, was in Midland Saturday on business.

Mrs. Alice Humble, and her mother, Mrs. W. G. Jameson, of Colorado are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schroder. Mrs. Schroder is a daughter of Mrs. Humble.

Jimmy Ross and orchestra are making their headquarters at a Midland hotel for the next month, during an engagement with a nearby night club.

Jack Harrison, salesman from Long Beach, California, is in Midland on business.

R. W. Upham and family will attend Midland Day at the Centennial.

Miss Marjorie Ward will leave tonight for Pecos for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ward. The children of the

Three Will Speak At Senior League Meeting Today

"Power in Overcoming Temptations" will be the subject of the program to be presented by the Senior League of the Methodist church this evening.

Alvon Patterson, League president, will be in charge of the meeting which will open with the making of announcements and a prayer.

Three talks will form the chief features of the program. Miss Frances Epps will speak on "In the Moment of Trial." Jane Walker will discuss, "Outrunning Our Temptations"; and Mamie Turlington will talk on "Prayer."

The opening hymn will be "Give of Your Best" and the closing one will be "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer."

The meeting will be closed with repetition of the League benediction.

Visitor Honored At Party For Bible Class

Honoring Mrs. L. O. Thompson who is to leave Midland after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Pickering, Mrs. L. A. Denton entertained members of Mrs. Stokes' Bible class of the First Christian church at her home, 407 N. Loraine, Thursday afternoon.

A testimonial meeting occupied most of the party hour.

The honoree was presented with a shower of handkerchiefs.

Refreshments were served at the tea time to: The honoree, Mmes. J. V. Stokes Sr., F. F. Elkin, S. E. Mickey, Vowter, G. H. Butler, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Pickering, Mmes. Glenn, Scholte, Driver, Frank Ingham, D. B. Snider, J. T. Ragsdale, Jones, Henry Cummings, Bill Conner, and the hostess.

couple will hold a family reunion during her visit.

Miss Marcelline Wyatt returned last week from Plainview, where, for the past six weeks, she has visited her aunt, Mrs. Otis McClain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Campbell and son, Billy, have returned to Tyler after a visit with Mrs. M. W. Campbell and J. W. Campbell.

Marjorie Campbell who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. W. Campbell, has returned to her home at Odessa.

Russel E. Shradler, former band master of Midland high school, was in Midland today on business.

Announcements

Monday
All circles of the Baptist missionary society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for a regular business meeting followed by personal service work.

All circles of the Methodist missionary society will hold their social meeting at the home of Mrs. B. F. Haag, president, 209 N. Big Spring, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Baptist YWA will meet with Miss Lucille Scarborough, 802 S. Main, Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Mrs. J. B. Crawford will teach a lesson from the YWA manual.

The Florence Reed study club will postpone the meeting scheduled for Monday evening because of the picnic for Eastern Star members at Cloverdale Tuesday.

Tuesday
The Bridgeette club will meet with Mrs. S. M. Warren, 515 W. Wall, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Women's Bible class of the Church of Christ will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the church.

The Eastern Star will hold a picnic at Cloverdale Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Members will bring basket lunches.

Friday
Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Hoy Burrus Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Saturday
Story hour will be held in the children's library from 10 o'clock until 11 Saturday morning. Mrs. J. R. Ashley will be in charge.

Belmont Class Meets in King Home

Mrs. W. L. Fickett presented a verse by verse lecture and lesson on the sixth chapter of Romans at the weekly meeting of the Belmont Bible class at the home of Mrs. Herbert King Friday afternoon.

Members attending were: Mmes. C. O. Fredregill, J. B. Vivian, W. G. Attaway, C. E. Strawn, Paul Smith, Hoyt Burrus, R. E. Dupuy, A. W. Lester, Roy McKee, Jimmie Gee, C. E. Nolan, W. P. Collins and the hostess.

The class will meet with Mrs. Burrus Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

O. B. Holt and family are back from an extended vacation, tour that took them through California and back by way of Tincup, Colorado.

Pecos Couple Is Wed in Twilight Ceremony Here

Mrs. Lillie Pearl Palmer of Pecos became the bride of J. C. Buchanan, also of Pecos, in a twilight ceremony at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Wadley, 907 W. Michigan, Friday evening.

Rev. Winston F. Borum read the ceremony before a small group of relatives assembled on the lawn in the backyard of the Wadley home.

The bride wore a lovely chiffon print frock with matching accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of violets.

After the wedding, the couple left by motor for a wedding trip to Dallas, Galveston, and the Rio Grande Valley, after which the two will be at home in Pecos.

Mrs. Buchanan is well-known here having visited her sister a number of times.

Mr. Buchanan is a brother of T. O. Buchanan of this place.

Swim and Picnic Compliment Visitor

Entertaining for her cousin, Betty Jane Williams of Lubbock, Louise Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cox, was hostess at a swimming party at Pecos Pool Friday evening, followed by a picnic.

Guests for the evening were: The honoree, Wilma Mahoney, Liza Jane Lawrence, Edith Wemple, Virginia Drippeman, Jean Ann Cowden, and the hostess.

Friendly Builders Class Has Picnic

The Friendly Builders class of the First Methodist Church sponsored a picnic at Cloverdale Park Friday evening. Basket suppers were served.

Class members present included: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barber and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Terry and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Prothro and family.

Remember Scalp in Your Daily Dozen

BY ALICIA HART
NEA Service Staff Writer

The healthiest scalps are the ones brushed and massaged every day. The loveliest figures belong to women who go in for sports or do setting-up exercises regularly. The nicest ankles and hands are those that are not allowed to get stiff. In other words, exercising your body from head to foot makes you more attractive and keeps you younger looking.

Don't give your hair a superficial brushing that does not stimulate circulation or cleanse and polish. As you begin each stroke, place the brush flat against your head and pull your hair upward to lift and exercise the scalp. A nightly brushing is one of the best cures for dandruff, excessive dryness and many other hair ailments.

Before you start to brush, it is a good idea to place your elbows on a table, rest your head in your hands, then, using fingertips, to move your scalp back and forth a few times. The idea is to loosen small particles of dust and dry skin, also to bring up circulation which, incidentally, is beneficial to your complexion as well as your hair.

Nowadays, most women realize the importance of bending and stretching routines that keep waistlines slender and supple. But a good many pay no attention to their hands, knees and feet.

To keep ankles young looking one should stretch them back and forth five minutes a day, walk barefooted about the bedroom, play up marbles or pebbles with the toes. Your old favorite, the riding-the-bicycle exercise is excellent for the knees. Opening and closing your hands rapidly twenty times a day won't change their shape or make them as beautiful as Jane Cowly's, but it will keep them from looking and feeling stiff and awkward.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Daugherty and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holmes left Saturday for the Davis Mountains.

Slumber Party At Howe Home Honors Miss Betty Minter

Honoring Miss Betty Minter, of Gonzales, and formerly of Midland, Miss Mary Howe entertained the "Checked Brides" club of the class of '36 with a slumber party on the lawn of her home at 1311 West Holloway Friday night.

Saturday morning, the hostess's mother served a squash breakfast, after which the group went kodacking, and participated in various other amusements for the day.

The guest list included: The honoree, Misses Marcelline Wyatt, Marcel Scarborough, Dorothy Barnes, Gertrude Vance, Jane Marie Johnson, and the hostess.

Miss Minter has been visiting her friends in Midland for the past two weeks, and plans to return to Gonzales in about three days.

Hi League To Hold Picnic Meeting

The regular weekly meeting of the Hi League of the First Methodist church will be dispensed with today in favor of a combination league meeting-picnic at the sand hills of Scharbauer ranch No. 2, nine miles south of Midland. League members will meet at the office of Ray Gwyn at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and proceed from there to the sandhills.

Ray Gwyn will be in charge of a specially arranged program.

Valley View To Have All-Day Singing

An all-day singing is to be held at Valley View school today, sponsored by the Midland county singing convention.

The Stamps quartet from Lubbock is expected to be the feature of the program.

Dinner will be served on the ground and the public is invited to attend.

USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

Lucky Thirteen Club Meets at Sims Home Friday Afternoon

The Lucky Thirteen club held its bi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Kirby Sims, 909 College, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Progressive 42 furnished entertainment.

The hostess carried out colors of green, white, and gold in playing appointments and in the salad plate served at the close of the games.

Prizes were awarded to holders of high and low score, high score being held by Mrs. W. N. Cole and low score by Mrs. J. T. Walker.

Members present were: Mmes. H. S. Collings, Ellis Conner, J. C. Hudman, O. H. Jones, B. M. Hays, Cole, Walker, John Howe, and the hostess.

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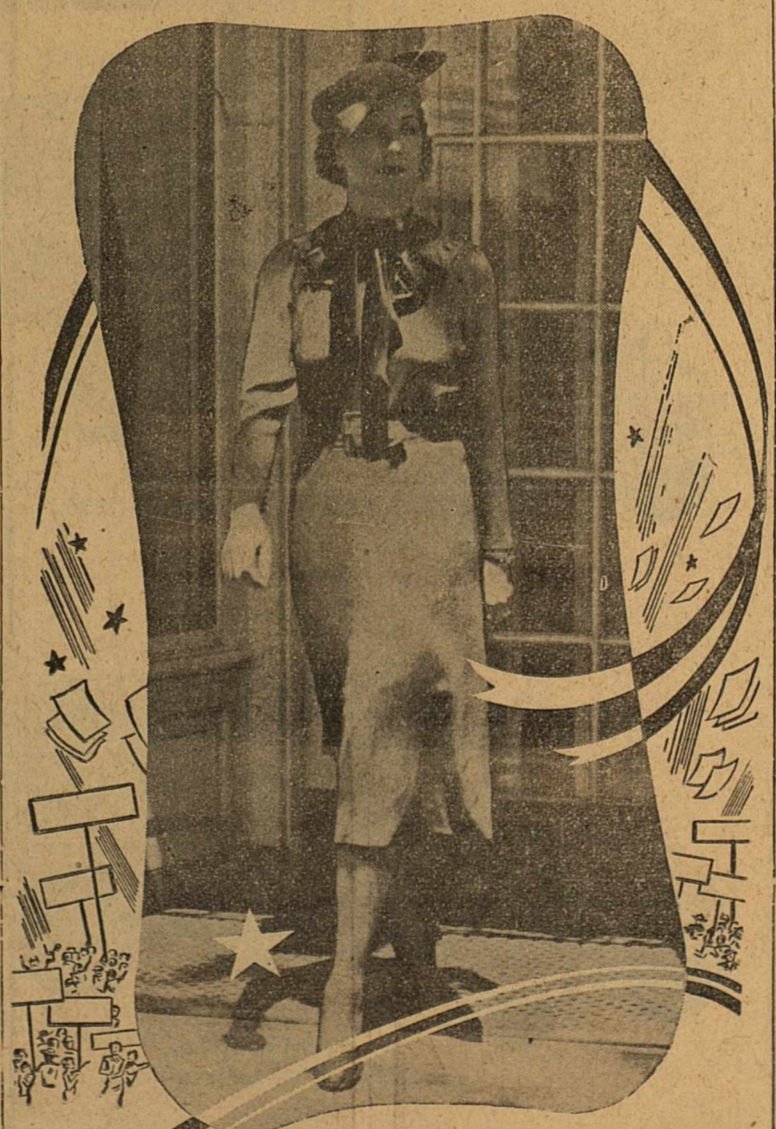


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JOE E. BROWN HAS LAUGH HIT IN THE FILM 'EARTHWORM TRACTORS' AT YUCCA

Never has Joe E. Brown been funnier personally than in his latest First National comedy, "Earthworm Tractors," which is showing today through Tuesday at the Yucca Theatre. Nor has he ever had a more hilarious vehicle in which to display his comic antics than in this picture which is taken from the series of comedy stories written for the Saturday Evening Post by William Hazlett Upson.

Probably no other comedian of stage or screen could have come so close to being the personification of Alexander Botts, natural born super-salesman, in his own mind, whose luck is so phenomenal that even his consistent and colossal blunders turn out to his advantage.

Joe E. makes Alexander Botts, one of the most comical heroes of fiction, live and breathe on the screen as Joe has lost none of his vim and pep as the greatest fun maker of the time.

Joe E.'s two leading women merit special comment. They are June Travis and Carol Hughes, both of the brunette beauty type. The latter ditches him and marries his rival the minute Joe leaves town, much to her regret when Joe eventually makes good, while her husband turns out to be just a false alarm. The former also turns up her nose at Joe when she hears of the first love episode. But Joe finally gets his real through another series of hilarious blunders.

Both girls show remarkable talent in their roles. In this picture, although neither have had a long screen experience, Miss Travis went directly into pictures at First Na-

tional after a screen test. Miss Hughes, however, had been doing a singing and dancing act on the stage when picked up by First National scouts.

There is a talented supporting cast with Guy Kibbee giving a hilarious performance as a cantankerous and partly deaf old man to whom Joe tries for long in vain to sell tractors.

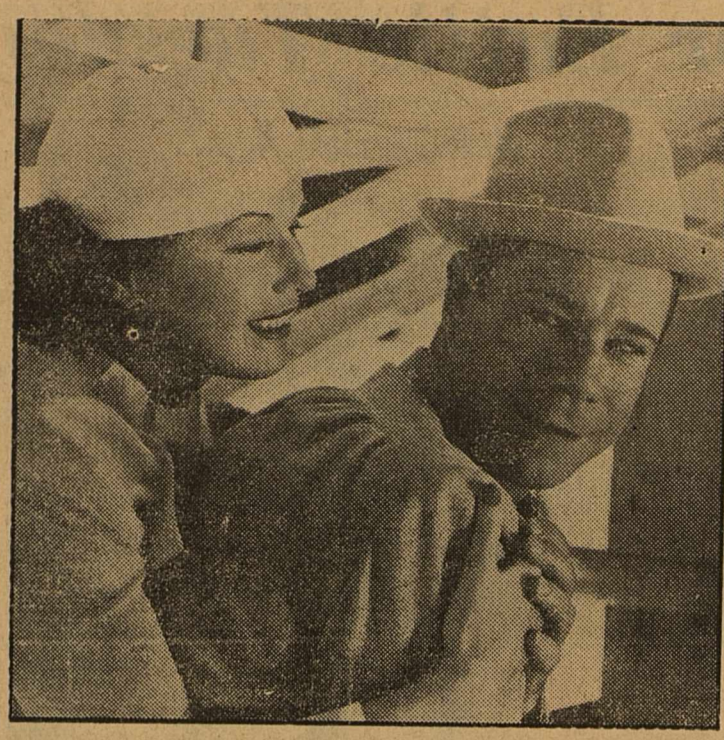
Dick Foran is excellent in his role as the successful rival of Joe in love playing his part straight and acting as a foil to Joe's antics. Gene Lockhart, the famous stage comedian, gives a good account of himself as the rival salesman of Joe E. in the tractor field.

At The Library

Books taken from the rent shelf and placed on seven-day-shelf are: Binns, Lightship; Chase, Mary Peters; Christie, Mr. Parker Pyne detective; Christie, Murder in Three Acts; Barnes, Within This Present; Dell, Electric Torch; Dinsen, Seven Gothic Tales; Dyer, A Storm is Rising; Ballada, The World Outside; Lawrence, Years Are So Long; North, Ploving on Sunday; Mannings-Sutton, Black God; Norris, Beauty's Daughter; Miller, Come Out of the Pantry; Parrish, Sea Level; Wynne, All About Jane; Williams, Masks Off at Midnight; Wells, Seven Famous Novels; Stone, Cold January; Bailey, Radiant Tree.

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In "Earthworm Tractors"



That's Joe E. Brown with his lovely leading lady, June Travis, in a scene from Brown's latest First National comedy, "Earthworm Tractors." Brown plays the role of Alexander Botts, tractor salesman hero of the renowned Saturday Evening Post stories which have convulsed a nation. The film is showing today thru Tuesday at the Yucca Theatre.

'WHITE FANG' IS SEQUEL TO JACK LONDON'S 'CALL OF THE WILD' FILM

Replete with the romance of the far north and filled with the drama of the lawless frontier, "White Fang," Jack London's great sequel to "Call of the Wild," is now showing at the Ritz Theatre. With Michael Whalen and Jean Muir heading an exceptional cast.

A Darryl F. Zanuck Twentieth Century production, "White Fang" takes up where London's other stirring adventure-drama left off and weaves a thrilling story of gold and greed, love and danger. Intermingled with the narrative is the biography of Lightning, the mighty son of Buck, the dog-star of "Call of the Wild," and a she-wolf.

Whalen, an adventurer down on his luck, is persuaded by Thomas Beck, a newcomer to the north, to guide him on a long trek into the interior in search of a gold mine bequeathed to Beck and his sister. Whalen acquiesces but refuses to permit the girl to accompany them. Slim Summerville, Whalen's partner, is left behind to look after Miss Muir.

The long, nerve wracking trip over the ice and snow is too much for Beck. He eventually goes mad and jumps over a precipice while Whalen falls unconscious. A pack of wolves has been trailing the pair for miles and, when the man drops, the beasts close in. The leader is a magnificent creature and the unfamiliar man-scent stirs some old emotion in his brain. He viciously chases the remainder of the pack and assumes guard over the man.

Whalen is saved by a group of prospectors and papers in his pocket lead them to believe that he is Beck. Whalen adopts the half-dog that saved him and, as Beck, assumes ownership of the mine. He is forced to discontinue the foreman, John Carradine, when he finds him stealing.

Miss Muir arrives with Summerville and accepts Whalen publicly as her brother. Carradine is still suspicious, however, and when Beck's body is found in the snow, he convinces a mob that it is murder and they set out to lynch Whalen.

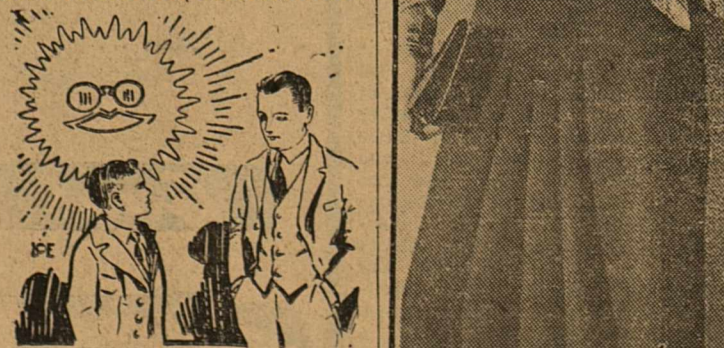
"White Fang," the dog, and Miss Muir are Whalen's only hope of rescue. The girl is torn between love for him and fear that he is the murderer of her brother. The climax comes in a breath-taking rush of thrilling events.

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Madame Pele Fans Furnace Under Kilauea, Superstitious Natives of Hawaii Believe

HILO, Hawaii. (U.P.)—Halemaunau fire pit, heart of Kilauea volcano and nature's unpredictable blast furnace, is stirring and betraying subsurface activity that precedes and eruption.

Latest reports from the Hawaii Observatory at the vast crater's edge reveal that increase activity of rock slides from the walls of the fire pit occurred early this month.

A new scar in the crusted blackened lava have appeared about 400 feet below the northern rim. Persistent dust clouds, indicating earth slides, have risen from the pit at intervals like plumes.

No Predictions Made

Wise to the fickleness of Madame Pele, Hawaii's revered fire goddess, neither Hawaii National Park experts nor old Hawaiians whose predictions are respected as science, would forecast whether Kilauea would actually erupt. The last activity in the Halemaunau fire pit occurred in September 1934, when great masses of molten lava were exploded up from the crater floor and dazzling fire played along the jagged edges of fresh rifts for days.

Eruption of Mauna Loa, companion volcano to Kilauea, which broke out in November, 1935, and lasted more than a month, was the greatest activity recorded in Hawaii in a decade. Since then both craters have been quiet except for the "phantom eruption" on the north side of Mauna Loa last spring. At that time short-lived activity was reported, but not confirmed because it was so far up the mountainside.

Seismic Tremors Recorded

Increasing the significance of current stirring at Kilauea, 41 local seismic disturbances were recorded at the Observatory for the first week in July.

Moreover fresh scars have appeared in the inactive Pauahi and Makaopuhi craters, related to the Kilauea "chair." An increase of fuming and sulphur deposits has been reported in Makaopuhi.

Eruption of Halemaunau, after nearly two years' inactivity except for chronic steaming, would reopen Hawaii's greatest tourist attraction. It would give visitors a much closer view of a volcano in action than activity on remote Mauna Loa since it is in the heart of the Hawaii National Park and accessible by highways.

Pit 700 Feet Deep

A circular pit with sheer walls,

Halemaunau is more than 700 feet deep and more than 1,000 feet across. From the air it resembles a gigantic pothole driven deep into one end of the vast crater of Kilauea. Actually, Halemaunau is not a volcano but the fire pit or "boiler room" of Kilauea.

Even during an eruption, spectators can stand on the edge of Halemaunau behind guard rails with comparative safety since not 10 years has any been hurled above the rim of the pit.

The pit is capable of tremendous activity however, and during record eruptions boulders weighing several tons have been buried thousands of feet through the air.

Cosmetics That Do Double-Duty Are Aid To Budget

BY ALICIA HART
NEA Service Staff Writer

"I make a good many of my beauty preparations do double duty," writes a frugal and ingenious seeker of attractiveness. "This time, instead of asking for advice, I want to tell you about a few time and budget-saving ticks that you may want to pass on to other readers."

"For instance I cannot afford to buy skin tonic and cologne, so I get cologne and use it to remove cream and oils as well as to freshen up my skin after a bath. I also use cologne as a cleanser when I am traveling. I always buy a light-scented variety that my husband will put on after he shaves."

Then this interesting reader goes on to describe a nightly routine that seems to keep her physically fit and well groomed.

"I start with a tub bath. While the water is running, I do about twenty simple bending exercises which keeps me from getting stiff in the knees or thick at the waistline. While in the tub, I wash my face with a complexion brush and scour my nails with a small nail brush. Afterward, I stand under the shower for a minute or two.

"When I have dried myself with a coarse towel and used cologne, I put a light nourishing cream on my face and throat. Then I brush my hair for five minutes and clean my teeth. By the time I have finished, most of the cream has been ab-

sorbed. I remove the excess, put on my hairnet and go to bed.

"Once a week I oil my hair and scalp before I put on the net. Next day, I go to a beauty shop for a shampoo and fingerwave. I always do my own nails. Incidentally, I use a homemade egg mask about twice a month."

Turkeys Battle Crickets

ENREKA, Utah. (U.P.)—An army of 6,000 turkeys won a pitched battle with an opposing army of Mormon crickets, a type of grasshopper that was destroying crops, and completely eradicated them.

Motorists Have More Cash

GLASTONBURY, Conn. (U.P.)—A new barometer of recovery has been found here. The roadside stand business is booming, farmers reveal, adding that there are more cars on the road and more money in the drivers' pockets. "And they don't argue so much about prices," one prosperous farmer chuckled.

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YUCCA Tuesday—
"Earthworm Tractors" with Joe E. Brown.

Wednesday and Thursday—
"Ungraced Hour" with Loretta Young and Franchot Tone.

Friday and Saturday—
"Return of Sophie Long" with Gertrude Michael and Sir Guy Standing.

RITZ
Today and tomorrow—"White Fang" with Michael Whalen and Jean Muir.
Tuesday and Wednesday—"Half Angel" with Frances Dee and Brian Donlevy.
Thursday, only—"The Final Hour" with Ralph Bellamy and Mercedes Churchhill.
Friday and Saturday—"Border Patrolman" with George O'Brien.

Lawless Love

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APPOINT DAVIS TO SUCCEED J. R. KEY

Austin Citizen Named By Governor As LCA Member

AUSTIN, Aug. 15 (AP)—T. H. Davis, Austin, was appointed Saturday by Governor Allred to succeed the late J. R. Key or Lampasas as director of the lower Colorado river authority.

OLD TOWN IN MODEL
RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 15 (AP)—Daniel A. Patron, 22 year old negro, has completed a model of Richmond in 1742 for the Valentine Museum. Patron learned about modeling methods while employed by the United States Park Service studying Yorktown history.

DOG POUND BOOMS
TULARE, Cal., Aug. 15 (AP)—Temporarily the city is not suffering so much from the lack of a "bum blockade" as of a "dog blockade." With 42 dogs impounded in April, 47 in May, and 66 in June, the city is considering the necessity of an assistant pound master.

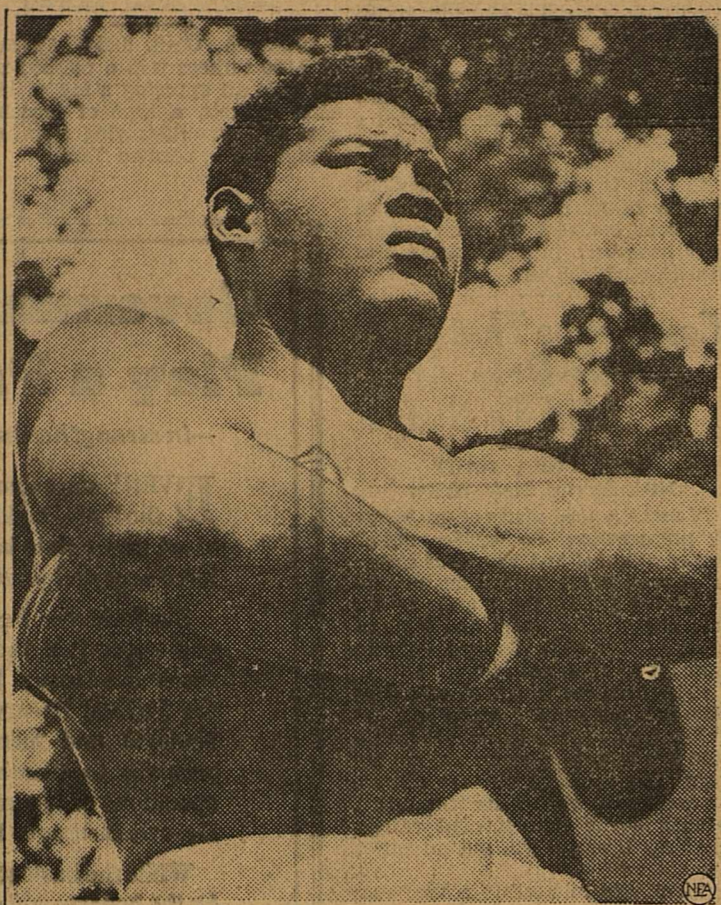


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Sharkey-Louis Prepared for Battle Tuesday

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'Do I look as though I couldn't 'take it'?' Joe Louis seems to be asking in his striking pose.

Boxing Commission Warned to Keep Eye on Gob

BY HARRY GRAYSON
Sports Editor, NEA Service
NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Having permitted the venerable Jack Sharkey to come back for no apparent reason, the Boxing Commission should keep an eye on the former champion's illogical match with Joe Louis at Yankee Stadium on Tuesday night.

The purpose of the 10-round contest obviously is to rebuild Louis, and Sharkey has been mixed up in so many unsatisfactory affairs of the ring that every angle before and during the bout should be carefully scrutinized.

If Louis can fight half as good as he was supposed to be able to before Max Schmeling dipped the chocolate wonder boy in resin, he should belt out Sharkey in three or four rounds. However, the young Negro has looked so bad in workouts that trained observers would not be surprised at anything.

Here we find the strange spectacle of a 34-year-old Sharkey, who has not had a major battle since 1933, and who then was knocked out by Primo Carnera's invisible uppercut and subsequently beaten by King Levinsky and Tommy Loughran being conceded by many a good chance of spilling a Louis who only two months ago was being compared with immortals of the heavy-weight division.

Louis' Training Responsible
Nothing that Sharkey has done has brought this condition about. The former sailor's comeback to date consists of a knockout of Unknown Winston, which he had to perform twice to convince Massachusetts officials that it was on the level; a defeat and only a draw in a return match with the light-hitting Tony Shucro, and a decision over Phil Brubaker, a green youngster.

Louis' performances in training at Pompton Lakes alone are responsible for the shift to Sharkey.

Some believe that Schmeling knocked all the fight out of the Dark Angel, and left him gun shy. Even if Louis has not yet corrected his fault of carrying his left guard too low and is a mark for right hand shots, he shouldn't have worried about Sharkey, who wasn't a particularly good hitter in his best days.

We repeat that it is difficult to imagine the passe Sharkey of today ironing out the Louis who withstood Schmeling's sustained attack for 12 rounds.

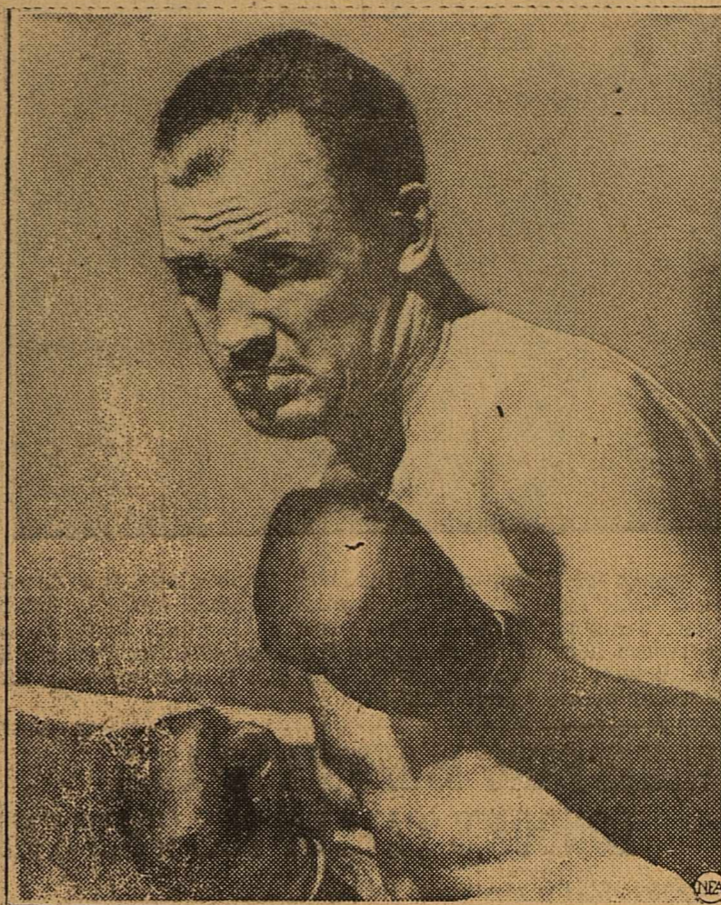
That would be as hard to understand as Sharkey's return to the wars. The gob never was in boxing for anything more than he could get out of it in a financial way. He has all the money he will ever need.

Safety First With Sharkey
After he had laid down and played dead at the feet of Carnera, Sharkey remarked that he had no intention of remaining on the firing line to be marked up. He always was supposed to have a hypnotic stare for opponents across the inclosure, but I always had an idea that he was more concerned in counting the house.

Taking Sharkey at his word, following the Carnera thing, one can only suspect that the old bluejacket will take care of himself first and the customers second if the going gets too rough.

Nevertheless, Sharkey is capable of doing Louis, particularly if lucky Joe has lost the urge. Me-

How Terrible Now?



'Schmeling did, so why shouldn't I?' asks 34 year old Jack Sharkey, back after a three year lapse.

By Harry Grayson

Cardinal and Yankees, Good Shows, Pack 'Em In Cavalcade. Bold Venture Head Back To Races; Arrivals To Make Carroll Choice Over Ross.

Baseball bugs turn out for a good show.—The St. Louis Cardinals played 208,135 people on their third long road trip of the season.—The New York Yankees performed before 216,842 on the western trip, during which they virtually clinched the American League pennant.—Mickey Cochrane never heard of a player walking into a major league park and making good.—The Detroit manager has an idea that he has one in Pat Mullen, however.—Mullen, a 17-year-old catcher, dropped in at Navin Field from Flint, where he worked in an automobile plant and caught for an industrial league team.—He made such an impression that Alouysian, Tiger scout, went to Grindstone, Pa. to obtain the elder Mullen's signature.—Mullen went to work with the Tigers until school reopens next month, and will report to the Beaumont farm in March.—The daily double originated at the Canadian track, Connaught Park—Shuffin' Phil Collins, who formerly pitched for the Phillies and Cardinals, has opened a tavern in Chicago.—Frank Frisch goes in for the sacrifice play only on rare occasions.—The Cardinals do not specialize in tying runs.—They want the winning ticket.—Since he yielded nothing more than one handle hit in two innings in finishing the game with the Cubs, Pepper Martin is pestering Frisch more than ever for a chance to pitch.—After another two-day trial, Bucky Harris finally is convinced that Cecil Travis, the Senator's problem child, wasn't cut out to be a shortstop.—A swimathon is the latest, with the swimmers remaining in the water 22 hours a day.—It is being tried in Washington.

Alphonse (Tuffy) Leemans, of the Washington University backfield luminary, will take Theodora Rin, a girl of Sligo Park Hills, Md., as his bride in October.—Leemans will play with the New York Giants this fall.

Bold Venture Recovering From Bowed Tendon
Cavalcade and Bold Venture are headed back to the races.—Whistling Bob Smith has hopes that Cavalcade will come to hand in time for the Whitney Stakes at Saratoga, Aug. 22.—Bold Venture, winner of the Kentucky Derby and Preakness this year, is recovering from the bowed tendon he suffered while training for the Belmont Stakes.—The chestnut is at Saratoga and has been training for five weeks.—Maxie Hirsch has the \$100,000 Santa Anita Handicap of next February in mind.

When Sydney Cohen was a bit younger, Hal Chase called him the finest baseman he had ever seen.—Both then played in the Frontier League in the southwest.—But Cohen couldn't hit, which is why he now is a left-handed pitcher with Washington.—He is a brother of Andy Cohen, who once looked after second base for the Giants.—Eddie Goosetree, the Detroit scout who dug up Schoolboy Rowe, says that the best young catcher that he has seen this season is a lad named Early, with Jacksonville.—Early belongs to the Senators.—Washington has the fastest outfield in the American League in Ben Chapman, Jesse

chani, the Lithuanian is—or was—plenty good enough.
If Louis loses to Sharkey, he will go down in the books as the most overrated heavyweight that ever lived.

Smoky Joe may be a victim of having been rushed along too quickly and built too highly at that.
Louis fooled the canny Jack Blackburn as well as himself. He commenced to believe all that was being said about him. It went to his head.

Naturally the Schmeling disaster knocked some common sense into his head. The question is whether it knocked too much fighting sense out of it.

Petroleum Cleaners To Be Opened Mon.

Opening of the Petroleum Dry Cleaners, first door north of the Yucca Theatre, is announced today by the proprietor, R. A. Spivey. He is moving here from San Angelo where he operates a similar business, bringing up to date equipment for the new establishment. The place will be open for business Monday.

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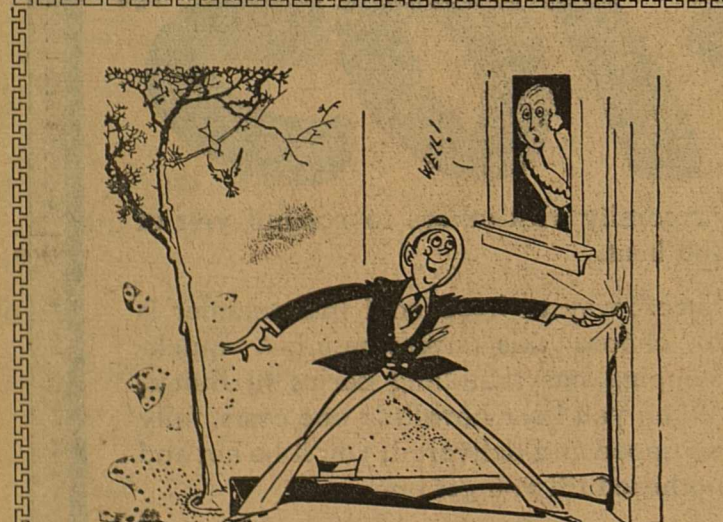
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The SPORTS HORN

BY JESS RODGERS
A few predictions:
Midland will win their first district football title in many years this fall.—The Cardinals will meet the Yankees in the World Series.—The Cards will win in seven games.—Dizzy Dean will win three of them.
There was never a Scotchman any tighter than the National League is

at the present time. The Cards are one-half game ahead of the Cubs and the Cubs are the same margin ahead of the Giants.—If the Giants manage to break even with the two Western clubs when they meet they have a small chance to cop the bunting.—It is a toss-up between local fans as to who they favor, the Cards or the Giants.—For some reason or another the Cubs are generally in disfavor.—Once a fan, always a fan.—And most of them here cannot forget the deal the Cubs gave Rogers Hornsby.—The Yankees will have at least one backer here when they get into the World Series.—Frank Faag thinks they will take the National winner like Sherman took Georgia.—And who they meet doesn't matter.
Prof. comes through with the complete schedule for the Bulldogs this fall.
As announced by him, it is:
Sept. 18—Big Lake at Midland.
Sept. 24—Midland at Colorado.
Oct. 2—Pecos at Midland.
Oct. 9—Lamesa at Midland.
Oct. 16—Midland at Crane.
Oct. 23—Wink at Midland.
Oct. 30—Bowie at Midland.
Nov. 6—Stanton at Midland.
Nov. 13 OPEN
Nov. 20—Midland at Monahans.
Nov. 27—Odessa at Midland.
Asterisks denote conference games.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa. (AP)—The town clock, daily standby for lunch hour stenographers and shoppers, has picked up where it left off when high waters of the St. Patricks Day deluge crippled its mechanism. Its idle hands had been one of the few public reminders left of the gray days in March.



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USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

Stamp News

By I. S. Klein



THERE'S a race among the British dominions and colonies to determine which will be first to issue stamps bearing the portrait of King Edward VIII. The new postage may not appear before the first of next year, but already designs have been submitted to the king and plans are being made for their printing.

Australia, in fact, may beat the gun by issuing its Edward VIII stamps even before 1937, and Bermuda may start a close second. Canada and Hong Kong, too, are in the running.

Various organizations have asked the U. S. Postoffice Department to issue two more stamps commemorating famous persons in U. S. history, but the probability is that no action will be taken. One request is for a stamp honoring Mother Elizabeth Ann Bayley Seton, founder of the order of the sisterhood of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul; another for one honoring the slave-born Frederick Douglass, famous Negro journalist and orator.

Collectors of Philippine stamps should add to their collections the new set of three, commemorating the birth of Dr. Rizal, great Filipino hero. The set may be had for 20 cents from the Philippine Trade Commissioner, 919 Barr Building, Washington, D. C. Send money order and enclose a stamped, addressed envelope.

The Leftist government in France has grasped the opportunity to issue a stamp honoring the socialist leader, Jean Jaures, who was assassinated in 1914 on the eve of the World War.

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FOR SALE: Nice selection of summer dresses at half price. The Modern Shop. (137-4)

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MAN wanted to handle distribution of famous Watkins Products in Midland selling and serving hundreds of satisfied customers. Excellent opportunity for right party. No investment. Write J. R. Watkins Company, 70-98 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. (137-1)

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A Republic's Leader

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like 'Ireland', 'Hissing sound', 'French measure', etc.

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like 'Beam', 'Therefore', 'Knock', etc.

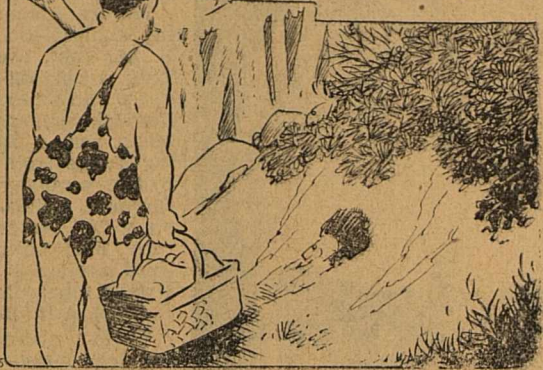
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

I GUESS THE OL' PIONEERS DIDN'T STUMBLE ONTO MANY PICNIC LUNCHES. BUT THAT WAS THEIR TOUGH LUCK! BOY, FINDIN' THOSE MATCHES WAS TH' SWEETEST BREAK OF ALL



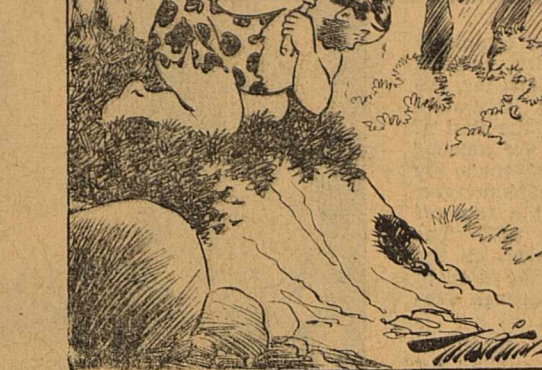
Oh!

NOW I CAN COOK MYSELF SOMETHIN'. IF I CAN CATCH IT! I'VE HAD MY EYE ON THAT HOLE FER SOME TIME. WONDER WOT LIVES IN THERE??

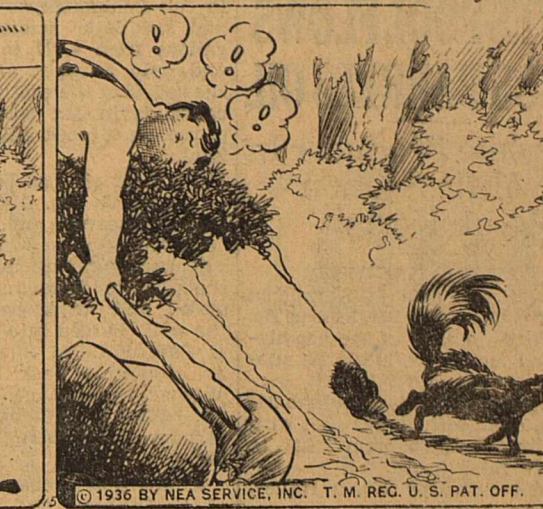


Oh!

WELL, I'LL FIND OUT, BY GUMMY. NSEE IF HE CAN TAKE IT

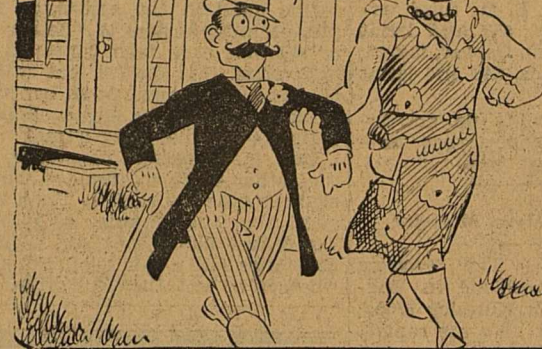


By MARTIN



WASH TUBBS

AH, WHAT A DELIGHTFUL EVENING. I'VE NEVER KNOWN ANOTHER GIRL AINT DELICATE LULU BELLE, SO ALLURING, FEMININE - YET NOT WEAK AND DELICATE.



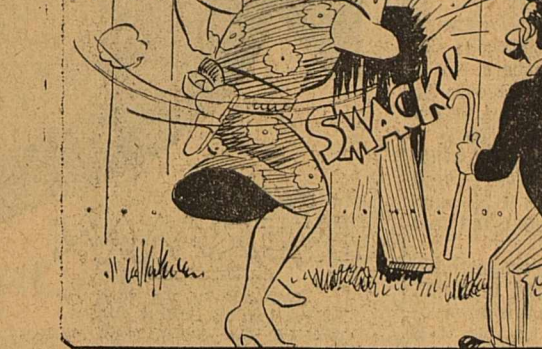
Soaked for Eleven Bucks

WATCH ME SOCK THIS FENCE.



By GEORGE!

WHY, IT'S POSITIVELY AMAZING.



By CRANE

THAT AINT THE ONLY AMAZING THING I BUSTED EITHER, OH, DEAR! AN! THIS DRESS COST ME ELEVEN BUCK



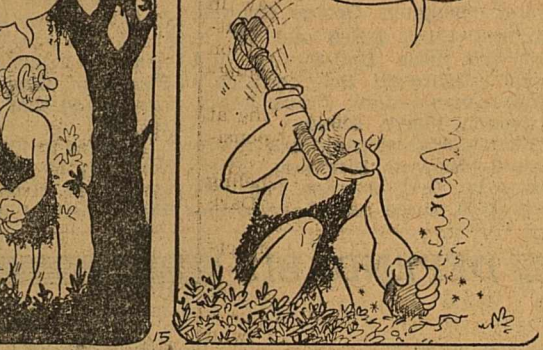
ALLEY OOP

THAT FELLA CARDY'S TRAILIN' MUSTA GONE A LONG WAY - IT DOESN'T LOOK AS IF HE'LL GET BACK HERE 'FORE TH' END OF TH' DAY.



Now Watch Foozy Get Hot

I GUESS, WHILE I'M WAITIN' A FIRE I WILL BUILD - WITH NIGHT COMIN' ON, I DON'T WANTA GET CHILLED!



HEY, DINNY!

GREAT BIG LOUT! LOOK WHATCHER DOIN' - HEY LOOKOUT!



By M. MLIN

NOW, LOOK WHAT YOU HAVE GONE AN' DONE! SEVEN FIRES I GOT, WHEN I ONLY NEED ONE



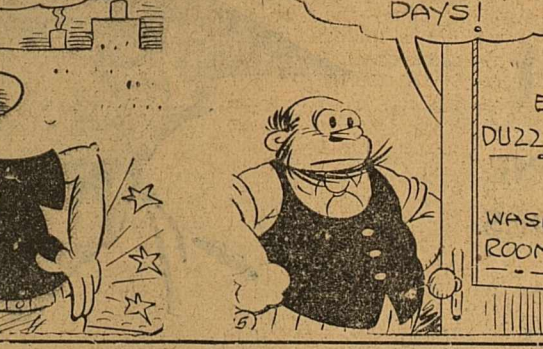
SALESMAN SAM

SAM! GEE, I'M GLAD YER BACK! BUT YA LOOK KINDA WORSE FER WEAR! WOT HAPPENED?



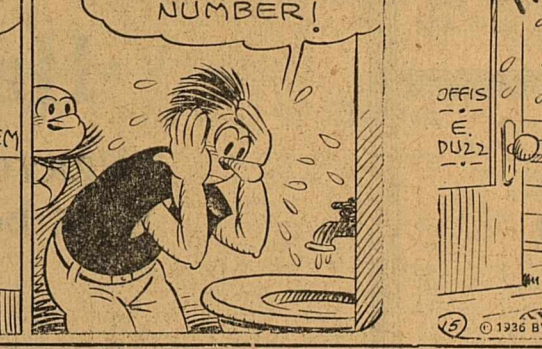
One On Sam

I'LL SAY YER LUCKY! HURT YA MUCH? (WELL I PROBL'Y WON'T BE ABLE TA SIT FER A FEW DAYS!



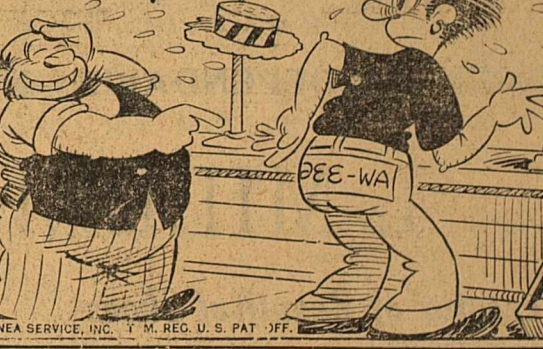
WHY DON'TCHA SUE TH' GUY FER BUMPIN' YA?

CAN'T! I DIDN'T GET HIS LICENSE NUMBER!



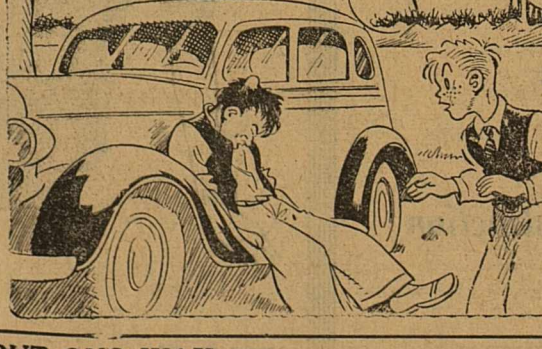
OH, YES YA DID!

HA HA HA HEY! STRAW 39c PEE-WA



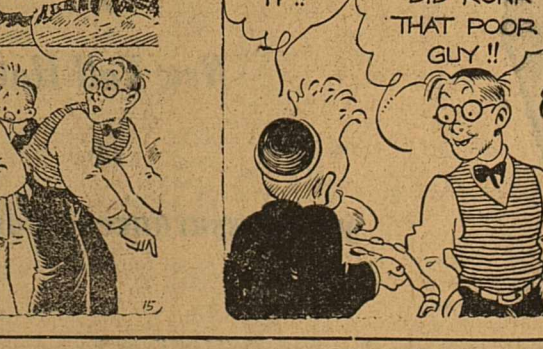
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

HE'LL BE OUT COLD FOR A LONG TIME! WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE HAPPENED?



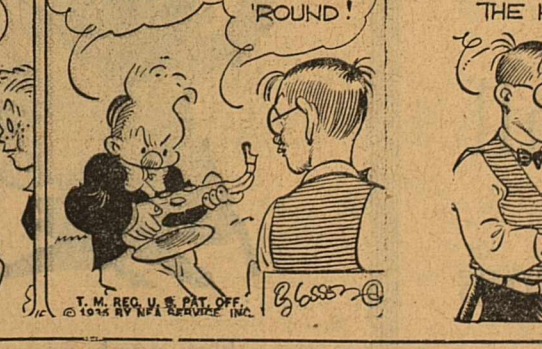
A Useful Instrument

IT'S BENT SO BADLY, I WON'T BE ABLE TO PLAY IT!! ISN'T THAT JUST TOO BAD, THANK GOODNESS! BOY, THAT THING CERTAINLY DID KONK THAT POOR GUY!!



I'LL SAY IT DID! HE SURE PUSHED THE MIDDLE VALVE DOWN!

AND THE WORLD WENT 'ROUND AND 'ROUND!



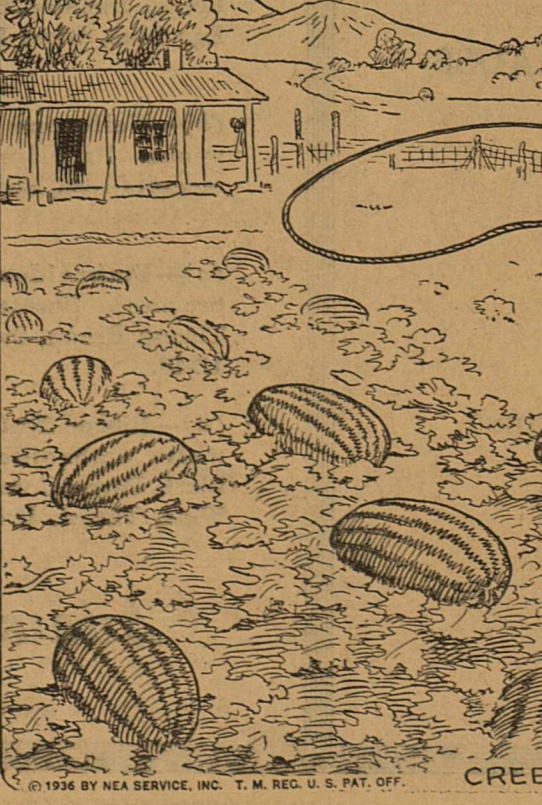
WHEN OSSIE DROPPED HIS SAXOPHONE OUT OF THE TREE, IT MUSTA HIT THAT GUY RIGHT ON THE HEAD!

I TOLD YOU THAT SAX WOULD COME IN HANDY!

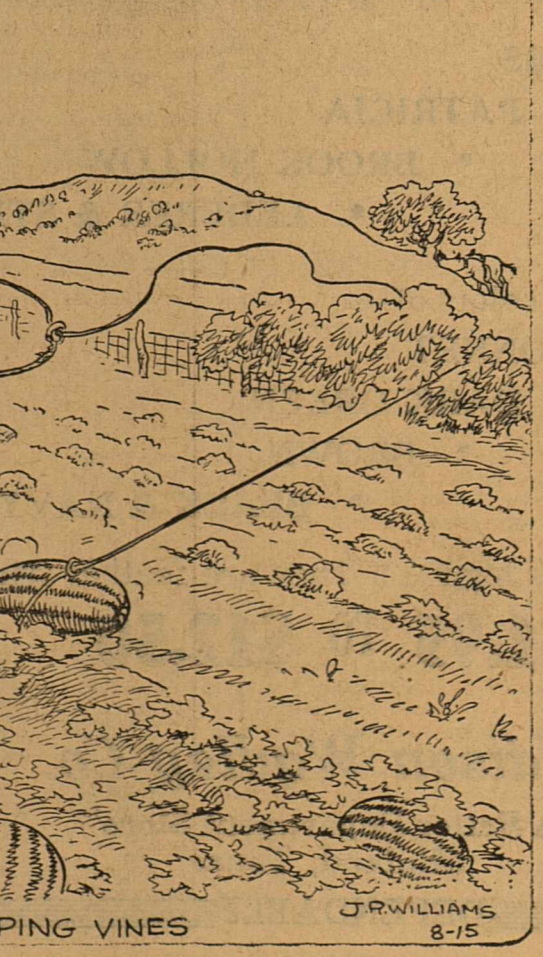


OUT OUR WAY

1 To dabble 2 Law 3 Rhythm 4 To chatter 5 Rubber trees 6 Pairs of saws 7 List 8 Curse 9 Nothing more than 10 Gibbon.

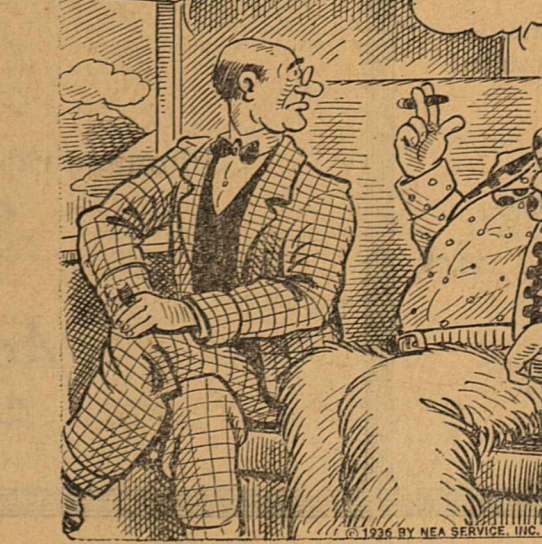


By WILLIAMS



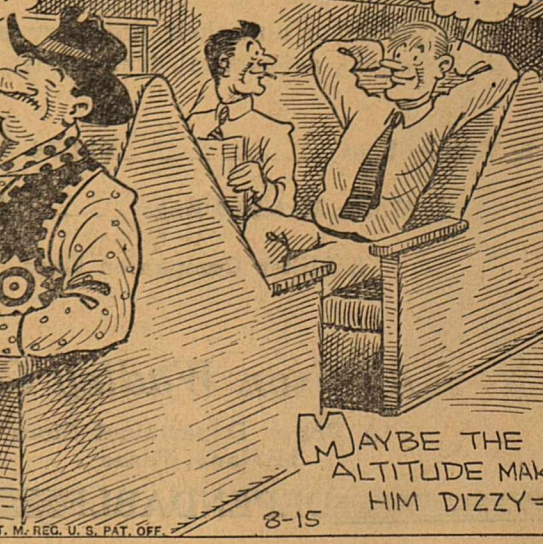
OUR BOARDING HOUSE

I GOTTA FRIEND WHO OWNS A RANCH, AND HE SHIPS 1000 HEAD OF CATTLE EVERY MONTH!



EGAD! THE HOOPLE RANCH, OF WHICH I AM THE SOLE OWNER, OPERATES ITS OWN TRAINS OVER LEASED RAILS, TO MOVE HALF A MILLION HEAD OF PRIME STOCK EVERY FORTNIGHT! WE CONTRACT THE ENTIRE OUTPUT FROM A TEXAS OIL FIELD TO SUPPLY OUR TRUCKS WITH GAS! I NOW AM NEGOTIATING FOR A FLEET OF CATTLE BOATS TO HANDLE OUR FOREIGN TRADE!

EVEN ABOVE THE CLOUDS, HE'S AS FULL OF CROWS AS A ROOSTER!



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WINKLER WELL IN KEYES POOL FLOWS 1,135 BARRELS OIL

Complete Producer In Prolific Section 24 at Kermit

By FRANK GARDNER
In the Keyes pool at Kermit in Winkler county, Sinclair-Prairie No. B-5 Walton, located in the heavily-producing section 24, block 26, public school land, flowed 1,135 barrels of oil through casing on the 24-hour potential test. It was shot with 233 quarts of nitro from 2,825 to 2,959, the total depth.

Sun Oil Company No. 2 Halley, new sand producer in southern Winkler, was reported flowing 15 barrels an hour from 2,876. It is an offset to the big Eastland well and located in the southeast corner of section 24, block B-12, public school land.

Further north, in the Keystone pool, Gulf No. 13 Keystone checked plugged-back depth at 3,379 with steel line and shot with 270 quarts from 3,288 to 3,374 under a yard of gravel tamp. The well started to clean itself after the explosion, but bridged at 3,177 after three minutes. Operators are now cleaning out at 3,190.

Ector Test Near Decision
Grisham and Hunter No. 2 R. B. Cowden, northwest Ector wildcat that is one of the most closely watched operations in the Permian Basin, is nearing verdict as it drills below 4,240 feet in solid lime. It is in section 8, block 45, township 2 north, T. & P. survey.

A mile and a half to the east, the same operators' No. 1 R. B. Cowden was scheduled to start up at midnight to drill plus from 7-inch casing set at 4,110. Casing was cemented at that point when water broke in after the hole had been carried down to 4,212. The No. 1 test is in section 10, a mile and a half north of the C. J. (Red) Davidson and Atlantic No. 1 Cummins, a test drilled two years ago and finally completed for high gas flow but only 25 barrels of oil daily.

The latest well to reach completion depth in Ector's Goldsmith pool, Gulf No. 7 Goldsmith, flowed 129 barrels in three hours after swabbing in. It is bottomed in lime at 4,230 feet having cored to that depth with only two feet of core recovered from 4,220 to 4,230. It is 2,256 feet from the east and 440 feet from the north line of section 4, block 44, township 1 south, T. & P. survey.

An old Goldsmith pool well, Gulf No. 3 Goldsmith, found a sizable increase in production by deepening. At old total depth of 4,110 it rated a potential of 2,754 barrels per day after acidizing. When drilled deeper, the well logged an increase in oil from 4,110 to 4,118 and at 4,135 tested 3,271 barrels in 24 hours. It is now bottomed at 4,137.

To Drill Ahead
Decision has been made to drill

ahead in Humble No. 1 C. H. Eubanks, Gaines wildcat. The well stopped drilling last week at 5,342 to run Schlumberger electrical test and was later acidized with 3,000 gallons from 4,777 to 4,976. No oil and only a slight amount of gas showed after the acid treatment. Location is in the southwest corner of section 6, block AX, public school land.

Standard rig has been completed on Landreth No. 1 Kirk, original Gaines discovery and, thus far, the county's only producer. Operators will start pumping test the first of the week to determine the amount of oil and water being made by the well. Drilled into sulphur water at 4,870, it failed to get a shut-off by cementing back to 4,855. The only accurate gauge taken on the No. 1 Kirk was 107 barrels of oil in 24 hours of swabbing through tubing.

A mile and a quarter northwest of the Landreth well, Stanolind No. 1 Dewey Davis was spudded late in the week with water well machine and actual drilling with rotary is expected to be started soon. The Stanolind test is located 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of section 18, block A-21, public school land.

Deep Test Active
Ordovician tests in western Crane county reported slow progress as the week closed. Moore Brothers No. 1 Barnsley in section 43, block 32, public school land, is drilling below 5,460 feet in lime carrying nearly a hole full of sulphur water while Gulf No. 2 W. N. Waddell and others in section 18, block B-21, public school land, drilled at 5,386 feet in lime.

Acid treatment will be made today in the latest well brought in by R. H. Henderson in the Crane area of the McCamey district, his No. 1-B Hughes in section 4, block R. G. C. & S. F. survey. Total depth is 2,085 feet in lime. A new pay for the region was reported entered at 2,070. A half-mile to the south, Henderson and others No. 1 Cordova Union is standing for potential test. It indicated record production by pumping 142 barrels in four hours after second acid treatment. Total depth is 2,048.

Bob Crosby, Jack Sellers Among the Cheyenne Winners
Richard Merchant, after winning \$500 general average, with time of 17.6 in calf roping at the Cheyenne Frontier Days, spent a part of it by ordering a pair of cowboy boots from George Friday.

Merchant sent Friday a complete list of results of the Cheyenne rodeo, showing that several outstanding winners were participants in the recent Midland rodeo.

World's championship cowboy's bucking contest—Turk Greenough, Red Lodge, Mont., first \$250 and a silver mounted saddle presented by the Union Pacific railroad system; Doff Aber, Sheridan, second, \$125; Bob Askin, Ismay, Mont., third, \$75;

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and Nick Knight, Cody, fourth, \$50. All-Wyoming amateur bucking contest—Chet McCarty, Spotted Horse, Wyo., first \$132, a saddle presented by the Colorado and Southern-Burlington railroads, a silver belt buckle presented by the John B. Stetson company through Max J. Meyer, a bride presented by the John B. Stetson company through Max J. Meyer, a bride with a silver mounted bit from the Plains hotel, \$100 from United Air Lines and a Stetson hat from Meyer; Ken Hargis, Rlmrock, Ariz., second \$66 and a Stetson hat from George W. Dalbe; company; George Conwell, Laramie, third, \$39.60 and \$25 in cash from the Levi-Strauss and company through Sol Bernstein's Workingman's store; Frank Retzel, Cheyenne, fourth, \$26.40.

World's championship steer roping contest—Bob Crosby, Roswell, N. M., first, average 28.2 seconds, \$740, a gold 21-jewel combination watch and timer from the Plymouth Cordage company, North Plymouth, Mass., and a flower-stamped roping saddle from the Fred Mueller Saddle company of Denver; John Bowman, Salida, Cal., second, average 28.3 seconds, \$370 and lariarope; Fred Lowry, Lenapah, Okla., third, average 31.3 seconds, \$222 and lariarope; Richard Merchant, Phoenix, Ariz., fourth, \$146.

World's championship steer bull-dogging contest—Dick Trust, Stone-wall, Okla., first, average 16.6 seconds, \$230, suede jacket from Daber clothing store, silver belt buckle by Rexall stores through A. E. Roedel Drug company, lariarope and \$25 from Arthur Piper of Piedmont, Calif.; Billy Kingham, Cheyenne, second, average 27 seconds, \$115 and lariarope; Mickey McCrorey, Deadwood, S. D., third, average 28.8 seconds, \$69 and lariarope, and Tex Slum, Denver, fourth, average 29.2 seconds, \$46 and lariarope.

The above amounts do not include any day money that contestants might have won.

Britain Uses More Medicine
LONDON, (U.P.)—The growing consumption of medicine in England is worrying Sir Kingsley Wood, Minister of Health. "We are rapidly becoming a nation of medicine drinkers," he said in a speech to the House of Commons. The cost of medicines per head in Britain, he said, is double that in Scotland.

Flanagan Qualifies
Continued From Page One
if their wives had told the truth about their ages long ago, they would now be eligible for assistance! Mr. Flanagan, when he tells this, hastens to add that the men were only teasing.

A pathetic little glimpse into the workings of the present economic system is given in certain other cases. Several instances have been discovered where men subtract a year or two from their ages at some past time, in order to get a job. Now those once denied years are being acknowledged in answering the application questions.

Strange devices are used to prove ages among those citizens who were born before a birth certificate was the first equipment given a child entering this earthly sphere.

A friendship quilt, on which the age of the applicant was stitched several years ago, came in handily as a re-inforcement of the owner's statement of age. Letters written during the Civil War by the parents of an applicant asking about the baby (now old enough to seek old age assistance) served the same purpose.

Old pictures, old papers, and other relics are brought forth to convince the investigator that the applicant is sufficiently aged. One investigator was presented with a bill of sale to a 12-year old negro girl in slavery times. The document, written in good English and in long hand, was a binding paper conveying the girl to the purchaser.

Husband a Crime
Any work such as this naturally must be touched with the comedy that accents human life in all circumstances.

One man, when he received his pay, immediately went forth and purchased a new pair of overalls and a shirt. He said it was the first clothing he had bought in six or seven years and Mr. Flanagan added that "he looked it."

Mr. Flanagan has no criticism for the children of his old age assistance clients. There are no cases of neglect by children among the indigent men and women whom he must assist. In most cases, he said, it takes all the children make to

care for their own families and they have no surplus to support their parents.

Aside from the distressing want revealed in the lives of many applicants, probably the most pitiful aspect of the old age assistance work is the fact that often aid comes too late to help more than a little while, if at all, those who apply for it. The first applicant investigated in district 18 was the first one to die. Often notices of the death of an applicant are received.

Few Native Texans
An interesting fact, and one indicative of how young West Texas is, is found in the fact that none of the men or women whose applications have been investigated was born in West Texas. The greater part of them, in fact, were not born in Texas at all but in Southern states farther east. The tide of emigration, in line with the famous advice to "Go west, young man, go west," has moved toward Texas from states nearer the Atlantic ocean.

A minimum of persons of other races and nationalities have made application for the state and federal assistance, the records for this area showing only about three Mexican and two negro clients.

The work that is being done to promote the material welfare of the old in district 18 is being duplicated in the other districts of the state. With a hundred years of conquest behind her, conquest of new lands and of natural resources, Texas, in her Centennial year, turns to a new field of endeavor and faces toward a new goal—that of security, plenty, and comfort for the men and women who by their labor have made her the empire she is and who are worthy of the laborer's reward.

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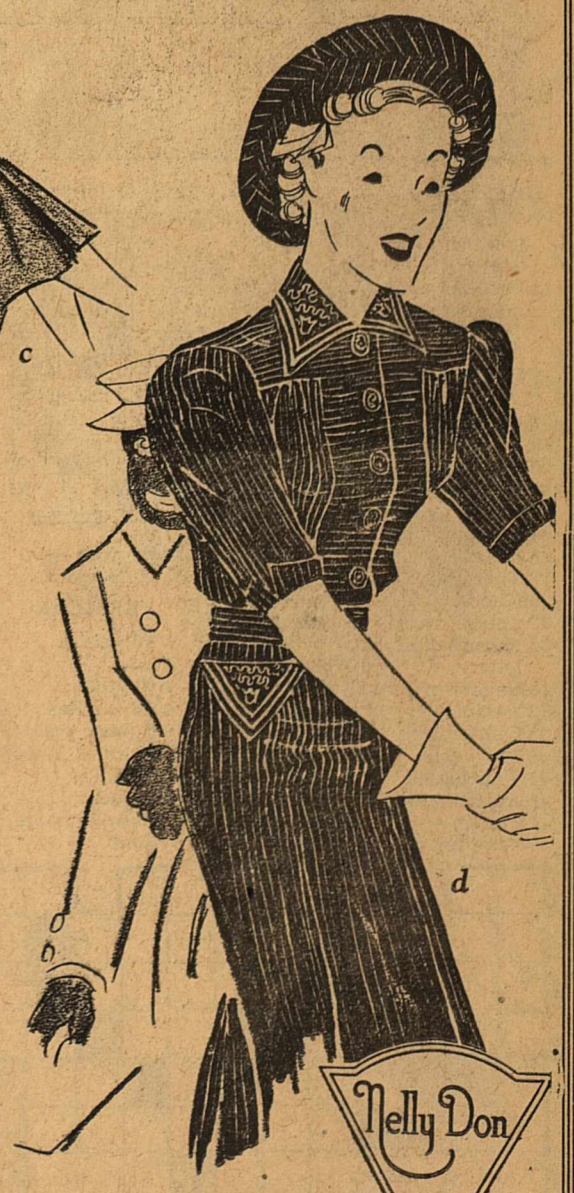
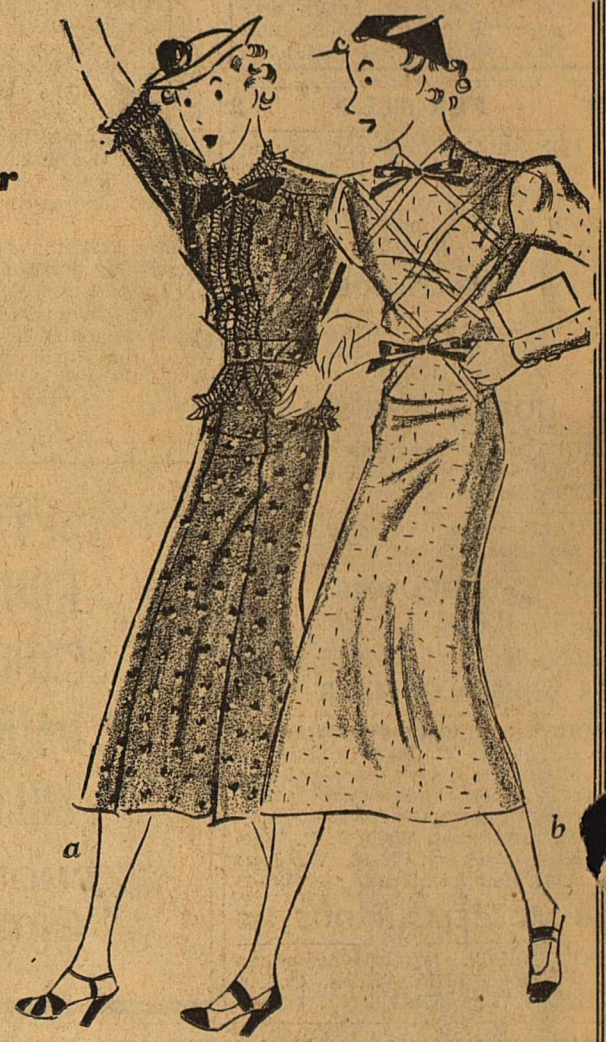
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- (c)—Embroidered Alpaca two-piece, Pheasant Purple, Thrush Brown, Swallow Blue, 12.40. \$10.95
- (d)—Ribbed Synthetic Crepe, white embroidery, Raven Black, Parrot Green, Grosbeak Wine, Thrush Brown, 14.44. \$13.95

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