

WOMAN HURT IN HIGHWAY CRASH

Slump Follows Today's Government Cotton Forecast

DECLINE NOW \$2.50 PER BALE

Orders To Sell Flow Into The New York Market Today

NEW YORK, Aug. 8.—(UP)—Cotton futures on the local exchange broke more than \$2.50 a bale when large blocks of contracts were thrown on the market today, after issuance of the government crop report.

15 1/2 MILLION BALES WASHINGTON, August 8.—(UP)—A cotton crop of 15,543,000 bales for this year, compared with the record crop of 17,977,000 bales in 1926, was estimated by the department of agriculture today.

THOMASON NAMED NIGHT WATCHMAN CITY OF MIDLAND

W. W. Thomason, who has for some time been connected with various ranches in the Midland area, and who was formerly connected with the plumbing business of Howe and Allen, has been engaged as night watchman by the City of Midland.

Kendall Salesman To Land Here Today

Bob Lout of the Kendall Refining Company was expected to land in his plane at Sloan Field this afternoon to make arrangements for supplying planes in the Woman's Air Derby, with his company's lubricants.

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Cowboy Mayor



Clyde Tingley, Albuquerque's cowboy mayor, is the No. 1 entry in the cowboy "beauty" contest to be staged during the First American, Indian, Spanish and cowboy spectacle at Albuquerque, N. M., Aug. 21-24, inclusive.

ALL ROTARIANS SPOKE TODAY AT WEEKLY MEETING

A diversion in the Rotary club program, making it possible for each member to make a speech, occurred today when A. Harry Anderson was chairman.

FEDERAL REPORT SAID SHOOTING WAS ACCIDENTAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.—(P)—Prohibition Commissioner Doran said today that the official report on the fatal shooting of Thomas Chandler, farmer, by Capt. Charles Stevens, federal prohibition enforcement agent at Poteet, Texas, indicated that the shooting was accidental.

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SNOOK WEEPS AS HE RECOUNTS HIS STORY OF MURDER

COLUMBUS, August 8.—(P)—Dr. James Snook wept on the witness stand as he told the jury today in his first degree murder trial how he killed Theora Hix.

WOMAN'S DERBY TO LAND HERE IN AUGUST

Midland aeronautical officers of the woman's cross-country derby have received instruction sets and a request that full attention be given to the plans for exactitude in timing the racers when they reach Midland the middle of August.

JUBILEE HISTORY OF TEXAS PRESS IS MAILED OUT

Receipt of the Golden Jubilee History of the Texas Press Association is acknowledged by The Reporter-Telegram today, the book having been compiled in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the organization, by James H. Lowry of the Honey Grove Signal.

REPRIEVE GIVES HOWARD 3-MONTH CHANCE AT LIFE

AUSTIN, Aug. 8.—(P)—Percy W. Howard of El Paso, who was to have been electrocuted early Friday morning of this week at the Huntsville prison for the murder of L. V. Nixon, was given a reprieve of three months by Gov. Dan Moody today.

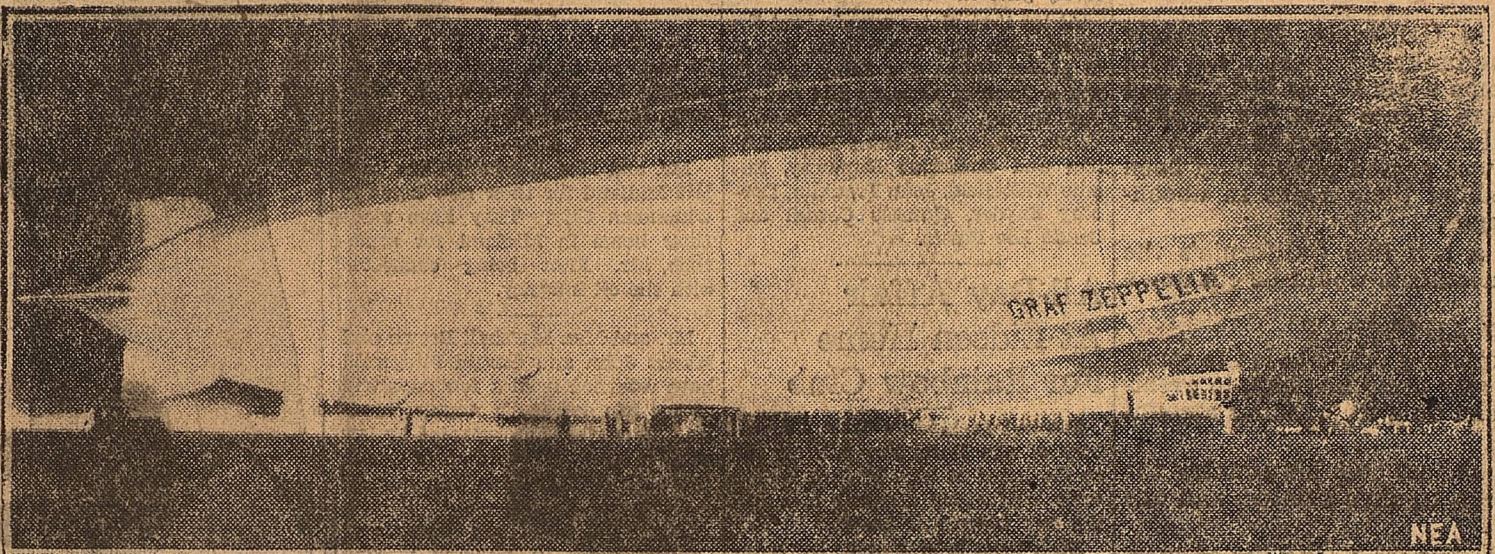
Midland Man Gets Mail on Zeppelin

Herman F. Inglehardt, of the Midland Refinery, has collected covers bearing cancellations aboard the Graf Zeppelin on his recent trip to Lakehurst from Friedrichshafen.

FALLING WALL KILLS THREE

HOUSTON, August 8.—(P)—A white man and three negroes were injured when the wall of a warehouse being built here was struck by lightning and collapsed today.

SEARCHLIGHTS AID CREW IN MANEUVERING HUGE CRAFT



In the brilliant glare of a battery of flood lights, the Graf Zeppelin took off at midnight last night from Lakehurst, N. J., Naval Air Station. The giant ship was far out over the Atlantic shortly before noon today, making more than 100 miles per hour.

Rains Halt Spread Of Forest Fires

POTEAU, Okla., August 8.—(UP)—Light showers and cooler weather today spelled victory for 200 tireless men who for three days have battled forest fires raging throughout southeastern Oklahoma.

AGRICULTURAL AUTHORITY SEES NEXT BIG DEVELOPMENT HERE

Bearing out his former prediction that Midland will experience a great development along agricultural lines, B. L. Moss, of Soso, Mississippi, owner of the large Moss farms lying northwest of Midland, has just written a letter to the Midland Chamber of Commerce, telling of a 2,200 mile trip through North Louisiana, North Texas, West, Central and South Texas, and back through South Louisiana, and he said crops in the Midland area were better than any he saw.

GRAF EXCEEDS HUNDRED MILES AN HOUR, LEAVING U. S. BEHIND

WASHINGTON, August 8.—(P)—The Graf Zeppelin reported to the Navy Department today that its position at 11 o'clock was approximately 630 miles east of New York City.

Woman Dies from Auto Accident

CORSICANA, August 8.—(P)—Mrs. Lula Griffin of this city died in a hospital today, several hours after she was injured seriously when her car struck a narrow bridge here.

Mauretania Fails To Set New Record

NEW YORK, August 8.—(UP)—The Cunard Liner Mauretania failed by more than four hours today in an attempt to break the North German Lloyd's Bremen record.

NEGRO HERE ASSURES MERCHANT THAT DEBT CAN BE 'ASSURED' BY RETURNING HER MONEY--AND SHE MACHINE

There are all sorts of letters sent to Midland merchants in answer to bills for debts, but C. W. Post, of a local music store, feels that he has the masterpiece.

TWO LOCAL MEN IN WRECK

Woman Thought To Live in Big Spring

A woman, reported to be Mrs. Ethel Matthews of Big Spring, is seriously injured, perhaps fatally, in the Thomas Hospital as a result of a crash of her automobile at midnight last night with that of E. A. Werlla, auditor for the Texas Electric Service Company, and Werlla's son, C. V. Werlla. The crash occurred near the Cozy Camp site on the east highway.

Officers Take Two Stills In Andrews County

W. J. Underwood, sheriff of Andrews County, conducted a raid with Martin County officials last night, in Andrews County, and brought to Midland today two large stills, one of them being of 300-gallon capacity.

ENGINEER SOUGHT FOR QUESTIONING IN PRO MURDER

WINDSOR, Ontario, August 8.—(P)—John M. Heath, Detroit elevator engineer, wanted for questioning in the death of Richard Sandlans, prohibition agent, is being sought along the Canadian side of the border today.

GOOD RAIN FELL SOUTH OF TOWN REPORTS STATE

Rain, which fell in sheets, covered the Preston, Hunt, Schrock, Midkiff and Judkins ranches between 3 and 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, according to information received last night by Messrs. Preston and Schrock.

Bond of \$2,500 Set for Man In Statutory Case

Bond of \$2,500 was set by County Judge M. R. Hill yesterday at a preliminary hearing for E. M. Ansley who is held in the county jail on a statutory charge.

Alleged Boss Is Arrested at K. C. On Murder Count

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 8.—(UP)—Four men are being held on first degree murder charges today in connection with the drug store fire here Monday in which three firemen were killed, Art D. Clover, alleged "boss" of the group, was the last of the quartet to be arrested, which occurred immediately after he returned from Salina, Kansas.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

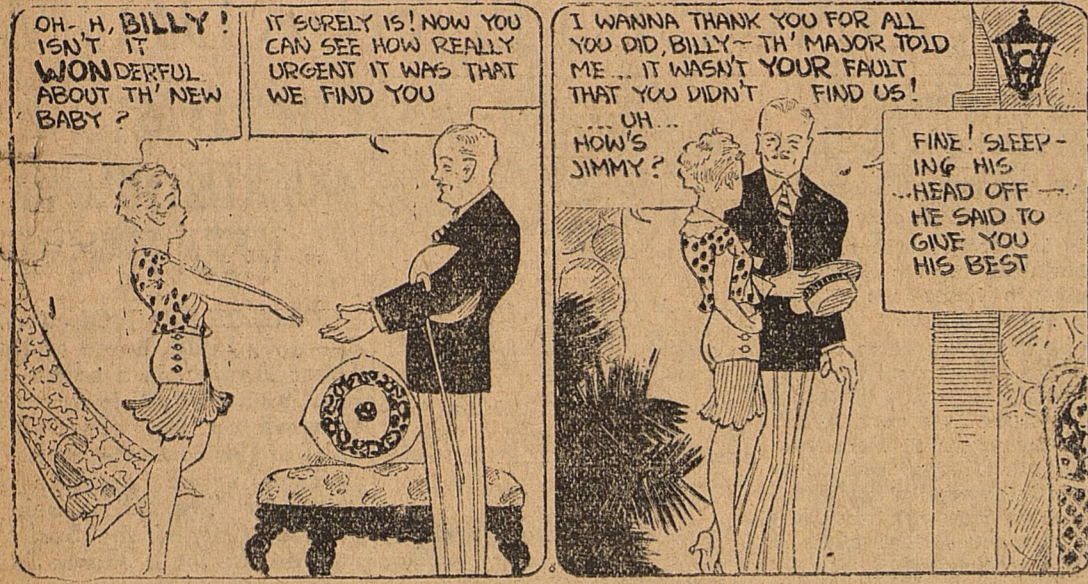


Takes two to make a bargain; Mother buys and Dad pays.



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## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



## Pretty Nice



By Martin

## CLASSIFIED

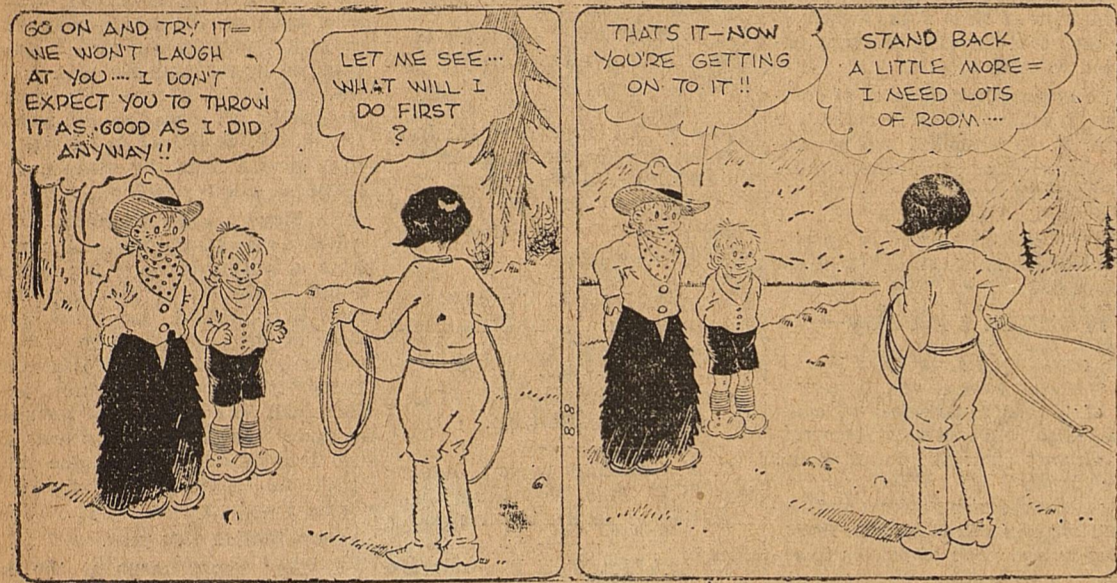
**TODAY'S SPECIAL BARGAINS**

We have inquiries for ranches. Some want to buy and some want to trade. Tell us what you have for sale or trade.

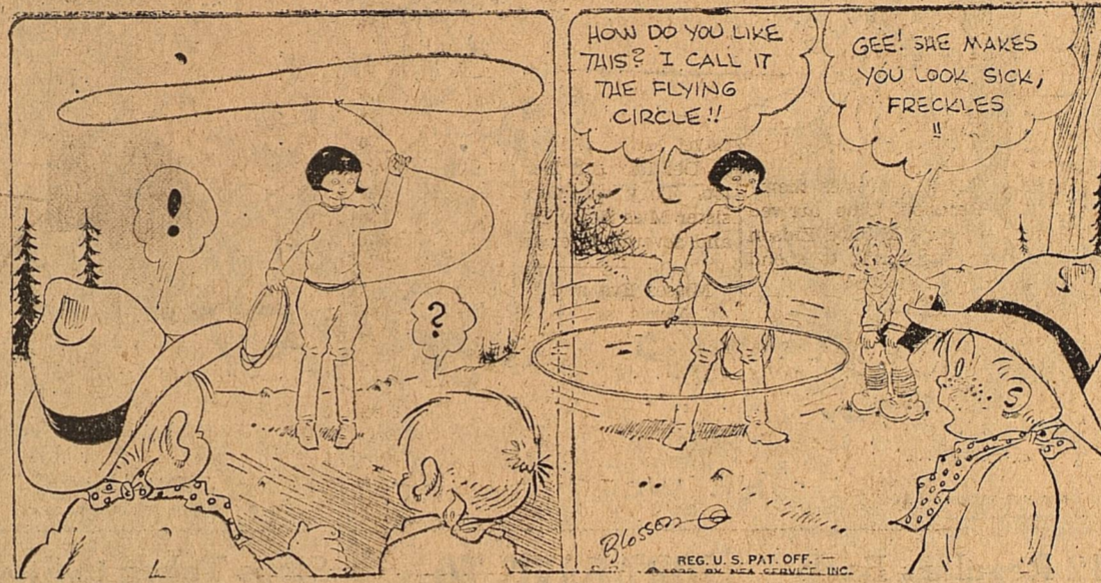
Royalty—we have one-fourth of the royalty under 300 acres in the west half of section 10, T. S. P. 21, range 36, east Leo County, New Mexico.

**WEST TEXAS LAND CO.**  
206 Petroleum Building Phone 808  
Ira F. Lord J. M. White

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

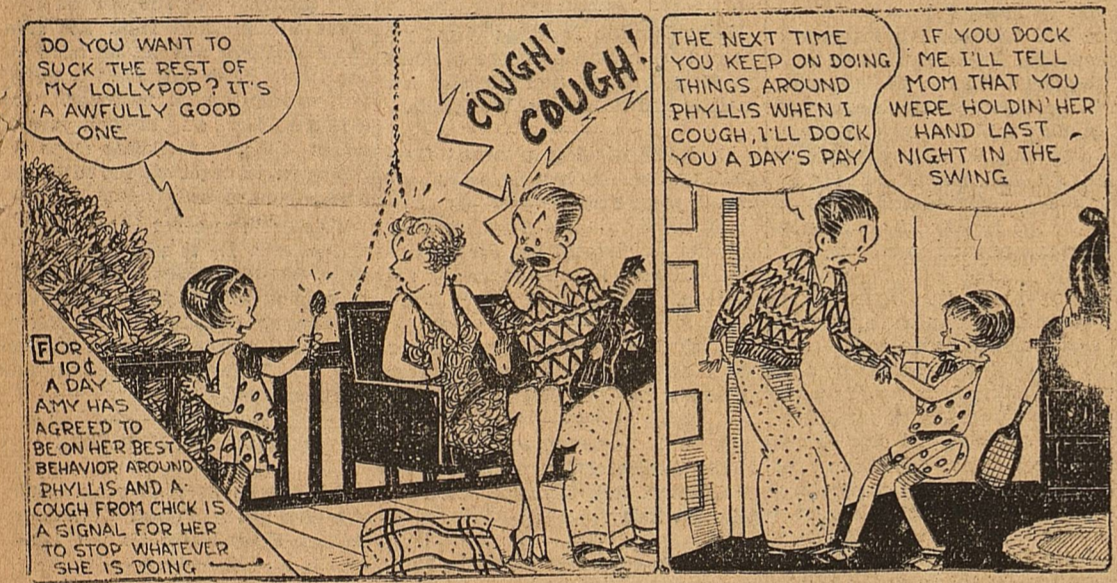


## Can She Throw It!



By Blosser

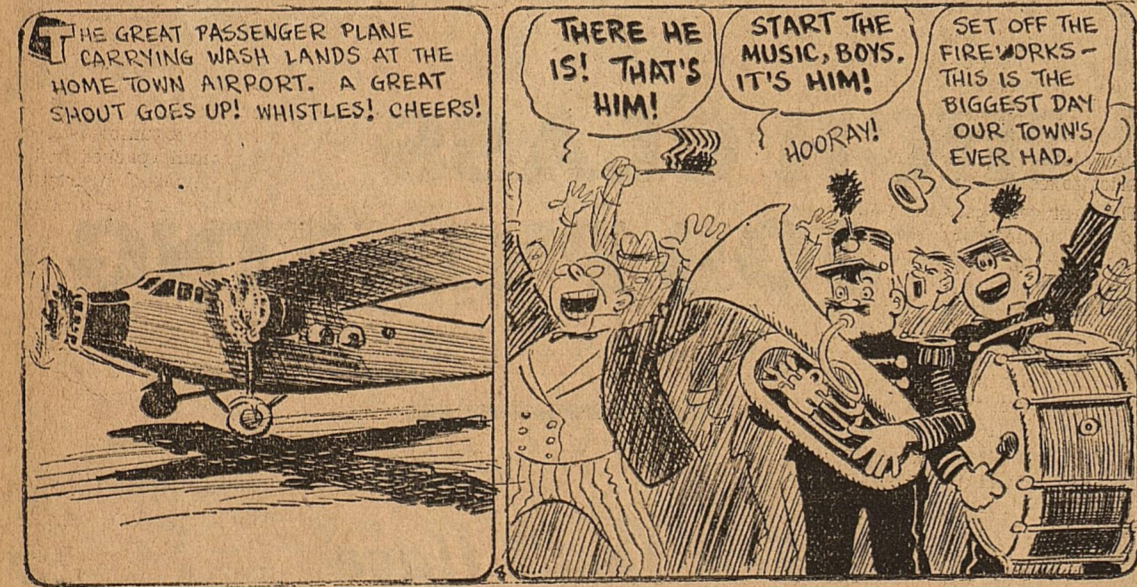
## MOM'N POP!



## Chick's Life Is Just One Cough After Another

By Cowan

## WASH TUBBS



## Welcome Home

By Crane

## SALESMAN SAM



## You Said It, Sam

By Small

**1 Lost and Found**  
STRAYED—One spotted pony. Finder call 489J. or 1032 North Main. Liberal reward. 131-1p

**2 For Sale or Trade**  
TEN HEAD stock and set of two-row implements. Troy N. Eiland. 918 D. Street. Phone 778W. 131-3p

**3 Furnished Apartments**  
FURNISHED APARTMENT—Three rooms, private bath and garage. Phone 488J or 133. 129-3c

**4 Unfurnished Apartments**  
UNFURNISHED apartment for rent in duplex. Sparks & Barron. Phone 79. 61-1fc

**6 Unfurnished Houses**  
FOR RENT—5-room stucco unfurnished house, modern. \$45 month. J. M. Shelburne at County Clerk's office. 131-3c

**8 Real Estate**  
WANTED—Lot for small modern house, reasonably close in. Will lease or buy. Phone 541-W. 129-3p

**9 Miscellaneous**  
CANARY BIRDS for sale. Singers \$5.00; Hens \$2.50; \$5.00 pair. Write or see Mrs. H. Wren, Route 1, Box 62B, Midland, Texas. 131-1p

WANTED—Plain and fancy sewing. Mrs. Sophie Vincent. 421 S. Baird. 130-5p

WANTED—Stenographic work. Phone Miss Cove, 746W. 126-6c

WANTED—Three- or four-room house with all conveniences. Must be reasonable and permanent. Call H. at phone no. 7. 129-1fc

I am going to open a nursery school in Midland the first week in September. Children will be cared for and instructed according to their ages. I am a college graduate, having several years of teaching experience. I shall prepare to keep children part or all of the time. Apply through Reporter-Telegram. 130-3c

**11 Bedrooms**  
FOR RENT—Bedroom with or without board, near Hogan building. Garage. Phone 263 or call 705 N. Colorado St. 58-1fc

## USE THE WANT ADS

You'll find them a big help in renting that house or apartment. Sell those odds and ends, too. Just call No. 7 and say, "Classified."

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