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Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Tonight and Thursday, unsettled and cooler.

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Scores Killed In Hospital Explosion

Midland Hope For Federal Building is Given Big Boost

GRAF ZEPPELIN STARTS SECOND FLIGHT TO AMERICA TOMORROW

BEGINS REGULAR COMMERCIAL SERVICE

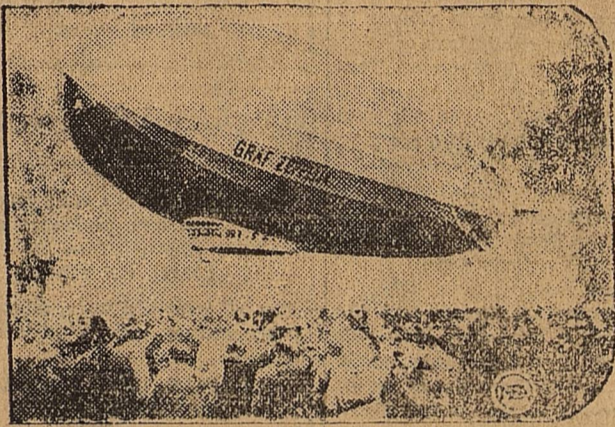
Carrying mail, express and passengers, the great German airship Graf Zeppelin will leave its hangar at Friedrichshafen, Germany, at 5:30 Thursday morning for its second flight to America, according to telegraphic reports received this morning by the Reporter-Telegram from the Associated Press and the United Press.

The flight was held up one day on account of securing permission from the French government to fly over France. It is believed that the stipulation of France that the ship must pass over the frontier between seven and eight o'clock in the morning would be a handicap to the Zeppelin.

France is said to be fearful because she believed the airship passed over the ammunition works near Creusot recently for photographic purposes. Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the ship, assembled his eighteen passengers at a hotel today, and told them he planned to leave tomorrow. Weather conditions were so favorable, he said, that he expected to make Lakehurst by Saturday night.

This second trip across the Atlantic is the first of the Zeppelin's regular sailing as a commercial liner of the air. Four days after its arrival at Lakehurst, the ship will again clear for sailing, carrying mail, express and passengers back to Germany.

GRAF ZEPPELIN SAILS TOMORROW



The Graf Zeppelin, which shattered all air tradition last year when it broke the lighter than air record across the Atlantic, on its voyage from Friedrichshafen to this country. It carried a crew of skilled technicians, newspaper men, and notables from this country and abroad.

EATING FOR MIDLAND

Those men and women who purchase tickets for the dinner tomorrow night in honor of R. B. Creager are investing for Midland. Mr. Creager is the national republican committeeman from Texas. He is nationally prominent. He is a big man in Texas. Midland people who hear him and dine with him Thursday night are fortunate for that reason alone—that they have the privilege of dining with a great party leader. But, if not for that reason, Midland people can well afford to attend the meeting because it means much to Midland. Midland seeks a Federal building. The influence of R. B. Creager is incalculable. Loyal Midlanders of any political faith are earnestly besought to buy a ticket before ten o'clock tomorrow morning which is the deadline, for the Creager dinner. See W. A. Hyatt, or the chamber of commerce.

Woman Charged With Taking Silk Remnants

A woman was lodged in jail this morning on a charge of shoplifting after she is alleged to have incited suspicion of clerks at Wadley-Wilson store after looking over merchandise.

One of the clerks in the place thought she observed the woman take something. Apprehension followed, and subsequently a search of the rooms of the woman. A quantity of silk remnants was found. The name of the woman could not be learned.

FIVE BODIES RECOVERED IN FLOODED AREA

LIVINGSTON, May 15.—(AP)—Rescue workers penetrating the submerged bottoms along Cain Creek and other flooded streams in this vicinity hoped today that the death list in the flood which struck here Monday would not exceed five. The bodies of five negroes have been recovered.

The water is receding slowly. Several families whose lives had been despaired of were found in the hills. Between 50 and 60 homeless negroes gathered here were fed out of the scanty stores of Livingston which had been cut off from surrounding towns more than 60 hours.

Man and Dog Are Rough On Rats; Exterminate 69

While the duties of dog catcher are provided for in Midland, there is also a rat catcher. Incidentally, he draws no salary and is operating unofficially.

Frank Luttrell yesterday afternoon borrowed a big mastiff from Mexican town and caught 69 rats and mice. Luttrell, who works at the Llano Hotel, conceived his idea of making a killing when he noticed rats playing boldly around a lumber pile in the alley to the rear of the hotel. The rats were caught within the short time of one hour.

MIDLAND IS DESIGNATED GOOD SITE

Creager, National Committeeman, To Visit

Midland has been designated as a proper site for a Federal building.

This information was definitely contained in a letter received today by the Midland Chamber of Commerce from Claude B. Hudspeth, congressman who has been working hard in Midland's interests.

W. A. Hyatt and Republican friends of Midland who are aiding in Midland's fight for a Federal building are now working, as is Congressman Hudspeth, to get the appropriation through for erecting the building at Midland.

People of Midland ought to hunt up Mr. Hyatt or the chamber of commerce to get tickets to the dinner given R. B. Creager, national committeeman from Texas, because he is a power with the administration and is a friend to Midland, a chamber official said today.

Hudspeth Working Congressman Hudspeth, always a firm and loyal worker for Midland, has made many visits to the building committee in interest of a Federal building in Midland, at the request of the Midland chamber, his personal friends, Clarence Scharbauer, W. A. Hyatt and others. In his own words to the chamber of commerce today he said: "I finally prevailed upon the building committee to designate Midland as the proper site for a Federal building. This means when we can get the money appropriated, or get the money that can be appropriated, Midland will get a Federal building."

Now that R. B. Creager, great national leader and a warm personal friend of President Hoover's is coming to Midland the people of the city are urged to procure tickets to attend the banquet in his honor. Mr. Creager, incidentally, is a personal friend of Claude B. Hudspeth, the democratic leader in this area, and together they can work additional good for Midland.

The chamber official declared Midland was grateful for what Congressman Hudspeth and Republican aid had done and would continue doing for Midland. While here Hyatt will personally conduct Mr. Creager about the city so he may see with his own eyes how badly Midland needs a Federal building.

Appeal Made To Radio Fans That They Sign Blanks

All Midland radio fans interested in summer reception are asked to get one of the Sunday issues of The Reporter-Telegram and fill out a membership blank for Summer Boosters.

Midland has become known for having too much local interference, dealers and radio bugs say. It is for this reason that the boosters are organizing. They will make a systematic effort to locate the interference so that reception in Midland will be equal to that of other Southwestern cities.

KERMIT TO JAL PHONE LINE IS IN OPERATION

The telephone line from Kermit to Jal has been completed and gives Midland fast communication into Jal, into which town the first long distance line has been built.

A. V. Edmonson, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, says the line is now ready for service to oil companies and others who wish to employ it in getting quick communication to the Jal area.

Midland is the greatest concentration point for telephone communication save one city in the state. Twenty-seven lines now lead into Midland.

And Eventually We Trust Congress Will Get Around to Relieving "City Farmers" a Bit!



IS FOLLOWED BY TRAGIC FIRE

Many More Injured At Cleveland Today Noon

BULLETIN (Associated Press) The death toll in the Cleveland Clinic Hospital tragedy late today stood at 85, and the police said this figure would be increased as numbers of the victims from the hospital could not live. They said the fatalities might reach 94.

The fire has been extinguished and a search is being made of the damaged structure.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—Fire and explosions in the Cleveland Clinic Hospital here today killed from 66 to 91 persons, according to police estimates; and injured scores of others. According to firemen, the fire started from explosions in the X-ray films storeroom in the basement. Several tanks of oxygen, compressed by heat, let go, adding to the intensity of the flames.

The hospital, a four-story building operated by Dr. George Cline, was filled with patients of prominent physicians at the time of the blasts.

Forty-five persons are known to have lost their lives, police said; some having died in hospitals where they had been rushed after being carried from the clinic.

Many are said to have been affected by the deadly bromide gasses from the films, which burn out the sensitive tissues of the mouth, nose and lungs, causing the victims to bleed profusely.

New Use Made Of Strip Map

The "strip" map prepared for aviators flying between El Paso and Midland, drawn by O. C. Harper, is being utilized for quite different uses from that for which it was primarily intended.

Oil companies of the West Texas Permian Basin, finding that oil pools are included in the map, are writing in and asking for the maps.

Budget For Boy Scouts Being Made

The Boy Scouts of America, Buffalo Trails Council, were getting up their budget for the ensuing year, Tuesday, P. D. Craft, scout executive, was here in connection with this work.

Money paid into the fund by Midland merchants and business men, goes into a budget fund which pays salaries of the executive and an assistant, pays for scout encampments and others boys' work.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



It's sometimes tough to get the reputation for being what you really are.

AMERICAN LEGION OFFICIAL VISITS LION LUNCHEON

Sam T. McCarty, assistant State Adjutant of the American Legion was present at the Lions club lunch today, and heard outlined plans for the next Lions convention, to be held at Austin next year.

Reports were given by Lion President Homer W. Rowe on the last state convention, held in San Angelo last week.

A sing song program was the feature of the entertainment.

Chrysler Auto Dealership Has Changed Owners

Sale of the Broadway Motor company, Chrysler dealers, to the Tolter-Crabbe Motor Company of Sweetwater, was announced today by S. Dewey Stokes, one of the former owners.

Official announcement by the new owners will be made a few days later, when details of transferring the corporation's charter and other elements of the deal are completed.

Mr. Stokes retains ownership of his top and body company, and he states that within 30 days he will have it in a larger building with new and better equipment.

For the present, Mr. Stokes is making his office at the Broadway Motor Company, and is attending to the collection of accounts and other details in winding up the business.

LEGION BANQUET AT SCHARBAUER HOTEL TONIGHT

Preparations are complete for the American Legion banquet to begin at 8 o'clock tonight in the crystal room of Hotel Scharbauer, at which time the Woods W. Lynch post will entertain Assistant State Adjutant Sam T. McCarty, Legion officials say.

Not only are ex-veterans of the army who are Legion members to be present, but the invitation is general to all service men—whether they be of the navy, aviation or any other division.

BRIEFS

U. S. MARSHAL NAMED.

WASHINGTON, May 15 (UP)—President Hoover nominated Scott White of El Paso marshal for the Western Texas district.

CAN'T GET JURY.

LA GRANGE, May 15 (UP)—A change of venue is expected in the Becky Rogers trial since only seven jurors have been obtained from 200 veniremen questioned.

LEGISLATURE LOCKED.

AUSTIN, May 15 (UP)—Opponents locked horns in the legislature today over prison concentration and automobile registration fees.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

SWEETWATER, May 15 (UP)—Iris Dean, three years old, was burned to death today in a clothes basket at her home. The fire was confined to the closet.

NEW AIR LINE.

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 15 (UP)—Four Braniff airplanes left here today for San Angelo, inaugurating passenger service.

CATTLEMAN KILLED.

GALVESTON, May 15 (AP)—George Benson, 56, Galveston County cattleman, was killed today when his automobile collided with a passenger train at Dickinson, near here.

CANCELS PASSAGE FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, May 15.—(AP)—It was announced here today that Mrs. Mary Pierce of New York, the only woman listed on the Graf Zeppelin's passenger roster, had cancelled her passage.

SINCLAIR RE-ELECTED

NEW YORK, May 15.—(UP)—Harry Sinclair, serving a contempt sentence at Washington, received a vote of confidence of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation today when the organization re-elected him chairman of the board.

Bankers Declare Texas Prosperity On a Sound Basis

GALVESTON, May 15 (AP)—Problems of agriculture and the country banker were discussed at today's session of the annual convention of the Texas Bankers Association here.

The speakers were optimistic over trade prospects and were unanimously declaring that Texas prosperity was on a sound economic foundation.

REPRESENTATION URGED AT LUNCH FOR CREAGER HERE

Not only Republicans, but Hoover Democrats, are invited to the "dutch" feed to be given in the crystal room of Hotel Scharbauer at 6:30 Thursday night, when R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman comes here with a party for examination of the needs of Midland regarding a Federal building.

Tickets are on sale at the office of W. A. Hyatt and the chamber of commerce.

Hyatt points out the necessity for making a good impression on the visitors and insists that a good representation of citizenship should be present. "All who are interested in Midland should come to the dinner," he says.

Publicity Seeks To Induce Move of Oil Firms Here

Following definite announcement that the 12-story Petroleum building will be ready for occupancy in June, photographs of the structure are being sent major oil companies of the state towards the end of inducing them to move quarters here.

EL PASO MAYOR WILL ATTEND FETES HERE

Mayor R. E. Thompson of El Paso has written the chamber of commerce his acceptance of the invitation to be here on July 3-4, when the chamber will give an elaborate program in commemoration of the opening of the 12-story Petroleum office building.

Other invitations are being heard from, and a record attendance is expected. Two governors, those of Texas and New Mexico, and more than 150 mayors have been invited, as well as a great number of oil men, Texas executives, and those of this area who have shown the greatest interest in the construction of the building.

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THE NEXT BIG EVENT

Midland's next big event, one which will require the efforts of all citizens to put over in a big way, is the celebration in connection with the opening of the 12-story Petroleum Building, July 3 and 4.

With more prominent people here than have ever gathered in Midland on any one occasion, this event will go down in Midland's history as a red letter occasion.

Midland people should begin now to have their out of town friends invited here for the two days, as it will be an excellent opportunity for an impression to be made which will bring lasting benefit to the city.

The Petroleum Building is the "pride of the Permian Basin," and it is fitting that the people of this area unite in the biggest celebration ever held in West Texas.

MODERN STORE FRONTS

The recent request by city officials that local business institutions take down the old type awnings and erect the roll type, or adjustable awnings, would lead to a more beautiful city if adhered to by all of the owners or occupants of business property.

As yet, only a few have complied with the request. It is understood that an ordinance is planned, to be enacted in the future, which would take care of this phase of building construction; but city officials have expressed the desire that business men cooperate in taking down the old awnings now.

In addition to creating a more beautiful and uniform business district, the adjustable awnings make it possible for better street lighting, allowing the street lights to stand higher from the street.

FIGHTING FARM FIRES

A bulletin just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, shows that the greatest farm fire risks are those presented by chimneys, the cellar, roofing, fireplaces, stairways and heating and lighting equipment.

This department, in co-operation with fire prevention organizations, has been working to eliminate farm fire hazards and minimize those hazards which are unavoidable.

Prevention is mainly up to the individual. Poor building construction is a menace. Fire-stopping in framework and fire-resistant floor construction is important. Lack of adequate maintenance is another great danger. Buildings and equipment should be regularly inspected and needed repairs should be made immediately.

The farm fire loss is high, partly because of lack of fire-fighting organizations. But a little care by every farmer will do wonders in lowering the waste.

SECONDARY ROADS IMPORTANT

Good roads pay dividends. They are a sign of progress and an aid to prosperity.

Industry is attracted to localities which can offer a high class, extensive road system. Agriculture is encouraged and farm values increase. Their importance in connecting distant communities cannot be estimated.

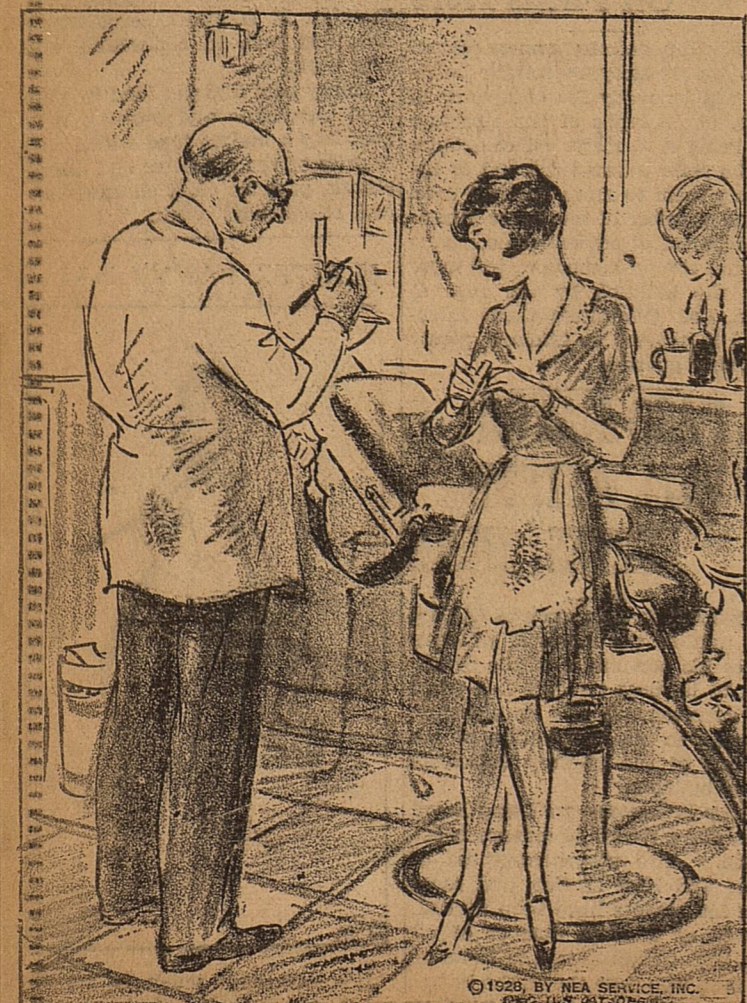
Road building is a leading item in the tax budget. Coupled with education, it is probable that highways are today the most important aid to social progress.

We have, in the United States, a state highway system that is unexcelled. From now on the most important job is to pave tens of thousands of miles of secondary or market roads. Oil and asphaltic materials which can be applied economically will do away with mud and dust.

This is essential to open up back country, relieve congestion on main highways and encourage the building up of small towns instead of draining all the business away from them to larger centers located on improved roads.

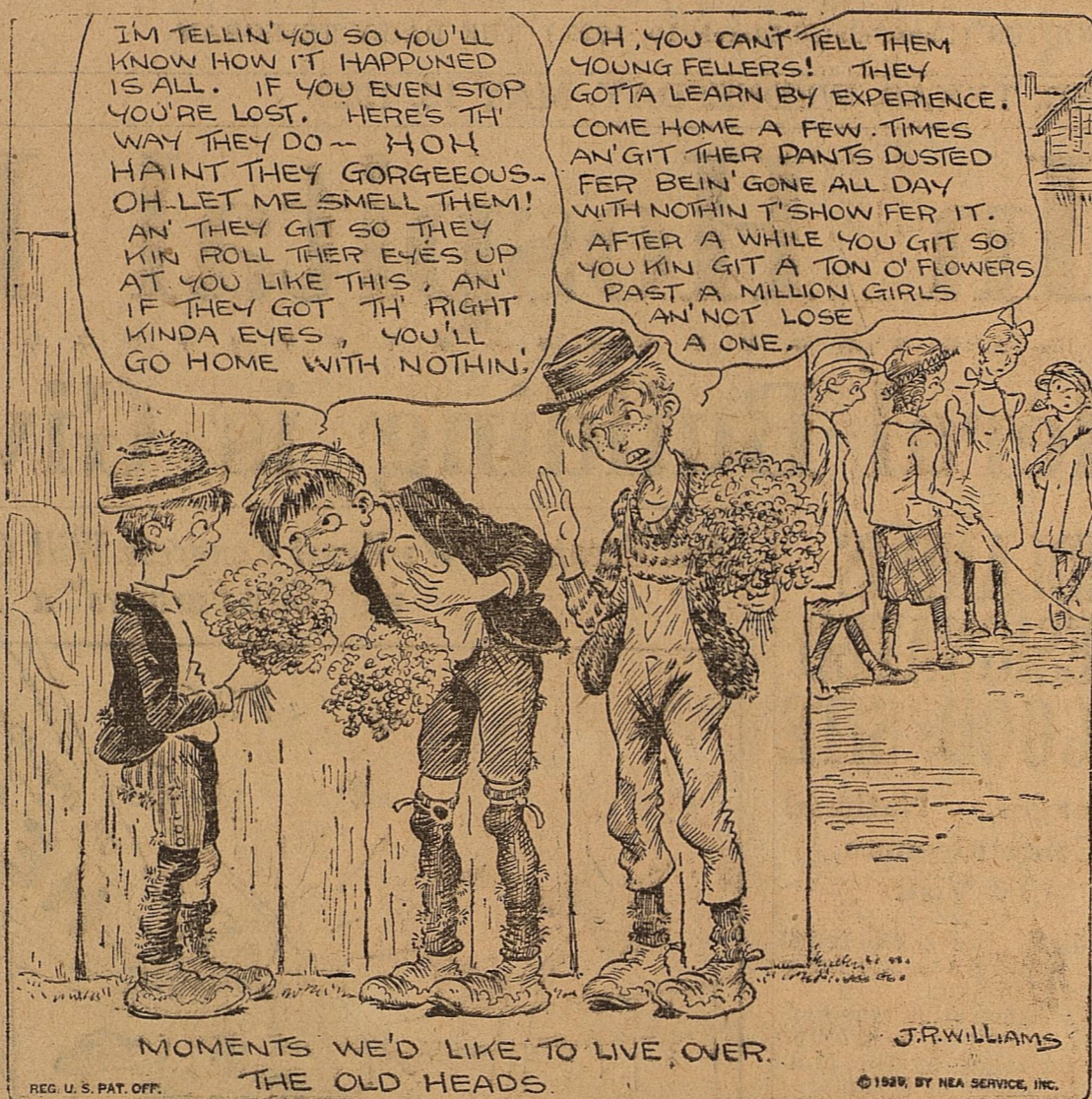
SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



can tell how high to polish their nails by the amount

By Williams



MARY NOLAN IS ONLY WOMAN IN THRILL FILM

For the first time in his entire motion picture career, John Gilbert appears in a picture in which there is but one woman. It is in his latest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring feature, "Desert Nights," a synchronized film, which will be at the Grand theater Sunday.

Although there are several hundred people seen at various times throughout the picture, close observation will disclose that Mary Nolan, who appears in the feminine lead, is the only member of her sex seen. There are literally hundreds of men at work in the diamond mines in the opening sequence, and several squads of soldiers, but for all this motley crowd not one other woman appears.

The stirring drama is based on the sensational and daring robbery of a South American diamond mine and the ultimate experiences of the renegades and their prisoner when they attempt to cross the desert with their loot. It is thrilling and soul touching with a most unusual romantic plot cleverly interwoven with the main themes of greed and revenge which permeate the entire picture.

Ernest Torrence is seen in a prominent supporting role, that of a master crook. The picture was directed by William Nigh from an original story by John Thomas Neville and Dale Van Every.

102, She Flies



"It was great!" says Mrs. Wilhelmina Echultz, 102 years old, of Michigan City, Ind., who recently flew to Benton Harbor, Mich., for the opening of a new airport there. At the left is Pilot Wynn Bradford who was at the controls. She is believed to be the oldest person ever to fly.

QUOTATIONS

"The country needs much more specific data for building adequate policies and plans for the utilization of roset lances and for the practice of forestry." -R. E. Marsh, forest service.

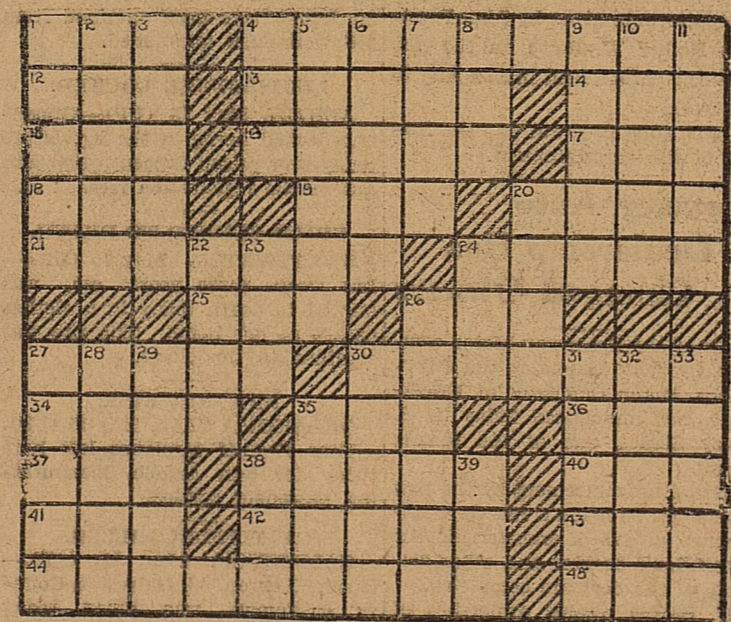
"I would rather think of my religion as a gamble than to think of it as an insurance policy." -Dr. Stephen Wise. (Outlook.)

"If any young man wants to get married and can't afford it, just let him get a job teaching in a prep school." -Robert M. Hutchins, newly-elected president of the University of Chicago.

"Mankind is incorrigibly lazy, would like to stop progressing and especially would always prefer to stop thinking. The hardest work in the world is thinking, and especially getting larger thoughts." -Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, famous Baptist minister. (Good Housekeeping.)

Reporter Telegram Want Ads Pay

TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal
1. Distant.
4. Marked with spots.
12. Kimona sash.
13. Quite by one's self.
14. Hall!
15. Head covering.
16. Swift.
17. Adult kitten.
18. Custom.
19. To make a type of lace.
20. One slope of a hill.
21. To wither.
24. To fail as a mine.
25. Low vulgar fellow.
26. To carve, as meat.
27. Cantaloupe.
30. Covered with wax.
34. Form of steel.
35. Your plus my.
36. Native metal.
37. A wooden peg.
38. Bounds.
40. Light brown.
41. Type of poem.
42. Birds similar to ducks.
43. Animal similar to a donkey.
44. Answered.
45. Sheltered place.
Vertical
1. Point at which rays of light appear to meet after being reflected.
2. To embarrass.
3. Mellow.
4. To impair.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

LUMBER POTATO
ALIEN D FINIS
WEND TOP LEES
YPT WARES WI
EMPERTAINWIF
RAPID L TARRY
PUN SAD GEE
MTT OWNED PPF
ATT GRADERS MI
MANNER PAUSES
AUGUSTA BERTH

Brady Rancher Prominent In The Show Ring

BRADY, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—A Texas cowpuncher who 33 years ago invested his savings of 25 years to purchase a half section of land, but sold it because "it wasn't enough to graze a zovv pony," today ranks as one of Texas' foremost breeders of registered Hereford cattle.

This erstwhile cowpuncher is F. M. "Buck" Richards of Brady, owner of a 12,000 acre ranch, and a thousand pure-bred, white faced Steers.

Richards has no apologies to make for his present ranch holdings, consisting of some of the best pasturage in the state. Besides his registered cattle, he owns a thousand long haired Angora goats of excellent breed type, and a hundred pedigreed sheep.

The quiet, unassuming breeder sprang into prominence four years ago when he ventured his first exhibit to the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show—a carlot of fattened Hereford calves—and won the championship award. Two years later he added grand champion to his laurels, when his calves were declared the best animals over ever age and breed in the same show. Since then he has been a consistent winner in numerous other exhibitions.

"Buck" was born in Sherman, Texas, 73 years ago. At the age of 16, he landed his first cattle job near his home town. Within two years he was made "boss." He resigned his position, however, just before his twenty-first birthday and "hit the trail" for the Brady territory, where "at that time nobody owned land," the rancher said.

"There were no fences and the whole country was wide open. We put all of our money into cattle, and did not bother about paying land taxes—or income taxes either," he related.

Richards said he would not like to go back to those "good old days." It was the march of civilization that brought prosperity to him, he added.

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BIG FRANK WATT MAY HURL HOUSTON INTO LEAGUE PENNANT THIS YEAR

HOUSTON, May 15 (AP).—The performance of Frank Watt, big right-hander, in a seven inning relief role against Dallas here recently, drew attention throughout the Texas League. If Watt's arm is in shape again, as his feat in holding the Steers to two hits would indicate, the Buffs chances of repeating for the league title are enhanced considerably.

Watt's lame wing has approached baseball tragedy. In 1926 he was one of the greatest pitchers in the league. He, with Jim Lindsay and Tiny Owens, nearly hurled San Antonio to a pennant that year. His fine arm earned him a chance with Detroit, and it was shortly after the next season opened that his salary arm went sour.

He was sent to Fort Worth, but couldn't pitch a lick and was released. Last year he was with San

Antonio for a time and appeared to be on the verge of a comeback. His arm went back on him again, however, and it was probably with some misgivings that Manager Snyder gave him a chance here this spring.

Snyder's patience appears likely to be rewarded. In his initial appearance against the Steers the big fellow appeared to have all of his former stuff. In shape, Watt undoubtedly is 'one of the finest fingers in the circuit.

BOSTON, May 15.—(UP)—William Doyle, a fisherman was standing on an East Boston wharf, leisurely watching the boats in the harbor, when a police dog ran into him, and pushed him off the dock. Doyle, who suffered a broken leg and a wrenched back, is suing the owner of the wharf for \$15,000 damages.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

CHURCHES
THEATRES
FASHIONS

Gypsy Luncheon Affair by Mrs. Baker For Club

With many suggestions of Gypsy land predominating at the luncheon affair, Mrs. A. P. Baker had as guests members of the Mayfair Club and several others. A profusion of roses, poppies, and colorful wild flowers were used for floral appointments.

At luncheon time tables were centered with vases of yellow roses on red doilies and a three course luncheon was served. The plates also gave emphasis to the reds and yellows.

For the games of bridge Mrs. Lee Jones received a summer purse for holding high member's score and Mrs. T. C. Bobo was presented yellow beads for high guest's score. Mrs. Jno. P. Butler holding low at the close of the gypsy caravan race was also given beads.

Table cuts, vases of roses went to Mesdames A. E. Horst, T. C. Bobo, W. Daiches, and C. F. Whaley. Guests included Mesdames J. A. Finlayson, J. P. Butler, D. E. Carter, H. B. Dickinson, E. I. Head, Lee Jones, D. E. Shoemaker, H. J. Phillips, Jim Schroeder, C. F. Whaley, Chas. Klapproth, A. D. Martin, E. N. Snodgrass, T. C. Bobo, and W. Daiches.

Tuesday Club Honored by Mrs. McCool

Mrs. C. E. McCool entertained yesterday afternoon with Tuesday club members and guests as her honorees. This is the third affair given by Mrs. McCool for clubs during the past week. Last week's guests were Mid-Week and 1928 club members.

The hostess favored high score holder, Mrs. R. W. Patterson, with a lovely pink sugar and creamer. She also gave Mrs. J. D. Young a hand painted novelty handkerchief for putting high.

Guests were Mesdames J. H. Longabough, and J. D. Young; club members present were Mesdames O. C. Harper, Jack Hazentine, Geo. Abell, Al Loskamp, R. W. Patterson, W. A. Yeager, W. E. Wallace, Horace Bayer, M. M. Meek and E. G. Bedford.

Mrs. Estill Hostess at Bridge Affair

Members of the Edelweiss Club and guests who were entertained by Mrs. Fritz Estill Tuesday afternoon with bridge games included Mesdames R. B. Cowden, Joe Crump, Jno. Dublin, A. S. Legg, Russell Lloyd, Hayden Miles, Floyd Proctor, D. V. Smith, J. M. Speed, W. L. Russell, Geo. Larson of Albuquerque, N. M., Finis Neal, W. C. Kinkle, Ed Dawson; Misses Thelma White and Lois Patterson.

Score favors were presented for high cut, Mrs. Joe Crump and for high scorer, Mrs. Hayden Miles.

Club Party Given by Mrs. Ida Wolcott

Mrs. Ida Wolcott entertained members of the 1912 Bridge Club and guests at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Roses of every hue predominated in the floral decorations while table markers were colored colonial ladies.

High guest scorer, Mrs. W. M. Schrock, was favored with a venetian flower bowl and high member, Mrs. C. A. Goldsmith, received a pottery tea pot. Mrs. E. W. Cowden cut high for a fustoria lemon dish.

Salads were passed to Mesdames: C. A. Goldsmith, T. S. Patterson, E. P. Cowden, Bud Estes, N. W. Biggam, W. M. Schrock, F. C. Norwood, Paul Rountree, Terry Elkin, C. C. Watson, and E. W. Cowden.

Mrs. Calvin Pegues and children of Odessa were in Midland shopping late yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. B. F. Smith of Stanton is a shopper in Midland today.

T. P. Davis of Odessa is a business visitor here today.

ETHEL

By Ethel Hays



Presbyterians Celebrate 17th Birthday

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church celebrated the seventeenth anniversary of the General Auxiliary yesterday afternoon at the church. It was in 1912 that "The Ladies Aid" and the "Woman's Missionary Society" of the Presbyterian churches were disbanded and the Women's Auxiliary was organized. After the opening hymn and a prayer, a short business meeting was held. The Auxiliary voted to clothe, this year, an eight year old boy, who is living in the Presbyterian Home and School for Orphans at Itasca. Mrs. John G. Gossett gave an interesting report of the Christian Social service committee and impressed the society by her encouraging report of the services conducted each Sunday afternoon at the jail.

Mrs. Andrew Fasken conducted the devotional and her subject was "The Woman Who Testified" as related in John 4:1-10.

The feature of the program was a pageant "Hands Across the Rio Grande". This was an elaborate and impressive presentation of the needs of Mexican womanhood. It was presented in two scenes by twelve characters. Mrs. Florence Richardson directed this dramatization of Mexico's needs.

The characters were as follows. Mrs. William R. Ross, Missionary at Mexico City—Mrs. Lillian Masters. Miss Letty Beaty, principal of Zitacuaro School for Girls—Mrs. Thos. D. Murphy.

Miss Alice McClelland, principal of Chilpancingo School for Girls—Mrs. Florence Richardson.

Juan, the Mexican gardener—Marguerite Bivens.

Elena Macias, Prologus—Miss Georgia McMullan.

Evangelina Rodrigues, representing Mexican history—Mrs. L. J. Le Conte.

Raquel Reina, representing Spirit of Mexico—Lucille McMullan.

Amada Naranjo, representing a mythological queen—Dorothy Holcraft.

Amelia, representing Cortez's guide—Joyce Draper.

Sara Pachco, representing Dona Ortiz, mother of the Mexican revolution—Tessie Fay Draper.

Leonor Reyes, representing Dona Vicardia, girl heroine of Revolution—Lexie Jane Cragin.

Ester Benitez, representing Spirit of Truth—Louise Wolcott.

The Auxiliary at this meeting expressed its appreciation to Mrs. A. Harry Anderson for furnishing and arranging the many beautiful flowers used at the Mother's Day service on Sunday and also used at the party on Monday.

The Mexican music played by Mrs. Fred Turner, Jr. played an important part in creating the atmosphere of the pageant. A large Mexican flag was hung on one side of the platform, and an American flag of the same size graced the

other side. Other smaller Mexican flags were used in the decorations.

A free will offering amounting to about thirty dollars was taken and will be used to better equip two school for girls in Mexico.

The Auxiliary birthday cake was presented to those present by Little Miss Lexie Jane Cragin. This was a large white cake, iced in green, and contained seventeen red candles, thus carrying out the color scheme of red, white and green, the national Mexican colors.

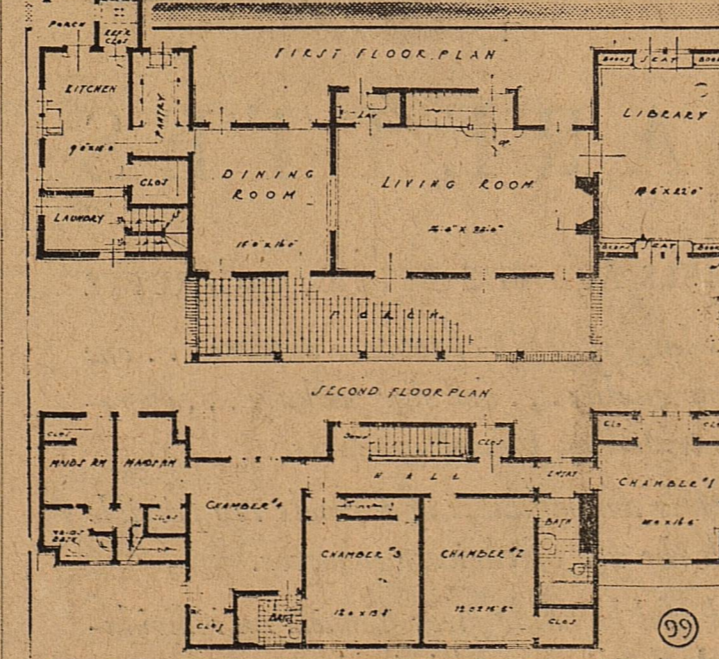
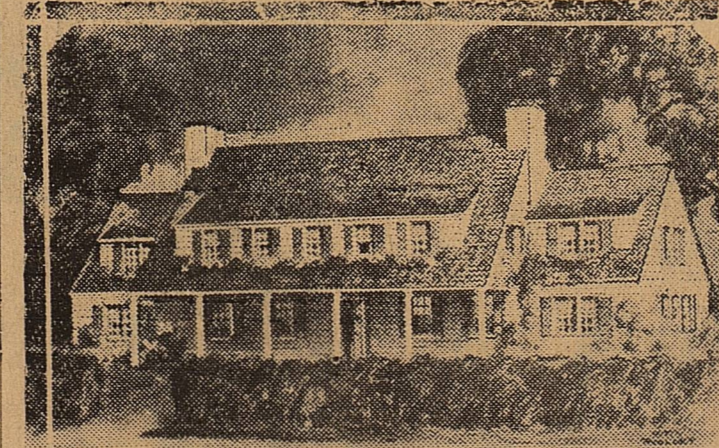
The cake was given Miss Downing, principal of the Midland Mexican School, to be presented today to the school as a cordial greeting from the Auxiliary. The program closed with prayer by the Rev.

Thos. D. Murphy.

Those who formed the receiving line or who assisted during the social hour Monday were Mesdames J. M. Caldwell, H. G. Bedford, T. L. Griffin, W. E. Tanner, T. C. Heard, J. M. DeArmond, Andrew Fasken, Fred Turner, F. E. Cragin, Chas. G. Holzgraf, Paul L. Young and L. J. Le Conte.

Fruit punch, hard cookies, candies and salted nuts, a typical Mexican tea plate, was served to about sixty guests, including Auxiliary members, girls in the pageant, children in the nursery and three guests who were Mesdames A. Hanna of Little Rock, Ark., Harvey Sloan and Ernest McCloskey.

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Billie Briggs Host to Friends On Birthday

Little friends of Master Billie Briggs were his guests recently at a party given in honor of his seventh birthday. The occasion was held at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wadley. Jolly out-of-door games directed by his mother, Mrs. Dan Woodson, and assisted by Miss Etheridge, gave entertainment for the children during the late afternoon hours. Closing this event, a huge white birthday cake adorned in decorations and seven pink candles was cut and served with pink and white cream from the dining table centered with a lovely bouquet of roses.

The honored one was remembered by his friends with many pretty birthday favors.

The guests list included: Katherine Dunagan, Jessa Lyn Tuttle, Dorothy Bess Greet, Alredge Estes, Jr., Jack Kenney, Mildred Bedford, Eldred and Edwin Fryer, Murry Howell, Wallace Hiatt, Vivian McCargo, L. E. Dunagan, and Donald Patton.

Date of Musical Revue Changed

On account of the conflicting date of the Senior Class play of the high school, Mrs. Paul T. Vickers has postponed the date of the presentation of her students in a musical revue at the Ritz Theater to Friday evening, May 31. The first date was this Friday evening.

Second Birthday Honored by Robert Loys Musslewhite

In celebration of his second birthday Robert Loys Musslewhite entertained several friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Musslewhite.

Lovely gifts were presented the little host as birthday remembrances from the guests. The birthday cake was cut and refreshments were served to Marjorie Campbell, Dorothy McKee, Margaret Morgan, Cecil Janis and Patsy Ruth Pope.

James Moore, William Ponder, Billie and Bobbie Drake, I. J. and Hester Brown and Billie Campbell.

Joe E. Ward of the Montgomery-Ward Construction Co. of Wichita Falls is here on business for several days.

W. R. Upham has gone to McCamey today to transact business for the J. D. Young Corp.

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PERSONALS

J. L. Castleberry of Florey, Texas, is a visitor in Midland today.

Mrs. F. E. Rankin arrived here last night from her home in Rankin to meet Mrs. R. E. Rankin of Abilene who has been visiting her brother Mr. Clarence Scharbauer, for the past few days. Mrs. R. E. Rankin returned to her home today and will leave May 25th for Washington, D. C., and from there to New York, sailing the first of June for a summer's trip in Europe. Mrs. F. E. Rankin will remain here until tomorrow and visit with other relatives.

Dr. J. D. Young has returned from Fort Worth where he has been for the past few days on business.

D. L. Ross, representative of the Shell Oil Company, is here for a few days on business from Tulsa, Okla.

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NEXT SUNDAY

Fred Jones of the Hercules Powder Co. of Dallas is a business visitor in the Midland Hardware Co. today.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. F. Brown are at home after being gone for the past week. Mrs. Brown returned the first of the week from Dallas, where she received treatment in the Baptist hospital, and Rev. Brown arrived last night from Memphis, Tenn., where he represented the local Baptist church at the Southern Baptist convention.

F. J. Ranglade of Roswell, N. M., was a business visitor in Midland last night. He is an oil operator in that city.

Fred M. Thompson of the Alexandria Hotel in Los Angeles, spent last night in Midland. He was en

route to a national hotel convention in Detroit.

J. L. Ryan of Lubbock in transacting business here today. Mr. Ryan is connected with the West Texas Gas Co. with division offices here.

Harry J. Earls of San Angelo is transacting business here for a few days.

Jno. Skaggs of the Ed S. Hughes Co. is here from his home in Baird. He is transacting business for his company.

Mrs. Geo. Larson of Albuquerque, New Mexico is the house guest of Mrs. W. L. Russell for the week.

Fred Girdley returned last night from Houston where he has been for the past few days on business.

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COLTS TAKE SERIES FROM LEADING SAN ANGELOANS, 10-9

TODAY'S GAME IF WON WILL GIVE SWEEP OF SERIES WITH HERDERS

A combination of thrilling play in the last half of the ninth gave Midland her second consecutive win from the Herders of Angelo at Cowden Park yesterday afternoon, and incidentally the first series of the year was chalked up to the credit of the Colts.

Angelo had evened the count in their half of the ninth. The score was 9 all. Burrows singled and stole second. Flowers grounded out, Jancik to Alexander, Burrows taking third. Cheeves, heavy hitting left fielder, drew a walk

when four straight balls were purposefully thrown past him. Burrows got into a "hot box" and was out sliding into third. Cheeves, taking second the play, had to slide, but the ball, thrown by Coleman, third baseman, to Rawlings, second sacker, bounded free and into left field territory, and Cheeves legged it in with the unequal run.

Stagner, Colt catcher, collected four hits during the afternoon to lead his mates.

The game, play by play:

First Inning

San Angelo—C. Williams lined to Van Landingham. Jancik was safe at first on Segrist's poor throw to Burrows. Rawlings doubled to center, McMillan flied out to Kinnear. Jancik scoring on the play. D. C. Williams was out at first. I hit, one run, one error.

Midland—Burrows flew out to C. Williams. Flowers was out on an easy roller to Sralla who tossed to Rawlings, who covered first. Cheeves walked. Cheeves stole second. Kinnear walked. Van Landingham fanned. No hits, no runs, no errors.

Second Inning

San Angelo—Coleman was out. Van Landingham to Burrows. Sralla went out by the same route. Francis fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors. Midland—Segrist singled through Coleman. Crozier hit into a double play, Jancik to Rawlings to Sralla. Stagner tripled through C. Williams in center. Andrews was out. Coleman to Sralla. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning

San Angelo—Coleman fanned. C. Williams was out. Andrews to Burrows. Jancik beat out a roller to Crozier. He stole second. Rawlings walked. McMillan singled and two men scored when Flower's peg to Stagner was wide, slipping out of his hand. McMillan took second. D. C. Williams fanned. Two runs, two hits, no errors.

Midland—Burrows flew out to C. Williams, in short center. Flowers fanned. Cheeves singled through short. Kinnear was out to Sralla, unassisted. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Fourth Inning

San Angelo—Coleman grounded out. Van Landingham to Burrows. Sralla doubled to left. Francis popped out to Van Landingham. Costa was out. Andrews to Burrows. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Midland—Van Landingham singled between second and first. Segrist lofted to Jancik. Crozier popped out to Coleman. Stagner put a Texas Leaguer into short center to advance Van Landingham to third. Andrews scored Van Landingham by a well placed single through short. Burrows scored both runners by a hit to right field. He was out trying to stretch his hit into a triple. Three runs, four hits, no errors.

Fifth Inning

San Angelo—C. Williams singled through Van Landingham. Jancik was safe on first when Segrist threw wide. Rawlings lined to Cheeves. McMillan was out. Burrows to Andrews who covered the bag. D. C. Williams scored. C. Williams and Jancik by a single to right. Two hits, two runs, 1 error.

Midland—Flowers walked. Cheeves tripled to score Flowers. Kinnear's sacrifice fly to D. C. Williams scored Cheeves. Van Landingham was hit by a pitched ball. Van stole second. Segrist flew out to D. C. Williams. Crozier walked. Stagner singled through short to score Van Landingham. Crozier stole home when Stagner slid into second and an argument developed as to whether he was safe. Andrews was out. Coleman to Alexander, who had relieved Sralla at first. Four runs, two hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning

San Angelo—Alexander doubled to left. Francis was out. Burrows to Andrews who covered the bag. Costa walked. C. Williams hit into a double play. Van Landingham to Crozier to Burrows. One run, one hit, no errors.

Midland—Burrows lofted to C. Williams. Flowers singled through first. Cheeves was safe at first when McMillan and Alexander played the "you take it, my dear Alphonso," and let the ball fall at their feet. Kinnear fouled out to Coleman. Van Landingham scored Flowers from second and advanced Cheeves by a double to left. Segrist walked. Crozier came up with the bases drunk and popped out to Alexander. One run, 3-hits, no errors.

Seventh Inning

San Angelo—Jancik singled. Rawlings singled but Cheeves caught Jancik off second. McMillan was out and D. C. Williams followed him in the same way. Van Landingham to Burrows. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Midland—Stagner was out. Alexander

Sets New Record In Discus Heave



One world record-breaking performance was made in the annual Drake Relays and here is the man who did it—Carl Jark, 210-pound Army cadet. Jark hurled the discus 158 feet 3 inches to shatter a mark of "Bud" Houser, Southern California athlete of a recent year, by one and one-quarter inches. His feat was the feature of the annual relay carnival.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

by Ahern



TULARE, Cal., May 15.—(UP)—All of Great Britain was in jail here recently. He was a youth and would give no name but "Great Britain" when arrested. And so it was recorded on the police blotter: "Great

Britain, bounded on all sides by canned heat." ASKS AROMATIC DAMAGES PORTLAND, Me., May 15.—(UP)—Claiming that an obnoxious odor from a nearby cleaning and dyeing plant made them ill, killed their cats, and ruined their foodstuffs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Landry here

SPEER AND CARLTON CARRY HOPES OF BAYOU CITY IN AMATEUR GOLF MATCH

DALLAS, Texas, May 15 (AP)—Linksmen from San Antonio and Houston are being favored to fight it out for the state amateur golf championship in the annual tournament over the Brook Hollow course here June 4 to 8.

Jack Speer, present champion, and Ossie Carlton, winner of the last invitational tournament at Houston, will carry the principal hopes of the Bayou City in the annual classic.

Paired against them will be San Antonio's two sensational youngsters, Reuben Albaugh and Lewis Levison, the latter a former state champion.

Although there are scads of top-notch amateur golfers in the state, any one of the score which is capable of winning the tournament, the quartet named has dominated Texas amateur play more or less for several years. One of the four either has won or played in the finals of almost every important state meet since the memory runs—not to the contrary.

There is a widespread opinion that Albaugh, the "hard-luck" youngster, is about due to break through and capture the title. Possessor of one of the soundest games in the state, he time and again has blazed his way through important meets, only to blow up in the stretch. He was downed by Carlton in the finals of the Houston Invitational after he previously had eliminated the brilliant John Dawson of Chicago, tourney favorite.

Clarence Hubby in the finals of the state meet two years ago, only to succumb to Jack Speer in the finals of the succeeding state tourney, has been burning up the San Antonio courses in practice. He recently set a new mark of 67 for the difficult Willow Springs course. He will have to be reckoned with in the Brook Hollow meet.

There are now two railroad tunnels in Texas, one on the Fredericksburg & Northern near Fredericksburg, and a new one on the Fort Worth & Denver, west of Estelline.—Texas Commercial News.

Reporter-Telegram Want Ads Pay

GOLFERS FROM UNIVERSITIES MEET THURSDAY

FORT WORTH, May 15 (UP).—Thirty men the cream of golfers from five Southwest Conference universities, will take off tomorrow in the conference golf meet.

The meet will be held at the Riverside Country Club with team entering from Rice, Texas, Southern Methodist, Texas A. & M., and Texas Christian.

The opening contest will be an 18-hole medal match. Each school will enter six men and the lowest four will qualify. Number two and three flights will be Friday, and the final Saturday.

Of the teams entered, Rice and Texas appear to be the best sets. Southern Methodist made a strong showing in pre-season matches and may have to be contended with. Texas Christian likewise are strong, having downed the Methodists. The Frogs have not won a championship since three years when Jimmy Wilson turned the trick. This year they have Captain Victor Robeson, Milton Simons, Bill Rogers and Bud Norman to carry their colors.

The Rivercrest course is one of the best in Fort Worth and will be given over entirely to the conference meet.

ROOSTER WITH FLAIR FOR RAIL TRAVEL RIDES TRAINS

BORGHOLM, Sweden, May 15.—(UP)—A bantam rooster with a flair for railroad travel has been discovered at Lenstad, on Oeland, the Swedish island in the Baltic. It is owned by a railroad employee, stationed at Lenstad but living in the neighboring village of Skogsby.

Apparently undecided which place he prefers, the rooster has been seen riding merrily between the two towns on the cowcatcher. Although the owner of the fowl has now imprisoned him behind wire netting, its spirit remains undaunted and it continues to greet the arrival of all trains with loud crows.

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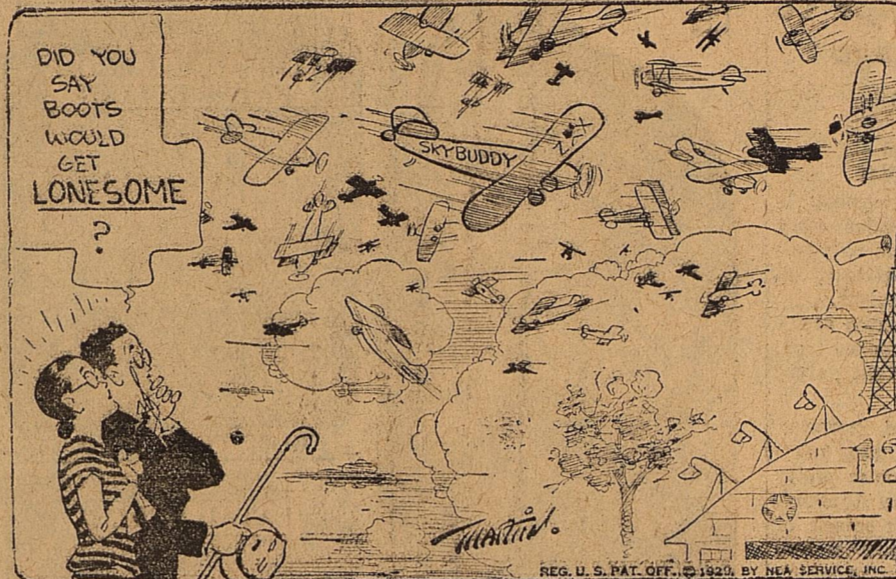
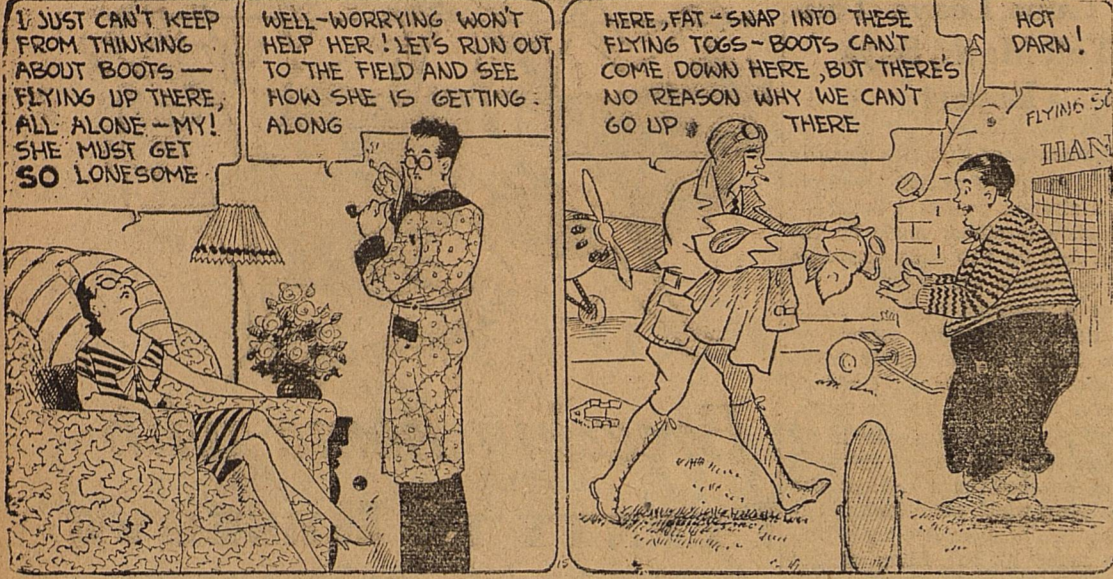
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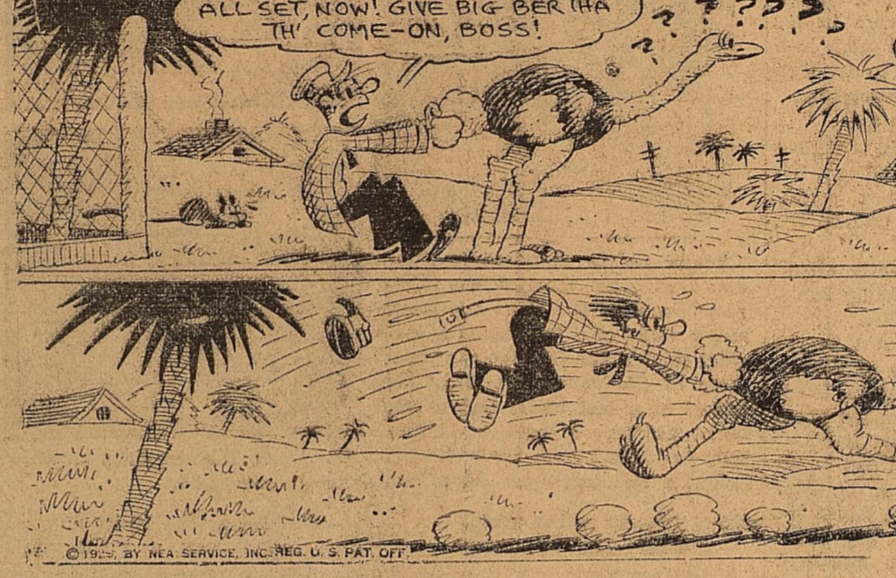
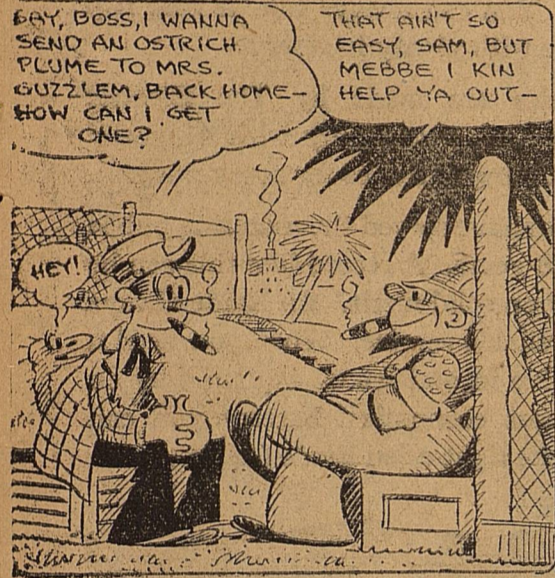
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Sam Trails Along

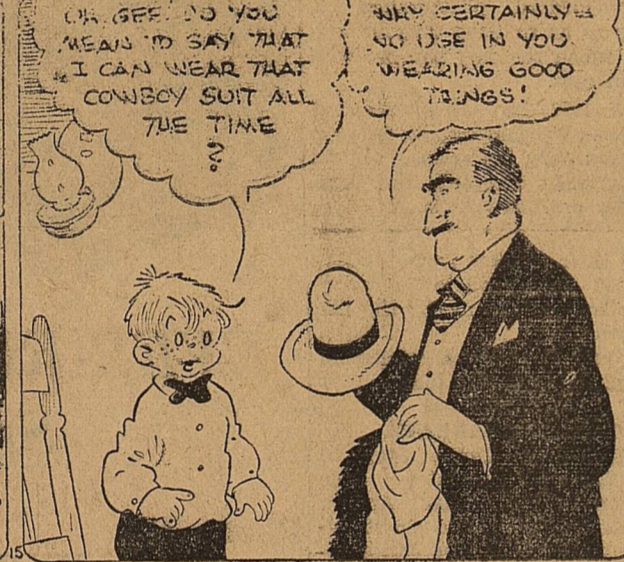
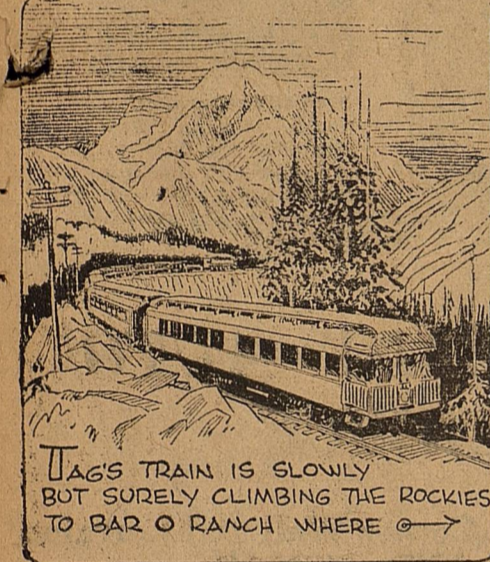
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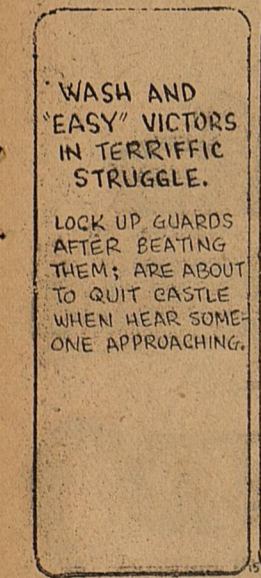
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Every Dog Has His Day

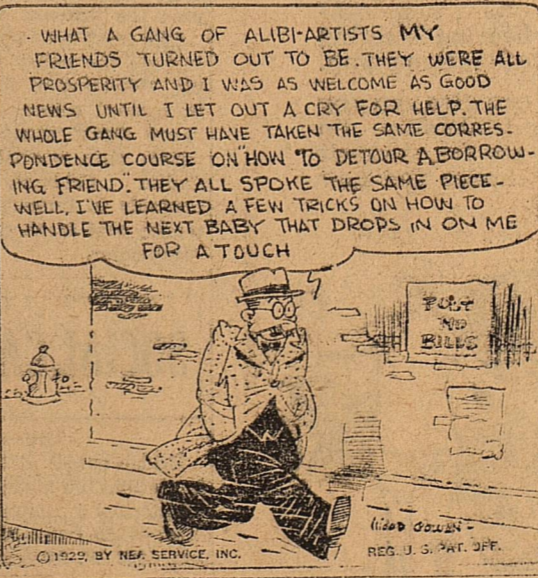
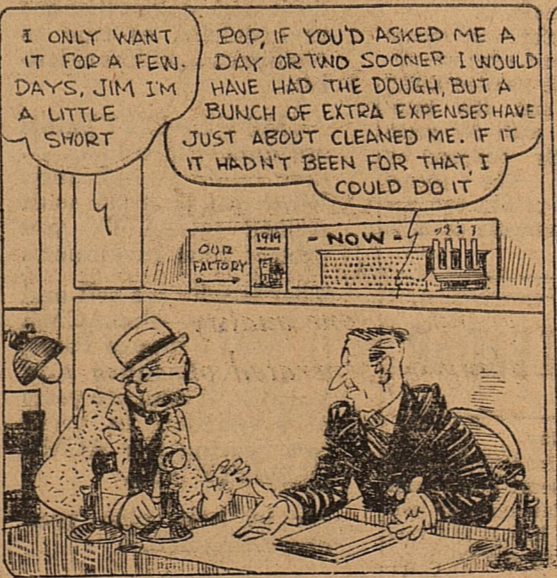
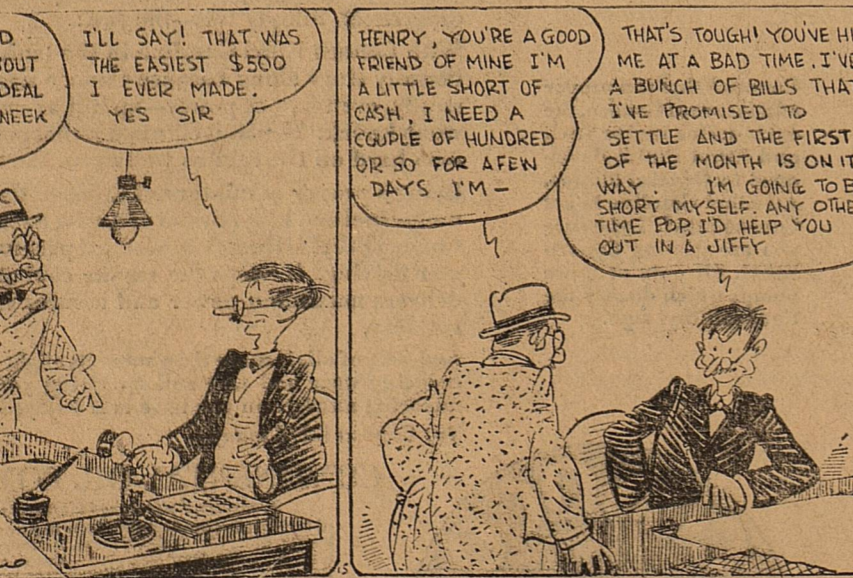
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MOM'N POP

Very Touching!

By Cowan



SPEAKING OF SPORT

By FRANK GETTY

The Intercollegiate

The strong performances of Eastern college track and field stars in the recent Pennsylvania Relay carnival has given rise to considerable speculation as to the strength of the East as opposed to the Pacific Coast and for West in the forth-

coming intercollegiate championship on Franklin field May 31 and June 1.

Although the Eastern athletes did not have a monopoly on first places in the Penn Relays, they held a slight advantage over the Middle West teams.

The improvement shown by the teams from New York University, Penn. Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Army and Maine is an indication that the Eastern sector will give the Western end a keen battle. N. Y. U. was an especially agreeable competitor and gained more first places than any

other college from the Atlantic side of the sectional boundary.

The Mid-West will send forth Ohio State as its principal contender, with Chicago, Notre Dame and the other "Big Ten" teams as serious threats.

Standard University will strive for its third consecutive title for the Coast. Word has reached here that it has another great team and has swept aside all opposition in its own territory. Southern California is also said to have a fine array of athletes.

Incidentally, the 100-yard dash should be one of the fastest ever run in the intercollegiate and if weather conditions are suitable the

world's record will be seriously endangered. Borah, George Simpson, Ohio State, and George Kyckoff, Junior College, all have equaled the mark of 9 3-5 seconds this season.

Robert Craft, manager of the I. C. A. A. meet, has been receiving entries for the past week. He said he expected a larger entry than competed at Boston last year. More than 30 teams are expected in the two days meet.

The Racers Prepare

With the deadline for entries closed, 45 of the world's fastest racing cars will compete for the right to

participate in the annual 500-mile automobile race at Indianapolis on Memorial Day.

These creations, to be piloted by the outstanding drivers of the country, including three foreign aces, will make qualifying laps until the day of the race for the right to enter. Only 3 machines are permitted to take part in the grueling chase.

Louis Chiron, French Ace, already is on the scene, grooming his mount. Followers of the "gasoline derby" have made great predictions for the smiling foreigner.

Other famous faces already are in

Indianapolis. They include: Leon Duray, Cliff Durant, Tommy Milton, Shiff Bergere, Tony Culotta, Cliff Woodbury, Baba Stapp and other lesser lights.

NEW IOWA GRID STAR

IOWA CITY, Ia., May 15.—(UP)—The playing of Oliver Sanson, of Alta, Ia., in the spring football practice at the University of Iowa, has been a thing of joy to Coach Burt Ingwersen, who sees in Sanson a likely successor to the fullback berth occupied last fall by Maves McLain.

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SOUTHWESTERN RACE AS CLOSE AS IT EVER WAS

By BOB CANTRELL

AUSTIN, Texas, May 15.—The race for the 1929 Southwestern Conference baseball title remains as close as it was last week, with the title depending on the last Texas-aggie series in College Station. The Aggies will have easy sailing until they meet the Steers face the pesky Owls with Cecil Keith here Wednesday and Thursday.

The Dischem are faced with the task of making a clean sweep of the remaining four games on their schedule to come through to a conference championship, and this will be no easy assignment. The Owls and Aggies are hard to beat at any time, and the Aggies must be faced on Kyle Field. A full week of practice has rounded the Longhorns in to perfection, and the Owls will find a slugging crew ready to make things uncomfortable for Keith and Ables.

The Texas hurling staff of Raitton, Peoples, Browning and De La Fuente is in good shape, having worked just enough each afternoon to keep their flippers in condition. The task of hurling the series opener will more than likely fall to the lot of Johnnie Raitton, southpaw ace, while Peoples will probably be the choice for the second go. However, either De La Fuente or Browning may get a shot in one or the other of the affairs.

The Texas infield is the best thing it has been at any time this season, as Rhodes has rounded back into shape and is ready to go at either short or second. It is highly probable that he will be used at short with Hopkins at second, though Hop may remain at short and Leach and Rhodes alternate at the keystone bag.

The outfield will be shifted so as to have two right handed hitters swinging from the wrong side to face Keith in the opener, and all left handed hitters will be returned to the game the second day. Dischem has been switching his men in this manner all season and has been getting good results. The past week has found the Varsity nine spending the major part of the afternoon in the batting cage, with frosh left-handers and orthodox hurlers fitting 'em across.

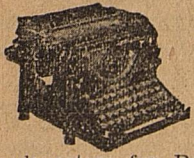
PERILS OF HIGH HEELS

BOSTON, May 15.—(UP)—A report by John J. McDonough of the State Department of Labor and Industry showed that high heels were the second greatest cause of industrial accidents in Massachusetts. It was shown that high heels were responsible for many falls, even on level floors.

CAPE COD HAS JUNIOR ARTISTS

PROVINCETOWN, Mass., May 15.—(UP)—Provincetown children, ranging in age from 6 to 17, now have their own art club.

Thus, this famous Cape Cod art colony is developing the interest of youth in artistic self-expression, perhaps with the hope that these pri-



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mary efforts may awaken a latent spark of genius.

The club, called the Junior Art Association, was founded by Mrs. Harold Haven Brown, wife of the director of the Provincetown Art Association, assisted by Arthur Cheney, ship model builder.

"We are not trying to make artists," Mrs. Brown explained. "Our first and only purpose is to provide entertainment for the children, let the instruction lead where it will."

TRIED FOR MURDER.

COLEMAN, Texas, May 15 (UP).—Denny Dixon and Robert Mason, charged with murder in the death by shooting of Elgie Leslie, were arraigned for trial today before E. J. Miller, district judge.

A special venire has been summoned. Mason and Dixon also were tried recently for the killing of a Van Alstyne officer prior to the time the killing of Leslie was alleged to have taken place.

THIS "SCIENTIFIC DETECTIVE" SURELY KNOWS HIS BULLETS

Microscope Helps To Solve Chicago Murders

By JOE LOVE NEA Service Writer

Chicago, May 15.—Everybody is familiar with the detective story sleuth who solves murders by twiddling microscopes and picking up specks of dust with tweezers.

In real life such detectives aren't so common. The average police force would shoot a sleuth of that nature on sight.

Major Calvin Goddard, however, who helps solve Chicago gang murders, is one man who comes pretty close to the detective story standard.

He uses methods that smack of fiction—including microscopes. And he has solved many a murder which had the police completely baffled.

Sherlock Holmes could look at a corpse and announce that the murderer was a six-foot Italian with a black mustache and a cast in his left eye, who came to the scene in a cab drawn by a black horse that was lame in his right front foot.

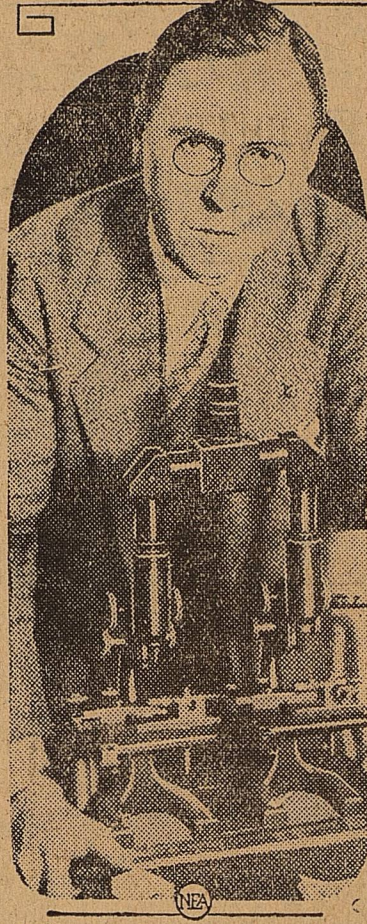
Links Gun and Bullet

Major Goddard can't do that. But he can take a revolver and say, beyond the possibility of a doubt, "there is the gun with which this man was killed."

"No two guns are exactly alike," he says. "Any gun inevitably leaves tell-tale marks on a bullet."

Major Goddard is known as the foremost ballistic expert in America. His method of operation, briefly, is this: every gun makes characteristic scratches on its bullets—marks that no other gun can duplicate. All bullets fired from the same gun have identical marks. Given the gun of a suspect and the bullet found in the body of a murdered man, a test bullet is fired. If its markings coincide with the markings of the bullet from the dead man's body, then it is indisputable that the gun was used by the murderer.

A pleasant, mild-mannered man, a graduate of Johns Hopkins University and the U. S. Army Medical School, Major Goddard has a private arsenal containing more than 1000 different weapons. He is familiar with practically every make and



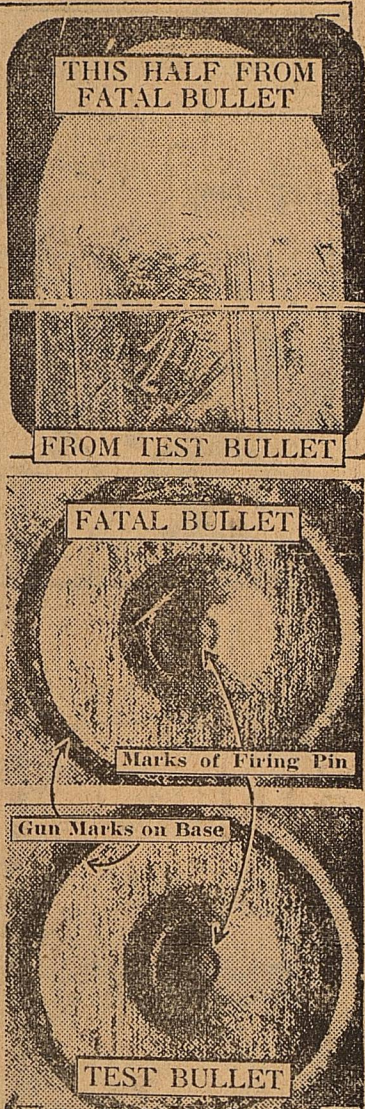
Major Calvin Goddard is shown above with his "comparison microscope" and at the right are microscopic views of a bullet and a cartridge used in the Chicago gang massacre of St. Valentine's Day.

Two halves of a test bullet and a fatal bullet are pieced together to show they were fired from the same gun. Below, a test cartridge and a fatal cartridge compared.

Under the Microscope

A few years ago, working with P. O. Gravelle of New York, he invented a "comparison microscope," which makes the work of comparing two bullets a simple job. It shows views of the two bullets in one field of the instrument, and permits the bullets to be rotated slowly while the observer studies and compares them.

Here are the steps by which the major works: Suppose a man is arrested, accus-



Notice how the markings match up. The barrel of every revolver or

edge of murder. The bullet from the dead man's body, and the gun of the suspect, are given to Major Goddard and he is told to find out if the bullet came from the gun.

A mere glance tells the major if the bullet and gun are of the same calibre. If they aren't, of course that ends it. If they are, the major fires another bullet with the gun and then puts this bullet beside the original one in the comparison microscope.

Has Tell-Tale Marks

All Guns Leave Tell-Tell Mark, Says Expert

rifle is reamed, or rifled, to give the bullet a revolving motion and keep it on a straight course. A bullet always bears scratches made by the rifling. And no two guns scratch a bullet the same way—ever.

Suppose, however, that the bullet that killed the victim cannot be found, but that the empty metal shell case is found. Major Goddard can solve the puzzle just as easily.

When the charge of powder in the shell explodes, the base of the shell case is knocked hard against the breech plate which contains the firing pin. The breech plate bears tiny marks made by the firing of the gunmaker who smoothed it. The soft copper or brass of the shell case shows all of these marks in detail—and they are never the same on two guns.

In addition, the firing pin leaves its mark on the shell—and there, too, the microscope reveals this pattern.

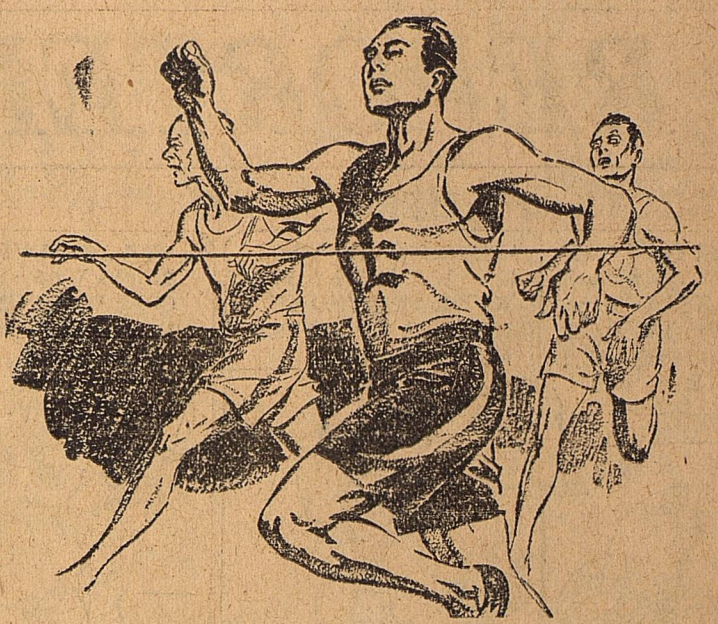
No Two Guns Alike

"There is no more chance of two guns leaving identical marks on bullets or shells, than there is of two persons having an identical set of fingerprints," says Major Goddard. "Of course, the test shot must be fired while the weapon is in the same condition as at the time of the fatal shot. Corrosion and rust do change a gun's markings. However, if a gun is kept in good condition, it is as easy to get evidence from it 10 years after the crime as 10 hours."

Even the machine gun, favorite weapon of Chicago's gangs, marks its bullets. The automatic extractors and ejectors put their trademarks on the shell cases, while the rifling marks the bullets.

When the comparisons are made, Major Goddard photographs the results so as to have tangible evidence which the jury can see with its own eyes.

Since 1926, he has investigated more than 200 murders. He believes that eventually his science will be as universally accepted, and used, as finger printing now is.

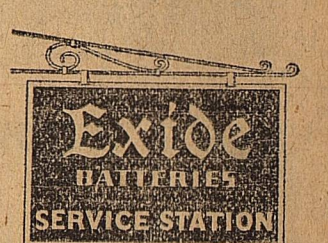
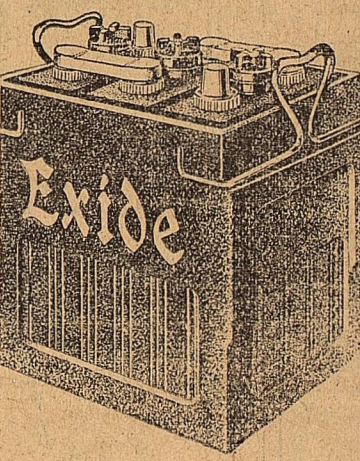


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The new picture, in which gorgeous stage spectacles, ballets and song ensembles are interspersed with a vivid drama of life among the show folk behind the scenes, has special song hits, including "Broadway Melody," "The Love Boat," "You Were Meant for Me," "The Wedding of the Painted Doll" and others specially concocted for the play by Arthur Freed and Nacio Herb Brown, celebrated composers of "The Doll Dance."

Anita Page and Bessie Love appear as a "sister act," and Charles King, Broadway musical comedy star, is the hero. The cast includes Jed Prouty, Kenneth Thomson, Edward Dillon, Mary Doran, J. Emmett Beck, Marshall Ruth, Drew Demarest and other celebrities of stage and screen.

Harry Beaumont, famous director of "Our Dancing Daughters," and a former famous stage actor, directed the new picture from an original by Edmund Goulding, scenarized by Sarah Y. Mason. Norman Houston and James Gleason, of "Is Zat So," and "The Shansons of Broadway" fame, contributed the brilliant dialogue.

The most spectacular stage scenes include the ballet and song ensemble, "Wedding of the Painted Doll," in natural colors, and the huge "Love Boat" scene with its great silver ship, specially designed by Cedric Gibbons. The theme abounds in humor, pathos and romance and is as dramatic as it is spectacular.

LO, THE POOR WHITE MAN, NEW PROHIBITION SLOGAN

PENDER, Neb., May 15.—(UP)—Prohibition has placed the whites in the same class as Indians, according to an Indian juror during a trial of a white man on a charge of selling whiskey to an Indian.

"We Indians have experienced prohibition for years. You whites have had it since 1918. Now the Indians and whites are in the same class, all going down alleys together

to buy their whiskey from bootleggers. You don't have to feel sorry for the Indians any more," the Indian juror said.

The jury returned a verdict of acquittal for the white man.

OLDEST GRADUATE

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Thursday Bridge games at the Country club house for club members at 8:15 p. m. Mid-Alpha Delphian chapter will meet at the home of Mrs. S. R. Preston, 1023 W. Missouri, at 3:00 p. m.

Friday Mrs. J. D. Young hosts to members of the Joi DeD Vie Club at the home of Mrs. Foy Proctor—10 a. m.

Saturday Rainbow Bridge Club with Mrs. R. A. Verdier as hostess at her home in Country Club Heights—3:00.

ANNUAL MEETING.

LOMETA, Texas, May 15 (UP).—The annual banquet of the Lometa Chamber of Commerce will be held here tomorrow night. E. H. Whitehead, publicity manager of the West Texas Chamber will represent that organization at the gathering.

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