

Local Temperature

Maximum 70
Minimum 56

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Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Rain; tonight and Saturday, cloudy; somewhat cooler.

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Creager States 2-Party Need In Texas

New Developments Link Midland With Ward County Pool

Head Of Insurance Companies Gives Reasons City's Growth

WILL ATTEND A BANQUET AS HONOREE

Midland, Queen of the West Texas Permian Basin, enjoys the enviable wealth of having a combination of city building and city maintenance factors such as few population centers of any section have, Carr P. Collins, president of the Fidelity Life Insurance company, the Fidelity Union Fire Insurance company, Fidelity Union Casualty company, American Trust company, and the Fidelity Union Abstract and Title company, all of Dallas, said to a staff writer of The Reporter-Telegram this morning.

Collins had just arrived from Dallas, as guest at a banquet to be given him and policy holders of his company by the office of Hyatt, Mims and Crane in the crystal room of Hotel Scharbauer tonight.

Asked whether he minded being quoted on his statements, Collins replied that "anything said about Midland would not be too well put, and I should like to be quoted."

"My impression of the place has been engendered through reports of the city in the state dailies and in your fine representative paper here. I believe that Midland gets more constructive advertising stories in the daily press than any city of West Texas, certainly more than any city of its size in the entire state. That fact is traced directly to the publicity committee of the Chamber of Commerce and the fact that there is a good city here backed by a strong civic pride and organization."

"After extensive travel I have come to the conclusion that the next

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Flight Articles To Start Sunday

T. A. T. has made a wonderful record in flying its passenger planes over the Fort Worth to El Paso route. On one leg of the journey, planes arrived on time with such accuracy that only three minutes in thirty days were chalked up against a perfect record.

A Reporter-Telegram staff writer has prepared seven articles on flying with crack pilots of this line, on visiting intermediate airports along the route, and his reception in the general offices of the flying company in Fort Worth.

These articles begin in the Sunday issue of The Reporter-Telegram. Read them.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



You can't blame husbands for being opposed to women getting men's wages.

Midland Country Visited By Series of Good Rains

With an inch of rainfall recorded in the city of Midland last night and today, and with heavier rains over some sections of adjacent country, the season in the ground gets better and better.

The official gauge kept by S. H. Basham, government weather observer, registered one-third of an inch of rain during Thursday night, and another three-fifths of an inch fell shortly before noon today.

Reports from over the country are incomplete, as ranches cannot be reached by telephone and automobiles have had difficulty in reaching the city over some of the dirt roads; but indications are that the entire cattle and farming country which lies within Midland's trade area has been benefitted by the showers.

These rains followed others of varying amounts over the country the night before.

Fear Attack by Nationalists In Hong Kong

HONG KONG, May 17.—(UP)—British women and children in Wuchow today planned to evacuate the city, fearing an expected attack by Nationalists.

Nationalist leaders announced that they expected to make an aerial attack if unable to rid the city of Kwangsi leaders through other methods.

MAYOR CITES REASONS FOR HIS TARIFF STAND AT BANQUET

Mayor Leon Goodman does not agree with the Hon. R. B. Creager that he (Goodman) is illogical as Mr. Creager said in friendly way at the banquet Thursday night. Mr. Goodman said he much enjoyed Mr. Creager's speech and his fine spirit, and knew that when Mr. Creager charged him with being illogical that he merely meant that his statements, from the Republican party standpoint, were not sound reasoning.

"But," said the mayor in an interview sought today by this newspaper, "I still believe my statements were logical and believe that Mr. Creager was illogical in the very thing that he believes me illogical in, though, in the main, I think his argument about Texas having little influence in Washington is correct. Mr. Creager declared I was illogical because I and other cattlemen and producers pray for higher tariffs, while we send Democrats to congress and the senate who are opposed to protection as a principle."

"I have spent most of my life in Iowa, a Republican state, and Indiana, a doubtful state. Our Republican leaders from Iowa and our 'mixed politics' leaders from Indiana, and the leaders of other Republican and doubtful states I know of have not obtained protection for the producer. It is only the manu-

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Chuck Wagon to Be Revived for Ex-Aggie Outing

Ex-Aggies from throughout the Midland area will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Marcus Gist ranch in Odessa for a big "chuck wagon" feed, the second entertainment of the West Texas A. & M. club, organized in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer on the night of April 22.

The ranch, situated 2 miles north of Odessa, has been put in readiness for a large crowd. Every ex-Aggie who happens to be in this area is asked to come and bring his wife or sweetheart.

"Tanlac" Strange, of the office of Peters, Strange and Bradshaw, president of the organization, will be in charge of the gathering, with Marcus Gist as chief of all preparations.

Dr. George W. Crile



(Associated Press Photo) Dr. George Crile, pictured above, was founder and head physician of the hospital at Cleveland which was destroyed by the tragic fire Wednesday. At the time of the explosions in the X-Ray film, he was operating in an adjoining hospital.

Zeppelin Having Difficulty In Making Landing

PARIS, May 17.—(AP)—Crippled and in the grip of violent winds, the trans-Atlantic air liner, Graf Zeppelin, was in serious danger late today as she struggled to reach some safe haven in southeastern France.

The airship, which carried a crew of 40 and 188 passengers, is being swept about by a near gale. An attempt to land the ship at Valence was made, but the wind was too strong and the craft was swept away before persons around could anchor it.

Another attempt to lower the ship was to be made at Montelmar, a number of soldiers being rushed to that place in a truck to meet the dirigible and attempt to rescue it from the winds.

Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander, reported that his ship had suffered grave damage and was in serious danger. He said it was backing head winds with only two motors of the three being out of commission. The dirigible turned back yesterday on its proposed trans-Atlantic flight to America.

The City Manager Plan of Municipal Government

By W. EDWARD LEE (EDITOR'S NOTE: This article is one of three which will be published consecutively by The Reporter-Telegram. It was prepared by Edward Lee, one of the commission on city government lately appointed by Mayor Leon Goodman for the purpose of studying all forms so that subsequent recommendations may be made. W. R. Smith, district attorney, is chairman of the commission and promises that other articles will be forthcoming, articles which deal with all forms of modern city government. Reports on two other commissions, city zoning and East End clean-up, will probably be made at a later time.)

FIRST INSTALLMENT The city manager plan of municipal government was an outgrowth of the era of reform that swept the country in the early part of the century. There was much agitation for reform in municipal government. Cities of considerable importance had attained under our democracy and with them came "political machines." A splendid example of political manipulation was revealed in St. Louis in the early part of the twentieth century.

PIPE LINE IS NOW BEING BUILT

Harrison Buys 95 Per Cent of the Stock In J. H. L.

Midland has become more closely linked with the new oil pool in Ward county than before, with the purchase by L. C. Harrison of 95 per cent of the stock in the J. H. L. Oil Company, owners of a valuable lease and two producing wells in the new Shipley Pool.

The Shipley Oil Company owners of the discovery well, or Shipley Oil Co., No. 1 Haizlett, also have their home office in Midland.

New Pipe Line Contract was made with W. P. Hasset of Tulsa, head of the Wickett Refining company, to build a pipe line from Wickett to section 17, block 5, Ward county, where the producing wells of these two oil companies are located; and to handle their oil.

Finlayson Gets Job J. A. Finlayson of Midland, it is reported, has been awarded the contract to lay this line and to erect three 10,000 barrel storage tanks at Wickett for storage of the oil before it is shipped out or refined.

Bought Stored Oil In addition to contracting to handle the oil from this pool, the Wickett Refining company has purchased the oil in storage from both the J. H. L. Oil Company and the Shipley Oil Company, to be taken over 37 days from May 10. Mr. Harrison states that this company has storage facilities in the field of 15,000 barrels.

Deepening Holes The J. H. L. Oil Company's No. 1 well yesterday flowed 117 1-2 barrels and the No. 2 well 187 barrels. Both are being drilled deeper, and it is estimated that the No. 2 well will be good for at least 500 barrels daily.

The Atlantic Oil Producing Company has one producer and is drilling the No. 2 well in the new pool.

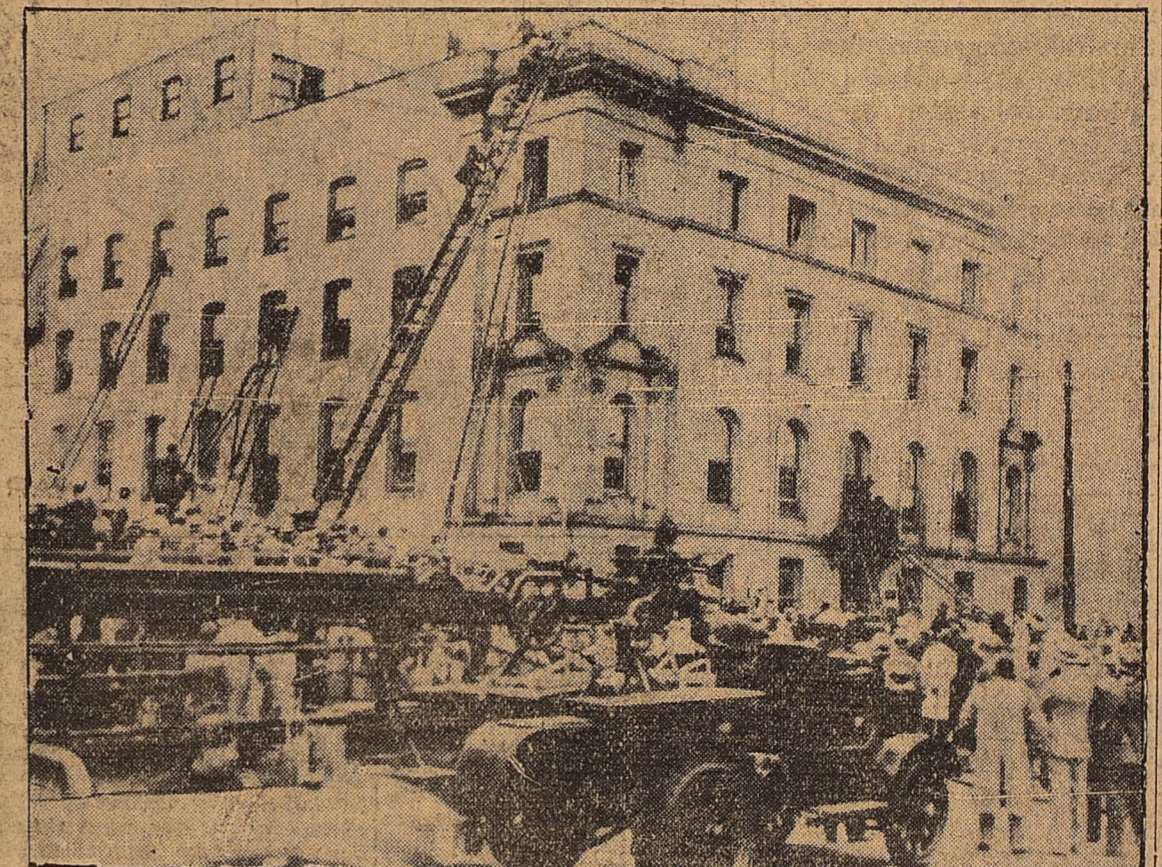
New Locations The Gulf Production Company has made a location on section 18 for an offset to the J. H. L. No. 2; the Atlantic has made location for an offset to the J. H. L. No. 1, to be Atlantic's No. 3; and Cranfill and Reynolds have made location for a well 1,300 feet southeast of the J. H. L. No. 2.

Oil men predict that the new pool will be one of the best in West Texas.

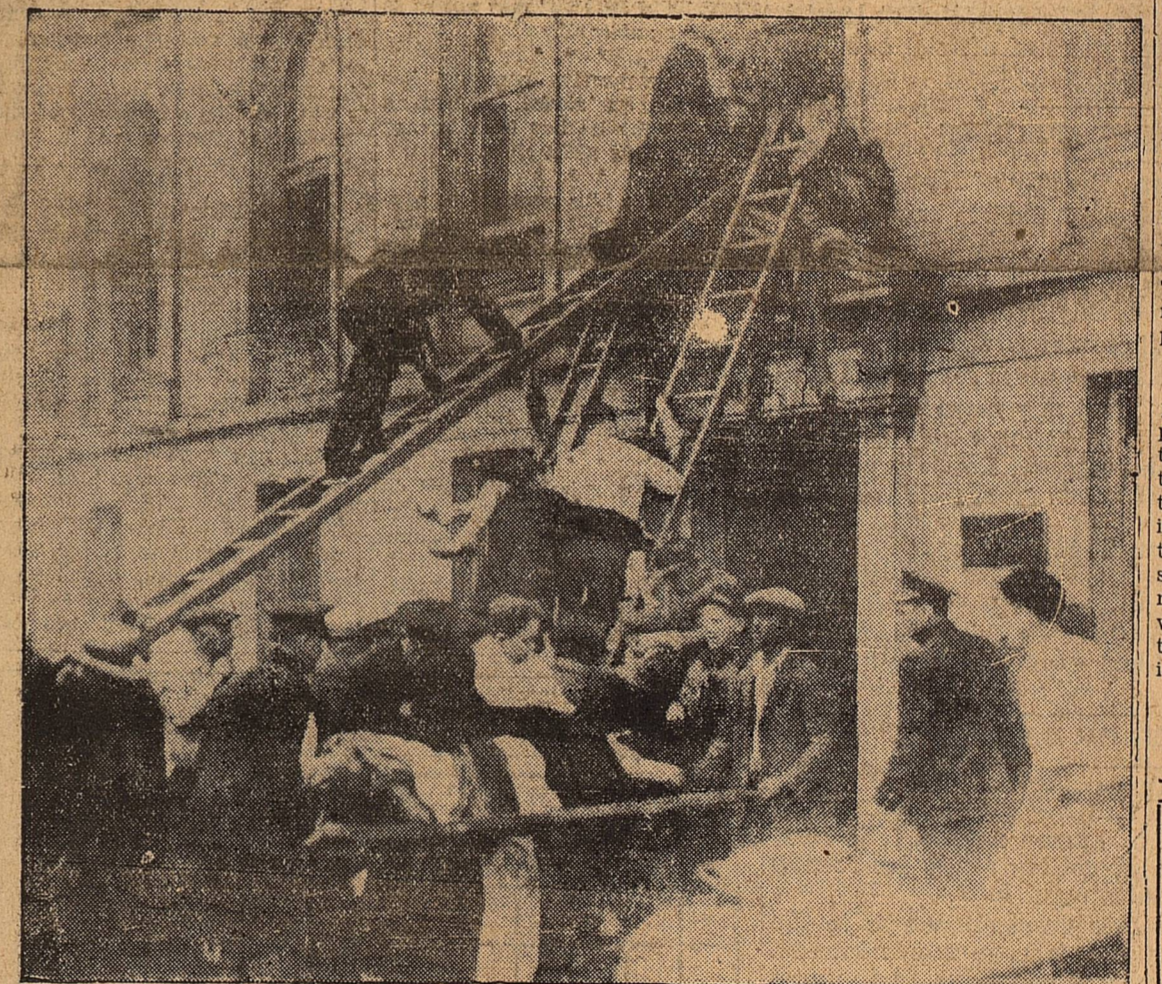
Exposition In Winchester Arms Plant Injures 3

NEW HAVEN, May 17.—(UP)—A gun powder explosion at the Winchester Repeating Arms company plant here today injured three men, one perhaps fatally. The explosions followed a fire which is under investigation.

SCENES FROM HOSPITAL FIRE AT CLEVELAND ON WEDNESDAY



(Associated Press Photo)



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These pictures of the Cleveland hospital disaster which occurred at noon Wednesday, taken by photographers of the Associated Press, were sent by telephoto from Cleveland, and forwarded by air mail to the Reporter-Telegram, arriving in Friday morning mail.

The upper photo shows the clinic hospital, and part of the crowd which watched the doomed inmates beat upon the window panes in an effort to free themselves from the deadly lethal gasses.

The lower picture shows rescue work by firemen and policemen.

DAVIS ACCEPTS POST WASHINGTON, May 17.—(UP)—Dwight Davis, former secretary of war, accepted today the governor generalship of the Philippines.

DISASTROUS FIRE FERRIS, Texas, May 17.—(UP)—The business section of India, near here, was destroyed by fire today.

OPERA SINGER DIES BERLIN, May 17.—(AP)—Lillie Lehmann, famous opera singer died today at the age of 81.

CHICAGO SURPRISED CHICAGO, May 17.—(UP)—Chicago was scarcely able to believe Capone, who has long eluded justice here, had actually been imprisoned.

HUDSPETH WILL BE HERE ON THE FOURTH OF JULY

Claude Hudspeth, representative of the 16th Congressional district of Texas, has virtually accepted an invitation of the chamber of commerce to attend the July 3-4 celebration of the 12-story Petroleum building.

"I appreciate the invitation and opportunity to be with the citizenship of Midland, especially since there are such splendid people there," he said. The Congressman concluded his letter by saying that he would come to Midland if his health permitted.

"My health is on the improvement," he said by way of encouragement.

Plans for the celebration, under the general direction of Paul L. Young, would make of the occasion the greatest ever held in Midland. Expensive fireworks, added attractions and distinguished visitors, including two governors and a large number of mayors, should make of the 2-day celebration one to be remembered for a considerable time, local men say.

ADDRESSED GROUP AT HOTEL

Goodman Stated The Need for Tariff Of Protection

A 2-party state is the solution to legislative problems of the ranchman and raw producer of Texas, said Hon. R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman from Texas and a power in republican circles, when he addressed a large number of republicans, "Hoover democrats", and persons of other party affiliation at a "dutch" treat banquet in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer last night.

He stated that protection sought by the producer and stock raiser is offset by representation sent to Washington, representation which is not seated because of its party affiliation.

Was Answering Mayor Hon. Creager was speaking in rebuttal of points made by Mayor Leon Goodman, who had spoken before him. Goodman had mentioned the necessity for higher tariff on cattle and a tariff on hides if the cattlemen is to survive competitive importation from South America, Mexico and Canada.

The dinner began at 7 o'clock. The two long tables in the crystal room were crowded with Midland people and the party of Mr. Creager.

Editor Welcomes Party T. Paul Barron, editor of The Reporter-Telegram, welcomed the party to Midland in the name of the citizenship and civic organizations. He stated that the arms of the city were outstretched in greeting; that it was his sincere wish that Midland be favored by other such visits of the Republican committeeman's party, and that he would like to see Midland subjected to considerable analytical attention in the future.

Goodman Strikes at Tariff Mayor Leon Goodman in beginning

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Federal Building Given Assurance

That Midland will get an appropriation for a Federal building was practically assured in a statement by R. B. Creager, Republican national committeeman, to W. A. Hyatt, County chairman, on the visit of the former here yesterday.

Mr. Creager was taken to see the various buildings and the residential sections of the city, and was then taken to the post office.

"This post office ought to be condemned," he told Hyatt.

Advisability of sending a delegation of Midland business men to Washington on Mr. Creager's next visit there was expressed by Mr. Creager, saying that if Midland people desire to have the Federal court of this district moved here, it should be worked in with the Federal building appropriation in order to get sufficient funds for a building to house both.

Such a district, according to the Republican leader, could be bounded on the east of Big Spring, on the west by Pecos, with several counties north and south included.

He also advised that Midland has sufficient pavement for at least one city mail delivery route, and that citizens should make an effort to get it at once.

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PROFITABLE ACQUAINTANCE

The dutch supper at Hotel Scharbauer last night, at which time a representative group of citizens of Midland and adjacent territory honored Republican leaders, proved to be a meeting at which time valuable acquaintances were made, and it is likely that these acquaintances will lead to mutual benefit for both hosts and visitors.

CHICAGO BEGINS TO CLEAN UP

Signs are not wanting that Chicago is beginning to turn the corner in its long, painful fight for suppression of its underworld. To begin with, it is apparent that genuine progress is being made in the police investigation of the St. Valentine's Day murders—and that is something that couldn't always be said of a Chicago investigation of a gang killing.

A WEEK WITHOUT MURDERS

For the first time in 20 years, the city of New York has passed an entire week without one homicide being reported within its borders. Probably this just happened. We haven't heard that the New York police have suddenly grown more vigilant and efficient than usual.

THE ROMANCE OF DANGER

Due to some queer quirk in human nature, it is hard for us to consider any trade or calling really interesting unless it has a fair element of danger in it. Disaster and sudden death are great stimulants to the imagination. A good half of the average man's interest in the sea, for instance, is undoubtedly due to the fact that ships occasionally leave port and are seen no more.



BARBS

Cleveland police arrested hundreds of bootleggers after the homes of two policemen were bombed. The theory is that the bootleggers wouldn't be good.

The headline, "WOMEN VOTERS PICK NEW HEADS" may not be so misleading after all.

A Massachusetts professor has discovered an alcohol without a kick. Maybe he has been touring the New York night clubs.

One of the bills proposed in congress would let farmers manufacture beer and wine. At least that would relieve the tedium.

A new York woman sentenced to prison for grand larceny got a postponement of her sentence so she could get a permanent wave. Wonder if Harry Sinclair has thought about that?

A new mechanical device will do the work of a cash register, book-keeper and adding machine, making a complete record of a sale as it is being made. Now some scientist should only invent a machine that could spell out dictation.

REUNION HELD IN "GHOST" VILLAGE

Every Building in Once Bustling Town Is Destroyed
TRAVER, Calif.—(UP)—One of California's best known "ghost" towns returned to life here with a population of approximately 500 citizens for one day, when visitors came from as far north as Sacramento and as far south as Los Angeles.

"Citizens" is the proper word to describe the returning population, for all of the 500 persons were former residents, gathered in reunion. It was the 45th anniversary of the founding of Traver, once a 3,000 population center of a great grain and horticultural area.

Every building in the town has disappeared. The last to go was the Del Zarre hotel, burned to the ground last year, together with a little store.

Alkali was responsible for Traver's demise as a municipality. The chemical came to the surface with irrigation, killing grain, orchards, and vineyards.

Cattle now roam over the sparse "salt grass" where once prosperous community existed. The 500 reunionists picnicked beneath the great eucalyptus trees that border what was once the Traver school yard.

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QUOTATIONS

"I am convinced that people who claim the movies are demoralizing this generation cannot back up their vague generalizations with facts." —Professor J. L. Holmes, University of Columbia, N. Y., psychologist.

"A quick-tempered mother should not have to call a doctor for daughter's tantrums; he can only advise self-control—in the mother." —Lincoln Steffens. (North American Review.)

"The history of charities abounds in illustrations of the paradoxical axiom that, while charity tends to do good, perpetual charities tend to do evil." —Julius Rosenwald. (In the Atlantic Monthly.)

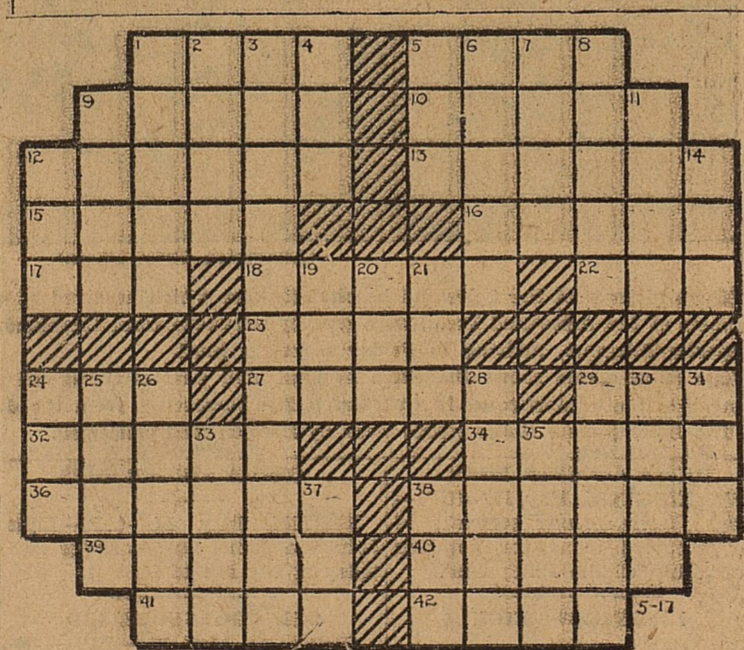
"Whether one is a Christian or not depends on whether one accepts or rejects Jesus' attitude toward personality." —Harry Emerson Fosdick. (Harper's.)

"Politics and government in the United States are today purely a business matter, and correctly so. We are the world's bank." —George Jean Nathan. (American Mercury.)

"It is not by accident or chance, but by dominating and ruthless constraint that the trust funds of 12 of our leading insurance companies have been poured into power securities during the last seven years." —Gilford Pinchot, former governor of Pennsylvania. (Current History.)

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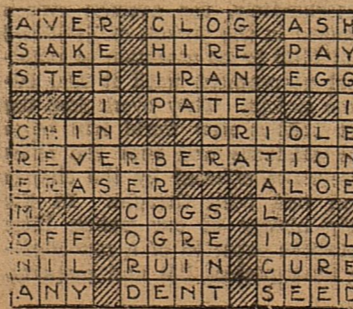
TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- HORIZONTAL
1. Part of the foot.
5. Hearse cloth.
9. Bright dazzling light.
10. An assumed name.
12. Source.
13. Pertaining to the skin.
15. Narrow passageways.
16. Answer.
17. Coloring matter.
18. A point on the end of which something turns.
22. To observe.
23. Tin container.
24. Legal rule.
27. To become exhausted.
29. Definite article.
30. Winged.
31. Once repeated.
36. Chinese or Indian temple.
38. Degraded.
39. A Harlem.
40. Half quarts.
41. To barter.
42. Sharp in outline.

- VERTICAL
1. To place in a row.
2. Wrath.
3. Firm and fresh as vegetables.
4. Female of the domestic fowl.
5. Small tablet.
6. Watchful.
7. Italian coins.
8. Lights.
9. Any color formed by the blending of white and black.
11. Ancient.
12. Ancient.
14. Strong caustic solution used in making soap.
19. Shebet.
20. Tanning vessel.
21. Unit.
24. To drink dog fashion.
25. Exclamation of sorrow.
26. Salary.
27. Foot lever.
28. Extremely zealous.
29. Pleasing to the palate.
30. Hastens.
31. Conclusion.
33. Lacerated.
35. Company.
37. To be indisposed.
38. Monkey.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



Gilbert Role in 'Desert Nights' Has Color of Stark Realism

John Gilbert is one motion picture star who has no liking for the routine, tailor-made hero type. He delights in unusual characterizations, in roles that are real rather than heroic. According to his own expression, he prefers "characters that sweat." Which preference on his part probably accounts for the unusually colorful career he has had, the wide variety of roles, since he became a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star.

BLIND MAN AS COMMERCE HEAD

EDMUND, Okla.—(UP)—For the first time in the history of Oklahoma, and perhaps for the first time in the country, a blind man has been elected president of a chamber of commerce. Phillip C. Slack, blind since birth, was elected unanimously to the Edmond post. For ten years Slack has been head of the Oklahoma State Association for Adult Blind and at the present holds the chief position on the Oklahoma State Commission for Adult Blind.

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Robert Dixon and Dennis Mason are on trial for murder at Coleman. Argument used in their defense will probably be referred to as the Mason and Dixon line.
Erasmus Tack, the Tactless Texan in the Amarillo Globe, says that during future wars old timers will look back on the shootings and explosions in Amarillo in the spring of '29 as rough times.
Where was it we heard of a man who is so tight that his wife has to start talking about a new fur coat to get a new pair of stockings?

asked to make a short public speech, newspaper man is supposed to amount to something, whether he "Bless God, ain't I doin' that now?"

R. B. Creager, Republican national committeeman, is a welcome guest in Midland. There was never a time when Republican leaders had more friends in this section.
The Arkansas native was sitting on the sunny side of his cabin in the hills enjoying to the fullest the warmth of the fine spring day—a perfect example of listlessness. A stranger drove into the yard to inquire the way and said to the native:
"Why don't you go to work?"
"What for?"
"See you can get some money."
"Then what?"
"Work some more and get more money."
"Then what?"
"Then you can take your ease."
"Bless God, ain't I doin' that now?"

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No. 6 Arrives 10:18 p. m.
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Country Club Members Enjoy Bridge Games

Forty members of the Country club enjoyed bridge games at the club house Thursday evening as one of the affairs given for members during this season.

Prizes went to the four highest score holders who included Mr. Joe Youngblood, who received a table lamp; Mr. Bert Ross, who was presented a forstoria cake plate; Mrs. Elliott Cowden, who won a set of maderia napkins, and Mrs. Allen Tolbert was given a thermos jug.

Lois S. S. Class Holds Meeting

A meeting of the Lois S. S. Sunday school class of the Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Cowden, Wednesday afternoon.

Organization of the class was completed with each office filled by Sunday school workers. Plans under the new organization were also made.

At tea time salads were passed to ten members present.

As a guest of the class, Mrs. Cleve Baker of Borger was present.

Martha Fidelis Class Meets at Bobo Home

Members of the Martha-Fidelis S. S. class of the Baptist church were guests of Mrs. T. C. Bobo and Mrs. H. C. Collins at the Bobo home for a class meeting and social.

Lively games gave diversion during the social hour and a short business period was also held.

Refreshments served in cafeteria fashion went to Mesdames C. C. Heitt, J. D. Chambers, C. D. Hodges, R. C. Osborne, C. B. Goodman, J. C. Hudman, N. M. Robertson, J. S. Ellis, Stanley McCarty, D. M. Ellis,arence Ligon and E. W. Fillman.

OVERLAND UNIVERSITY

WORCESTER, Mass.—(UP)—An 8,000 mile trip to California and back will be part of the regular summer school session at Clark University this year. About 30 students will attend the portable school, which will be in charge of Professor Burt Hudgins of the College of the City of Detroit. The journey will be made in a motor coach. During the daily trips of 150 to 250 miles, the professor in charge will direct the observation and interpretation of the natural regions through which the students travel.

ETHEL by Ethel Hays

Fashion's Latest Head-Note



Pioneer Members Guests of Mrs. Donald Hutt

Mrs. Donald Hutt was hostess to members of the Pioneer club with bridge games this week. The scene of the affair was the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

Favors went to high scorer of both ladies and men. Mrs. Frank Cowden received a pair of silk hose and Mr. Harry Neblett received ties. Mrs. Guy Cowden cut high for a box of stationery.

Guests included Messrs. and Mesdames Elliott Cowden, Ellis Cowden, Frank Cowden, Harry Neblett, J. V. Stokes, Jr., Allen Tolbert, Harry Tolbert, Joe Youngblood, Leon Goodman, Mrs. Guy Cowden, and Messrs. Homer Rowe, Clarence Scharbauer and Donald Hutt.

Delphians Close Study Season

Closing the season of study, members of the Mid-Alpha Delphia chapter met at the home of Mrs. S. R. Preston yesterday afternoon for class study.

The topic for study was "Literary Figures of the Late Renaissance." Mrs. J. M. White was leader. Mrs. A. J. Gates opened the discussion with a resume and was followed by Mrs. E. G. Rodman discussing "Zolton," the father of French literature. Mrs. R. A. Verdier gave Rabalais' book "Gargantua." Mrs. Carroll Hill discussed "Montaigne." Mrs. H. B. Dunagan gave "Promise More," and Mrs. Charles Klapproth closed the class by a discussion of "Utopia."

Mrs. Guy Cowden Entertains Enigma Members

Mrs. Guy Cowden was hostess to members of the Enigma club at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Patterson, yesterday afternoon.

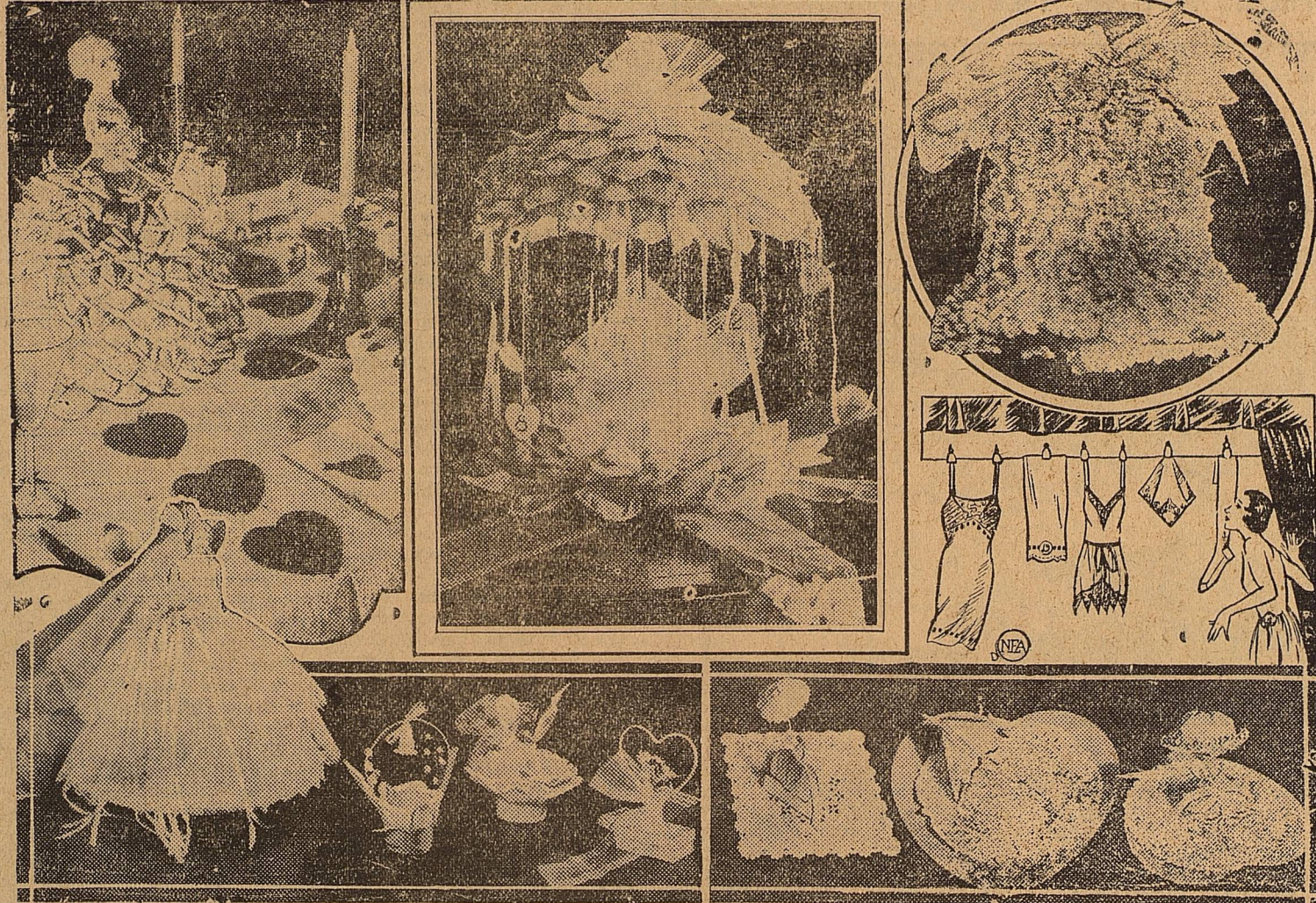
Games of bridge gave diversion during the afternoon hours, at the close of which Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith was awarded a madeira vanity set for holding high score.

Members and guests present included Mesdames Elliott Cowden, Ellis Cowden, Frank Cowden, Chen Goldsmith, Harry Neblett, Allen Tolbert, Clifford Hill, Joe Youngblood, Leon Goodman, Misses Lois Patterson, Fannie Bess Taylor and Matilda Glidden.

T. O. Stark of Seminole is transacting business in Midland for a few days.

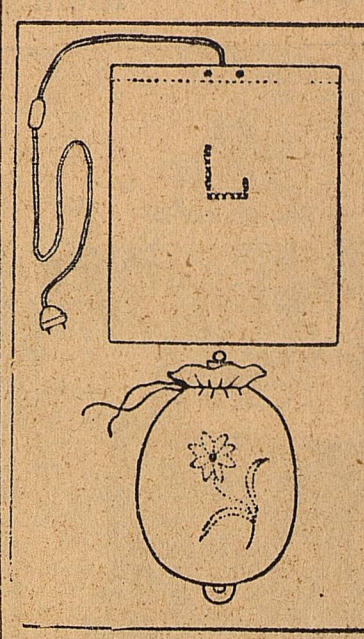
Booger Bryant, who is seriously ill with pneumonia will be taken to Dallas tonight for treatment.

Forecast for June Brides---General Showers



Bridal showers are prettily decorated and appropriately staged for this June's brides. "Upper" hearts and flowers are excellent for a red and white color scheme for table decorations. Small gifts are lovely showered down from the bride atop a box that holds the larger gifts. A big wedding bell above the table, in silver, gold or color can let many gifts fall when the bride pulls a ribbon that rings the bell. A colored clothes line, holding the gifts of a miscellaneous shower, is a pleasant surprise to any bride. (Lower) Table decorations can include little lacy brides and attendants, nut dishes with wedding bells, wishbones, horseshoes and other appropriate insignia and favors and place cards are cut when they use some form of gaudy colored umbrellas.

HOT BAG!



One's warmest and closest friend during the chilly winter months is apt to be the old-fashioned hot water bag or his modern relative, the electric pad. And surely such comforting companions should be properly clad. The rubber is much easier on the skin if covered and the felt lining of the electric pads requires protection from dirt. Then, too, here is a distinct hygienic advantage in putting on a clean cover after the bag has been used by an invalid.

These covers can be made with very little effort and expense. A single used flour bag will make two such covers. The bags can be had from any bakery for a few cents apiece. The stamping may be removed by covering it with land or kerosene overnight and then washing in warm water.

To make the case for the electric pad, simply make a small slip to fit somewhat loosely, and sew on two snap fasteners, one each side of the place where the cord will be. The hot water bag cover is straight at the top and rounded at the bottom. Put in a casing for the drawing. Leave an opening at the bottom for the end of the bag to come through.

Some simple decoration such as a cross-stitch initial or design in outline stitch may be added if desired.

PERSONALS

Mr. Hardy Grissom of the Grissom Stores of Abilene is a business visitor in Midland today.

Carr P. Collins, president, and E. F. White, secretary of the Fidelity Union Life Insurance company of Dallas, arrived in Midland last night and will attend the banquet given in honor of them at Hotel Scharbauer tonight.

J. Wiley Taylor of Best is in Midland transacting business today.

Charles Kadene, owner of the Hotel Scharbauer Beauty Parlor, is here from his home in Wichita Falls for a few days.

J. H. Johansen, prominent oil man of Fort Worth, is a business visitor in Midland for a few days.

Horace Hamilton, gin owner of Stanton and Midland, is here from his home in Stanton on business.

B. Payne, W. B. McAlister, Paul Whittier, R. B. Rheinhart, of Dallas; L. W. and R. E. Mendell of Los Angeles, all connected with the N. A. T. Airlines, spent Thursday night in Midland.

DESULPHURIZATION PLANT

COLEMAN, Texas, May 16. (UP)—An experimental laboratory for perfecting apparatus for the desulphurization of West Texas oil has been opened at his home here by Howard Samuell, geologist.

The first plant for operating the proposed apparatus will be opened at Midland with a capacity sufficient for treating 50,000 barrels daily, Samuell said. The plant will be opened following a trip to Washington to obtain patents to be made by Samuell and J. B. Dibrell, Jr., attorney.

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WONDER IF HE HAD A MURAD? BELOIT, Wis.—(UP)—Well, well, and how's the boy? asked Prof. John Pitt of Beloit College here as he jovially patted Carl Lemon, a promising freshman.

But the gesture revealed to the professor's hand the outline of a bottle, and before Lemon could reply Pitt had extracted from the student's pocket a supply of liquor. Lemon was expelled.

YOUR CHILDREN
by Olive Roberts Barton
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The longer I live the less reason I see for making the genius man a one-handed creature. Why in the world we take lead pencils and forks and needles from children's left hands and transfer them to the right, I don't know.

I've seen children many times, enter school with the enviable gift of using both hands with equal facility. Then what happened?

Invariably those children lost their skill with the left hand in a few short months. What a pity! To be born ambidextrous I consider to be one of the greatest pieces of luck a person can have.

Result of Brain Structure

There are so many reasons for having two skilled hands, aside from the obvious one of convenience, efficiency and insurance against accident.

The speech area or the part of the brain that we talk with is on the left side of the head. Right spang up against it is the area that controls the motor nerves of the right arm and hand, and the right leg and foot. Undoubtedly speech and the right hand are so related as to be almost inseparable. This is still more accentuated by the fact that the mental processes we use in writing are almost the same as those we use in talking. Each impulse is the expression of thought.

Hands Work With Mind

Doctors tell us that adults who have had their brain area destroyed often lose the power of speech simultaneously with the paralysis of the right hand; such people do not often regain the power of speech. But this must not be confused with paralytic stroke, which is different.

On the other hand we are told that where such accidents have happened to children and they were compelled to use the left hand, nature has taken advantage of youth, as usual, and built up a new speech area on the right side. The child often learns to talk as well as ever. It does seem therefore, that the exercise of the hands materially affects the power of speech.

Isn't that good argument for the premise that if human beings were trained to be double-handed or ambidextrous that in time—it might be centuries, of course—men would have two perfectly developed speech areas instead of one?

VITAMINS
Katherine Payne, Midland H. S.

Vitamins are very important in our diet. They help to keep our normal growth and protect us against deficiency diseases. There are seven vitamins, which are A, B, C, D, E, F, and G.

Vitamin A helps to make us grow, prevents diseases of the eyes, nose and throat and prevents defective teeth. It is found in whole milk, butter, egg yolks, green leafy vegetables, carrots, sweet potatoes, liver kidneys, and sweet breads.

Vitamin B helps to make us grow, gives us an appetite, and prevents disease of the nerves called beriberi. It is found in leafy and root vegetables, whole grains, dried seeds, fruits, nuts, milk and cheese.

Vitamin C helps to prevent scurvy, and disease of the blood vessels, skin, gums and teeth, and prevents defective teeth. It is found in raw fruits and raw leafy vegetables.

Vitamin D helps to prevent rickets. It is found in cod liver oil and other fish oils, butter and egg yolks.

Vitamin E helps in normal reproduction. It is found in wheat grains and green lettuce.

Vitamin F helps to resist disease of the nerves, beriberi.

Vitamin G helps to prevent the disease called pellagra effecting the skin and other parts of the body. It is found in green leaves and cow's milk.

COLLEGIATE ROAD TRIPS HELP STUDENTS' GRADES

DES MOINES, May 16.—(UP)—Long road trips for college and university athletes improve rather than retard their scholastic standing, in the opinion of Joe Pipal, coach of Occidental College, Los Angeles.

Pipal brought nine men to Des Moines for the Drake Relays last month, and in an address to a civic club explained his views:

"Before an athlete can be taken on road trips he must have a scholastic standing of one-fourth better than necessary for home competition, with the result he studies harder in order to assure himself of a place on the traveling squad," Pipal said. "Also our students are required to study two hours a day while on trips."

P. J. McCarthy carried a weight of 2,250 pounds on his back for eight steps, side-stepping, in St. Louis in 1898.

Greenwood News

A group of the singers gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Graham last Friday evening to practice some new songs and quartets, from the new book that the Greenwood singing class had received.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. met at the home of their leader Miss Anna Lee King last Saturday evening to practice their Mothers' Day play.

The Sunday School classes run over Sunday morning, having something like ninety attending the Sunday teaching service.

The all-day meeting at the church was a great success, the singing class has started in a great way to have good singings, there were singers from all around the country attending the singing. There were a fair number attended from Midland, Valley View, Stanton, LeNora and Courtney sent its quartet along with many other good singers. Everyone recited that they enjoyed the day of worshipful singing and plenty of good dinner for everyone.

Mrs. Collins and Perry were at the singing Sunday and stayed over with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King, until the B. Y. P. U. services Sunday evening.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. gave a play Sunday evening honoring Mother on Mothers' Day, entitled "Gifts for Mother." There was a large attendance for this service.

The students of the Prairie Lee School are practicing each evening on their play and closing day program.

Mr. and Mrs. Massey of LeNora visited with M. V. Sorge Sunday, an attendant Sunday school and singing.

RADIO ACROSS NATION.

NEW YORK, May 16.—(UP)—Transcontinental radio service was started on a commercial basis today by R. C. A. Communications, Inc.

Messages can now be sent from New York, Boston or Washington direct to San Francisco, and vice versa, without a relay, for the same price as wire messages. Photographs can be sent as well.

It takes 1-62nd of a second to send a message across the continent.

There are approximately 850,000 acres of irrigated land in Texas. Over 300,000 acres are under irrigation in the Rio Grande valley alone.—Texas Commercial News.

Texas cotton seed produces the best cotton seed in the United States, due to its unusually low percentage of moisture.—Texas Commercial News.

GRAND THEATRE

TODAY
TIM McCOY
in
"SIOUX BLOOD"
Stirring drama of frontier days—a thrill in every scene.

Metro Movietone Act
KELLER SISTERS
and LYNCH
The singing and dancing trio.

"Wise Women"
Two reel comedy

JOHN GILBERT
in
"DESERT NIGHTS"
Coming Sunday

"THE Broadway Melody"

Is a film's version of one of Broadway's smartest musical comedies.

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Has a beautiful love story interwoven!

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Is 100% talking, singing, and dancing.

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Has three prominent players in the leads, Charles King, Bessie Love, Anita Page

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Has scenes in natural color that will dazzle you!

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Has been breaking attendance records, showing in many cities at \$2 prices.

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Has a chorus of 60 of America's most beautiful girls. The song hits are many.

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Is Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's screen marvel and it has everything to make it the outstanding picture of the season.

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

Is coming to the Ritz Theatre right here in Midland, starting next Sunday.

Dorothy Gray



FOR the exquisite cleanliness that a lovely skin must have, smooth Dorothy Gray Cleansing Cream over your face and throat, remove with Cleansing Tissues, and then pat on Orange Flower Skin Tonic.

The Cleansing Cream removes every particle of powder and clogging dust from your skin, and the Skin Tonic gently closes the relaxed pores against exposure, thus helping to keep the skin fine in texture, clear and fresh.

Dorothy Gray preparations may be had at our Toilet Goods Department

RITZ

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SHOWING TODAY
Vitaphone Picture
"ONE STOLEN NIGHT"
with
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Betty Bronson
News - Organ
Vitaphone Vaudeville

Tanks were first used in warfare by the British.

In India, after the wedding ceremony, the bride and groom are tied together by the corners of their garments to signify that they are united for life.

A bamboo tree grows so rapidly that its growth can easily be seen through a microscope.

ACES WILD AS MIDLAND LOSES FAST GAME TO ABILENE 8-3

DOUBLE PLAYS GALORE BY EACH

The Midland Colts, despite their having dashed cold water in the face of the Angelo Sheep Herders for three successive days, could not keep up their stride against the Abilene Aces yesterday, and lost in a snappy contest, 8-3.

Two boots and five passes gave Abilene good breaks, but the Ponies took the lead in the second, when they chased in three runs to gain a two-run margin. But Aces were wild, and, after one score in each of the first 3 innings, the Abilene boys got their war clubs twirling and scored four in the sixth and one in the eighth. Ward and Wright could not stem the tide of Abilene runs.

The game was played in brilliant style, both clubs pulling three lightning double plays. The game was played in record time, one hour and 30 minutes.

The box score:

MIDLAND—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Burrows, lb	4	0	1	9	0	0
Flowers, rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Cheever, lf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Kincaid, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Van Lidingham, 2b	4	1	2	3	3	1
Segrist, 3b	4	1	2	0	2	0
Crozier, ss	2	0	1	1	1	1
Staguer, c	4	1	1	1	2	0
Ward, p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Wright, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	10	24	11	2

ABILENE—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Norek, ss	4	2	2	1	5	9
Allday, 2b	4	1	2	5	4	0
Anderson, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Orr, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Cox, cf	2	1	1	1	2	0
Nebel, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	1	0	4	0
Bradbury, c	2	1	0	3	1	0
Turner, p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	28	8	10	27	16	0

Score by innings:
 Midland 030 000 00—3
 Abilene 111 040 01X—8

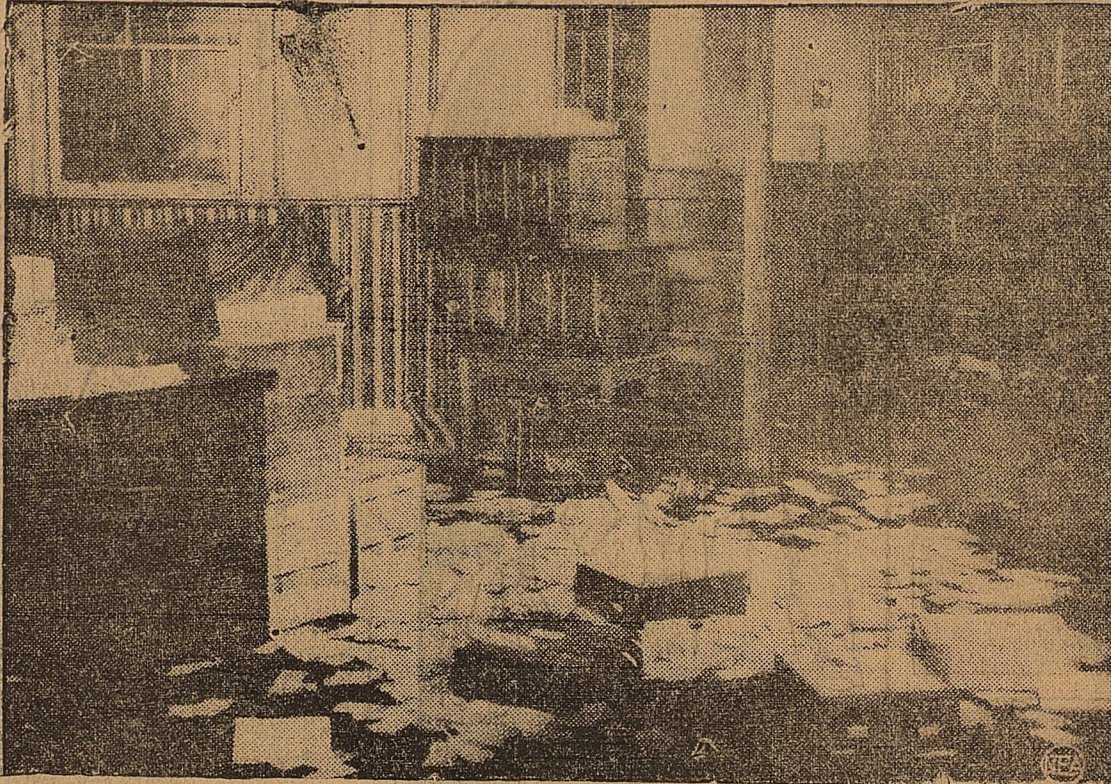
Summary
 Two base hits, Ward, Burrows, Van Lidingham, Allday, Turner, Orr.
 Home run, Cox.
 Sacrifice, Crozier, Norek, Anderson, Cox, Turner.
 Double plays, Flowers to Van Lidingham, Segrist to Van Lidingham to Burrows, Crozier to Van Lidingham to Burrows, Smith to Allday to Cox 2, Norek to Allday to Cox.
 Bases on balls, off Turner 1, off Ward 2, off Wright 3. Struck out, by Turner 3, by Wright 1.
 Eight hits, six runs (5 earned) off Ward in 4 1-3 innings; 2 hits, 2 runs, (1 earned) off Wright in 4 2-3 innings; 3 earned runs off Turner.
 Losing pitcher, Ward.
 Umpires, Hightower and Laurence.
 Most of the Texas honey crop comes from cotton blossoms and the millions of acres of cotton put Texas in second place in honey production, exceeded only by California.



RAY HOWELL
 Popular West Texas comedian and his company of talented actors to visit Midland on a return engagement, starting Monday, May 20.

WATCH THIS SPACE for further information

Rioting Students Wrecked This Office



MISS EDITH M. REBBAN

The picture above shows the wrecked main office of Des Moines university after 150 rioting students had broken into the building in a futile search for Dr. T. T. Shields of Toronto, Canada, chairman of the board of trustees of the school, who ordered the entire faculty of the Baptist fundamentalist institution dismissed. Shields is known as a fundamentalist leader and is said to have demanded that all the professors agree not to teach anything concerning evolution.

During the riot, Dr. Shields hid under a staircase in the school building and then ordered it closed. Students and professors have obtained an injunction against Shields' order and classes have been resumed.

Student indignation also was directed at Miss Edith M. Rebban, secretary-treasurer of the board of trustees. The board had been called to consider reports of a romance between Dr. Shields and Miss Rebban. The reports were declared false by the board after a 28-hour session.



DR. THOMAS T. SHIELDS

Young People's meetings at 7:00 p. m.
 Evening worship at 8:00 p. m.
 We most cordially invite your presence at all these meetings.

Big Spring Associational B. Y. P. U.
 Next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 at Courtney, in Martin county, the West Zone of the Associational B. Y. P. U. will meet in its regular monthly meeting.

The program will be given by the Loyal Workers union of Midland, it promises to be the best program that has been arranged for one of these meetings for the giving of help.

We would ask that all B. Y. P. U. members that read this notice attend the meeting at Courtney Sunday May 19th, at 3:00 p. m. Every body is invited to attend.

Would also keep in mind that your Efficiency Report must be turned in before Sunday.
ARCHIE L. COFFEY,
 Sec.-Treas.

Forty in Senior Play Cast at High School Tonight

Forty members of the cast of the three-act comedy, "Just Out of College" will be presented at high school auditorium tonight, starting at 8:00 under the direction of Mrs. Selma Bishop, high school instructor. The play is being given under the auspices of the senior class.

Comedy from the time the curtain rises until the final act, is promised for those who attend. The play is a three-act comedy written by George Ade and the settings are in modern time with the costumes the same. A college atmosphere rules throughout.

The story opens with Edward Worthington Swinger, a lad just out of college, played by Harold Blodgett, seeking a position to work. He is in love with the daughter of a manager of a pickle company. He finally gets the father of the daughter to loan him money to get started in business. With this money he starts another pickle factory. Closing the play Swinger sells his factory to Pickering and wins his daughter who has been denied seeing according to the loan contract.

Everyone not attending services elsewhere is urged to come to the following meetings:
 Sunday School, 9:45—Judge Chas. Klepproth, superintendent.
 Morning Worship, 11:00.
 Epworth League for young people, 7:15.
 Evening worship, 8:15.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 George F. Brown, Pastor

The pastor is home from attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Memphis, Tennessee, and he will preach at both services next Sunday. Let the Lord's people be in the Lord's house on the Lord's Day.
 Sunday school begin at 9:45.
 —MELLO-GLO, Midland Drug Store.—adv

Insurance Man

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 few years promise a growth in West Texas and Southwest Texas which has not been noticeable in the last twenty-five. The ratio of development with this section with the rest of the state, excepting the south, should be two to one. Over this estimate, the ratio of the progress of Texas to other states should be two to one.

"This gives the west a more than enviable position. The wide open spaces are to become thickly populated. And with good reason; what is it you need that you cannot get by the proper machination and culture?"

"What strikes me as being particularly significant in the growth of Midland itself is the fact that you have local capitalists and investors who build here. Their value cannot be estimated. Realization of their importance could only be understood by removal. Cities that build must have human strength as a foundation. Midland has this to an extent which is extraordinary, and the city will continue to set the pace for this section so long as this condition exists."

"THE BROADWAY MELODY"

BRILLIANT, ALL TALKING SINGING, DANCING PICTURE

"The Broadway Melody" which is pronounced by M-G-M as the most brilliant talking film it has yet produced and pronounced by critics who viewed its New York premiere, as the most brilliant talking picture so far produced by any company, features a former musical comedy star, a popular favorite of both screen and stage, and a newcomer to the screen who has never appeared on any stage. They are: Charles King, Besie Love and Anita Page. The supporting cast is a large and noteworthy one, including Jed Prouty, Kenneth Thompson, Edward Dillon, Mary Moran, Eddie Kane, J. Emmett Beck, Marshall Ruth and Drew Demarest. Harry Baumgart, director of the sensational "Our Dancing Daughters," handled the megaphone. Among the catchy tunes which permeate the production are its theme songs, "Broadway Melody," "Love Beat," and "You Were Meant for Me." The dialogue was written by James Gleason and Norman Huston, popular playwrights, the lyrics by Arthur Freed and the music by Nacio Herb Brown.

It is the story of two girls doing a "sister act" in vaudeville, who attempt to crash Broadway. They fail though one wins love and happiness. To the other comes tragedy. There is humor, drama, heartache and romance in it.

Beyond the depth of 1,000 feet, the greatest depth a submarine can tackle, the sea is almost unknown territory to us.

Creager Speaks

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 ning his address stated that he recognized the fact that the dinner was not partisan and that he would make particular reservation because of that; but that he was for West Texas first and last, and felt that the ambassadors of the party now in administrative control would appreciate presentation of certain conditions affecting West Texas.

Want "Fair Treatment"
 After assuring the party of his genuine pleasure in being one of those to welcome and entertain the Creager party, he stated that there are vital needs confronting West Texas, which should be granted as "equitable and fair treatment."

"West Texas does not want anything which would not be fair to the entire country," Goodman said. "We do ask of the present congress, however, what we are justly entitled to." He referred here to fair protection tariff.

W. T. Co-operation
 "West Texas wants to co-operate with the Republican administration, and will co-operate. We have the man power in case of war, the potential resources and food stuffs. We have everything necessary to a country of wealth—but we need legislation which will enable us to be protected. And we want this to be comparative protection."

"Unbalanced Consideration"
 He spoke for minutes on "unbalanced consideration" regarding protection of the producer. He referred to the costs of leather goods in ratio to the price of hides, showing that protection is given the manufacturer but not to the producer. He cited in evidence of this that there is no tariff whatsoever on hides at the present, while the leather manufacturer is well protected. This is not entirely consistent, he observed, and is not an example of a "level plane of commercialism."

Support Pledged
 Goodman repeated his desire to make his analysis of the present situation in the manner of one who recognized the non-political nature of the meeting, and assured the Republican party of his hope that a report be transmitted to various Republican channels saying that Midland and the Midland area wants to co-operate with the government to the very fullest extent.

Bullington Agrees
 Orville Bullington, republican member of the resolutions committee which wrote into the republican platform the plank on agriculture, spoke on his appreciation of Goodman's stand on tariff.

Bullington, president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, and a cattleman, said that he felt the same way about the tariff, that he had changed from the democratic party at one time because of its "failure to give correct protection," and that he would as readily quit the republicans if he thought salvation did not lie in that direction. He said that he would fight for the principles laid down by Goodman as a representative cattleman. He said the problem introduced by Goodman had "bread and meat" value; that the party had entered a "contract" with the American people and is "pledged" to carry it out.

Hudspeth Is Praised
 Bullington paid especial compliment to Congressman Claude B. Hudspeth as being "the only congressman you have who is really trying to change the conditions for betterment of present conditions. He suggested that Midland get copies of resolutions to Senator Borah, and said, "I don't mind newspapermen of The Reporter-Telegram quoting me as saying that I will fight with you against my party for the correction of the condition."

Captain Lucy Talks
 "Your mayor certainly did hit a warm spot with me in his address," he said.
 Captain J. F. Lucy of Dallas, oil man who is connected with several production areas of this section of West Texas, spoke on the abundant resources of oil and of his openness to conviction that tariff was needed on oil. He has been with Hoover organizations since 1914. He expressed personal appreciation for Col. Creager and republican leaders.

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Mayor Cites

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 facturer that is adequately protected and most of the protection is given the East and North. I am for West Texas first and last, but at that I don't want more than we are entitled to, but do want us to have equal rights.

"It is not illogical in me to demand equal protection and still vote for Democrats, because, the Republicans now have the power and have had most of the time for 40 years, yet they have not given us adequate protection," the mayor concluded.

Vigorous protest against failure of the house ways and means committee to place higher tariffs on live cattle, and beef and a fair tariff on hides was protested by Leon Goodman, mayor and president of the Chamber of Commerce. Goodman declared manufacturers were protected, but cattlemen given but little protection.

While setting forth plainly to the visiting Republican leaders that he did not believe West Texas and other cattle producing areas were receiving just consideration, Goodman affirmed just as stoutly that West Texans wished to co-operate, and would do even more than their part for their country in times of stress as well as in times of peace.

"All we ask for is equal rights. Why should the producer be less protected on cattle, beef and hides than the manufacturer on leather and shoes? We don't ask for more consideration, but we do ask for equal consideration, and so far we haven't got it and never have had it," he concluded as the audience cheered their hearty approval of Goodman's sentiments.

Botanic Plants For Those Who Register at C. C.

The first six persons to register at the chamber of commerce will get plant specimens from the U. S. Botanic gardens at Washington, thru the courtesy of Congressman Claude B. Hudspeth.

Notification of the shipment was in a letter received by the chamber from the congressman this morning. The species of the plants was not mentioned.

MEMPHIS, May 17.—(UP)—Government and district engineers, assisted by National Guardsmen and hundreds of volunteer forces, battled today the most serious flood menace here in two years.

SHE GAINS 16 POUNDS; NOW WELL AND HAPPY

"From 118 pounds, sick, weak and suffering, up to 134 pounds, well, strong and contented, tells what Sargon did for me."
 A few years ago I had malaria, chills and fever, and for a long period I was so weak I was practically



MRS. LUCILLE HAYDEN

exhausted. Then neuritis came on, and I had those pains, as well as sufferings of constipation.
 "My blood became impoverished, my color was ashy, my circulation was poor, and the sight of food almost sickened me. My nights were restless and my days misery. I lost weight rapidly; I tried medicines, and took several treatments from the best specialists. They did me practically no good.
 "In just a few days after I had started taking Sargon I felt better than in years. The neuritis and malaria have left me, my digestion is perfect. I have a wonderful appetite, my complexion is clear and healthy, and I feel like I have been made all over again. I am full of new strength and energy. I have regained my lost weight."
 The above statement was made recently by Mrs. Lucille Hayden, of 1200 Gulf Street, Beaumont. Mrs. Hayden is a member of the Methodist church, belongs to the Eastern Star, and is highly esteemed by a large circle of friends.
 Sargon may be obtained in Midland at Midland Drug store.—Adv.

Capone Arrested And Sentenced In Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—(UP)—Scarface Al Capone was sentenced today to serve one year in the county prison because he brought a revolver to Philadelphia.
 The notorious gang leader and a body guard, Frank Cline, pleaded guilty to charges of carrying concealed weapons.
 The indictment sentencing them occurred 13 minutes after their arrest here.
 Capone's arrest is believed to be the end to the old Chicago gangland feud.

County Agent's Father Dead At Sherman Home

A telegram received this morning by Home Demonstration Agent Miss Genevieve Derryberry informed that the father of Frank Wendt, county farm agent, is dead in his Sherman home.
 The county agent went to the sick bed of his father Tuesday night after receiving a telegram informing him of the serious illness.
 The father was one of Grayson county's most prominent farmers. Funeral arrangements had not been announced, the message said.

Schedule Change Effective Sunday May 19th

No. 9 will leave Midland 10:25 a. m. instead of 10:20 a. m.
 No. 10 will leave Midland 5:30 p. m. instead of 10:35 p. m. Arriving Big Spring 6:30 p. m.

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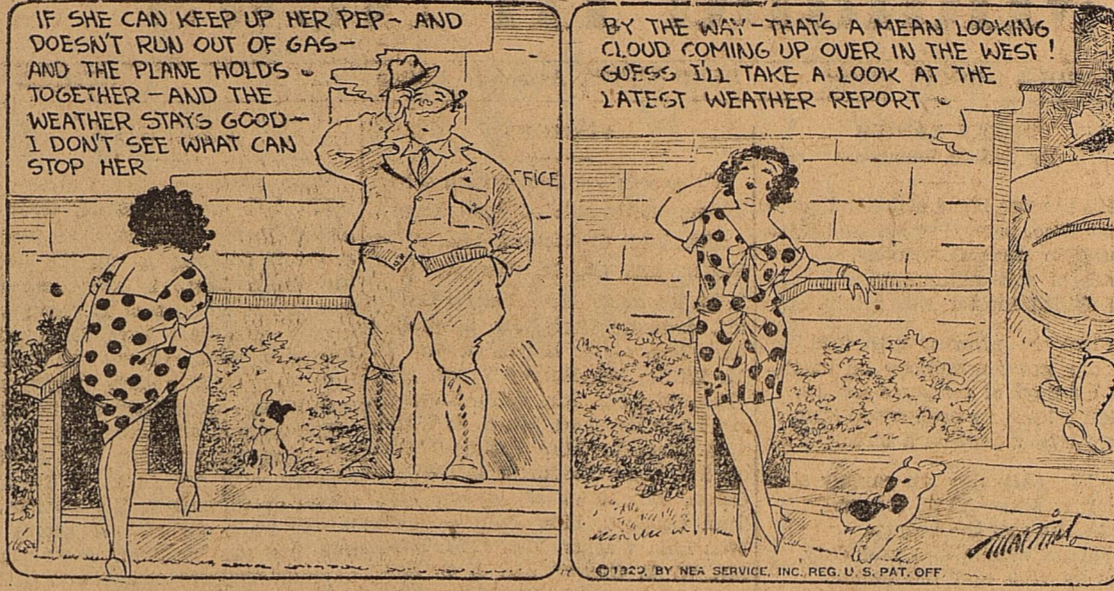
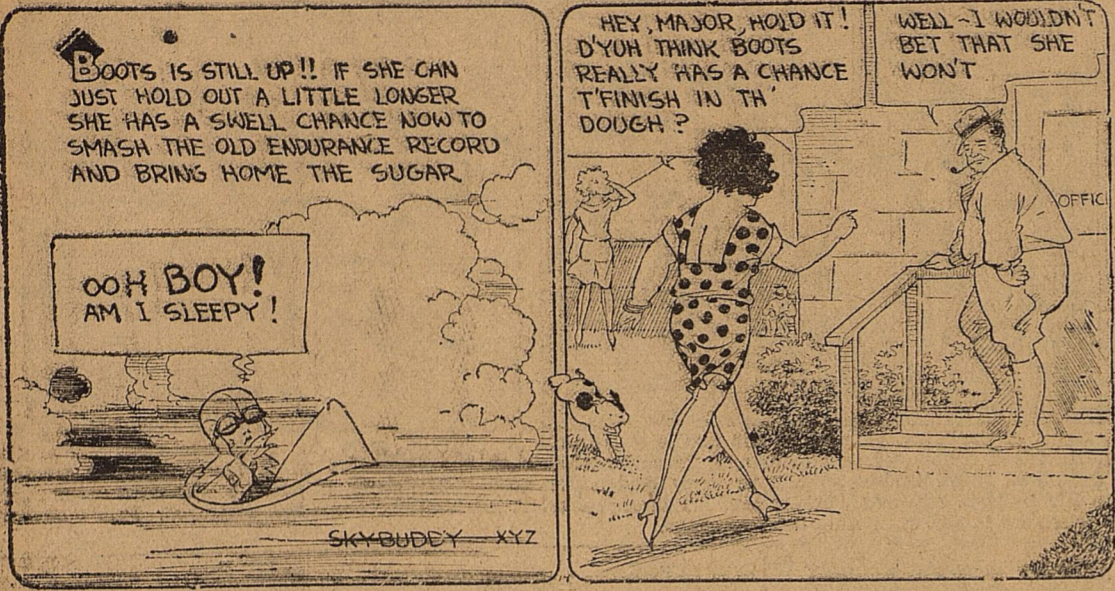
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REPORTER-TELEGRAM DAILY COMIC PAGE

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

This Suspense Is Terrible

By Martin



Wade Intervenes In Question Of Mexican Labor

STAMFORD, May 17.—The confusion over Mexicans resident in Texas which is causing many misunderstandings in southern counties in the state, may be cleared up as a result of an effort on the part of Homer D. Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and others.

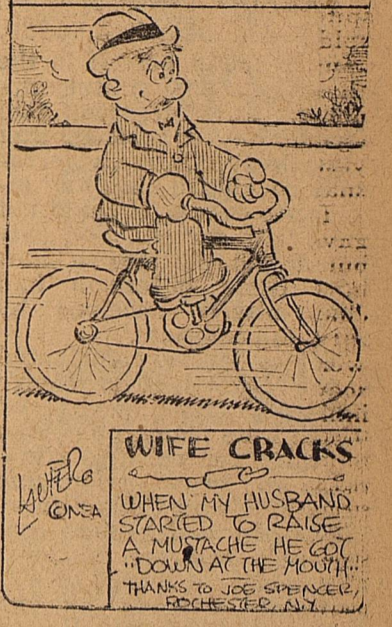
J. H. Green, secretary of the Colorado Chamber of Commerce, wrote the manager of the regional organization quoting instances of injustice to Mexicans with the suggestion that he take it up with the proper authorities. Congressman Claude Hudspeth has already been notified. Wade immediately took the matter up with Tom Connally, senator.

Green advised Hudspeth's interpretation of the law was that Mexicans residing in Texas or the United States five years or more, can not be deported, also those having been here a less period of time, if provided with proper papers and good record.

It seems that there are several agencies gathering up Mexicans and returning them to Mexico, if the Mexican does not have in his possession at the time of contact, proper papers.

It is rumored, Green stated, that the Mexican is given no opportunity

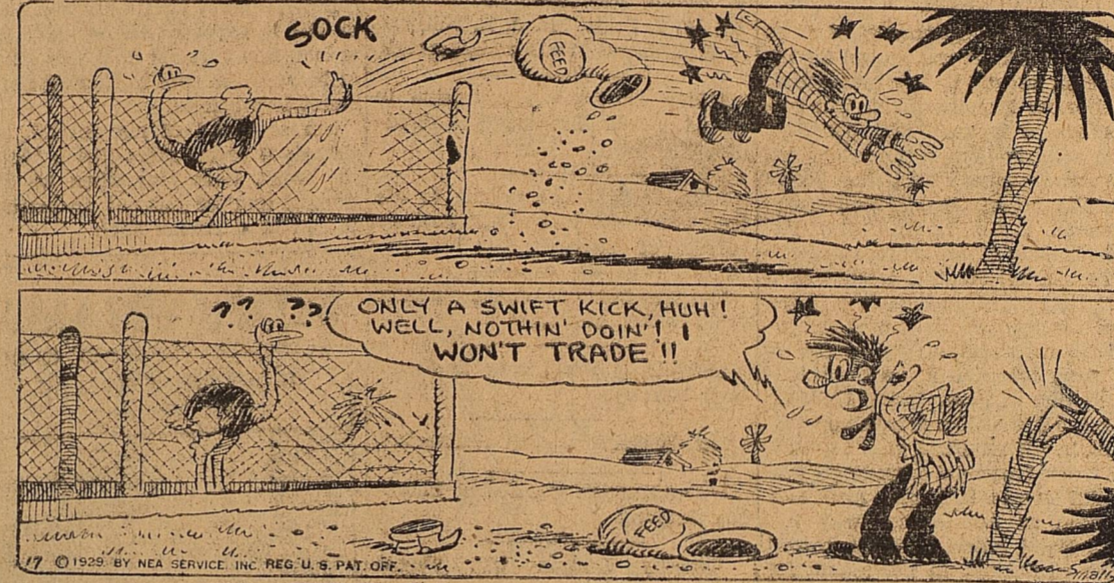
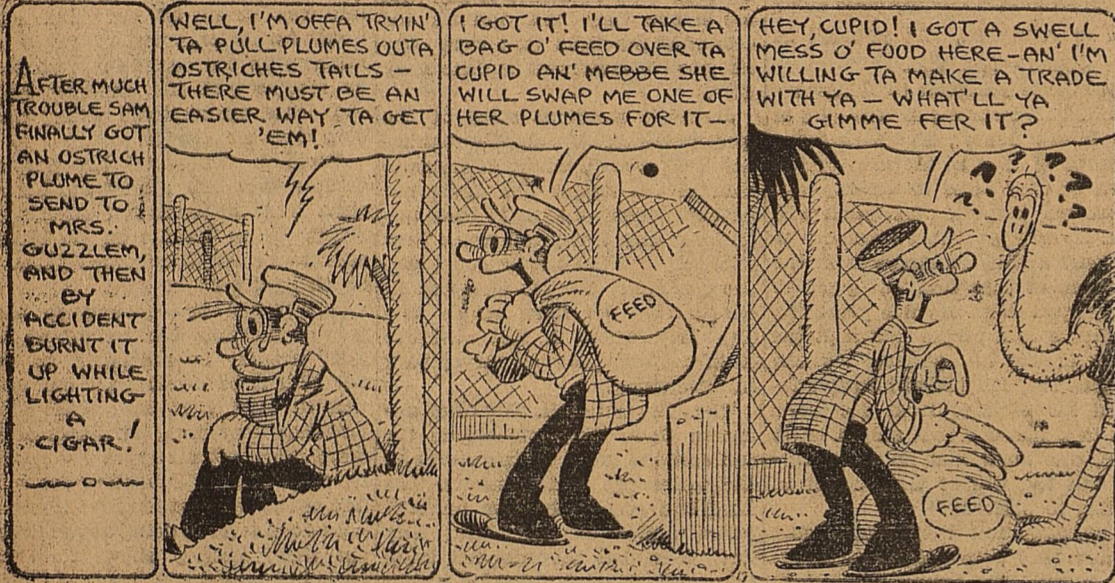
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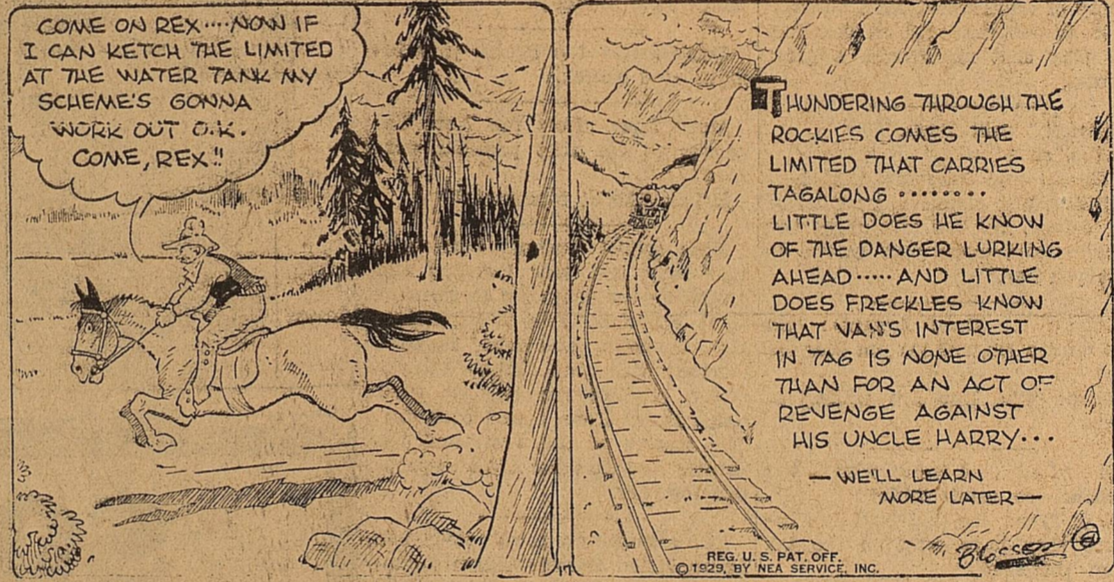
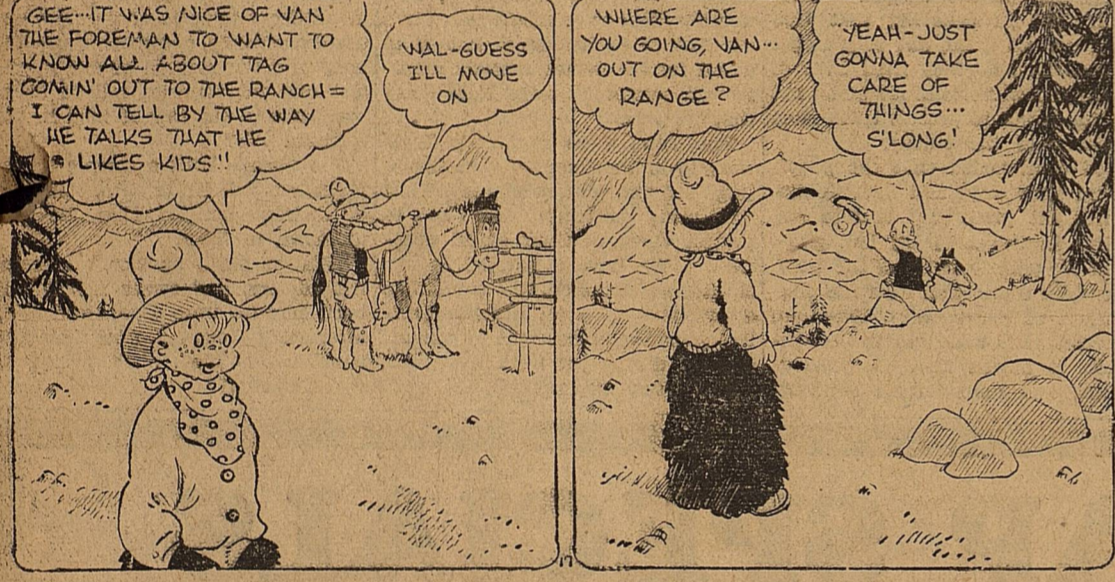
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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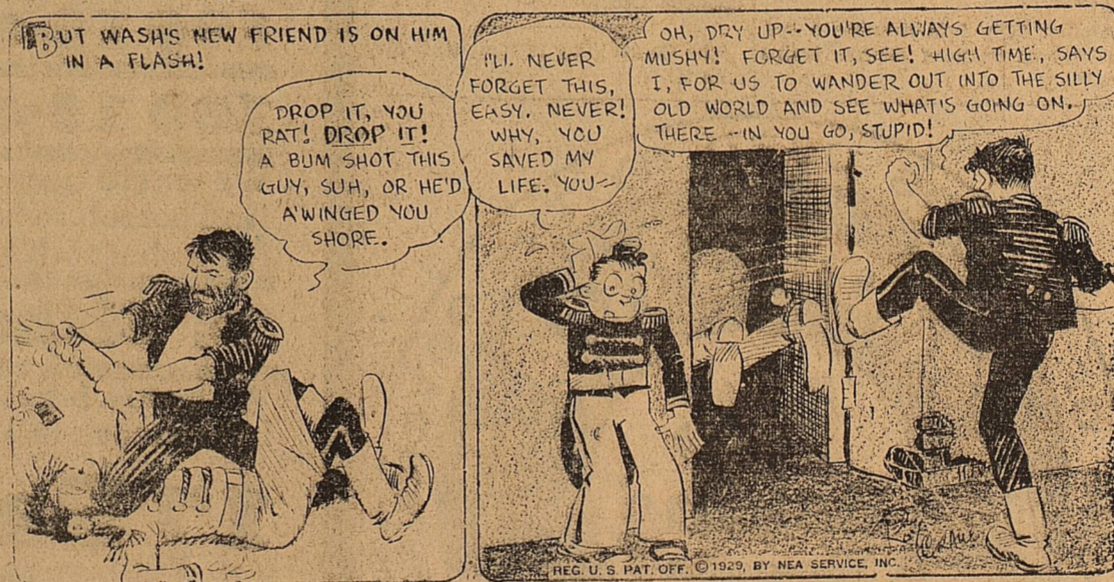
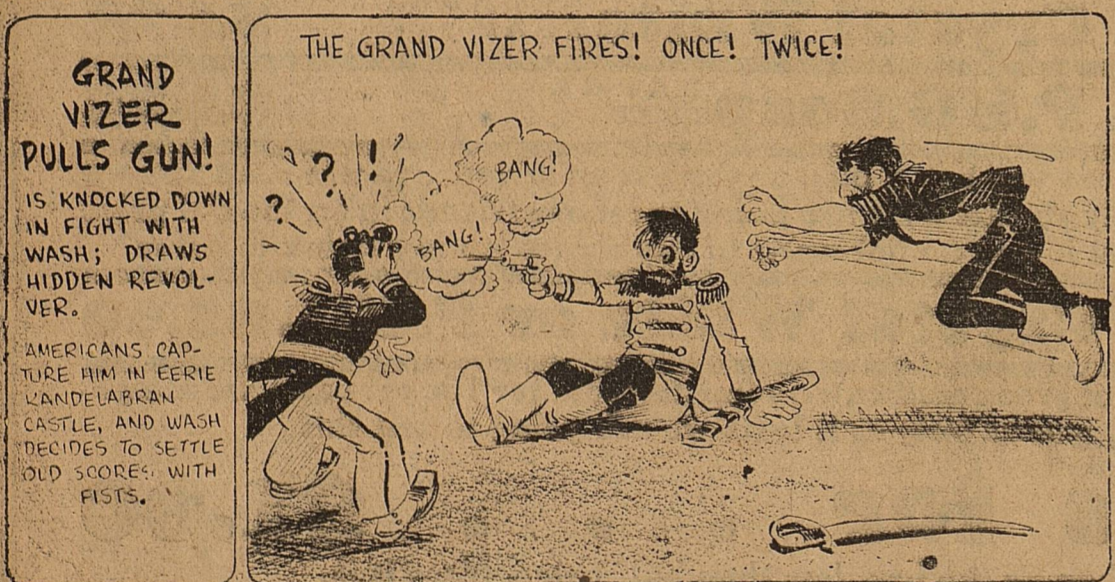
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WASH TUBBS

Breaking a Bad Egg

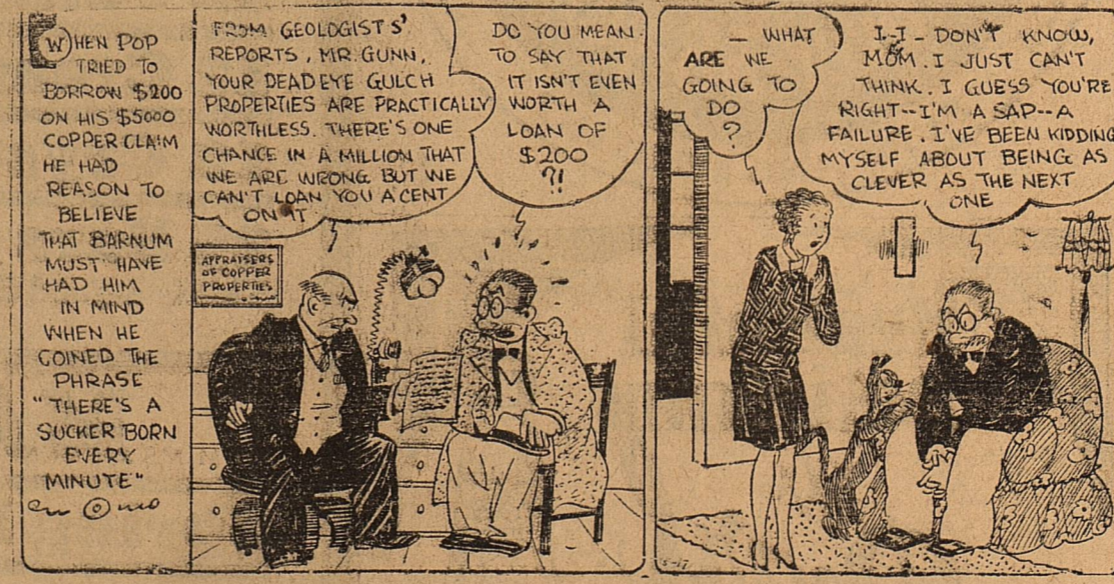
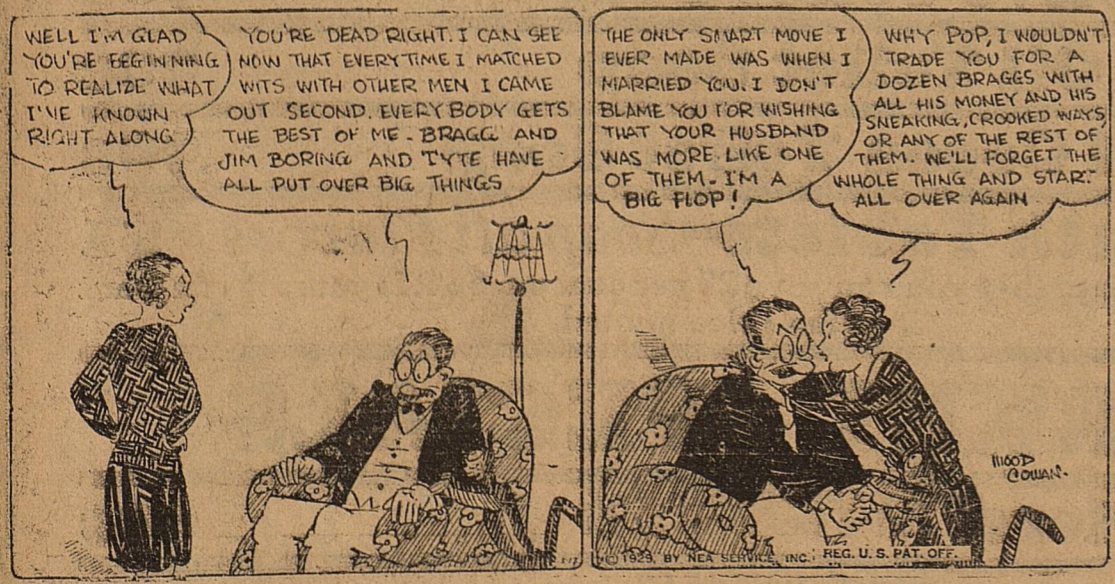
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MOM'N POP

Blue

By Cowan



TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

Taft—New Rialto theatre recently completed at a cost of \$20,000.

Laredo—Four new gassters completed in this district.

Eagle Pass—Work underway of remodeling the Fair building.

Honey Grove—Chamber of Commerce planning campaign for pro-

motion of dairying.

San Angelo—Yates oil field production to be raised from 87,500 to 100,000 barrels.

Fabens—Active work has been started on the mile and half of concrete paving which will be put down in this vicinity at once.

Tyler—The ninth annual convention of the East Texas Fireman's association will be held here May 14th.

San Antonio—Texas Petroleum Products company merged with the Schimmel Production company of Fort Worth.

Perryton—Bids to be asked for construction of new Masonic temple.

Dalhart—New brick building for D. C. Atkinson & Son at the corner of Denrock and Fifth streets nearing completion.

All Texas agricultural products are in average or better than average condition, according to authorities.—Mexico News.

Austin—Contracts for about \$1,500,000 worth of construction work in 15 counties were to be let by the highway commission at recent date.

Taft—City Filling Station being

greatly improved.

Huntsville—Airplane marker is placed on roof of the Keep hotel.

Perryton—Hatchery established here with 52,000 egg capacity incubator.

Snyder—New oil station to be opened by the Kirk Tire & Oil company.

Rosenberg—Crop conditions reported favorable here.

Fellett—Paving of streets to be started soon.

Gillespie county road bond issue to be voted on May 21.

Post office buildings planned at 56 points.—Georgetown, Williamson Co., Sun.

Dalhart—Vitaphone to be installed in Mission theatre.

LORD ERNE WHOSE TITLE WAS SURPRISE, A HORSEMAN

LONDON, May 16.—(UP)—Lord Erne, who was an earl for a year and a half without knowing it, is a horseman of whom his illustrious father, Lord Crichton, could well be proud.

Lord Erne by extremely fine horsemanship recently won the Royal Horse Guards Challenge Cup at Hawthorne Hill.

For a year and a half during the war Lord Erne was an earl without realizing it. His father had succeeded to an earldom while he was thought to be a prison of war. Later it was found that Lord Crichton had been killed in action.

The Amazon river is 3,400 miles long and is 150 miles wide at its mouth.

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FOR RENT—Five-room house, garage, and all modern conveniences. Close-in. See W. H. Abels at Ever Ready Auto Service. 59-3c
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Recent Mexican Revolution Thought Last Outbreak

NEW SPIRIT IS FORMED IN ARMY

By RAFAEL DE LA COLINA
Consul for Mexico at Laredo, Texas
Written for The Associated Press

LAREDO, Texas, May 17. —(P)—On March 3, 1929, Mexico found herself in the throes of a new military uprising. So widespread and formidable, it seemed, that superficial observers forthwith concluded that any attempt to subdue it could not meet with success. Yet, only two months sufficed to show how these observers had been utterly deceived by false appearances.

Which factors contributed to the Mexican government's swift and crushing victory? There were many, no doubt: Superior generalship, armament and organization, due to ex-President Calles' untiring energy and genius; considerable reserves of men and money; embargo of war materials decreed by the government of the United States, etc.

New Army Spirit
However, it is my opinion that two elements, the importance of which was overlooked or at least under-rated by the rebellious chieftains, principally decided the issue in favor of the government: Public opinion and a new army spirit.

A brief historical sketch will help to make clear the nature of the first factor. The profound social and economic unrest prevalent in Mexico during the closing years of General Diaz' regime resolved itself into a long and bloody revolution, which limited at the beginning to political objectives, gradually changed and widened its scope as its leaders realized more and more that the organic peace could be restored only when far-reaching social reforms were accomplished.

New Era Marked
Economic emancipation and education of the masses, protective labor legislation and nationalization of the natural resources finally became paramount aims of the revolution. Their incorporation into the Constitution promulgated in 1917 marked a new era in the history of Mexico. From that date on and particularly during the past five years the successive governments have endeavored to bring the national life into accord with those lofty ideals.

Graft Cut Down
The thorough and constructive legislation enacted under Presidents Calles and Portes Gil to intercept and regulate the Constitutional provisions as well as the multiple measures adopted by them to cut down graft, increase the efficiency of governmental departments, balance the budget and raise the standards of the judiciary, evidence their unwavering resolution to crystallize into realities the program of the Revolution.

In view of these conditions it is easy to understand why the Government securely rests at present upon a firm foundation of popular support.

Two Strong Leaders
The second factor entered more directly and decisively into the situation, determining to a considerable degree the quick failure of the revolt and its subsequent collapse.

Two men are primarily responsible for the re-organization of the Army: ex-President Elias Calles, and his indefatigable secretary of war, Gen. Joaquin Amaro. Under their able leadership Mexican army life was elevated and modernized. Sanitary and comfortable barracks and camps were built in many cities; trade schools were established and sports encouraged. Above all, a spirit of true patriotism was instilled into the rank and file, and loyalty to the national institution was held up to them as their most sacred trust and obligation. Soldiers were also taught that their duty of obedience to their commander is co-existent with the latter's submission to the Government.

An Object Lesson
Unfortunately, it is well known impossible to secure a whole-hearted cooperation from some of the highest ranking generals. They sensed the danger of their power and prepared to combat it.

Recent events proved, if anything, that in the face of so many odds, remarkable progress has been made. Thousands of soldiers abandoned their former leaders in their tragical venture as rapidly as circumstances permitted and renewed their allegiance to the Government. Many more thousands remained loyal.

Thus the latest—and I trust the last—military revolt in Mexico has become a most significant object lesson to ambitious generals who would turn the Army of the Republic into a new Pretorian Guard.

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COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES BEGAN YESTERDAY

Noted Speakers Will Deliver Closing Addresses

Commencement at Midland Public School this year will comprise eight programs, the first of which was given last night in the High School auditorium.

Dr. Charles C. Sealeman, president of Southern Methodist University will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. May 26, to the high school graduates, at which time the high school chorus of 300 voices and community choirs of 100 trained singers will furnish the music.

Dr. Frederick Eby, Professor of the history of education and Dean of the summer school of the University of Texas, will deliver the literary address to the high school graduates on the evening of May 30. The outline of the seven remaining programs is as follows:

Friday, May 17, 8 o'clock
Senior play, entitled "Just Out of College."

Friday, May 24, 8 o'clock
1. Folk Dances, North Ward Primary Department.
2. Overture, "The Maid of the Golden Slipper," North Ward Intermediate Department.

Sunday, May 26, 11 o'clock
Baccalaureate Sermon, Dr. Chas. C. Sealeman, Southern Methodist University.

Monday, May 27, 8 o'clock
1. Folk Dances, Primary Department South Ward School.
2. Overture, "The Golden Whistle," Intermediate Department South Ward School.

Tuesday, May 28, 8 o'clock
Overture, "Aunt Driscilla's Garden," Junior High School.

Wednesday, May 29, 1929
Class Night—High school graduating class.

Thursday, May 30, 8 o'clock
1. Literary Address, Dr. Frederick Eby, University of Texas.
2. Presentation of Diplomas, J. E. Hill, President of the Board of Education.

"Just Out of College" tonight at 8 o'clock.

ORCHESTRA PRESENTS CONCERT

The Midland High School orchestra, under the direction of Mr. W. E. Lanham, presented its first annual concert Thursday night, May 16, at eight o'clock at the High School Auditorium. The program was as follows:

- "Marche Aux Flambeaux"—Orchestra.
- "Cupid's Arrow"—Orchestra.
- "Trombone Solo, 'Love's Hope'—Charles Sandidge.
- "Dream of the Alps"—Orchestra.
- Cornet Solo, "Simple Avers"—Bill Blodgett.
- "Battle of Guineto"—Orchestra.
- Saxophone Duet, "Good-Bye"—Thomas Lee Speed and Bush Elkin.
- "Broadway One Step"—Orchestra.
- Vocal Solo, "Adoration"—Miss Birdwell.
- Overture, "Gon Count"—Orchestra.
- Violin Solo, "The Old Refrain"—Lillian Dunaway.
- "El Capitan"—Orchestra.
- "Festral Overture"—Orchestra.

ANNUALS ARE DISTRIBUTED

Whoopee! The Midland High '29 annuals have arrived, and have been distributed among the students and the people of the city.

The annuals have a very beautiful cover of purple and gold, the high school colors. Its name is "Catoico," which is symbolical of cattle, oil, and cotton of this country. The publishers say that our cartoonist, Harold Gooch, editor in chief of the Midland Hi News, is one of the best cartoonists in West Texas. We all agree with them. His cartoons are well worth seeing.

"I want you to write in my book" is a familiar phrase heard in the school and about the campus. In looking over some of the annuals you will be surprised to see how many times you find such words and phrases as "Judge," "as ever," "always," "forget-me-not," "remember me," "sincerely," "your friend and classmate," "Arkie," "Dickie Boy," "Spinkum," and "Speedy." It is well worth knowing that the students and members of the faculty who are selling annuals have sold all of them except twenty-five.

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Polly has conceived of a new way to get her poems printed in the paper. She sends the first stanza to the editor of the Correspondence Column, with the injury, "can anyone give me the rest of this poem?" and then a day or two later sends in the rest of the poem under another name.

SIDNEY LANIER By Lillian Dunaway

His life was like a sad, sweet poem That is not penned by bards of fame. Borne in perfect harmony, Notes of soft tranquillity, No skilled master will attain.

He lived in harmony with God. As one great symphony on earth. All his days of tempered sorrow, Adding hope to each tomorrow, Gave true happiness a birth.

His life, each day an earthly star, Brightly shone until the end. In life he saw the beauty, Of man's simple love and duty, Serving God and fellowman.

"THE ARRIVAL OF KITTY" IS PRESENTED AGAIN

The second engagement of "The Arrival of Kitty" was staged by the Epworth League in the high school auditorium Monday night. The audience was honored and delighted with a thirty-minute concert by the Watson Symphony Orchestra before the play began. The Orchestra also rendered music between acts. Although some of the players had not rehearsed in about a week and a half, they acted their parts well and kept the listeners in almost continual laughter. Marion Wadley received many compliments on her splendid acting as Jane. Ralph Hallman was also the subject of much amusement in his feminine garb as "Kitty." Clyde Gwyn did exceedingly well as did James Killough. Alta Mae Johnson as Aunt Jane (with her maid Hazel Marie Graham, caused much excitement in her search for a husband. Then of course, M. D. Johnson, the bell hop, and Henry Padock, the negro porter, furnished plenty of amusement. Miss Lanham is to be congratulated on coaching the play that made such a great success.

Lillian Dunaway was unable to attend school Tuesday and Wednesday.

Ruby Hodges was unable to attend school the first of the week on account of illness.

Imogene Cox was on the absentee list Monday morning.

Mary Belle Pratt went to Stamford Monday.

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Lester Radcliff was absent Thursday morning.

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"Ernest," said Bush.

"Yes, sir."

"Go up and interview that lady politician who claims to have nothing to say. Let her talk about two columns and make your escape as best you can."

Grocer (to Dean Bryant): "So you want a job, eh? Do you ever tell lies?"

Dean: "No. But I'm willing to learn."

Sil: "I say, old thing, why is the audience so comfortable?"

Lee: "Dear me, big boy! It's because they have removed the tax from the seats."

VISITORS

Visitors to the Senior high school during the month of April were: Mrs. Paul T. Vickers, Mrs. J. M. Fisher, Mr. Charles Watson, Mrs. F. M. Boydston, Rev. Stanley Haver, Mr. Ardmore Heely, Mr. Joe Caldwell, Mrs. G. T. Sandidge, Mrs. J. M. White, Mr. Harvey Fryar, Mrs. John Edwards, Mr. John Edwards, Mr. H. S. Hereford, Mr. A. A. Watts, Mrs. Cornelius, Miss Thelma Thomas, Mr. Leon Goodman, Mr. Wilton Orson, Mr. John M. Speed, Mrs. Tom Osbourn, Miss Joan Rodgers, Miss Lula Warner, Mrs. J. M. King, Mr. W. T. Cherry, Mr. J. O. Bryant, Mr. Elmer Feagan, Mrs. T. A. Mims, Mr. C. H. Green, Mr. E. Earl Isbrow, Mr. A. M. Wilson, Rev. Geo. F. Brown, Rev. Thos. D. Murphy, Mr. W. I. Pratt, Mr. J. E. Hill, Mr. K. E. Ambrose, Mr. Dee McMormick.

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I KNOW IT

Dear Diary,
My, but we are having quite a bit of excitement lately, the Senior play will probably be the big event of this week. There is one thing I'd love to know and that is why more Senior girls don't have dates with Senior boys. Of course the Senior boys want to date their underclassmen friends when they can't though.

The Juniors are actually going to have something of their own. Friday evening they are going to have a picnic at Cloverdale. We wonder if it will be a success. Of course it will, but the "Seniors" don't seem to think anything can go over without them. This one will!

C. W. is trying to beat John Southworth's time. I believe, with Mary Carolyn Simms. I don't know whether she is supposed to be his S. L. or not. She isn't his S. L. any longer because I'm sure to find all these secret love affairs.

I'm so proud of my annual, although it seems more like a "Senior book". Next year when we are Seniors and we put out an annual, it will be a School book.

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Bomb Wrecks Home of Union Textile Striker



The result of the latest violence in the textile strike area is pictured here. Near Elizabethton, Tenn., the home of Mack Elliott, union striker and former mechanic at the Gantzoff mills, was completely wrecked since the walkout occurred. Elliott and his family had left the house before it was destroyed. Fellow strikers and police are shown examining the wreckage.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By WALTON HINDS

The Heart of the Lesson: Jer. 7:1-11, 21-23.

Golden Text "Obey my voice and I will be your God, and ye shall be my people."—Jer. 7:23.

Obedience Essential to Religion

Jeremiah, standing in "the gate of the Lord's house", thundering the message of God in the ears of the Jews, as they came to worship, deserves our respect, admiration and love. He was preaching obedience as the only avenue of escape from the punishment that God was going to bring upon them. He was preaching obedience to a people that kept the letter of the law perfect. We can imagine they laughed at him and derided his message from the Lord. His task was one that only a brave man, who knew that he was carrying out the will of God, would be willing to perform.

The Jews felt they were secure because they were God's chosen people, because the temple of God on earth was in their keeping, and because they performed outwardly the regulations of the temple. They were right in believing that God could protect them, but they forgot that as long as they lived lives of shame and wickedness He would not use His power to protect them from invasions of the enemy.

God commended that the people amend their ways and their doings. It was the price they had to pay to live in the land He had given them. We usually think of the word, amend, in connection with the constitution of our country. When an amendment is added to the constitution, it means that all previous articles and amendments contrary

to it are become null and void and are unlawful.

God meant that the people must declare their obedience to Him; all the habits they had, and all the acts they practiced that were contrary to His laws must be done away with.

Jeremiah mentions some of the special evils that the Jews were practicing. They were taking offerings to Him in the temple but would not heat them enough to make them unfit for eating. The priest would take the remainder for his own use. In our churches we have people who give only where it will advertise them and they get their money back in advertising.

The Jews were following after unknown Gods. They worshipped the sun and the moon as the source of their blessings and comforts. The Lord had been with them for centuries, and cared for them; they knew Him, but they did not know these gods for they were false; they did not exist, and they could not be known. Our people follow after wealth, influence, and glory, and worship them as unknown gods when our Father in heaven is known to us all for He makes Himself manifest in numerous ways each day that we live.

The Jews were regarding their worship in the temple as an excuse to go out and commit any sin. They were using the temple as a cloak to protect them in their sinful practices. We have a parallel in our churches of members who think that attendance upon all worship services gives them the right to commit any act during the week that their sinful nature may suggest. The Jews were delivered?"

were oppressing the foreigner, executing injustice upon their neighbors, and dealing unkindly with the orphans and widows. If we went into the courts of our land we would find a large part of the cases littering up the dockets represented by members of the churches and each case means some wrong has been done a neighbor.

Jeremiah denounced his people because "innocent blood" was being shed. This denunciation especially points to us because in no other nation on earth is human life treated as lightly as in ours.

Can people be obedient to the laws of God and break the laws of their country as recklessly as we do? Will it be possible for our nation to exist long with these evil practices continuing and becoming more prevalent each year? Are we trying to find a substitute for our God as the other nations of the earth have done and are doing at the present time? History shows that no nation or person can live long without being obedient to the known God.

Can our church going crowds, magnificent temples of worship, unusual prosperity, enormous army and navy and the records of our ministers and missionaries relieve us of obedience to the law of God in our spiritual life?

The Greeks built a temple to the unknown god. Their fate, like of Judah, signified that He was unknown to them.

"Will ye steal, murder, and commit adultery, and swear falsely and burn incense unto Baal, and walk after other Gods... and come and stand before me... any say, we are delivered?"

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We would suggest that you buy a box, as there is an advance in this soap and we find ourselves heavily stocked. We are going to let our friends in on the old price for a short while, but if you do not want to buy a case we are going to offer

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