

Weather Forecast

West Texas: Partly cloudy, scattered showers in south portion, tonight.

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CITY TAX RATE IS SET BY BOARD

Proclamation Is Ready to Lift Martial Law Today

MILLER IS ACTING AS GOVERNOR

May Complete All Appointments Of Officials

EASTLAND, Oct. 16. (UP)—Martial law will be lifted at Borger today if the appointment of city and county officials is completed, Lieutenant Governor Harry Miller, acting governor while Moody is hunting in Mexico, said today.

Miller explained that Moody left the proclamation lifting martial law to be dated and issued following completion of the appointments.

Miller is attending the I. O. O. F. convention here.

MOODY ON BIG HUNT

AUSTIN, Oct. 16.—(P)—Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller of Dallas is acting governor of Texas today. Governor Moody entered Mexico at 8 o'clock this morning on a hunting expedition to the Sierra Madre mountains.

This is the third time the lieutenant governor has performed the functions of chief executive.

MAY NAME RANGER

BORGER, Oct. 16.—(UP)—State Ranger C. O. Moore probably will be named sheriff of Hutchinson county if he fulfills his residence requirements, Clem Calhoun, district attorney, announced today.

LEGISLATOR RESIGNS

BORGER, Oct. 16.—(P)—John Herron White, representative to the Texas legislature from the 124th district, has resigned, it was announced today by Clem Calhoun, district attorney.

In a newspaper statement, White said his resignation was "not due to the acute political situation" which has developed here subsequent to the assassination of district attorney John Holmes September 13, and prior to the declaration of martial law. He said he is resigning because his duties as representative have decreased his income.

Hold Two Suspects In Nocona Killing

FORT WORTH, Oct. 16.—(P)—Walter Reagan, held here on a charge of murder after the fatal shooting Saturday night of Ed Powell, Nocona city marshal, was questioned today by Tarrant County officials.

The prisoner was brought here yesterday and placed in the county jail for safe keeping.

A second suspect, Claud Dix, is held in the Montague County jail also under a charge of murder in connection with the shooting.

Proposes Inquiry Into Volstead Act

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Inquiry to determine whether the government may prosecute buyers of liquor under section 6 of the Volstead Act, which prohibits the manufacture, sale or purchase of liquor without a permit, was proposed today by Senator Morris Sheppard, Democrat of Texas, author of the eighteenth amendment.

Letting Contract On Hotel Excavation

BIG SPRING, Texas, Oct. 16.—Contract for the excavation of the 15-story Settles hotel building to be erected at the corner of East Third and Rannels street will be awarded Wednesday, Oct. 16, according to M. L. Tinsley, manager for the Settles interests. The site of the building is 100x140 feet and was purchased for \$55,000. The building when completed will cost approximately \$500,000. Plans and specifications for the buildings are being prepared by the David S. Castle Architect Company of Abilene.

Staff Writer Now Society Editor

Virginia Walthall Warren, for several months circulation manager and a staff writer of The Reporter-Telegram, is now society editor, succeeding Miss Pearl Wimberly, who resigned recently to attend school at the Canyon Teachers college.

The society editor, who is married to S. M. Warren, pressman for the Midland daily and prominent member of the Little Theatre, went to high school in Haskell and to a finishing school in Illinois. She was a staff writer of the Eastland Telegram, a daily paper, before taking the circulation desk on The Reporter-Telegram.

Miss Wilda Peters, University of Missouri journalism student visiting for a time with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Peters, acted as society editor from the time Miss Wimberly left for school until Mrs. Warren transferred her circulation duties to a different departmental desk.

STORY SAYS J. H. HILL FILES AN AUSTIN APPEAL

A story in this morning's Abilene News says J. H. "Blackie" Hill, sentenced to 35 years for murder from Midland county, filed an appeal in the court of criminal appeals in Austin Tuesday. Hill was alleged to have slashed to death with a knife Jay Brewer last May.

That Hill had filed an appeal in Austin was unknown by the sheriff's office in Midland. The prisoner had formerly withdrawn his application for appeal, and had been lodged in the Ector county jail after he was alleged to have been implicated in an attempted jail break in the Midland county jail.

High And Junior High Bands Good

The Midland high school band, under the direction of W. S. Lanham, has an enrollment of approximately twenty-five members and is making rapid progress. The band rehearses twice each week. Preparation is being made to order band uniforms for the high school organization.

The junior high school orchestra, under the direction of Miss Louise Rippey, is also making good progress. The membership in this organization having increased until there are fifteen in the musical group.

Following are the lists of the high school band and junior high orchestra, together with the instruments played by each member:

Jack Garlington, solo B flat Cornet; Hoyt Baker, solo B flat cornet; R. L. Gillespie, first B flat cornet; Fred Hallman, second B flat cornet; Kathleen McClesky, third B flat cornet; A. B. Cooksey, third B flat cornet; Charlie Neal Young, first E flat alto; Fred Burris, third E flat alto; Carl Reeves, first trombone, bass clef; Ralph Hallman, soprano saxophone; Marion Wadley, E flat alto saxophone; Zonelle Post; Thomas Lee Speed, C melody saxophone; Dorothy Bess Stanley, C melody saxophone; Barney Grafe, C melody saxophone; Mervin Haag, C melody saxophone; Marie Hill, B flat tenor saxophone; Caridona Vann, E flat baritone saxophone; Lillian Dunaway, first B flat clarinet; Bill Hogsett, second B flat clarinet; John Philip Inman, E flat clarinet; Kathryn Cosper, snare drum; Vann Mitchell, bass drum; Dick Verdier, trombone, bass clef.

The junior high orchestra: Allen Voliva, violin; Billy Funderberg, violin; Kelly Jones, violin; Virginia Boone, violin; Barbara Gann, violin; May Beth Judkins, violin; Marveline Cole, violin; Dudley Cooksey, violin; Maurice Kirby, violin; Leo Kirby, cello; Felix Halton trumpet; T. W. Long, Jr., saxophone; C. A. Goldsmith, saxophone; Herbert Wood, guitar; Kathleen Scroggs, tenor banjo; Janet Williams, uke.

High Court Refuses Negro Killer Refuse

AUSTIN, Oct. 16.—(P)—The court of criminal appeals today upheld the trial court at Fort Worth in its refusal to grant bail to Tenola Moore, negro, who is alleged to have killed a Fort Worth policeman.

YOUNG GERMAN BIRDMAN NEARING END OF TRIP IN TINY TWO-CYLINDER PLANE WEIGHING ONLY 560 POUNDS HAS TROUBLE IN TEXAS HE TELLS WRITERS IN CITY

A 21-year-old boy and a wee "mosquito" airplane that weighs only 560 pounds when fully loaded are pausing in Dallas for a few days in the midst of a remarkable flight around the world.

The boy is Baron F. K. Koenig Warthausen of Berlin, who left his home 13 months ago on a pleasure flight and liked it so well that he hasn't been home since. He was in Midland Saturday night and visited staff members of this paper.

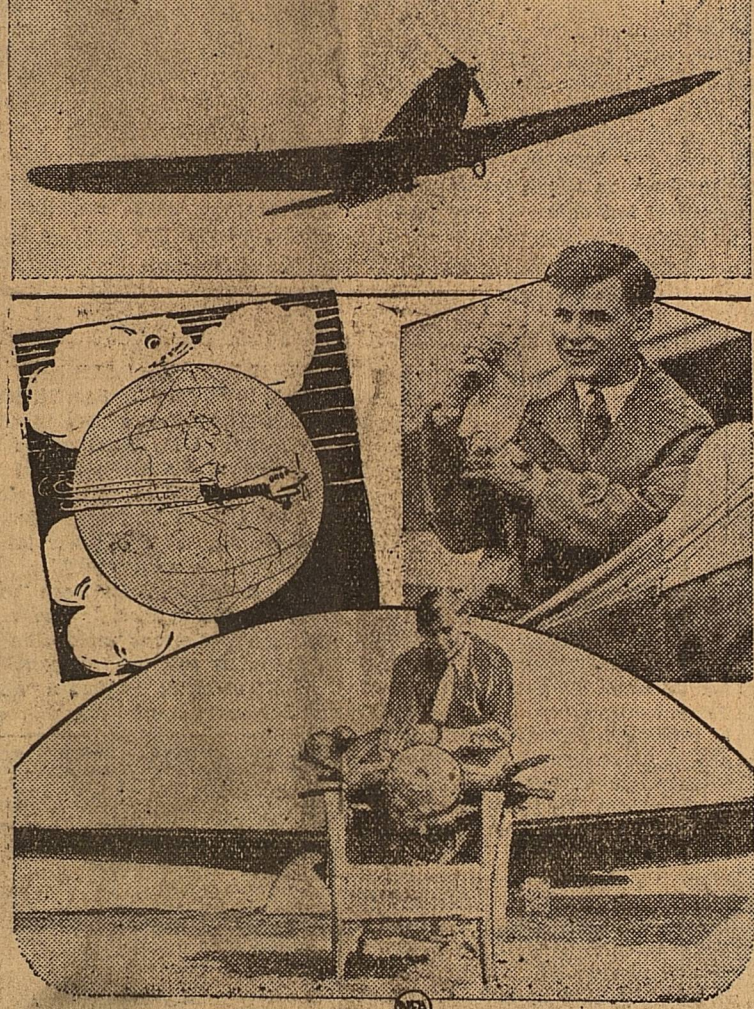
His plane is a two-cylinder, 20-horsepower Mercedes-Benz of the glider type, unbelievably small and unbelievably safe. It costs \$1800 in Germany, has a maximum speed of 70 miles an hour, will travel 50 miles on a gallon of gasoline and has an incredibly slow landing speed.

Just at present the baron and the plane are pausing. Landing on a dark and muddy field at Sweetwater, Texas, the other day, after being interviewed in Big Spring by Virginia Walthall Warren, society writer and staff member of The Reporter-Telegram, the baron cracked up and damaged a wing. Unable to fix it there, he put the little plane on a truck and brought it to Dallas for repairs.

Baron Warthausen had had just 17 hours of solo flying when he began his world tour. From Berlin he flew to Moscow. Thence he followed his nose through the orient, by way of Baku, Calcutta, Burma, Bankok, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe, Tokio, and Yokohama. At the latter city he put his plane on a liner and came to the United States, debarking at San Francisco. From San Francisco he came down through the southwest in easy stages.

In all of this flying in his tiny plane Warthausen has only had one mishap, aside from the affair at Sweetwater. That was at El Paso a couple of months ago, when a taxicab in which he was riding from the airport to a hotel hit another car and threw him through the windshield. His face was badly cut and he spent six weeks in a hospital.

Now he is eager to get back home. "I only planned to be gone for a year," he says. "I'd have made it easy if it hadn't been for damages, and I had to go back to El Paso for the hearing. I think I had something coming to me—my hospital and doctor bills were \$1500.00," what he got.



Germany's 21-year-old 'round-the-world flyer' is shown above with his Siamese cat mascot. His tiny plane is shown in the air and also on the ground, the motor resting in the chair.

When in Midland, the baron, who had wired ahead to a staff writer that he would "drop" in, said he wore no parachute. That partially made him nervous as he flew over the wastes of an Asian jungle. "Texas—she is an ideal landing ground, ever where," the baron said. "I should like it very much to land for good and for live in Texas sometime. You are what you call the ariminded here. Midland is typical of that spiritness."

The German flier evidently knew that he had made a slight mistake in his English, for he resumed: "But it is harder for to land on your language than for land on your airports."

Reg Robbins Here For Night Stop

Reg Robbins, well known Texas flier who piloted, with Jim Kelly, the record breaking endurance monoplane "Fort Worth" to an endurance flight which eclipsed that established a few weeks earlier by the army in the trimotor "Question Mark," landed at Sloan Field this morning. He intimated that he might spend the night. "Even though successive endurance refueling flights have been made, some of them as far beyond the record of the Fort Worth as that of the Fort Worth was over the performance of the Question Mark, I still think of Midland's kindness in sending Jim Kelly and me those telegrams of goodwill when we were over the Fort Worth country cruising in lazy circles. That goodwill, combined with those similar expressions of other Texas cities, helped us stay up there."

FUNERAL OF MRS. JOHN TOLBERT IS SET FOR THURSDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. John Tolbert, whose death occurred about 3:30 this morning, will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30, at the First Baptist Church, the Rev. George F. Brown, pastor, conducting the service.

Mrs. Tolbert, with her husband, came to Midland in 1884 and had lived here constantly since that time. She was 66 years old, having been born in Missouri, coming here from Illinois. In point of length of residence here, Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert are among Midland's oldest citizens.

She was one of the last charter members of the First Baptist Church of Midland, and until she became an invalid about 20 years ago, was one of the most active workers in the church. Suffering from rheumatism, she had been confined to her home, and much of the time to her bed, for 20 years, and through all that time had maintained a sweet, cheerful disposition which won the admiration of all who knew her.

She became suddenly ill late Monday and had been unconscious for about 32 hours at the time of her death. Her daughter, Mrs. C. K. Bell, was notified and arrived here early Tuesday from her home in El Paso.

Surviving members of the family are the husband, John Tolbert, two sons, Harry and Allen Tolbert of Midland, and one daughter, Mrs. C. K. Bell of El Paso.

C. K. Bell and son, Tolbert, Mrs. Lee Bell and daughter, Mrs. Jack Whitaker, arrived last night from El Paso, and Lee Bell and sons, Frank and George, are en route here from El Paso today.

Following funeral services at the church Thursday afternoon, the body will be laid to rest in Fairview Cemetery.

Lobby Committee Down To Business

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Having established the existence of a fairly extensive organization of legislative agents representing various manufacturing interests, the Senate committee investigating lobbying today sought to determine what influence the organization wields in the present congressional tariff fight.

The "leak" of private congressional information to legislative agents of private industries was subjected to inquiry today. Pressure over sugar rates interested the committee.

Tomorrow the committee will probe the appointment of Charles L. Avanson, secretary of the Connecticut manufacturers association, at government expense, by Senator Bingham, Republican of Connecticut, during consideration of the tariff bill.

Odd Penalty In Bet Irsksome To Bettors

GARLAND, Texas, Oct. 16.—(UP) Footsore and weary, a Dallas grocer today wondered if the spoils of his victory were worth the price. Ernest Luttrell, who bet on the Athletics, is accompanying Forrest Cole, loser, who is battling a baseball from Dallas to Philadelphia. They are headed for Rockwell tonight.

\$1.50 ON \$100 WAS DECISION

City Sets Precedent For Scientific Methods

Midland, from standpoint of city government, now stands paramount in working, business-like efficiency, and is recognized to have established a precedent as being possibly the only town in Texas to be so organized as to have reconstructed its tax problem into an equitable assessment on real values—without regard for personalities.

For weeks the machinery of the new city administration has been at work on the problem of taxes. A board of equalization was appointed, after much money had been expended by the city in getting data ready for that board's use, and this spent many hours establishing real property values of every block in the city limits, breaking away from tradition in its preference for use of an impersonal city map rather than the usual alphabetical procedure with names of property owners.

Work For Future The board set itself to work out the most significant change as regards evaluation of property known to Texas towns and cities. "We must fix values intrinsically, impersonally," Mayor Leon Goodman said, in charging the board with its responsibility. "We want to get the books arranged so that next year's appraisals may be made within the comparatively short time of two days."

The city council met Tuesday afternoon in the directors room of the First National Bank and reported that it wanted the public to know exactly what had been done by the equalization board. Valuation of the City of Midland was set at \$9,145,220. It was stated that the city would require approximately \$95,000 expenses for correct functioning over the next fiscal year, which would require a one and one-half per cent tax on a 70 per cent valuation of real property value.

School Board Assists The school board, working in conjunction with members named by the mayor, agreed that this per cent should be justifiable.

Enough delinquent taxes might be collected to counterbalance unpaid current taxes, it was shown.

"Valuation of property was made intrinsically," Mayor Goodman said. "Every block in the city limits was computed, all contents and improvements taken into consideration according to age of improvements, construction, possible replacement value, etc. The same rule was applied to public service corporations. These supplied financial statements, even the telephone company which is not required by law to conform, as provided in the statutes.

City Expenses Outlined Cost of running the city over the

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FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



For seafolk folks, stormy crossings are mostly bunk.

MERCHANTS AGREE CONTINUE WORK FIRE PREVENTION

Business men of Midland are unanimous for cooperating in the fire prevention campaign. A petition circulated Tuesday by Claude O. Crane, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Fire Prevention Campaign, and signed by him and Elliott H. Barron and George Glass fellow committee member was signed by every merchant seen.

The petition follows: "In the interest of fire prevention, we the undersigned agree to cooperate with the city in keeping the business section clean and the fire hazards down by using a container with a cover to place the papers and refuse that accumulate daily in our places of business, placing the containers in a convenient place for trash wagons, which will call at my place of business at a specified time each day. We further agree not to place refuse in the alleys unless in a covered container."

This petition circulated by the chamber of commerce committee was in keeping with the policy instituted by the city in recent ordinances governing sanitation. The City Council passed laws on this same matter, and it is believed that this voluntary agreement made by business men will assist the city in enforcing the sanitary measures.

As a final wind-up to the work done by the fire prevention committee in the schools and in the city, Mr. Crane is issuing 800 letters on fire prevention. He is doing this without any expense to the Chamber of Commerce except for stamps, donating his own time and the time of an office assistant in the office of Hyatt, Mims and Crane.

Aged Woman Slays Husband With Axe

SUMMIT, N. J., Oct. 16. (UP)—Mrs. Laura Mathilda Titus, white haired and wrinkled by 70 years of life, today killed her 78 year old husband with an axe. She confessed the killing to police after brief questioning. She said she slew her husband because she could not endure any longer his abuses.

McClintic Tells Of Airliner Flight

C. A. McClintic, Midland oil man and cattleman, remembers the chief features of the International Petroleum Exposition and Oil Congress at Tulsa, a ride in a tri-motored Fokker F-10, now on a swing around the country which will take it to Fort Worth, Dallas, Oklahoma City, St. Louis, Chicago, Minneapolis, Cleveland and Akron before it wings its way back to the Fokker factory at Wheeling, West Virginia.

"Among those who went up in the Fokker at the time I was in the air," McClintic said, "were Eugene Lorton, publisher of the Tulsa World, Mrs. Lorton, N. J. Henthorne, executive editor of the World, John and Marshall Smith, editorial writers, Dave Smith, Midland and Fort Worth oil man, Paul T. Vickers, Midland chamber of commerce secretary and secretary of the TCEA, and Captain William N. DeWald who piloted the big 12-place Fokker."

The big ship is a product of the Fokker Aircraft Corporation of America now affiliated with General Motors Corporation, said McClintic. "Air travellers and potential air travellers who have not yet speeded across the country in a trimotored F-10 in a fraction of the time of the fastest trains were interested in the big transport aircraft. It is the fastest airliner setting a top speed of 140 miles an hour, cruising comfortably and economically at 118 miles an hour and landing at 55 miles an hour. Its rapid climb provides safety and saving of time where high altitudes must be reached quickly. It can gain 1400 feet of altitude in one minute at sea level through the powerful thrusts of its three 400-horsepower Pratt & Whitney "Wasp" engines.

"The passenger cabin finished in mahogany and light pine fabric is 16 feet long, 5 feet 9 inches high and 5 feet wide. It is unobstructed by cross members of frame work and is fitted with large sliding glass windows which run the entire length of the cabin. Racks for light baggage are provided. Aft of the cabin is a fully equipped lavatory and a large baggage or express compartment.

"The big ship carries two pilots and 12 passengers, or 2500 pounds of mail and express and 400 gallons

WIFE OF MIDLAND CATTLEMAN DIES IN SAN ANTONIO

Mrs. Henry Wrage, wife of the well-known cattleman of the Midland and San Antonio areas, was buried at Seguin Sunday, following death from heart trouble in a San Antonio hospital Friday night, according to Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson, Midland daughter of the dead woman.

Mrs. Hendrickson, who with her husband attended funeral services, said that Mrs. Wrage had been in the San Antonio hospital for a year.

Mrs. Wrage is survived by her husband, a son, Louis, and the daughter Mrs. Hendrickson, the former Miss Irma Wrage.

Defense Rests In Trial Of Workers

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 16.—(UP)—The defense rested today in the trial of seven union textile workers who are charged with second degree murder in connection with the killing of Police Chief Anderson. The state opened its rebuttal testimony.

Light Sentence Is Given For Murder

FORT WORTH, Oct. 16.—(P)—Two years in the penitentiary for the killing of J. Reynolds Gunn was the penalty imposed on H. J. Kelly by a jury today. Kelly was found guilty of murder without malice.

Garner Will Urge Federal Tax Cut

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Representative John N. Garner, Democratic House leader, recommended today that congress cut taxes two or three hundred million dollars when it convenes in its regular session in December.

Garner said that a reduction of \$350,000,000 is possible, but that congress preferred to cut taxes a little each season so as to reap political benefits of such maneuvers.

BULLETIN

Midland will make a determined effort this afternoon to secure the next annual meeting of the West Texas Medical Association, now in closing session at Big Spring, according to a telegram from "Dusty" Waller, manager of Hotel Scharbauer and a member of the convention committee of the chamber of commerce.

"Midland physicians well represented here," Waller said. "Looks like we will get the next meeting."

Soldier Freed Of One Murder Charge

EL PASO, Oct. 16.—(P)—Less than seven hours after his trial was started, the jury last night freed Harrison Waitt, Fort Bliss soldier who killed his wife and her lover with an axe, of the murder charge in connection with the death of his wife.

Indictment in connection with the death of Gordon Rose, the wife's lover, still faces Waitt, but it was indicated that the state may dismiss it. Temporary insanity was the plea that saved the soldier. He went "completely crazy," he said from the witness stand when he found that his best friend had "betrayed his home."

MacDonald Pleads For Labor Support

TORONTO, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Premier Ramsay MacDonald made an appeal to American Labor to aid him in his crusade for universal peace. Addressing the American Federation of Labor, he begged the workers to unite in a war on war. He said that labor bears the brunt of war.

DAD-SON TICKETS GOING

Tickets for the Father and Son banquet to be given on the night of Oct. 21 in the ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer show an increase in sale over the last two days, the committee in charge of sales reported this morning.

Every man of the county is expected to be present on that night; a boy and ticket are all that is required for admittance.

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THE WAY TO STUDY LIFE

A 16-year-old San Francisco high school student, brilliant and studious beyond his years, shot himself to death the other day because he had been depressed by the study of philosophy.

The lad had studied the writings of philosophers from Plato to Santayana, and had grown despondent, he said, because they impressed him with "the futility of life." So, at 16, when life should appear at its rosiest, he killed himself.

Will Durant points out that philosophy has been defined as "the art of befuddling oneself methodically." And while it is quite obvious that the age of 16 is rather early for the study of the stupendous problems of life and death, the suicide of this San Francisco youngster would seem to indicate the correctness of that jibe.

It is a noteworthy fact, when you stop to think about it, that the man who grows melancholy over "the futility of life" is usually a man who has learned about life from books rather than from experience.

There are many books to point out life's tragedy, many books to call attention to its mysteries, many books to insist that there is no hope in this world or the next; but life itself, when lived to the full, does not often teach that lesson or create that gloom.

Life often brings defeat and dismay. Terrible things happen in this world; terrible things and pathetic, heart-twisting things; yet when you learn about them by living through them, rather than by reading about them, you nearly always wind up with a faith, a hope, a confidence that all the books in the world cannot do.

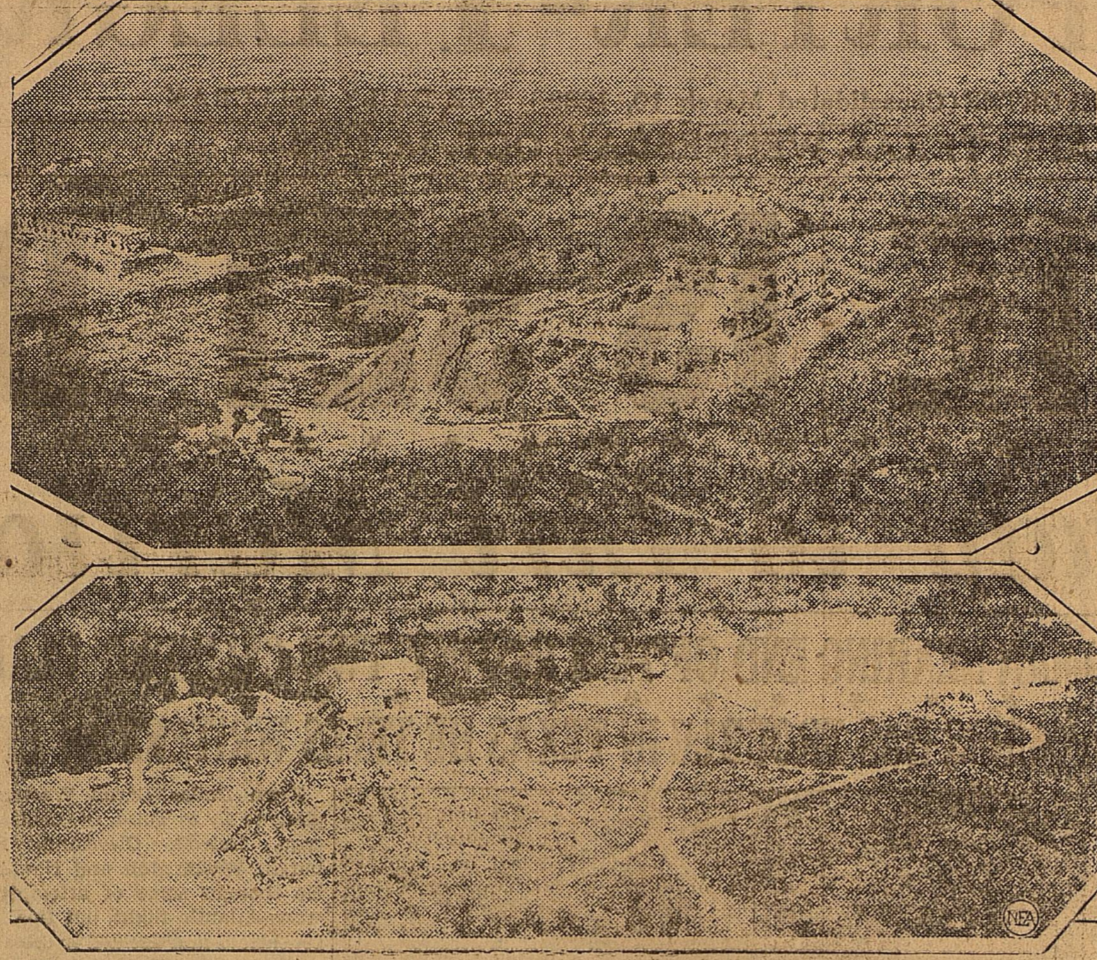
For life does something to counteract its lesson on tragedy. If experience of the world teaches one that failure and defeat are often the portion of men who deserve to succeed, it also brings, out of that very failure and defeat, a sense of grandeur and nobility.

Behind the sorrows and disappointments of the world there lies a greatness and a magnificence that are part of every man's heritage. They do not appear on the surface. They lie concealed within the human spirit, and the misfortunes and sufferings of life only serve to bring them out where we can see them.

Shakespeare's tragedies tell heart-rending stories. Yet they do not leave one impressed with "the futility of life." Instead they convey a profound conviction that life is splendid, beautiful, holy—a thing that can rise to great heights as well as descend to great depths.

The study of philosophy is a poor way to learn about life—especially for a 16-year-old. Life itself is a better teacher. To any man who experiences it to the full, it proves that whatever the final answer may be it can never be futility.

Where Lindy Searched For Lost Maya Cities



It's over remote jungle areas like these on the Yucatan peninsula that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh conducted his aerial exploration in quest of lost cities of the ancient Maya Indians, whose remarkable civilization flourished 2000 years ago. Pictured at the top are an old temple and columned walls at Aamal, previously discovered by land explorers. Below, at the left, is the "Temple of the Serpent" excavated by the Mexican government, and at the right the "Temple of the Warriors," a Carnegie Institution excavation.

Daily Washington Letter

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—President Hoover and Senator E. Boecher Howell of Nebraska have received so much publicity over their argument as to the relative wetness of Washington because of their official positions and the general interest in the prohibition question.

With all due respect to both, it may be suggested that neither knows very much concerning what he is talking about. Both are commonly known to be personally dry. No one ever offers either of them a drink, just as no one selects a mustache cup for the baby's Christmas gift or invites a vegetarian family to a beefsteak dinner.

Bootleggers do not invade their offices to acquaint them with price levels, protection costs and other market conditions. At social gatherings they do not engage in or listen to exhaustive conversations about such subjects. As far as anyone knows, neither has ever donned false whiskers and gone into the town at night like Haroun al Raschid to investigate conditions for himself.

They See The Dregs
It seems only fair to point out that the best judges of the wetness of a city are those who come in contact with it. President Hoover and Senator Howell only come into contact with the dryness of Washington. At least a hundred thousand persons in Washington must know more about the situation than either.

The truth about Washington, according to persons who have traveled about and who have given some attention to such matters, is that the capital is wetter than some communities and not as wet as others. The town supports a minimum of speakeasies. Hardly any of those are attractive to the drinker who prefers pleasant surroundings. Not more than a dozen obscure restaurants serve wine or liquor in their dining rooms. Sooner or later most speakeasies are raided. Their average life appears to be a matter of months.

The greater part of the liquor traffic in the District of Columbia is carried on by bootleggers who make home or office deliveries. Almost any kind of alcoholic stimulant is thus obtainable at a price. No resident of Washington, of course, ever has any trouble buying booze if he wants it. The stranger may have some slight difficulty if he starts hunting for a bottle on his own, but he usually gets a telephone number from an acquaintance or speaks to a bellboy or taxi driver.

Orders are nearly always given by telephone, although high-class bootleggers from Baltimore occasionally make their rounds to take them in person. Not infrequently, however, bootleggers invade offices looking for new customers, after obtaining the prospect's name and tastes from a satisfied client.

Prices for alcoholic drinks probably are as low here as in any large city. Good grade Scotch whisky is obtained for \$7 a bottle. So-called rye ranges from \$3 to \$6 a pint, depending on quality, though some of the best is sold at \$24 a gallon. Gin and rum, always made synthetically, sell at from \$2 to \$3 a bottle. Bootleggers offer sherry wine at from \$2.50 to \$5 a bottle and quote prices for champagne and most of the other popular wines. Alcohol costs from \$10 to \$12 a gallon.

More thrifty Washingtonians often motor down into Maryland to purchase kegs of Maryland rye whisky. In St. Mary's county one can buy the newly-made product for \$3 a gallon; it can also be had

from bootleggers in town plus service and delivery charges. Somewhat higher prices are charged for Maryland rye which has been aged a few months. It would appear that Washington drinks more of Maryland rye than of anything else, though peach brandy is a local favorite.

They Drink At Home
The paucity and drabness of the capital's speakeasies may be due to the fact that Washington wets prefer to drink in their own homes. Those who entertain and who go out at night say that drinks are served about as often as not. The same average goes for dinners and luncheons at the local hotels. At the three or four most fashionable hotels it appears that the host provides the liquor for private functions, while the hotel employees mix the cocktails and serve the drinks.

The town doesn't reek with liquor by any means; it's just that there's always plenty to be had. The Jones law had no permanent effect on conditions, though perhaps a half dozen negro bootleggers have been tried under it.

A really determined drive to dry up Washington would drive up liquor prices for as long a period as the effort lasted. The probability is that higher prices would reduce consumption, as in other lines of business.

HE'S FREED AS LAWYER SLEEPS

HOUSTON, Texas, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Justice court was jammed as usual and the magistrate was dismissing cases or assessing penalties as fast as they came before him.

One portly man fell victim to after-luncheon drowsiness. Discarding the court, he slumbered on.

The case of a negro charged with petty theft was called. The assistant district attorney almost finished with the first witness when the negro defendant, his face a perfect picture of something wrong leaped over and asked the deputy sheriff: "Mistuh sheriff, wud y'all mind wake up dat man—he's mah lawyer." The case was dismissed.

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YOUR CHILDREN

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It is small wonder that children take their time about learning independence. Every ounce of initiative they might possess, as a rule, is kept submerged by our over-civilized method of caring for our offspring, and then when they attain their majority we shake our heads because they can't take hold the way we expected.

It would be about as sensible to keep them away from water until they're 21 or so and then express amazement because they don't know how to swim.

Sometimes I have my doubts about the effects of what we call civilization on the human race, for it is a most convincing truth that children are slower about developing initiative and independence in countries that lead in civilization and in classes that are supposed to lead in education and culture.

Character Built Too Late
Either civilization has gone off at a tangent in allowing its youth to mature late—in character, I mean—or it is still in that crude state of perfection that leaves much to be desired in handling its children.

I am inclined to think that the latter is the case; furthermore, I believe that radical though some of the new methods of child training may seem, they are on the right track and the new idea of self-expression will, when properly understood, rectify much of what has heretofore been very, very wrong.

I wish that mothers could read the word "self-expression" without the inevitable reservation it has been treated to since its inception. Self-expression doesn't mean pulling the dog's tail, smashing the china, or robbing the ice box. It doesn't mean license. It does, however, mean liberty.

We'll not call the solicitous care the average child receives, codding, although, it is a temptation to so label it, for much of it

amounts to that. But certainly it is a softening process.

The thing is—just how much "care" is good for a child and how much is bad for him. How can we take care of children and at the same time cultivate the tough fibre of independence and self help in him? It is a nice question.

Shifting Responsibility
I believe that every mother can go over the list of things she does for each child daily and do a little sorting like this: "He, or she, can do so and so for himself very well after this. From tomorrow on he does it."

She can even go further. "Why not let him take entire responsibility of his clothes?" she might decide. "From now on I'm not going to tell him what to wear each day; I'll let him do his own choosing. And I'm going to trust him a little more and not have him running to me every second with, 'May I do this or that?' He's old enough to know right and wrong. He'll made mistakes, but how else can he learn? I can't keep him a baby forever. From today he's going to learn to be a man."

Well—he's your boy—she's your girl. Perhaps you won't endorse my

method. But if a mother keeps on doing her child's thinking, vicariously wearing his clothes, planning his pleasures, suggesting his every movement, she need not be surprised and should not be distressed, when he's twenty, if he's still an eche, a carbon-copy of herself, a dependent adult at an age when men two centuries ago were thought old enough to organize expeditions of their own and settle new countries.

Bad Stomach Cause of Bad Skin

You can't expect to have a good clear fresh-looking complexion if your stomach is weak and disordered.

Undigested food sends poisons through your whole body, pimples appear in your face, skin grows yellow and muddy and loses its color. Your tongue becomes coated, breath most unpleasant. But these troubles will end quickly and skin clear up if you will start today taking that simple herbal compound known to druggists as Tanlac.

Tanlac contains nothing but herbs, barks and roots which have a cleansing, healing effect on a poor upset stomach. Just a teaspoonful before each meal stimulates the digestion naturally so that you can eat what you want without fear of distress. And when your stomach is in good shape again see how much keener your appetite is—watch how quickly skin begins to grow free of disfiguring eruptions. The cost of Tanlac is less than 2c a dose. Get a bottle from your druggist today. Money back if it doesn't help you.

Page Way Stage Lines Daily Schedules

East Bound	West Bound
10:15 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
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ERRORGRAMS



That's Scrambled
TWARDNEUE
There's usually a thrill in it when you have one.

There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may pertain to grammar, history, etiquette, drawing or whatnot. See if you can find them. Then look at the scrambled word below—and unscramble it, by switching the letters around. Grade yourself 20 for each of the mistakes you find, and 20 for the word if you unscramble it. On page 6 today we'll explain the mistakes and tell you the word. Then you can see how near a hundred you bat.

Telephone Your Parties to Society Desk

WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Mrs Cowden Hostess To Enigma Club

The home of Mrs. Homer Rowe was used as the meeting place of the Enigma Club Tuesday afternoon...

Belmont Bible Study Club Holds Election

The Belmont Bible Study Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. McCargo on 1204 S. Main St. with eight members present.

Mrs. Elkin Hostess To Ladies' Aid

Mrs. Woody Elkin was hostess to the Ladies' Aid of the Christian Church in her home Monday afternoon.

Personals

Mr. Will Harris went to McCamey yesterday on business. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Amburgey of Odessa were shoppers in Midland yesterday.

Hello, Suckers!



Three-year-old Eileen Goehle has established herself as champion lollipop licker. She is shown, right, after licking all previous records...

Announcements

Wednesday The Wednesday club meets at the home of Mrs. Frank Cowden, 1201 West Texas.

Thursday The Country Club will not hold its regular bridge Thursday evening, because of the funeral of Mrs. John Tolbert.

Friday The Trail Hitters with Mrs. Thomas Holcomb, 423 West Dakota, at 3:30, o'clock.

The ladies of the Christian Church are planning a Pure Food show within a short time.

The Methodist women will hold a rummage sale November 2nd, and are asking that everyone who is interested prepare for it by saving all the old clothes they do not want.

The Mothers Culture Club, which was to have been held today at the home of Mrs. John Nobles, has been postponed until two weeks from today at Mrs. Nobles', because of the death of Mrs. John Tolbert.

Personals

Mrs. Dora Wall, employed by Lyck Roofing Co., has been very ill with tonsillitis since Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. S. Weinstein and daughter, Sara, spent several days in Dallas last week, returning to Midland Monday.

The WOMAN'S DAY by ALLENE SUMNER

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Legg, and Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Miles are attending the Dallas fair. Mr. and Mrs. Miles will bring back their little daughter who has been visiting in Dallas.

Contented Victims

By Maud Thomas



AFTER she's spun a wondrous, magic web of loveliness to ensnare her more than willing victims, at last she finds herself enmeshed in its golden threads.

turned and she finds herself in a web of her own weaving and the strange thing is she, too, is one of the contented victims.

Not only is the word cheap, shop-worn, tattered and torn, but the fact that one word is so utterly adequate to describe all the infinite variety of woman's charm puts a crimp in the feminine ego.

SEX APPEAL MINUS He went on to say that the young men of today were the laziest of suitors because women demanded no gallantry of them, scorned it, in fact, and that girls, in spite of all they were supposed to know about sex, were the least captivated they had been at any time in their history.

I think he was a little unfair and naturally so. He was having a rather dull time, since none of the smart looking youngsters were paying much attention to him, and the personal bias may have influenced his words.

We live in a canned age, but must we can our language, as well as our songs and our speeches? With a whole dictionary of words to draw on, and with all the poetry that has been written extolling her many moods and her infinite variety, can't we heed to Clara's appeal—and put some more words into circulation?

Mr. P. J. Miles of Grissom-Robertson, has gone to Lubbock to attend the opening of a Grissom-Robertson store there Friday.

Malted Milk Bread Can't Be Best, City Bakery. 190-3c

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POLITICS BOW TO COMMERCE WITH LEADERS

By STEWART BROWN
United Press Staff Correspondent

LONDON, Oct. 16 (UP)—Like a great magnet London's Wall Street is drawing the best brains from the parliamentary atmosphere of Whitehall to the moneyed air of the city.

Some of the best men in the Conservative party and former cabinet members have deserted the quieter Westminster for the busier city district.

A board meeting of the Greater London and Counties Trust, a huge electrical concern largely controlled by American capital, looks more like a session of the former cabinet than a business gathering of a highly successful and all powerful company.

Around the table can be seen the thin-faced, monocled Sir Austen Chamberlain, the red-faced, bald-pated Sir Laming Worthington Evans, and the stern, cigar-smoking Lord Birkenhead. This trio, depressed from Whitehall in the last election, is now more interested in voltage than votes.

Lord Birkenhead, Chairman
Lord Birkenhead, former secretary for India, is chairman of the trust. He recently called to his assistance Sir Austen Chamberlain, former Secretary of Foreign Affairs, and Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, former Minister of War. All three are now getting salaries three and four times as large as those they drew from the government.

The inducements for Sir Austen and Sir Laming were in the neighborhood of \$50,000 yearly, while it is understood Lord Birkenhead draws around \$75,000.

The Trust is owned by the American Utilities Power and Light corporation and supplies electricity to three large areas adjoining London and extending in all four directions. The Trust has subsidiaries serving some 95 English cities and villages.

Lord Kirkenhead said, when accepting the chairmanship of the Trust, that it would not be tied down to any American manufacturing organization and that its purchases would result in the employment of British materials and labor.

Other Statesmen in Finance
In addition to this trio there are other former statesmen who have quit Whitehall, willingly and unwillingly, to become "city workers," as London terms her financial giants.

Among former ministers in the city are Stephen McKenna, Sir Robert Horne and Sir Cunliffe-Lister, Lord Peel, not to mention Sir Josiah Stamp and others.

Although Sir Laming states his new job does not eliminate him from politics, it has been noted in the past that when statesmen go to the city at excellent salaries they seldom return. The old English theory "once a British statesman always a British statesman," has been exploded under the barrage of the city's money.

As a result of this exodus fear is expressed in some quarters that the death knell of the Conservative Party is sounding, unless new blood, unattracted by the city's gold, is drafted into the party.

Queen Of Omaha's Ak-Sar-Ben Fete



Lovely Jean Redick reigned as queen of Ak-Sar-Ben, Omaha's outstanding social event of the year. Miss Redick, daughter of a wealthy real estate operator and active in Junior League work, is shown above in her regal costume. She makes her debut this winter.

Children Confess To Ghastly Crime



John Mulligan, eight, left, with his brother, James, seven, and Detective Sergeant Henry J. Gallbrunner. The two boys, orphans, have confessed to the killing of three-year-old Albert Mikentas at Milford, Conn., last July. It was believed at the time that Mikentas was attacked by some feeble-minded person because of the mutilated condition of the body. Police declare it was the work of a powerful man but they are inclined to accept the Mulligan boys' story.

quickly as any omelet.
Rice Omelet
One cup cooked rice, 1 cup milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-3 teaspoon pepper, 3 tablespoons butter, 4 eggs.
Heat milk and add cooked rice, two tablespoons butter and salt and pepper. Beat well and add the well beaten whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Melt remaining tablespoon of butter in a hot iron spider or omelet pan. Turn pan until thoroughly coated with butter and make sizzling hot. Pour in omelet mixture and let cook on top of stove for two minutes to brown the bottom. Then cook in a hot oven until well puffed and firm to the touch. Fold and turn out on hot platter. Serve with tomato sauce or fresh tomatoes cut in slices and broiled.

Big Spring To Vote On Airport Bonds

BIG SPRING, Texas, Oct. 16.—Whether or not Big Spring will have a municipally owned airport will be decided in the Bond election to be held here on November 13, when the citizens will vote on an issue calling for \$65,000 to purchase the airport located two miles west of the city. The port is now privately owned by a corporation. At a meeting held here Monday night a publicity committee was appointed composed of C. T. Watson, T. S. Currie and Jas. T. Brooks. H. Clay Read was elected a member of the Board and Fox Striplin was made Secretary to succeed Frank K. King, deceased. The Big Spring Airport is one of the best equipped landing fields between Dallas, Fort Worth and El Paso. It is being used as the Division Point for the Southern Air Transport Company, Inc.

Wife Of Midland Man Told To Change Ways

The other day a Midland man went home and told his wife she ought to change her way of doing.

"Why, Dear," she said, "What's wrong?"

"Well, you know I have up to now felt just like you did about buying the best food, regardless of where it was made, but up at the Lions luncheon every day I get rolls made right here in Midland. They are much better than out of town rolls."

"Well, what do you want me to do about it, I can't go to the Lions and Rotary luncheons with you?"
"No, but we can get Midland bread, made in Midland, and since it is actually better than this out-of-town bread we are buying, let's change and buy Big Dandy and other bread made by Paterson's bakery and, not only have the best food, but help Midland grow by keeping our money in Midland. We make our living here, and certainly we ought to do our share for home industries, when they are giving us better bread than out-of-town bakeries!"

Sister Mary's Kitchen

By SISTER MARY
NEA Service Writer

A nourishing dish which combines both cereal and eggs for breakfast is a rice omelet.

This is excellent for school children, since it's hearty and of high food value. Served with a tomato sauce, the whole furnishes all the elements necessary for proper nutrition.

Crisp toast should be included in the breakfast menu for the sake of the teeth if for no other reason. Dentists tell us that the teeth need exercise quite as much as the muscles of the body.

The rice should be cooked the night before. If this is done, the omelet is not difficult to prepare. No extra time is required in the morning for the cooking of breakfast since the rice omelet cooks as

Sports In Season

by Nick

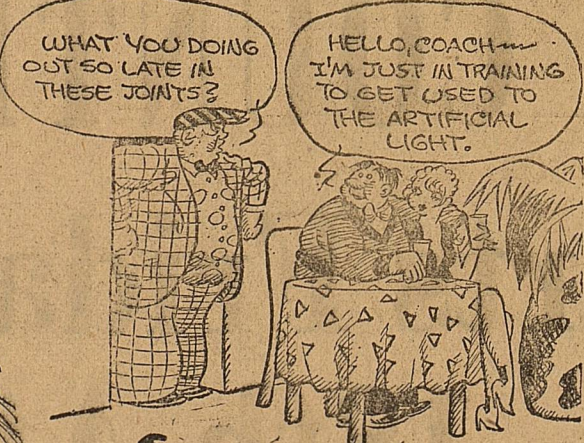


I. LATROP KNIGHT,
FOOTBALL STRATEGIST, WHO DEvised A SCHEME TO MAKE TOUCH-DOWNS EASY IN NIGHT GAMES. HIS PLAN WAS TO HAVE SOMEBODY SWITCH OFF THE LIGHTS AS SOON AS THE BALL CARRIER GOT UNDER WAY SO THAT THE TACKLERS COULDN'T SEE HIM. HIS STRATEGY FAILED WHEN THE RUNNER GOT LOST IN THE DARK.

A SPOTLIGHT ON THE STAR ABOVE AND THERE WOULD BE SOMETHING NEW AND NOVEL.

DIZZY DUGAN

HOW'D YOU FEEL WHEN THE LIGHTS WENT OUT IN THE THIRD QUARTER?



SOME OF THE BOYS MAY BE A BIT TOO ORIGINAL IN THEIR TRAINING METHODS.



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BANKER TELLS OF BIG CHANGE IN WIFE'S HEALTH

Abilene Man Says Wife Has Suffered For The Last 7 Years With Stomach Trouble; Was Losing Weight — Praises Orgatone Now

"My wife's wonderful improvement is due to Orgatone," said J. E. Baker, living on rural route 3, Abilene, Texas, in a conversation with an Orgatone representative.

"For the last seven years my wife has suffered something awful with stomach trouble. Everything she ate would upset her. She would suffer from indigestion and would have pains and cramps. She was very bilious and dizzy most all the time and was gradually growing weaker every day. She was badly constipated and had headaches and pains in her back. She was losing in weight and strength and she was in a very bad condition.

"She has tried every kind of stomach medicine but nothing did her any good until we read of Orgatone and she began taking it. She now has a good appetite and eats just anything she wants and says she never feels a sign of gas, bloating or pains afterward. Her headaches and backaches have left her, her nerves are in good shape and she sleeps fine every night. She is much stronger and has gained in weight several pounds. It had completely relieved her of constipation. Orgatone is the only medicine she has ever taken that did her any

good and she says that she wouldn't be without it. I am glad of the opportunity to tell the public what Orgatone has done for my wife." Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Midland at the Midland Drug Store.—Adv.

Motor Wolves Swoop But Make No Arrest

CLEBURNE, Tex., Oct. 15.—(UP)—The city of Cleburne failed to collect at least one fine for speeding recently when the motorcycle officer made the wrong "pinch."

The alert policeman swooped down on a machine that was moving considerably in excess of the speed limit and suggested that its two occupants pay a visit to the judge. The occupants, however, happened to be two rangers on their way to Borger on state business and were out of jurisdiction of city officers.

"MEDICINE MAN" POTIONS STILL FAVORED BY INDIANS

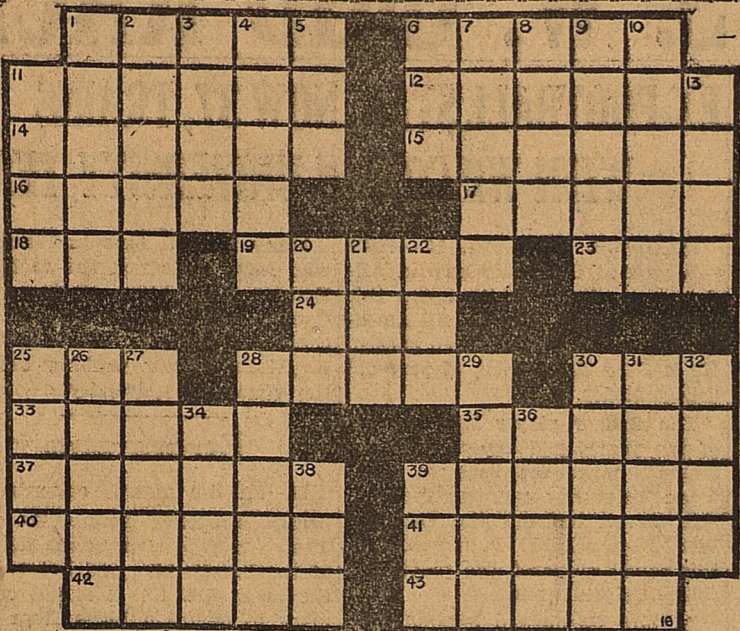
MILWAUKEE, Oct. 16. (UP)—Herbs and plants and strange potions that legend tells were used by Indians for curing all manner of ills still are used by the remaining Redmen in this country.

For three months Huron H. Smith, botanist and Indian authority here, lived with the Oneida Indians in northern Wisconsin to learn first-hand the cure-all art "good medicine," used by them.

It's milk from the milkweed for warts; ground cherries for eye trouble; and smoke of the tansey plant for a headache, Smith reported on his return here.

American manufacturers spend nearly \$35,000,000 yearly in research work.

A Real Brain Teaser



HORIZONTAL
 1 Swamp.
 6 Sword handles.
 11 Having limits.
 12 Imbeciles.
 14 Concord.
 15 Door.
 16 Razor clam.
 17 To depart.
 18 Sooner than.
 19 Puff-blow.
 23 Guided.
 24 Aviator.
 25 Small flap.
 28 To clean.
 30 Naughty.
 33 To permit.
 35 Mass meeting.
 37 Stared.

VERTICAL
 2 Old-womanish.
 3 To get up.
 4 Rock.
 5 Fowl.
 6 Side bone.
 7 False gods.
 8 Italian coins.
 9 Sum.
 10 Part of a cask.
 11 To liquify.
 13 Sleigh.
 20 Simpleton.
 21 To freeze.
 22 Golf device.
 25 Labels.
 26 To distribute.
 27 Censure.
 29 Saccharine.
 30 Chief.
 30 Flame.
 31 To change.
 32 Colored.
 34 Eyes.
 36 Exclamation.
 38 Thirsty.
 39 To dribble.

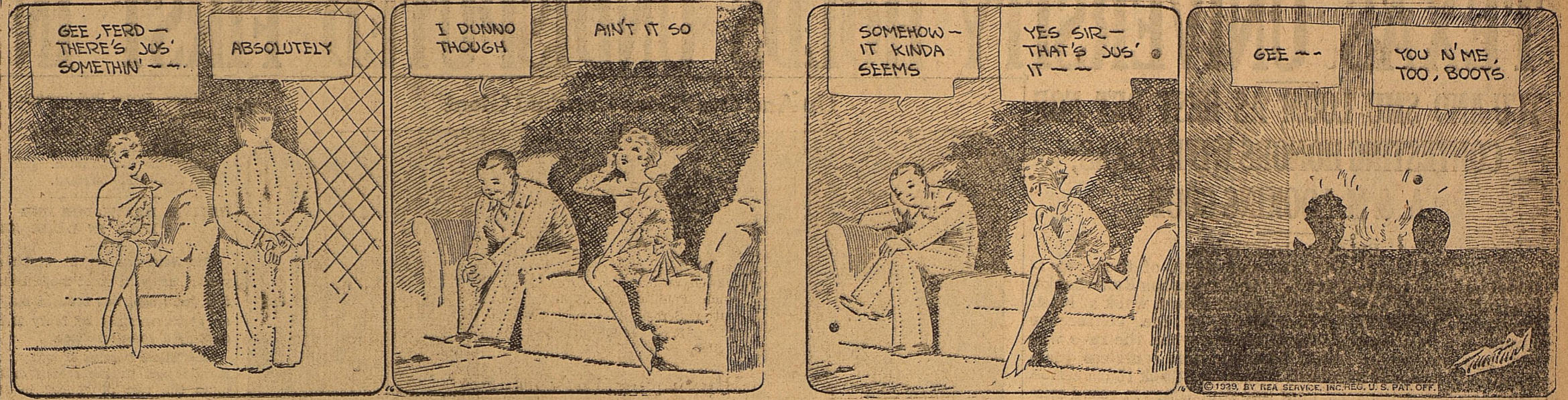
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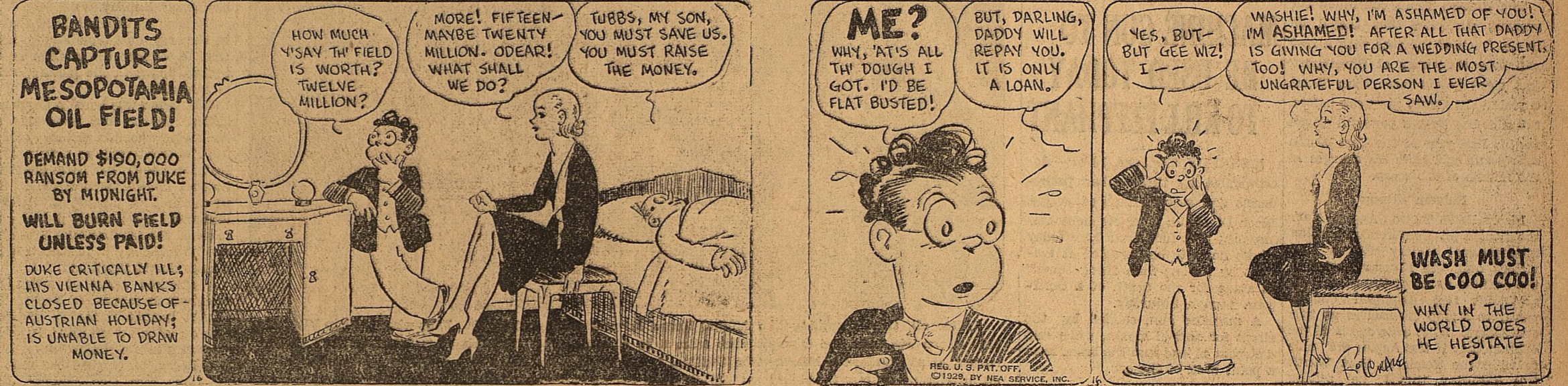
By Martin



WASH TUBBS

Shame On Ya, Wash!

By Crane



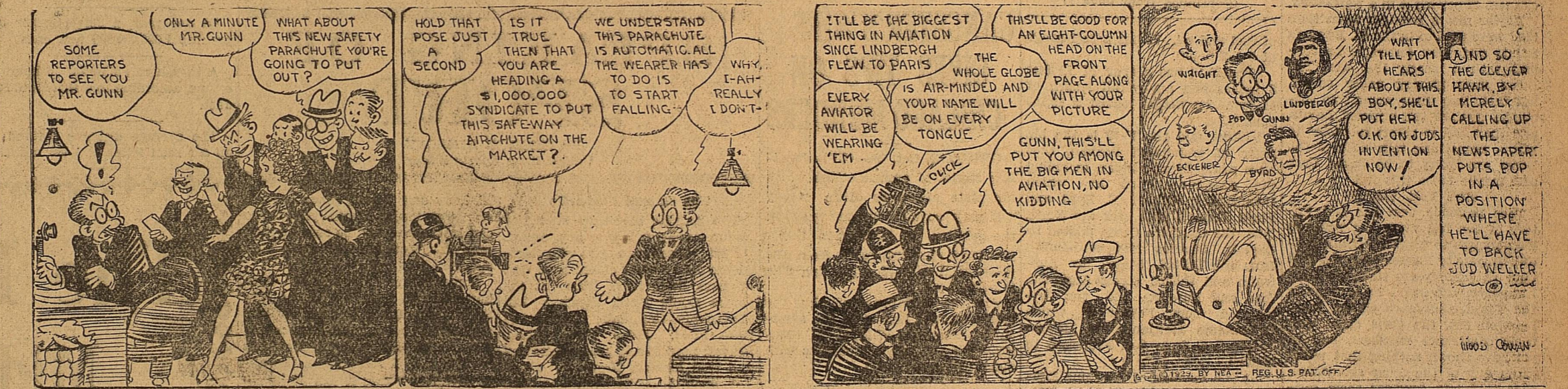
NO THRILL LEFT
 ANGLUM, Me., Oct. 16.—(UP)—The glamor has largely been removed from the life of the test pilot according to "Red" Harrigan, test pilot for the Ryan Aircraft Corporation, who has flown more than 200 planes valued at \$2,500,000 on their test hops, without a single accident.

Why Brothers Are Distrusted
 TULARE, Cal., Oct. 16.—(UP)—O. B. Moore was cleaning up his garage here, stuck his hand into a mass of debris and felt a cold hand in his own. It was a real human hand, severed at the wrist. Moore later found that the hand was a laboratory specimen of his brother, a medical student.

MOM'N POP

Fame Is Just Around the Corner

By Cowan



CLASSIFIED

1 Lost and Found
 LOST—Two hogs, Friday, from East Midland. Reward. "Dad" Featherstone. 190-3p

2 For Sale or Trade
 FOR SALE—Cheap, one gas range like new, 12 window shades, color buff. 624 S. Colorado. Phone 786 J. 190-1p

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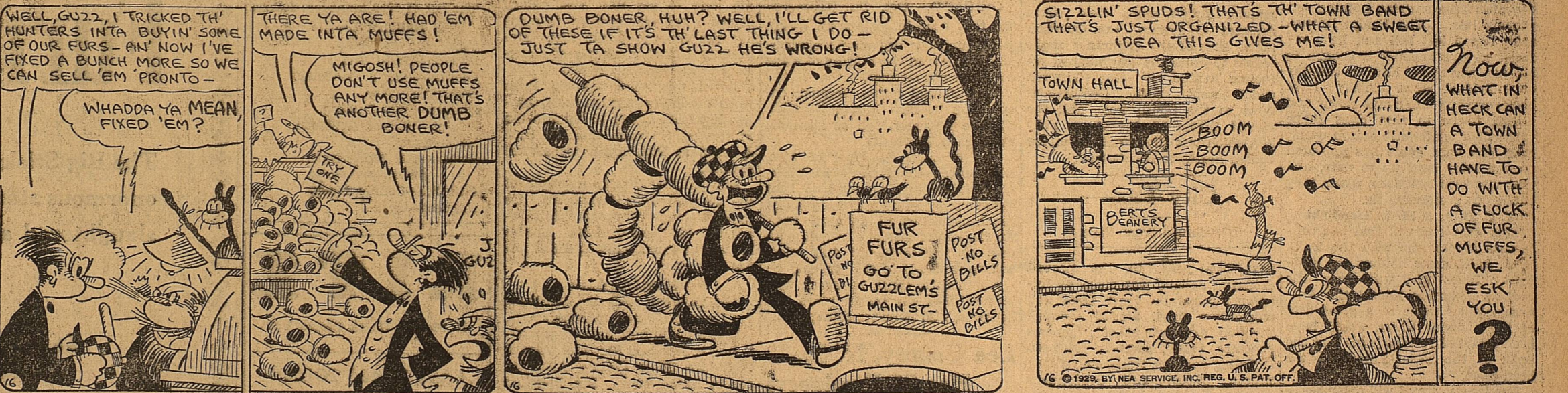
UNFURNISHED five-room house with bath. Rent reasonable. Phone 246. 184-tfc

8 Real Estate
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TEXAS UNIVERSITY HOLDS UNDISPUTED FIRST IN S. W. GRID RACE

TCU AND SMU LOOM AS BEST BET FOR CONTESTING HONORS WITH TEXAS; A. & M. LOOKING GOOD

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 16.—By virtue of their sensational last quarter 27-0 win over the Arkansas Razorbacks, the University of Texas Longhorns hold for a week at least, undisputed possession of first place in the conference standing, a position they were holding when the race was over last November. After battling three scoreless quarters, the Longhorns uncorked a passing attack that carried them across the Porkers' goal line four times in rapid succession to sweep a tired and dejected Porker eleven off its feet and out of the 1929 conference race.

The Horned Toads confirmed their growing suspicion that they'll be in the thick of the race with a 28-0 win over Centenary at Shreveport, just eight points more than Texas defeated the Gents the week before. Schmidt has built a powerful eleven for his first year at the Fort Worth school and will have his charges in the middle of the scrap.

MACHINE GUN TO BE USED TODAY TO KILL ELEPHANT

KENNEDY, Tex., Oct. 16. (AP)—Accompanied by three other pachyderms and several hundred people, Black Diamond, killer elephant, was marched to a field near here today where he is to be executed at twilight by a "one man firing squad" to atone for the death of a Corsicana woman Saturday.

A machine gun, carried by the circus for animal breaks, will pump a stream of lead into the brain from a point back of the ear.

McClintic

(Continued from Page 1)

Belmen Strong
Matty Bell's Texas Aggies gave the Southwest Conference another inter-sectional victory with a 19-0 victory over the Kansas Aggies in the opening game of the State Fair at Dallas, and displayed enough power to stamp themselves as title contenders. Most everyone is of the opinion that if the Aggies are able to whip the Toads in Fort Worth this Saturday, they'll be setting pretty to cop the 1929 grid title, regardless of what has been said in the past concerning Baylor's chances of getting it in a walk-away.

Baylor met a stronger team than they were used to in the St. Edwards Saints and were forced to be content with a measly 19-0 win. The Bears were playing under covers, but their line plays weren't so successful against the crippled Saints, and they had to revert to passes to win. Something tells us that the Bears are going to be licked once and maybe twice this fall.

Rice Last Victory
Rice probably won her last victory of the fall when she woke up long enough to whip the Southwest University Pirates 14-6, the first time in three years that the Owls have been successful in trouncing the Texas conference eleven. From here on out, the Owls clash with their conference members, and as yet have shown nothing that would cause any of the other six conference teams to consider them seriously.

S. M. U. took things easy in a 16-0 win over Austin College on Friday afternoon, showing nothing, but proving lots. The Ponies learned their lesson last fall and have refused to give anybody a chance to see just what they have in the way of individual stars. They have been rounding into shape slowly and intend to be in first class shape when their conference season opens. Only one hard game has appeared on the Pony card up to date, and that was with Nebraska, whom they battled to a scoreless tie.

T. C. U.-A. & M. In Limelight
This week-end will find two conference games, one with the T. C. U.-A. & M. game holding the spotlight. Texas' 27-0 win over the Porkers Saturday robbed the Arkansas-Baylor game of a great deal of the glamour which would have been attached to that game had the score of the Texas-Arkansas tilt been close.

The largest crowd will assemble in Dallas where Texas resumes grid relations with Oklahoma after a lapse of six years. Oklahoma proved by their 26-0 win over Creighton that they have power. In this win, they allowed the Creighton eleven only 26 yards from scrimmage, while they piled up 325 yards. Warren, a little 139-pound half-back, seems to be the Sooners' big noise.

The Ponies have another easy week-end when they take on the S. M. U. slimes on Friday, while the Owls will do nothing but loaf.

Daily Market Report

Dallas Cotton

The cotton market reflected a relatively steady trend during the first half of the session, there being less pressure; and the trade continues to buy, absorbing offerings in the form of hedges. A better Liverpool market than was due was an incentive restricting the short selling on the opening which came steady four to seven points higher, and after working back to within three to four points of the previous close, the market rallied and on noon calls the list was from two to nine points net higher.

Fort Worth Livestock

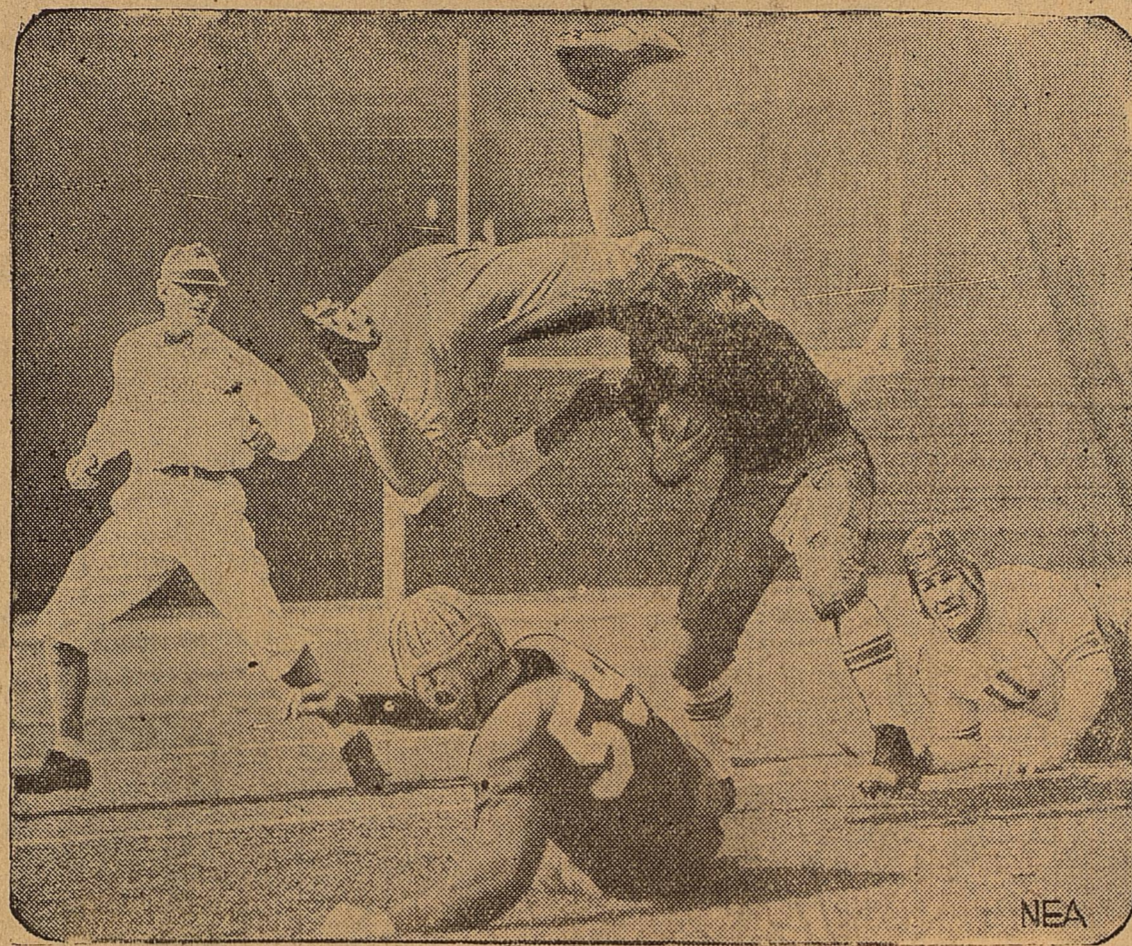
Hogs: receipts 1,000; truck hogs 25 to 40 lower, no early sales on rail hogs, truck top \$9.25.
Cattle: receipts 6,000, all classes about steady, quality common.

Sheep: receipts 3,500, only one deck of weathers and one deck of goats on the open market, goats \$3.75.

Versuvius was thought to be extinct until the time of its destructive eruption in 79 A. D.

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Up And Over Goes Cardinal Giant



After all, there's nothing like football game for real action and thrills. Fans who saw Pop Warner's 1929 eleven win from the Olympic Club team 6 to 0, witnessed a freak bit of tackling by Herb Fleishacker, giant Stanford halfback. The Cardinal husky made a desperate dive over the sprawling form of an interference runner to bring down Morton Kaer, former All-American halfback on the Olympic Club team after he had received a punt. A disgruntled Cardinal is shown on the ground at the right where the tricky Kaer eluded him.

GANGSTER'S WIFE GIVES TIPS ON CHICAGO MURDERS

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—(UP)—Startling stories of assassinations which the state attorney's office today said may prove an opening wedge in the solution of Chicago's major gangland murders, came from the disgruntled wife of a gunman who is held in jail.

Scarface Al Capone, mogul of the gangsters, was named as the assassin of Attorney William H. McSwiggan and two companions with machine guns in 1926.

CHICAGO UNIVERSITY ADDS COURSE IN STAGE COSTUMES

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—(UP)—For the first time in history an American university has on its curriculum a course in the making of stage costumes and settings.

This unusual course, through co-operation of Mrs. Minna Schmidt, Chicago costumer, will be available at Chicago University.

Mrs. Schmidt, costumer of note, will lecture to the classes twice weekly. A laboratory, equipped to turn out genuine costumes, already is under construction at an early date.

Application of makeup, including all uses of "grease paint" and colors will be available to the student.

A miniature stage, on which various settings for school plays will be made, also is under construction.

Lea County, N. M., Has 21 Producers

Lea County, N. M., has 21 producing oil wells, according to a partial survey published in the Lovington Leader, with nine producers in eastern Eddy County. The list of producers is as follows:

- Midwest No. 24 Leach; Humble Oil and Refining Co., Bowers No. 1, sec. 30-18-39; Humble Oil and Refining Co., Lindley No. 1, 23-25-36; Midwest Oil and Refining Co., Capps No. 1, sec. 319-38; Midwest Oil and Refining Co., State No. 1, sec. 9-19-38; Walker Oil Corp., Terry Moberly No. 1, sec. 18-17-31; Texas Oil No. 1, sec. 10-19-38; Texas Co., Moberly No. 1, sec. 17-26-37; Texas Production Co., Shepard No. 1, sec. 6-27-37; Texas Production Co., Cagle No. 1, sec. 19-26-37; Maryland Oil Co., Slattery No. 1, sec. 7-22-34; Texas Production Co., Lynch No. 1, sec. 34-20-34; Henderson, Dexter and Blair, Empire, sec. 18-20-34; Cranfill and Reynolds No. 1, sec. 2-21-33; Infield, sec. 4-17-34; Vacuum Oil Co., sec. 13-14, twp. 17-34; Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Mitchell No. 1, sec. 21-17-32; Maljamar Oil and Gas Corp., Beasley No. 1, section 5-17-32; Maljamar O. & G. Corp., State No. 1, sec. 16-17-32; Maljamar O. & G. Corp., Balsh No. 1, sec. 21-17-32.

The Eddy county wells which have either been completed as oil or gas wells include: F. W. & Y. Oil Co., Gisser No. 1, sec. 12-17-30; F. W. & Y. Oil Co., Jackson No. 1, sec. 13-17-30; Prairie Oil Co., Keel No. 1, sec. 7-17-31; Pueblo Oil Co., Russell No. 1, sec. 18-17-31; Pueblo Oil Co., Lee No. 1, sec. 34-17-29; Grayburg Oil Co., 19-17-30; Skelly Oil Co., Lynch No. 1, sec. 22-17-31; Texas Production Co., Robinson No. 1, sec. 25-16-21; Woolley Jones, sec. 33-17-30.

Not until 20 years after the civil war was there a bank or express office in all rural tidewater Virginia.

SPEAKING OF SPORT

By GEORGE KIRKSEY
United Press Sports Editor

The Annual Shake-Up
The annual shake-up of major league managers is now in progress.

Half a dozen managers who started the 1928 season either have quit or have been fired. This list includes Donie Bush, Pirates; Bill McKechnie, Cardinals; Jack Hendricks, Reds; Judge Emil Fuchs, Braves; Lena Blackburne, White Sox and Dan Howley, Browns.

A seventh, Miller Huggins, was cut down by death late in September.

It didn't take Bush and McKechnie long to get new jobs. Bush signed a two year contract to manage the Chicago White Sox. McKechnie signed a four-year contract to manage the Braves.

Jewell Ens, who replaced Bush when the latter resigned in September, has been signed to manage the Pirates next season. Ens has been a coach at Pittsburgh for several seasons.

Bill Killifer, former manager of the Chicago Cubs (1921-1925), has signed a three-years contract to manage the St. Louis Browns. Killifer has served three years as coach under Howley.

Three Jobs Open
The Yankees, Reds and Cardinals are looking for new managers.

Half a dozen men have been mentioned as Huggins' successor. Among them are Eddie Collins, Athletics' coach, Babe Ruth, Art Fletcher, Yankee coach, Bob Connery, president of St. Paul American Association club, and Dan Howley.

Howley also is said to be under consideration as manager of the Reds. Clarence (Pants) Rowland, former manager of the White Sox who managed Nashville Southern League club last season, is another mentioned for the Cincinnati post.

The Cardinals have had five managers in the past four years. Sam Breadon can't seem to keep a good man.

Frankie Frisch, second baseman and a mighty fine prospect for a manager's job, may get the Cardinals' assignment.

Mack and McGraw
Year in and year out, John J.

Indians—Roger Peckinpaugh.
Browns—Bill Killifer.
Senators—Walter Johnson.
Tigers—Bucky Harris.
White Sox—Donie Bush.
Red Sox—Bill Carrigan.

REVIVES DRAW FOR HER ROLE IN DIXIE FILM

The Southern accent which she packed away in vocal moth balls a few years ago, was brought out for an airing recently by Mary Brian, dark-eyed screen actress.

Miss Brian, heroine of many a romantic part in the screen drama, plays the role of "Lucy" in the "Buddy" Rogers starring picture, "River of Romance" which comes to the Ritz Theatre for a two day run beginning Sunday.

Director Wallace specified that all in the cast must have Southern accent to further the realism of the spoken dialog in the picture, which is all-talking.

Miss Brian was born in Corsicana, Texas. In the four years that she has forged ahead in pictures, achieving the front rank as a Paramount featured player, her Dixie drawl has become almost imperceptible. But when the first "shots" of "River of Romance" were made, it was clear to all on the set that Miss Brian had had no difficulty in resurrecting her lolling, limpid lingo, suh.

A splendid array of talent has been cast in support of Rogers. The players include Henry B. Walthall, veteran of the stage and the screen since "Birth of a Nation" days; Wallace Beery, burly good-bad-man of the films, Mrs. Geo. Fawcett, June Collyer, Walter McGrail, Natalie Kingston, Anderson Lawler, George Reed and Fred Kohler.

In one year, a single oyster can produce 1,000,000,000 new ones.

A thrush can sing for 16 hours at a time, according to a British naturalist.

The average distance covered by an air mail letter is 1,400 miles.

EX-FOOTBALL STAR, NOW 37, TRAINS WITH WISCONSIN UNIVERSITY TEAM

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 16.—(UP)—Wisconsin University has an All-American player on its squad this season although the 1929 All-American squad has not yet been chosen. He is John Rasmussen, 37-year-old college senior.

The Badger player is a veteran of ten year's grid experience. His football days date back to 1912 when he started carrying the pig-skin as an end for the Oshkosh, Wis., high school. Four years on this squad prepared the player for collegiate grid work.

In 1915 Rasmussen entered the University of Nebraska and played a season as end for the Cornhuskers aggregation. He then transferred to Wisconsin and in 1917 joined the A. E. F. as a member of the engineering corps of the U. S. Army where he continued to play football.

In 1918 when the World War placed a temporary ban on college football, Rasmussen was chosen as end on Walter Camp's All-American eleven which was composed of college men with the colors.

Rasmussen kept up his football work while a member of the A. E. F. team on which Paddy Driscoll, famous professional player, also played. He returned from the war in 1919 to enter business at Oshkosh.

After ten years of business, Rasmussen decided to re-enter college and enrolled at the University of Wisconsin last year. He studied collegiate football from the post-war angle but remained in seclusion until this fall when Glen Thislethwaite, Badger football coach, promised him a berth if he could return to form.

Rasmussen turned out for scrimmage and received a broken shoulder and a weak ankle but is working like a veritable tiger to earn an end position on the Badger squad.

Many football fans in Wisconsin who have bemoaned the fact that Badgers have been unplaced on Camp's mythical elevens, can now console themselves that an All-American is now working out for the Wisconsin university.

Errorgrams

(1) In the man's conversation, bride is spelled incorrectly. (2) There are two reins on the far side of the horse's bit and but one on the near side. (3) It is not customary to mount a horse from the right side. (4) Spavin is an ailment in the hock of a horse's leg, not its shoulder. (5) The scrambled word is ADVENTURE.

The American girl is a picture quite frequently hand-painted.

Quite a few students nowadays are quite good on figures, if you include co-eds.

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