

Weather Forecast

Cloudy, unsettled and colder weather forecast for West Texas tonight. Saturday warmer.

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Local Temperature

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COURTHOUSE TO BE SOLD MONDAY

Heavy Civil Docket for Next Week's District Court

Stinnett Bank Robbed of \$6,000 by Two Unmasked Men

Events

That Dallas Tragedy A Midland Guaranty Hospital vs. Patient Lingerie and Men

By R. C. Hankins

Were those five women in Dallas Thursday murdered or killed. Dallas county authorities twice have discussed the construction of an underpass at the spot where the tragedy occurred, but it seemed impracticable because the ground was so high by the track. An overpass also would have been impractical because of the high clearance necessary for such a structure, it was reported.

The route is a much traveled artery. In possibility, at least, there was always the chance of tragedy. There always is when the human element is considered in a place offering such hazard.

To have overcome a physical difficulty like that presented by the ground slope at the crossing would not have constituted an engineering feat. It probably would not have cost such a staggering amount of money. There may be expenditures following the accident which will dwarf those which might have been made.

It is good to know that Midland has realized the ever-present danger of exposed crossings and has taken steps to build a proposed underpass or over-pass at an important intersection here. There is no place in any town or community for tragedies of the kind which Thursday occurred in Dallas.

An El Paso child died, probably because it was not admitted promptly to a hospital. The child had diphtheria and the hospital and one other refused to admit the child because there was no contagion ward.

That sort of thing incites curiosity among the public. For what is a hospital built? And how many persons want to take chances on being admitted to a hospital when they are in the throes of a disease? Hospital attaches were not blamed in the above mentioned case, the physician in attendance said, because of danger to other patients. But why should a hospital be given the classification of hospital if it does not amply provide for illness? There's quite a bit being read at the present about liquor indictments. It seems that the traffic in spirits is not confined to widely scattered rings, but is found in the center of government, at Washington itself.

And now they have indicted Congressman Edward Denison, one who voted for the 18th amendment and the Jones law. The congressman expressed himself as being surprised at the indictment. Writers in the cosmopolitan press would have been surprised if he had failed to express surprise.

Apostles of the cynical "There's a woman for you" school of philosophy point out the absurdity in the fact that French lingerie is growing thinner as cold days arrive. It is a fact, upon reputable authority. You didn't know it could be made thinner? It is a fact, and it is not women who are doing the designing. For once, the ingenuity of the weaker sex gives way to man. Do you remember what Huxley said of "women of both sexes"?

WATSON HURT IN FALL

C. C. Watson, former Midland editor and well-known throughout the state, is suffering today from the effects of a fall yesterday, dislocating a shoulder which was broken last summer.

CASHIER LOCKED IN VAULT

Sheriff And Deputy Away During Holdup

STINNETT, Tex., Nov. 22.—(P)—The First State bank of this place was held up by two men today and robbed of approximately \$6,000.

The robbery occurred while Sheriff Moore and Deputy Sheriff Burton were away.

The men entered the bank shortly after Leo Franks, assistant cashier, opened the place for business this morning.

One of the robbers stood guard at the door while the other forced Franks into the vault and then scooped up all the money in sight.

Officers and citizens are combing the country today for a trace of the men, but are badly handicapped due to the meager descriptions they have of them.

NONE OF WRECK VICTIMS ARE SERIOUSLY HURT

The victims of an automobile accident which happened yesterday on the east highway about six miles from town are resting better today, according to reports from the Thomas hospital, where the patients were taken.

Mrs. T. C. Mullen, Tulsa, Oklahoma, sustained the worst injury, having a fractured jawbone. Mr. Mullen, her husband, has a scalp wound, as does Mrs. W. H. Bickers of Arlington.

Others who were somewhat bruised were Mrs. B. A. McKeldain of Arlington, mother of Mrs. Bickers, and S. D. Yandell, of Boswell, Oklahoma, who was discharged from the hospital this morning.

The other occupant of the car, a baby belonging to Mrs. Bickers, was unharmed.

Midland Operator Buys Ward Acreage

Half of the 80 acres in the southwest quarter of section 26, block 28, H. & T. C. survey, Ward County, was sold this week by Lee C. Harrison, Midland operator, to the F. H. E. Oil Company of Sherman. The amount involved was kept private. A well down 2,800 feet is shut down pending the taking over of drilling by F. H. E. Formations in this well are running 105 feet higher than the Shipley producers.

Directors Inspect Grissom-Robertson

The local Grissom-Robertson Store was visited this morning by several stockholders and directors of the Sunset Stores, of which the Grissom-Robertson chain is a subsidiary.

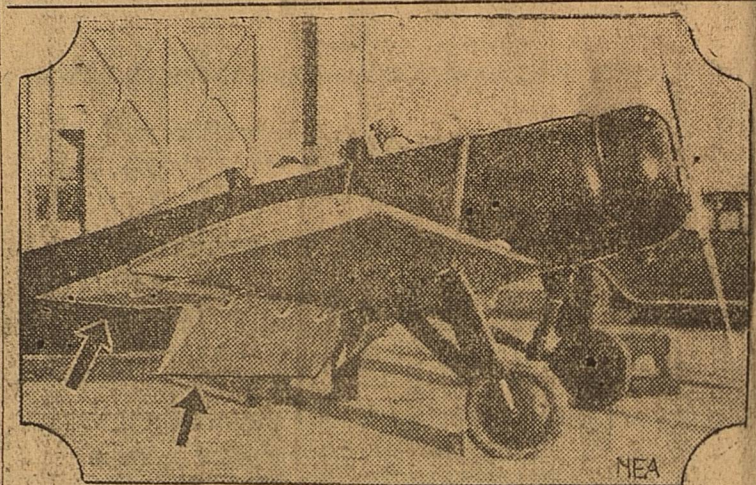
Chester L. Jones, financially interested in the Sanger stores, A. H. Kauffman of St. Louis, a director of Grissom-Robertson, Murray McConnell of New York City, director, and Ed Robertson, president, composed the group that spent the night here and made the inspection.

The directors expressed satisfaction of the Midland store, saying it is one of the best looking establishments they have visited.

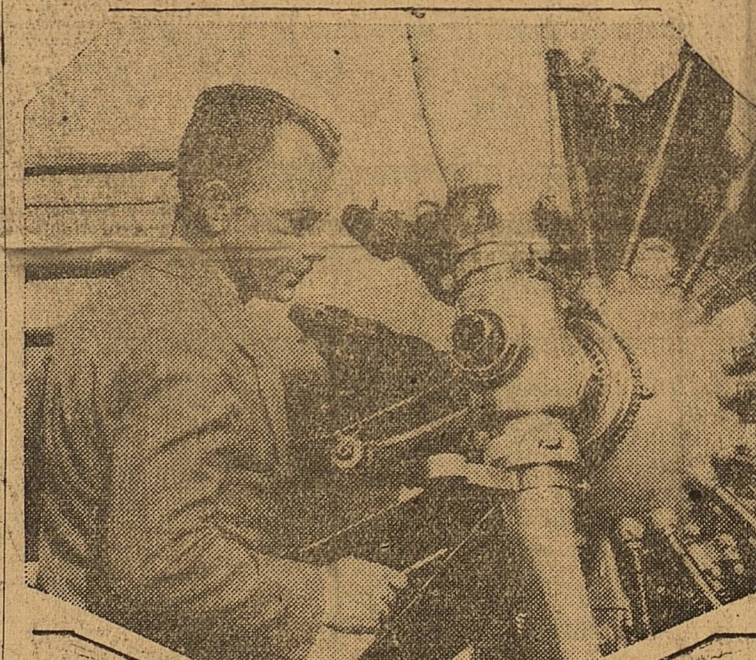
Gas Fumes Kill Texas Salesman

PAMPA, Tex., Nov. 22.—(P)—J. H. Baker, 35, Bonham, Texas, salesman, was found dead in his hotel room here last night. Fumes from a burning gas stove are believed to have caused his death.

The Newest In Planes



IT DOES ALMOST EVERYTHING BUT FLOAT—Here's the unique plane which J. S. McDonnell, Jr., of Milwaukee, inventor, hopes to win first place and \$100,000 in the Guggenheim Foundation's safe aircraft competition at Mitchell Field, New York. Largely because of the wing slots (indicated by the arrows) it climbs sharply into the air after a short run, flies almost as slow as a blimp and lands almost vertically, stopping within 20 feet.



REVERSIBLE PROPELLER ACTS AS BRAKE—And now they have airplanes with reversible propellers, enabling the pilot to "apply the brakes" when landing, or even taxi backward on the ground. Here's a novel design that A. K. McLeod, above, exhibited at the Western Aircraft Exposition at Los Angeles. The pilot can change the pitch of the propeller blades by the chain drive shown in the picture, to accelerate or decrease speed and also to aid in many stunt flying maneuvers.

BRADY TRIAL SET TODAY FOR JANUARY 20

AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—(P)—The trial of John Brady, former civil appeals court judge, on a charge of murder as the result of the fatal stabbing of Miss Lehlia Highsmith, here, was set today for January 20. The stabbing occurred November 9.

Brady has been in jail since he was charged with the crime. His attorneys expect to seek his release on a writ of habeas corpus.

Former Premier Turns For Worse

PARIS, Nov. 22.—(UP)—Georges Clemenceau, wartime premier, took a critical turn for the worse shortly before noon today after a night of extreme suffering. He began to lose consciousness in the forenoon and was unable to speak to physicians about his condition.

Snook Denied New Trial; Dies Soon

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 22.—(P)—Dr. James Snook, convicted of having murdered Miss Theora Hix, was denied a new trial today by the district court of appeals. Snook, sentenced to be electrocuted November 29, expected to carry the case to the state supreme court.

WOMAN TO TRIAL IN DECEMBER

Leah Bailey To Face Charge Of Murder In 2 Weeks

A heavy week of civil cases is scheduled, beginning Monday in district court, it was learned at the courthouse this afternoon.

Car theft, forgeries and the like made up the preponderance of the docket.

The case of Leah Bailey, charged with the murder of Dan Horn, March 25, 1928, in Ward county, is the next criminal case set. It comes up Dec. 4, it was learned.

The case against T. Swails for theft was dismissed Thursday on motion of District Attorney W. R. Smith.

The grand jury was in session all morning and it is expected that a large number of indictments will be returned.

MIDLAND'S HELP IN NAVAL ROW APPRECIATED

Midland aeronautical officials are finding appreciation for their work in trying to influence designation of San Diego as the proposed Naval base for dirigibles.

Letters are received each day from airways and government officials relative to the matter. The Camp Kearny site, just 13 miles from San Diego, is maintained in each letter and press release to be the most logical location for such a base.

Midland finds chief advantage in such a designation an eventual transcontinental plying of the long cigar-like craft over the Southern Transcontinental route for aircraft, which, it is thought, would bring the bags over Midland.

Climatic conditions, utilities, buildings, the soil, labor, personnel and other factors contribute to the logical designation of San Diego for that naval dirigible base, press releases say. One of these says, in part, as follows:

The climatic conditions at Camp Kearny, San Diego, California, have been declared by Naval officials and by such dirigible experts as Dr. Karl Archstein and Roy Knabenshue, to be superior to those of any other site in the country.

These favorable weather conditions brought about the establishment of one of the Army's largest cantonments at Camp Kearny during the War.

Camp Kearny has less fog, lower wind velocities, lower humidity, more clear days, less variation of temperature, and less rainfall than the Northern California site.

Camp Kearny is only 13 miles from San Diego. It is reached by paved concrete highways. Bus and train service to the site are now operating.

The utilities already installed at the site include gas mains, electric power lines, telegraph and telephone lines, and a complete sewer system for 50,000 persons. Plenty of good water is available. The soil at the site is of the hard-pan type which offers excellent foundation for heavy buildings, and which maintains a hard surface even after rains, making an ideal aviation field.

Buildings formerly used as a Veterans Hospital are adjacent to the site, and are available for use as quarters of the construction crews and others. Complete housing facilities for about 2,000 people are thus already available at the site.

A plentiful supply of labor of all types is immediately available at San Diego. This statement is based (Continued on Page 6)

These Men In Public Eye



Representative Edward E. Denison of Illinois, who was indicted by the District of Columbia grand jury on a charge of violating the Volstead act. The congressman's secretary, John Layne, was also indicted.



Patrick J. Hurley of Tulsa, Okla., who is conceded best chance to succeed the late Secretary of War Good. Mr. Hurley, who is assistant Secretary of War, has already taken over the heavy burdens of the War.

MOODY TO SEND INVESTIGATOR TO EASTLAND

AUSTIN, Nov. 22.—(UP)—Gov. Dan Moody announced that he will throw the force and moral support of the state in an effort to punish the mob members of the Ratliff lynching party. He indicated that the attorney general will be asked to send an assistant to Eastland for an investigation.

JURORS CONVENE AGAIN

EASTLAND, Nov. 22.—(UP)—The grand jury convened here this morning in a special session to probe the recent Ratliff lynching. The jurors adjourned Thursday to attend the funeral of Tom Jones, deputy who was killed when Ratliff attempted to shoot his way to freedom from the Eastland county jail last Monday night.

Seventy-five persons have been summoned to appear before the grand jury.

TEXAS COTTON GROWERS GET MONEY LOAN

DALLAS, Nov. 22.—(P)—Cotton growers are richer in cash by \$300,000 today as the first installment of money was advanced to them by the federal farm board through the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton association.

Placing the check's in Thursday's mail, General Manager Harry Williams of the bureau said that additional amounts would be sent out daily as rapidly as the cotton is received for seasonal polling and its loan basis determined.

COLD WAVE HITS STATE

DALLAS, Nov. 22.—(UP)—Texas is in the grip of the coldest weather of the season today, with the mercury hovering around freezing. All sections of the state, except the lower Rio Grande valley, received a snowfall.

DECEMBER RAZING OF STRUCTURE

New Building's Start Scheduled For The First Of Year

First steps in the erection of a new court house for Midland county will be taken Monday with sale to the highest bidder of the present courthouse.

"Sealed bids will be accepted," County Judge M. R. Hill said today. "The highest bidder gets the building, no matter how low his price—if it be only a dollar."

The judge pointed out the value to a potential builder in acquiring stone and other masonry in the building at a low figure.

Razing of the present building will begin immediately upon adjournment of the December term of court, probably about December 10.

Sale of the building has been advertised for approximately one month.

Bonds for the new courthouse will be sold during the early part of December. The erection of the new building will begin approximately one month afterward. Plans for the structure have not been completed in every detail. Contract for the building will be let the latter part of December.

The building, which will cost \$295,000, was planned by Voelcker & Dixon, architects, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Terracing School Held Here Saturday

Terracing demonstrations Saturday, as announced for two weeks by County Agent Frank Wendt, will be held on the O. N. Tyner farm, just north of country club.

Instructions in the use of the farm level, and other practical demonstrations of the process of terracing, even to laying out, will be given.

The demonstrations are to begin at 9 o'clock in the morning. All farmers, business men and interested persons are invited to be present. Well known men with the extension department of Texas A. & M. college will be present to assist in the work.

High School Band Shows New Uniforms

Much attention was attracted on the streets this afternoon when the Midland High School band paraded the streets in their new uniforms. Citizens and business houses of Midland donated the money for the purchase of the suits.

Several numbers were played in town by the band.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



Most girls learn popularity by male.

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THE LAW'S DELAYS DIDN'T HELP HIM

Sometimes our complicated machinery, through which a convicted man can petition for a new trial because of minor errors at his first trial, enables a scoundrel to escape punishment. But sometimes it works the other way. The other day the state of Texas executed a man for murder.

This man was arrested some years ago. Brought to trial for murder, he was convicted only of manslaughter and sentenced to four years in prison. He appealed and his lawyer won a new trial for him. This time he was convicted of second degree murder and sentenced to prison for life.

Again he appealed, and again he was granted a new trial. And in the third trial he was convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to the electric chair. His further appeals failed, and he finally was electrocuted.

It doesn't work out that way often. But in this one case at least, the chap would have been wise to let well enough alone.

A NEW ALIGNMENT

It is whispered about Washington that the next presidential campaign year may see an entire new ticket in the field—a ticket drawing its support from the groups represented in the present Senate by the western-southern combination that is so sadly wrecking the administration's tariff program.

Whether this will ever come to pass, of course, is something that no man in his senses would try to say, definitely, right now. But it might prove a move in the right direction.

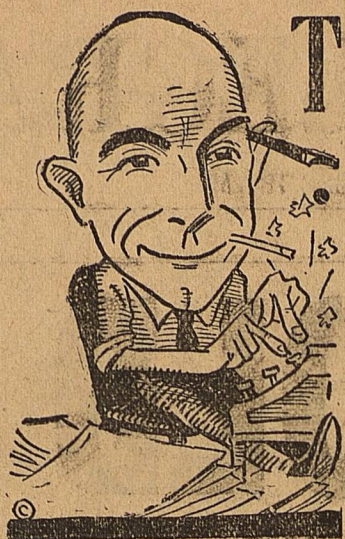
The one great criticism of American politics lately has been that there is little basic difference between the two major parties. Any development that would bring a more clear-cut differentiation would be a thing to be welcomed. Some of the western Republicans are, at present, infinitely farther removed from the administration viewpoint than some eastern Democrats.

A BOON TO AVIATION

The "automatic pilot" which recently proved its worth in a test flight from Dayton, O., to Washington may develop into one of aviation's most important inventions, says Midland's field manager.

This device holds a plane on its course and keeps it at the proper elevation without any attention from the pilot. Its possibilities for usefulness can easily be imagined. They can hardly be exaggerated.

If a pilot can go aloft and make it mechanically certain that his plane will fly along the exact course that he wishes, and stay at the exact height above the earth that he wishes, half of his worries are over. Elmer Sperry, inventor of the device, has done aviation a great service.



The Town Quack

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

Now the idea of a waffle having "it." The fact of the business is that he had it.

I had supper with the advertising man of a certain daily newspaper not so long ago. It was a waffle supper, and I am here to proclaim that the waffles were not imitations or anything like that. They were real. The advertising man and I ran a race to see which one could eat more. The actual count showed: Him—2 and 1 half. Me—4 and 3 quarters.

That fellow contends yet that I ate only a quarter more than he did. But he lost count fooling around with the waffles while I was eating.

His wife would take a steaming, delicious "woofie" from their new iron and he would name it. "This one is Clara Bow, it's got it," he would say.

I claim that I am the champion waffle eater of that little portion of the earth covered by North and South America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia. He can lay claim to championship of the Sandwich Islands.

If you have never seen Bezo, you are missing the treat of your life.

Bezo is just a common, senseless dog that shows a fair degree of intelligence when a piece of raw meat is placed in his "pan" and he is told to eat it.

Well, he eats; and his owners look at each other with the greatest of satisfaction. "Ain't he smart."

About the smartest thing I ever saw him do was to go lie down after he chewed on my gloves and shoe strings during a domino game once.

Letters to the Editor

THE TERRACING SCHOOL
Midland, Texas
Nov. 19, 1929.

Dear Sir: Beginning at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, Nov. 23, a terracing demonstration will be conducted on O. N. Tyner's farm just north of Midland on the Country club road.

Mr. Bentley, agricultural engineer for the extension service will have charge of the meeting. A. K. (Dad) Short, Soil Conservation Agent for the Federal Land Bank of Houston, will also take a leading part in the meeting. These men will be assisted by men from adjoining counties.

Terraces will be laid off and completely built. Different types of terracing machinery will be demonstrated. Instructions in using the farm level will be given. Figures on soil and moisture saving in other parts of the state will be given.

All farmers and business men of Midland County are urged to attend the meeting. If you are not a believer in terracing we especially urge you to be present. Please tell your readers.

Yours truly,
Frank Wedt,
County Agent.

CONCERNING DIRIGIBLE BASE
The Editor,
"Midland Telegram",
Midland, Texas.

Dear Sir: You are, no doubt, aware that the selection of a Naval dirigible base site on the Pacific Coast has developed into a political fight as a result of the recommendation of 2 sites by the Special Naval Board. We are reliably informed that this Special Naval Board has rendered a report to the Secretary of the Navy, recommending a site at Sunnyside on the peninsula South of San Francisco as well as the site at Camp Kearny at San Diego.

Due to the fact that the Naval General Board has been on record since December, 1920, as being unanimously in favor of the Camp Kearny site, and due to the fact that the original instructions to the

Special Naval Committee were that they confine their investigations to the San Diego-Los Angeles area, we are convinced that political pressure and not the best interests of national defense brought about the consideration of sites other than Camp Kearny.

The Camp Kearny site, located 14 miles from San Diego, on a broad flat plain, consists of 1,000 acres offered to the Navy gratis by the City of San Diego and an additional equal acreage now held under option by the City and to be transferred to the Navy on request. This site is already equipped with adequate sewerage, gas mains, electricity, railroad, paved highways, telephone and telegraph. In addition, there are sufficient buildings on the site to house 2,000 people. Those buildings were used for several years as a Veterans Hospital.

Camp Kearny was chosen as the cantonment site for the 40th Division of the Army during the War. It has been consistently declared by Naval officers and Congressional Committees to be the ideal dirigible base site.

Los Angeles and all of Southern California are united in their insistence that the Camp Kearny site be chosen for the first West Coast dirigible base. Equally gratifying support for the San Diego site is being given by chambers of commerce in the various Southern states and by the Congressmen from these Southern states.

The establishment of this dirigible base at San Diego has a direct bearing on the Southern Air Mail Route to be established from San Diego to Washington via Imperial Valley, Phoenix, El Paso, Fort Worth, Dallas, Jackson, Birmingham and Atlanta.

The fact that Commander Lansdowne of the Shenandoah and Dr. Eckener of the Graf Zeppelin found the safest passage eastward to be over Camp Kearny and San Diego is an added argument in favor of the establishment of the base at Camp Kearny.

Very truly yours,
Thomas F. Bomar, Mgr.,
Aviation Department.

WASHINGTON LETTER

By RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—American newspapers and courts have been clashing lately with more than ordinary frequency. There is no expert testimony available as to whether this is due to a greater yearning among editors for fuller freedom of the press or an increasing tendency among judges and prosecutors to adopt an all-powerful attitude and keep the newspapers "in their place."

The national capitol has been the scene of one of the most sensational conflicts between courts and press this year. Three young reporters for The Washington Times are serving 45 days in jail for refusing to become prosecuting witnesses against bootleggers and speakeasy proprietors whom they had met during their work on the newspapers' expose of the witness of Washington. Their city editor had turned over evidence to the grand jury, giving names and the addresses of speak-easies.

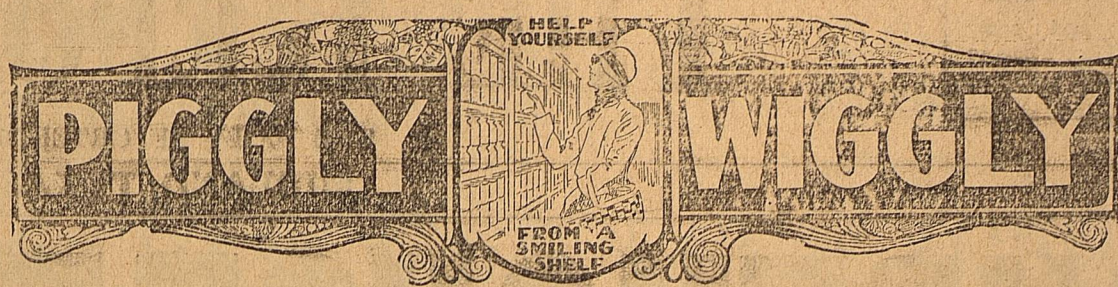
There is no law here granting newspapermen professional immunity, but the three reporters argued that their information had been gathered confidentially for their newspaper, in rendering a public service and that the

grand jury had been given enough evidence to conduct an inquiry of its own. They were sentenced by Justice Peyton Gordon. Most of the other Washington newspapermen are envying them because their salaries have been doubled for the period of their incarceration and their employer has promised each a \$1000 bonus, a gold watch and a public reception when they get out.

This case has attracted almost as much national attention as the incident wherein Paul R. Mallon of the United Press gave the secret roll call of an executive session of the Senate and refused to divulge the source of his information. After some talk about punishing Mallon for contempt, the Senate voted that in the future secret roll calls might be abolished in separate instances by majority vote. In both this case and that of the Washington Times reporters, newspapermen over the country joined in unholding the right of reporters to preserve confidential information.

Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, a newspaper publisher himself, has promised to promote a bill providing that no newspaperman shall be compelled in the District of Columbia to divulge the

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Our Big Fat Reindeer from Alaska will be displayed in our window Monday and Tuesday.

LEAVE YOUR ORDER EARLY FOR CHOICE CUTS

No Higher Than Choice Cuts of Baby Beef

Apples Extra Fancy Wine Saps—Size 113 \$2.98
Buy This For Xmas at this low price
Bushel

Lettuce Large Fancy Ice Berg Each 5c Celery LARGE BLEACHED STALK 19c

COCOANUT DROMEDARY Shredded, 17c value—2 for 25c EGGS GUAR. FRESH DOZEN 45c

Oranges NICE SIZE FULL OF JUICE DOZEN 25c Potatoes —SWEET—YELLOW YAM: BUSHEL \$1.69

Lard SWIFT JEWEL 8 POUNDS \$1.19 Butter Creamery All Kinds Pound 48c

Beans STRINGLESS CUT, 16c value, 2 cans 25c Pickles SOUR QUART JAR EACH 29c

Soap LUX TOILET 3 BARS 23c Coffee SCHILLINGS 2 POUND 98c

SALMON REAL PINK TAIL CAN 16c OATS QUAKER SMALL QUICK EACH 9c

Toilet Paper Bleach 12 1/2 c val 3 rolls 25c All Bran Kellogg's for Health's Sake EACH 9c

Soap WHITE NAPHTHA NONE BETTER 10 BARS 39c Mops YOUR CHOICE Linen or Cotton Each 39c

MILK BORDEN'S EAGLE BRAND— 19c MILK BORDEN'S MADE IN TEXAS LARGE SIZE 10c

COFFEE MAXWELL HOUSE Good to the Last Drop 3 POUND CAN \$1.33

Beef POT SHOULDER ROAST, FAT AND TENDER POUND 19c Hams PEYTON'S Chesterfield 1/2 or Whole 26c

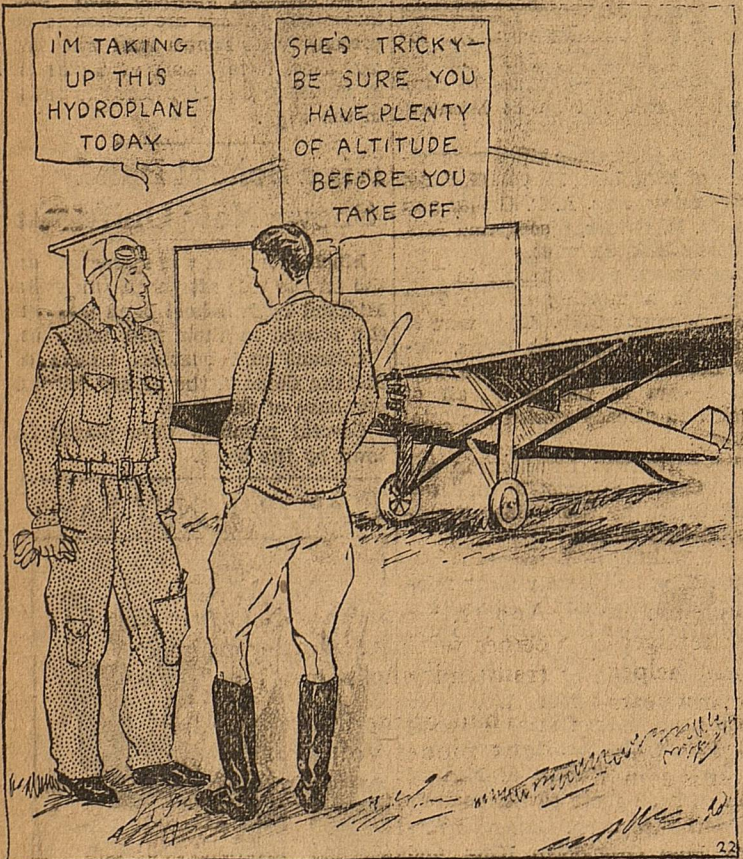
NUT OLEO The Better Butter Substitute POUND 19c CHEESE YELLOW, FULL CREAM POUND 29c

OYSTERS FRESH FROM THE COAST PINT 45c BACON BUFFALO SUGAR CURED OR WHOLE SLAB 25c

BACON SLICED RHINE OFF POUND 29c HENS HOME KILLED AND FAT POUND 33c

WEINERS FRESH AND FINE POUND 25c CHILI HOME MADE AND FINE POUND 30c

ERRORGRAMS



Try to Scramble 'em

MTAILED

One of the common ways of taking-off.

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. Today, on page 5, we'll explain the mistakes and tell you the word. Then you can see how near a hundred you are, by switching the letters around.

Telephone Your Parties to Society Desk

WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Mrs. Klapproth Hostess To Delphians

The Mid Alpha Delphian chapter met with Mrs. Charles Klapproth Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. A preliminary survey of the study was given by Mrs. George Ratliff. Well constructed topics were given as follows: Decline of Roman Drama—Mrs. E. W. Cowden. Growth of Liturgical Plays—Mrs. S. B. Cragin. Mysteries and Miracle Plays—Mrs. John Edwards. Moralities; Interludes—Mrs. W. A. Hyatt. Folk Drama; Early Italian Drama—Mrs. Charles Klapproth. The commedia dell'arte—Mrs. H. B. Dunagan. The next meeting of this organization will be with Mrs. Walter Cowden on December 5.

Thanksgiving Party For 1928 Bridge Club

The Thanksgiving spirit seems to hold sway in all the social functions held these cold days, which are indeed suggestive of that season. The 1928 Bridge Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. J. L. Crump Thursday afternoon, which was beautifully dressed in orchid and yellow. Cut flowers aided in the decorations and the Thanksgiving motif was carried out in tallies, score pads and nut cups. Lovely prizes of hand painted porcelain plaques were awarded to Mrs. J. D. Young, club member holding high score and Mrs. E. C. Allen of Plalno, guest having high score, and a book was given to Mrs. Frank Elkin for high cut. After the games, each table was centered with a graceful lighted taper, and the guests were served a salad plate with trimmings and food suggestive of Thanksgiving. Those present were Mmes. J. M. Caldwell, Frank Elkin, E. C. Allen, Wm. Simpson, E. G. Bedford, F. E. Cragin, B. H. Blakeney, Clarence Scharbauer, J. D. Young, John Shipley, Harvey Sloan, and Miss Fannie Bess Taylor.

Martha Fidelis Class To Hold Contest

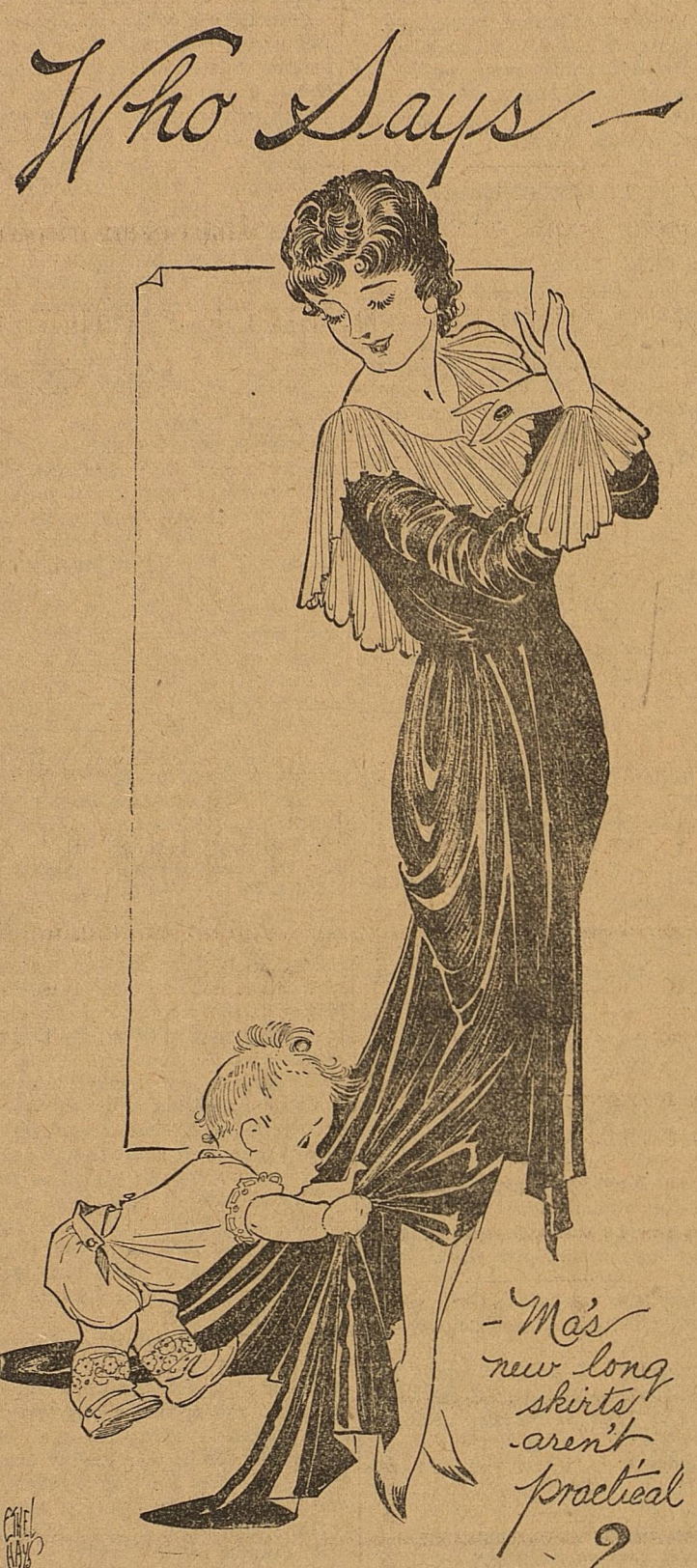
The Martha Fidelis Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, was entertained Thursday afternoon with a social, in the home of Mrs. C. George, on 702 West Louisiana Street, with Mrs. Ed Darnell as co-hostess. A short business session was held, during which the minutes were read, and it was voted that the next meeting of the class would be a "100 social." Each member is to bring one dollar which will go towards making up a fund with which to take care of the needs of one poor family for Christmas. A third vice president was voted on, and Mrs. C. C. Hiett was selected for this position. The class is to be divided into two groups, captains of which were chosen at this meeting. Mrs. D. M. Ellis is captain of Group One and Mrs. C. G. Stanley of Group Two. These two groups will conduct a membership contest, and a report is to be turned in each Sunday morning. One of the chief fun-makers in the social hour of the afternoon was a novel advertising contest, in which Mrs. D. M. Ellis was winner. A tasty party plate consisting of pimento cheese sandwiches, potato chips, olives and hot chocolate was served to Mmes. J. C. Hudman, Osborne, C. F. Garrison, C. G. Stanley, D. M. Ellis, W. E. Anderson, Harold Becherer, C. B. Ligon, C. C. Hiett, Claude White, James Hiett, H. M. Hiett, George Hailom, Ed Darnell, Duard E. Scott, and the hostesses, Mrs. C. George and Mrs. Ed Darnell.

Bridge Meet Of Country Club

The members of the Country Club met for informal bridge in the club-rooms Thursday evening at 7:30. Enough persons were present to make up seven tables. The women seemed to be the real players of the evening, Mrs. Elliott Cowden taking prize for high score, a lovely wall hanging; Mrs. Donald Hatt, second high receiving a service plate, and Mrs. J. V. Stokes, Jr., third high, given a Fostoria vase. Homer W. Rowe was fourth high and received bath towels.

NOTICE

The American Cafe has been sold by me to Mrs. Charlesworth and Mrs. Coshkey, who are highly recommended to me to be competent cafe operators. I bespeak for the new owners the same good will and support that was always accorded to me, while I operated this cafe. Paul L. Young.



Thursday Club With Mrs. Hazeltime

Mrs. Jack Hazeltime was hostess to the Thursday Club yesterday afternoon in her home on 302 South L Street. In the bridge games, Mrs. O. C. Harper won high score prize and Mrs. A. P. Loskamp the cut prize. Club members present were Mmes. R. J. Jackson, W. A. Yeager, H. E. Munson, A. L. Ackers, O. C. Harper, R. J. Moore, E. V. Edmondson, J. A. Finlayson and George Abell. Guests were Mmes. A. P. Loskamp, W. E. Thompson, H. M. Bayler and W. T. Hoey.

New Library Books

Brown, H. C. "Grandmother Brown's Hundred Years, 1827-1927." The Atlantic \$5.000 prize biography. A dear old lady and a very intelligent one talks informally of her long life. Among her friends were many who remembered the Revolution. Galsworthy, John. "A Modern Comedy." This contains The Silver Spoon, The White Monkey, and Swan Song. Also two short interludes, Passers by and A Silent Wooing. Altogether it forms a saga of the younger Forsytes. Glaspell, Susan. "Fugitive's Return." The Fugitive is a fugitive from life. Believing himself defeated by life, she resolves to leave it, but life has other plans, and will not let her go. And at length she comes to know the beauty and value of it. Hemingway, Ernest. "A Farewell to Arms." A novel of love and war. A novel of love in war. Maurois, Andre. "Atmosphere of Love." The author of Disraeli and Ariel here gives us a novel pure and simple and one of great charm and originality. Tarkington, Booth. "Penrod Jashber." Penrod is an amateur detective. Sam, Duke, Herman and Verman are all here. Also Marjorie. America's most popular boy since Tom Sawyer. And perhaps Tom Bailey.

Librarian Announces Close Of Story Hour

The story hour, which has been conducted with the greatest of success at the Midland County Library, will be discontinued until after Christmas, according to Miss Emily Smith, librarian. Many little children attend these story telling hours, and Miss Smith is eager to get the information to them and to their parents that there will be no more until next year. It is understood that there will be none tomorrow.

WASHINGTON LETTER

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source of information which he gathers for his newspaper. This law, if enacted, would resemble one which has been in effect in Maryland since 1896. The question whether newspapermen should be required to become witnesses when they have exposed vice and bootlegging has been raised before. The judicial attitude often seems to be that the newspapers should leave large masses of citizens in ignorance of conditions unless they are prepared to act as prosecuting witnesses. Recently the editor of the Daily Register of Oelwein, Ia., R. V. Lucas, was summoned before a county grand jury to explain why he had said that officers of the law had passed by several speakases on their way to raid places in Oelwein. Down in the Canal Zone the Panama American has been bravely speaking its opinions of officials and judges there and has had trouble from time to time. The other day Pete Brennan, its editor, was sentenced to five days in jail for failing to produce the originals of certain editorials upon the demand of the mayor of Balboa. Some loud booming shots for freedom of the press have also been sounded in Mississippi by Major Frederick Sullens, editor of the Jackson Daily News. A story in Editor & Publisher points out ironically that after two years of federal investigations and trials centering on Perry W. Howard and other colored politicians accused of bartering federal offices, Sullens is the only person to be found guilty of anything. Major Sullens wrote in his newspaper that Howard and his co-defendants would be acquitted, regardless of their guilt or innocence. They were acquitted, sure enough, but Federal Judge Edwin Holmes found the major guilty of contempt of court and placed him "on probation during good behavior." Major Sullens replied with an editorial refusing probation, promising to forecast public events whenever he felt prompted to do so and defying any attempt at public censorship. The judge hastened to announce that he had no intention of exercising censorship. But probably the most notable

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DRILLING WANES RESULT PIPELINE COMPANY RULES

BIG SPRING.—Due to the pipe line companies, controlling the only outlets for crude production cutting their purchases in half, therefore forcing the proration allowance of the Western Extension area where the major part of the activity has been during the past few weeks to be cut from a seventy-five per cent allowance to a forty per cent allowance, drilling activity has been on the wane during the past three weeks. The interest of the week has been focused on the semi-wildcat well being drilled by Glasscock Brothers (Luna Oil Company) No. 1 Edwards which looks favorable for a producer. The well is three miles from the closest producing wells in the Western area and three thousand feet from Turner No. 1 which was abandoned on account of being unable to shut off water encountered after going through thirty feet of oil saturated lime. The structure of Edwards No. 1 is reported to be running about sixty feet higher than in Turner No. 1. Two showings of oil has been encountered in the well, the first showing was found in gray sand at 1,982-85 feet, and topped the lime at 2,125 feet, and drilling continuing at 2,163 feet in oil saturated lime. Nine wells were given official tests during the week, the Shell Oil Company No. 1-Coffee, located 1,650 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the south line of section 15, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. Co. survey, which drilled to a total depth of 2,229 feet through the second pay and given five hour swabbing test, the well producing 240 barrels of oil and 330 barrels of sulphur water, coming from the bottom of the hole. The well was plugged back to second pay and is being bailed and plugs drilled, preparatory to bringing in. The well is estimated to be good for a 200 barrel producer. Green Oil and Refining Company-Simms No. 1-Clay in the southwest corner of an eighty acre lease in section 127, block 29, W. & N. W. survey, has a potential production of 912 barrels. This well is being offset on the south by the Humboldt Oil and Refining Company, who are offsetting their own well in the southeast corner of the lease which is also offset on the east by Empire Oil and Gas Company. The Continental Oil Company is offsetting the Green Oil and Refining Company No. 1-Simms on the west. Sun Oil Company No. 3-Phillips, 2,310 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the south line of section 14, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Ry. company survey, make 1,152 barrels on official test during the week. Continental Oil Company's No. 2-Kloh-Rumsey-Adams, 2,310 feet from the south line and 330 feet

recent victory of the press over the courts is to be seen in the election of George R. Dale, fighting editor of the weekly Post-Democrat of Muncie, Ind., as mayor of Muncie. Some three years ago Dale started a combined attack on the Ku Klux Klan, graft and a local judge. They retaliated with contempt convictions and a sentence to the state farm and confiscation of his newspapers on the streets. Dale kept on fighting and eventually the judge only escaped impeachment by the Indiana legislature through the fact that a two-thirds vote could not quite be mustered against him. Now Dale is sitting on top of the heap.

from the west line of section 13, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway Company survey, made 914 barrels on 24 hour test.

Plymouth Oil Company No. 6-Kloh et al, 1,650 feet from the south line and 330 feet from the west line of section 5, block 32, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway Company survey and offset to Continental Oil Company's No. 2-Kloh, Rumsey and Abrams in section 13, producing 720 barrels.

Plymouth No. 7, Kloh et al, 2,310 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line of section 5, block 32, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway Company survey, producing 840 barrels.

American Maracabo No. 3-Settes, located 777 feet from the north line and 990 feet from the west line of section 6, block 32, township 2 south, Texas and Pacific Railway Company survey, is the first test the company has made for several months and has been completed at a depth of 2,270 feet and is one of the largest wells in the field making an official test of 1,490 barrels. Shell Petroleum Company No. 10 Kloh et al, 330 feet from the north and west lines of section 11, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway survey, after being drilled deeper producing 2,184 barrels.

Shell Petroleum Company's No. 2-Kloh, a direct east offset to Schermhorn No. 1-Kloh, Rumsey and Abrams producer and 2,310 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the east line of section 13, block 33, township 2 south, producing 1,992 barrels.

Continental No. 4, Kloh, Rumsey and Abrams, 2,310 feet from the north line and 1,650 feet from the east line of section 13, block 33, township 2 south, Texas and Pacific survey, producing 2,442 barrels being the largest test ever made in the field through a 2 inch tubing.

The Lion Oil and Refining Company's No. 2-Coffee drilled in, but not give test, located 330 feet from the north line and 990 feet from the east line of section 32, block 33, township 2 south, Texas and Pacific Railway survey, which is an offset to Shell's No. 1 Coffee.

Kirby Atlantic and Black Arrow's No. 2-Baker, located 990 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the west line of section 22, block 33, township 2 south, Texas and Pacific Railway survey, drilling in. Locations for Howard County reported for the week are: Midway Exploration Company—Clay 5,990 feet from the south line and 990 feet from the east line of section 138.

Continental Oil Company—Clay 3E, 990 feet from the east and 1,650 feet from the south line of section 138. Continental Oil Company—Settles A 10,280 feet from the north line and 400 feet from the east line of section 158.

Amerado Petroleum Company—Dora Roberts 14, 1,850 feet from the east line and 250 feet from the north line of section 137; all in block 29, Waco and Northwestern Ry., Co. survey.

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OLD-FASHIONED IDEAS New business, new towns, are fortunate in not being fettered with old traditions and ideas, fortunate that they have no barnacles on their ships; but many towns date back a long way and too often refuse to accept new ideas and new ways of doing things. For that reason they fail to grow, fail to advance and keep pace with modern times. Existing in a modern day with thoughts, ideas and ways of doing things of the past, modern opportunities are not recognized. Old-fashioned ideas will not stand the gaff of modern business. If you are going to grow and do business with modern people you have to be modern, for new-fashioned buyers avoid old-fashion sellers. The old-fashioned people and old-fashioned business will soon be gone and then "what is, will cease to be," for the town that has not kept up to and ahead of date. Old-fashioned does not necessarily mean older people. It does mean those people who, because their grandfathers before them did a certain thing in a certain way, think that that is the only way it can be done; the fellow who says his way and his idea is always right and the other fellow wrong; the fellow who, because he cannot do it or see how it is done says it can't be done. In other words, it means the fellow who condemns everything which is beyond his range. Thinking people recognize that there is a new order of things, but the recognition is more evident in business than in the development and conduct of civic affairs. Business science has changed man from a fighting, hunting furtive biped, traveling on foot or paddling a canoe along winding rivers, painfully and slowly through the solitude of the great spaces, to a ruler of the earth, flying through the air, sailing under the sea, sending messages around the world without messengers or wires. You KNOW this because you have seen it. This same science will bring forth ever greater strides of development and change in the ways of doing things when applied to cities, towns and communities. IT WILL be applied—IS BEING applied. Because you have not SEEN it, you may not KNOW it, and not knowing it, fail to appreciate it. Every town should recognize the advantages of this new order of

Watch Tongue For Signs of Illness

Your tongue is nothing more than the upper end of your stomach and intestines. It is the first thing your doctor looks at. It tells at a glance the condition of your digestive system—and physicians say that 90 per cent of all sicknesses start with stomach and bowel trouble. A white or yellowish coating on your tongue is a danger signal of those digestive disorders. It tells you why the least exertion tires you out; why you have pains in the bowels, gas, sour stomach, dizzy spells. And it's a sign you need Tanlac. This good old reliable medicine has helped thousands who were physical wrecks. See how the first bottle helps you. Tanlac contains no mineral drugs; it is made of barks, herbs and roots—nature's own medicines for the sick. Get a bottle from your druggist today. Your money back if it doesn't help you.

Table with 2 columns: East Bound, West Bound. Times listed for various routes.

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DEBATING SOCIETY ORGANIZED

The first call for debaters was issued last Tuesday morning and a greater response was had from the girls than from the boys according to Mr. Cotner, debate coach.

The subject for debate by the high schools of Texas this year is "Resolved, That the Sterling Plan for Financing a System of State Roads Should be Adopted." This should prove interesting to students and parents alike as it affords an unusual opportunity to study state finances and road construction. Because of the growth of West Texas brings the need of rapid communication and means of travel. The question is of special interest to us.

Midland High has received an invitation to send debate teams to Colorado City December to participate in a tournament in which representatives from about twenty schools are expected. With exams starting next week and the holidays, it may be impossible to enter a team ready for debate, but it is planned to take as many debates to the tournament as possible to study the technique of speakers from other towns and learn by observation as many fine points as possible.

Those who have signified interest are:

Adeleese Haag, Georgia McMullan, C. C. Foster, Lillian Dunaway, Juanita Johnson, Jack Garlington, Marguerite Elvins, Nez Cosper, Dick Verdier and Ralph Hallman.

Others are needed to do the best work this year.

FLUNKING FELLOWS' ALPHABET

- A—Aw, forgot my notebook.
- B—Brought the wrong book to class.
- C—Couldn't get the lesson.
- D—Didn't know you assigned it.
- E—English test, so I couldn't get my other lessons.
- F—Forgot what the lesson was.
- G—Gosh, I didn't know we had a lesson today.
- H—How was I to remember?
- I—I thought the lesson was in the other book.
- J—Just can't get the right answer.
- K—Know it, but can't tell you.
- L—Lost my paper.
- M—My, what a lesson!
- N—No, I can't answer the question.
- O—Other lesson was too hard; I can't get my Spanish.
- P—Passing in geometry, maybe.
- Q—Queer, I forgot what the lesson was.
- R—Remember all except that.
- S—Studied my history and didn't have time to study anything else.
- T—Thought the lesson was on page 127.
- U—Unless I go to the dance, I'll study.
- V—Verbs are too hard and I can't understand them.
- W—Want to copy your math paper.
- X—Xylem? I didn't know that was in biology.
- Y—Yes, I went to the dance last night.
- Z—Zebras will be our lesson for today, and I don't know a thing about them.

CAN YOU IMAGINE—

- Walter Faye's going without her lunch to get a finger-wave?
- C. W. jumping when he gives a yell?
- Marion not getting her feelings hurt?
- Lloyd Burris getting up enough courage to ask a girl to go to the Junior-Senior banquet with him?
- Marguerite's having a thought?
- David's going with the girls?
- Lee Hill's not talking baby talk?
- Joe Robert's making one hundred in algebra?
- Kenneth Osborne studying?
- John King getting excited?
- Jean Wolcott without a boy friend?
- Mr. Shifflet's teaching Sunday School without mixing chemistry in with it?
- Leland Murphy's clasping a girl's hand?

WHO'S WHO IN NINE B

Ross Black has attended Midland School three years. He is a member of the Spanish Club and Literary Society.

Ella Margaret Tyner started to school here in the first grade. She is a member of the Spanish Club and Literary Society.

Charlie Neal Young came here last year. She is a member of the band, the Spanish Club, and the Literary Society.

Marguerite Wesson entered school here in the first grade. She is a member of the Literary Society.

John Philip Inman is a member of the band, Spanish Club, and Literary Society.

Alvin Bodine entered Midland Public Schools in the third grade. He is a member of Spanish Club and Literary Society.

Janelle Edwards is a member of the Pep Squad, Spanish Club, Literary Society, and Choral Club.

H. L. Straghan entered Midland School in the seventh grade. He is a member of the Spanish Club and Glee Club.

Joe Roberts entered Midland Schools in the first grade. He is a member of the Literary Society and Spanish Club.

Kathleen McCleskey is a second cornet player of the band and orchestra, a member of the Spanish Club, and Literary Society. She started to school here last year.

Ila Merle Patterson started in with her class in the first grade. She is a member of the Spanish Club and Literary Society.

John D. Smith is a new pupil of 9B. He is a member of the Spanish Club, Literary Society, and Glee Club.

Felicia Earley started to school last year here. She is a member of the Choral Club, Literary Society, and the Spanish Club.

Kenneth Osborne entered Midland Schools in the seventh grade. He is a member of the Spanish Club and Literary Society.

Ralph Parratt moved here from Benton, Illinois, three years ago. He is a member of the Spanish Club.

Maxine Tomis is a member of the Pep Squad and Literary Society. She came to Midland last year from Stanton.

Andy Brooks entered school here this year. He is a member of the Literary Society and Spanish Club.

Conklin Crabb moved here from Arizona three years ago. He is a member of the Spanish Club, Literary Society, and Glee Club.

Lucille McMullan entered school here last year. She is a member of the Spanish Club, vice president of the Literary Society, and president of the ninth grade.

May Peterson came from England to the United States six years ago. She moved to Midland this year and entered public schools here. She is a member of the Spanish Club, Literary Society, orchestra, and Choral Club.

THE LITERARY SOCIETY

The purpose of the Literary Society is explained in the preamble of the constitution.

"We, the students of the Midland High School, in order to secure a permanent organization for our social good and the improvement of our intellectual faculties in composition, elocution, oratory, debate and parliamentary practice, do hereby ordain and establish for our government, the following constitution and by-laws."

The motto of the Literary Society is—"Not Failure but Low Aim is Crime."

Only students of the Midland High School may become regular members of the society. All regular members after graduation or upon withdrawing from school, shall be considered ex-members. The superintendent, the principal of the high school, and the high school teachers shall be ex-officio members of the society. Any person may become an honorary member of this society by election at any regular meeting, provided three votes do not appear against him. An honorary member has all the privileges of a regular member except that of voting and holding any office except critic.

This society has been organized and active for over twenty years, and thus far has been very successful in its purpose.

THEY SAY—

- That Miss Cordill and her gentleman friend ride slowly on Texas Avenue every Saturday night.
- That Dorris has had two senior rings ordered for her.
- That Mr. Shifflet is surprised to see John King and Olen Fryar with their girls at the show Friday night.
- That Ernestine is wearing "Cy's" junior ring.
- That Frank is living up to his warning about showing Miss Rippy who his girl happens to be.
- That the seniors had a good time over at South Ward.
- That Janelle and Archie have a terrible time getting along.
- That Marion has some "unusual" dates for the football and junior-senior banquets.
- That C. C. has such a time with his love affairs he can't get them to go his way.

MISS MILEY VISITS CARLSBAD CAVERN

Miss Helen Miley, history teacher in Midland high school, left last Saturday with Captain and Mrs. H. G. Sebastian on a trip to Carlsbad Cavern, El Paso and Juarez.

Miss Miley gave a report of her trip in chapel on Tuesday morning, but she did not go into detail about it because so many of the students had been to these places. Despite car trouble Miss Miley declared that the trip was wonderful.

THE TATTLER

Isn't it strange our senior boy, Thomas Lee, and our junior boy, R. V. will rush Dorris Black and Billie Irwin, our Junior High girls. They even took them to Odessa Sunday night. We wonder why? Don't you think Cardiona Vann and C. C. would make a cute pair? I do.

Dorothy Hines spends most of her time expressing her love for C. W. We wonder why Alice spends so much of his time looking at Phyllis? Better watch out, M. D., Virginia likes her seat in Latin. It's near Barney.

We wonder whom cupid picked out for Lou Annice? Seems to be a junior.

FOOTBALL

When the crisp autumnal zephyrs whistle through the leafless trees; When golf is a sweet regret, and tennis is non est; When the baseball player stays indoors for fear that he will freeze; And the camping clothes get a needed rest;

When golf trousers and sport shoes are packed away with care; And the summer sash becomes a muffler gay; Then the football players emerge from their lairs; And buckle up their armor for the fray.

But, out of some hardships and a taste of abstinence unwilling; Comes a day of triumph for the Rugby devotee; When on the frozen battlefield, unheading winds so chilling; He scrimmages and tackles in the hope of victory.

What though he grinds his features to a pulp so raw and sore; While strong and beefy opponents are seated on his frame? What though he never lives to tell his children of the story? Even though death come with victory, his team must win the game.

The spirited yell inspires him still and, though each bone is aching; And though the hazy landscape swims before his blinded eyes; The precious period comes his way, and through the opponents breaking; He's down behind the goal-line and the team has won the prize.

A ton or more of writhing flesh with him is mixed together; One leg is wrapped around his neck; four teeth cannot be found; But he has passed beyond the goal, and hangs on to "the leather"; He is the hero of the day—he's carried from the ground.

—Vann Mitchell.

A SCRAMBLE OF OUR NAMES

A mighty Scotchman (Myrtle) with a strong aim (Fount) mounted a camel (William) and rode to the top of the hill (J. E.) where he could get a view of the dale (Bessie) below. To his surprise it was brown (Ruby) and not a herd (Alma) in sight. He then decided that he was a poor Huntsman (Clifton or Landon) and returned to continue his work as a baker (Edward) that he might pay his duns (Pearl) and read after his favorite writer (Nell Wayne) while passing through the hail (Floyd).

Mrs. Barry to Joe Underwood in algebra class: "Now, Joe, get up and work the problem on your feet."

Wade Stevens, ex-student, wrote home to his dad: Dear Dad, I am asking for more cash sooner than I expected, but you see several things have come up, books, dues, laboratory fees, room rent, etc. Please send me eighty dollars. Respectfully, Your Son.

Dear Son, I received your special today and am enclosing the amount you ask for. I was in college once myself, you know. With Love, Dad.

P. S.—Is she good looking?

Red: "What are you doing for a living?" C. C.: "Breathing."

Ruby: "What kind of flowers are those?" Ida Beth: "Poppies." Ruby: "I meant, the kind, not the sex."

C. W.: "Do you like simple things?" Dorris: "Are you proposing?"

Frank: "My pa killed a horse with a broken leg." Evelyn: "We usually kill them with a gun."

Jean: "What is your daily income?" Lloyd E.: "About 3 a. m."

Lucille: "How do you know Miss Miley is old?" Marguerite: "Mother invited her friend to Thanksgiving dinner but she didn't expect her-eight kids."

CHapel Day by Day

Monday—Mr. Shifflet announced the date for the six week's tests. Mr. Cotner expressed his desire to have as many students as possible take up debating.

Tuesday—The high school was favored with speeches by Miss Lillian Dunaway and Mr. Donovan Gwyn from the History Department on the Progress of Aviation. Each talk was composed by the student. They should be recommended on their splendid work. Mr. Cotner introduced the speakers. Miss Miley gave a short talk on her trip to the Carlsbad Cavern.

Wednesday—The seniors were permitted to attend the program at South Ward. Miss Nez Cosper and Mr. Ralph Hallman, also of the History Department gave their talks on the Progress of Aviation. Miss Miley introduced the speakers.

Thursday—A special number was given by the Girls Choral Club "Glorious Forever." The Boys' Glee Club sang "The Anvil Chorus" and "Savior Comfort Me." Mrs. Vickers gave a short talk commending the singing of the students.

BAND MEMBERS RECEIVE UNIFORMS

Members of the band received their purple and gold uniforms last Friday.

Mr. Lanham issued new band books, called "Gems of Melody," Wednesday at band practice.

The band members played in their new uniforms this morning in Chapel.

LETTER FROM FOREIGN STUDENT

Evelyn Adams, a student of Spanish III, received a letter from her foreign correspondent, Lucia Garcia, Tello. The latter is a student in the Escuela Preparatoria at Coyococan, D. F., Mexico. Lucia wrote her letter in English and although she made some amusing mistakes, her use of English is very good. Her letter was interesting though rather brief since she was in the midst of examinations. She enclosed a small picture of herself and promised more news next time.

MEMBERS OF OUR FOOTBALL TEAM

Wright, Cowden may be a runt. But he certainly can block a punt.

A good tackler is Mead McCall. When he tackles somebody, he has a bad fall.

Another good player is our friend Ray. When he goes into a game, he doesn't fail to play.

David Allen is a man who fights. Also a man who stands for the right.

Next we come to George Booth. Who plays a good game, that's the truth.

Jump White, Tusk for short. If he doesn't get his man, it breaks his heart.

Mifflet G'bow plays real football. We hope to have him with us next fall.

Of course we couldn't leave out Herbert Arnett.

A better boy we have never met.

Lloyd Burris is a football fan's dream. He plays quarter on the Midland High team.

Another good boy is Ham Pinnell. On the football field he does very well.

This the cry of our captain "Cy." "We will win this game or die."

Frank Midkiff is a runner great. When he gets the ball he pulls his freight.

A pass catching boy is Olen Fryar. And if you say he's not, you're a liar.

Little "Red" is a football fiend. A better man is seldom seen.

G. B. Hallman can run like a horse. Many Peos players gazed at him with remorse.

A football player is our friend Jack. When he hits somebody, he nearly breaks his back.

Glynn Long we must not fail to mention. He plays football to perfection.

J. C. Poque is a player all right. He will start in there and Fight, Fight, Fight.

A good punter is Allen Sherrord. Whose name is seldom heard.

A foot ball player is John King. And if he keeps on he will catch a queen.

Joe Mitchell is a boy who plays guard. When he gets mad, he plays hard.

R. V. Wasaff is a man you know. In football he is never slow.

Knox Irwin though a little light Is a player with a bulldog's fight.

Robert Pleenor takes steps very long. When he gets started you know he's gone.

One chilly day when the janitor was absent Mr. Shifflet told Whitten to go down and ring two bells. He only rang one and when he was asked why he did not ring two, he replied, "I didn't see but one to ring."

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS IN SOCIAL

The Home Economics Club met November 19 at the home of Jean Verdier for a social. The following program was given:

Imogene Cox, a talk on "How to Dress."

Evelyn Garlington, piano solo.

Mary Bell Pratt, piano solo.

Refreshments were served by Martha Louise Nobles, Maxine Tom, Mollie B. Bagley, Virginia Hawkins and Janelle Edwards.

FIRST IN PERCENTAGE OF ATTENDANCE

Despite some rather inclement weather during the past month, the pupils are doing fine in attendance percentage. Miss Tammie Burrus is first with an attendance percentage of 99.73. Mr. Robert Cotner is second with a percentage of 99.92, following by Miss Allie-Mae Stout and Miss Louise Rippy, with relative percentages of 98.62 and 98.61.

PERSONALS

Mrs. John Edwards, Janelle and C. W. visited in Merkel Sunday.

Janelle Edwards, Mary Caroline Sims, Miss Solomon, Marion Wadley, Hugh West and John Ratliff went hunting Saturday.

Ether Lee Mitchell was absent from school Monday and Tuesday on account of illness.

Sula Fay Stanley visited in Stanton Sunday.

Norma Holtier was absent from school Monday on account of illness.

Jane Pratt Baxley visited in Odessa Sunday.

Helen Miley visited Carlsbad Cavern Monday.

Allie Mac Stout spent the weekend in Abilene with Mrs. John Bishop, who was a teacher in Midland high school last year.

Ray: "Do you believe Shakespeare wrote all those plays they say he did?" Imogene: "I don't know, but when I go to Heaven, I'll ask him." Ray: "What if he isn't in Heaven?" Imogene: "Then you can ask him."

Mr. Barry: "Joe, you forgot to change your subtrahend." Joe Bean: (embarrassed) "No sir; the laundry did not get back in time."

Miss Rippy had just arrived at the Cowden ranch when she heard a cow-baw and she asked, "Which horn did she blow?"

Mr. Cotner: "Who was the first man?" Mead: "Washington, first in war, first in peace, and first—" Mr. Cotner: "Wrong. Adam was the first man." Mead: "Oh well, I didn't know you meant foreigners."

Miss Stout: "What tense is, 'I am beautiful?'" Anabel: "Past."

Mr. Lane: "What turns without moving?" Bill: "Milk."

AN ORDINANCE DESCRIBING METHODS OF NUMBERING HOUSES IN THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, FIXING A PENALTY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Section 7: It shall be the duty of the owner or agent of business or residence buildings to number properly and correctly the same and in like manner number all new buildings in construction and hereafter constructed within fifteen days after the building is completed; or within fifteen days after it is occupied. Buildings removed from one lot to another shall in like manner be renumbered according to the new location within fifteen days after such removal and re-locating, and the owners, agents, or other persons making repairs to buildings shall cause the number (or others of proper kind) to be replaced should the repairs or improvements require temporary removal of the numbers.

Section 8: Any person, whether owner, agent or occupant, who shall after fifteen days written notice from the City Engineering Department fail or refuse to number correctly any house owned, occupied or controlled by said person or who shall fail or refuse to number any house which has been removed from one lot to another, or which has been repaired; or who shall number any house otherwise than in conformity with this ordinance, or who shall obliterate, conceal or obscure any house number by paint or other means, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in any sum not less than Five (\$5.00) Dollars nor more than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars.

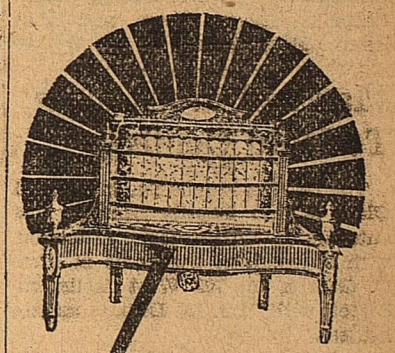
Section 9: That as the City of Midland, is without proper ordinances governing the numbering of houses and that life and property is endangered creates an emergency and that the rule requiring that ordinances we read on three several occasions shall be dispensed with and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon and after its publication.

Passed this 19th day of Nov., 1929.

M. C. Ulmer, Mayor Pro Tem. Mayor, City of Midland. ATTEST: J. C. Hudman, City Secretary, Midland, Texas. Nov. 21—Dec. 3, inc.

Notice

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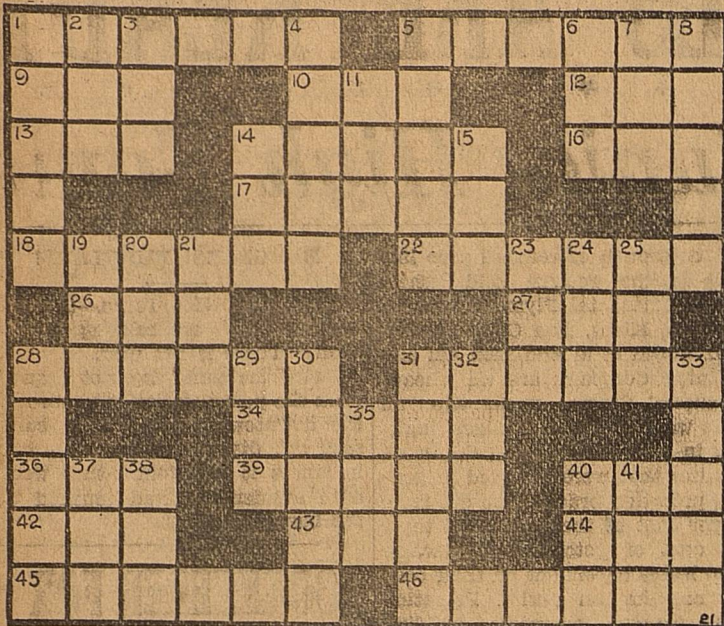
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Corner Wall and Colorado

Specials For Saturday Nov. 23

Sugar—Pure Cane, 100-lb cloth bags	\$6.10
Flour—48 lb sacks—Extra High Patent (every sack guaranteed)	\$1.59
Tomatoes, No. 2 Can—Each	10c
Duelers New Crop Pecan—Small Glass, Each	15c
Potato Chips (Fresh Daily), per bag	6c
Marshmallows, 10 oz. Cans, Each	22c
Chocolates (King's 5-lb Xmas Package 5-lb for)	\$1.87
Try our Walker's Ready Sliced Bread (Fresh each morning)	10c
We are headquarters for Globe Blackleg Vaccines, per dose	8c

Question of Discovery

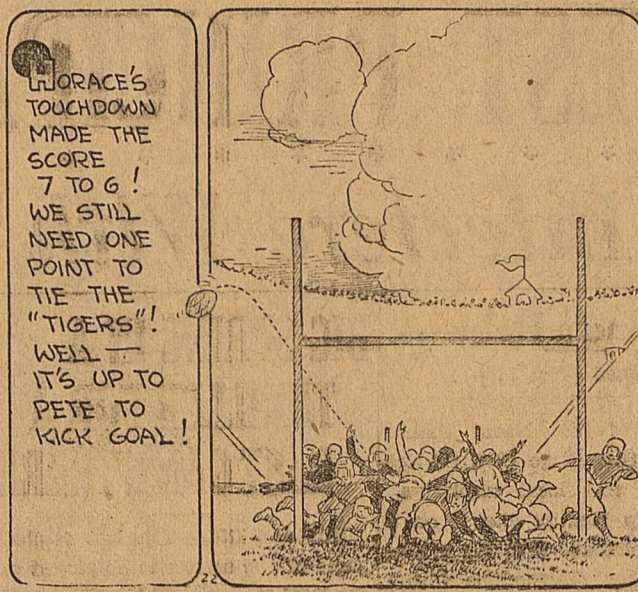


HORIZONTAL 42 Wrath. 1 Irish capital. 5 Large Canadian bay. 9 Wing. 10 Kimono sash. 12 Bird. 13 Males. 14 Aside. 16 Pin. 17 Tardier. 18 What metal was discovered by Cronstedt? 22 Rule. 26 Deer. 27 To be in debt. 28 Written. 31 Calm. 34 Tool. 36 Modern. 39 Fine powder. 40 Derby.

VERTICAL 7 Unit. 8 Evening. 11 Bird. 14 Beer. 15 To attempt. 19 Fish. 20 To peruse. 21 Cognizance. 23 Neither. 24 Reverence. 25 Measure. 28 Overpowering fright. 29 To recede. 30 To perish in water. 31 To startle. 32 Slippery fish. 33 Devoured. 35 Constellation. 37 Eon. 38 Tumor. 40 Possesses. 41 Since.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
 REFORM FERRET
 AKA AISLE FRI
 TAK TIKIAL BOG
 ASEA ERG MUSE
 LEDGE E DETER
 OLD TOT
 VAT MASON RIB
 ABOUT NOT DADO
 PALE CUT ODOR
 ISLE ERE NILE
 DEEMED RUGOSE

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



LORACE'S TOUCHDOWN MADE THE SCORE 7 TO 6! WE STILL NEED ONE POINT TO TIE THE "TIGERS"! WELL—IT'S UP TO PETE TO KICK GOAL!



I JUST LOST THE GAME FOR YOU, THAT'S ALL. AW—NEVER MIND, PETE! BOOTS KNOWS NOBODY IS PERFECT! BESIDES, IT'S NO CRIME, LOSIN' TO THESE BABIES—BUHLEIVE ME.



OOOH! THE TIGERS FUMBLER! AN' LOOK!! PETE RECOVERED—IT'S OUR BALL!



BUT, PETE—YOU'RE CRAZY! THERE ISN'T A CHANCE IN A HUNDRED. WELL—IT'S OUR ONLY CHANCE NOW. THERE ARE ONLY TWO MINUTES LEFT TO PLAY.

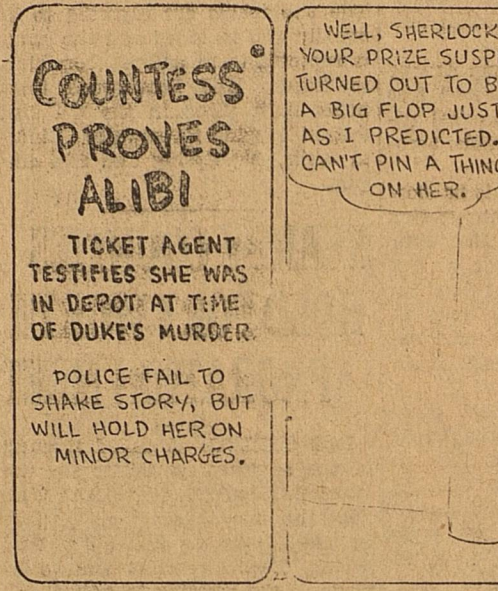
Last Minute Excitement

By Martin

WASH TUBS

Kidding the Amateur

By Crane



COUNTRESS PROVES ALIBI
 TICKET AGENT TESTIFIES SHE WAS IN DEPOT AT TIME OF DUKE'S MURDER.
 POLICE FAIL TO SHAKE STORY, BUT WILL HOLD HER ON MINOR CHARGES.



WELL, SHERLOCK, YOUR PRIZE SUSPECT TURNED OUT TO BE A BIG FLOP JUST AS I PREDICTED. CAN'T PIN A THING ON HER. SMART WORK! INSTEAD OF HELPING TUBBS, YOU MAKE IT WORSE FOR HIM. BLAZES! BUT I KNOW WASH NEVER KILLED THE DUKE.



THEN WHO DID? YEH, IF YOU'RE SO BRILLIANT, MAYBE YOU GOT ANOTHER SURE-FIRE CANDIDATE UP YOUR SLEEVE. HELLO! I'VE SEEN THAT GUY SNOOPING AROUND BEFORE. WHO IS HE?



OH, JUST ANOTHER CURIOSITY SEEKER—WE GET LOTS O' THEM. HA! BET YOU'LL BE SAYING THAT HE'S THE MURDERER NEXT. WELL, JUST THE SAME, SUH, I'M KEEPING MY EYE ON HIM.

BARBS

Says a headline: "Deft Shunting of Freight Cars Is Modern Art." Guess the brakeman will have to buy smocks.

An organization of rose growers is to convene this year in the Sahara desert. What a funny place for a convention!

Dr. Hale of the Carnegie Institution hopes that the complex problem of the curvature of space will be settled by celestial measurements through the new 200-inch reflecting

telescope of the California Institute of Technology. That has something to do with bald-headedness, hasn't it, professor?

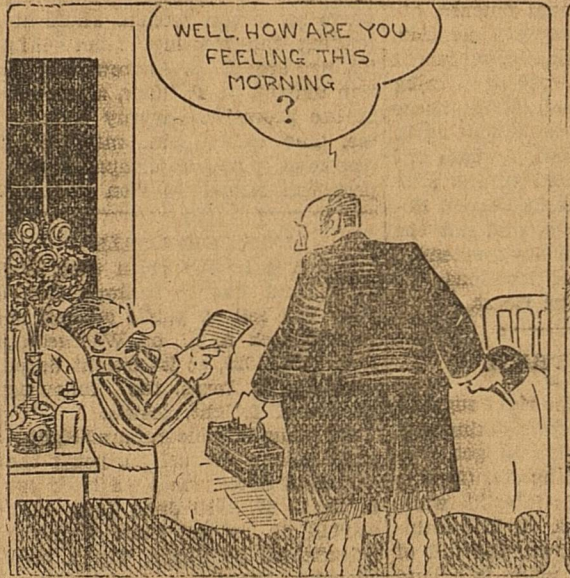
A painting won a prize the other day and it was not discovered until after the award that it had been hanging upside down. The judges were turned around, too.

A message given to a soldier during the war was delivered 11 years later. Probably one of the regular messenger boys.

MOM'N POP

A Pain in the Neck

By Cowan



WELL, HOW ARE YOU FEELING THIS MORNING? NOT SO GOOD, DOC. WHAT'S WRONG? HAVE YOU THOSE PAINS AGAIN?



YES, A NEW KIND. I JUST GOT YOUR BILL AND I WAS WONDERING IF YOU'D CUT OFF ANYTHING FOR CASH.



WHY CERTAINLY, A LEG OR AN ARM OR ANYTHING A CASE REQUIRES.



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CLASSIFIED

1 Lost and Found

LOST: 1 bunch keys near Petroleum Building. Reward. Return Reporter-Telegram. 222-3c

2 For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE: At my place, 7 miles S. E. of Midland, a span of mules. J. M. Franks. 222-3p

WILL TRADE two well located lots for late model car. Phone 576. 213-6c

3 Furnished Apartments

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, close in. 110 N. Big Spring. 222-3c

FOR RENT: Furnished room, close in. All conveniences. 202 S. Big Spring. Phone 345. 217-6p

3-ROOM and one 2-room apartment. Call 496. 209-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Close in. 110 North Big Spring. 220-3c

FOR RENT: Furnished apartments. Close in, North Main and East Ohio. 221-3p

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment. No children considered. 618 N. Big Spring. 203-tfc

4 Unfurnished Apartment

FOUR ROOM apartment on East side of Duplex. Located in West Addition. Modern in every respect. Phone 641W. 219-tfc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished apartment in duplex. Three rooms, bath and breakfast room. Call 72 or 578. 220-tfc

5 Furnished Houses

FOUR ROOM furnished cottage. Conveniences. Garage. \$40. Phone 243.

FOR RENT: Two room house, furnished or unfurnished. Apply at 1001 North Main. 221-4p

6 Unfurnished Houses

FOR RENT: Six room unfurnished house. Call 460 or see Lydick Roofing Co. 221-6c

8 Real Estate

HAVE FOUR 20 acre blocks seven and half years to pay out. Land the best, close in. Have a little inquiry for cheap good farms. J. N. Wells, E. 323 N. Y. Ave. 192-tfc

9 Miscellaneous

EXPERIENCED Bookkeeper—Can furnish reference. Would consider clerical work. Box 367. 221-3p

WANTED: Second hand piano. Must be reasonable. Phone 528J. 222-2c

PLYMOUTH ROCK FRYERS. Call four miles west on highway. R. D. Hamlin. 222-1c

Upholstering

Expert upholstering, repairing and refinishing on all kinds of furniture. Upholstering materials on hand. All work guaranteed. 211 N. Main Street, opposite Ritz Theatre. 208-tfc

11 Bedrooms

BEDROOM with home cooked meals. 117 W. Ohio. Mrs. Edsall. 221-tfc

FOR RENT: South bedroom with private entrance in new stucco house. New and good furniture. Rent to one or two men. 510 South Lorraine. Call for Harrison at No. 7. 220-tfc

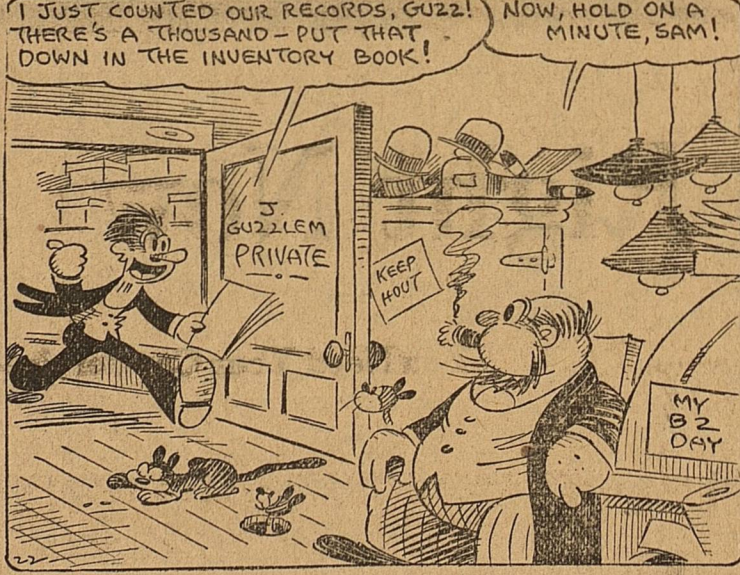
14 Situations Wanted

FOR PRACTICAL nurse call 539J 169-tfc

SALESMAN SAM

Red's the Goat

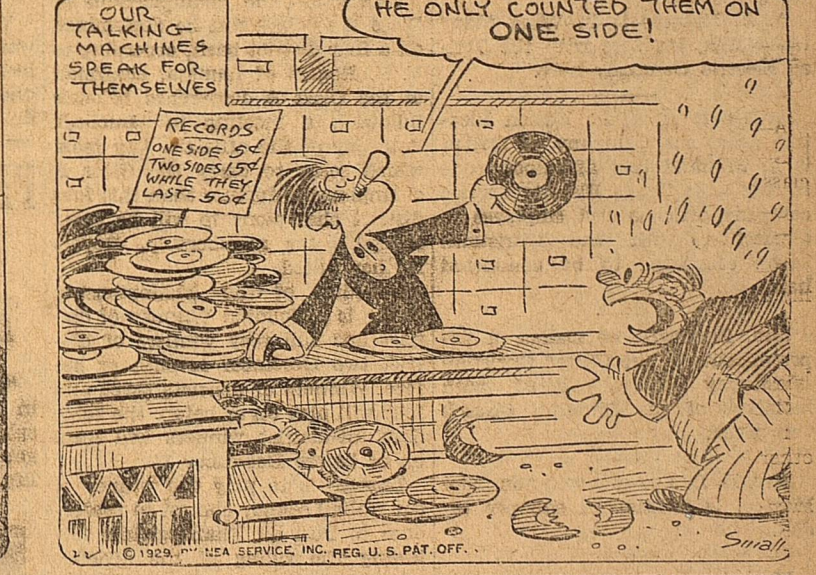
By Small



I JUST COUNTED OUR RECORDS, GUZZ! THERE'S A THOUSAND—BUT THAT DOWN IN THE INVENTORY BOOK! NOW, HOLD ON A MINUTE, SAM!



RED COUNTED THOSE SAME RECORDS ABOUT TWENTY MINUTES AGO—



HUH, JUST WASTED MY GOOD TIME—BUT THAT'S A DOUBLE CHECK ANYWAY—

OH, THAT WAS JUST A LITTLE SLIP ON RED'S PART—BUT DON'T JUMP TH' KID—

YEAH, BUT TH' TWO OF YA DON'T TALLY—RED COUNTED 500 AN YOU COUNTED 1000!

OUR TALKING MACHINES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

HE ONLY COUNTED THEM ON ONE SIDE!

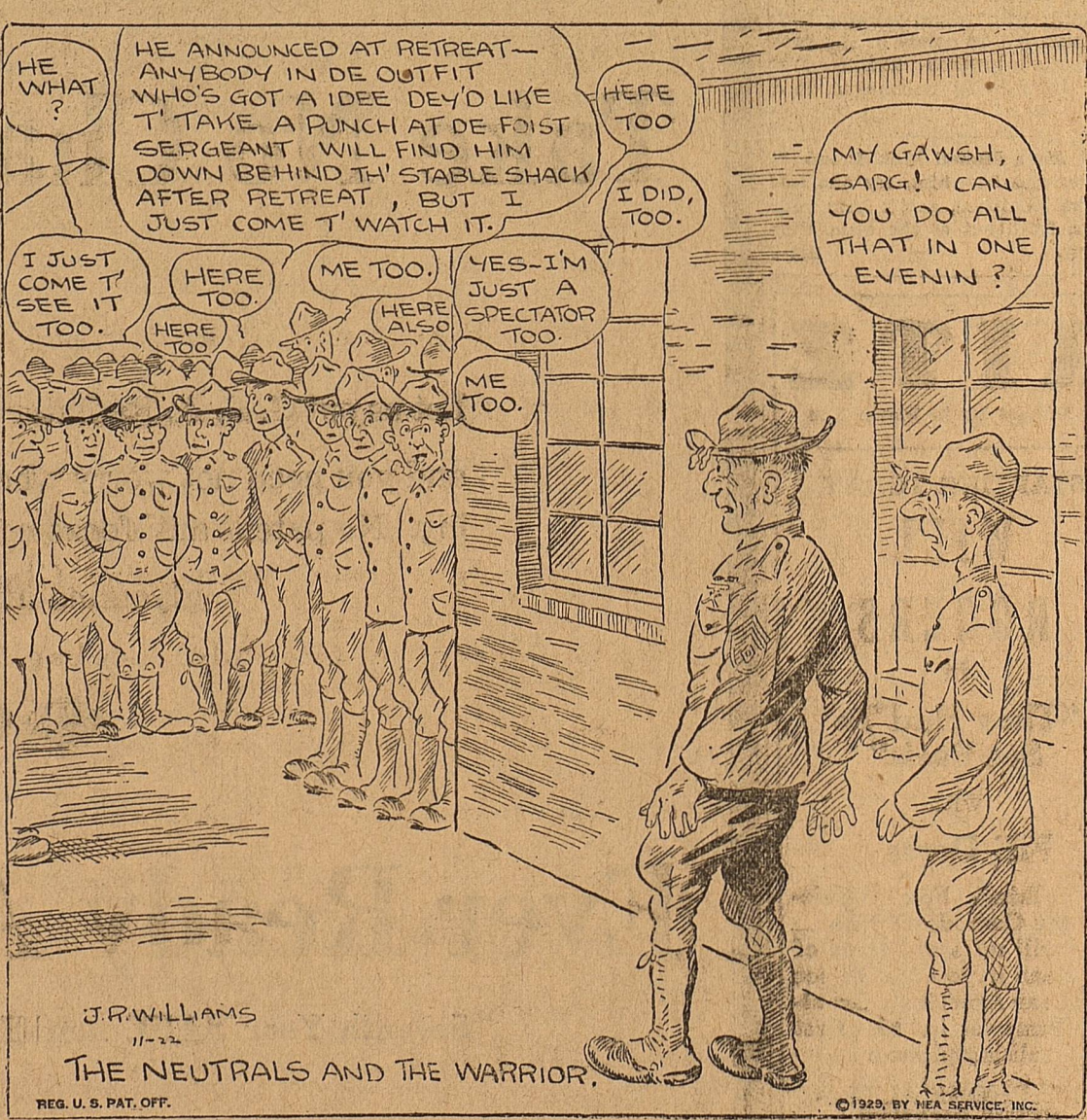
RECORDS ONE SIDE 500 TWO SIDES 1000 WHILE THEY LAST 500

Out Our Way

By Williams

Our Boarding House

Ahern



HE ANNOUNCED AT RETREAT— ANYBODY IN DE OUTFIT WHO'S GOT A IDEE DEY'D LIKE T' TAKE A PUNCH AT DE FOIST SERGEANT WILL FIND HIM DOWN BEHIND TH' STABLESHACK AFTER RETREAT, BUT I JUST COME T' WATCH IT.

HERE TOO. I DID, TOO. MY GAWSH, SARG! CAN YOU DO ALL THAT IN ONE EVENIN'?

I JUST COME T' SEE IT TOO. HERE TOO. ME TOO. YES—IM JUST A SPECTATOR TOO.

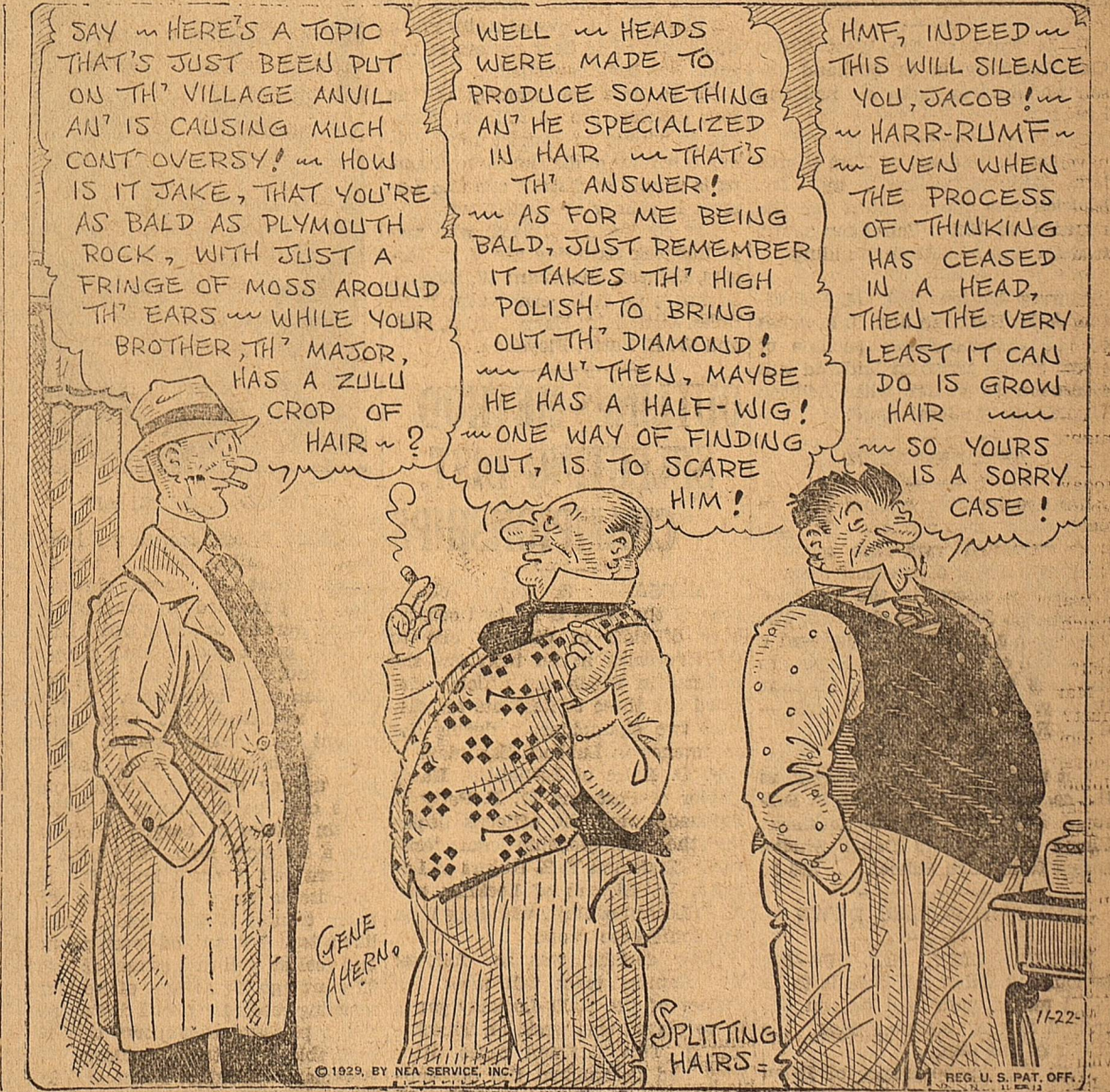
HERE TOO. HERE ALSO. ME TOO.

HERE TOO.

HERE TOO.

HERE TOO.

J.R. WILLIAMS
 THE NEUTRALS AND THE WARRIOR.
 REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



SAY—HERE'S A TOPIC THAT'S JUST BEEN PUT ON TH' VILLAGE ANVIL AN' IS CAUSING MUCH CONT'OVERSY!—HOW IS IT JAKE, THAT YOU'RE AS BALD AS PLYMOUTH ROCK, WITH JUST A FRINGE OF MOSS AROUND TH' EARS—WHILE YOUR BROTHER, TH' MASOR, HAS A ZULLU CROP OF HAIR—?

WELL—HEADS WERE MADE TO PRODUCE SOMETHING AN' HE SPECIALIZED IN HAIR—THAT'S TH' ANSWER!

AS FOR ME BEING BALD, JUST REMEMBER IT TAKES TH' HIGH POLISH TO BRING OUT TH' DIAMOND!

AN' THEN, MAYBE HE HAS A HALF-WIG!

ONE WAY OF FINDING OUT, IS TO SCARE HIM!

HMF, INDEED— THIS WILL SILENCE YOU, JACOB!

HARR-RUMF— EVEN WHEN THE PROCESS OF THINKING HAS CEASED IN A HEAD, THEN THE VERY LEAST IT CAN DO IS GROW HAIR—

SO YOURS IS A SORRY CASE!

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TEXAS HOLDS BREATH AS SOUTHWEST PRINCIPALS ARE READY

GRID LEADERS HAVE FIVE SICK MEN, BUT ARE HEAVY FAVORITES. SMU IN EASY GAME

FORT WORTH.—Today it looks a bit as if Old Man Epidemic might do to the Horned Frogs of Texas Christian University what no football rival has been able to do this year. Five members of the Frog football squad had "signed in" at the school hospital Wednesday, though only one is thought at this time to be sufficiently ill to be kept out of Saturday's game with Baylor.

Right now it seems extremely unlikely that Buck Barr, 190-pound tackle from Kaufman, will get into Saturday's lineup. He is suffering from a deep cold. Leo Butler, "Red" Moore and other players who have been somewhat under the weather will be O. K. by Saturday it is hoped.

With a squad in slightly under par condition, Coach Francis Schmidt has been running dummy scrimmage most of the week, taking no chances on getting any of his regulars hurt this late in the season.

Assistant Coach "Hobo" Carson scouted the Baylor-S. M. U. game and has been assisting the Frog regulars in perfecting their defense against the Baylor drive.

Although the Frogs can lose the game with the Bears and still win the conference championship by beating S. M. U., the pennant will mean much more to them if they go through the season untied and undefeated. It is to attain this record that every man is fighting. A perfect standing in the conference has come to mean almost as much to the Frog supporters as the conference flag.

Two special trains will carry many Frog rooters to Waco Saturday, but it appears now that still more are planned to go by auto, providing the weather is favorable. A pretty day will see probably 2500 T. C. U. supporters in stands rooting for their club which may play SMU for the championship Thanksgiving. SMU has an easy game with Rice this week.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Painter of Denison, Texas, were in Midland Thursday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Covington. Mrs. Painter is an aunt of Mr. Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Legg left Thursday for a two week's vacation in Dallas, Waco and other points.

A. A. Roberts is in Wink today transacting business with the Texas Electric Company here.

Seth Strong of the Edison Electric Appliance Company of Dallas, is in Midland this afternoon conferring with Texas Electric Service company officials and employees in connection with the Christmas range campaign to be conducted here.

Mrs. Sheppard of Dallas, a representative of the United Christian Missionary Society, visited with members of the Christian Church this week.

Mrs. R. D. Lee of Lovington, New Mexico, is a Midland shopper today.

Mrs. Andrew Fasken is in Abilene today on a business trip. Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse accompanied her and will visit her sister there.

J. L. Ryan of the West Texas Gas Company is in Midland today on business, from his home in Lubbock.

Wyatt C. Hedrick of Fort Worth is a Midland visitor today. Mr. Hedrick was the architect for the addition to Hotel Scharbauer, and also for the Petroleum Building.

Murray McDonald, E. H. Robertson, A. H. Koffman and C. L. Jones of the Grissom-Robertson line of stores are to arrive in Midland this afternoon to confer with Addison Wadley of the local store.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We are building a class and we need some more workers. It has been requested that each member bring a guest or a prospective member. The lesson is the Book of Jonah, just four short chapters. The wages are a pocketfull of joy and a heart full of satisfaction. Report to the Lois Class at 9:45 A. M. next Sunday. First Baptist Church.—Class Reporter.

Get ready now for the Christmas Dance. Classes now starting in Ball room dancing. For appointment Phone 519. Barnes Dance Studio, across from High School. 220-3c

OLD JAIL PULLED DOWN

MEXICO CITY, Mex.—(P)—The famous old Belen jail here is to be razed and a park laid out on the ground it now occupies near the center of the city.

With the disappearance of Belen all the prisoners will be lodged in the Federal District penitentiary.

OLD MAN NEMESIS FOR SIMMONS U. IN SAINTS GAME

ABILENE.—The Simmons Cowboys will make a desperate effort to recover their early season form when they face the St. Edwards Saints in a conference tilt here today.

In playing Trinity to a draw and suffering a 6-0 defeat at the hands of Austin College last week, the Cowboys showed a decided slump from early season form.

Although comparative scores place the two teams on equal footing, the surprising and unexplained Cowboy slump makes Simmons the underdog. Unless the Ranchers show marked improvement they are likely to fall victims of the slashing St. Edwards offense.

The Cowboys suffered the worst defeat at the hands of the Saints last season that they had met for eight years and will be seeking revenge in the coming battle.

Jennings, regular Cowboy end, will not be in uniform today, due to illness. Goughly, who has played all season with an injured knee, will probably start the game at center but is not likely to play more than a quarter.

Probable Simmons lineup: Smith, Stafford, ends; Culpepper, Pearce, tackles; Daniels, Hamilton guards; Goughly, center; Clark, Sanders, halves; Hyde, quarterback, Marshall, fullback.

"B" FOOTBALL IS DETERMINED IN A LAMESA MEETING

LAMESA.—The championship of Class B football will be determined on a four district basis, according to V. Z. Rogers of Lamesa, chairman of the Class B conference officials following a meeting in Lubbock Saturday of the officials. Any team which seeks to carry the Class B championship further than this four district championship will be ruled ineligible for membership, Rogers further stated.

Schedule of the championship games is as follows: Winners of district one will play winners of district two December seventh or before. Winners of districts three and four will play on or before the same date. Bi-district winners will meet on or before December 14.

Lamesa is to play the winner of the Ralls-Lockney contest in preference to Post on Thanksgiving, following the ruling of the officials after placing Post as ineligible. The place of this championship tilt will be decided later.

Since the Golden Tornadoes will not play Post the special train, which was expected to bear rooters to the game has been cancelled.

Up to date the winners of the four districts are as follows: Jackson is winner of district four; Olney is winner of district three; Pampa is winner of district one and Lamesa is winner of district two.

The conference officials who met in Lubbock Saturday are V. Z. Rogers, Lamesa, chairman; W. Biggers, Lockney; G. F. Lovren, Ralls; F. O. Boles, Littlefield; Harry Taylor, Post, and W. E. Patty, Floydada.

Their decision was as follows: The Lamesa team will meet the winner of the Ralls-Lockney game, to be played this week, on Thanksgiving. This decision came after they had determined the outstanding teams in district 2 this season.

Cold Weather Not to Interfere With Junior High Game

BREAKS MAY BE BIG FACTOR IN WIN

Cold, impending weather does not in any way interfere with play of the junior high school, which plays Wink at Cowden park Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The team considers itself a pack of potential Bulldogs, worthy successors to the Purple and Gold which took Pecos and Odessa and Pyote into the torture chamber recently. It has played in bad weather before, and finds temperature in the lowering levels conducive to snappy performance.

No statement of the probable score is found expressed; everyone waiting to see whether breaks in the game will not be a feature in the win snatched out of the competition of the two Green elevens.

An admission charge of 25 cents will be collected at the gate. Officials have not been announced.

SEMI-WILDCAT IS TO BE PRODUCER, OIL MEN THINK

BIG SPRING.—The semi-wildcat Glasscock Bros. (Luna Oil Company) No. 1 Edwards is looking favorable for a producer according to reports from the well today, when operators report a second showing of oil with line running sixty feet higher than in Turner No. 1 located about three thousand feet north which was abandoned on account of being unable to shut off water after encountering 35 feet of oil lime. No. 1 Edwards is located 1,650 feet from the east line and 330 feet from the south line of section 18, block 33, township 2 south, T. & P. Railway survey, drilling at 2,147 feet in lime. First showing of oil was encountered in gray sand at 1,992-85 feet and topped the line at 2,125 feet. The Glasscock Brothers' test is being drilled three miles west of producing wells in the western extension area.

We've been hearing all along that war has been outlawed and now we learn from President Hoover that no one will have to go hungry when we do have one.

PRESIDENT OF BIG FIRM NOW ENDORSES SARGON

"At the age of 79 I'm still active in business, and I attribute my splendid energy and vitality to Sargon. I believe it added years to my life.



DAVID S. BEEKMAN

"Before I took Sargon my health had been failing steadily for five years. What I ate soured almost as soon as it reached my stomach. My nerves were all to pieces and I hardly ever got a good night's sleep. I was continually bothered with constipation and biliousness. I tried many medicines but kept losing weight and getting weaker every day. I thought I would have to give up my business, which would have cost me thousands of dollars.

"Six bottles of Sargon made me like a different man. If I have an ailment left I don't know it. My appetite is keen, all trace of stomach trouble is gone, and I sleep like a top. I've gained seven pounds and feel as well and strong as I did 25 years ago. I go to my office every morning ready for a real day's work. It's a pleasure to endorse this remarkable treatment."—David S. Beekman, president Beekman Steel Fence Co., San Francisco.—Midland Drug Co.—Adv.

Former Resident—

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Fort Worth. She and Mrs. Charles Clark were daughters of Y. T. Manning of Leonard.

Snow Was Blinding Mrs. King's husband is an oil man.

When the Grider car approached Dallas it ran into a blinding snow and rain. The snow, in a melting condition, clung to windshields and clouded them almost opaquely.

The fatal crash of the Grider car occurred at the Santa Fe crossing of the East Grand Avenue pike, near White Rock Lake.

The negro chauffeur was taken to a hospital, but was able only to give his name before lapsing into unconsciousness and circumstances of the tragedy had to be deduced from experience of other motorists.

The automobile struck squarely against the side of the Dallas-Paris motor car as it was crossing the road.

Motorman A. T. McCasland of Cleburne was at the control of the car, which was built and placed in service a short time ago.

H. P. Dunn, representative of the Electric Motor Company of Cleveland, was riding in the engine room, acting as instructor to the motorman.

A vivid account of the scene after the wreck was related by Dunn. "The cab had just cleared the roadway when we felt a terrible jolt," he said. "The train stopped. From the left side of the train came a piercing shriek."

Dunn said he jumped from the car and ran to where the automobile, a tangled mass, lay about 40 feet from the rear of the coach pulled by the motor-electric car.

"About 40 feet from the wreck lay a woman, crumpled up against a barbed wire fence. No sound came from her."

"Screams were coming from the car. They were of the negro driver. All the others were quiet — quiet as death."

Women passengers of the train added to the confusion by screaming in terror. None of the 25 passengers of the train was injured, Dunn said.

Dunn said he did not see the automobile approach the train. The power car became uncoupled from the trailing coach, but they were held together by safety chains. Dunn said the automobile struck the rear of the rail car. He said the whistle and the bell of the rail car were sounded for the crossing. After the accident the train was backed over the crossing to see whether the warning bell, hanging beside the road, would ring. It did.

Mrs. King was a well known civic and church worker, having belonged to several women's clubs and to the Broadway Baptist church in Fort Worth.

Midland's Help—

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on reports of the Naval Labor Board, the San Diego Civil Service Commission and local employers.

The Camp Kearny site is on a great flat plateau, with no mountains or other obstructions within several miles. The site is only seven miles from the sea, and 285 feet above sea level. The air-flow is steady and the wind direction uniform.

The site proposed at Camp Kearny consists of 1,000 acres offered free to the U. S. Navy, and an equal additional amount of desirable acreage at nominal cost.

The Camp Kearny site is in close proximity to the Naval Air Station at North Island, the Marine Base and Naval Training Station at San Diego, the Battle Fleet at San Pedro, and the Aircraft Carriers at San Diego. Thus the personnel necessary for handling dirigibles at the site is quickly available.

The Navy dirigibles must operate in conjunction with the Battle Fleet and with the Aircraft Carriers. Since the Fleet and the Carriers are based in Southern California, it is logical that the dirigibles be based in the same area, i. e., at Camp Kearny, San Diego.

The General Board of the Navy, interested only in the strategic advantages of this location from the standpoint of national defense, efficiency and economy of operation, etc., has been consistently on record since December 30, 1920 in favoring the Southern California-San Diego site, and in 1929 recommended again that the lighter-than-air base investigation be limited to the sites offered in Southern California. Political pressure alone, and not the best interests of the Navy, extended the investigation of locations to other sections of the Coast.

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BIG SPRING IN A THRILLER FOR A LAST GAME THERE

BIG SPRING.—The last football game of the season to be played on the local gridiron will be played here Saturday between the Big Spring Steers and the Brownwood Lions. The two teams are reported to be equally well matched and the tussle is expected to be a fight from start to finish. The Brownwood team holds sixth place in the Oil Belt district topping Sweetwater, Mineral Wells, Big Spring and San Angelo.

NEARBY COUNTIES HOLD FORT WORTH PRORATION MEET

BIG SPRING.—A called meeting of the advisory committee for the Howard-Glasscock Proration was held this morning at 10 o'clock in the Blackstone Hotel at Fort Worth, Tex. An effort was to be made at the meeting to adjust differences between Howard and Glasscock counties' oil producers and the pipe line companies purchasing crude oil in this section. Those attending the meeting from Big Springs are: E. E. Andrews, proration umpire, R. T. Piner, a member of the proration advisory committee. The called joint meeting of producers, pipe line companies and proration committee men is a di-

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that The Texas and Pacific Railway Company will sell at public auction at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, Nov. 27th, 1929, at its freight depot in Midland, Texas, the following unclaimed freight, to-wit: Six thousand nine hundred eighty-eight gallons of fuel oil, being the shipment of oil made in tank car L. D. L. X. 1638 June 16th, 1929, waybill 65, by the State Highway Department at Pharr, Texas, consigned to the Union Asphalt Company at Midland, Texas. (Oct. 28-Nov. 26. inc.)

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BOOKKEEPER FOR CONTINENTAL OIL GIVES OUT FACTS

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"She got to where she could hardly eat anything, for she was troubled so with indigestion. She was badly constipated and had to take a strong laxative most all the time. She took all kinds of medicine and treatments but nothing seemed to do her any good."

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