

Weather Forecast
WEST TEXAS: Fair tonight and Friday, warmer in southeast portion tonight.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

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Maximum 34
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NATIONAL NAVAL VIEWS HEARD

McFarlane Prison Bill Is Received in Texas Legislature

In Bas-Relief

Chicago "Bull Fighters" Rail-Plane Competition This Radio Etiquette Old-Timers Pass

By E. C. Hankins

A frustrated attempt to bomb Assistant State's Attorney Edward Markham, followed by an unsuccessful gun attack upon him, has been revealed. The motive was attributed to the warfare upon an alcohol ring.

"As I reached the yard, two men ran from the garage. The dog grabbed one," he said. "The other fired at me, but missed."

Just one of those daily incidents which mark the attacks of "bull fighters" in Chicago. Cheap melodrama and acting marks the activities of vice rings. Why do these insist upon holding to their old tactics if this is the basis for the gangsters' joy in life? The press of America is expecting something really revolting for the future. If anything will induce criminal torture they believe it is the booze war.

Trains on the 66 miles of new line the Santa Fe railroad now is building between San Angelo and Sonora will be dispatched by telephone instead of by telegraph, which system during 1930 probably will be extended to the Orient, which the Santa Fe acquired last year.

This was announced by H. C. Chase of Chicago, superintendent of telegraph for the railroad, after he and other Santa Fe officials Sunday inspected the complete part of the new line. About 30 miles of rails have been laid southward from San Angelo to a point between Christoval and Eldorado, county seat of Schleicher county.

No wonder the railroads are doing something. Speedy planes are competing with the railroads in prices. There is nothing about the rail lines which is not being duplicated by airlines. S-A-T, line which serves Midland, is the latest to announce rate reductions. It may be that the railroads will be subverted into the freight-carrier class in a few years.

The announcement that telephones will be standard equipment on Texas trains along the Santa Fe is not an innovation, it has been done extensively before. Even the fiction writers refer to the characters making calls as casually from a train as they would in a Harvey house. But the planes running over daily schedules are beginning to use the radio extensively, the radio phone.

There may be great competition between rail lines and airlines in the future. Mergers will undoubtedly be made. The stock market will be more acrobatic as a result of pending business deals. The American public may see a fight waged that will be convenient as regards traffic fares.

PLAN WOULD HOUSE 1500 PRISONERS

Inspection Trip To Start Tonight At 10:30

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—(AP)—The legislature received the fourth prison concentration and reorganization bill today as it planned to adjourn until Monday to go to penitentiary properties for a first hand inspection. The measure came from Senator McFarlane, Graham.

The house argued at length over the property, asking Governor Moody to provide it with certain financial data but was determined to leave tonight at 10:30 for the Huntsville prison farms. The senate session lasted only twenty minutes. The house resolution calling on the governor to submit a subject amending the confederate pension law was adopted without argument.

The McFarlane bill would set up a commission composed of the land commissioner, three from the senate, five from the house, and would reorganize and concentrate the system on any lands now owned.

It would erect a model plant to house not less than 1,500 prisoners. The bill carries an appropriation of \$500,000 for the year ending August 31, 1931, and the same amount for the following year.

BUILDING GETS O.K.E.R

AUSTIN, Jan. 22.—(UP)—The state highway commission had the approval of the attorney general's department in letting the contract for an office building at Tyler, the committee appointed to investigate reported to the house today.

BUILDING PLANS BAPTIST CHURCH TO BE PRESENTED

Building plans for the First Baptist church of Midland were received today by the building committee, and will be presented to the church at the Sunday morning service. It was learned this morning from the pastor, Rev. George F. Brown.

The plans include a complete remodeling of the present structure, with an addition on the west, extending northward, which will add greatly to the Sunday school room capacity and make possible enlargement of the auditorium.

A photograph of the architect's drawing, with tentative blue prints of the floor plan, will be shown to the membership of the church as well as visitors, and opportunity will be given for asking and answering questions, so that all may be familiar with the plans for building.

Definite figures on the cost of the remodeling and the addition have been given by the architect. The plans have been accepted by the building committee, after a number of conferences with architects, and the sanction of the church is sought by the committee.

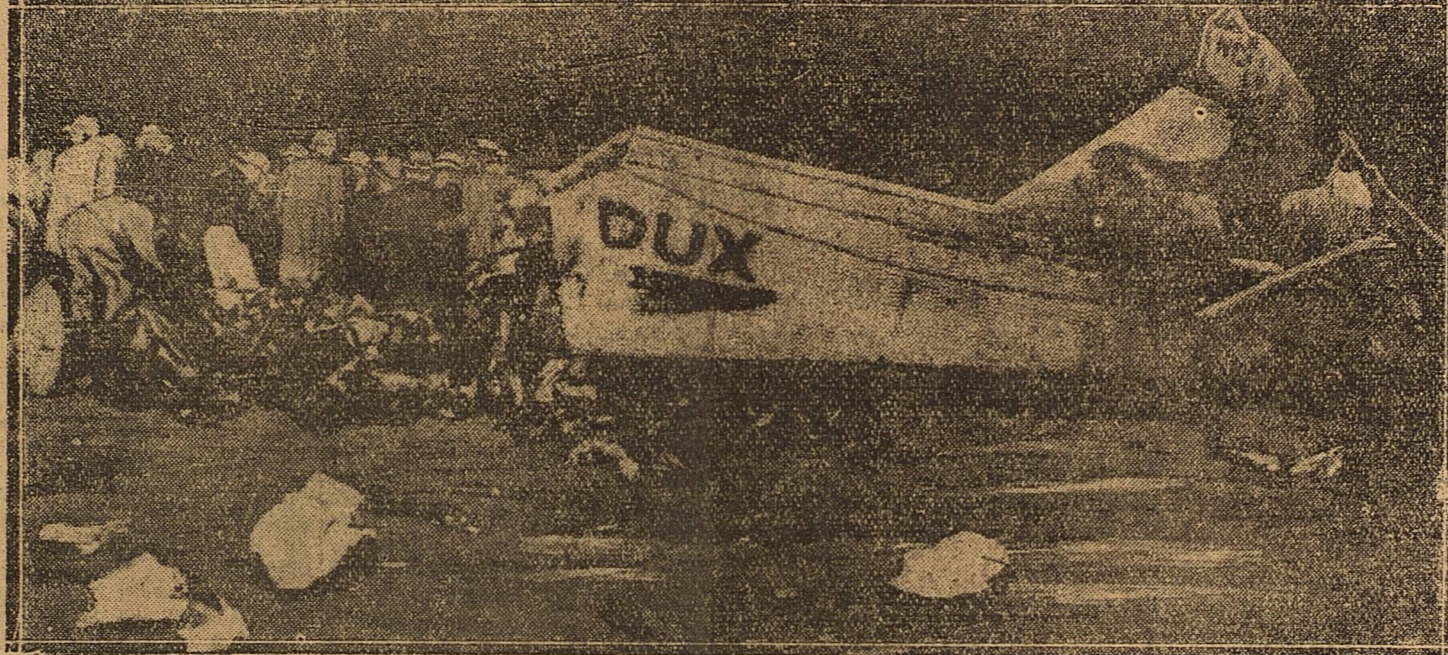
SIXTH BRADY CASE JUROR IS CHOSEN

WORKING SESSIONS RESUMED

Stimson Says U. S. Could Reduce Its Navy

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Meeting in a friendly, helpful atmosphere, delegates to the five-power naval conference outlined their national viewpoints briefly at the first working session today, then resumed conversations seeking resolutions of outstanding problems.

Greatest Commercial Air Crash Known In History



Telephoto rushed to Chicago over the wires of the A. T. & T. to International Illustrated News Service from Los Angeles showing wreckage of plane at Oceanside, Cal. A sudden storm was blamed for the crash, in which sixteen persons on board the plane were killed. The plane burst into flames while in the air and became a gasoline-fed funeral pyre.

GOVERNMENT TO LIGHT 2 AIRWAYS HERE

Warm Weather Today To Be Followed By Warmer

Clear, sunny skies and warm sunshine, coupled with predictions of warmer weather tonight and Friday, went a long way to restore contentment over the Midland area today.

Ranchmen, looking over their pastures, found cattle in good condition; work in the oil fields of the area went on uninterrupted, and traffic on the highways and lateral roads resumed its seasonal congestion.

A report from the weather bureau on weather week ending Jan. 21 showed that throughout the district the period was cold with light to moderate snow over the Fairhandle, with heavy snowfall in a few places. This weather generally was unfavorable to livestock, which shrunk.

Government Asked To Aid Byrd Party

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—(UP)—Emergency assistance for Byrd's Antarctic expedition was requested of the state department by Byrd's backers.

Twenty To Attend Boy Scout Meeting

The Buffalo Trail Council of the boy scouts will have its annual meeting at the Douglas hotel in Big Spring, January 23.

The directors of the council, which includes the five districts of this area, along with the scoutmaster from each troop, assistant scoutmaster, committeemen, a representative scout from each troop, and anyone interested in the boy scout movement are asked to be in Big Spring on that date.

Eighteen or twenty people are expected to go from Midland, according to Kenneth Ambrose, head of the local council.

At four o'clock, visitors will be admitted for registration and at 4:30 the various divisions of the organization will meet separately for business.

At 7 o'clock, there will be a banquet and special program, now being arranged, after which the entire group will engage in business of the council.

Provision Is Made In Annual Commerce Supply Bill

When increased provisions were made for the growing function of the commerce department of the government, an allowance for air navigation facilities under its dominion included a step which will be of immense value to Midland and to aviation in this area of the state.

The annual supply bill for the fiscal year 1931, totalling \$113,799,386, was reported on Wednesday to the house as providing for lighting of airways from San Diego to Fort Worth, from Fort Worth to Louisville, and to begin the lighting of routes from San Antonio to Midland and from Fort Worth to Birmingham.

By this it is understood that only a few weeks will elapse before actual work begins on a series of beacons between Midland and San Antonio, and only a few weeks longer before the Route through Midland between San Diego to Fort Worth is lighted.

Naval and army officers who have talked to airport attaches and newspaper men here during the last year have pointed out the eventuality of several airlines criss-crossing at the Midland port. They said that physical features and geographical location combine admirably to bring this about. It would be necessary for lighting systems to be established in order that night flying might result.

Flyers here say the appropriations committee's report on the annual supply bill has a significance quite apart from the mere suggestion of the announcement, that the port here will become the center of a great radiating system of lines, each lighted and bringing in traffic night and day.

Two Dead After Shooting At Waco

WACO, Jan. 23.—(UP)—With the death today of Sam Kuss, restaurant proprietor, the toll of a shooting at the Kuss hamburger stand last night reached two. Alex Bush, 70, died immediately after the shooting.

Lee Whatley, Waco barber, is held in connection with the shooting.

Alonso Mendiola, Mexican dish washer, was badly wounded. Whatley surrendered to police and is said to have made a statement which involved Kuss' family affairs. Bush and Mendiola were shot when they interfered.

Thoroughbreds Are Burned In A Blaze

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 23.—(P)—Two stablemen, an apprentice jockey suffered burns, and fifteen thoroughbred horses burned to death in a fire which swept two barns at the fair grounds racing plant today.

Former Friend Of Brady Is On Jury

AUSTIN, Jan. 23.—(P)—The John Brady murder trial gathered momentum today, with three additional jurors being obtained.

John Dittmar, farmer, who testified he had known Brady for twenty years, was chosen soon after a new panel of 132 was summoned. R. P. Burke, young sign painter, was selected after testifying that he had read a letter about the case. He said that Brady's religion, which is Catholic, would not make any difference.

Fred Erzur, mill hand, was the sixth juror selected, having been chosen just as the noon recess began.

SHELL-THORPE IS NEW PRODUCER IN HOBBS OIL POOL

Another producer was added to the Hobbs area in Lea county, N. M. Wednesday when the Shell Petroleum Corporation's Thorpe No. 1 flowed 1,100 barrels in 24 hours.

The hole is at a total depth of 4,161 feet, with a string of tools lost, and following recovery of tools it is planned to deepen to approximately 4,190. Shell representatives here said today.

Located in the southwest corner of the north half of the southeast quarter of section 10, township 1-south, range 38-east, the new producer is about 3 miles southeast of the new Humble-Bowers producer which came in early this week making 10,000 barrels.

The Shell well is said to be on the same structure as the Humble well, although low, while the Humble well is "right on top."

Man Dies Of Heart Trouble Here Today

Jim Ladd, 36, tourist, father of two children, died of heart trouble this morning at a tourist camp on the west highway. Funeral services were conducted this afternoon.

FEAR FOUL PLAY CAUSED DEATH OF DALLAS EDITOR

DALLAS, Jan. 23.—(UP)—Strong indications that it is possible that foul play was responsible for the death yesterday of Wilbur Shaw, Dallas magazine editor, caused Ben Foy, justice of the peace, to retrace his verdict of freezing and to re-open the probe.

Numerous mysterious telephone calls prompted the re-opening, the judge said, adding that he will obtain all facts possible before a final decision.

Four persons professing knowledge of the affair called the judge, not giving their names. A re-examination of the body indicated that he neither slipped nor was an automobile victim. Wounds impossible to have been received from an automobile were reported.

AT THE AIRPORT
A Barling low-wing plane, belonging to the Nicholas-Beasley company of Marshall, Missouri, took off from Sloan Field early this morning after spending the night there.

U. S. COULD REDUCE

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(UP)—The U. S. navy could be reduced, Secretary of State Stimson told the naval conference today. National requirements, largely relative, were continued at the first business session. An agreement basis would enable an American cut, it is generally believed.

OLD MIDLAND RANCHMAN DIES AT AGE OF 70

Another old resident of Midland county, J. D., familiarly known as "Jim" Self, 70, has died, succumbing to an attack of pneumonia about 10 o'clock Wednesday night. He died in a local hospital.

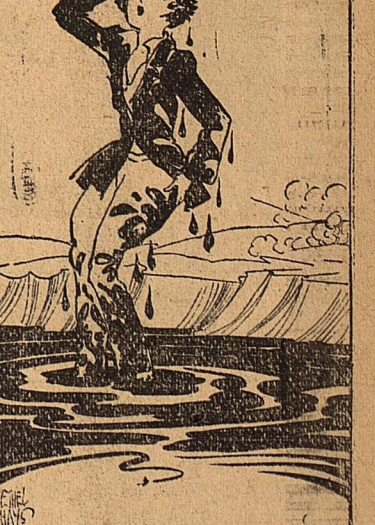
The old resident at the time of death was manager of the Beal ranch in Martin county, just over the Midland county line. He was at work on the ranch when illness forced him to come to Midland for treatment.

For years he had extensive acreage of rangeland. He was a 32-degree Mason. For what old Jimmys say must have been 30 years he lived here, and has a place 15 miles southeast of town.

Four children survive, Mrs. Jack Estes of Midland, Henry Self, Odessa, Roy Self, Midland and Mrs. Denton T. Hill of Stanton.

The body will be buried at Stanton Friday morning, funeral services beginning at 11 o'clock. The dead man's wife was buried there. Services will be held at the Baptist church there, and under the auspices of the Masonic order.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



Girls are still falling for the idea that horseback riding is good clean sport.

Telephone Your Parties to Society Desk

WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Live Wire Class To Give Special Program

The Live Wire Class of the Methodist Sunday school met Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Alta Mae Johnson for the purpose of planning a program to be given at the 11 o'clock hour next Sunday morning.

Fine Arts Club Concludes Study Of Realism

Mrs. A. E. Horst and Mrs. M. F. Peters were hostesses to members of the Fine Arts Club at their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon. The study of Realism was continued from the last meeting, with "Masfield and Realism" as the subject.

Mrs. Holt Hostess To Wednesday Club

"Science and Scientists" was the subject of study at the meeting of the Women's Wednesday club Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. O. B. Holt, Jr.

HIGH SPOTS IN "SIDE STREET" SEEN AT YUCCA

Gangsters snuffing out the life of a police officer in one of New York's Side Street murders. Another crime without a clue, baffling in its lightning-like execution.

The tip given by Kathleen Doyle to her officer sweetheart, Jimmy O'Farrell, that puts him on the trail of the Muller gang and makes him a marked man.

The word battle in which John and Dennis try to keep Jimmy from keeping what they know is a rendezvous with death.

Dennis O'Farrell, alias Barney Muller, being mowed down by the bullets of his own gang—a death intended for his brother.

The death of Dennis in the arms of his brother's game to the last, and refusing to be a "squealer."

AGRIANS ORGANIZE

MEXICO CITY, Mex.—(P)—Means of increasing farm products will be discussed at a national convention of peasants and land-owners called by the National Chamber of Agriculture for Jan. 21 here.

"Lady Margaret," Beauty Specialist Here We have with us this week Madam Clara King, giving free facials and teaching the ladies how to take care of their complexions at home.

The Snow Story

By Fanny Darrell



YOU know, there are always two sides to every story. And this fact is brought home to me more than ever on snowy days.

pressed tightly to the baker's window, wistfully eyeing the display behind the glass? Or seen the poor little waif with barely enough clothes to protect her from the icy blast which accompanies the snowstorm?

We Live In Speedier Age, But Were The Ways of the Old Days More Fun?

Remember when we had no phones and a young man had to call on his best girl to make a date? Girls in those days were more coquettish than they are now.

YOUR CHILDREN by OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

When we start something we like to finish it. Nothing irritates us more than to be interrupted at a job and to have to jerk our attention away to something else.

On The Art Of Coloring Food

There is an art in mixing colors for food just as there is for a picture—a light touch is essential.

Personals

Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson has as her house guest, Mrs. S. H. Casteel of Fort Worth. A. A. Roberts is in Crane today on business.

AT RITZ TODAY

A colorful, appealing and thrilling film, "The Romance of the Rio Grande," starts at the Ritz Theatre today.

Let G. P. LOVE

Figure your concrete work Expert on Sidewalk, Curb, Porch, and Foundation—at a reasonable price

EXPERT CONCRETE WORK Three Years Concrete Contractor in Midland Consult Me on Your Sidewalk Paving

TURKISH BATHS Now Open for Business at the LLANO HOTEL

Basement Fully Equipped... Baths for Ladies and Men Ladies Phone for Appointment Ed Spears & Wife Experts

QUICK AUTOMOBILE LOANS

Old notes refinanced or new loans made—Any amount. You drive car and pay in convenient installments. Quick, Courteous, Confidential Service.

A THREE DAYS' COUGH IS YOUR DANGER SIGNAL

Creomulsion FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

FOREHEADS TO BE VISIBLE ONCE MORE

Foreheads have been out of style so long that many women hardly know what theirs look like; and how that forehead, to be chic, must be visible, a lot of women are discovering that theirs are not what they used to be.

"Usually there's a more deeply-seated cause for them. Here are some common ones: wearing too-tight garments or poorly fitted shoes that pinch; maintaining bad posture; neglecting inner bodily disturbances—especially around the digestive regions—that cause headaches from little headaches great wrinkles grow; wearing eyeglasses too tight on the nose; improperly fitted lenses or lenses not adjusted to changes of vision.

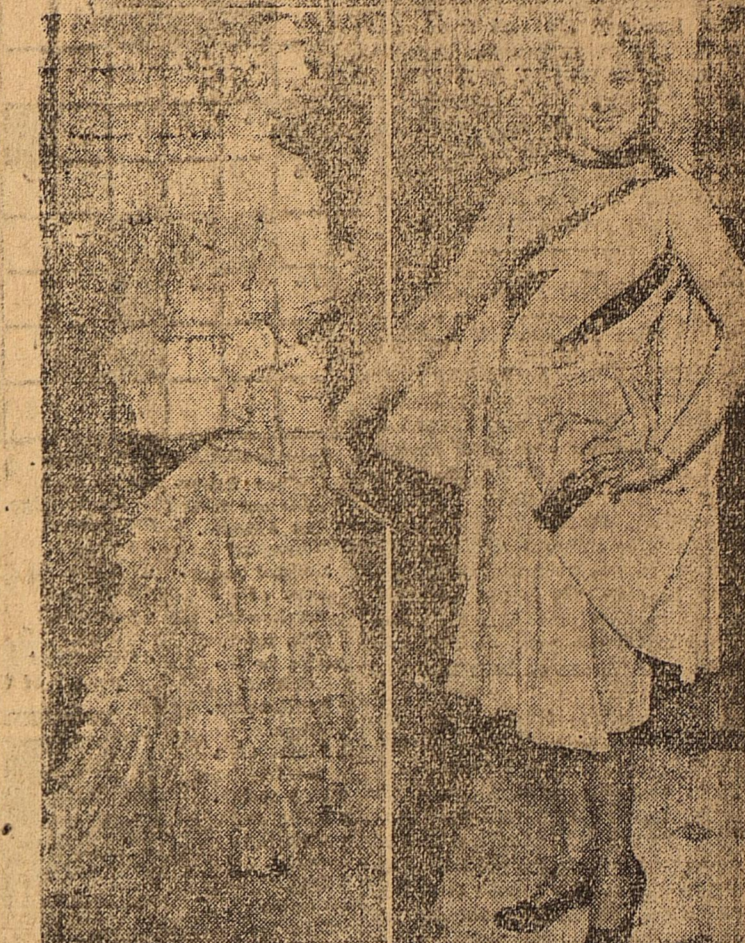
miracle called brain, to do its work. If the baby lisps out, "I'm tomin' in a minute," when we call him, isn't it just possible that we, or rather he, will be gaining something enormously important if we can be patient enough to wait that minute?

PNEUMONIA Call a physician. Then begin "emergency" treatment with VICKS VapoRub

Amazing! Way Tanlac Relieves Stomach Troubles

For years the remarkable results obtained from Tanlac in the treatment of general rundown conditions have amazed its users, but most surprising of all is the quick relief this remarkable medicine gives in cases of "rheumatism" and stomach ills that yield to nothing else.

Harbingers of Spring



Longer and longer is the Spring edict for skirts, with some touching the floors and others with a train. At left is shown an entrancing evening gown of pink lace, with arm mitts, modeled by Ruth Gaden for the Chicago Fashion Show.

Announcements

Mrs. Fred Turner will entertain the Joy De Vie Club at 3 o'clock. Belmont Bible Class meets with Mrs. O. E. Strand.

GOOD YEAR PREDICTED

The year just closed was the best in our company's 25 years of operation in the state, according to O. Sam Cummings, Kansas City life insurance company agent for Texas.

25th Anniversary Texas Agency KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE CO. Quarter Century Texas Record Policyholders in Texas 41,500

Glasscock Well Is Shut Down; Too Cold

BIG SPRING.—Glasscock Bros. No. 1 W. P. Edwards, three mile extension well to the Coffee-Phillips pool of Northern Glasscock county shut down Tuesday morning on account of cold weather after penetrating another sulphur water horizon from 2,363-85 feet. No. 1-Edwards, 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, produced an average of 100 barrels daily from pay topped at 2,227 feet and drilled to a total depth of 2,229 feet. It was decided to deepen the hole to an expected second pay around 2,435-38 feet.

Panhandle Feeding One Million Head

AMARILLO.—(P)—Cattlemen in the Texas Panhandle are feeding a million head this winter, most of the animals being on both pasture and feed, Grover C. Butler, secretary of the Panhandle livestock association, estimates. "We have about a million cattle feeding in the Panhandle this winter," he said. "It is not as many as we usually have. There are not many cattle being fed on full feed. Most of them are on both feed and pasture. "The pastures this winter have been in good shape. I do not think the cold weather has hurt cattle as much as people think. We know better how to take care of them." Mr. Butler estimated the normal movement out of the Panhandle in a year is between 500,000 and 600,000 head. "Most of the young stuff goes to Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, and Illinois," he added.

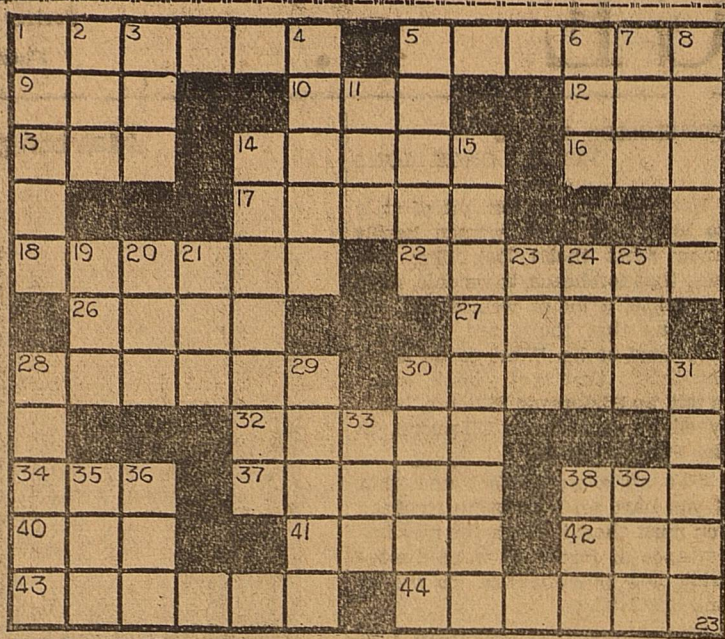
Storage Limited At The Amerada Coffee

BIG SPRING.—(P)—Limited storage is hampering production of Amerada Petroleum company's No. 1 Coffee, extension well of the Coffee-Phillips pool, but despite that handicap, the well pumped 400 barrels of oil in ten hours. The largest single gauge recorded at the new well was 36 barrels in 30 minutes, at which rate the producer is capable of pumping 1,728 barrels daily. It is doubtful the well will stand up to that record over a continued pumping period, but operators estimate it is good for 1,400 to 1,600 barrels initial production.

South Plains Town Needs Warm Weather

LAMESA.—Dawson county and Lamesa citizens as well as other residents of the Lower South Plains were today awaiting the promise of warmer weather as the extreme cold temperatures, which struck this section over two weeks ago accompanied by high winds, sleet, snow, ice and rain, continued to keep the thermometer below the freezing point. If warmer weather does not prevail over this section within the next few days farmers and livestock owners will be faced with the serious problem of water and feed shortage for their cattle. The lowest temperature recorded during the cold spell came Friday, January 17, when the thermometer slunk to six degrees below zero, according to R. Sam Moore, government weather man here. This is be-

Geographic Questions



HORIZONTAL 34 Promise. 37 To gain knowledge. 38 Tatter. 40 Wrath. 5 Chief industry of Arkansas. 9 To knot. 10 To be indebted. 12 Silkworm. 13 Age. 14 Part of a tank. 16 To finish. 17 Dogma. 18 Projects over. 22 "B." 26 Laborer. 27 To fly. 28 Garrets. 30 Scorches. 32 Where is Calcutta? VERTICAL 6 Honey gatherer. 7 Sea eagle. 8 Jockey. 11 Pale. 14 Mimeograph. 15 Periodical. 19 Pone. 20 House dog. 21 Taro paste. 23 2000 pounds. 24 Label. 25 Before. 28 Forging block. 29 To leer. 30 Ancestors. 31 Chief industry of Colorado. 33 Simpleton. 35 Native metal. 36 To marry. 38 Battering machine. 39 Beer.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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Merchants Headed By L. A. Eubanks

BIG SPRING.—L. A. Eubanks, secretary of the local Retail Merchants' association, was made secretary of the Central West District of the Texas Retail Credit Bureau, Inc., organized at Abilene Monday. C. R. Pennington of Abilene was made president. The Central West District takes in the towns of Abilene, Sweetwater, Cisco, Colorado, Big Spring, Midland, San Angelo, Lamesa, Anson, Hamilla, Stamford, Winters, Ballinger, Coleman, Snyder, Star, Breckenridge, Mineral Wells, Brownwood, De Leon, Munday, Olney, Graham, McCamey, Pecos and Wink. The purpose of the organization is to encourage closer co-operation between the local units and the state bureau and to give better service to local merchants, said Mr. Eubanks.

BOND ISSUE FAVORED

BIG SPRING.—Midway, rural school district of Howard county voted their approval on a school bond issue of \$15,000 which is to be used in constructing a modern brick and tile building. This district is located midway between Big Spring and Coahoma. The plans call for four classrooms and an auditorium. It is a three teacherage school with seventy-five pupils enrolled. The bond issue was voted on Saturday, Jan. 18 and carried 29 to 10.

Only about seven per cent of the people in England at the present time are classed as "farm population."

COME TO ABILENE

Saturday, Jan. 25th, the Championship Roping Contest and bulldogging Exposition. Bob Crosby, Abilene, World's Champion Roper and Cowboy, defends his title against Allen Holder of Rankin, star rodeo performer and widely known cowboy. Two of the best ropers in the world meet for \$2,000 purse, West Texas Fair arena, Abilene, Saturday, Jan. 25th, at 2 p. m. Don't miss it. —adv.

Santone "Con" Men Work \$4,500 "Job"

SAN ANTONIO, Texas.—(P)—These new fangle rackets may be "the real Mac" in Chicago, but the old time confidence game still gets the call in the Alamo city. The same game which turned J. Frank Norfleet from a peaceful citizen into a nationally known man-hunter went over big for three "con" men here and a winter tourist is minus \$4,500. Norfleet was victimized and straightway became a nemesis among confidence men, sending many to prison. E. Miller of Minneapolis, Minn., a tourist, met two middle-aged men who seemed friendly enough. Days passed with them becoming closer acquainted. Then the trap was sprung. A friend of Miller's new acquaintances had a tip on the stock market. Miller was persuaded to play with his friends. They won almost \$50,000 paper profits. But before they could collect, another man, the tipster, told the trio they would have to show \$25,000. One of the "friends" said he could get \$10,000, and the second promised to ante \$10,500. Miller put up \$4,500. Then came a hurry call to one of the friends after the pool had been collected from the stock tipster who had the winnings. The friend had to go to Atlanta, Ga. He agreed to meet Miller there and split his winnings. Miller followed. Finally he went back to Minneapolis. Chief of Police Owen Kilday of San Antonio heard of the swindle and wired Miller to return to the city at the expense of the police chief. Miller did and became the guest of Chief Kilday while detectives combed the city for the three "con" men.

VOICE BEATS ORGAN

BALTIMORE.—When it comes to a contest between mechanical and human voices, the latter has the former beaten. The tenor of Frank S. Walsh, for proof, has outlasted three organs and five choir masters at St. Luke's Episcopal church here. He has been a chorister for 60 years.

Advertisement for Hassen & Co. featuring a large 'NOW' graphic and text: 'THE YEAR'S GREATEST CLEARANCE STARTING FRIDAY 5 Days Only Pre-Inventory Clearance On All Seasonable Merchandise We invoice next Thursday and Friday, and we quite naturally want inventory to be as low as possible. Profits are forgotten—To clear the shelves and racks is our aim regardless of the cost'

Advertisement for Hassen & Co. featuring a woman in a dress and text: 'LADIES' WINTER COATS, FUR TRIMMED 1/2 PRICE All New Spring Coats and Dresses Are included at reductions. Fall and Winter Dresses in three groups \$4.88 \$10.88 \$16.88 Only about 40 left to clean us out entirely so we are going to sell them if price will do it.—The prices quoted are in many instances less than one-half their former price. New Spring Styles 240 Wash Frocks Every One Guaranteed Fast Color \$1.95 Carefully selected from four of the best wash dress lines in the country—Sizes 14 to 46 Blankets and Quilts Reduced 25 Per Cent Mens' and Boys' Suits and Overcoats Every Garment at a reduction of 1/3 You can well afford to buy one now and wear it next winter 75c Boot Sox 59c \$1.25 Heavy Unions 98c 75c Childrens' Unions 49c Hassen & Co. W. I. PRATT, Mgr. Midland, Texas Build Sidewalks—For Free Mail Delivery'

A tip . . . from Andrew Carnegie

ASKED to explain his phenomenal success, Andrew Carnegie blandly attributed it to his ability to get men to work for him who knew more than he did.

And that's a formula for success. Nobody who is really successful does all the work himself. He employs other people's minds and efforts.

Do you do the same in the intricate business of running your home and taking care of your family? You can, quite easily.

You can employ specialists in diet; you can serve the master dishes of famous chefs; you can have the advice of style authorities in selecting your clothes, or whole electrical laboratories in buying household appliances, by reading the advertisements.

All the newest knowledge—knowledge millions of dollars and years of effort have won—is contained in the advertisements.

If you will use the advertisements in this newspaper as Andrew Carnegie used men who knew more than he did, every dollar you spend will be spent wisely, economically, and will return full measure of satisfaction. That's the way to be a success in the greatest business in the world—making a home.



It pays to read the advertisements

DeLuxe Launderers and Cleaners PHONE 575 A Service for Every Family Need Flatwork — 8c lb. Wearing Apparel 30c lb. Rough Dry — 8c lb. QUALITY DRY CLEANING AND PRESSING The Soft Water Laundry

Money for Your Property Is what you want. Our methods get the buyers. If your prices are right. Our service is your service. We also specialize in rentals and exchanges. Write or call us. McClintic Brothers 207 Petroleum Bldg. Phone 808

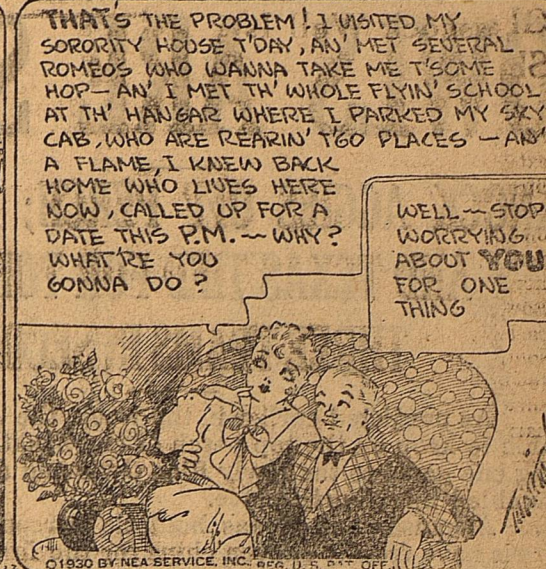
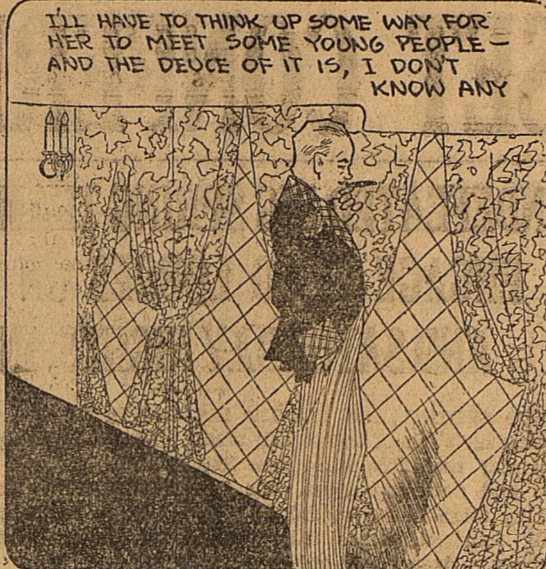
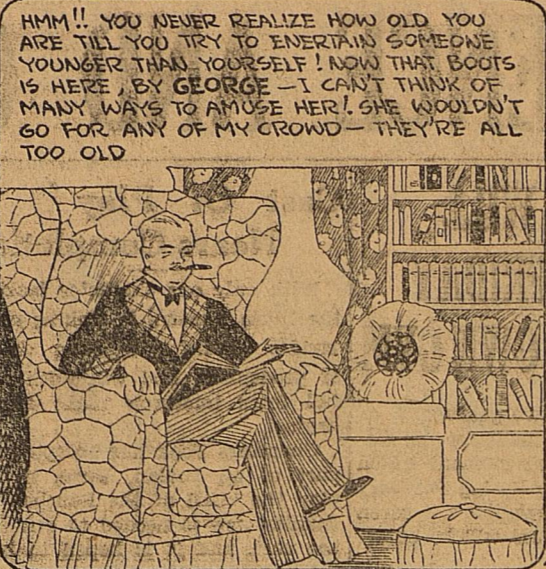
Side Glances by Clark BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

That's That!

By Martin



"Yeah, things are a little quieter than usual."

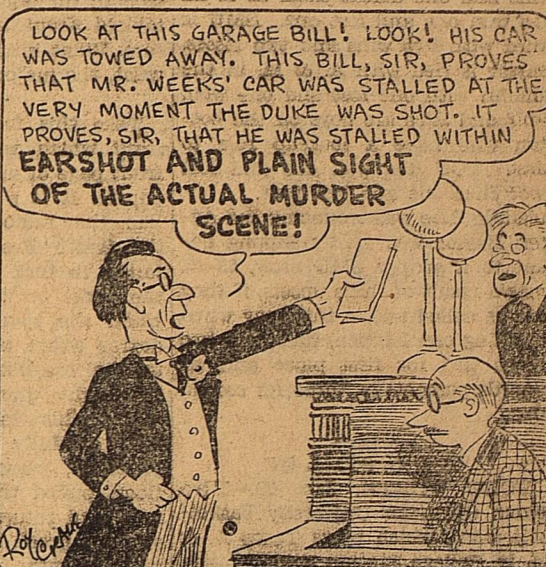
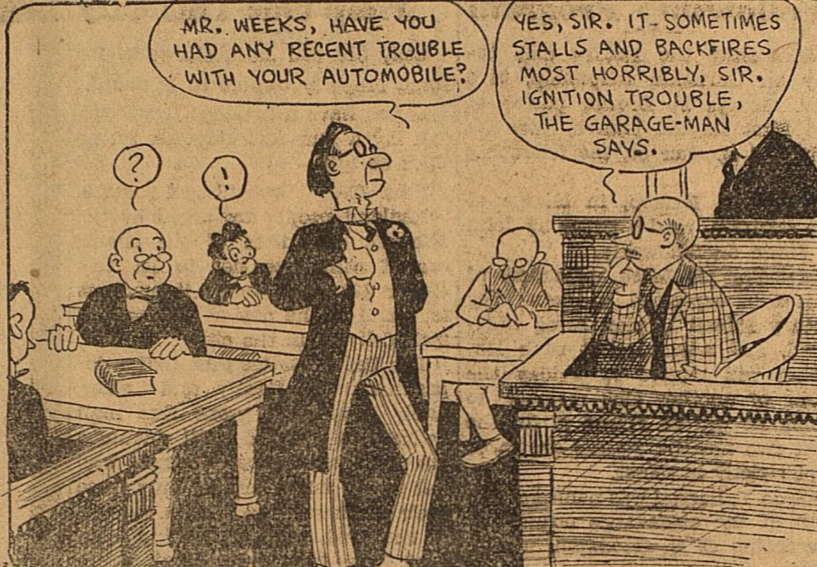


WASH TUBBS

Eye-Witness or Murder—Which

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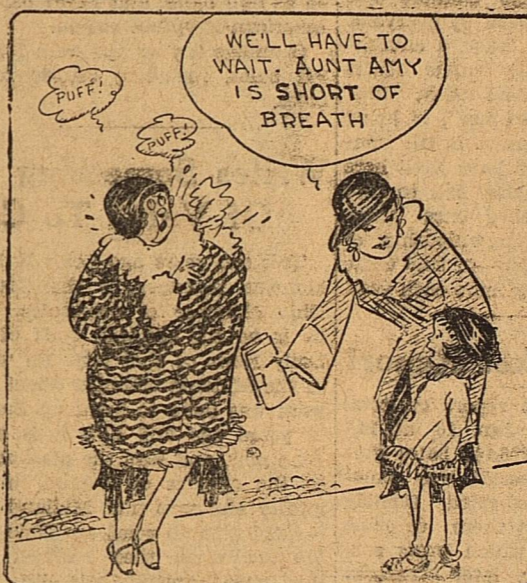
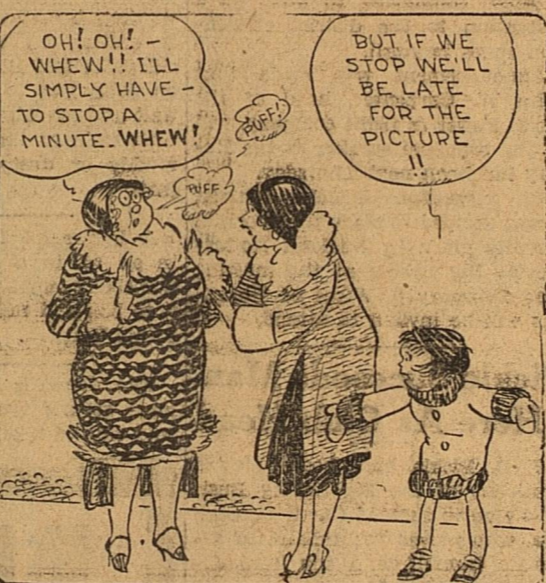
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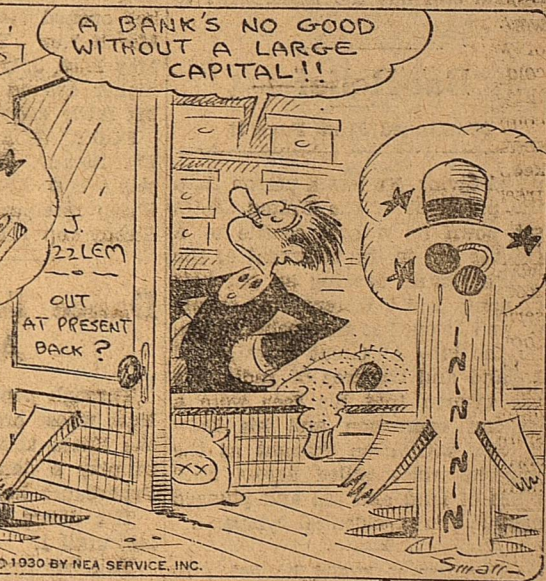
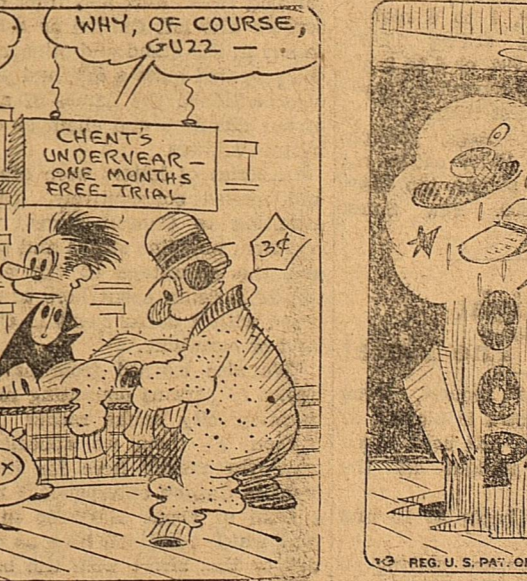
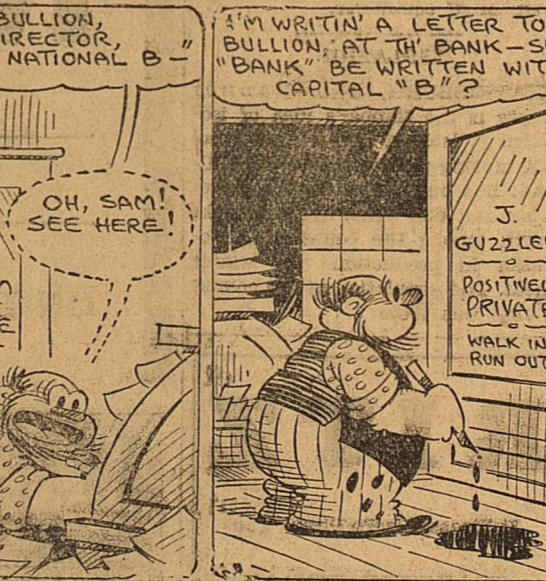
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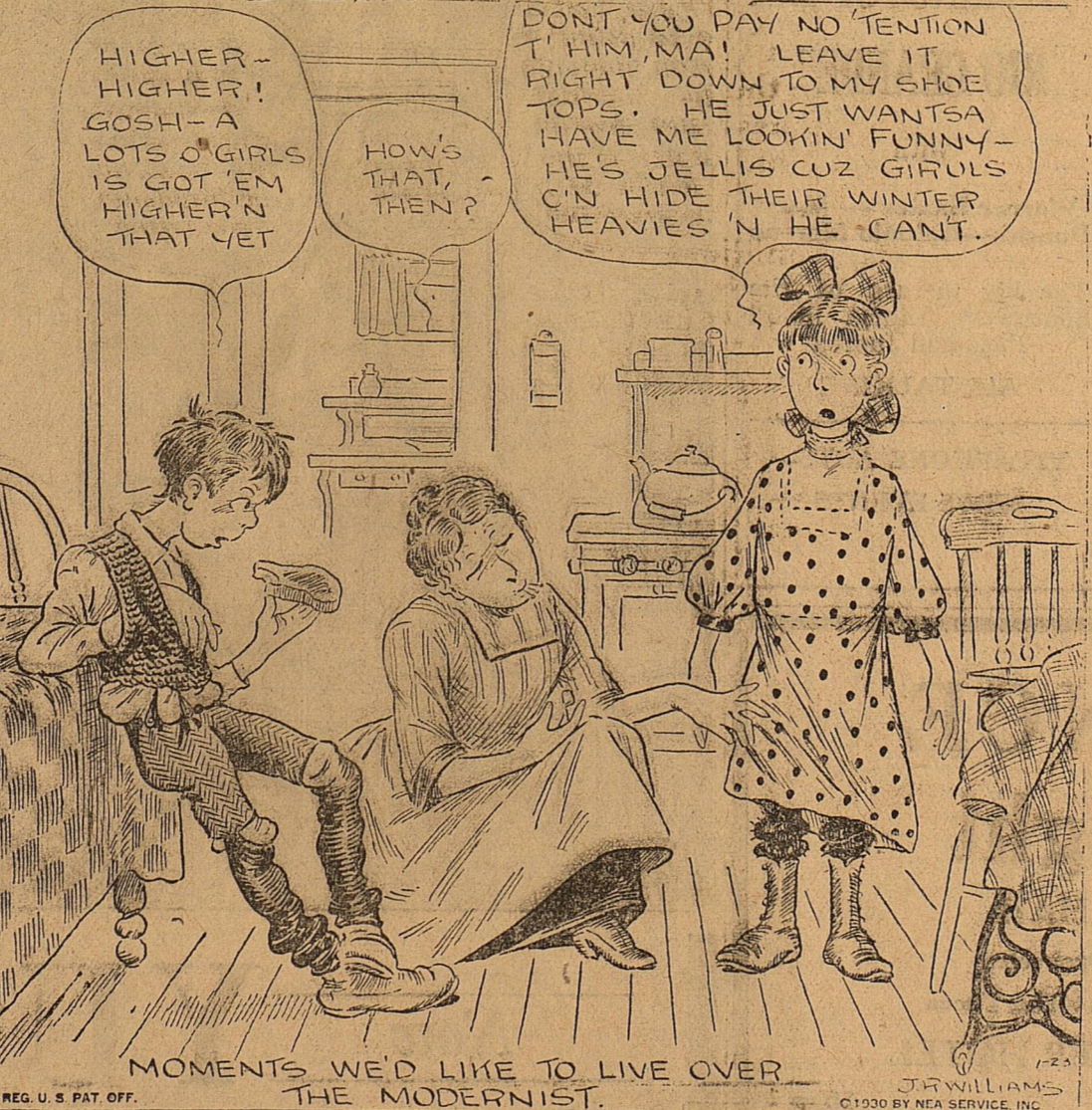


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OWLS ARE SATISFIED; UPSET CONFERENCE AND GET THAT SHAVE

KNOCK AGGIES OFF PERCH; ARKANSAS AND TEXAS TIED FOR TOP, AND THREE TEAMS IN SECOND

As predicted earlier in the week, the Aggies were not able to keep on the top perch of the basketball ladder, losing one game to the lowly Rice Owls and as a result being tumbled into fourth place.

Arkansas and Texas hold tie percentages and the Owls have freshly shaven chins for the first time in a long time, the Houston birds having vowed a terrible vow not to shave until they had won a basketball game.

Texas and Arkansas have three wins and one defeat each. A. & M. has won one and lost one. SMU is third with two wins and two losses. Baylor is tied with A. & M. in the column with one loss and one win. TOU and Rice are boys on the bottom who have a look-up role to play. TOU has won one and lost two; Rice one and lost four.

While Rice was trouncing the Aggies Baylor was gently slipping defeat to a groggy SMU crew, 32-24.

As a result of these upsets, if they can be called upsets this year when anything can happen, there are two teams tied for first place and, as regards percentage, three for second place.

T. C. U. STILL IN

FORT WORTH, Jan. 23.—The Texas Christian University basketball team, which plays Texas A. & M. in College Station Friday night, is no longer working under the necessity of topping the Aggies from their perfect percentage position. The Rice Owls took it upon themselves to perform this duty, and incidentally got rid of their whiskers at the same time.

As the Horned Frogs defeated the Owls comparatively easily last week they seem to have the edge over the Farmers in the contest Friday night. T. C. U. defeated Rice 33 to 21 and Rice beat A. & M. 22 to 17, which leaves the odds decidedly in favor of the Frogs. However, as the dope rarely runs true to form, Coach Francis A. Schmidt, of the Horned Frogs is not letting up on his practice sessions.

The Christians' chances to get in the race for the conference title this season depends upon their ability to win every game left on their schedule. As Texas and Arkansas have lost only one game each, T. C. U. can not lose another game and still remain in the running. Baylor must also be contented with, as the Bears defeated S. M. U. Tuesday night 32 to 24. Baylor, however, lost its first game to Texas and still has the Razorbacks to play.

Bas-Relief

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noted divine. No less a person than the president of the United States sat down on a coal scuttle or a cracker box in the basement of the White House, wearing an old pair of pants and a disreputable sweater, and listened to an epochal speech by the king of Great Britain and Ireland and emperor of India. We are assured that his face wore a solemn expression and his brow knitted with deep thought as the imperial voice rolled across 2,500 miles of land and sea and plunged against the presidential tympana.

Of course it would be going to ridiculous lengths to insist that one dress to suit the radio occasion, but perhaps in time the smooth-writing creators of haberdashery ads will catch on to the golden opportunity that awaits them in this new field. They will insist that a president who hears a king must wear full morning regalia. It will be called crude to hear a football game broadcast in anything but heavy furs and patches. One who hears a radio sermon must dress as if for church. When the National Anthem goes on the air, one must rise and stand at attention. As the collection plate circulates among the pewholders, one must affect a scowl and look the other way.

We wonder if the king of Great Britain and Ireland and emperor of India attempted to visualize his most distinguished radio listener as he spoke his little piece into the microphone. If so, there is little doubt that the presidential left ear turned a deep cherry red.

This discussion is "buried" in the editorial column, where few will read it. It is an interesting discussion. American newspapers "feature" other kinds of news on their front pages—have to because of the whims of the reading public. The

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Tough On Nose And Hair In This Office

Just an average day at The Reporter-Telegram's composing room, where the incessant clatter of the linotypes and presses go on.

"Arkansas," the printers' devil, looked up in time to catch a falling hammer on the bridge of his nose and had to be carried to the hospital for emergency treatment.

"Shorty," job printer and "concrete fisherman" nailed two boards together only to find he had caught his hair between the boards. He had to call for assistance.

Both accidents occurred as James P. Harrison, manager of the Commercial Printing company and capable wielder of the hammer which made contact with "Arkansas," decided to move some of the heavy machinery in his department.

COTTON GINNINGS TO JANUARY 16TH ARE 14,187,779

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—(AP)—Cotton ginned prior to January 16 was announced today by the census bureau as 14,187,779 running bales, including 560,815 round bales counted as half bales, and 25,457 bales of American-Egyptian cotton.

Ginnings a year ago were 13,888,972 bales, including 646,396 round bales.

Writes Something Of Value To City

Thirteen years ago Louis E. Deuble was manager of the Canton, Ohio chamber of commerce. Now he is on the editorial staff of the Daily News of that city. He writes to the Midland chamber about how work was done to build up Canton 13 years ago and how it is being done now, and says the plan aroused the citizens of Canton to new loyalty and says that Midland people ought to do what the Ohio people did when they realized how they were injuring their city.

Here are excerpts from his letter: "Our plan then was to learn from railroad ticket men and from other sources who left Canton as a habit to buy in Cleveland and other cities. We prepared quite a list, and which also contained the names of a few of our directors and chamber committee workers.

"A series of letters were drafted and mailed consecutively, calling attention to Canton stores, their resources and fine stocks and prices and the advantage of the evolution of a dollar spent here as compared with a dollar spent in Cleveland or elsewhere.

"We also learned from bankers, names of persons depositing money in other city banks rather than in Canton. To them we appealed to leave the money here for investment in Canton enterprises. I recall a total of about \$3,000,000 in one year which remained here as a result of this effort with the banks, and which helped to build homes, more money with the building and loan companies for that purpose instead of sending it away."

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UNDEFEATED BIG SPRING TEAM WILL ENGAGE CISCO LOBOES ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS, IN OWN GYM

BIG SPRING, Jan. 23.—The Big Spring high school basketball team will play the Cisco team here Friday and Saturday night. The Big Spring team has a record of winning fourteen games this season without a defeat and only one defeat in the last two years.

Plans are being made for the district basketball tournament which will be held in Big Spring February 14-15, in which champions of seven surrounding counties will be entertained.

Rotary Club Holds Fellowship Program

Addressing the Rotary club today on Christian fellowship, the Rev. George F. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist church, was the principal speaker on the fellowship program.

Elliott H. Barron, in charge of the program, read a paper by John P. Howe on fellowship.

Malcolm M. Meek, president of the club, explained in detail the Rotary Friend X plan being instituted, and advised that each Rotarian will receive by Friday the name of another club member to whom he will be Friend X for the next five months. Names are to be kept strictly in secret.

Clyde Y. Barron was named chairman of the attendance committee, succeeding C. B. Goodman, who is moving away from the city.

A committee composed of T. Paul Barron, Thos. D. Murphy and F. E. Cragin was appointed as the "en to Temple" committee, to work up a delegation to the district convention there in April.

Announcement was made that John W. Carpenter, head of the Texas Power & Light company, will be the principal speaker at the Rotary luncheon next Thursday.

On suggestion of John Bonner, it was decided to stage the program recently given by Midland Rotarians at Big Spring at the meeting here February 6. Wives of Rotarians will be invited to attend.

Pickle Succeeds Man Here As Club Head

J. B. Pickle has been elected president of the Big Spring Business club to succeed Curtis G. Condra, who moved to Midland to associate himself with the legal department of an oil company.

Pickle is active in civic affairs, a member of the city commission and a director of the Big Spring chamber of commerce.

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Cast Of Play Nears Completion

With only one character lacking, the Little Theatre is making rapid strides toward completing details of production, and will work with full force tomorrow night at rehearsal.

Chambers Peak has accepted the part of an Indian, Yuru, in the play "Call of the Banshee." A Russian Jew is needed to complete the cast, and it is hoped to have this vacancy filled today or tomorrow in time for tomorrow night's practice.

COLA-MINT

DEMAND IT FOR COLDS AND FLU GIVES PROMPT RELIEF SOLD AT ALL DRUG STORES

Only about 10 or 15 per cent of the public school teachers in the United States are men. Some astute research expert discovers that poets hardly ever are athletes. Even though quite a few of them are long-winded.

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