

TEXAS: Cloudy, with scattered showers tonight and Tuesday.

Maximum 80 Minimum 54

SLOW RAIN FALLS OVER THE AREA

Chinese Bandits Massacre Thousands, Others Captured Lightning Bolt Touches Off \$200,000 Fire at Pecos

HOTEL AND TWO STORES ARE BURNED

Inch And A Half Rain Falls In Wake Of Big Blaze

Pecos, early today, suffered a fire with estimated damage of \$200,000, the flames spreading quickly after lightning struck a store building at 3 o'clock this morning.

The Leader Grocery company, the Justin Hotel, and the Black Furniture company were most seriously damaged, the information said.

For a time, the flames, fanned by a strong wind, threatened the entire business section, but volunteer firemen confined the damage to the three buildings.

Rain totalling an inch and one half fell at Pecos early today, it is reported.

Rain Clouds Bar Looking at Eclipse

Midland this morning faced the possibility of seeing an enforced eclipse of the sun, due to low rain clouds that were heavy with the promise of more water.

The eclipse here was said by weather observers over the country to be due about 10:50 and end at about 1:40. An appreciable lessening of light and heat would have been observed at 10:50 had the sky not been overcast.

The percentage of eclipse seen over the United States depended upon how far they are from the eclipse track, which, less than a mile wide, extended from a point on the Pacific coast north of San Francisco to Twin Bridges, a town 35 miles south of Butte, Montana.

At San Francisco the eclipse was to be a 99 per cent one. At El Paso more than half of the surface of the sun was to be hidden.

An army airplane, sailing along at 100 miles an hour nearly two miles above the earth and carrying a scientist with a powerful camera, was the chief instrument with which American astronomers sought to check up on the total eclipse of the sun today.

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Would You Like To Be Left Out?

Have you been asked a lot of questions lately? If you haven't, it means you haven't been enumerated by the census taker. Sometimes the census taker has been to your house four times and failed to find you at home.

The thing to do is to get counted—so you can help swell the total number of people to be recorded in Midland. The Reporter-Telegram and the Midland chamber of commerce are now helping take the census. No matter where you live in Midland, come to the chamber office and register if you haven't already been counted, or sign the blanks in The Reporter-Telegram.

OIL WELL FIRE CONTROLLED LATE SUNDAY EVENING

Control of the fire which late Saturday caught the oil flowing from Skelly-Amerado No. 1 University, in the Penn pool, Ector county, was effected Sunday evening at 6:30, after 25 1-2 hours of battling the flames.

Four steam batteries were turned loose on the flame at one time, after debris from the rig had been cleaned and trenches had been dug about the well to catch the oil as it flowed by heads.

As the steam was turned forcibly into the trenches, it drifted upward with the flames, and the blaze was extinguished almost instantly.

Explosion of one of the steam boilers Sunday afternoon delayed the procedure somewhat, but this was repaired and all of the boilers were used in the final job of extinguishing the flames. Water was turned on to the control head to enable shutting in the flow as quickly as possible.

The fire originated at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon when the well was shot with 420 quarts of nitroglycerin at 3,722 feet, and came in. A rock, blown against the steel crown block, is believed to have created a spark, igniting the oil.

The well is located in the north-east corner of section 1, block 35, University.

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FEROCITY IS WORST IN HISTORY

Machine Guns Used As Mounted Men Loot Town

PEIPING, China, April 28. (UP)—Bandit hordes sacked and burned the city of King-suchen, in northern Kiangsui province, killing thousands of persons, advices received here today said. Another thousand were captured. Cavalrymen hunted down women and children and slaughtered them. The town then was set afire and the raiders drove off the captives, forcing them to carry the loot.

Advices said that the bandits displayed a ferocity unparalleled in the annals of banditry in China. A hundred of them, mounted on horses, set up 30 machine guns. Streets of the city were raked.

STERN MEASURES TO SUCCEED AT OHIO'S PRISON

COLUMBUS, Ohio, April 28. (P)—A determined effort to bring unruly Ohio penitentiary convicts under discipline was made today by Warden Preston Thomas, who called in police reserves, and Ohio national guardsman to aid in overcoming the prisoners.

After a night of disorder in the idle house when prisoners ripped down cell doors, fearing to be locked in as were 320 men who met death a week ago, prisoners faced the first effort to end the convicts' campaign of "passive resistance" against Thomas.

Thomas said the week's disorder was ended, and that stern measures would be taken.

Girl Love Duelists To Be Prosecuted

MEXICO CITY, April 28. (UP)—Maximum sentences of five years imprisonment and fines equal to 30 days income each for two impetuous Mexican dancing girl duelists, who fought for the love of a fickle man, will be sought, a prosecutor announced here today.

Maria Luise Gonzales Lopez and Enriqueta Hernandez Jaurez, cabaret girls who fired six shots at each other for the love of Sergio Augustus, will face court charges as soon as Maria Luise recovers sufficiently. The shots went wild, and the girls took to finger nails and knives.

Surveys In Midland And Ector Not Sued

There has never been a law suit over boundary lines in Midland or Ector counties, according to R. E. Estes, veteran county surveyor, who announced a few days ago that although he has been in the office more than 30 years, he seeks to hold it long enough to office one term in the new court house.

Estes surveyed the county lines all the way to the Pecos river when counties were divided up from Tom Green.

JOINS SURVEY HERE

Charles Horan, junior civil engineer of airways surveys of the United States department of commerce, was in Midland today arranging to complete a survey for intermediate landing fields and beacons from Wink to Midland. Horan will be here several days, making Midland his operating headquarters.

Adele Ritchie Kills Self and Friend



Mrs. Guy Bates Post (left), noted actress under the name of Adele Ritchie, and divorced wife of the stage actor, who shot and killed her friend, Mrs. Doris Murray Palmer (right), an artist, formerly of Chicago, and then ended her own life. Bodies of the two women were found in Mrs. Palmer's bungalow at Laguna Beach, Cal.

LATE FLASHES

AUSTIN, April 28. (AP)—Governor Moody today was at work on his third and last statement reviewing his accomplishments as governor, how the legislature had treated his proposals, and his ideas for solving existing governmental problems. The last statement, elaborating on his way of meeting pending problems, scheduled to be completed during the week was expected to lead to an announcement for third term.

DALLAS, April 28. (AP)—Two Southern Methodist University students today were recovering from bullet wounds suffered last night when they resisted a bandit who was killed in an attempt to hold up a suburban theatre. Identified as O. M. Houston, Nashville, Tennessee, the bandit died in a hospital one hour after the robbery. Ralph Porter, 17, and Joe Threadgill were the injured.

WASHINGTON, April 28. (AP)—Claudius Huston, chairman of the republican national committee, informed party leaders at conference over the weekend that he would not consider resigning his post under fire of the senate lobby committee, it became known today.

TEXARKANA, April 28. (AP)—Charges of murder were filed today against Lester Cooper, 21, in the shooting of Paul Hunter, 23, in an undertaking parlor last night. Both were employees of the concern. Questioning of Cooper and two youths in the establishment at the time of the shooting failed to reveal a cause for argument. A fist fight between Hunter and Cooper preceded the firing of shots.

PLANT CITY, Fla., April 28. (UP)—The third lynching in the south in a week is believed to have occurred during the night, although a search for John Hodaz, suspected bomber, continued today. Hodaz was taken from a deputy sheriff by eight men last night as the officer was en route to Bartow with the prisoner, alleged hurler of a bomb that shattered part of a house, seriously injuring a woman.

GROVETON, April 28. (UP)—Lonnie Best, farm youth, was held today for the shooting of Brink Hollis at a country barn dance. Hollis' son also was wounded. Both are expected to recover.

NACOGDOCHES, April 28. (AP)—Two of six prisoners who left the county jail last week leaving notes that they had "business to look after," were behind the bars today. George Boatman was the second to return. Will Tindall returned several hours after leaving, and L. D. Jennings is expected back tomorrow. The others are in the county but are not being molested.

JIM KELLY AND OTHER FLYERS IN DEATH CRACK-UPS

Airplane accidents took the lives of 16 persons, two of them nationally known pilots, in scattered parts of the country over the week-end.

One of the worst air tragedies this year occurred Sunday at a flying circus outside Fayetteville, Tennessee, where a pilot dived into a crowd gathered at the landing field. The plane killed eight spectators and injured 16 others. Flyer Milton Colvert today was held on a technical charge of homicide.

Captain Herbert J. Fahy, former holder of the world solo endurance record died of injuries received when his plane turned over when taking off at Grayling, Michigan.

Jim Kelly, Fort Worth, was killed in a crash during an electrical storm. He, with Reg Robbins, made an endurance record last summer. Two companions were fatally injured.

BENNETT WINS IN ROPING CONTEST BY 10 SECONDS

Honors for the two day roping contest here between Allen Holder and Hugh Bennett went to Bennett, it was found at the close of the 15-call period Sunday afternoon. Bennett's margin was 10.9 seconds, overcoming a handicap of 42 seconds which Holder had built up on him in Saturday's match.

A fine of 20 seconds when a calf got up after being tied was the cause of Holder's downfall, his score without the fine having been sufficiently low to defeat Bennett by a few seconds.

Holder won first money in the free for all roping contest, in which eight ropers competed for one calf each. Bennett and Jake McClure left this morning for their ranches at Plains and Lovington, respectively, and Holder for his ranch at Rankin. The three ropers will meet at Houston May 10 for the big annual rodeo there.

'Adam and Eva' Playwright More Popular

Midland supporters of the little theatre are basing their expectations for an "even better" performance in "Adam and Eva" to be shown at the Yucca theatre May 6, largely because of the adeptness of one of the playwrights, Guy Bolton, to catch the popular fancy through the medium of his authorship style.

The public is well acquainted with Bolton. Many saw the "Love Parade" when it was shown here recently.

But the success of Bolton runs on and on, as attested to by the great box office attraction, "Sally," which was seen in Midland over the week end. Bolton's plays are built with interesting plot structure, and with color that is outstanding.

"Adam and Eva," three-act comedy, is clever in its origination, well balanced as to dramatic situations, well cast (the director, Mrs. George Thomas Abell playing one of the title roles) and will be certain to catch the fancy of every theatre goer, according to those who have been asked to criticize rehearsals.

ROTARY HEAD RETURNS

Malcolm M. Meek and wife returned Sunday from Temple where they attended the district conference of Rotary International. Meek, president of the Midland Rotary club, was active in the election of Ray V. Nichols as governor of the 41st district and also in distributing literature and paving the way for Midland's bid to have the conference here in 1932.

GENERAL FALL IS REPORT

Additional Moisture Expected; Skies Overcast

RAIN AT 3

A steady drizzle was falling in Midland slightly before 3 o'clock and indications pointed to a heavy rain this afternoon or tonight. The drizzle had fallen during most of the time since the middle of the morning.

General rains fell Sunday and today over a considerable section of the West and Southwest Texas.

Ranges that a bare two weeks ago were badly in need of moisture are beginning to awaken to the green expanse that makes for wealth to the cattleman.

The morale of the entire cattle industry has been bettered. Rains to every direction from Midland have been reported today. Wendell Bedichek, editor of the Big Spring Herald, said on the telephone shortly after noon that a good rain was falling in Big Spring and throughout Howard county, and that reports established rainfall Sunday and today at Colorado, Abilene, San Angelo and all intermediate towns and villages.

Travellers on busses through Midland say rain fell Sunday from Van Horn almost to Odessa, and in a northern and southern direction from Midland.

First reports in Midland this morning said one-fifth inch had registered in the rain measuring instruments at the testing station operated by S. H. Basham. Local weather man, Later check was not received, though it showered at intervals throughout the day.

The effects on the cattle industry of such a rain as continued signs indicate are apparent. Ranchmen can keep cattle in this area without having to ship to other grass. Farmers were ready to plant this week after rains of last, but will defer this with advantage while more rainfall comes.

HERALD TO ENLARGE

The Big Spring Herald will enlarge its newspaper plant by installation of a Goss high speed rotary press within a few days, Wendell Bedichek, editor, told The Reporter-Telegram this morning. Another Linotype will be also installed.

The Big Spring paper has enjoyed a big growth since being put under the direction of Bedichek formerly oil editor of The Abilene Reporter and News.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Many a model man is just posing.

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DECLINE OF THE VILLAGE

The present census apparently is going to show us a few things about the mysterious new course our nation is taking.

Nothing that the enumerators have turned up so far has been as interesting as their disclosure that the small town of the middle west seems to heading for oblivion.

Nearly 60 per cent of the small towns counted in Illinois and Indiana showed a marked decline in population during the last 10 years. Some have been abandoned altogether, and even those that have increased in size are increasing less rapidly than the normal birth increase. In adjacent states the same tendency is noticed.

The small town, evidently, is going the way of the one-horse shay. For generations it was perhaps the most purely American thing on the continent. Now it is going. The census of 1940, undoubtedly, will show its decline carried still further.

A good many things are to blame. The automobile and the hard-surfaced highway probably head the list. They have freed the farmer of his dependence on the crossroads store, the village doctor, the diminutive country bank and the small town professional man. Movies, radios and daily newspapers probably have played a part too. The rural hamlet, in other words, has outlived much of its usefulness. People no longer need it as they once did.

This change indicates a shift in a basic part of American life. These rural villages would not be dwindling unless some very profound change were coming to us. Our population seems to be getting centralized; yet, at the same time, it is altogether impossible just now to tell what the final result will be. Will we all, eventually, be grouped into big cities? Or will the cities, in their turn, begin to split up as improvement in transportation continues, so that suburban villages will lie scattered over a 100-mile radius? Either thing can happen; it will be years before we can see which it is to be.

Meanwhile, let's not shed too many tears over the passing of the small town—if, as the figures seem to indicate, it really is passing. Life in the small town was never quite as idyllic as we often suppose. The small town had a way of breeding provincialism and narrowness. It had no slums, but it cramped many a life quite as effectively as a crowded city tenement district. We may not be losing quite as much as we think we are.

At any rate, for better or for worse, we are changing. Modern life is setting us on a new highway, and no one is wise enough to say where it will lead. We are in the midst of a tremendous re-arrangement. The census figures can only give us a glimpse at a few of its major tendencies.

INDUSTRY'S RESPONSIBILITY

B. C. Forbes, the editor of Forbes' Magazine, is hardly what you could call a caustic of the modern business world. He might almost be called the American business man's greatest booster. Consequently, when he does turn critical, he is eminently worth listening to.

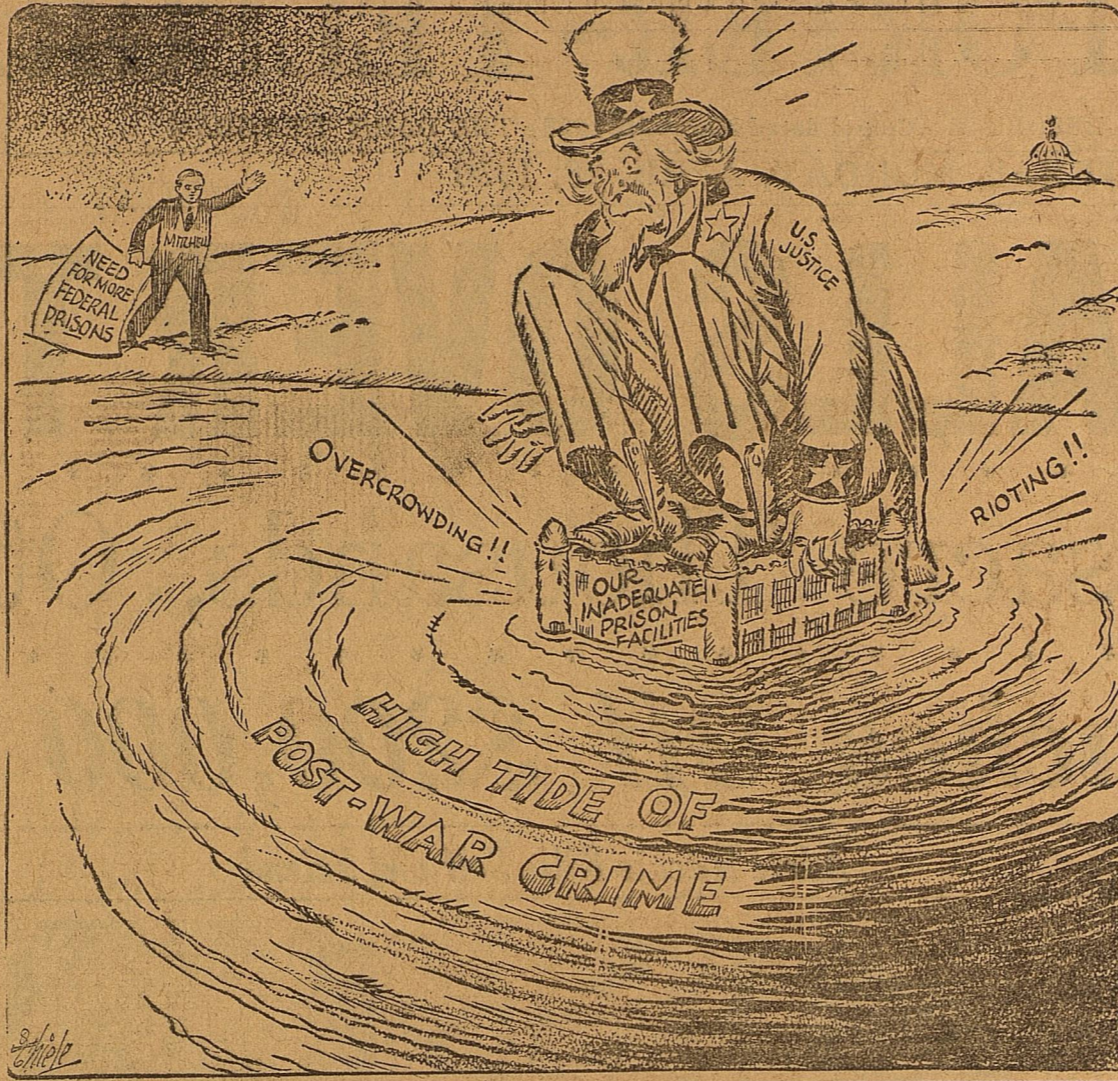
"Industry," remarks Mr. Forbes in the current issue of his magazine, "hasn't one organization, representing its best brains, devoting itself seriously, systematically, scientifically, to handling the whole subject of employment and unemployment."

"There is no co-ordinated machinery for co-operating with the workless to find work. Industry feels perfectly free to dismiss bread-winners by the hundred and by the thousand without giving a thought as to how these bread-winners may succeed or fail in earning bread for themselves and their families."

Then, by way of a final prod, he warns: "If industry itself confesses its indifference or its inability to wrestle with the problem of unemployment, including the older workers, depend upon it that the politicians will step in."

There is sound sense in all of this. Industry will do well to heed it.

A Modern Canute!



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

That Illinois Senatorial Fight Looks Like the Summer's Most Interesting Fight — Mrs. McCormick and "Jim" Ham" Lewis Are Both Excellent Campaigners.

WASHINGTON, April 28. — The nominations of Mr. James Hamilton Lewis and Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick in the Illinois primaries assure for that state the most colorful campaign of this congressional election year.

It is argued on behalf of Jim Ham, the Democrat, that he and Illinois are both very wet whereas Ruth is quite dry, that the wet-dry issue will be the only important one in the campaign, that goodness knows how many voters will shy away from the idea of sending a woman to the Senate, that Ruth will be handicapped by bitterness in the wake of the Deneen defeat, that Ruth's big primary majority was largely due to general dislike of Senator Deneen, and that J. Ham is an almost matchless campaigner of fiery eloquence.

Furthermore, this is an off-year with no presidential candidate to carry anyone over. In 1926 the late George Brennan didn't come so very far from defeating Frank L. Smith with no particular asset except his wetness. There has always been a theory that if George hadn't been a Catholic with a none too sweet reputation as Democrat boss of Chicago he would have mopped up.

But you'd go a long way before finding a smarter, shrewder politician than Ruth Hanna. Among American women who have taken up politics seriously Ruth is right on top of the heap. The average male politician is no match for her at brain work and she can campaign as well as she can play politics.

You can rest assured that she has been planning the strategy of her campaign against Jim Ham for many weeks. It's a good bet that, although Jim Ham is now supposed to be against American entry into the World Court—the main issue which was used against poor Deneen—Illinois is going to hear a lot from Ruth Hanna about how he once supported the League of Nations. She knows well enough that her next opponent will have much more of an appeal for the voters than the colorless, stodgy Deneen.

Not only are these two people most extraordinary; so is the historical and personal aspect of their fight. Jim Ham was elected to the Senate seat now at stake in 1912 when the Republican party split. It was taken away from him by Medill McCormick, Ruth Hanna's late husband, in 1918. Deneen cut in under McCormick and grabbed it in 1924. Ruth Hanna went out for revenge and has it to the extent that she has hounded Deneen into private life. Now she encounters Jim Ham, belligerently seeking his old seat after 12 long years.

Once Jim Ham was a congressman from Washington. He moved to Chicago in 1903 and two years later became the city's corporation counsel. As candidate for governor in 1908 he ran far ahead of the rest of his ticket.

Popular in Washington Washington knows him as one of the most popular characters who ever came here. His pink whiskers, splendid waistcoats, extreme courtliness and his marvelous flow of words made him a national figure. His whiskers, his foppishness and mincing manners never concealed his culture, his mental depth and his ability as a politician and an international lawyer.

Whether the voters choose Ruth or Jim Ham, the winner is assured of a rousing welcome when she or he returns to Washington.

Memphis is the largest manufacturer of cottonseed products.

The Town Quack

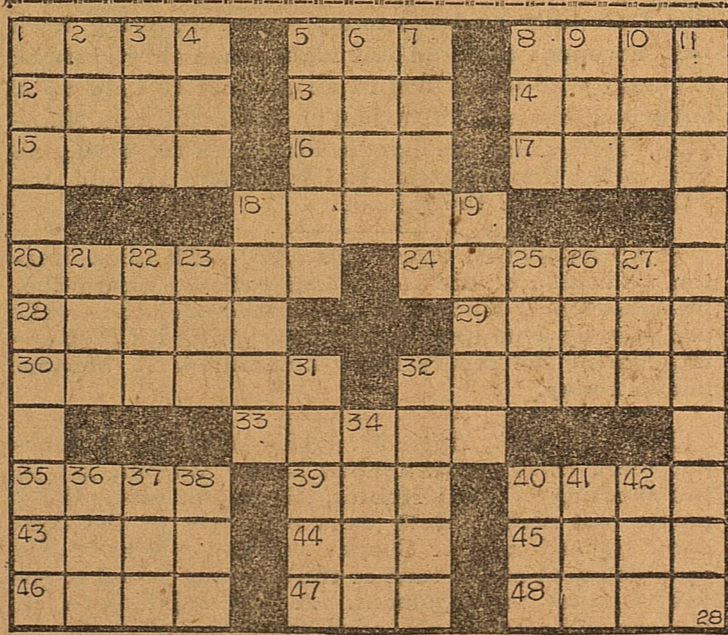
Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.

Baxley, our ad man, set out some advertised bean seeds in the yard west of his house. For a few days he looked over the fence each afternoon to see if they were coming up, but now he is going to have to top them out to keep the plants from shading his house so that it can't get the afternoon sun.

Seems like some of our southwestern states were short sighted and didn't realize their possibilities when building state institutions. Jefferson City, Mo., built prison quarters for 2,500 and has 4,122 inmates; Leavenworth prepared for 1,640 and has 3,461; Huntsville, Texas, built for 3,000 and has 5,500.

Once I heard of a town that didn't have as big a population as it expected, when census figures were turned in.

"Central Cross"



- HORIZONTAL in. 1 Periods. 40 Address. 1 To tame. 7 Reverie. 5 To total. 43 Bulb. 9 Knock. 8 Region. 44 Custom. 2 Coin. 10 Prophet. 13 Spoken. 45 Chail. 3 To sunburn. 11 Expedited. 14 Mineral used 47 To scatter. 4 Sneaky. 18 Tincture. 15 Divers. 46 To eject. 5 Point in an orbit. 19 Sweetheart. 16 To gaze. 48 Obnoxious plant. 22 Rodent. 17 Narrative poem. 6 Action. 23 To emulate. 25 Eggs of fishes. 18 Pertaining to the ebb of water. SATURDAY'S ANSWER 20 Waits upon. 24 Deadly. 28 Retinue. 29 Speech. 30 Purpose. 32 More profound. 33 Mistake. 35 Particle. 38 Opposed to

Los Angeles' Weirdest Murder Soon to Be Aired At Trial of 'Phantom?'

"I'm Glad It's All Over," Says "Human Bat" Who Lived Secretly For Years In The Home of Man He Slew For Wife's Affections

By DON ROBERTS NEA Service Writer

LOS ANGELES, April 28.—Los Angeles has had its share of sensational and astounding murder cases. But never before has it had one which was as weird as the murder of Fred Oesterreich, soon to be aired in court here.

If you went to see "The Terror," and "The Phantom of the Opera," on a town movie bill, came home and read two or three of Edgar Allan Poe's choicer tales of horror ate three Welsh rarebits and then went to bed, your resulting nightmares might be something like this amazing drama that Los Angeles police, after eight years of delay, have finally uncovered.

Oesterreich, a wealthy clothing manufacturer who formerly lived in Milwaukee, was mysteriously murdered in his home here in 1922.

Two New Face Trial His widow, Mrs. Walburga Oesterreich, is now under indictment for the murder. Named with her is one Otto Sanhuber, also known as Walter Klein. Sanhuber, a timid and retiring sort of chap, has the leading role—that of a "human bat" or attic phantom—in the amazing story.

The beginning of the story goes away back to 1912. All of the principals—the Oesterreichs and Sanhuber—were living in Milwaukee then. Oesterreich had a clothing factory there, and Sanhuber, a sewing machine salesman, was assigned to install some machines in it.

Sanhuber then was 21; Mrs. Oesterreich several years older. Mrs. Oesterreich, according to Sanhuber, became infatuated with him. She took him to various places of amusement, in fact, until finally Oesterreich got jealous and put a stop to it.

Secret Room for Lover But the lovers were not to be denied. They devised a secret room in the attic of Oesterreich's home, and Sanhuber stayed there, emerging only at night, for a long time. When they moved to another house another secret room was built.

Sanhuber, thus, lived for months in Oesterreich's home without Oesterreich knowing anything about it.

In 1918 the Oesterreichs moved to Los Angeles, where they built a new home. Sanhuber followed them. A secret compartment was fixed up in the attic with access through a trap door in a clothes closet in Mrs. Oesterreich's room. Sanhuber was installed in this compartment—a small, stifling place—and for four years he lived there. Nights he crept forth for food, like some prowling animal, he calmly relates.

Had Code of Signals The two had a code of signals. When Oesterreich was away, certain taps on the wall would bring Sanhuber out. Mrs. Oesterreich, he says, supplied him with money and food, and he spent much of his time while in his secret room in reading.

Thus, for four years, the unsuspecting manufacturer harbored a regular "Phantom of the Opera" in his house without ever suspecting it.

Finally—on the night of August 22, 1922—Mr. and Mrs. Oesterreich came home from a party. Oesterreich had been drinking and was scolding his wife. Through the walls, Sanhuber heard it and flew into a rage. He got a revolver, slipped from his hiding place, and shot Oesterreich three times, killing him.

Sanhuber then locked Mrs. Oesterreich in an empty closet, turned the key from the outside, opened a first-floor window and crept back to his secret room.

Burglars Are Blamed Neighbors called police. When the officers arrived and released her, Mrs. Oesterreich told them that her husband had been killed by burglars, who had locked her in the closet.

There were so many discrepancies in her story that she was arrested and accused of the murder. But the charge fell through. The police could not get around the fact that they had found her locked in a closet, with the key on the outside of the door. She was released.

During the time that she was under suspicion, Mrs. Oesterreich retained Herman S. Shapiro, an attorney. Once, when Shapiro called at her home to see her, he saw Sanhuber. Mrs. Oesterreich told the lawyer that Sanhuber was her brother-in-law, visiting her.

Old Mystery Reopened A few weeks ago Shapiro went to the police and told them of this. Then he discovered where Sanhuber had gone. Sanhuber, taking the name of Walter Klein, was working as a janitor in an apartment



Pictured above are Mrs. Walburga Oesterreich and Otto Sanhuber, jointly indicted in Los Angeles' weird murder mystery for the slaying of her husband, Fred Oesterreich, eight years ago. Artist Joe King's sketches show how Sanhuber, the woman's "phantom lover," lived in a secret room in the attic of Oesterreich's home for years before he finally shot him to death in a jealous rage.

house. He had married and his wife was with him.

He was promptly arrested, and soon confessed. The arrest of Mrs. Oesterreich followed.

Sanhuber has pleaded not guilty by reason of insanity. He talks grandly of philosophy, says that he has a "dual personality," and declares that the luckless Oesterreich was "a good man, but nuts on religion."

"Now that I've confessed," says Sanhuber, "I feel a lot better. My conscience has always tormented me. The only thing I'm worried about now is how I'm going to explain this to my wife."

"I suppose I'll go to San Quentin, but I feel better and I'm glad it's over."

Mrs. Mathilda Klein, the wife of Sanhuber married in Portland, Ore., in 1924, declares she still believes

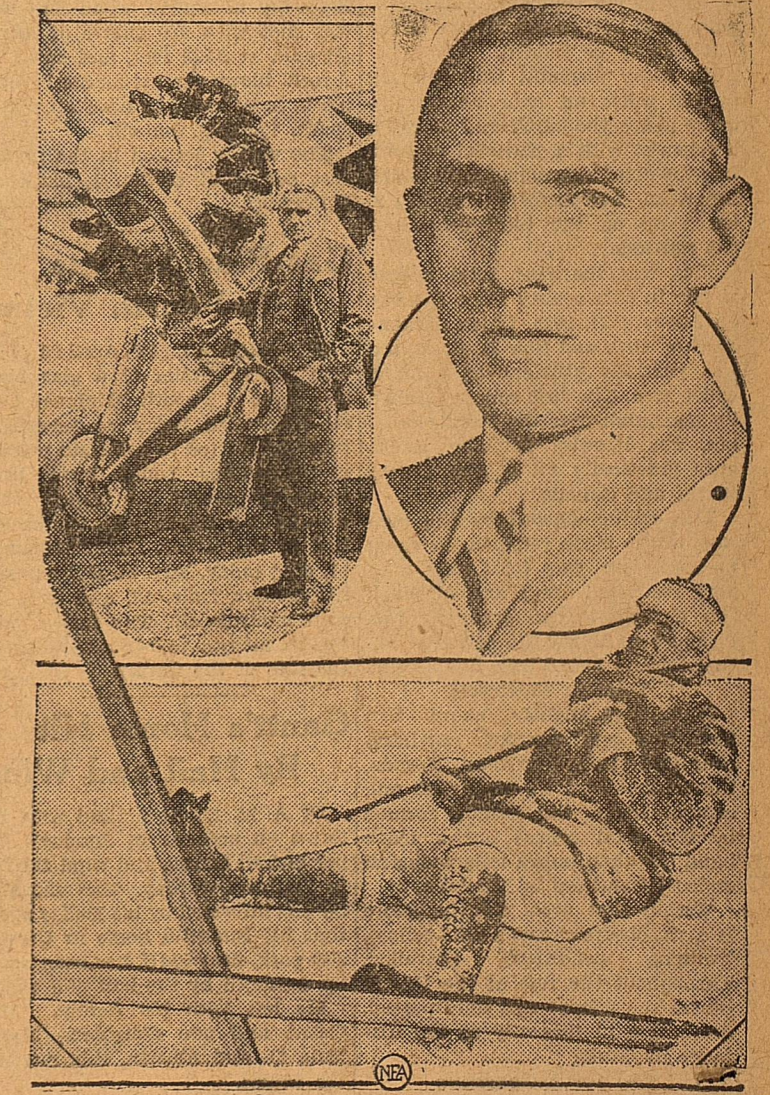
in him, and has urged him to tell the whole story.

TAXES THREATENED

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (U.P.). — Agencies of the National distillery, which supply almost 90 per cent of the alcoholic drinks consumed in the republic, report that sales during the months of January, February and March of this year are approximately \$60,000 below last year's figures. Should this falling off of sales continue, the government will be deprived of over a quarter of a million dollars of much-needed revenues during 1930.

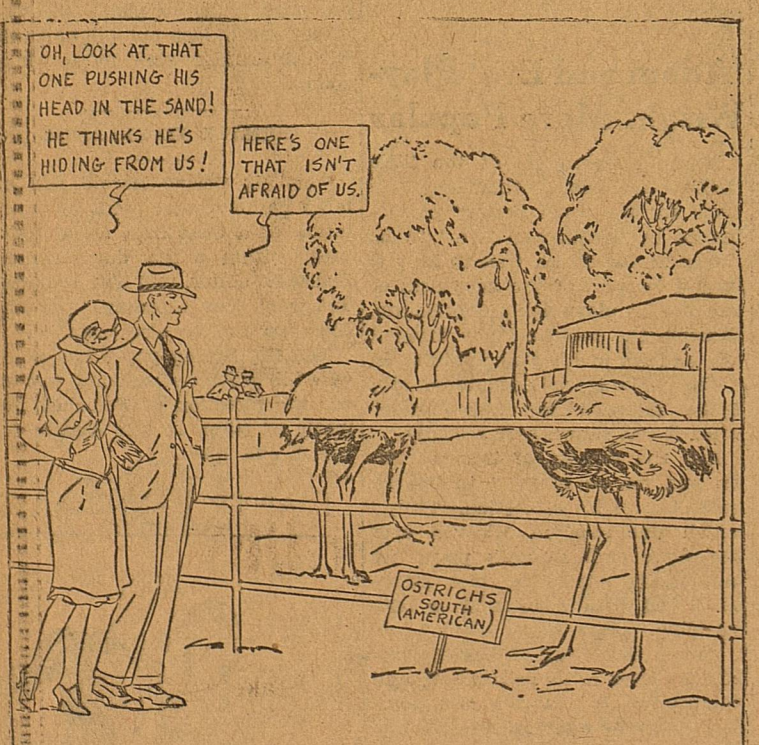
McCamey—Methodists of Crane are laying their plans to build a parsonage for their pastor, according to Editor Thomas Durham.

"Flying Governor" Under Fire



Here are three closeups of Governor Walter J. Kohler of Wisconsin, who faces an impeachment trial at Sheboygan on charges of excessive campaign expenditures, made by Progressive leaders. Kohler, a millionaire manufacturer, owns a private plane in which he makes frequent trips over the state and is an ardent outdoor sportsman.

ERRORGRAMS



Ten's Scramblegram SOTISASINSANA It's a crime!

There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may pertain to grammar, history, etiquette, bled word below — and unscramble it by switching the letters around, find them. Then look at the scrambling or whatnot. See if you can

Telephone Your Parties to Society Desk

WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Mid-Week Club And Guests Entertained

Entertaining members of the Mid-Week club and their husbands and other guests, Mmes. S. B. Cragin and Joe Crump were hostesses at eight tables of bridge Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Cragin, 810 West Louisiana street.

A color scheme of pink and green was favored in table and game appointments. Tallies were old-fashioned girls for the ladies and crazy quilts for the men. Roses and sweet peas graced the rooms.

The guest list included Messrs. and Mmes. Hugh Corrigan, R. J. Moore, W. E. Wallace, R. L. York, I. E. Daniel, Homer Rowe, Ellis Cowden, Donald Hutt, Dick Cowden, A. S. Legg, A. C. Neal, Arch Thomas, J. M. DeArmond, Harvey Sloan, Foy Proctor, Misses Fannie Bess Taylor and Myrtle Green, Mrs. J. H. Longabaugh and Messrs. Ellison and R. DeChicco.

High score favors went to Mrs. Legg and Mr. Daniel, and Mrs. Daniel and Mr. Thomas cut high.

Radio Programs On Child Health Day

NEW YORK CITY—Will Rogers will be the star of the fifty or more radio programs throughout the country which will honor National Child Health Day, to be celebrated on May 1, according to the proclamation of President Hoover which calls upon "all our people and all our agencies interested in boys and girls to assist every reasonable effort of their communities to make this a day for organizing and co-ordinating interest in child health."

The bureau of home economics and the extension service of the department of agriculture are sponsoring programs. Dr. Louise Stanley, chief of the Bureau and Mr. C. W. Warburton, director of extension work, will be among the speakers.

On May Day, child health will be continuously on the radio from eight in the morning until ten at night. Among the speakers will be Dr. Samuel J. Crumline, general executive of the American Child Health association, Mrs. Ida Bailey Allen, president, National Radio Home-makers club, Aida de Acosta Breckenridge, director of public relations of the white house conference on child health and protection, Dr. Herman T. Peck, deputy commissioner of health of New York City, Dr. LeRoy A. Wilkes, Dr. George T. Palmer, and Mrs. Walter McNab Miller.

Other speakers during the last week in April will include Dr. Shirley Wynne, New York City commissioner of health, Mrs. Sidonie Gruber, director of the Child Study Association of America, Dr. Henry Kelly of the New York Tuberculosis and Health association, Mrs. Marion Lerrigo McWilliams, Miss Katherine Vincent, Miss Anne Bufum, Dr. E. L. Baker of the Young Men's Christian association, Miss Ethel Ferrin, and Mrs. Mary Hope Norris.

Made Honor Roll Student At T. C. U.

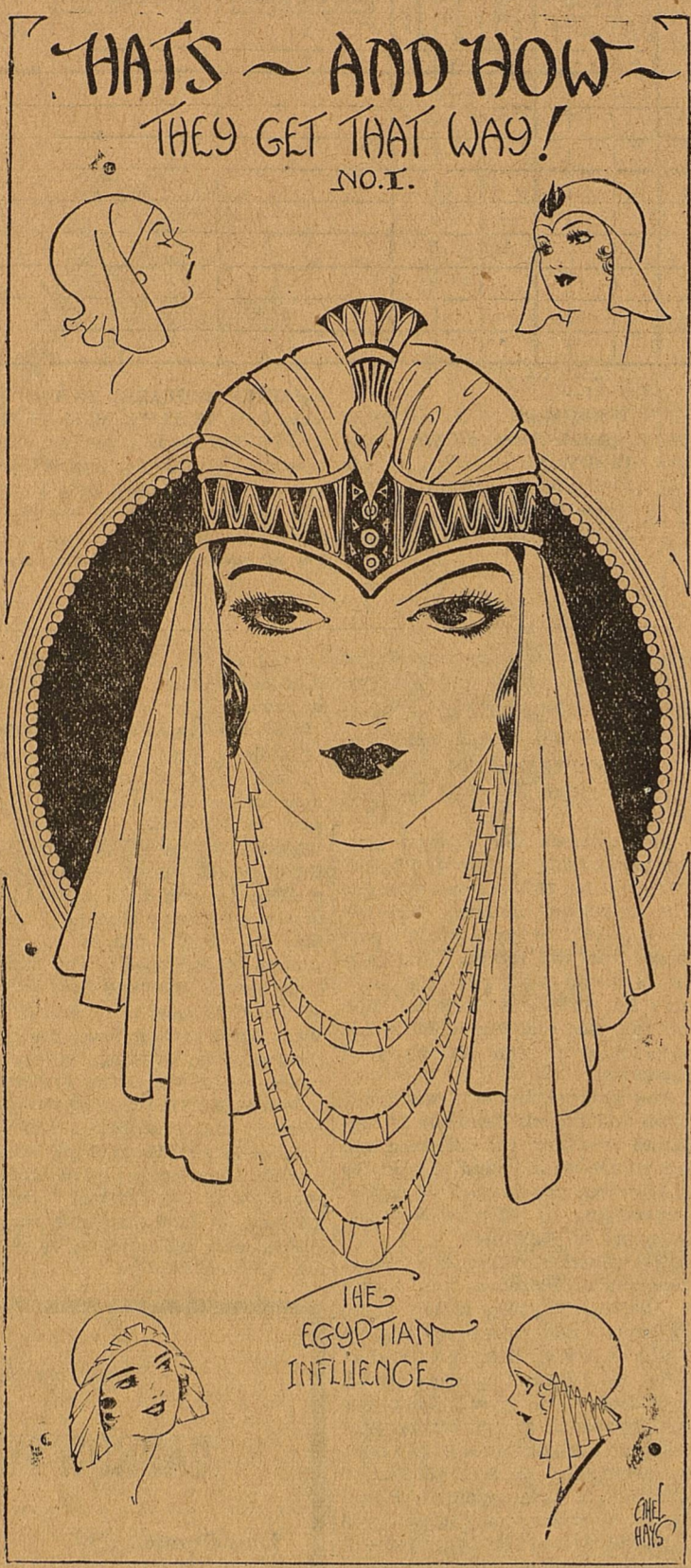
Miss Bennie Cue Ratliff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ratliff of Midland has been announced by Registrar E. R. Tucker as one of the Honor Roll students of Texas Christian University for the first semester of the 1929-30 school year. An average grade of "B" or better is the requirement for the Honor Roll.

A total of 245 names appear on the current list. The seniors lead the four classes in the number of students making the required grades, with 77. Juniors are next with 61, sophomores 54 and freshmen 53.

Crane.—More than 75 teams are now being used by the contractors in grading highway 36 through Crane county, preparatory to the laying of hard surface. The Pelphrey Construction company has the contract.

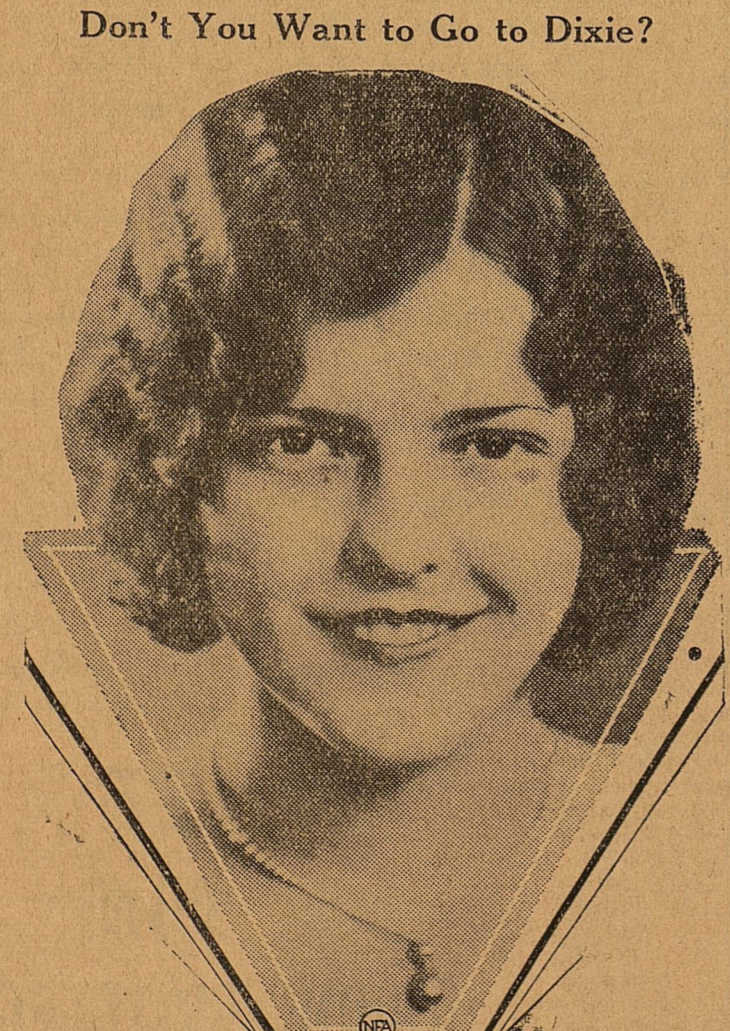
CLASSES IN PIANO for beginners at reduced summer rates. Classes limited to 6 pupils. Term May 6th to July 11th. Call for enrollment from 1 to 3 p. m. BARNES-KANNON STUDIO, across from high school.

Easy! Quick! Glycerin Mix For Constipation Simple glycerin, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, relieves constipation in TWO hours! Most medicines act on only lower bowel, but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, removing poisons you never thought were in your system. Just ONE spoonful relieves GAS, sour stomach and sick headache. Let Adlerika give stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and see how good you feel! City Drug Store.



YOUR CHILDREN by OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON © 1930 BY NEA SERVICE, INC.

Children in cities are constantly over stimulated. There is too much noise, too much to look at, too much excitement over many things to do, to talk about, to hear. We become inured to noise, that is, unconscious of it, but we never become immune. The sensitive ear nerves carry every vibration to the brain. The result is a tremendous waste of nerve energy, and where there is waste sooner or later there will be want. Most emotional stimulation uses up nerve energy, whether it be pleasant or otherwise. The city child in his daily contacts with people, movies, and the other varied opportunities of city life, as we are pleased to call them, runs the entire gamut of human emotions dozens of times over in a few



Here's a pretty fair reason why Dixie can claim fame for something besides cotton. A typical southern beauty and as popular as she is pretty, Marie Harrison has just been elected president of the new chapter of Gamma Phi Beta at Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, Ala., the first chapter of that organization formed in Alabama.

Large Crowd Attends Opening of Meeting

With "Being justified by faith, we have peace with God" as his text, Rev. O. W. Roberts, pastor of the local Pentecostal Holiness church, preached to an unusually large crowd at opening of a three-weeks meeting Sunday night. Great interest was shown in the first service.

Services begin each night at 8 o'clock in the new church at 600 South Colorado street, and the public is invited, according to Rev. Roberts.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Scott of Midland visited Penwell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eugene English of Haskell has accepted a position with the Petroleum Beauty parlor.

D. R. Perry of Midland visited friends in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Paul Barron were among Midland visitors to Penwell Sunday.

Jack Glenn of Big Spring was in Midland Saturday.

Miss Mickey Milling of Cisco is the house guest of Mrs. Ed Erickson of Midland.

Sam D. Arnett and W. L. Ellwood of Lubbock, spent Sunday night in Midland.

Pearl Ballard, Gonzales, is in Midland for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Northington of Midland spent Sunday in Big Spring.

hours. And it is bad for him, very bad, particularly if he is of the sensitive, high-strung, "nervous" type that feels what he feels intensely and deeply in every fibre of his being.

What is to be done then? So many mothers of nervous children are asking for advice. Incidentally, all I have just stated is perfectly well-known to many of them, and naturally they have done everything in their power to combat these influences, increasing hours of rest and sleep and eliminating as many sources of excitement as possible.

One mother recently told me that the doctor had put her little girl to bed for a rest cure of six weeks during which time she was not allowed even so much as having a story read to her.

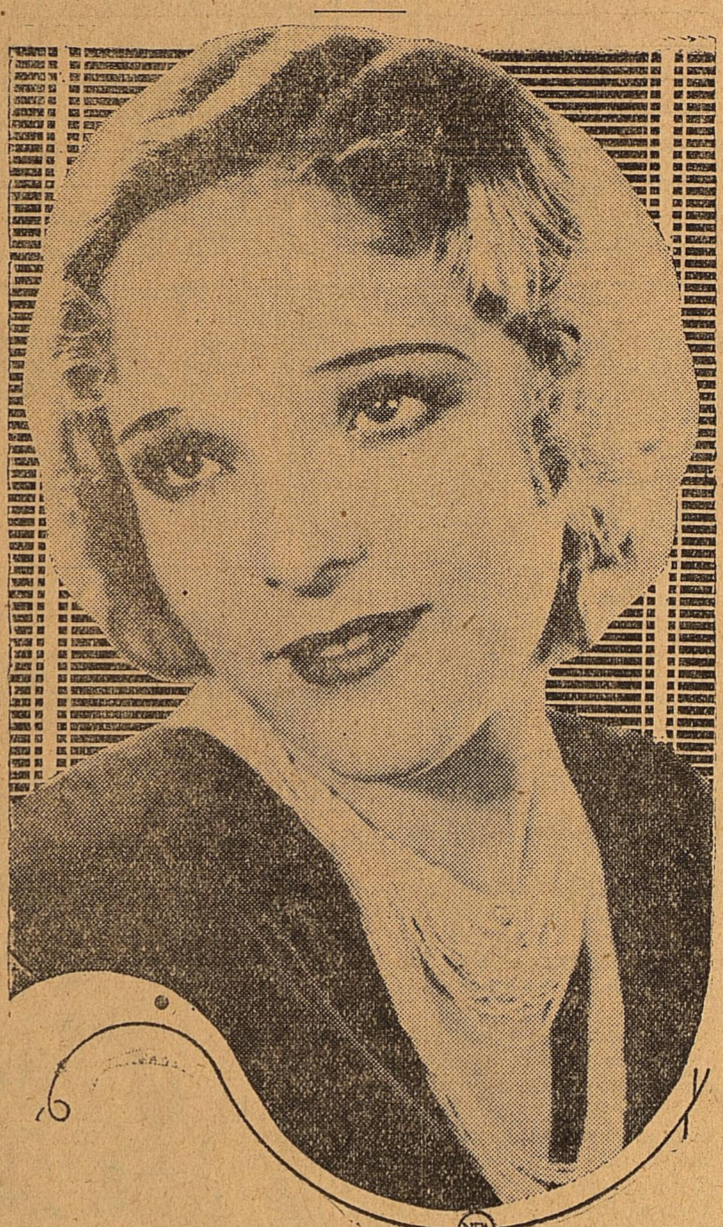
Now that is good, no doubt, but I don't think I know of something still better. The country!

What's the matter with the country nowadays? People used to go. I don't mean to big hotels with golf courses and swimming pools and tile baths and Saturday night hops, but to simple, quiet farm houses where the animals and birds are the star orchestras.

If it is possible, and I believe it is for many people, if they set themselves to do it, I'd get the children off to the country the minute school is out. I'd start to plan for it now. I'd live in a tent if I had to. I mean just that. With so much peace and quiet and fresh air and sunshine and solid sweet earth untouched by concrete—all ours for the taking—it seems unfair to the children to deprive them of such blessings for twelve months a year.

If it is impossible to spend an entire summer in the country, or even a month, or a week—and I know it is for a good many people—then I'd make an attempt to take an odd day off now and then. Even a day in the open is a god-send.

SALLY WANTS TO SUCCEED—SO THE BOY FRIEND HAD TO GO



Sally Blane . . . sent the boy friend on his way.

By DAN THOMAS NEA Service Writer

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., April 28.—Sally Blane.

What does that name mean to you? Is she just another movie actress? Or does she happen to be your favorite?

If Sally is your favorite or even one of your favorites you probably know all about her as an actress. But do you know anything about the girl Sally Blane, whose real name is Betty Jane Young?

Very often we build illusions around our favorite film stars, radio announcers, authors and others. As a rule we never have seen them in the flesh. Yet we have perfect mental pictures of them as to appearance, personality and other qualities. And quite often those illusions are blasted as if by dynamite when we meet our idols face to face or when we meet someone else who knows them and can tell us about them.

That's the role I shall attempt to fill in this story—a third party bringing to you the real Sally Blane, not as she appears on the screen, but as she is on the street, around the studio, in her home.

To begin with, the girl Sally Blane has only one vital interest in this world and that is her namesake, the actress. It has been only a short time that this interest has been concentrated. For quite a long time it was divided between the actress and the boy friend. Sally was deeply in love, or thought she was.

But now the boy friend has been sent on his way and everything has been centered in the actress. More than anything else she wants that actress to reach the very top of her profession. But she must do it through ability and hard work. The girl refuses to play politics to help her along.

"I try to like everyone," Sally told me, "but if I don't like a person I just naturally can't make a fuss over him no matter how much it might mean to me in a professional way."

It's almost impossible to write a story solely about Sally. Her life is so intertwined with the lives of her mother and two sisters, Loretta and Polly Anna Young, that they must be included in any story. Sally is the middle sister but an observer unaware of that fact would swear she was the oldest of the three. And in a sense she is, inasmuch as both of the others always go to her for advice on everything. In addition, she is her mother's closest companion.

Sally is full of good common sense. Although a trifle stubborn at times and with a tendency to do more or less as she pleases,

she always is ready to listen to reason. She is willing to be convinced that she is wrong at any time but unless she is convinced she goes right ahead in her own way.

She's moody too. Although outwardly she always is carefree and gay, Sally often becomes very serious. And it hurts her when people kid her about taking things too seriously. The quality of her work depends largely upon her moods too. If she's feeling right she can do almost anything, but if she isn't—that's something else again.

Right now Sally is in the mood to make the actress in her work. She has been idle since her completion of Rudy Vallee's picture, "The Vagabond Lover," in which she was Rudy's leading lady. The film didn't go over very well and the actress in Sally isn't the least bit proud of her part of it. However, she feels that she could be good in any kind of a role in any picture right now. And if she is put to work before this mood wears off, look for something to come of it.

ANNOUNCEMENTS Tuesday The Mayfair club meets with Mrs. W. P. Knight at 3 o'clock.

The Bible study class of the First Baptist church meets at the church to begin study of The Manuel.

Mrs. Spence Jowell will be hostess to the Laf A Lot club at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Allen Tolbert, 900 West Louisiana, will entertain the Enigma club at 3 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian church meets at 2 o'clock with Mrs. J. V. Stokes, Sr.

Wednesday The Woman's Wednesday club meets with Mrs. J. M. Caldwell at 3 o'clock; Mrs. Clarence Schaubauer leader.

Thursday The Rainbow club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Walter Cowden.

Mrs. J. L. Crump will entertain the 1928 Bridge club at 3 o'clock, at her home on 1101 West Illinois street.

The T. E. L. Class of the Baptist church will have a business and social meeting at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. H. Barron, with Mmes. Sally Pemberton and Dave Brunson as co-hostesses.

Friday The City League Union meets at 8 o'clock at the First Christian church.

Mrs. D. E. Holster and Mrs. C. F. Garrison will be hostesses at a social meeting of the Belmont Bible class at the home of Mrs. Holster, 1303 South Colorado street.

Saturday The ladies of the Catholic Church will hold a market at M store No. 2.

Personals

John Doss of San Angelo is a business visitor to Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Henley are in Midland from their home in Big Spring.

Frank Jones and C. C. Slaughter, cattlemen who have been in Midland several days transacting business, left this morning for their home in Lamea.

Charles Watson returned this morning to Lubbock after spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Watson.

Mrs. Marvin Henderson, Odessa, and Mrs. Curtis Nance and Miss Jean Dunn, Pecos, shopped in Midland Saturday evening.

Queen Elizabeth was the first English sovereign to use a fork.

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Street, etc.	House number (or other designation)	Number of dwelling (or other designation)	Number of family (or other designation)	Enter surname first, then the given name and middle initial, if any	Enter every person living on April 1, 1930. Omit children born since April 1, 1930	Relationship of this person to the head of the family	Home owned or rented	Value of home, if owned	Radio set	Does this person live with a family	Sex	Color or race	Age at last birthday	Married	Marital condition	Age at last marriage	Whether able to read and write	State	Country	Year	Year of immigration	Year of naturalization	Whether citizen of the United States	Trade, profession, or particular kind of work, as spinner, weaver, cooper, etc.	Industry	Code	Class of worker	Whether actually employed (for the last preceding week)	Whether a veteran of U. S. military or naval service	Number of term		
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ABBREVIATIONS TO BE USED IN COLUMNS INDICATED (Use no abbreviations for State or country of birth or for mother tongue (Columns 18, 19, 20, and 21).)

Col. 6—Indicate the home-maker in each family by the letter "H," following the word which shows the relationship, as "Wife—H"

Col. 7—Owned O Rented R

Col. 9—Radio Set R Make no entry for families having no radio set.

Col. 11—Male M Female F

Col. 12—White W Negro N Mexican Mex Indian In Chinese Chi Japanese Jp. Filipino Fil Hindu Hin Korean Kor Other races spell out in full.

Col. 14—Single S Married M Widowed Wd Divorced D

Col. 23—Naturalized Na First Papers Pa Alien Al

Col. 27—Employer E Wage or salary worker W Working on own account O Unpaid Worker, member of the family NP

Col. 31—World War WW Spanish-American War Sp Civil War Civ Philippine Insurrection Phil Boxer Rebellion Box Mexican Expedition Mex

ENTRIES REQUIRED IN THE SEVERAL COLUMNS AS FOLLOWS: Cols. 6, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, and 25—For all persons. Cols. 7, 8, 9, and 10—For heads of families only. (Col. 8 requires no entry for a farm family.) Col. 15—For married persons only. Col. 17—For all persons 10 years of age and over. Cols. 21, 22, and 23—For all foreign-born persons. Col. 24—For all persons 10 years of age and over. Cols. 26, 27, and 28—For all persons for whom an occupation is reported in Col. 25. Col. 30—For all males 21 years of age and over.

Will Midland have the population that will make the city proud of its figures? If so, everyone must be enumerated in the city and county.

If you can think of anyone who may have not been seen by the enumerators, please write the names in the following blanks, together with addresses.

NAME	Address

Fill out this blank and mail it to The Reporter-Telegram at once. It will be turned over to census enumerators at once.

The co-operation of every resident is imperative if Midland's population is to be accurately and completely recorded, during the census period which soon ends.

Do everything you can to help the enumerators. There are only a limited number of them and they have only a short time to work.

Study the blank. It carries lines sufficient for the names and data of nine persons. The questions are those which the enumerator will ask you. If you will fill out the form now, at your leisure, you will expedite his work. Then mail the blank to this newspaper at once.

Be sure to read the instructions printed under the form, for the filling out of this census blank and note the abbreviation carefully.

Your co-operation will greatly assist the census bureau and Midland in getting a full count of the local population. This is necessary for Midland's future.

Column 1—Write name of street, avenue, road, etc., by names, numbers, or letter, lengthwise.

Column 2—Write house number, if one, opposite name of first person enumerated in the house.

Columns 3 and 4—No information needed; for enumerator's use only.

Column 5—Enter name of every person whose usual place of abode on April 1, 1930, was with the family or in the dwelling place. Entry names of family in following order: Head first, wife second, then children (whether sons or daughters) in order of their ages, beginning with the oldest, and lastly, all persons living with the family, whether relatives, boarders, lodgers or servants. Enter first the last or surname, then the given name in full and initial of the middle name, if any. Note members of family who are absent as "Ab."

Column 6—Designate head of family, whether husband or father, widow or unmarried persons of either sex, by the word "Head"; for other members of the family write, wife, son, daughter, adopted son (or daughter), father, mother, grandson, daughter-in-law, uncle, aunt, nephew, niece, boarder, lodger, servant, etc. One person in each family should be designated as the home maker thus—"Wife—H"

Column 7—To be answered only opposite the name of the Head of the family. Use "R" for rented and "O" for owned. If dwelling is occupied by more than one family, it is the home of each of them, and question should be answered for each family. Home is classed as owned if owned wholly or in part by any member of the family.

Column 8—Give current market value as nearly as possible in dollars if owned or actual monthly rent paid if rented.

Column 9—If family or some member of family has a radio set, write "R" opposite name of head of family, otherwise leave blank.

Column 10—Write "No" if not living on farm.

Column 11—Write "M" for male and "F" for female.

Column 12—(See abbreviations.)

Column 13—In complete years at last birthday. In case of child not 5 years old, give age in complete months, expressed as twelfths of a year.

Column 14—(See abbreviations.)

Columns 15 to 24 inclusive—Self-explanatory. (See abbreviations.)

Column 25—The occupation pursued, as physician, carpenter, dressmaker, salesman, etc., or "None." If unemployed, occupation followed when employed. If two occupations, only more important one.

Column 26—Name of industry or business to which persons works. In case of woman doing housework in her own home, and having no other employment, entry should be "none" but if doing housework for wages, entry should be "Housekeeper," "Servant," "Cook," etc. If woman doing housework in her own home is regularly earning wages in other work, name occupation, such as "Laundress," etc. Only children who regularly assist parents in performance of other than household work or chores should be reported as having an occupation.

Column 27—(See abbreviations.)

Other questions are self-explanatory.

(These instructions are not official, but they are compiled from the government instructions to enumerators. If carefully followed they will provide census taker with all information needed. Cut out the questionnaire and fill out now.)

McCauley—Arthur Redman is the latest entry into the race for sheriff of Crane county. Other candidates for this office include: Frank W. Buck; E. B. (Bud) Blair, (re-election sought); J. W. Hibdon, W. M. Coplin, W. L. (Dad) Chaffin, H. L. Clendinen, Eob Ferguson, and M. R. House.

Record Breaker

Gar Wood, speedboat king, is pictured seated in his Miss America VIII at the Motor Boat Show held in Chicago. It was in this boat that he recently set an unofficial record of 96.25 miles an hour over a course at Miami Beach, Fla.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, on Nov. 16th, 1928, The Petroleum Building, Inc. made, executed and delivered to Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company of Baltimore, and Joseph R. Walker of Baltimore as trustees its certain deed of trust effective as of October 1st, 1928, which said deed of trust is recorded at length in Volume Eleven, pages 252 to 285, inclusive of the Deed of Trust Records of Midland County, Texas, to which record reference is here and now made, whereby The Petroleum Building, Inc., conveyed to said trustees all of Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 and the Westernmost seven feet of Lot 9 in Block 36 as shown on the plat of the Original town of Midland, Texas, together with the building or buildings thereon located and to be thereafter located thereon for the purpose of securing the payment of the bonds of The Petroleum Building, Inc. in the principal amount of \$600,000.00, the same being First Mortgage 6 1-2 per cent Sinking Fund Gold bonds and payable, both principal and interest, as in said Deed of Trust and in said bonds specified.

And whereas, among other things, it is provided in the said mortgage that the said moneys were to be expended for the erection on the premises hereinabove described of a building by Hickey and Harrington, Contractors, free and clear of liens and claims other than the lien created by the deed of trust herein mentioned, which said building was in due course completed and after due certification of no lien claims and or encumbrances, the moneys represented by the bonds secured by said deed of trust, were paid over to the said contractors.

And whereas, one of the covenants entered into by The Petroleum

Building, Inc. stated in the deed of trust is the prompt and punctual payment semi-annually of the interest provided for in said bonds and coupons and of the sinking fund as provided in Article V of the deed of trust.

And whereas, the interest payments maturing on October 1st, 1929 and April 1st, 1930 are past due, and The Petroleum Building, Inc. has made default in such interest payments and the sinking fund payments due on October 1st, 1929, January 1st, 1930 and April 1st, 1930 are past due and like default has been made in such sinking fund payments.

And whereas, the said Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company of Baltimore has, since the execution and acceptance of said deed of trust, by Charter amendment changed its corporate name to Mercantile Trust Company of Baltimore.

And whereas, Mercantile Trust Company of Baltimore and Joseph R. Walker, Trustees, acting under the express power conferred by Section 2 of Article X of said Deed of Trust, after default as above stated, have declared all of said bonds due and payable as in said section provided, and in pursuance of the powers granted to them in Section 3 of Article X have appointed Joseph France of Baltimore, Maryland and J. M. Caldwell of Midland, Texas, or either of them as their agents and attorneys or attorney as the case may be to exercise the power of sale conferred by Section 3 of Article X of said Deed of Trust, and it is inconvenient for Joseph France to act in that capacity.

Now, therefore, I, J. M. Caldwell of Midland, Texas acting under and by virtue of the agency conferred upon me by Mercantile Trust Company of Baltimore and Joseph R. Walker, Trustees and exercising for them as such trustees the powers granted in said deed of trust, do hereby give notice that on Tuesday, May 6th, 1930, I will sell at public auction at the door of the District Court room of Midland County, Texas which is located in one of the West front ground floor rooms of the Petroleum Building, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the following described property and premises, to-wit:

All of lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15 and the West seven feet of Lot 9 in Block 36 of the Original Town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, together with the building or buildings thereon situated.

The said sale will be made for cash but any purchaser after making a cash payment sufficient to cover the costs and expenses of said sale, and all other charges and expenses required to be paid or provided in actual cash, to be determined by said Trustees or their said attorney, shall have the right to deliver and pay as cash towards the payment of the residue of such purchase money, any of the bonds or coupons secured by said mortgage and then outstanding, at a rate to be determined by said Trustees and their attorney, so that the sum for which such bonds and coupons shall be taken shall be equal to the dividend allowed thereon on the proper distribution of the proceeds of such sale or sales.

J. M. CALDWELL, (signed)
Agent and Attorney of and for Mercantile Trust Company of Baltimore and Joseph R. Walker, Trustees.

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"No use, see how my game has fallen off because of the time we spent driving up from Florida?"

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

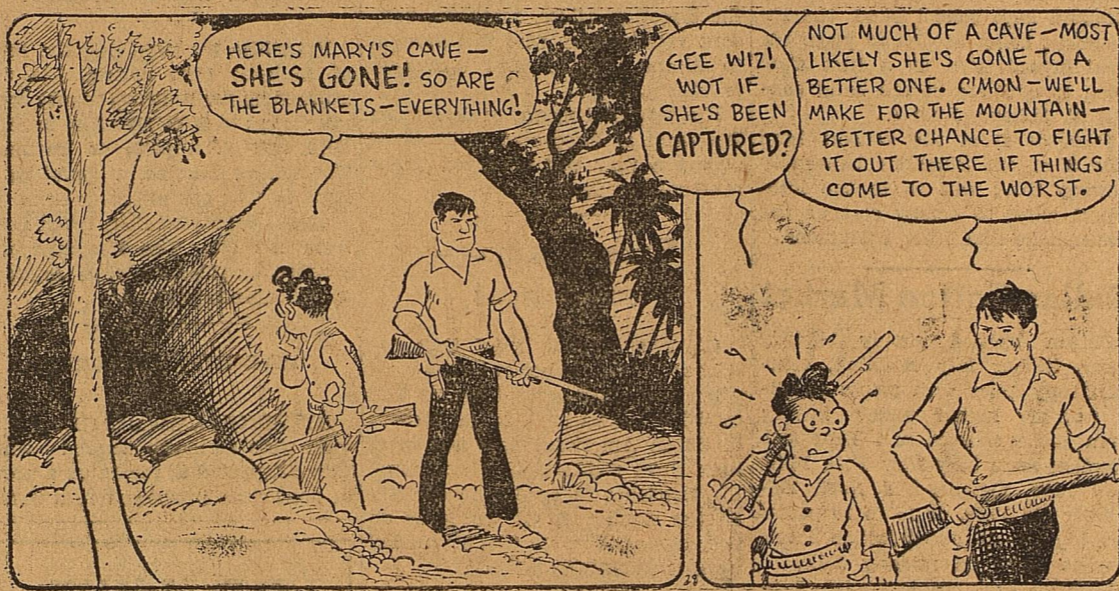


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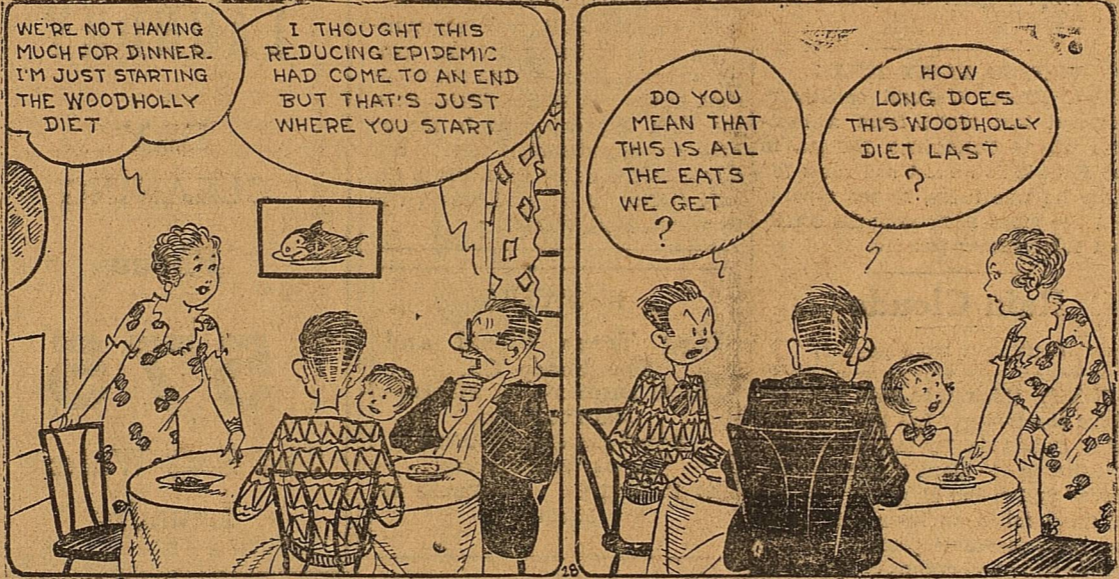
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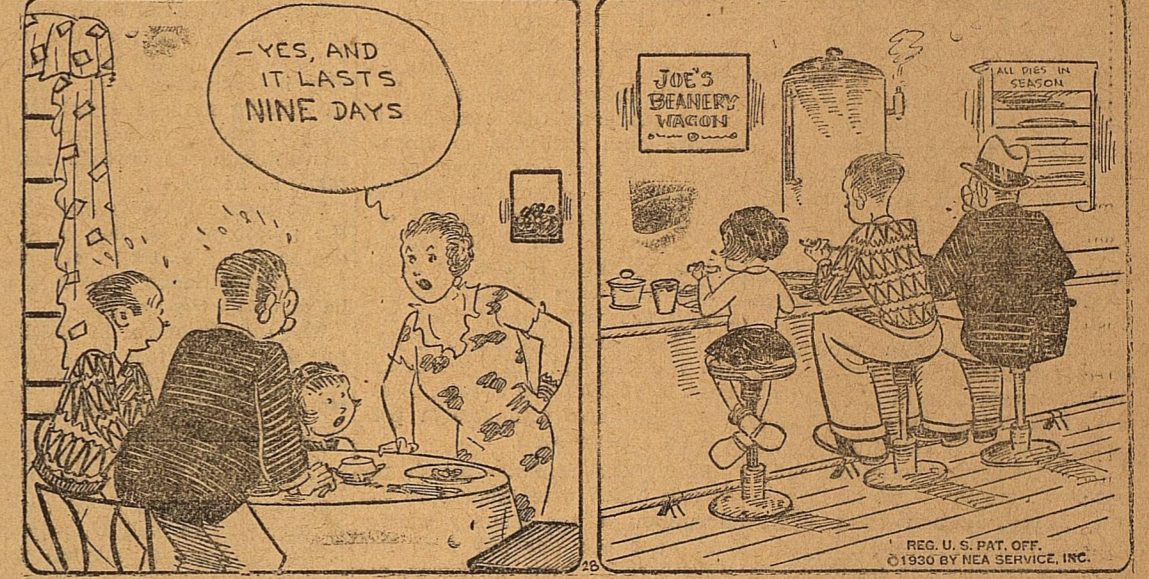
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4 Unfurnished Apartments
FOUR ROOMS and bath in duplex. Unfurnished, or will furnish. 407 North Marienfeld. 42-3p
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FOR RENT: Two-room house, furnished or unfurnished. 1104 North Main. 42-3p
FOUR-ROOM furnished house for rent. Phone 321. 40-3p
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FOUR-ROOM house. 605 South Lorraine. Vacant May 1. Rent \$35.00 a month. Phone 102. 40-3p
9 Miscellaneous
WANTED--Nicely furnished house with two bedrooms. Address Box 1471 Midland. 43-3p
I wish to announce that I am now in position to show and demonstrate the new Model A Maytag washing machine. On display at Nobles & Tolbert Hardware Co. R. O. Walker. 43-6p
For practical nurse call 539-J. 39-6p
CARTER WINDOW WASHER. Cleans, dries, polishes. Approved by Good Housekeeping Institute. 10 sales daily net, you \$420.00 monthly. Write today. Carter Products Corp., 881 Front St. Cleveland, Ohio. 41-2p
11 Bedrooms
FOR RENT: Southeast bedroom adjoining bath. Hot and cold water. Phone 109. 42-1p
NICELY furnished bedroom, connecting bath. Five blocks from town. 521 West Wall. Phone 476. 41-3p
NICEY furnished bedroom, combination shower and bath. Reasonable. Men preferred. Phone 811-W. 38-6p

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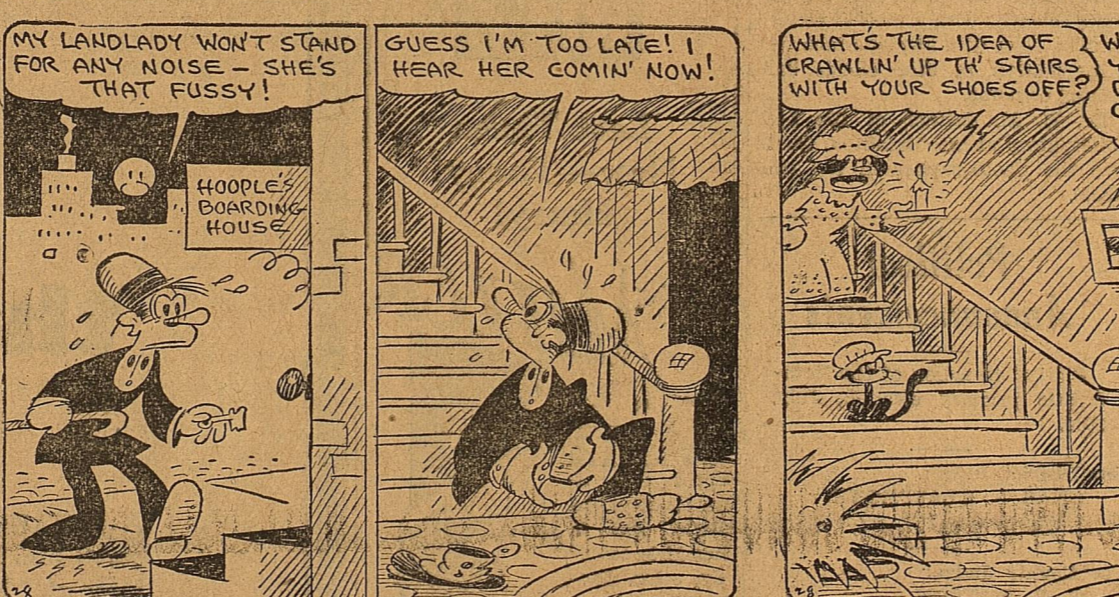


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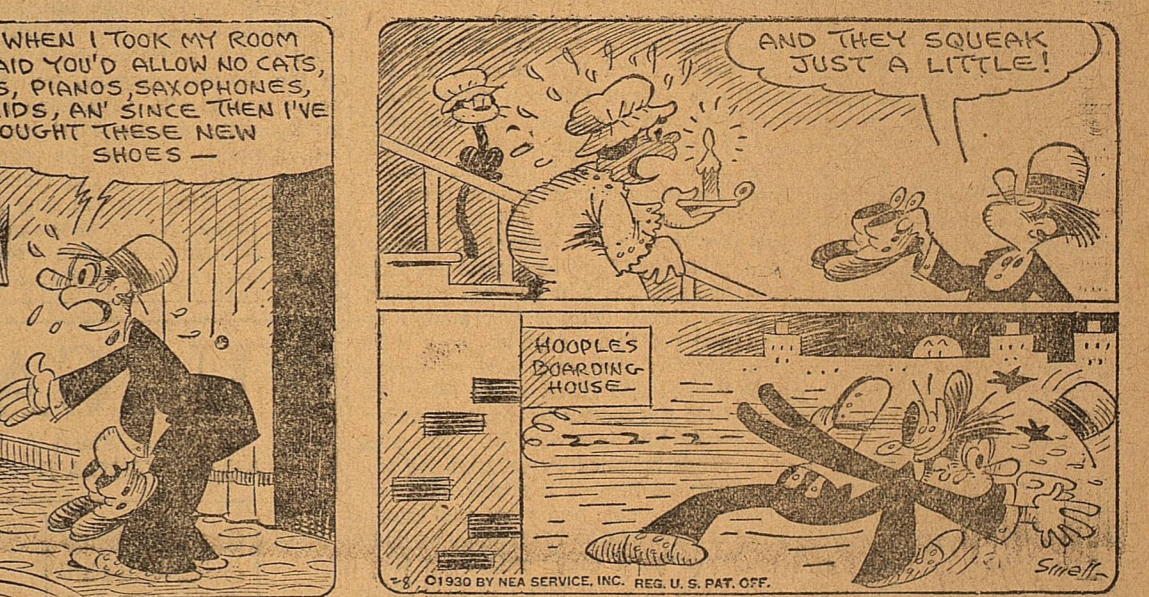


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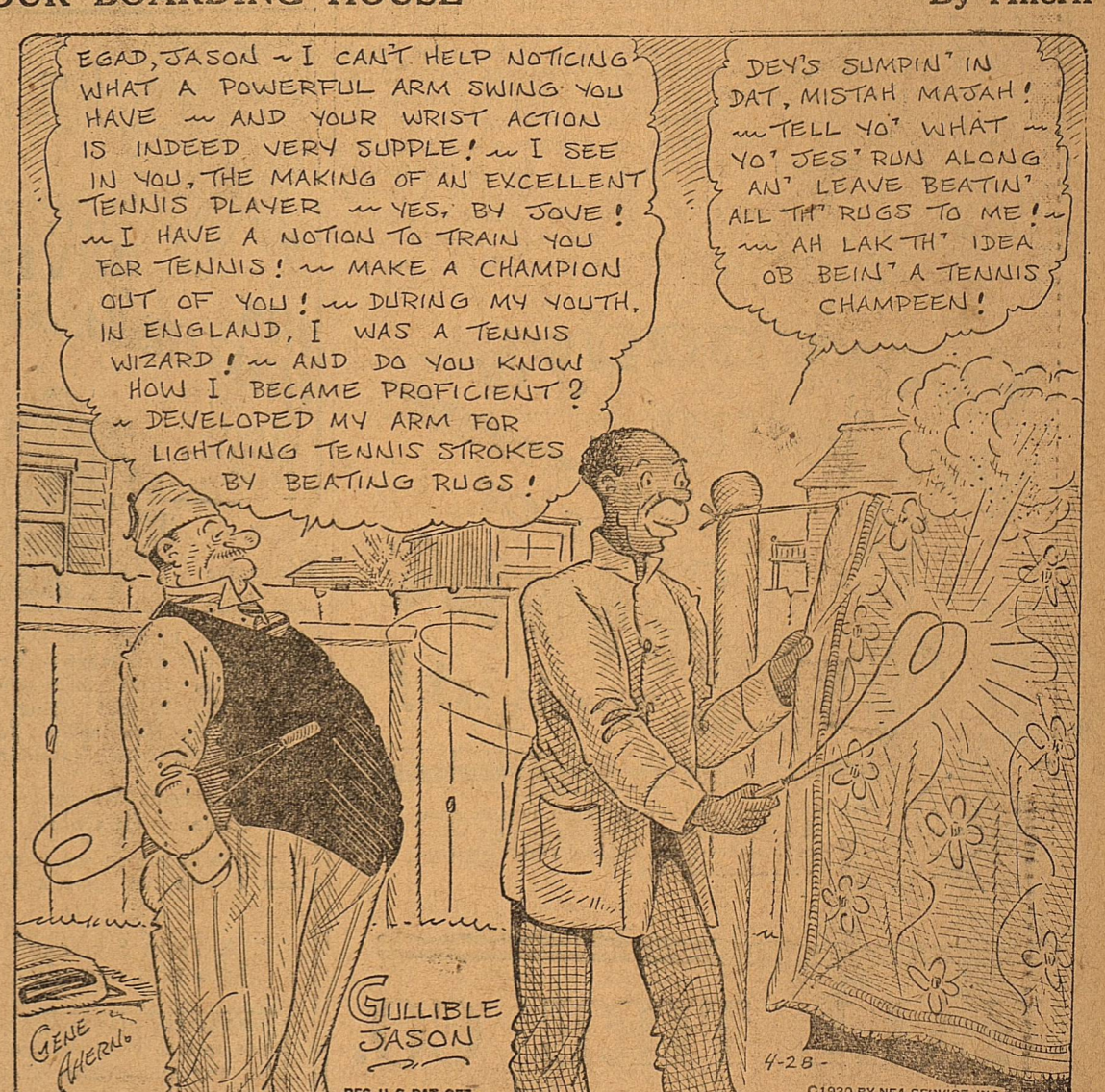


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OUT OUR WAY



By Williams OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By Ahern

1 Lost and Found

FOUND: 18k gold band wedding ring. Initials "M. E. F." Owner may have by calling at this office and paying 80c for this ad. 41-2p

LOST: Bulldog, 8 months old. Weight 50 pounds. White, brindle spots. Answers name "Mex." Left home Wednesday morning. Reward. Mrs. John T. Gay, 811 West Louisiana. 40-3p

2 For Sale or Trade

WORK MULES for sale. J. E. Wallace. Route 1. 39-3mg
Spinnet desk, day bed, Chintz chair--all practically new. Phone 797-J or call at 620 W. Tennessee. 41-2p

FOR SALE: Underwood standard typewriter, 12-inch carriage. Excellent condition. West Texas Office Supply. 41-2p

FOR SALE: Portable talking machine. Good conditions. Records free. \$6.00 cash. Write Box H, Reporter-Telegram. 41-3p

FOR SALE: Dandy set McGregor golf clubs. Good bag. Set includes driver, brassie, mid-iron, mashie, mashie-niblick and putter. \$35.00 cash. Call 77. 41-3p

GOOD BENNETT cotton seed. Gerhard Synatsch. Route No. 1. Midland Texas. 40-3p

House, four rooms and bath. Will take small car. Easy terms. Call 1407 W. Ohio. 40-3p

FOR SALE: Best residential sites in Midland. Close in on pavement. Box T, care Reporter-Telegram. 41-3p

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FURNISHED apartment close in. 315 North Baird. 31-3p

TWO ROOM furnished apartment. All bills paid. 622 West Indiana. 40-4p

FOR RENT: Nice large apartment, two bedrooms. Utilities paid. 513 West Wall St. 42-3p

15 Cards of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our many friends who were so kind to us in our hour of sorrow caused by the passing of our beloved husband, son and brother, Mrs. Paul Jackson and Children, Mr. & Mrs. J. N. Jackson, Mr. & Mrs. A. J. Norwood & Family Homer, Hubert, and Earl Jackson. 43-1p

Sew with a Singer Electric

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DELIVERED TWICE DAILY MEISSNER'S DAIRY Gustav Meissner, Prop. Phone 9038F3 Visitors welcome

OCCURRENCE OF POTASH SALTS SHOWN IN BULLETIN ISSUED BY GOVERNMENT AND SENT REPORTER-TELEGRAM BY UP

Governmental attention to the possibilities of potash in Texas and New Mexico is contained in a bulletin sent The Reporter-Telegram from United Press service.

The Texas beds mentioned in the account of occurrence of the mineral in its various salts are located in Midland.

Government Explorations

The existence of bedded deposits of potash salts of such thickness and purity that they may be mined cheaply is demonstrated, according to the bureau of mines of the commerce department, as the result of the governmental exploration program in Texas and New Mexico, conducted by that bureau in cooperation with the United States geological survey.

The principal potash mineral disclosed by the government drilling is polyhalite, a sulphate of lime, magnesia and potash which contains an average of 12 to 15 per cent of potash (K₂O). Experiments by the United States bureau of mines at its Nonmetallic Minerals Experiment station, New Brunswick, N. J., have resulted in the development of a process which gives promise of the economic production of refined potassium salts from polyhalite. Two products are obtainable, potassium sulphate and the sulphate of potash-magnesia, and mixtures of the refined sulphate and of the crude polyhalite can be made to yield the various commercial grades of mixed salts.

Production Costs

Estimates of the cost of production indicate that potassium sulphate can be produced at a treatment plant in Texas or New Mexico for approximately \$16 per ton and the double sulphate of potash-magnesia for approximately \$8 per ton. Although transportation charges to market must be added to these costs, it is shown that at present prices potash salts from Texas and New Mexico can be delivered to the principal markets of the United States more cheaply than foreign salts.

A study of foreign production costs indicates that, although a material reduction in the current prices of potash salts is possible, conditions in the industry are such that prices are apt to remain fairly stable at present levels as long as the Franco-German sales agreements remain in force and until the German industry has completed its present reorganization and concentration of production in the best mines. States James S. Wroth, mining engineer, in a report just made public by the bureau of mines. When these have been accomplished, a reduction in the price of potash salts appears probable, but such a reduction will probably not be drastic. Price cutting aimed directly at a growing American production seems unlikely on account of the overwhelming importance of the domestic market in Germany and France, as compared with the American market, and the fact that a cut in prices that would be effective against American production would mean a corresponding cut in domestic prices and a loss of profit in the important domestic market.

Up to 1914 almost all of the world's supply of potash came from Germany and Alsace. The Alsatian production was controlled by Germany, which enjoyed an almost exclusive monopoly of potash production and took full advantage thereof of regulation of output and control of prices. In common with the rest of the world the United States depended upon Germany for its supply of potash. This dependence upon foreign resources was emphasized by the acute shortage of potash in this country that followed cessation of shipments from Germany during the World War.

The importance to this country of a domestic supply of potash was evident, and the shortage of pot-

Baseball Career Comes To Light

J. V. Stokes, Jr., returned Sunday from Carrizozo, N. M., where he visited his brothers, S. Dewey and T. J. Stokes on their ranch in that area. J. V., evidently, was not able to make the "Town Team" at Carrizozo, returning here before a crucial game, but brought back the following clipping from the local paper there telling of the baseball careers of his brothers:

"The Stokes brothers, S. Dewey and T. J., were in from their ranch east of town Tuesday, purchasing supplies. The Stokes brothers, aside from being expert ranchmen, are real baseball players and were at one time engaged in the sport in Texas, where they played in the Texas League. They will be on the diamond Sunday at Athletic Park, being in the line-up of the Town Team, playing the Spanish-American team. Come out and see a good game, for it will be a good one."

ash, with the resultant high prices, stimulated the active development of domestic resources. The domestic production increased rapidly and by 1918 supplied about one-fifth of the country's normal requirements; but production costs were high, and the industry could succeed only as long as high prices prevailed. With the close of the World War and the arrival of large shipments of German potash at prices below previous figures the American industry virtually collapsed. The two American producers that managed to survive have continued to operate successfully and now supply about 20 per cent of the American requirements for potash. The country depends upon foreign potash for the remaining 80 per cent of its needs. The experience of the industry during the war showed that not only was a domestic source of potash required but that production must be at costs low enough to allow competition with foreign potash on a price basis.

Among the domestic potash resources which were brought to the attention of the country during and after the war but were not utilized as a source of potash, although they indicated that they might furnish the cheap potash desired, were the potash deposits occurring with the thick rock-salt formation of western Texas and southeastern New Mexico. In this area potash minerals were identified in the cuttings and sludges of wells drilled for oil. The evidence of these cuttings was inconclusive. The occurrence of potash salts was definitely proved, but the character, size, and richness of the deposits could not be determined from the samples and cuttings obtained. To obtain definite information regarding these deposits, core drilling was necessary, and as private capital was reluctant to enter this field the federal government undertook the investigation. In 1926 funds provided by congress for this purpose became available, and core drilling was begun by the bureau of mines in 1927. To date, 16 wells have been completed, 9 of these being in Texas and 7 in New Mexico.

The deposits of potash salts in western Texas and New Mexico are associated with and form part of the extensive rock-salt formation which underlies that area at depths of 350 to 1,800 feet below the present surface. The salt formation, of Permian age, occupies a broad, shallow synclinal basin and is the residue from the evaporation of a former sea. The salt formation extends northeasterly across western Oklahoma into central Kansas; but the

TAXIING AROUND THE AIRPORT

A Cromwell Air lines ship, a Lockheed, from San Angelo picked up a passenger at the Midland port early this morning, returning immediately after.

A Mr. Mitchell landed a Lockheed at Slean field Sunday, coming in from Hobbs, and returning there after transacting business in Midland.

Cousin of Midland Man Is Married

Pictures of the wedding party at the marriage of Miss Mary Nobles of Amarillo, a cousin of John Nobles of Midland, to Mr. Julian Knox Lyles of Fort Worth, appeared in Sunday's edition of the Amarillo News-Globe. Miss Virginia Nobles, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor.

Miss Nobles is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nobles, and her wedding was one of the most elaborate ever to have been held in Amarillo, according to reports from that city.

Sousaphone Bought By Band Of School

Order for a Sousaphone, huge bass instrument for band and orchestra use, has been placed by the Midland high school band, the instrument being needed to place the local organization as a first class band to compete in the band contest at Abilene, June 1.

Proceeds from the concert here May 5 of the Simmons University Cowboy band will go to the local school band to defray cost of the Sousaphone and other equipment.

Dallas Cotton Market

Cotton opened steady slightly lower, higher late morning, comparatively quiet with prices steadily working higher under buying from trade sources and Liverpool. Towards noon May New York 16.13, July 16.25, October 15.17, December 15.80, or 15 to 19 points net higher. At about which levels market stood on midday calls.

Liverpool early cables quiet, 5 to 7 lower, as against 5 to 13 lower as due. Close steady unchanged to 8 lower. Spots quiet barely steady, 4 lower.

VISITED FLINT HILLS

Tom Nance, Midland cattleman, returned last night from a business trip to Cambridge, Kansas, in the Flint Hills area. Good rains fell while he was there, Nance reports, and the grass is in splendid condition for summer pasture.

Rain Clouds--

(Continued from page 1)
It is for this reason that the "airplane observatory" has been decided on in California. By this means, the scientist in the plane high above the clouds and flying at a speed of 100 or more miles an hour will be in the most favorable position to take one or two photographs of the moon at the instant it completely covers the face of the sun. Alongside this plane, the second plane carrying another scientist with a motion picture camera, flew. The airplane idea was a precaution in case clouds balk ground cameras.

Dr. H. M. Jeffers, of the Lick Observatory at Mt. Hamilton, Calif., was the photographer in the first plane.

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Fight on Loco Weed Will Be Conducted

By Associated Press

ALPINE.—Alpine is to be the scene of a fight against loco weed—the greatest curse of Big Bend ranchers. An experimental station in which work will be carried on against the weed is to be located two miles out of Alpine on the Alpine-Fort Davis Highway, according to Ernest Gibbens, tri-county agent.

The site was selected by Dr. A. B. Conner, director of the Texas Experimental stations; Dr. H. Schmidt, veterinarian; J. M. Jones, range animal husbandman, and Dr. Mathews during a trip made over the Big Bend to find a suitable location.

Construction on the station and pens has been begun. The work is to continue for several years under the direction of Dr. Mathews, resident veterinarian, who was brought to Alpine from Purdue university to take charge.

If a practical means of destroying the weed is discovered millions of dollars a year will be saved Texas ranchmen, it is estimated.

Errorgrams—CORRECTIONS

(1) The general belief that ostriches hide their heads in the sand when frightened is not true. (2) The ostriches shown are African instead of South American, as the former have three toes and the latter two. (3) Ostriches is spelled incorrectly on the signboard. (4) Ostriches do not have wattles. (5) The scrambled word is ASSASSINATION.

HAS ONE-STOP SERVICE

Vance Cox, "one-stop service station" on East Wall street, announces in an advertisement today complete service for motorists under one roof. Dealers in United States tires, the firm has departments for all branches of automobile service, and expresses the belief that this is the only station of its kind between El Paso and Fort Worth.

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So you note his manners, talk with him, and form an opinion.

If he comes up to your requirements, you accept him, and often he proves a welcome addition to your group of friends.

It is with exactly the same attitude that the intelligent newspaper reader regards the advertisements of products new to him.

These strangers may add something to his civilized enjoyment. They may contribute to his comfort, safety—even his success. In many ways they may prove valuable. Certainly it is wise to give them careful consideration.

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