

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight and Saturday except unsettled in extreme west portion.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

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Have I not commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.—Joshua 1:9.

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PRESIDENT SUES HIS SALARY

PRESIDENT REASSURES THE PUBLIC

Lausanne Treaty to Present No Ties On the U. S.

WASHINGTON, July 15. (UP)—President Hoover, answering a query from Senator Borah, assured citizens of the United States that they will not be "pressed into any line of action" on war debt adjustments by Lausanne side agreements.

The president wrote Borah showing clearly that the United States was pleased because Europe had arrived at an understanding on the European reparations question, but making clear that the United States would not approve the "united front" or "combined action of our debtors."

Floyd Returns From Polo Engagements

Jay H. Floyd returned Thursday from a three month series of polo engagements in Shreveport, New Orleans and Alexandria, Louisiana, and Mobile, Alabama.

Speeches Will Cost Tonight

This is the night for candidates to speak and pay for it. This is in accordance with the announcement of last week inviting candidates to a speaking and social at the Wartfield school tonight beginning at 8 o'clock.

Children to Sing At Sunday School

Fred Gordon Middleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Middleton, and Jesse Lynn Tuttle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tuttle, will sing a duet at the Men's class Sunday.

Executives Scout Area to Convene

The executive board of the Buffalo Trail council, Boy Scouts of America, will meet Friday, July 22, at the Settles hotel, Big Spring, in its regular quarterly meeting, according to A. C. Williamson, area executive.

MARINES WATCH VETS

WASHINGTON, July 15. (UP)—Five hundred weary veterans plodded a monotonous route in front of the capitol today. Washington wondered who ordered sixty marines to the scene last night. Many believed the vice president summoned the force, despite his denial.

Brazil Uses 40,000 Men And Huge Bombers in War

Fishy But True!



It's too bad the fishing at Don Martin dam, in Mexico, is dead! The best that Ben Bennett, Fort Worth (Texas) taxi driver, and two companions could do there in two hours was to haul in the 119 bass pictured here, ranging from 1 3/4 to 5 1/2 pounds.

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 15. (UP). Federal troops defeated Sao Paulo rebels in the first fighting of a campaign in which the government used bombing planes and 40,000 men. It was reported here.

PAGODA POOL IS CHOSEN SITE OF SCOUT JAMBOREE

Plans for holding of the annual scout jamboree and swimming meet at Pagoda pool were completed this morning in a 10 o'clock meeting at the chamber of commerce of officials.

All troops of the city were represented, as were most of the district men of the Buffalo Trails council. John P. Howe, Midland scout chairman, called the meeting to order.

ROOSEVELT BETWEEN DEVIL AND THE DEEP BLUE SEA IN TAMMANY COMPLEX

Producer Flies Nitro to Well

Production in Loving county was speeded up recently by airplane. A. R. Eppenauer, president of the Eppenauer Drilling Co., flew from San Angelo to superintend the shooting of two wells in Loving.

Girls Make Rescue So Quietly Guards Do Not Suspect It

Who was it who said every girl squeals when confronted with danger? A couple of Midland girls pulled a woman out of Pagoda pool several nights ago, and were so quiet about it that the news is just getting out.

Pecos Oil Play Draws Families

Drilling near the city of Pecos is bringing new oil residents to the Reeves county capital. Three new families connected with the Reister well drilling 660 feet from the north-east and southeast lines of section 62, block 33, H. & T. C. survey, are moving to Pecos.

DOGS RAID DEER PENS

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—A dog pack is depleting the supply of deer in the city zoo here. In three stealthy visits to the deer pens the dogs, believed to be a small pack with a cunning leader, have killed four deer. On the last foray the dogs killed two of the largest and finest bucks in the zoo.

FORMER RANGER IS HELD

Mexicans Detain Him Following Murder In Mexico

EAGLE PASS, July 15. (UP)—Piedras Negras police held Frank Allen, former Texas ranger and now a Piedras Negras saloon operator following the fatal shooting last night of William Gifford Clegg, manager at Eagle Pass of the Texas Electric Service company.

Dancer Picks Seat On Reporter's Knee And Explains Life

"I've got four dogs and one of them isn't a very nice word, but she's a female. How many places do you suppose I've played? Suppose you guess."

That was Miss Rita Joan Brown, singer and dancer, prodigy of the "Flashes of 1932," playing a three-night engagement at the Yucca theatre.

She was being interviewed, and the reporter was getting his first story with a girl sitting in his lap. Only five, Joan is already a veteran trouper. She was the hit of the night, in her acrobatic, tap and toe dances and in her singing.

But Joan is still a child. She was perched in the highest seat of the second balcony, and was shouting at members of the company on the stage.

"Let's go up on the balcony," she told the reporter when he said he had come to interview her. "I'd like you up there and the company looks like PUNCHES and JUDGES. Aww! funny don't you think?"

A veritable guessing game followed. Joan insisted she be questioned as to where she had danced and danced. As she has been everywhere, she said, "Those are all the towns I know," she was told. "Guess again," she said.

"I could have got a part when I was on the west coast, but my hair was too short. You'll notice it is long now," she smiled. "I wish I'd thought to wear a wig when I went to the casting office."

"I don't see anyone when I'm on the stage. The lights and the applause do not bother me. I like my art."

These were some of the surprising bits of conversation of the more surprising child. One could easily understand why she was the hit of the show.

The complete bill is far superior to those seen nowadays. Les Bartlett and Stephanie Brown's Personality Girls have been the stars lacking in most of the usual stage companies. Leroy & Mack, adagio dancers, have grace and rhythm.

Barber Killed; Barber Wife Charged

DALLAS, July 15. (UP)—Mrs. Rena Greer surrendered thirty minutes after her husband, Curtis Greer, 40, a barber, was fatally shot by a woman automobilist as he stepped from an automobile. The woman fled. Mrs. Greer was charged with murder after mysteriously declaring: "I shot him because I worshipped him."

Oil Man Heads Hobbs Chamber

One of the leading oil men of the Hobbs area, Dan Brodie, superintendent of the Sinclair-Puritan Oil Co. is the new head of the Hobbs chamber of commerce. The new organization is making plans to intensify its efforts for the promotion of Hobbs as an oil city.

New Oil Field Road Designated

Designation of the oil field road from Poyote to Kermit via Wink as a state highway was announced this week. The state plans to entirely rebuild the paved road, which has been nearly worn out by heavy oil traffic. This road is one of the two main paved connections between the Wink oil fields and the State Highway No. 1.

You Hear Me—But Don't See Me



Hello, folks, may I introduce myself, seeing as how all of you know my voice but not me. I'm Mae Questel behind scenes, but Betty Boop to you. I make all those funny sounds Betty seems to make. Clever, eh what? Come and see me on the screen.

'Confusion Party' Nominates Sir John Barner for President; Rotarians Roll In Mirth as Acceptance Is Dinned Out

Gorging themselves in barbecued chicken and fixins' and then staging a mock political convention which generated uproarious laughter, 100 persons, including Rotarians, their families and friends, held a "big party" at Cloverdale Thursday night.

Aubrey Legg, George D. McCormick, W. B. Simpson, John Mitchell and Lawrence Beauchamp, ably assisted by "Eli and John," prepared and served the barbecued chicken, with two varieties of beans, lemonade, pickles, onions, buns, potato chips and "kows." Ralph Barron, Raymond Lawrence and John Howe assisted in the serving.

The presiding officer then introduced Fred Wemple as the party's temporary chairman. Dr. W. E. Ryan, being chosen. Hardly had he taken the gavel when Elliott H. Barron moved for the election of a permanent chairman. By the steam roller method, Percy Mims was elected, replacing Ryan. Mims then appointed Clyde Barron as secretary.

Midland Masons to Mountain Meeting

City Judge J. H. Knowles and several other Midland Masons will attend a "closed lodge" meeting in the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. building on the top of Castle Gap mountain tonight. Masons from several surrounding states and numerous towns of the Permian basin will be present, as will Grand Master of the State Alvy Bryan.

Ward Acreage Brings Big Sum

One of the highest prices for oil acreage paid in the Permian basin in many months was recorded when the Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Co. bought 100 acres at \$500 per acre in the Ward county field. The company recently brought in a producer on section 5, block 34, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, which is pronounced the largest sand production well in the Permian basin, having made 2,400 barrels through an inch choke.

FALSE ALARM

SALT LAKE CITY.—Smoke pouring from a parked automobile startled a passerby into ringing the fire alarm. When the assistant fire chief, five hose companies and a squadron of police arrived they found no smoke. Investigation revealed a short circuit had burned a small piece of ignition wire.

FIGURE IS NOW \$60,000

Cabinet Members Are Affected Also by Decrease

WASHINGTON, July 15. (UP)—President Hoover reduced his own salary twenty per cent, to \$60,000 annually, today. He ordered a reduction of fifteen per cent in salaries of the vice president and of cabinet members. The latter now receive \$12,750.

CANDIDATES FILE SECOND EXPENSE ACCOUNTS HERE

Candidates filed yesterday for the second time this season their campaign expenditures. The former filing was June 25. Candidates turned in the following expense accounts yesterday: Charles McClintic, none; Stewart none; T. J. Miles \$11.50; Millary Bedford none; J. T. Bell none; A. C. Francis \$7.50; Sam Preston \$20; Neal D. Stanton \$3; J. H. Fins \$7.50; Ray V. Hyatt \$35.15; Joseph Seymour \$7; Sam K. Wasaff \$130; W. K. Wilson \$5.75; Mrs. Mary L. Quinn \$2.80; Mrs. Minnie J. Cowden none; James V. Gowd none; Mrs. Susie Graves Noble \$2; C. B. Ponder none; R. D. Lee none; Alton Gault \$3; B. C. Girdley \$2.50; Ralph Buoy none; C. B. Dunagan \$12.50; Elliott H. Barron \$12.55; Mrs. Nettie C. Romer \$3.50; Lenton Brunson \$25.

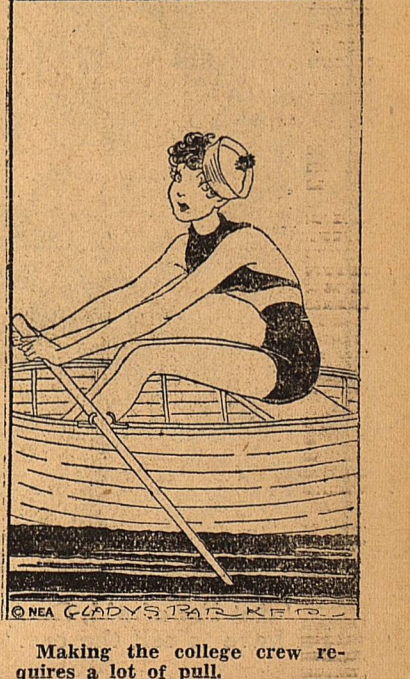
Filing of campaign expenses by candidates at the first filing showed the following which though not required by law, includes the amounts for getting names on the ticket:

R. T. Bucy for surveyor, \$5; C. A. McClintic for commissioner of precinct 1, \$25; Hillary Bedford for commissioner of precinct 1, \$10; John T. Bell for commissioner of precinct 2, \$11.50; B. T. Graham for commissioner precinct 2, \$12.75; D. L. Hutt, for commissioner precinct 3, \$17.50; T. J. Miles, for commissioner precinct 4, none; Sam K. Wasaff, for county attorney, \$15; Joseph A. Seymour, for county attorney, \$21.50; W. K. Wilson, for county attorney, \$2.75; B. C. Girdley, for justice of the peace, \$7.02; Mrs. Lucille Barron for the office, the nominations then closing and two ballots ensuing. John Bonner, referred to as "Barner," was declared elected, although selection of the woman candidate appeared certain when votes were called for. A big parade followed, led by a five piece band. Wallace Wimberly, beating the bass drum with a water dipper, was in the lead, followed by Herman Walker, playing the saxophone, Walter Elkin the trombone, Ed Watts the clarinet and Thomas Inman the saxophone. The entire audience fell in behind the band, creating noise with whistles and tin horns and yelling loudly.

Noted Football Coach Is Here

Head Coach Francis Schmidt, one of the best known football and basketball mentors in America, and Mrs. Schmidt were in Midland for a brief time Thursday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Fry. They were en route to the Olympics. Witty was captain of two football teams Schmidt coached at, Tulsa university and at the University of Arkansas. The two years he played at Tulsa resulted in successive scoring records never approached by any other varsity team.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



Making the college crew requires a lot of pull.

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AND SAE THE LORD BE THANKIT

Midland county farm families who are remembering the story of the sluggard cricket and using that memory to advantage in putting up foodstuffs for the winter months will be able to say as did Robert Burns years ago in his Selkirk grace: "Some hae meat, and canna eat, And some wad eat that want it; But we hae meat and we can eat, And sae the Lord be thankit."

There may be some who will smile at the simple philosophy of the ballad writing Scot, but there would be much more smiling if moderns paid more attention to fundamental truths that prompted Burns' lines.

THE COUNTRY NEEDS MORE INFANTS

"He's such an infant," Mrs. Garner recently said of her husband, the illustrious Uvalde, Texas, speaker of the house who has been nominated by democrats for the vice-presidency.

It doesn't take a Mussolini to conceive the thought that what the country needs is more infants.

Variety Questions

Horizontal and Vertical word puzzles with clues and answers. Includes words like 'Tocantins', 'Brazil', 'Ship-shaped', 'Epoch', '3 Second note', 'Valuable', 'property', 'Episode in action', 'Minor note', 'Constellation', 'Soldiers', 'bonus army', 'Ten cents', 'Quantity', 'Distant', 'Northeast', 'You and I', 'Manifest', 'Sage'.

A large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting points for words.

Side Glances By Clark

Advertisement for Faultless Starch featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and a product box. Text: "Faultless Way the Easiest Way THE EASIEST way because Faultless Starch comes to you ready for instant use—no bother, no mixing. The best way because it does twice as much as ordinary starch and does it nicer. FAULTLESS STARCH CO. KANSAS CITY, MO. 5c AND 10c".

"But I'm afraid, Dorothy, if we get married now, I'll have to sell the car."

The Town Quack

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

out letters during the past few days and it looks like they will go to electioneering on the streets within the next week.

Old Big Hearted Legg, a leader in the Rotary club committee in charge of operation of Pagoda, was selling 30 day swimming tickets at half price yesterday. Of course fifteen days are gone.

Many wonder at the huge number of people just aching for a chance to step into some congressman's shoes. Maybe that's the only prospect they have of getting a pair.

After the statement by the English, it appeared for a time that the Hoover disarmament plan might be accepted by everybody but the United States.

A Minnesota veterinarian expects to put a window in a cow's side, explaining that it will enable him to watch her digestion and will not hurt the cow. At that, the cow will have a pane in the stomach, to say the least.

Judge Lindsey says that 6,000,000 Americans are too poor to get married. What he forgot to add was that most of them are married.

Now it develops that Garner wasn't asleep while he was being nominated for vice president; he was just dozing. Already in training for the job, we suppose.

The editor was in personal charge of the confusion party's mascot last night—and got a good hand.

Philipps director. Evening session of the school at 7. Preaching service at 11 on "Citizenship." Evening service at 8:15 on "What is a Faith For?"

Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Winston Burum, Pastor. "Why Do People Drink Booze?" is the subject to be used by the Rev. Winston Burum, pastor of the Baptist church Sunday evening. What right has a preacher to discuss such matters from the pulpit—come and see.

The pastor has asked the public to write him this week their answers to the above question, based on experience or observation, anonymous or signed, in a brief statement or a letter. Many have done so, and the minister has been interviewing people of all walks and professions of life as to their idea. He will give the summary of the answers Sunday evening, concluding with the scriptural answer. The service will begin with orchestra concert at 8:15.

The morning service will begin at 11 o'clock, and the pastor's theme will be, "Getting Acquainted with God." There will be special music by the choir at both services. Sunday school—9:45 a. m. Training service—7 p. m. Midweek prayer service Wednesday evening at 8. Subject, "Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH W. J. Coleman, Pastor. Church school, Sunday morning at 9:45. Lesson: Exodus 11:1-12:36. "The Passover." A. Harry Anderson, Superintendent. Divine worship, Sunday morning at 11. In response to a request the pastor will preach at this hour on, "The Holy Ghost." This discourse will deal mainly with the nature of the Holy Ghost from a theological viewpoint. Many people, in the words of the Apostle Paul (Acts 19:2), "have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost" because the subject is difficult and ministers deliberately shun it. Have you ever listened to a sermon on the subject? I haven't!

The young people of the church meet Sunday evening at 7:15. Subject to be discussed, "How True Do the Teachings of Jesus Affect Our Conduct?" Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Sermon theme: "The Obedience of the Unknown." Questions will be answered.

If you have any questions to ask, any request (as for a sermon on some theme or text) or any suggestions to make, we urge that you write the same, signed or unsigned, and bring to our question box, which you will find just to the right of the door as you enter.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Edwin C. Calhoun, Pastor. Church school at 9:45—George

Summertime blossoms of pastel shades were used to decorate the playing rooms where Mrs. J. A. Tuttle entertained members of the La-fa-Lot club and guests with bridge at her home, 1506 West College, at 2:30 Thursday afternoon. Vases filled with roses, snapdragons, daisies, phlox, zenias and cannas made the tables attractive.

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Announcements

Story hour in the reading rooms of the court house at 2 o'clock and 3:30.

Naomi class meeting in the Yucca theatre at 9:45.

Party Honors Bride-elect, Recent Brides

Complimenting Miss Myrtle Whitmire, bride-elect, and Mmes. Delo Douglas, Johnnie Ratliff and Frank Stubbeman, recent brides, Mrs. Paul P. Vickers entertained with an informal bridge-shower at her home, 1400 South Lorraine, Thursday afternoon.

The playing rooms were converted into a garden by the use of summer flowers and greenery. A color motif of pink and yellow was carried out in tables and refreshments.

The honor guests were presented with lovely gifts by the hostess.

A watermelon course was served to Mmes. Willis Blackburn, J. B. Zant, Elliott Barron, the honorees and the hostess.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes returned Thursday afternoon from Sulphur Springs, where they had been visiting relatives for three weeks.

Odessa people who visited in Midland today were Mrs. John Fowler and daughter, Francine, Mrs. Ella McCracken, Mrs. Arthur Demison, Mrs. May Witcher and Mrs. Claudine Stickney.

Miss Dorothy Holzgraf who has been visiting in Waco has returned home.

Mrs. J. G. Dunagan and son of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. M. Hughes.

Miss Margaret Jarks has returned from a visit in Gatesville.

J. A. Warfast and J. C. Poulton of Tyler are in Midland on a business trip.

Paul M. Brown of Fort Worth is in Midland transacting business.

Judge Charles Gibbs of San Angelo visited in Midland today.

Captain D. K. Dankle and family were in Midland Thursday en route to their home in Fort Stockton.

Wm. B. Malcolm, Dallas business man, is in Midland in the interest of his firm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clayton returned to their home in Dallas today after a business trip here.

Recreational Club Entertained

Misses Maggie Allen and Marguerite Bivins entertained the Palasana recreational club at the home of Miss Bivins, 1009 West Illinois, Thursday evening.

During the evening games of 42 and dominos were played. Refreshments were served to Frances Ferguson, Alma Lee Norwood, Lucille McMullan, Imogene Cox, Lois Walker, Annie Faye Dunagan, Irene Lord, Margaret Grantham, Sammy Lane Cobb, Clint Dunagan, the sponsor, Mrs. Clint Dunagan and the hostesses.

Picnic for Class

Mrs. B. T. Westerman was hostess to members of the Naomi Sunday school class at her home, 711 West Kansas, Thursday evening. A picnic supper was served on the lawn to 23 members.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse will leave Saturday morning for a vacation to El Paso and Ruloso. They will return Wednesday.

A. L. Ackers and C. W. Kourse of San Angelo are in Midland on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Healy have returned from a month's visit in Marlin.

(Political Advertising) This space contributed by Midland friends of C. V. Terrell.

Perry Bros. SALE

WILL CONTINUE ALL NEXT WEEK

And that will mean another week of values never before seen for the quality of merchandise that we are selling.

FREE Remember to be at our store at 3 o'clock this Saturday. We are going to give away a 47-piece set of dishes, a 5x8 grass rug and a 10-piece bridge set. A ticket for these awards is given with each 25c purchase.

ON SATURDAY, JULY 23

We shall give away another 47-piece set of dishes, an 8-piece water set and your choice of any framed picture in the store.

SAVE MONEY ON THESE SALE PRICES

- Ladies' house shoes, leatherette, soft sole, cushion heel, in red, blue and black; the pair 25c
Ladies' white mesh sandals, sizes 4 to 8, the pair, 89c
Boys' overalls, sizes 2 to 6, pair 29c
Men's work shirts, blue chambray, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, each 29c
Men's athletic union suits, sizes 36 to 46, the suits 25c
1 lot of ginghams and prints in short lengths, the yard 5c
Gallon size hot or cold picnic jugs, each 98c
Bottle caps, 1 gross in box 19c
13-ounce iced tea glasses in crystal or green, each 5c
Medix sanitary napkins, 12 pack, per box 15c
Ladies' hand bags in red, blue and green, each 25c
Ladies' non-run rayon stepins, pair 15c
Ladies' purses; our regular 98c purse with zipper; all colors, each 89c
Brassiers, sizes 30 to 40, each 15c
Children's anklets, sizes 3 to 9, pair 10c
Ladies' and misses' anklets; assorted colors, sizes 7 to 10 1/2, the pair 15c
Children's hand embroidered dresses in dimity and dotted Swiss, assorted colors, each 45c
Ladies' mesh hose; regular \$1 value, best colors, the pair 69c
Ladies' chiffon hose; regular \$1 value, best colors, the pair 79c
Ladies' mercerized lisle hose, best colors, 2 pairs for 25c
Cannon Turkish towels, single thread, 18x36, each 8c
Cannon Turkish towels, double thread, 20x40, worth 19c, for only, each 10c
80-square prints, fast color, yard 9c
Lido chiffon printed voiles; very fine quality, fast color, the yard 12c
Curtains and panels, regular 98c value, now 69c
Aluminumware
Percolators, 4-cup size, each 39c
Clear drip coffee maker, 4-cup size 39c
Double boiler, 1 1/2-qt. size, each 49c
Angel food cake pan, large size, each 49c
Tea kettle, 5-qt. size, each 69c
Sunny Monday laundry soap, 5 bars 10c

PERRY BROS., INC. 5-10-25c STORE

TEXAS RAILROADS PAY SUBSTANTIAL PART OF STATE'S TAX BURDEN

Taxes is one of the large fixed charges connected with the operation of Texas railroads. From the standpoint of the welfare of state, counties and communities, railroad taxes are of much importance. This annual obligation must be met from the earning capacity of the rail carriers.

In 1931 the railroads of Texas paid a total of \$8,303,108.47 in federal, state, county, municipal and miscellaneous taxes. The distribution of this amount to the various tax funds is shown below:

Table with 3 columns: Tax Fund, Amount Paid, Per Cent of Total Tax Paid. Rows include U. S. Government, State, County, Roads, Improvement Districts, Schools, Cities, Miscellaneous, and Total.

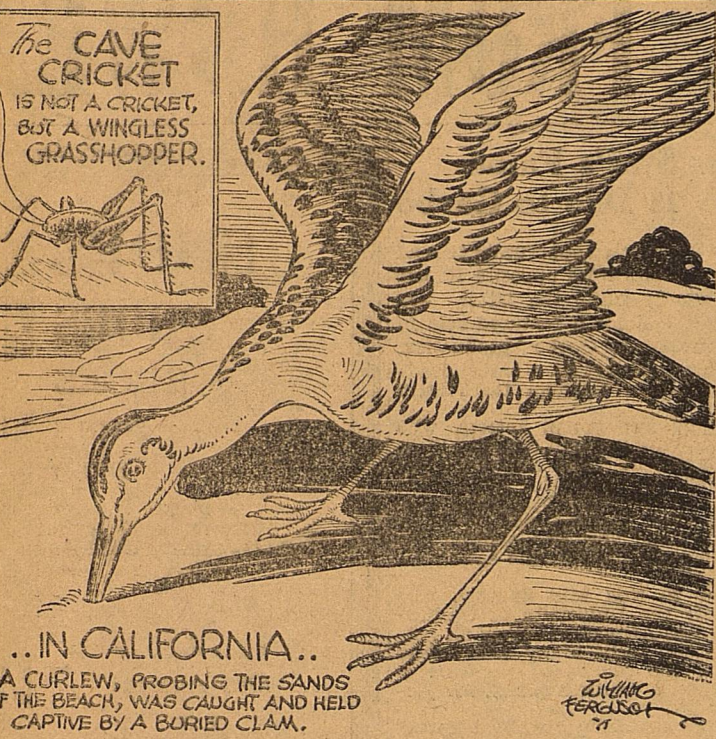
It can thus be seen that railroad taxes represent an important and indispensable factor in the economic life of our state. They help in a large measure to pay the expense of our state, county and municipal government, build and maintain highways, pay the cost of drainage and other improvements, and support our schools and educational institutions.

It is the desire of Texas railroads to extend this helpfulness to Texas counties and communities in carrying this heavy burden. However, their ability to meet these obligations as they become due depends upon their ability to earn sufficient revenue with which to pay this and other heavy expenses connected with their operation.

RAILROADS HAVE ALWAYS SHOULDERED THEIR SHARE OF RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE NATION, THE STATE, AND THE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE, AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO TO THE EXTENT OF THEIR ABILITY.

THE TEXAS RAILROADS

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



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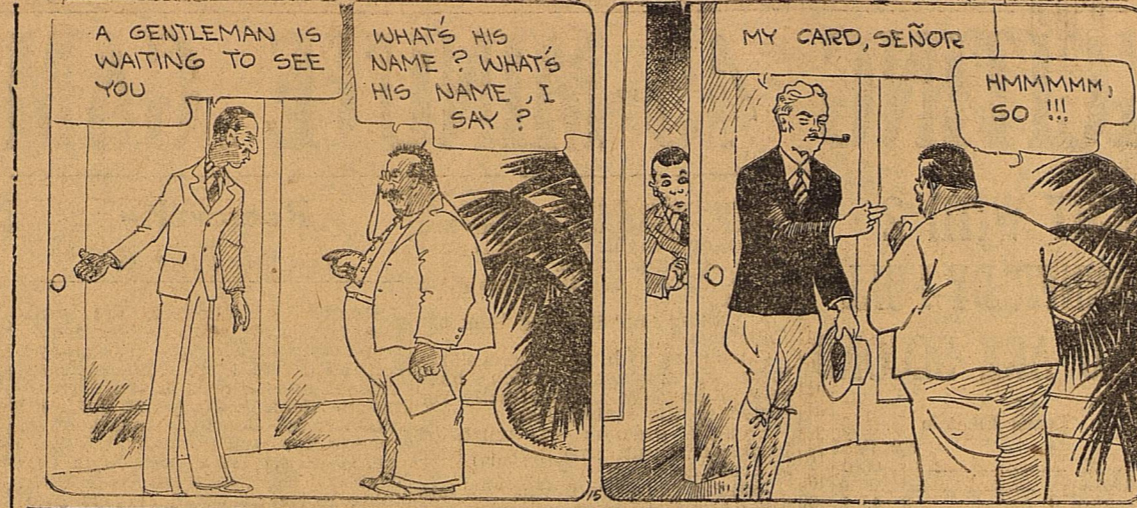
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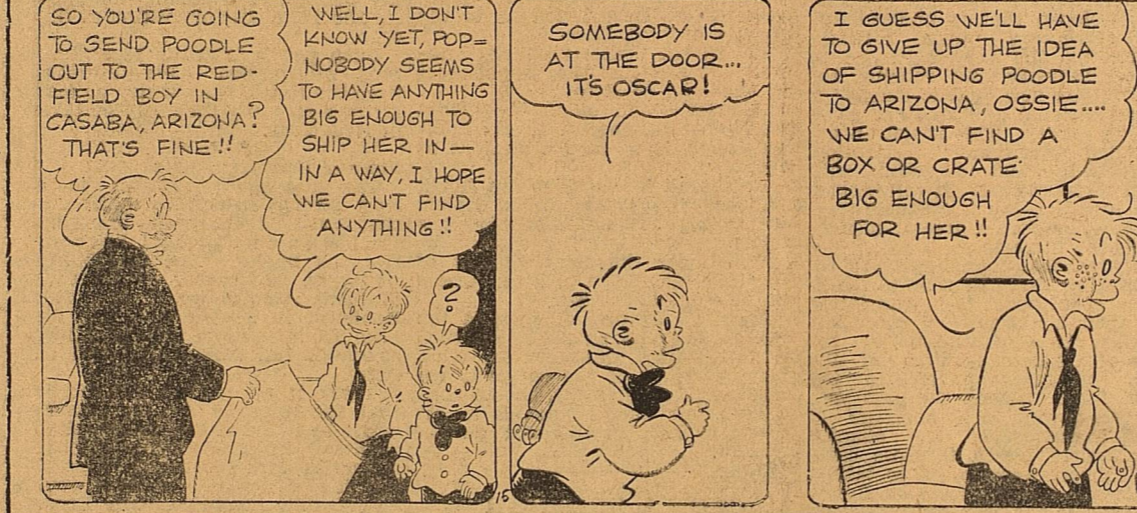
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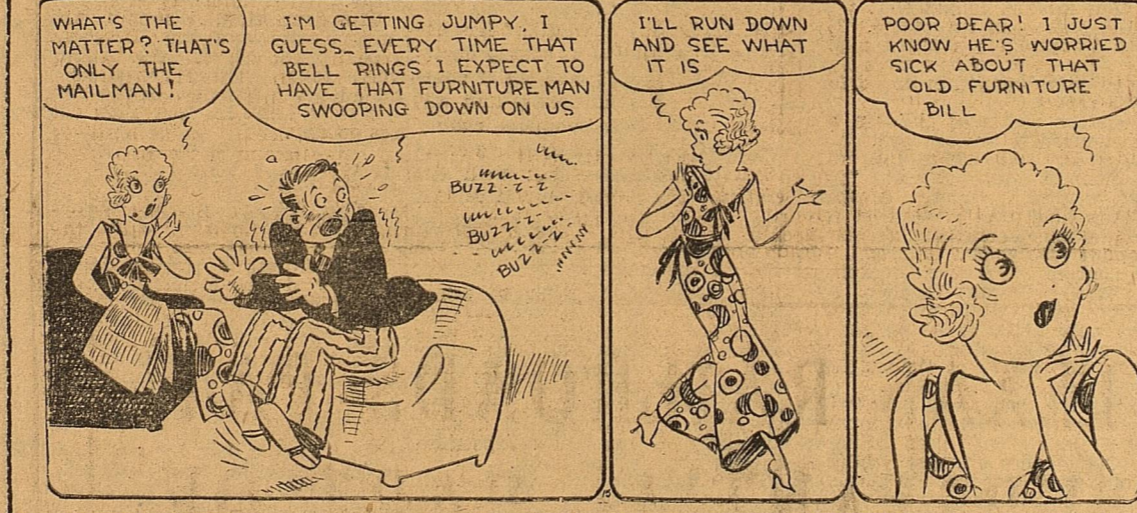
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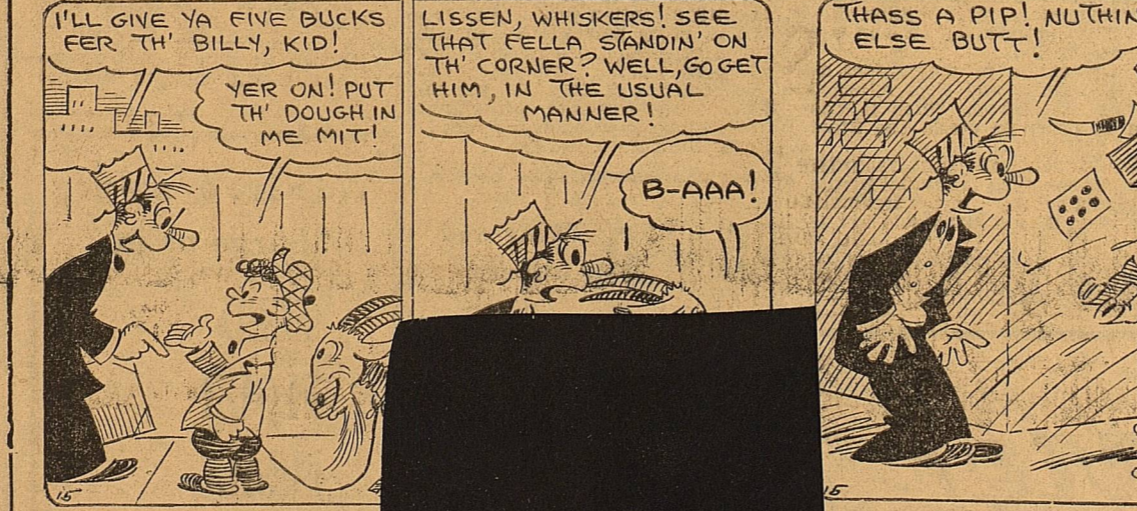
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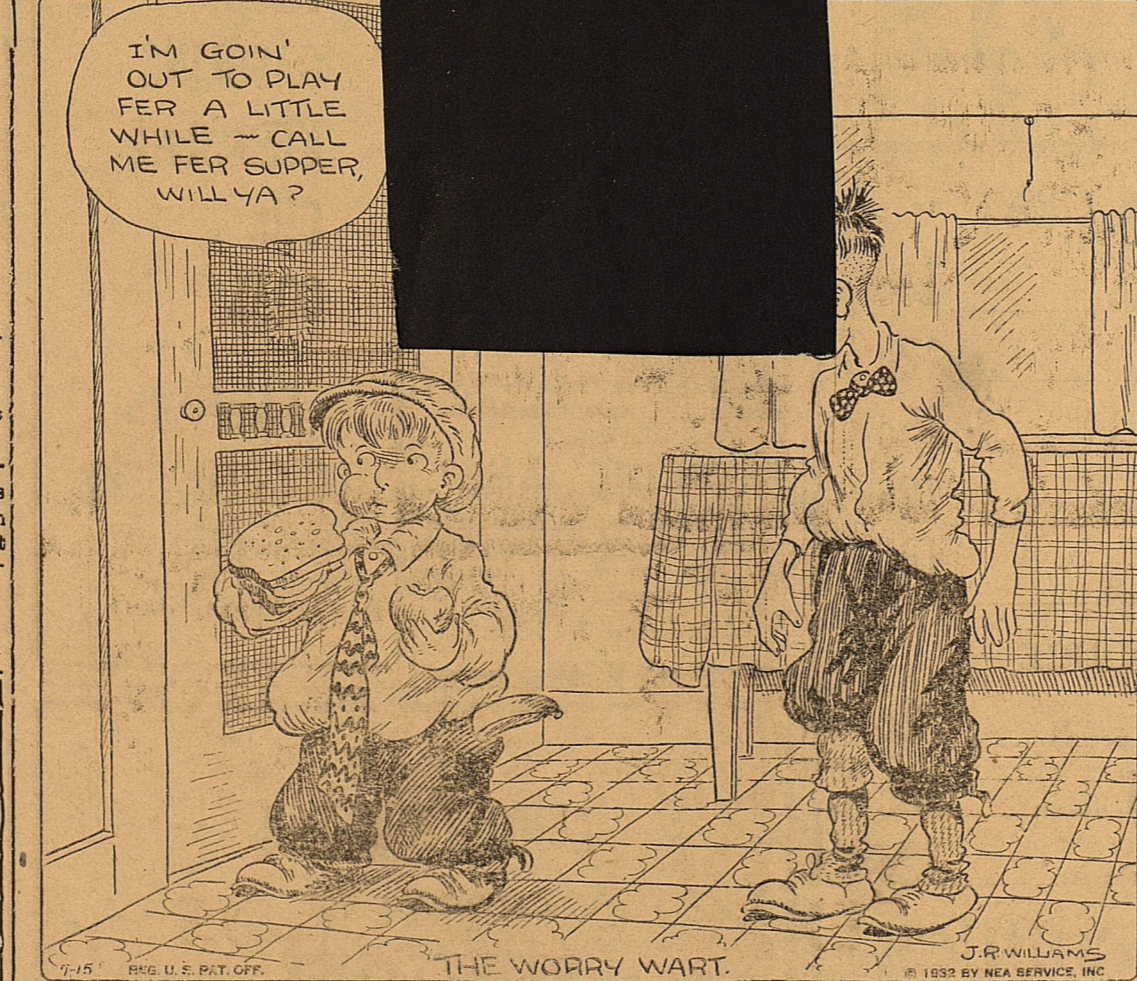
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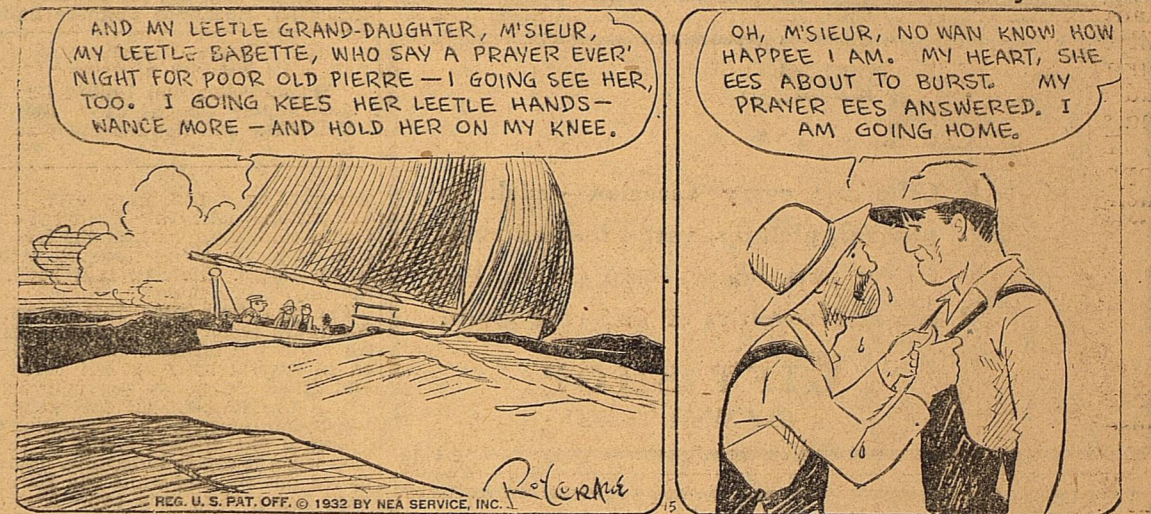
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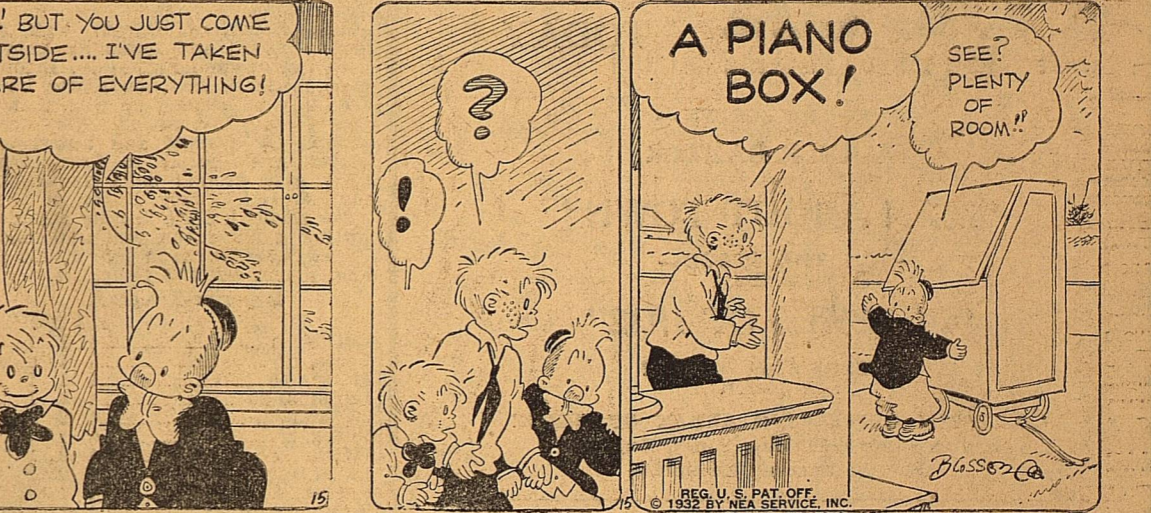
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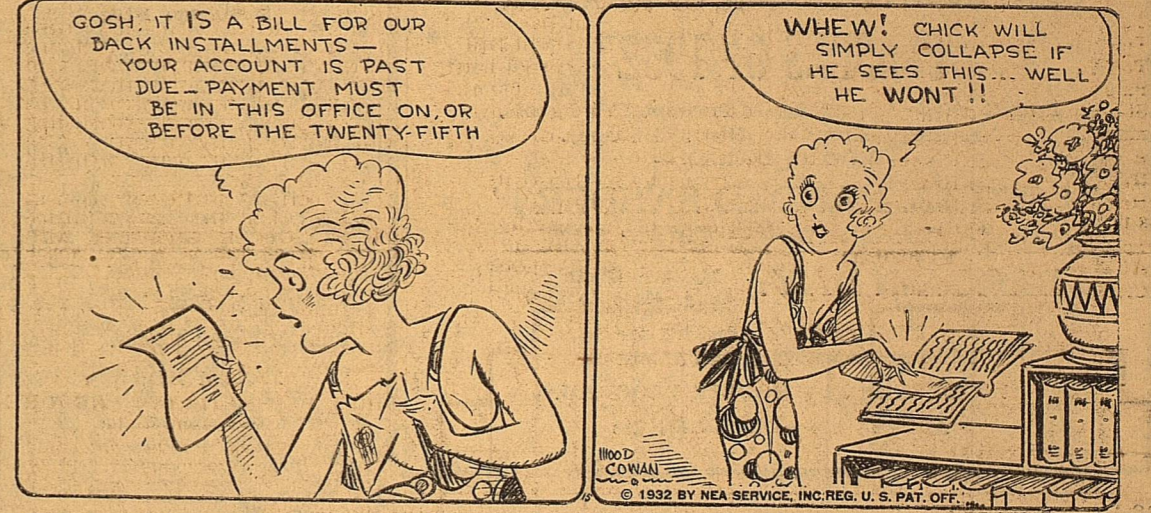
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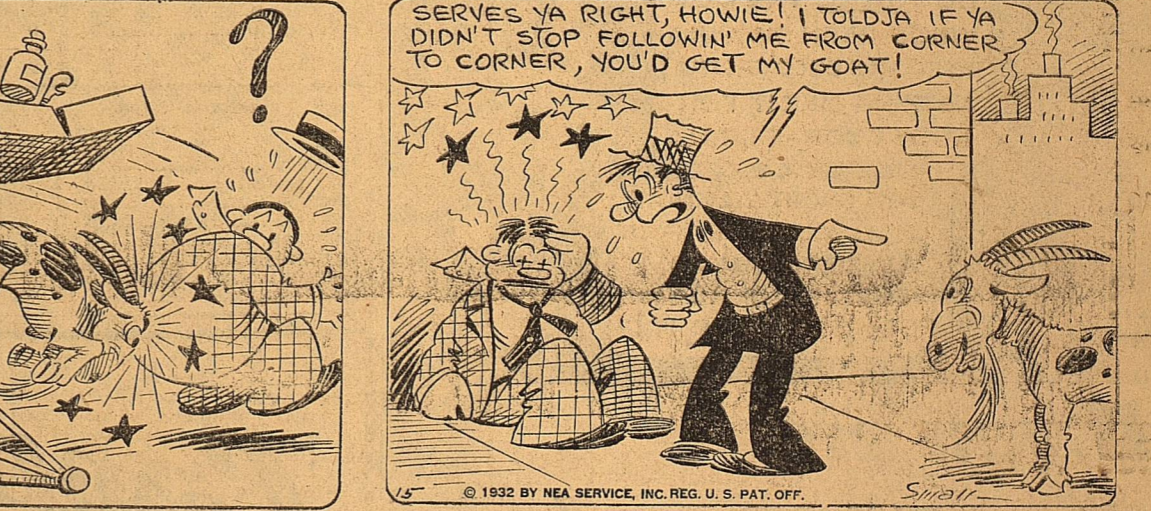
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By AHERN

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An automatic gas water heater operates for only a few pennies a day.

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Gifts for every occasion—such as plaques, pictures, vases, hooked rugs, flower pots, lamps, lamp shades, linens and novelties of different kinds.

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617 West Texas

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WEST TEXAS' FINEST THEATRE

— ON THE SCREEN —
WARNER BAXTER
in
"MAN ABOUT TOWN"

— ON THE STAGE —
(Night Only)
"FLASHES OF 1932"

The Stage Show Treat of The Season

GORGEOUS GLITTERING ARRAY OF GIRLS!
Superb Dances, Pleasing Songs, Eccentric Comedy, Dazzling Ensembles.

SATURDAY COMPLETE CHANGE OF PROGRAM

"FLASHES OF 1932"

Present a Complete Change of Program, New Dances, New Songs—Everything New and Snappy.

— ON THE SCREEN —
"SINGLE HANDED SANDERS"
"Heroes of West"—"Cartoon"

BARGAIN DAY: Matinee (Pictures Only)—1:30 to 5:00

Any Adult or Child Admitted for 1c When Accompanied by Paid Admission

NIGHT—THE BIG DOUBLE PROGRAM,
ADULTS 25c—CHILDREN 10c

SO YOU'RE THE GUY WHO'S BEEN SWIPING MY KIRK'S COCO CASTILE! NOTHING LIKE IT FOR BODY ODOR—EH, BILL?

YOU OUGHT TO KNOW, JIM! YOU WERE ABOUT AS POPULAR AS A HANGNAIL UNTIL YOU STARTED USING IT!

If you are UNPOPULAR and don't know WHY

There's something *deceitful* about perspiration odor: You may be a terrible offender yet never know why your friends are dodging you! But why take chances, when a bath with Kirk's Coco Castile will rid you of body odor instantly...leave skin and scalp as fresh and clean-smelling as a woodland breeze! Made of 100% pure coconut oil, it gives a fuller, more penetrating lather than ordinary soaps. It goes deep into the pores, removes every trace of oily, dirty film, then rinses off in a flash. Best of all, it's *unscented*; leaves no telltale hospital smell. Try it—for hands, for bath, for a wonderful shampoo. You'll be amazed at the difference. **Avoid imitations. Look for the arrows. Always ask for Kirk's by name.**

Kirk's Coco Castile Ends Body Odor

KIRK'S COCO CASTILE is mild and delightful...yet against several very common bacteria tests prove it 5 to 10 times as germicidal as carbolic acid. This big bargain cake is made by the largest soap makers in America.

KIRK'S ORIGINAL COCO HARDWATER CASTILE
MADE ONLY FROM PURE COCONUT OIL
NOTE DIFFERENCE IN WEIGHT
KIRK'S 6 1/2 OUNCES
THE THREE OTHER BRANDS ONLY 5 OUNCES AVERAGE WEIGHT 4 OUNCES

FIRST HALF ENDS TONIGHT WITH 2 GAMES; HARDWARE WINNER BY FULL GAME; UNITED, TESCO ARE SECOND

By **HERB A. ROUNTREE**

The orange and white of Midland Hardware was given a rousing finale last night in its last game of the first half of the Nocturne league, as Texas Electric Service company coped in an exciting 45-minute 4-3 encounter. Hardware won the half.

TWO GAMES TONIGHT
Hokus-Pokus and United Dry Goods play tonight at 7, Bell Telephone and Cowden-Epley at 8.

Player	AB	R	H	E
Miller, rf	3	0	1	0
Straughan, p	2	0	0	1
E. B. Estes, 2b	3	1	1	1
Northington, ss	3	0	1	0
Hodges, lf	1	2	0	0
A. Estes, c	3	0	1	0
Burris, cf	2	0	0	1
D. Parrott, 2b	2	0	0	0
	21	4	6	3

Umpires: Kinikin, Hiett, B. Howard.
Time of game: 45 min.

GASOLINE TAX EVASION COMES UP FOR PANNING

The article says:

Gasoline tax evasion is now a racket, and every man in the oil organization should do his part to combat the evil, says the recent issue of The Humble Lubricator.

Concurrent with the rise of motor fuel tax rates a national "racket" has developed that is undermining law, corrupting public officials, threatening the very existence of the oil industry and robbing the public. The new "public enemy" is the professional and amateur gasoline tax evader. This is not an exaggerated sensational declaration, but it is the real situation with which we must cope. It will become more lucrative—an irresistible temptation—therefore a greater menace as this tax increases.

This racket is depriving the school children of Texas of that to which they are entitled. It is interfering with their bright—education.

Under the Constitution of the State of Texas, one-fourth of the motor fuel tax is paid into the school fund. During the past year or more, owing to a shortage of funds, a number of the country schools were forced to close early and teachers were forced to take a drastic reduction in their small pay. Last year, it has been conservatively estimated, the school system of Texas should have received three quarters of a million dollars that went into the pockets of racketeers. The fact that one-fourth of this tax goes to the support of schools gives Texas an effective weapon in its warfare on this racket.

When the rights of children are violated mothers are aroused. Mothers, under such conditions, discard business and political "diplomacy" and fight directly. Mothers of Texas hold the balance of political power. Vacillating, spineless politicians fear them. Through the enlistment of 2600 well-organized units of the Parent-Teacher Associations in this State, and with the aid of approximately 48,000 school teachers and hundreds of school trustees, the power of the gasoline tax racketeer will be broken.

During the past fiscal year, with the cooperation of the oil industry through its numerous organizations, State Comptroller Sheppard collected a million dollars more in gasoline tax than he did the previous year without any appreciable increase in consumption. Some estimate that the amount of evasion in this State is approximately three million dollars. The methods of evasion are many and include:

Transportation of motor fuel across State lines and then returned into the State from which it was taken in order to evade the State Tax.

Establishment of paint factories and other so-called industrial plants purchasing gasoline for tax free purposes when it is actually sold to the trustee.

Failure to make report of gasoline received and failure to file reports with the State authorities.

Reporter-Telegram

Player	AB	R	H	E
Ratliff, c	4	1	1	0
Levis, cf	3	1	0	1
Morse, lf	4	1	1	1
Hankins, 2b	2	1	2	2
Gemmill, p	4	2	1	1
Reith, rf	4	1	1	1
Winger, cf	4	2	1	0
Bauer, ss	4	2	2	0
Snyder, 3b	3	1	0	0
B. Blackman, lf	4	1	2	0
	39	14	10	7

Umpires: Kinikin, Pierce, Phillips.
Time of game: 1 hour.

Petroleum Drug

Player	AB	R	H	E
Ellis, ss, 2b	4	1	1	0
Lynch, c	3	0	0	0
D. Hurst, lf	3	1	1	0
Roderick, 1b	4	1	1	1
C. Allen, 3b	4	1	0	0
Moore, 2b, ss	4	0	0	0
Lewellen, cf	4	1	1	1
Thomson, rf	3	1	2	0
Walker, lf	3	1	0	0
Heard, lf, c	3	1	0	0
Newton, p	4	2	1	2
	35	10	8	10

Umpires: Kinikin, Pierce, Phillips.
Time of game: 1 hour.

Midland Hardware

Player	AB	R	H	E
B. Hurst, ss	3	0	0	1
R. Morgan, cf	3	1	0	0
R. Morgan, lf	3	1	0	0
Branch, 2b	3	0	0	0
D. Hurst, lf	3	0	0	0
H. Jones, 3b	3	0	0	0
Baker, rf	2	0	0	0
Bayless, c	2	0	0	2
V. Smith, p, cf	2	1	0	0
Pyron, cf, p	2	0	0	0
	26	3	2	3

STANDINGS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Hardware	11	3	.788
Tesco	10	4	.714
United	9	4	.692
Newsies	8	5	.615
Phonemen	5	8	.384
Grocerymen	4	8	.333
Druggists	4	10	.285
Fords	1	10	.091

Compare! — You'll Save Here

HOME KILLED MEAT

PORK SAUSAGE pound 10c
BEEF ROAST pound 12c
DRESSED FRYERS each 35c
DRESSED HENS pound 12c
STEAKS Sirloin and Round 15c

FRESH PRODUCE

BLACK EYED PEAS pound 2c
HOME GROWN CORN dozen 15c
FRESH YARD EGGS dozen 12c

MIDLAND PRODUCE
119 SOUTH MAIN

Roosevelt--
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Roosevelt's followers are well pleased because since he was nominated without a single Tammany-controlled vote, there is no suspicion that he owes a debt to the organization. John F. Curry and John H. McCooey of Brooklyn might have gone to Roosevelt normally, but they feared Al Smith's opposition in the next city election more than anything Roosevelt would ever be able to do to them and it appears that Al browbeat them into sticking with him through the very last ditch. Nobody believes Roosevelt would have made a deal with Tammany involving Walker, but it left Chicago with no reason to hope for his lenience.

Roosevelt's Dilemma
The conventional viewpoint of politicians is that Roosevelt, in making the Walker decision, is damned if he does and damned if he doesn't. Walker is such a popular idol that many believe his removal would make it impossible for Roosevelt to carry New York City.

Curry and Walker are said not to be friendly and the former might be willing to dump the mayor overboard, but power and popularity in New York appear to be closely divided. Democratic presidential candidates have never been able to carry the state without a big majority in the city and it has been axiomatic, though not necessarily true this year, that one can't carry the country without the state.

If Walker is removed he and his friends will accuse Roosevelt of playing politics, of wreaking vengeance for the Tammany opposition at Chicago.

Such growls from the Tiger, however, will receive little attention from the rest of the country no matter how seriously they may be taken in New York.

Pro and Con Arguments
The case against Walker is at least strong enough to make sure that Roosevelt will receive something of a black eye nationally if he doesn't fire the mayor. The Republicans would be delighted. Conversely, Walker's removal would strengthen Roosevelt in a country which dislikes Tammany and it is what most Roosevelt followers expect and desire.

There is no definite assurance that the voters or the organization would be found knitting Roosevelt by wholesale in November. Politically, Walker's removal would strengthen reaction to Walker's removal would be generally favorable. The Roosevelt effort to conciliate all New York factions is being pushed vigorously.

Lackey Chairman Centennial Group

W. W. Lackey of Midland has accepted appointment as county chairman of the Texas centennial committee for Midland county and will at an early date complete county and precinct organization for a campaign to acquaint voters with the pending centennial constitutional amendment. The county committee will appoint chairmen for every precinct in the county.

The state constitution as originally framed, however, made no provision for state support of a centennial celebration and the amendment would authorize the legislature to appropriate funds for assisting in such a celebration in 1936, but especially provides that it shall not apply to any other exposition or celebration of any kind.

The committee believes that all that will be necessary to secure an overwhelming majority for the centennial amendment will be to inform voters as to its purpose and that with attention properly directed to it, every patriotic Texan will favor a creditable celebration of a kind to reflect the heroic sacrifices of the founders of the state, the resplendent achievements of the first century and the wonderful possibilities for the future.

Midland Dancer On McCamey Stage

Miss Ernestine Holder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holder, will appear in a vaudeville sketch at the Grand theatre in McCamey next week. She will do Oriental and classical dancing. She is an assistant instructor in a woman's athletic club in McCamey this summer, being in charge of the tap dancing department.

Miss Holder has been a student in the Vickers studio at Midland for several years and has appeared on theatrical programs here.

The dolphin is a mammal and, like the porpoise, is a species of small whale.

Although wood will float on water, sawdust will sink to the bottom.

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Samuel Goldwyn presents Sylvia Sidney, Wm. Collier Jr., Estelle Taylor in
"STREET SCENE"

The mightiest human drama ever screened! Two years a great stage play, now forever an immortal masterpiece.

Admission 5-10-15c

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For **Saturday, July 16th**

The Last Day of Our Annual **July Clearance Sale**

We have rearranged our tables of shoes and have put out new styles and new patterns, at still greater reductions.

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Rice directed the New York, Chicago, London and Los Angeles stage productions. A published version of the play has appeared in five languages.

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Refined woman, with pleasing personality, to take educational census of Midland. No selling. Will pay \$1.00 a day and other compensation to right party. Address: E. F. C. Box 767, Abilene, Texas. (Adv.)

Sylvia Sidney at The Grand Sunday

"Street Scene" pictured from the famous Pulitzer Prize play by Elmer Rice, will be presented by Samuel Goldwyn at the Grand theatre Sunday and Monday. In directing the story a warm-hearted romance and a passionate murder against the living screen of a city street, King Vidor makes of "Street Scene" his most ambitious effort since "The Big Parade."

Sylvia Sidney in whose ears are still ringing the nation-wide acclaim that greeted her appearance in "An American Tragedy" has the romantic lead in the picture. William Collier, Jr., plays opposite her. Estelle Taylor follows here brilliant performance in "Cimarron" with the exacting and difficult role of Mrs. Maurrant, which, to many of the play's multitude of friends who believe "Street Scene" to be as much a story of mother love as Goldwyn's earlier "Stella Dallas," is the most important of all.

Elmer Rice himself adapted his stage play to the screen for Mr. Goldwyn. It ran for 600 performances in New York, and played for two years through the principal cities of the United States. Mr.

As One Housewife to Another...



The subject of food is discussed hundreds of times each day among the women of Midland—because it is a vital subject.

We have tried hard to make the discussions of our stores as pleasant as possible. In doing that, we have taken into consideration the fact that quality and service are two very important factors together with the downward trend of prices during recent months.

Our groceries and meats are the best obtainable and we are selling them at prices consistent with the low level of today.

We want your business and we appreciate every purchase you make from us.

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KIRK'S Original Hard Water Soap