

The Weather

WEST TEXAS—Cloudy and local rains in the south tonight and Sunday.

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Let's quit harping about the depression. Let's talk better times.
—James A. Farrell, steel magnate.

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BUILDING PROGRAM IS FAVORED

Man Killed by Car as He Repairs Tire Burglars Shot

GENERAL RAINS REPORTED OVER ENTIRE GRASSLAND AREA

.36 INCH FALLS IN MIDLAND

Ranges in Excellent Condition, as Are Area Livestock

General rains over this area fell slowly Saturday, and brought the total precipitation for the week here to .90 inch.

Rain fell throughout the range district of West Texas, judging from reports, and did inestimable benefit to farming land as well as grazing country. Dirt roads radiating from Midland were described as slippery as far as drivers had come, most of them within a 50-mile radius. It rained .36 inch in Midland Saturday.

Weeds are plentiful on Midland county ranges and cattle are in excellent condition, ranchers say.

There has been no freezing temperatures here since Jan. 22.

Tabulated report of rainfall for the week, as prepared by Buster Howard, weather observer, follows:

Sunday—.40
Monday—.06
Thursday—.08
Saturday—.36
Total—.90.

AUSTIN, Feb. 7. (AP)—The bureau of agricultural economics today issued a report characterizing January as a favorable month for Texas' winter and early spring truck crops because of its good temperature. Rainfall in all trucking areas was sufficient, the report said.

SEARCH SEIZURE LAW FIGHT WILL BE ON THIS WEEK

AUSTIN, Feb. 7. (UP)—The Rev. B. J. Forbes said today that the temporary defeat yesterday in the house committee on criminal jurisdiction of his bill to repeal the state search seizure law, was only a skirmish and that the real battle would be on the house floor.

Prohibition enforcement promised to furnish excitement during the coming week.

The search and seizure law prohibits the use of evidence illegally obtained.

Forbes said the action in the house yesterday in raising the juvenile age to eighteen also attacks prohibition enforcement by permitting bootleggers to use boys in making sales, knowing they would be free from jail or penitentiary sentences.

Bond Made in Case Of Henry Rowlett

AUSTIN, Feb. 7. (UP)—Henry Rowlett, Austin, charged in a complaint with the murder of Carl Withers, Johnson City, was released on a \$2,500 bond today after an application for habeas corpus writ was dismissed. The district court examining trial has been set for February 20.

Wife Shot by Gun In Husband's Hands

DALLAS, Feb. 7. (UP)—Leda Tucker, 18, was critically wounded by her husband, C. B. Tucker, 24, when the two playfully grappled for a pistol at a filling station where Tucker was employed.

A negro attendant said the wife came to see her husband shortly after midnight. The husband took the gun out of the cash register playfully and his wife grappled with him.

Imagine It



Ten minutes after Mrs. James B. Rozell had died in St. Mary's Hospital, Grand Rapids, Mich., a healthy baby girl was born through performance of a Caesarian operation by physicians. The baby, Patricia Ann, is shown here in the arms of Nurse Marie Scanlon.

MEDICS FROM 4 COUNTIES WILL MEET ON MONDAY

Doctors from Howard, Martin, Ector and Midland counties will convene at Hotel Scharbauer Monday evening for the periodical session of the Four-County Medical association.

Dr. Wilson, Odessa, will read an instructive paper of vital interest to doctors. Several medical problems will be discussed by various doctors, announced Dr. A. M. Gantt, president of the association.

The programs opens at 7:30 in the private dining room.

25,000 Have "Flu" In Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 7. (AP)—Twenty-five thousand persons are suffering from a light influenza epidemic here.

The number included 3,000 government employees and many departments are operating with reduced staffs.

Complaints Against Dogs Here Fewer

Complaints made to police relative to dogs running loose in the city have been noticeably fewer since the city council issued a warning last week informing Midland dog owners they must keep their brutes penned.

The council asked that strict observance be made of the city ordinance governing chickens and livestock, at the same time.

Dogs have ruined gardens and flowers of several property owners, complaints said. In case it should be necessary, the council intimated it might have to follow the precedent of several other Texas towns—giving authority of property owners to dispose of animals and poultry ruining improvements in yards and gardens.

Movie Director's Cracks Save Many After Blast

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7. (AP)—The soothing words of Fred Niblo, motion picture director were credited today with turning a near panic at the theatre into laughter while 30 persons outside were carried to hospitals, victims of an explosion of a sewer.

The gas blast occurred as a taxi driver stopped a car over a man-

FIFTEEN CARRIED TO SEA

Ice Floes Break From Buffalo Shoreline Carrying Men

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 7. (AP)—Fifteen men tonight faced cold and exposure on drifting ice floes in the stormy waters of Lake Erie.

Approximately 25 fishermen were carried into the lake this morning when a section of ice several miles in extent broke from the shore at the harbor breakwater in a howling wind.

The coast guard rescued 20, and renewed its efforts to save the others.

Later, a second floe on the lake front broke away, carrying 10 men. One man lost his foothold and was snatched to death by the wind-lashed waves.

City to Construct Three-Cell Jail

Construction of a three-cell city jail adjoining the old city hall for the sake of convenience will be started within a short time, it was decided by the city council last week.

Proponents of the plan explained the city sometimes has to wake the county sheriff in the middle of the night, have a prisoner escorted to the county jail, only to have him taken out of the county jail a few hours later for trial before the police judge, whereas, if the city had its own jail adjoining the city hall prisoners might be more conveniently handled.

The county has offered the city materials for building the jail, it was explained.

The cells will cost approximately \$100, an estimate furnished said.

Discussion of Trade Expansion by C of C

Directors of the Midland chamber of commerce will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday night at 7:30. The main item of business to be discussed will be trade expansion. However, other matters requiring official action of the board will come up. The president promises a brief session if all directors will come on time. He said the meeting should be concluded not later than 8:30, and said the meeting would start promptly at 7:30. All interested members are invited to attend.

Mexican Bandits Reported Executed

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 7. (AP)—The Pueblo correspondent of the newspaper Universal reported seven bandits had been court martialed and executed immediately.

The bandits had been captured near the village of Chichisomula which it was believed they were about to sack.

Gangster Killed By Gangdom Ruse

DETROIT, Feb. 7. (UP)—Chester Lamare, 47, said by police to be a gang leader, was killed today when he opened a back door of his home expecting to admit a wire and was met by a volley of bullets.

The police said Lamare had been hiding out from rival gangsters for three months. Guns and ammunition were found in his house.

Strange Case



Mrs. Alta Weitz, 16, above, was given an annulment by a San Francisco judge when she testified that she was only 14 when she got married. She is the mother of a year-old boy.

LANDSCAPING IS ATTENDED BY 50 PEOPLE SATURDAY

Landscaping at the S. H. Gwyn home, two and half miles northwest of Midland on the Andrews road, brought out 50 people to see the demonstration work of Fred W. Westcott, director of the department of rural arts, Texas State College for Women, Denton.

He spoke on and showed the proper arrangement of landscaping, types of plants, how to put out shrubbery, importance of topping plants when setting out, proportion of lawns, where the rose garden should be, types of grasses, how to keep a lawn and kindred subjects.

Miss Lois Patterson and Mrs. John Haley drove the speaker and Miss Genavieve Derryberry, home demonstration agent, over the city, showing Westcott numerous Midland lawns.

The speaker spoke before representatives of the chamber of commerce, Women's Federated clubs, Lions and Rotary clubs, newspaper, extension members of Texas A. & M. college and the commissioners court at a luncheon Saturday in the private dining room of the hotel.

Those present were: Miss Derryberry, Paul T. Vickers, Mrs. Vickers, Miss Lois Patterson, George McCormick, County Judge M. R. Hill, Ralph Barron, Homer W. Rowe, Harry L. Haight and Frank Wendt.

In the address he sought to make clear the understanding necessary between urban and rural dwellers and attendant good relationship. Be-bore this is accomplished little can be done in united strength for the good of the county as a whole, he pointed out.

The grouping of representatives from the various clubs of Midland at the luncheon was done for the purpose of promoting this understanding and showing Midland people their part in perfecting a strong city-county united front with which to face county problems.

Split Tax on School Taxes Would Hurt

AUSTIN, Feb. 7. (AP)—S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, issuing warrants to schools on a \$2 per capita apportionment, today urged tax payers of independent school districts not to take advantage of the deferred payment plan lest they seriously cripple their schools.

HAD JUST BEEN ROBBED BY YEGGS

Man Named Lester Is Said Responsible For Death

HENDERSON, Feb. 7. (UP)—Buford McAllister, Rugby, was killed on the highway near here today, when an automobile driven by a man named Lester struck him as he repaired a tire punctured a moment before by bandits who held up him and his brother.

A group of men stopped the youth's truck and took seven dollars. They struck Buford's brother, Leon, over the head, dazing him, shot a tire and fled.

Buford had revived his brother and set to work on the tire.

Mrs. Covington Is Slightly Injured

Mrs. Carl Covington received emergency treatment Saturday afternoon following a collision of her car and a Smith & Stevens light delivery car at the intersection of Colorado and Michigan.

Two stitches were taken in a head wound. Other than the injury and shock, she was apparently all right.

The delivery car was driven by Lane Whitmore and was proceeding east on Michigan. Mrs. Covington was going south of Colorado. The Covington coupe was turned around and the right side of the body smashed. The left front of the delivery truck was damaged.

Rain was falling at the time of the accident and it was thought the drivers failed to see each other.

District Judge for Day Here Monday

Some attorney of the Midland Bar association will be district judge Monday.

District Judge Charles L. Klapproth will preside over the Howard county district court that day, having been called on election of one of their number to take the place of District Judge Smith, who is ill.

Whoever serves will be only two weeks behind the district judge here in being the first to preside over district court in the new court house, as this is the first court session for the building.

Crank Case Oil Is Damaging Sewers

Pouring of crank case oil into the city sewer system is doing a weekly damage to the disposal plant that is causing an investigation by city engineers, the city council was told last week.

A. J. Gates, city manager, explained that it is against the law to pour oil into sewers, and said the damage is done through killing of bacteria which feeds on other bacteria—thereby causing the disposal plant to fall in correct functioning.

Mayor Leon Goodman asked that the public be asked through this newspaper to avoid pouring of oil in the system, saying that not only would it prevent the disposal plant from functioning, but would kill the plant life of the city farm onto which sewage is drained.

Wreck in Poland

CRACOW, Poland, Feb. 7. (AP)—An engineer and one passenger were killed and three others were seriously hurt today when the Warsaw to Cracow express train had a head-on collision with the Cracow to Katowitz express. Both engines were demolished.

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Pope to Be Heard Over Radio



The powerful new broadcasting station at the Vatican over which Pope Pius will speak via a short wavelength on Thursday, Feb. 12, at about noon (Eastern standard time) is shown above, with an inset of the pope. The occasion marks the ninth anniversary of his coronation, the opening of the Vatican's radio station and a program in honor of Senator Guglielmo Marconi, inventor of wireless, who will also be heard.

NINE KILLED AND 33 INJURED IN 4 TRAIN ACCIDENTS

HAMILTON, Ohio, Feb. 7. (AP)—A fast freight here early today struck an automobile and carried it four blocks, killing two men and two women. Three of the bodies were mangled beyond recognition.

Auto Strikes Freight
DETROIT, Feb. 7. (AP)—Three men were killed when their automobile struck a Pere Marquette freight train at the Joy road crossing today.

The victims were Albert Thompson, Fred Walker and Benjamin Barnett.

30 Are Injured
NEW YORK, Feb. 7. (UP)—Thirty persons were injured, three seriously, when a southbound train in an east side subway crashed into the rear end of an empty train which was moving on a siding in the Bronx today.

The force of the crash hurled passengers out of their seats. Traffic was delayed for an hour.

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HOUSE BILL IS PASSED



Would Authorize the Appropriation of \$100,000,000

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—The senate today passed the house bill authorizing the appropriation of another \$100,000,000 to expand the public building program.

The bill goes back to the house for action. The senate amendments provide for an expenditure of the amount outside the District of Columbia.

REHABILITATION RELIEF CONFEREES ARE CALLED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (UP)—The senate and house conferees were called into session today to write a \$20,000,000 rehabilitation relief compromise into the interior department appropriation bill. The compromise is expected to be embodied in the bill immediately.

\$500,000,000 BACHRACH BONUS IS CONSIDERED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (UP)—The house democrats swung into line today for the \$500,000,000 Bachrach compromise bonus proposal to increase the loan limit to the veterans adjusted service certificates.

SENATE COMMITTEE DELAYS ITS ACTION

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—The senate finance committee today deferred action to next week on legislation to cash veterans compensation certificates to await action by the house ways and means committee.

The republican leader, Watson, said the senate wanted to give the house a chance to originate a measure. Senator Hawley, chairman of the house ways and means committee, has served notice that the house will not consider compensation legislation originating in the senate.

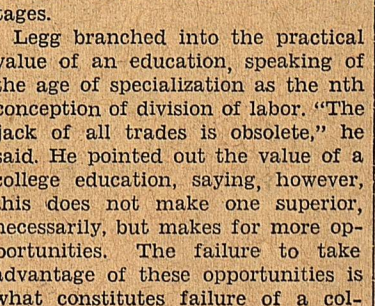
RELATIVE COSTS HOME FOREIGN OIL GIVEN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—The tariff commission today reported to the senate that the average cost of American crude oil delivered to Atlantic coast refineries was \$1.93 a barrel as compared to the average cost of Venezuela oil which is 79 cents delivered.

TILSON AGREES THAT A COMPROMISE IS ON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—Representative Tilson, majority leader, today credited administration leaders' statements that the adoption of the \$20,000,000 loan compromise (See BUILDING PROGRAM page 8)

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



The most frivolous of women often solve a weighty problem.

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THAT LONG, LONG DANCE

Mike Gouvas and Ann Gerry are dancing with tears in their eyes. Not because it is the last dance. But because it is a long dance.

The lyric writer who boasted that he had danced the whole night through was really just an amateur. Besides he probably sat out a number or two now and then.

Not like Mike and Ann, though. For the last 500 hours, they said the other day at the Chicago dance hall where they are doing a marathon, they have been dancing without rest periods. All in all they have been trying to keep step to the music for 1343 hours.

An overdose of anything is not only distasteful but harmful. It is quite natural, once in a while, when the moon is making a white path across the shining waters and the orchestra has found a lilting melody that is strangely tangled in your heart cords, that you should wish that you could dance forever. But anyone who feels that way at three o'clock in the morning usually has a different opinion along about seven o'clock, when the sun comes up and the moon goes down and the breakfast bell is ringing.

Dancing on and on and on can become an exceedingly tiresome, disagreeable act. Certainly it loses all the grace and rhythm and light-hearted charm that are supposed to be the basis of its appeal. Once upon a time the idea of any competition was to perform the act better than anyone else. Now it seems to be to do it long than anyone else.

The mottoes which advocate never giving up, sticking to the end, and other trustworthy practices were presented as examples of sane, logical advice by their creators. No one expected that they would be applied to marathon stunts which take a toll of vitality and health in a manner that cannot help but be devitalizing.

The people who participate aren't to be censured. They are merely engaging in an occupation to earn some money. Those who sponsor the everlasting rhythmic exercises by no means compel anyone to take part. But public opinion that lets people make dancing tools out of themselves is at fault. If men and women haven't sense enough to protect their own interests then it evidently is up to the law to make a suggestion or two.

When the orchestra slips into "Home, Sweet Home," those who have been watching the light fantastic change into a heavy drag certainly won't waltz as they say goodbye. They are living for the time when the ball is over.

NO CHILDREN FOR JACK

Estelle Taylor Dempsey has announced that there are going to be no children in the family. She is too busy having a career on the stage to bother with cookie jars and bruised knees and bedtime stories and "Now-I-lay-me-down-to-sleep" and all the other features which go with little boys and girls.

And it is perfectly all right, of course. It is entirely up to Jack and Estelle Taylor Dempsey if they do, or do not, want a family. But think how proudly a small boy could tell the other fellows that his father is the former heavyweight champion! Think of the pictures he could draw while they held their breath in admiration, or found out what the son and heir of the fistic king could do with his own hands.

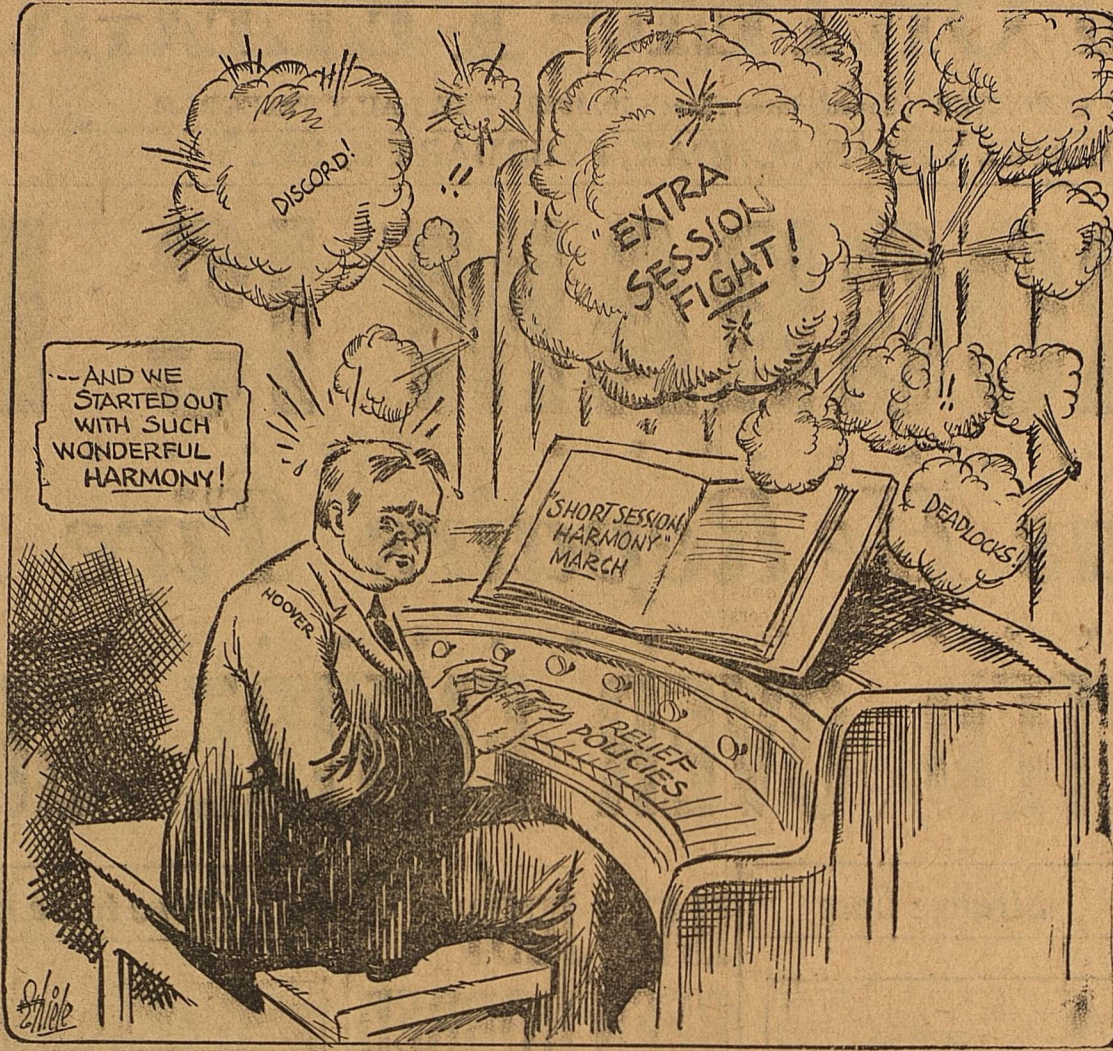
Jack Dempsey has had a good many admirers. It is too bad that perhaps he will never know the applause of one who would be more adoring, more applauding, than any other fan could ever be. Little boys can be so loyally worshipful when their fathers are big and strong.

Side Glances by Clark



"Ask him if he won't read this letter and see how much my last employer regretted losing my services."

An Unfinished Symphony!



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher
CHAIRMAN OF FEDERAL COMMITTEE FOR UNEMPLOYED PRAISES BUFFALO'S METHOD OF SOLVING ITS JOBLESS PROBLEM

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.—Colonel Arthur Woods, chairman of the Emergency Committee for Employment, says someone ought to write a story about what the city of Buffalo has done to meet its unemployment emergency. Woods thinks that Mayor Charles E. Roesch's employment committee has done such a "splendid" job of planned community action that he has sent a lengthy report of its activities to several thousand local emergency committees through the country.

The mayor got himself a committee of 55 members with an executive committee of 15 to carry on daily work, along with a volunteer staff. The committee functioned as a clearing house and a planning board. It decided that it would commit itself to a 100 per cent objective as regards relief, letting no obstacle prevent meeting the needs of every case or dire suffering, but admitted that it could only be partially successful in trying to get everyone a job who didn't have one.

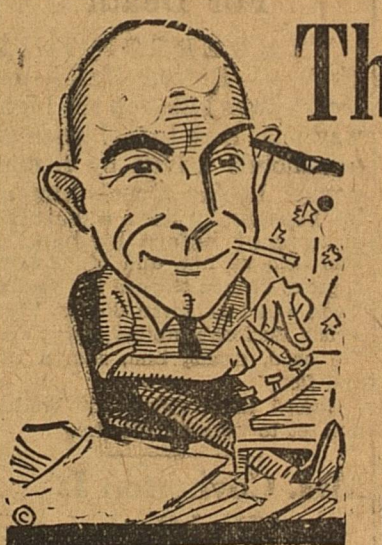
Organized public and private charities, the committee found, would be able to handle all cases of real distress. The committee concerned itself with seeing that such agencies were kept adequately financed and staffed. It also undertook to co-ordinate their work and to make the needy aware of the existence of agencies which would help them.

The committee helped put on a drive for private charity funds and city and county relief and lodging facilities were expanded. The subcommittee on relief figured out that an average of 9000 dependent families would need a relief fund of about \$1,733,000 in the first six months of this year, most of which came from the city treasury. The committee found that the most elusive part of the unemployment problem comprised cases of persons who because of pride or other reasons refused to apply for relief. So it had school teachers report all cases of undernourished children and got churches, clubs and lodges to check up on needy adults.

Provided Municipal Jobs
Nor does Buffalo appear to have overlooked many bets in the attempt to provide employment. Projects for municipal work were studied and somewhere near 100 men have been hired for three days a week at \$5 a day for such jobs as grading and tree-pruning.

The retail merchants advanced the Christmas buying season by about two weeks, ballyhooed a campaign for stimulation of buying and, according to the committee, both created in additional volume of business and hired about 2000 extra employees two or three weeks earlier than they normally would have been engaged. Hiring and after-Christmas dismissals were made on the basis of trying to engage or retain employees with dependent families.

About 25,000 employees of all types in the city were circularized and urged to pro-rate available jobs so that everyone might be assured of at least part-time work, give preference to employees or applicants supporting families, eliminate over-



The Town Quack

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

Nobody knows more than a liar what it means to be telling lies all the time unless it is the person to whom the liar lies.

There is one type of person that I hate, and that is the liar type. I have had so many dealings with liars and I have lied so much myself that I have the goobots every time I think of a liar.

A five-dollar gold piece and a penny were having an argument about themselves. The gold piece said, "I am much better than you are. You are insignificant and know it; while I am good."

The penny said, "You may think you are better than I am, but I know that I go to church more than you do."

Some day congress will offer to lend or give me \$25,000,000 and I'll feel the whole outfit. I'll politely refuse it!

Ben Whitefield sold 6,480 eggs in one hour Saturday morning at the Midland Mercantile. The Mercantile by hiring extra help, do repair and maintenance work and new construction and develop and make new articles previously contemplated. Additional suggestions were made to the larger employers once or twice a week.

Employers Co-operated
Various manufacturers and other employees, the committee says, reduced weekly schedules, shortened daily hours, rotated employees on work, looked up and assisted former employees, repaired and replaced machinery to the feasible limit, developed new products and did other things that provided work for more people.

A women's division put on a campaign for odd jobs, with about 30 speakers running around the city and acting as a clearing house for Buffalo's five free employment agencies. The women sent out 55,000 circulars with electric light bills, listing about 40 kinds of odd jobs around the house that it had men and women willing to do.

The mayor organized a "man-a-block" plan, with a committee division headed by a former president of a motor company. The mayor had the election commissioners lay out the city in districts of from five to 10 blocks. The commissioners then nominated a man in each district to be district major. The majors nominated "block captains" in each of their blocks and supervised them.

Many Temporary Jobs Created
Immediately after this organization the police delivered letters from the mayor, explaining the plan, to 95,000 homes. Residents of each block, he explained, were to chip in and pay a man \$15 a week

tile's newspaper ad Friday carried a good price on good eggs and Whitefield had to call out the militia to keep the crowd from getting all his chickens, too.

The chickens live on top of the building and the eggs, when laid, are dropped down little tubes into the grocery store.

If a grass widow were to marry a grass widower, would their children be grasshoppers?

No thanks, but I believe I will take some potatoes if you'll pass them to me.

And here is what one young fellow about town had to say about another worthy townsman, who, it develops, has of late been consistently on the losing end of the twenty-question contest carried each week in a popular magazine:

"There was once a young fellow named Vicker. Folks considered him mentally quicker. But in contests of knowledge He showed need of more college. He just seems to get thicker and thicker. —Anon.

Then the Ad Club put on a huge campaign to stimulate home-improvement work, estimating that there was a potential market of \$30,000,000 of such work in Buffalo. Nine sub-committees are working on this, advertising by newspapers and radio, enlisting interested trade groups and soliciting home owners.

Among some of the other things, the committee put on nightly radio broadcasts of little dramatic skits in connection with the various employment projects.

Colonel Woods' idea is that many other communities can take some good tips from Buffalo.

CANES AID BLIND
PARIS.—The police department has issued to every blind person in the city a white cane which is a great aid in helping them safely across the street in automobile traffic. The department has decreed that when a blind person raises the cane above his head, it is a signal of intention to cross, and that all traffic should stop for him. Each cane is stamped with a number to insure against misuse by persons having their sight.

Sculpturing, a news item says, is being taken up at a Wisconsin reformatory. Which is as good a way as any to make model prisoners.

Half Million in Race With Stork in Toronto



Above is a closeup of Mrs. Brown. At the right, this mother of 26 at 42 is shown with 12 of her surviving 13 children.

By JAMES MONTAGNES, NEA Service Correspondent. (Copyright, 1931, NEA Service, Inc.)

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 7.—A little more than five years ago Charles Vance Millar, millionaire bachelor and king's counsel of Toronto, died and left a queer, jocular sort of will to amuse and disturb his native city.

Brewery stock and race track shares worth upwards of \$1,000,000 were left to various clergymen and reformers. This, in itself, was enough to get the city talking. But the most surprising feature of the will was the provision that \$500,000 should go to the Toronto woman who would bear the largest number of children in the 10 years following his death.

That 10-year period will expire in the fall of 1936. Today, with a little less than half of the period completed, one Toronto mother has a record of having borne six children since the decade began. Another has borne five. These two, it is believed, are ahead of all competitors to date.

Father of 26 at 42
The leader is Mrs. Florence Brown, a slight, fair-haired, smiling housewife of 42, who not only has had six children since practical-joker Miller died but who has borne a total of 26 babies in her 22 years of married life. Furthermore, she takes especial pride in the fact that all of these have been single births, with no twins or triplets included at any time.

Thirteen of her children are still living. Some are at work, some are at school, and the remainder are still at home, playing about the house or in the yard.

Mrs. Brown and her husband are not unmindful of their chance of winning that \$500,000. If they do, they will buy a farm.

"A farm is the place to bring up youngsters," says Mr. Brown. "My ancestors, when they first came here, settled on a farm near Kings-ton, and a farm is what we want for the kids. They're the sixth generation born in Canada."

Outside of that dream of a farm, the Browns have not yet decided how they would spend the money if they won it. They simply say, "It'd come in handy for the kids," and let it go at that. Both Mr. and Mrs. Brown say that the time is still too distant for them to make any definite plans.

How a Mother Tends 13
Their home is small, but comfortable, in a comfortable part of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Brown, their 13 children and an uncle occupy it together; and the youngsters are kept surprisingly neat, considering the fact that Mrs. Brown has so many of them to look after.

"They're not clean all the time, you know," she explained, "but then, no children are. They don't dress up every day, but I manage to keep them washed and clean most of the day."

There is little sickness in the brood, although not all Brown babies have survived. There is always plenty to eat and plenty of clothing. The uncle and the two oldest boys are bakers; the oldest girl, who is 20, is a stenographer. Between them, they manage to meet the family budget.

Mr. Brown, whose health has been impaired, has been ordered by his doctor not to work. Some little time ago the doctor said Mr. Brown had only a year more to live. Mr. Brown fooled him; but he has had to take things easy.

Stork Comes to Home
"Does Mrs. Brown go to the hospital every time a new baby comes?" an interviewer asked. Mr. Brown answered that one.

"We don't believe in having children without the proper medical aid," he said. "Whenever a new baby arrives we have an upstairs room cleaned out and fixed up like a hospital room. A doctor and a nurse are in attendance. Mrs. Brown takes a two-weeks vacation in bed after the arrival of the baby."

Then Mr. Brown thought of something else. "By the way," he said. "Mrs. Brown has the smallest foot of any



mother here in town. Ma, show the gentleman your foot. See, that is a size 12 children's shoe. She can wear size 11 in a pinch. We have never heard of any other woman of her age with such a small foot."

The lady who holds second place in this strange race for Mr. Miller's half million is Mrs. Grace Bagnato, a Toronto-born Canadian-Italian, who is a grandmother at the age of 37. Married at 13, she has had 20 children, of whom 11 are still alive, the youngest having been born last October.

Mrs. Bagnato, incidentally, serves as court interpreter here, and has acted in murder cases and other trials. One murder case was interrupted by the arrival of one of her children. She has been on duty in court until 5:30 p. m. She hurried home, the baby was born by 7 p. m., and the youngster was washed

and dressed by the time the doctor arrived.

Mrs. Bagnato won't commit herself about what they will do with the half million dollars if she wins it. She says she has been unlucky in a great many things, and she adds, "I'll probably be unlucky in this, too."

Certain relatives of the late Mr. Miller are contesting his will, and it is possible that they may succeed in upsetting it.

When the contents of the strange will were first made public, worldwide public attention was drawn to the satirical provision giving race track and brewery stock to preachers and reformers. Some of these beneficiaries accepted their bequests, and some of them declined. Of those who accepted, most of them turned the stock over to charitable institutions.

AIRPLANE SALES EXCEED OUTPUT IN LAST YEAR



By ALLARD SMITH, Executive Vice President, The Union Trust Co., Cleveland, O.

The aircraft industry was one of the first to feel the pinch of coming depression in 1929 and it is interesting to note that it made great progress in setting its house in order in 1930. In fact, during last year sales of airplanes exceeded production.

The result of this margin of demand over output is that the sur-

plus of planes which has alarmed producers two years ago has now nearly disappeared. A record is given by the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce.

During 1930, producers of American planes constructed 2684 commercial and military planes valued at \$21,469,763. For the same period they sold 3125 planes, thus disposing of 441 surplus aircraft.

Most of the gains were made in the sales of commercial planes. The number of military craft produced in 1930 was 749, an increase of 70 over 1929.

The output of commercial planes in 1930 was 1937 compared with 5,357 in 1929. Biplanes continue to outnumber monoplanes for commercial use.

Daily Health Talk

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN, Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

Newspapers have a strange fashion of arousing the public interest to fever pitch concerning incidents reported from different parts of the world and then seeming to forget altogether the fact that the public remembers the incidents and wonders what the outcome may be.

From time to time new cures are reported from all sorts of diseases, then nothing further is said in the newspaper to indicate that careful medical trial has caused complete dissipation of hope for successful results from these cures.

The most recent sensation to arouse world interest was the so-called fog that spread in Belgium and caused 64 deaths. Experts who were consulted were convinced that it was not possible for any poison gas or any products from any factory to affect people in such a manner as to bring about deaths of the nature of those reported.

So terrible was the scare that health officers in various American cities were called to advise as to proper conduct in a fog, and the inhabitants of villages in the region affected barricaded themselves

in their homes and stuffed the chimneys in the windows and doors with rags.

The Ministry of Health of London has been notified by several health authorities that the deaths were not due to any communicable disease; neither were they due to any poison gas. The 64 deaths which occurred affected old people primarily. There were five deaths in one village, two of them in people who had been long sufferers from heart disease, one from tuberculosis, one from asthma and one from obesity.

Apparently the deaths were due to nothing else but a sudden severe spell of fog and cold. The British authorities point out that the valley of the Meuse at the point at which the deaths occurred is deep and sheltered and the cold air settles at the bottom of such a valley. A fog itself will not appreciably affect the rate of deaths from diseases of the lungs, but if the fog is associated with a low temperature, there is a sudden sharp rise in the death rate of adults from respiratory diseases.

Several British health officers who have been much concerned by such problems assert that during the winter every city is in danger of a catastrophe if a combination of severe cold, fog and still air occurs over a period of several days. This apparently was what happened in the valley of the Meuse with the resultant death of a considerable number of aged persons in a short period of time.

Dr. Fishbein Tells How to Avoid the Flu

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the third of three articles written especially for The Reporter-Telegram and NEA Service by Dr. Morris Fishbein, noted authority, on how to avoid influenza and its greatest contributory cause, the common cold. This series is especially timely in view of influenza epidemics reported in various cities.

By **DR. MORRIS FISHBAIN**, Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

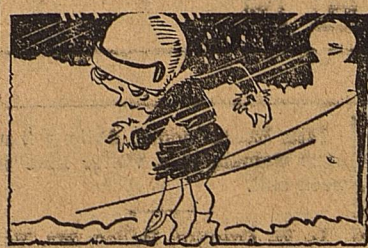
Red flannel underwear for the average worker has long disappeared from the American scene. It is still occasionally seen in foreign districts and in lumber camps.

The coming of the automobile and the steam-heated office and home have made it necessary that underclothing and indeed clothing in general be rather light for indoor wear during all seasons of the year. It is then possible for the worker to put on enough extra clothing before going outdoors to take care of the temperature needs.

Modern Dress Blamed
Everyone can remember when women began to outstrip the men so far as clothing was concerned. It is difficult to state whether the brevity of the clothing or of the diet was responsible for the rise in tuberculosis in young women which began coincidentally and which has persisted for several years.

Dr. Hoyt Dearholt has ascribed it primarily to modern dress, and he believes that it could be cut down if dress reform would be encouraged.

The vast majority of physicians are convinced that insufficient protection of the body by suitable clothing is in a measure responsible for the frequency of colds,



DON'T let your child brave the winter with bare knees.

of influenza, and of pneumonia. Tuberculosis prospers in soil that is represented by modern young women, poorly nourished and insufficiently dressed.

Whether or not excessive smoking of cigarets is also a factor is another question, although Dr. Wolff Freudenthal is convinced that excessive smoking and insufficient sleep are also concerned.

The famous German hygienist, Rubner, feels that light clothing and the resultant chilling of the body are important factors in the increased mortality from respiratory diseases, particularly tuberculosis in young women.

Dr. R. L. Russell of the Missouri State Department of Health says: "A person can stand a great deal of stormy, disagreeable weather without endangering his health if he keeps his feet and clothing dry; so raincoats, umbrellas and the lowly overshoe in various forms, styles and colors, are of considerable importance."

Every hygienist knows the difficulty of securing dress reform when it is opposed to fashion. But the evidence available is more than sufficient to indicate that dress reform is badly needed from the point of view of health, so far as women of the teen age are concerned.

Cover Child's Knees
Perhaps the silliest custom has been the feeling of certain mothers that little children should wear socks, going with the knees and legs bare, in order to harden them. Almost invariably it is the slender, undernourished child whose mother becomes afflicted with this notion.

The best authorities are convinced that the child should wear in winter undergarments containing about 30 per cent of wool, that the underwear should have full-length arms and legs, and that the

child should wear long stockings, which may be part wool, during the winter season.

In addition, the child under four years of age when taken outdoors should wear leggings and an outer coat which can be fastened well around the neck and allow a knitted sweater underneath.

Men's Class to See Group Picture Today

The 180 men who attended the big class of men at Hotel Scharbauer last Sunday and had their pictures taken, may see how they looked when they came to the class this morning. The pictures taken by Doug Perry showed up well.

Another big day is expected today. Many new men are interested in the class and all men not now going elsewhere are invited. One man said Saturday he planned to attend at 8 o'clock service then visit the big Men's class as he had heard so much about it. The class expects to reach a mark of 200 soon, and that mark will be set as a goal till it is reached. Money is being kept in the class fund now for a barbecue in the early Spring, according to present plans.

VOLCANIC COINCIDENCE

LONDON.—News of an odd coincidence in volcanic eruptions has filtered into Europe. It concerns two volcanoes named Merapi, one in Java, and one in Sumatra, a thousand miles away from each other. The eruption of the former killed 1800 natives and destroyed hundreds of acres of land. That of the latter, occurring on the same day as the one in Java, took the life of a German scientist investigating the pit.

RADIO RUINS TRADE

SPARTA, Wis.—Radio has ruined the business of "Blind Jasper" Kinder, street musician, and that gentleman, for the first time in 52 years, is forced to give up his trade. Kinder says that radio has acquainted people with new types of music and that they no longer care for the old songs which used to attract them. His earnings for the past year were the smallest he ever made. He supports himself and a blind wife as a street musician.

EAST TEXAS BRAGS ON MIDLAND, U. S. CHAMBER PRAISES PEOPLE, TEXAS TALKS ABOUT THIS CITY

Words of praise for the annual report of the Midland chamber of commerce were received this week from the United States chamber of commerce. Colvin B. Brown, manager of the commercial organization department of the United States chamber wrote the Midland chamber in part:

"Your annual report shows a wide range of activities and a fine record of achievement. You may be sure we are glad to have it on file in our Library."

Midland people are highly complimentary by leading chambers throughout Texas for the work they did during 1930 through their chamber of commerce. Excerpts from letters complimenting the Midland people on their chamber of commerce follow:

John Boswell, manager of Wichita Falls chamber:

"You have such a habit of getting out good reports that I am never surprised when I read the latest one; but it seems to me that your 1930 report is exceptional, because the activities were accomplished in a year of adverse conditions. Mr. Cline who spoke at your annual meeting is very high in his praise of you and your organization. He has spoke at hundreds of chamber of commerce banquets, and he told me in all sincerity that your meeting was the best managed of any he had ever had the pleasure of attending."

C. A. Pickett, executive secretary, Houston Insurance Exchange:

"You do have a fine report and your accomplishments show that you had had a well rounded out program of work. Your auditor's report is especially good."

Sidney King, manager Corpus Christi chamber:

"I want to congratulate your organization on the many worthwhile achievements."

G. C. Richardson, manager Brownsville chamber:

"Congratulations on the nice manner in which your annual report is gotten up, and on the many things accomplished."

W. N. Blanton, manager Houston chamber:

"I was particularly impressed in your interesting report by the paragraph 'Loyal Membership Lauded' for loyalty is the key-note in organization work."

Grady Shipp, Plainview chamber secretary:

"I noticed that as usual you stepped on the gas during the year because your report shows the results of many efforts well directed."

Maury Hopkins, assistant manager West Texas chamber:

"You have had an extremely busy year and your organization is to be complimented upon its accomplishments."

Russell S. Rhodes, general manager Tyler chamber:

"I sincerely offer you my congratulations upon your accomplishments in 1930 in view of the fact that we not only had to go through a series of depressions, but that West Texas was harder hit on crop conditions and the oil situation."

Carl A. Blasig, Brady chamber secretary:

"The Midland chamber's report is a dandy good one, showing twice as much activity as any other report I have read from towns the size of Midland."

Hubert M. Harrison, general manager East Texas chamber:

"Your report reflects a year of progress, and you are to be congratulated on the splendid development work accomplished."

J. W. Ratekin, Spearman secretary:

"Your report is indeed interesting."

A. B. Davis, Lubbock chamber manager:

"This is indeed a very interesting report and you are to be complimented upon the full program of work that has been carried to completion during the past year."

Other statements of a personal praise type were received, but are not included in this digest.

INSTALMENT FINES

UNIONTOWN, Pa.—In these days of instalment buying, Robert Kintz and Joe Pisolo, confessed bootleggers who are serving time in the Allegheny workhouse and who have a fine of \$3000 each to pay, have asked Judge S. Morrow for permission to pay the fines in instalments. They want to pay at the rate of \$15 or \$20 a month. At this rate it would take 10 years to pay them off.

One of the fastest showers ever measured with an automatic rain gauge was that of May 1, 1908, at Porto Bello, on the Isthmus of Panama, when 2.47 inches of rain fell in three minutes.

Radio messages received and sent by station WPA, Little America, totaled more than 1,000,000 words, showing the extensive use of radio by Byrd on his Antarctic expedition.

The total population of China is estimated at 401,000,000, including foreigners, but their number is not over 350,000.

Chicago was the first town to have a ten-story building. This was erected in 1885.

Champ Cowboy



Ride 'em, cowboy! Here's Clay Carr, Visalia, Calif., rodeo rider and cowboy, acclaimed the world's champion cowpuncher by the American Rodeo association. He will receive the award at the forthcoming national convention at Cheyenne, Wyo.

El Paso Wants to Borrow Our Mayor

El Paso wants to borrow the mayor of Midland.

At any rate that's what Henry Ansley, managing editor of the El Paso Herald declares in his daily column, to which he affixes the signature "E. E. Sapp."

Ansley writes as follows in the Herald:

"Hurrah for Midland. Hurrah for Midland."

"And hurrah for Midland's cowpuncher mayor, Leon Goodman. Hurrah for Mayor Goodman."

"One hundred small gas users in Midland complained about the size of their bills. They said they were too high. And Goodman, that cowpuncher mayor, hired an engineer to make b.t.u. tests and to test the meters and to check up generally on the gas company. He went to work right away."

"And that's not all. Mayor Goodman called on the gas company and said, 'Prove to us that your rates are not too high or we will cut them.'"

Midland's mayor didn't dilly-dally about it. He didn't even say he

thought the rates weren't too high, he just demanded that the gas company prove they weren't too high. "Wouldn't it be wonderful if the El Paso mayor or city council would call on the gas company to prove

that their rates weren't too high? "Is there anybody in El Paso who knows what the gas pressure is on our meters? The big users get a big discount on their bills every month when they are adjusted to conform

to 8-ounce pressure. The little users get it in the neck and pay and pay and pay. "I wonder if El Paso could borrow Mayor Goodman for about sixty days?"

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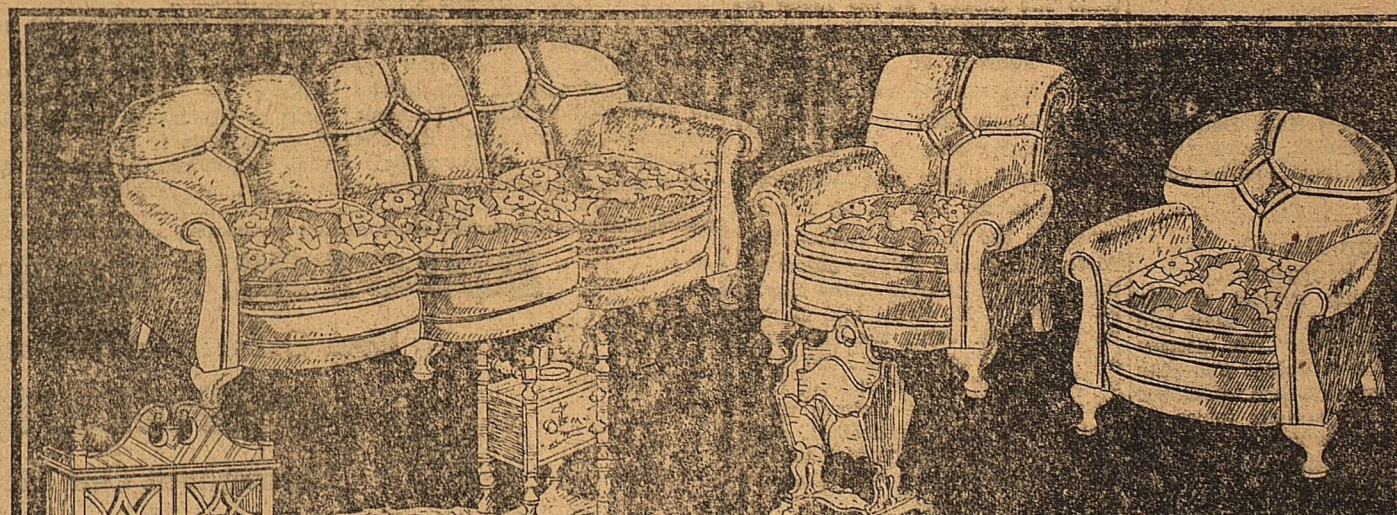
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In spite of the large volume of business we have enjoyed in our February Sale, there are a few items in some of the departments that have not been sold even with the great reductions we have had. **NOW** they are taking another slash that will surely move them. Every piece is good merchandise and is guaranteed to give satisfaction or your money will be refunded. We are going to have an entirely new and up-to-date stock of merchandise for spring and we must move these, no matter what the cost, too provide space.

Avail yourself of this opportunity to buy good furniture cheaper than you ever bought it before. Come down tomorrow just to look around. You will not be urged to buy.

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SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

High School Latin and Home Economics Clubs Have Affairs in Afternoon and Evening; City League Union Has Program

Week end activities have especially favored the younger people of the city with Friday afternoon and evening holding high interest for approximately 150 boys and girls.

The annual Latin club treasure hunt was entertainment in the evening to almost 60 students of the high school and at the same time 50 young people gathered at the first Christian church to attend the monthly City League Union program. The Home Economics club was another honored group when a party was given at the home of Miss Edyth Sundquist during the afternoon.

In Fashion Swims



Directions in Latin were given at each stop when treasure hunters started early in the evening. After treasures had been found by four groups, the entire party attended the Ritz theatre.

The novel routes which were written in the foreign language and the stops which they designated follow: "Ad casam dei," Church of Christ; "ad locum ubi magistris pueros et puellas scribere legere docent," Mexican school; "ad locum ubi equi eucurrerunt," fair grounds; "ad locum ubi alieni nocturnum manent," Camp Broadway; "cum descendimus," bus station; "ad locum ubi multa aqua in loco alto erit," water tower north of the city; "ad locum ubi multa aqua in loco alto," Pagoda pool; "ad locum ubi mox complebimus," Hall Tire company; "cum me vocas," telephone company; "vos munc volo," the home of Mrs. L. K. Barry.

Mrs. Barry, sponsor of the club, and director of the hunt, was assisted by Conrad Bonner, Allen Dorsey, Joe Beane, H. L. Straughan, Alfred Johnson, Loyd Burris, Donald Farrott and E. B. Estes.

Nine cars of students made the hunt with the car occupied by Merwin Haag, J. C. Reynolds, Dorothy Cummins, Jack Ambrose, Dorris Black and Ella Mae Newland, and Myrtle McGraw winning the first treasure which was a Valentine box of chocolates. Second car winning included Vann B. Mitchell, Louise Greenhill, Jack Prothro, Billie Pratt, Lou Annice Reeves, Phyllis Haag and Louise Wolcott. Third car included Ruth Pratt, Jane Pratt Baxley, Dorothy Dunagan, Phyllis Gemmill, B. C. Driver and Barney Graf. Fourth winners were Ham Pinnell, Ida Beth Cowden and James Walton.

Boxes of candies were also given to the last three winners.

Other students on the hunt were Zonelle Post, Fred Wright, Mildred Shelton, Helen Lee Stuart, George Booth, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Billy Walters, G. A. Sundquist, Leland Murphy, Felix Halton, Kathleen Scruggs, Murray Rasken, Virginia Garrett.

Dorothy Holzgraf, Nell Wayne Carlisle, A. B. Cooksey, Katie Belle Long, Barbara Gann, Helen Noret, Alma Lee Norwood, Roy Skipper, H. L. Haag, Imogene Hale, Dick Verdier, Olga Trammell, Fouchée Polard, Ernestine Holder and La Verne Ashmore.

Large Group Hears Interesting Program

The interesting subject of "My Idea of What a Young Man and Woman Ought to Be" was discussed by Mr. Robert Cotner and Miss Catherine Dunaway, each taking the opposite sex for specific topics, at the City League union meeting.

The call to worship of the evening presented scripture and readings. Miss Velma Winborne and Mr. Buster Howard were the readers and Miss Lou Annice and Carl Reeves read scriptures.

The musical program included a violin solo played by Miss Lillian Dunaway with Mr. Wallace Wimberly accompanist.

Mr. Harvey Powledge, president, presided during the business meeting and Miss Ada Driver conducted the recreational hour.

Home Economics Girls Have Afternoon Affair

Games and contests were on the entertainment program for the Home Economics club party at the Sundquist home.

Closing the afternoon dainty refreshments were served to Roberta Dunagan, Lou Annice Reeves, Ernestine Holder, Helen Sheppard, Virginia Hawkins, Phyllis and Evelyn Haag, Mary Katherine Hogsett, Irene Lord, Lucille McMullan, Jane Pratt Baxley and the sponsors. Misses Theresa Pawelek and Agnes Kolaja.

Miss Kathryn Smith Married to New Mexico Man

News has come to Midland of the recent marriage of Miss Kathryn Smith, formerly of this city, to Mr. K. P. Hart of Carlsbad, New Mexico. The wedding took place Monday, February 2.

Mrs. Hart lived in Midland until the first of the year, going from here to Carlsbad. She was employed in the office of Charles L. Stephens during her year's residence here.

Mr. Hart is connected with the Texas company at Carlsbad where the couple will make their home.

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Birthdays in Midland

In Midland the following are celebrating their birthdays. Send them a greeting by mail, wire, phone or visit them, it will brighten their anniversary.

TODAY
L. B. Allredge
Martha Dulaney
MONDAY
Charles Edwards
Mrs. W. T. Hoey
Donnell McGuire

Local Chairman Is Appointed to Assist National Program

Mrs. Charles M. Goldsmith will head the committee and direct the 1931 Better Homes campaign in Midland, according to a recent correspondence with the Reporter-Telegram from James Ford, executive director of the national club.

The local program is a part of the nation-wide campaign to bring about more attractive architecture, landscaping and furnishing and better construction for small homes. This program is sponsored by Better Homes in America, the organization which was initiated in 1922 with Herbert Hoover, then Secretary of Commerce, as chairman of its board of directors. Mr. Hoover continues his interest in this important work by serving as honorary president of the organization. Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior, is its president, and Dr. James Ford, executive director.

The Better Homes movement is cooperating with the President's plan for the stimulation of home building and home ownership, as outlined in his statement to the planning committee of that conference, which met on September 24, 1930. The purpose of that conference is a determination of the facts with relation to housing and home ownership in every important direction and the formulation of the collective judgment of leaders of the country. The Better Homes movement is engaged in mobilizing men and women in every American community in an active program which will provide for families of small or modest means attractive, comfortable, convenient homes, and encourage a wholesome type of home and community life.

More than seven thousand communities cooperated in the 1930 Better Homes campaign by forming committees of local citizens for the purpose of adapting the national program to local needs. Each committee was headed by a man or woman experienced in civic affairs and interested in the wholesome development of the community. The campaign is usually sponsored locally by a civic organization such as a

Presentation of "Trials of the Lady Photographer" and Novelty Sketches Being Rehearsed by Excellent Casts

Daytime Modes



SOMETHING NEW for breakfast—a human backgammon game played in pajamas—was sprung on her guests at Palm Beach the other day by Mrs. Charles M. Hall (above) of Chicago, who herself wore a charming pink pajama suit, with scarf collar, white wool lace, in the form of a cowl-collared frock, and matching turban, was the costume worn by Mrs. George Henry Warren, Jr. (below), at a breakfast at the Patio Lamaze.

parent-teacher association, women's club or civic association, and in some communities by schools and colleges. The programs consist of lectures and discussions; of contests for improvement of homes, both interior and exterior, and of house lots, yards and neighborhoods; and in some communities include the demonstration of one or more new or remodelled houses to show the better types of homes that can be provided for families of small or modest incomes.

In many communities the campaign is carried on as a school project, and where this is done the furnishings for the demonstration house or houses are usually selected by students of home economics, while boys in manual training classes often make articles of furniture,

The coming week will mark the final rehearsals of the delightful two-act comedy "Trials of the Lady Photographer" and novelty dance and song sketches which will be presented Friday evening at the Yucca theatre under the auspices of the Woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church.

Characters will portray delightful comic roles with fun and laughter galore promised for the audience. The play was written by Mrs. Florence Richardson to especially fit several leading players of the city.

Mrs. Jack Hawkins, popular soloist who has appeared before on the local stage, plays the leading role. She is supported by every imaginable type of person who calls at her studio to have photographs made.

Following the intermission, Mrs. Leon Goodman will present a novel feature called "A Night in Venice in the Terrace Garden," which will add color, gaiety and life to the evening.

Complete list of characters for both productions follow: Cast of Characters: Miss Camo, photographer, Mrs. Jack Hawkins; Mr. Dally, Englishman, Joseph Seymour; Mr. Jack Chakaffeller, Frank Stubbeman; Miss Castorbury, Miss Lydie Watson; Mrs. Snitzler, Mrs. L. K. Parker.

Colored wedding party: Mr. Jonsing, Ted Hudson; Mrs. Jonsing, Mrs. Ted Hudson; Miss Euphonia Jonsing, Mrs. J. M. DeArmond; Mr. Acrimonious Leezer, Andrew Northington; Mr. Nelson, Severn Watson; Mrs. Neilson, Mrs. Severn Watson; and five children; Mrs. Caper, Mrs. Red Knight; Joy Caper, Lexie Jane Cragin; Percival Caper, Joe Seymour Jr.; Deacon Doolittle, T. D. Murphy; Mrs. Doolittle, Mrs. Joseph Seymour; Miss Dorothy Puffs, the town belle, Mrs. Bill Royer; Mrs. Crankins, mountain woman, Mrs. A. Harry Anderson; Bridget O'Hara, Mrs. Andrew Faskan.

"A Night in Venice in the Terrace Garden": "Gypsy Sweetheart," Mrs. Leon Goodman; "La Paloma," Mrs. A. J. Florey; "Three Little Words," Ted Dozier; "You Darling," Ed Watts; Chorus—"Sweet Jennie Lee," bowery dance—Herbert Berry and Mac McCracken; "Two Little Girls in Blue"—Lenore Rae Goodman and Eddie Blanche Cowden.

"Russian Ballet"—"Madame Ourainsky," "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers," Eddie Blanche Cowden, or assist in the building or reconditioning of the demonstration house. These programs culminate in Better Homes Week, which in 1931 will be April 26 to May 2.

The central office of Better Homes in America in Washington, D. C., conducts research and acts as a clearing house for sources of information on all phases of homemaking. Instructions and materials for carrying on the campaign are supplied by that office.

Fay Agnes Cullen, La Vern McMullan, Nola Faye Meadows, Lorena Gann, Mary Howe, Virginia Boone, Lenore Rae Goodman, Melba Lee, Ray Elizabeth Price; accompanist, Mrs. Holt Jowell.

Personals

George Staton of Pyote is spending the week end with friends in Midland.

Miss Bertie Bow Bristow left Friday for Stanton where she is spending the week end with her parents. She will leave tomorrow for Big Spring where she has accepted a position in the public schools. Since the first of the year, Miss Bristow has been a teacher in the local Mexican school.

John M. Gist of Odessa was in the city yesterday on business matters.

Miss Jennie Elkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elkin, returned to Midland Friday morning from San Francisco where she has been attending school.

G. W. Tipton left yesterday for Big Spring where he is spending the week end.

Miss Anabell Johnson of Big Spring is spending the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Dorsey, and brother, Mr. Kenneth Johnson.

Mrs. J. E. Milholland of Stanton was here yesterday shopping.

Mayor Sam McKinney of Odessa was a business visitor in the city yesterday morning.

Dr. J. D. Young returned last night from Austin where he has been for a few days transacting business.

Mrs. Roxie Moore, Abilene insurance woman, is a visitor here this week end.

L. W. Orinsky, Dallas, Mr. Hawley, San Francisco, and Mr. Burchfield, New Mexico, officials of the California Oil company, were business visitors at the local company offices Friday.

Mrs. Glenn Allen and Mrs. Calvin Smith of Odessa were here Friday afternoon shopping.

Miss Violet Graves, Midland teacher, is spending the week end with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lucas and daughter, Alene, of Andrews were visitors in Midland Saturday morning.

Misses Ruth and Ernestine Bryan are spending the week end visiting friends in Andrews.

Miss Drotha Johnson is spending the week end with her mother, Mrs. Bertha Johnson, in Big Spring.

Mrs. Florence Richardson, who has made her home with her daughter for the past few months, left last week for Topeka, Kansas, where she will visit another daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sandells of Jayton were in Midland Saturday visiting their cousin, Mr. John P. Howe and family. Mr. Sandells is president of the Jayton bank.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons have returned to their home in Dallas after spending Friday and Saturday morning in this city.

Mrs. C. H. Yates left Saturday morning for her home in Hobbs, New Mexico, after a brief visit with friends here.

Marcos Williamson of Big Spring was in the city Friday afternoon looking after local boy scout activities.

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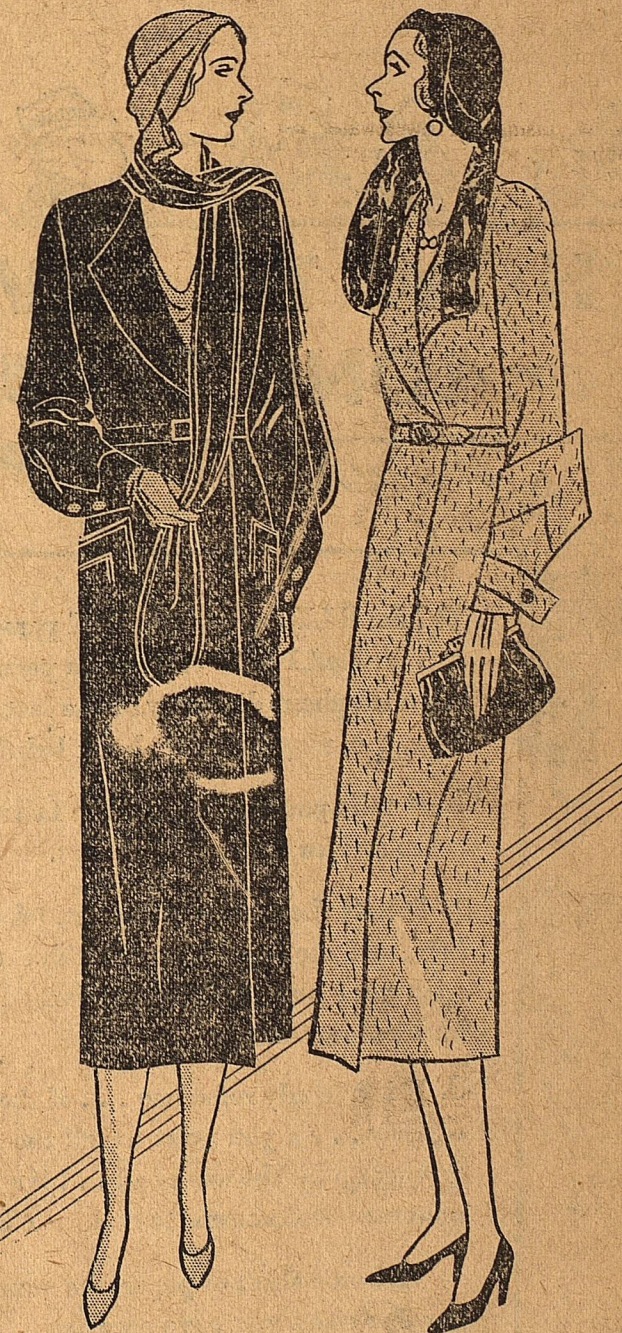
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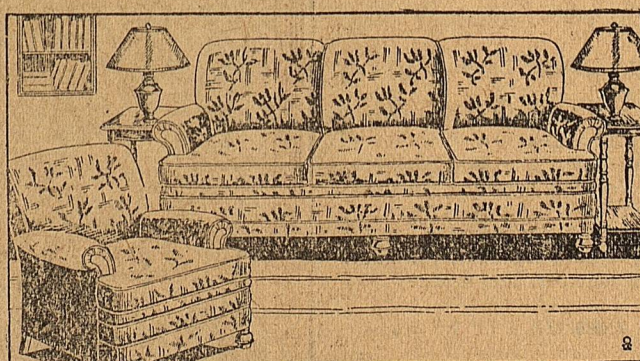
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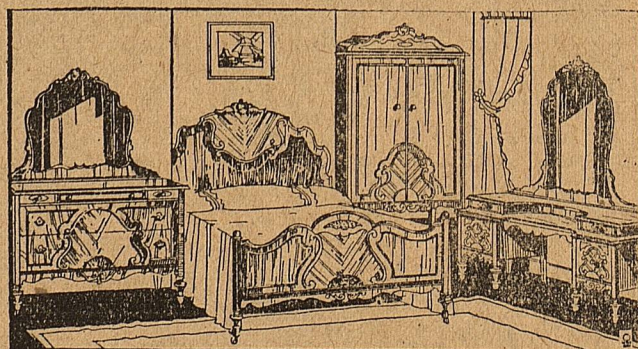
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Renaissance Artists Discussed by Art Chapter

The regular study lesson of painters and paintings was held by the Arno Art chapter at the home of Mrs. F. H. Lanham Friday afternoon. "Painters of the Renaissance" was the general subject.

"The Lesser Men of the Renaissance" was discussed by Miss Alberta Gant, leader, who introduced other speakers. Mrs. R. M. Barron spoke on the "Life of Andrea Del Sarto;" Mrs. John Shipley described the picture, "Modama of the Harples;" Mrs. A. M. Gant told of the painting, "St. John the Baptist;" Mrs. W. H. Sloan discussed the "Life of Correggio;" and Miss Eula Gee Gant explained the pictures "The Marriage of St. Katherine" and "Nativity;" and Mrs. F. H. Lanham spoke of the painting "The Madonna of St. Jerome."

Two Churches Will Have Mission Class This Week

Monday will be the opening day for a mission study to be conducted each day this week at the Baptist church and on Tuesday a similar course will be offered at the Methodist church.

The Rev. George F. Brown will meet his class at the Baptist church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 and will teach the book, "Women and Stewardship." Each afternoon following through Friday the class will assemble at 3:30.

The Rev. Edwin C. Calhoun will conduct the teaching of the book, "Mission and World Service" at 3:30 each afternoon. These classes will be held in accordance with the observance of Missionary Cultivation Week of the Methodist church.

Midland Hardware Staff Has Party At Clark Home

Employees of the Midland Hardware company were honored Friday at the home of Mr. A. A. Clark Friday evening when the entire staff of the store met for a business and social meeting combined.

The menu for the dinner included chop suey, rice tea, coffee and cake. Mr. Carl Lewallen was toastmaster and called for impromptu speeches on various phases of their work. Each guest made a brief speech.

Those attending were George D. McCormick, Fred G. Hull, Mrs. Ivy Lee Mitchell, Ronald Morgan, Lawrence Beauchamp, Luther Tidwell, Forest Hunter, J. B. Fuller, A. A. Clark, Newell Beauchamp, Harry McCarty and Ted Hudson.

SOCIETY

Program Completed For Founder's Day Meeting

Founder's Day will be celebrated by the Midland Parent-Teacher associations with a joint meeting Thursday afternoon at the high school auditorium at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. M. R. Hill and her assistants have arranged a splendid program which will emphasize the history and results of the organization.

The principal speaker on the program will be Miss Martha Brede-meier, county nurse, who will tell the parents of her plans to be conducted for the school children. Especially will this part of the program be interesting to all Midland mothers.

A talk by Supt. W. W. Lackey and a vocal solo will conclude the afternoon.

All parents are especially urged to attend this meeting.

Class of Boys Is Entertained by Teacher

Jolly stunts, candy making and popping corn were on the entertainment program early in the week for the 14-year-old class of boys at the studio of Mrs. Paul T. Vickers, teacher.

Boys attending were Walter Steele, B. C. Driver, Felix Halton, Billy Orson, and Locksly Hall. Special guests were the Rev. George F. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Robertson and daughter Anna Louise.

Mrs. Albert Oreck left today for Los Angeles and Glendale where she will spend two months with her two daughters.

H. O. Brown and R. D. Garnet returned to Crane yesterday after a business visit in Midland.

D. C. Chorpene of San Angelo returned to his home Saturday after spending a few days in Midland.

Mrs. E. D. Merrill of Big Spring is spending the week end visiting in the home of Mrs. J. P. Rountree.

Joy A. McCartney of San Angelo has returned to his home after a visit here.

Joe W. Lisman of Sweetwater is spending the week end in Midland.

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CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Edwin C. Calhoun, pastor
"The Carpenter" will be the subject of the sermon at the morning service today. Meetings will be held at regular hours during the day except in the evening when a union meeting is held at the First Baptist church.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
"The Home-Like Church"
Thomas D. Murphy, Minister
At the service Sunday morning, the pastor will speak and Miss Lena Solomon will sing. There will be no evening worship here as the Church will join in the union service at the First Baptist Church honoring the Boy Scouts on the occasion of the 21st anniversary of scouting.

ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Father Sirois, pastor
Mass will be held at the church Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. Instructions for the children immediately following.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible study at 10 a. m., communion service at 11:30 a. m., and at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Prayer services on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Ladies Bible class Tuesday at the church at 3:00. Young People's meeting at 6:30.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS
O. W. Roberts, pastor
Preaching service at the tabernacle in the morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Schedule of services:
Sunday school—9:45.
Morning worship—11 o'clock.
(The meetings are held in the Vickers studio.)

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
George F. Brown, pastor
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m., and Public worship at 11:00 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

JUNIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE
Leader, Charles Patterson
Quiet music, Melba Nixon
Song, No. 39
Bible story, Robert Prothro
Roll Call
Offeratory
Scripture, leader
Song, 312
Story, Evaloise Hugh
Prayer, leader

Presbyterian Christian Endeavor
Fellowship program:
Song, "Follow the Gleam"
Announcements
Song "Make Me a Channel of Blessing"
Worship program:
Prayer
Subject, "What is implied in 'God is My Father'."
Leader, Velma Bilbrey

Bible Class Meets With Mrs. T. D. Sneed Friday

Belmont Bible class members were guests of Mrs. T. D. Sneed Friday afternoon at the weekly Bible study taught by Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy. The lesson was based on the first and second Thessalonians.

Women present were Mmes. C. E. Nolan, Dick Mitchell, Elmer Strawn, T. D. Murphy, E. W. Hough, L. C. Monday, J. C. Hudman, D. E. Holster and two visitors Mrs. R. T. Williams and Mrs. T. O. Midkiff.

Scripture, Acts 17:24-31
Offering
Instruction program:
Scripture lesson: Georgia McMullan
"The Father's Gifts to His Child," Edythe Sundquist
"The Child's Relationship to the Father," Frank Stubbeman and Lucille McMullan
"Some Facts to Consider," Marguerite Bevins
Song, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer"
Benediction

Ready-to-Serve High League
Methodist parsonage, 6:30 p. m.
President, Alfred Lee Hallman Jr.
Secretary, Tiny Smith
Treasurer, Ella May Newland
Leader, Alma Lee Hankins
Subject, "Crucial Issues, III Race Relationships"
Song
Prayer
Scripture, Acts 10:9-18; 25-29
Collection
Hi-League topics:
Introduction, leader
1. "Is Race Prejudice Instinctive or Is It Acquired?" Doris Black
2. "The Causes of Race Prejudice," Jack Prothro
3. "What Are the Most Un-Christian Expressions of Discrimination Against So-Called Inferior Peoples?" Jack Garlington
4. "What Leaguers Can Do to Help to Christianize the Situation," Phyllis Hag
League Benediction.

Misses Glenn Crawford and Pearl Ann Ivy of Iraan are spending the week end visiting friends in Midland.

Barron Kidd left Saturday for Dallas and Longview where he will spend several days. He is with the Fuhrman Oil company here.

J. Lane Denson left yesterday morning for Lubbock after spending Friday in Midland.

T. L. Means, representative of the Ford Motor company, has returned to Dallas after a visit in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Donnelly, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Wilcox, Miss Mabel Gamble and Mr. Prentiss Brown made up a party of Midland people leaving yesterday for Presidio where they are spending the week end.

H. G. Mayfield has returned to his home in Sweetwater after a business trip to this city.

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Announcements

Monday

Study class of ladies of the First Baptist church will meet at the church at 2:30 with the business meeting of all circles following at 3:30. Rev. George F. Brown is teacher.

Methodist auxiliary circles: Belle Bennett circle meets with Mrs. B. Frank Haag at 3 o'clock and the circle headed by Mrs. Otis Ligon meets at the home of Mrs. Bedford Taylor at the same time.

Monthly inspirational meeting of the Woman's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church meets at 3:30 at the church with Mrs. T. D. Murphy leader and Mmes. Frank Wolcott and Arthur Stout as co-hostesses.

Reijnhart circle of the First Christian church meets with Mrs. A. B. Anderson at 3:30.

Tuesday

Miss Lois Patterson will be hostess to the Edelweiss club at her home at 3 o'clock.

Ladies Aid society meets for business at the home of Mrs. H. H. Watson at 3 o'clock.

Church of Christ Ladies' Bible class meets at the church at 3 o'clock.

Wednesday

Fine Arts club will have Misses Leona McCormick and Stella Maye Lanham as hostesses at the Lanham home at 3:30.

Lucky Thirteen Bridge club members will be guests of Mrs. J. G. Gemmill at 3 o'clock.

Thursday

Joint meeting of the North and South ward Parent-Teacher associations will be held at the high school auditorium at 3 o'clock.

Hi-Tri Club meets with Miss Edythe Sundquist at 7:30.

Loyal Berean class of the First Christian church will have a party at the home of Mrs. E. C. Adams at 8 o'clock. Mrs. S. P. Hall will be co-hostess.

Friday

1928 club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. D. Young at 3 o'clock.

Saturday

Children's story hour at the county library rooms from 2:30 until 3:30.

The Belmont Bible class will have a social at the home of Mrs. J. C. Hudman, 708 North Main. The study will be taken from first and second Timothy.

Talented Students Appear on Fine Arts Program

Students of fine arts teachers of the city presented a splendid musical and expression program at the First Baptist church Saturday morning to one of the largest audiences of the year.

The following is a list of the students, the studios represented and parts:

- Piano duet, "Here Comes the Band," Watson, Betty Ruth Smith and Billie Kyle Smith.
- Group number, "Little Mother's Lullaby," Vickers, Minnie Lee Walton, Betty Sue Chapman, Norma Jean Stice, Frances Herrington, Joyce Rosenbaum, Mary Lee Snider, Frances Lynn Meeks, Cralotte Kinsey.
- "Tommy's New Drum," Wimberly, Duffey Stanley.
- Reading, "Kith and Kip," McCormick, Nell Ruth Bedford.
- "Eskimo Lullaby," (piano group), Kannon, Grop class.
- Reading, "The Smart Girl," Peters, Frances Lowe Peters.
- Trio, "Berceuse," Watson, Maurice and Leo Kirby and Edyth Sundquist.
- Reading, "Sambo," Vickers, Jimmie Noland.
- Two piano, "Flowers and Ferns," Kannon, Mrs. Daphne McAden, Sammie Lane Cobb, Evelyn Adams, Theresa Brooks.
- Violin, "Dream Waltz," Watson, E. J. Ragsdale, Ina Bess Hicks at the piano.
- Piano, "Home Ties," Wimberly, Melba and Frank Nixon, Kathryn Carter, Frances Burris.
- Reading, "The Dancing Lesson," McCormick, Edith Wemple.
- Piano, "Minuet in G," Watson, B. C. Girdley.
- Vocal solo, "Happy, That's All," Peters, Phyllis Haag.
- Piano, Hungarian Dance No. 7, Watson, Annice Johnson.
- Vocal solo, "Smiling Through," Peters, Evelyn Haag.
- Reading (a) "The Aviator" (b) "Swimming," McCormick, James Mims.
- Piano, "Polonaise Brilliance," Kannon, Phyllis Gemmill.
- Selection, Plectrum club, Watson.

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H. M. Gage left Saturday morning for Sweetwater after a short business visit here.

Russell Lloyd left Friday for San Angelo where he attended the West Texas Geological association meeting last evening.

Mrs. B. A. Wall has returned from Merkel where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Yates Brown.

The Rev. Little has come to Midland to make a visit with his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Young. He is a former Methodist minister.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Adams and Mr. Burchfield left yesterday for San Angelo where they attended the West Texas Geological association meeting last evening.

Dr. and Mrs. L. Longanecker of Houston were visitors in the city Friday evening, leaving early yesterday for their home.

Mrs. V. T. Lockhead and a party of friends from Cisco spent last night in Midland.

Justin A. Williamson arrived here Friday from his home in Dallas and will spend several days here on business.

John R. Lock of Beaumont is a business visitor in Midland this week end.

HARD ON FAT MEN

MONTREAL.—Nobody loves a fat man, especially when he is being sued for divorce, is the complaint of George Fleming. George appeared in court, smartly dressed and well-fed. His wife accused him of non-support and George replied that he was out of work and unable to give her any money. "You are fat, and well dressed—that's enough," the judge barked. George was instructed to support his wife.

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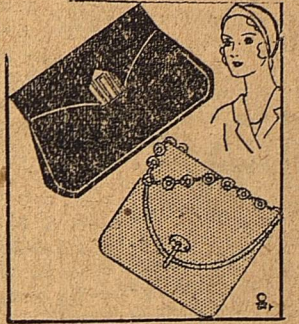
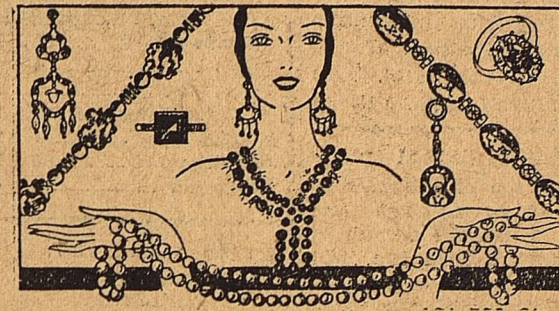
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WIN GIVES CLINIC RIGHT TO MEET THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM FOR PLAY-OFF FOR INDUSTRIAL CAGE TROPHY

By SPORTS EDITOR

The black of Midland Clinic-Hospital took the undisputed ascendancy of the Midland Industrial Basketball league Friday night, when Texas Electric went down in a supreme effort, 34-27, to take over the dictator's role.

As Clayton and crew hoisted the jolly roger to the breeze in the last quarter of the dizzy affair a five-man salute went up from the exploded offense of the Electricians. The boys who wear the lightning emblem across their manly chests did their bests, electrifying the crowd as they did every minute except the last two, but not even the perverid attempt of a feminine member of the sideline contingent to lead Texas Electric supporters in prayer availed; for Clinic was right—and when Clinic is right every body else is of necessity wrong.

For three quarters and most of the fourth the game was as tricky as a wind sock in a hurricane. First the black of Clinic was in the upward scale, then the blue of Texas Electric. Electric fans went delirious at moments, coming out on the floor and warned by the referee, and giving off yells that would have given a Comanche a nightmare. The game never got beyond a margin of three points for either team and the third period was tied. Well enough to yell—for it looked like Texas Electric had as much chance of going into the play-off for the Industrial league as Clinic.

But there is a bit of tradition about Clinic coming back in that fatal last quarter. Twice they have beat the Reporter-Telegram, first half winner, in that last 10 pulsing minutes and once forced the game into the extra period before losing. Twice this team beat California the same way. There might have been a bit of psychology in that that went against the grain of the Electricians' fighting spirit, for, all at once, the score ran up from the three-point margin to seven points—and there it stayed.

There is no way to describe the beauty of the Electricians' short passing game and the clever breaking from five-man defense to a rolling four-man offense. But the handicap of missing a flock of easy shots in the first quarter and inability to penetrate Clinic's five-man defense in the last half was too much. This, together with the deadly sniping of the basket by

INDIVIDUAL SCORING (Second Half)

Player—Team	Pts.
Clayton, Clinic	69
Pierce, Sou. Ice	58
A. Nicholson, Tex. Elec.	50
L. Whitmire, Rep. Tel.	47
Bridgewater, Tex. Elec.	40
Pope, California	38
Bill Smith, Hughes	32
Currie, Hughes	27
Jones, Sou. Ice	27
R. Whitmire, Rep. Tel.	26
Golladay, Hughes	26

TEAM STANDING

Team—	W.	L.	Pct.
Clinic	4	0	1000
Texas Electric	3	1	750
Reporter-Telegram	2	2	500
Hughes Tool	2	2	500
Southern Ice	1	3	250
California	0	4	000

Reporter-Telegram

FG.	FT.	PF.	TP.	
French, f	1	2	1	4
Bramlett, f	1	1	1	2
L. Whitmire, c	4	1	1	9
Scott, g				
Mills, g				
Totals	6	4	3	16

Hughes Tool

FG.	FT.	PF.	TP.	
Smith, f	6	1	12	
Currie, f	1	3	2	
Golladay, c	4	2	10	
Lenz, g				
Cole, g				
Totals	11	2	9	24

Played Thursday Night

California—	FG.	FT.	PF.	TP.
Gemmill, f	4	0	1	8
Miller, f	0	0	0	0
Crabbe, f	1	0	1	2
Pope, c	3	0	0	16
Ratliffe, g	0	0	1	0
Patterson, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	0	3	26

Southern Ice—

FG.	FT.	PF.	TP.	
Pierce, f	5	0	10	
Jones, f	5	0	10	
Holder, c	0	0	0	
Watkins, g	2	0	4	
Wright, g	1	1	0	3
Totals	13	1	1	27

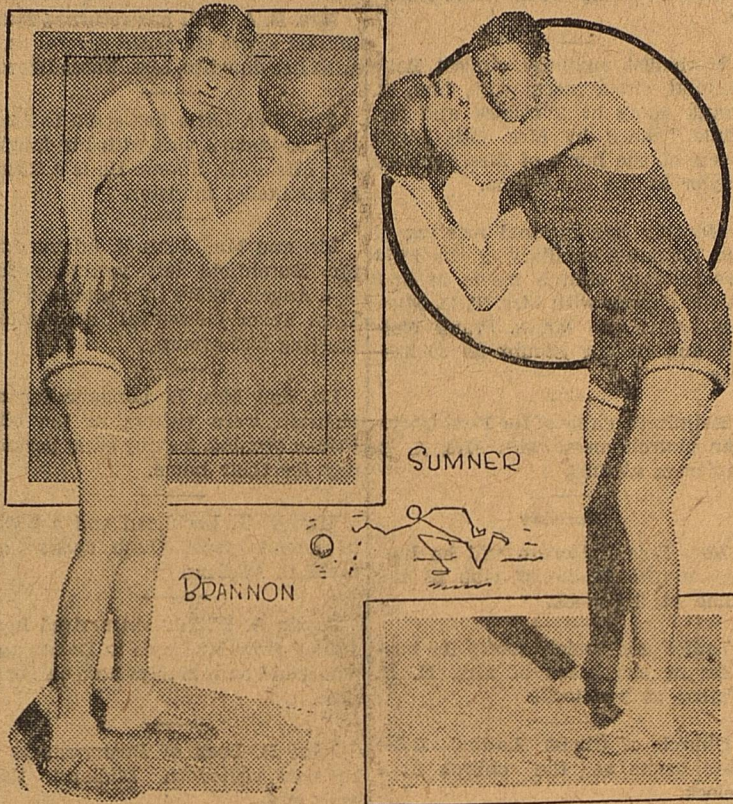
Texas Electric

FG.	FT.	PF.	TP.	
Bridgewater, f	3	6		
Nicholson, f	6	3	1	15

The scores: Clinic FG. FT. PF. TP. Godby, f 4 1 8 Smith, f 2 1 5 Clayton, c 9 3 1 21 Osborne, g 3 3 Curtin, g Totals 15 4 5 34

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These Frogs Are Winners



If the Horned Frogs fail to finish at the head of the Southwest Conference this year, it will be the first time in three years that Wendell "Doc" Sumner and Buster Brannon have not played with champions.

Sumner and Brannon were teammates with the Athens Hornets when they won the state and national high school basketball championship in 1929. Last year both were members of the T. C. U. freshman team that won the industrial league championship of Fort Worth.

INDUSTRIAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE TO BE COMPLETED THIS WEEK WITH THREE GAMES SLATED

Completion of the Industrial Basketball league's regular schedule will figure in the meeting of all six teams this week.

Thursday and Friday nights will find clubs meeting each other for the last time during the season, save for the play-off games for the league trophy.

In this play-off, date for which has not been announced, The Reporter-Telegram will meet the winner of the second half for the championship. Unless the ice company springs a surprise on that club Thursday night, Clinic will be the opposing club. In case Clinic should lose and Texas Electric should beat The Reporter-Telegram Friday night, a play-off between the electricians and doctors would be necessary, as it was in the first half when the newspaper beat the doctors in a well-remembered extra session.

The California plays Hughes Tool in the other game Thursday night. Play-off announcements will be made later in the week.

Picturesque Road May Clear Border

EAGLE PASS. (AP).—Maverick county's 34-mile stretch of the border highway to Laredo is fast being laid out in the wilderness in the southern part of the county to meet Laredo's extension of the county line.

The 100-foot right-of-way has been cleared through the brush to a point eleven miles from the city, and the road has been graded and topped with gravel for a distance of five miles from here.

"PAID" IS STORY OF GIRL WHO GOT EVEN WITH SOCIETY--AND HOW MUCH

"Paid," which will be the attraction starting Sunday at the Ritz theatre is Joan Crawford's first straight dramatic starring vehicle, and is of particular interest in being the first dialogue film version of Bayard Veiller's sensational stage play, "Within the Law."



According to word from the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios, Miss Crawford was given her opportunity to play the tragic heroine in this smashing underworld drama in recognition of her splendid portrayal in "Our Blushing Brides" and other recent hits. In essaying this difficult role, Miss Crawford follows in the footsteps of Jane Cowl who created the part of Mary Turner on the New York stage in 1912, and Alice Joyce and Norma Talmadge who played it on the silent screen in 1917 and 1923 respectively.

Veiller's Best Drama The play was written eighteen years ago and is generally regarded as Veiller's finest work. Among the dramatist's other success were "The Thirteenth Chair" and "The Trial of Mary Dugan." With the exception of modernization of dialogue and action by Lucien Hubbard and Charles MacArthur, the play comes to the talking screen intact in original form.

Sam Wood, who directed the production, last filmed "Way for a Sailor" with John Gilbert. He previously screened "The Girl Said No," "Sins of the Children" and "So This Is College." Wood is a veteran of the directorial ranks, having first won recognition for exceptional work with the late Wallace Reid.

Angelo Construction Held up by Survey

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Feb. 6. (AP).—Starting of construction on the Southern Pacific, formerly the Gulf & West Texas line from San Antonio to San Angelo is being prolonged by the thoroughness of the survey necessitated by the rough nature of the country the line will traverse, says J. C. Carter, personal representative of H. M. Lull, executive vice-president of the line.

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tors, which more than the Class A freight systems are exempted from regulation.

New Corporation Goes to San Angelo

SAN ANGELO. (AP).—Formal transfer of the San Angelo, Joleman and other Texas properties of the Oklahoma Natural Gas corporation of Tulsa to the Texas Public Service corporation with headquarters at Austin has been announced by L. O. Gordon, vice-president of the Texas corporation and of the Peoples Light and Power company with headquarters in New York City. Gordon was here with A. T. Knies, active vice-president of the Texas Public Service corporation of Austin.

San Angelo will become West Texas headquarters for the corporation and all activities in this section will be handled out of here. A considerable expansion in this section of the state is anticipated it was announced.

E. R. Bradbury, in charge of the Oklahoma corporation, will remain in active charge of the new company with the title of general manager.

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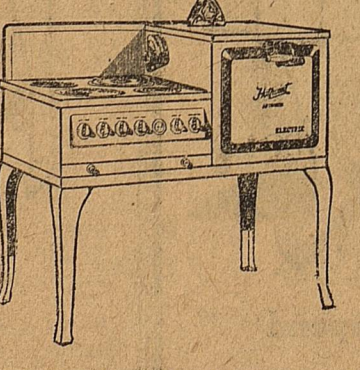
BROCKTON, Mass. (UP).—Killing two birds with one stone is nothing to Fremont Willis. Recently he killed three skunks with two shots when he saw the intruders in his backyard while cleaning his rifle in his home.

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14. Miscellaneous

For The 1931 Texas Almanac and State Industrial Guide. See Ray Gwyn. Box 443. 287-3p

RICHEST MAN

LONDON.—The world's richest man recently paid a visit to England and started the people with a small display of his wealth. He is the Nizam of Hyderabad, and outranks any of the American millionaires in wealth. His jewelry and bullion stored in a treasury house in his native land is estimated to be worth considerably more than \$2,000,000,000.

HUSBAND TRAPPED HER

CLEVELAND.—Although her husband wasn't a big game hunter, he often set large animal traps in the house to capture his wife, Mrs. Blanche C. Preston Mackey. That's what the woman recently charged here. Preston, she said, often hit her with his fists and kept revolvers handy. The traps were "vicious things," she said.

During the past 20 years Prof. Frederick H. Seares of the University of California has counted and classified more than 70,000 stars.

The watch may be used as a compass. Point the hour hand to the north, then, in the morning, half-way between the hour hand and noon is south. In the afternoon one must reckon backward.

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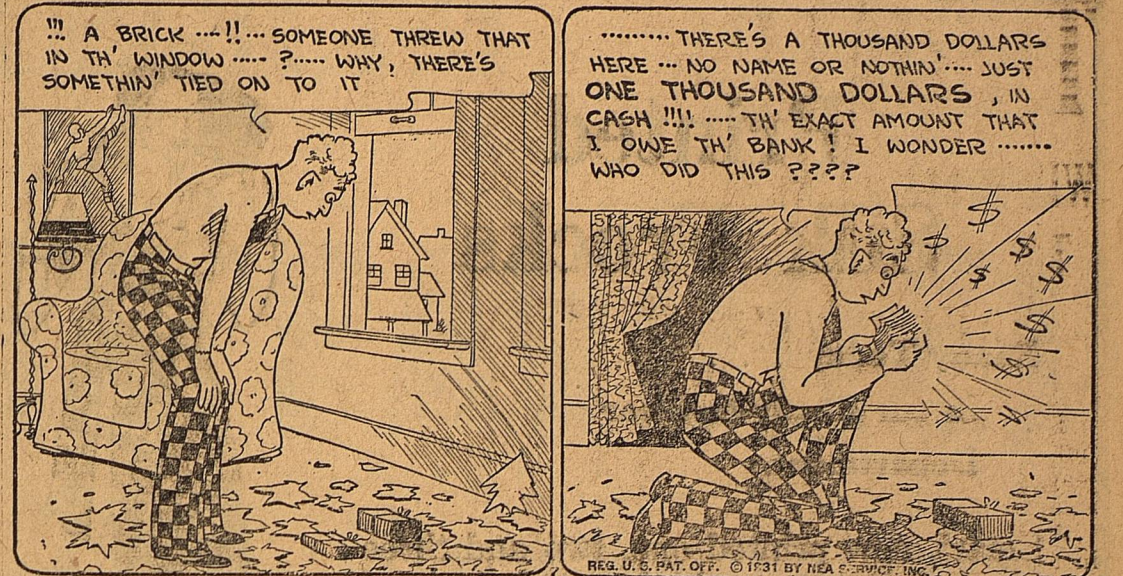
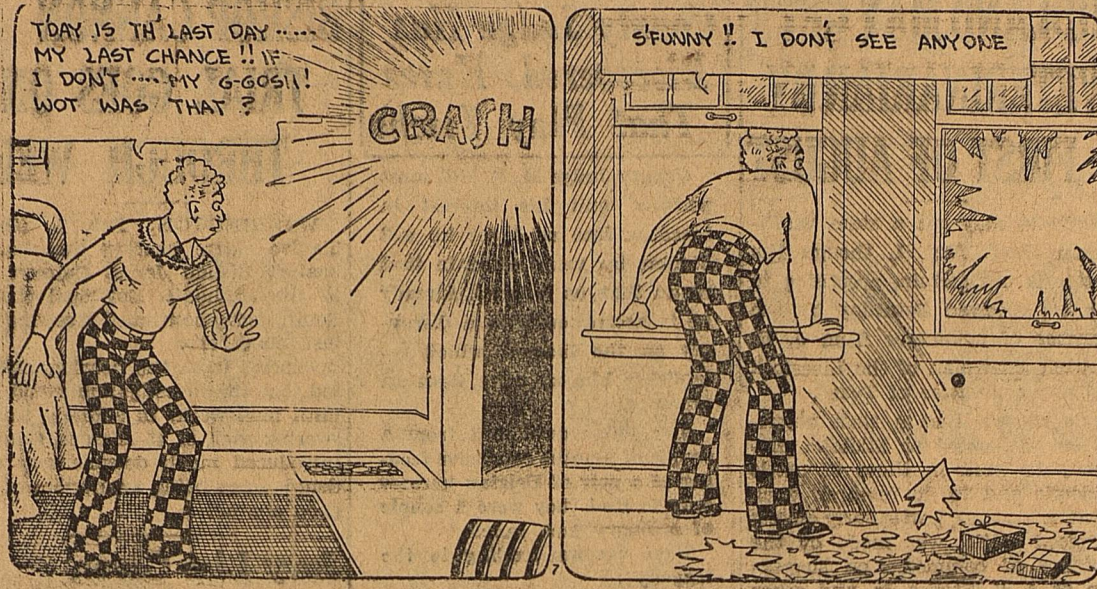
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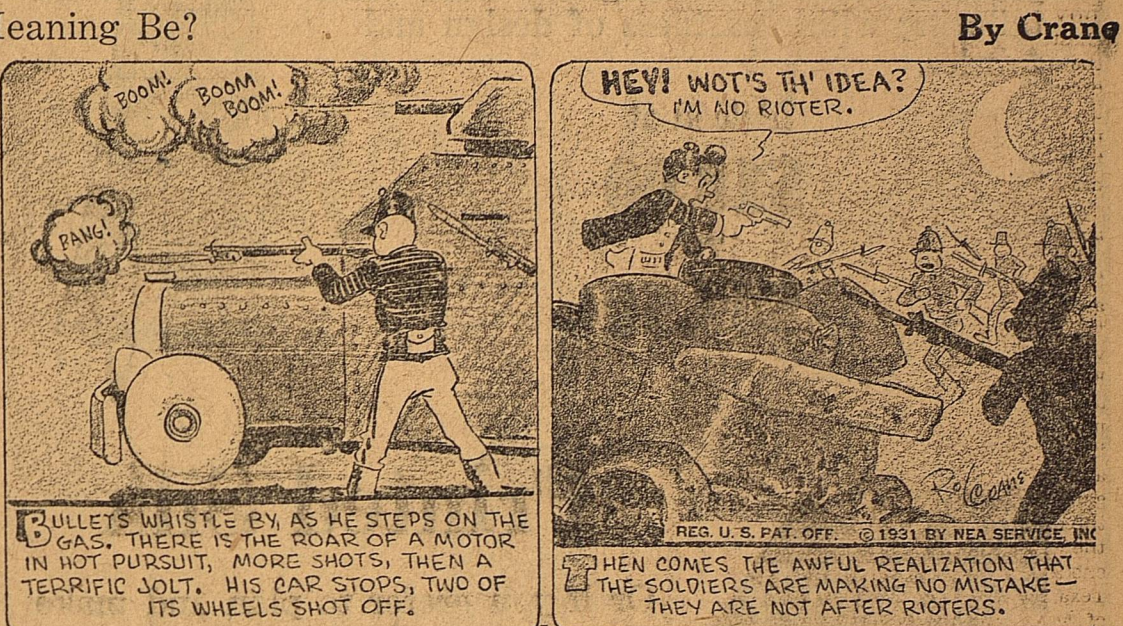
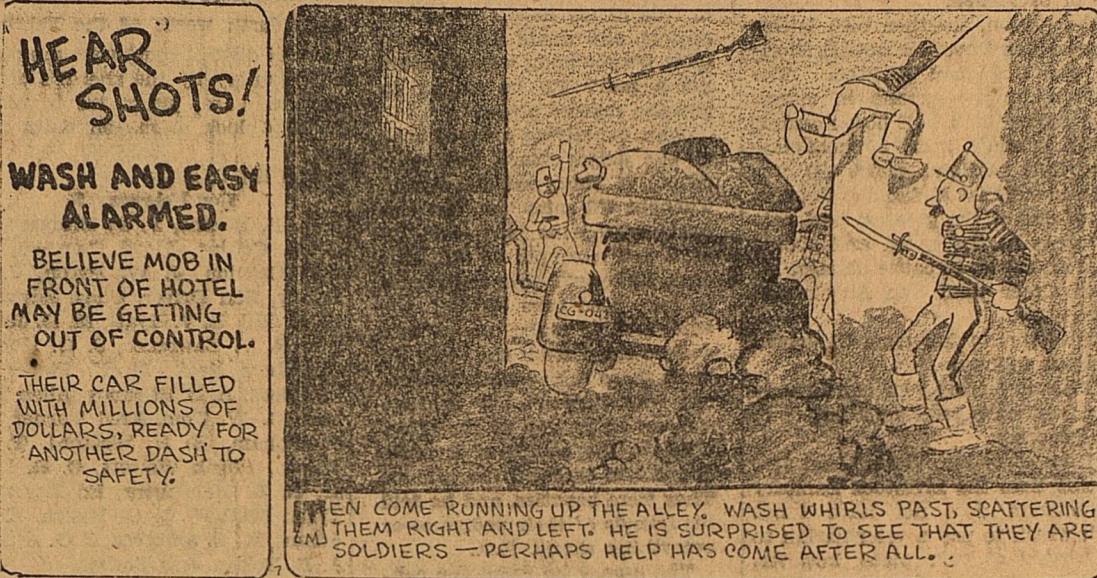
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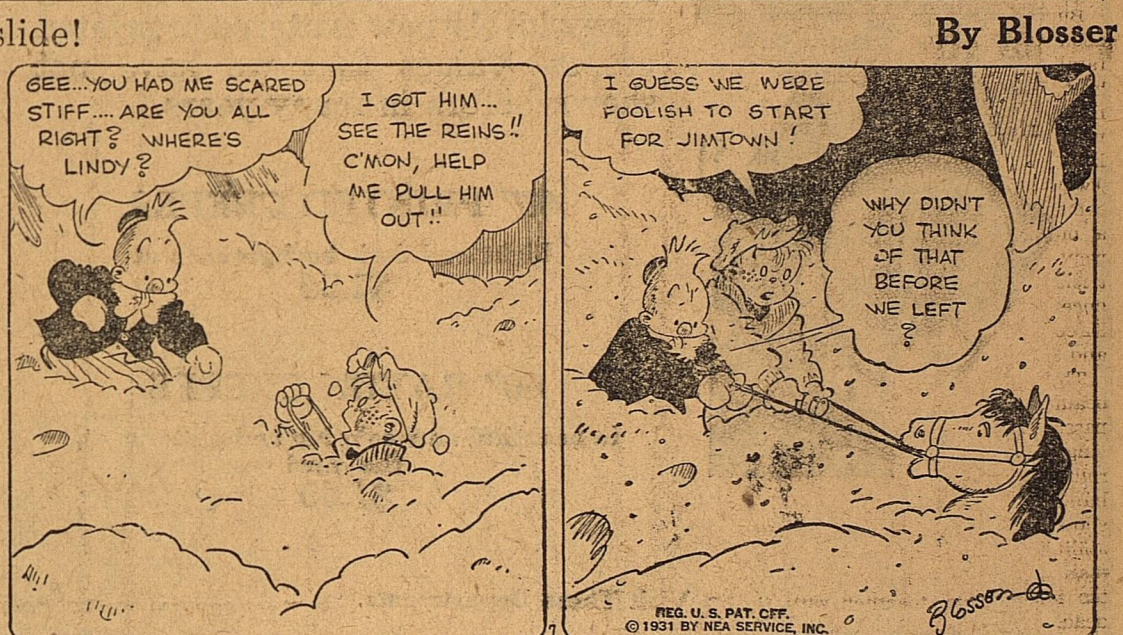
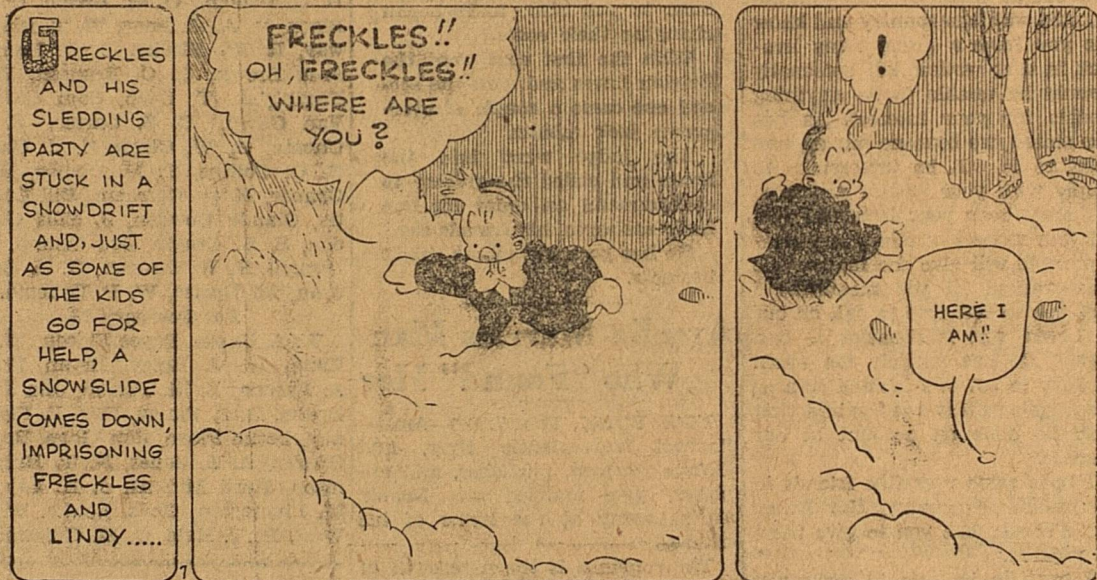
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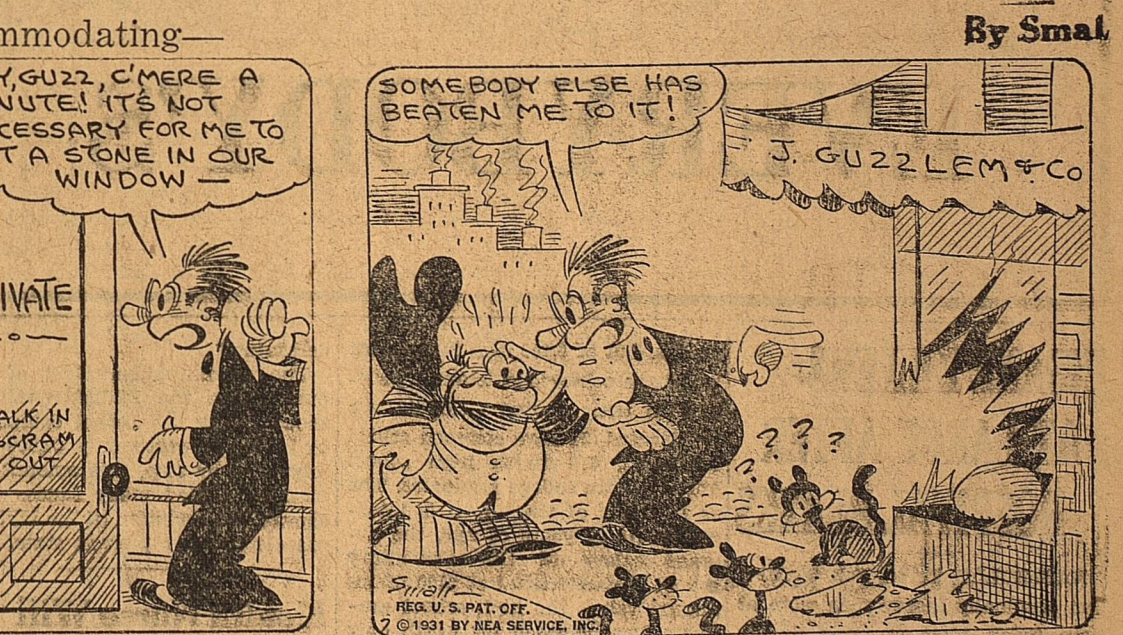
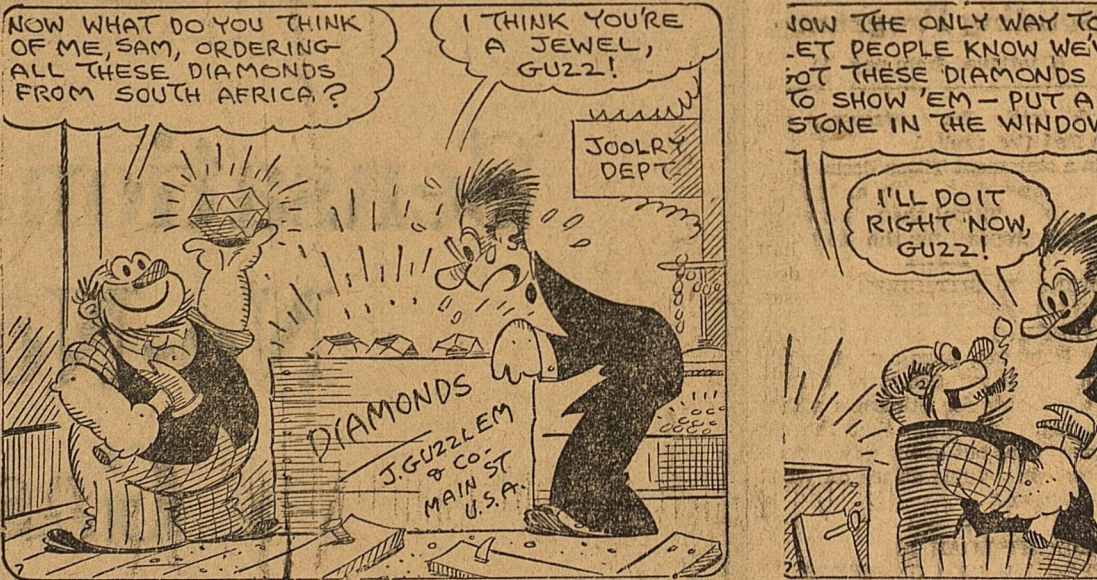
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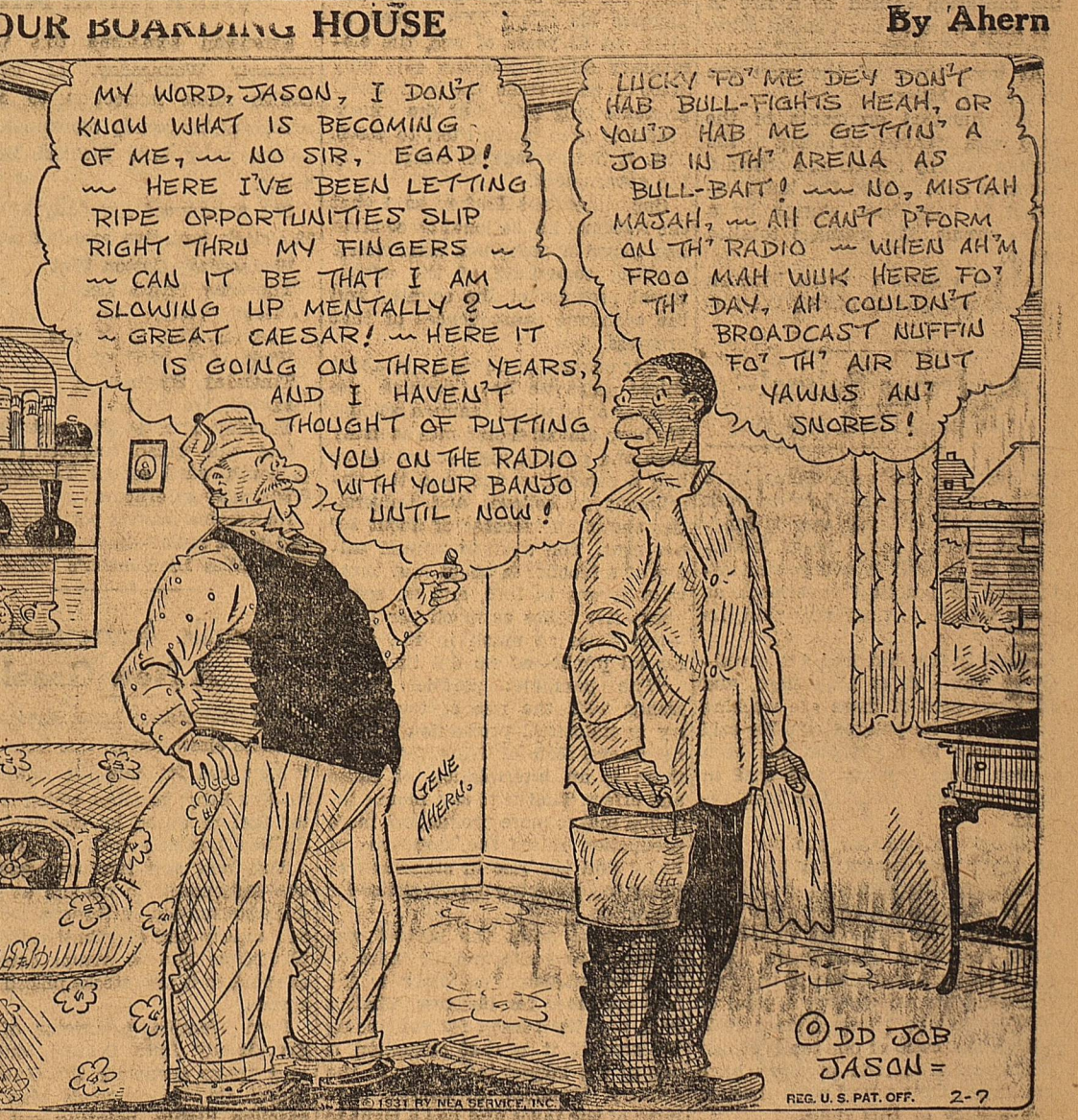
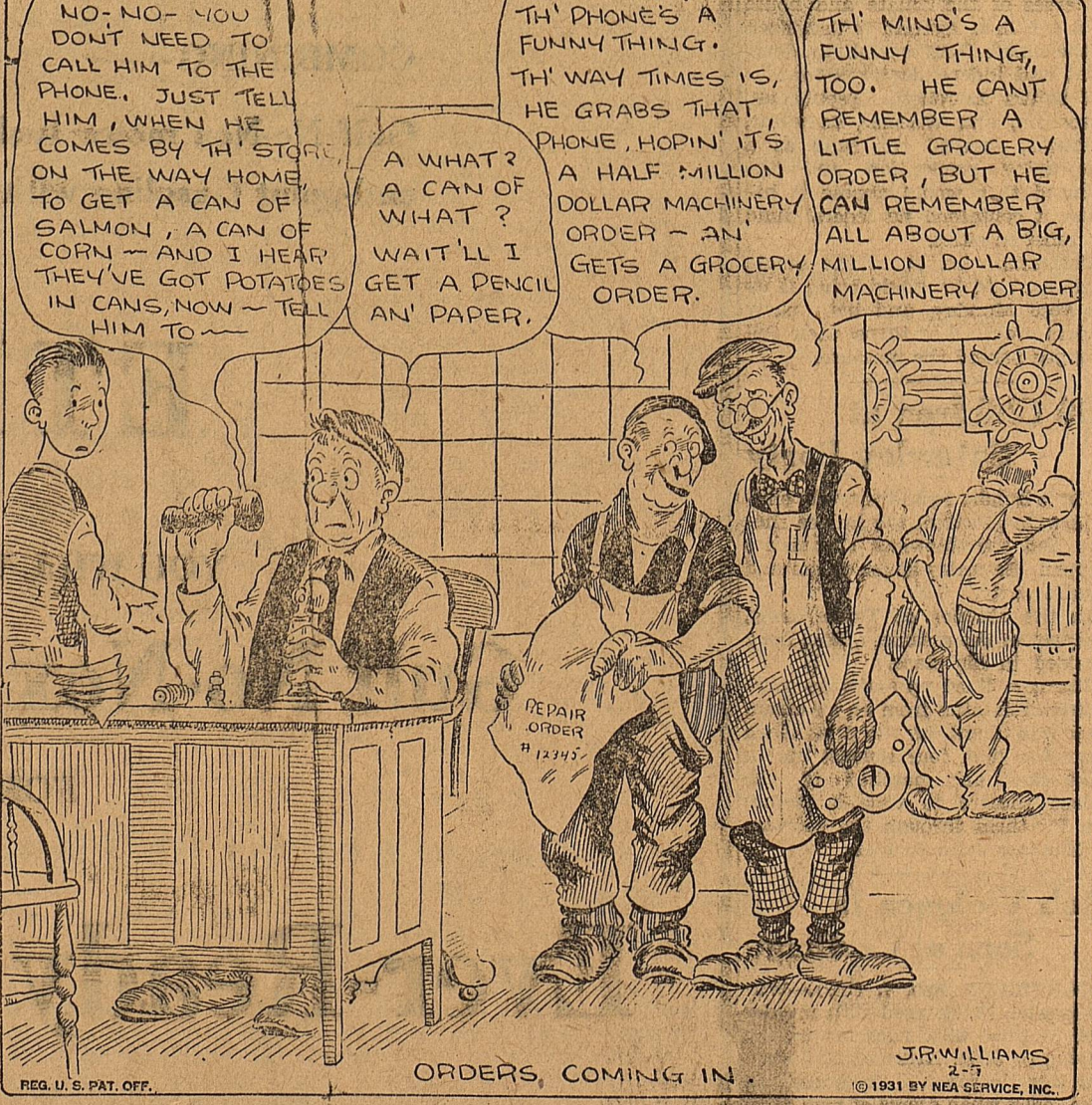
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EVERYBODY'S

INSANE KILLERS AT LARGE AFTER HOSPITAL BLAZES

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 7. (UP). Ten criminally insane men were at large today after escaping during the confusion caused by a fire in the male ward at the Central State hospital last night. At least three of the men are considered killers. Six hundred occupants of the ward were marched to safety in the asylum yard by guards and officials. Firemen extinguished the blaze believed to have been started by a short circuit. The damage totalled \$2,500. Several clashes occurred between inmates and guards during the rescue.

Andrews School--

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for everyone, he said. Some have their way paid, others have to work their way. The latter way is longer, but records show the work students do as well in college and after in practical experience as those who have their way paid, he said. "Twenty-five hundred are enrolled at Texas A. & M. college, and fifty per cent of these are working part time," he pointed out. He said that more than \$200,000 has been loaned these students and that in the past these loans have been repaid. "Only one tenth of one per cent of the money loaned has not been paid back," he said. "The association loan funds were started in 1922. Since that time some 6,000 individual loans have been made through the office of the former students association. A total of \$435,000 has been loaned since 1922, with a loss ratio of one tenth of one per cent. Hundreds of boys have continued their school work through the agency of this fund. "Only 23 out of every 1,000 persons will enter college," he pointed

ed out. Out of 6,400 men in America who have achieved outstanding success in their chosen field six are uneducated, 24 have common school education, 612 finish high school and 5,758 are college graduates. The salary scale of these men is interesting. At 40 years of age, the average salary of the elementary school graduate has lost \$100 of his annual value, the high school graduate has increased his worth only \$250, but the college graduate has increased his salary \$900 a year, or \$5100. At 65 years of age, the elementary school graduate gets only \$1400 on an average, the high school graduate only \$1800 but the college graduate goes up further, to \$6500. This is the average as compiled by the government. Superintendent Lackey said that the National Educational association has issued a pamphlet with charts showing something of the educational progress of the country and the economic consequences of that progress. "For example," he said, "in about thirty years we have doubled the number of pupils in common schools. We have almost eight times as many boys and girls in high school as we had a generation ago, and the enrollment in colleges and universities shows an increase of about 300 per cent. The average annual salary of a teacher is about four times what it was in 1900, and we spend about five times as much per pupil—ten times as much in the gross for all pupils—as we did then. "The pamphlet parallels these trends with the rise of the country in industrial production and in its general scale of living. Of course, there is an interrelation of cause and effect. That is to say, more education makes more production, more production raises the standards of living and the rise in standards of living include more opportunities for education. "But the point the booklet was designed to make is this, 'namely, that an educated customer is the best customer for business. That is true, and the reason for convincing business of it is that education is one of the largest tax eaters in the country. Business, of course, pays most of the taxes and has a right to know what the tax money used by education is buying and what it is

delivering." The superintendent told of the progress in the Midland schools, showing how the school equipment in 1906 was worth only \$4,500 and how, step by step, this amount has been multiplied many times. He showed the evolution of the Midland schools to their present state.

Health Nurse Will Work Rural Areas

Extension sometime this week, probably Wednesday, of county health nurse inspection to rural schools of the county was announced Saturday by Miss Martha Bredemeier. She announced her daily 9-until-12 o'clock tentative schedule as: Wednesday, Cotton Flat Thursday, Prairie Lee Friday, Valley View Tuesday, Feb. 17, Stokes Wednesday, McClintic Thursday, Stephenson Friday, Warfield Tuesday, Feb. 24, Pleasant Valley. She will finish inspection work at south ward school Tuesday or Wednesday afternoon. New scales—nurses portable scales, and stork scales—have been received at Miss Bredemeier's office.

Wemple Announces A New Gasoline

The Ever-Ready Auto Service announces elsewhere in this issue that it now has for sale the new Gulf No-Nox Ethyl gasoline, which is motor fuel produced by treating Gulf No-Nox gasoline with Ethyl fluid. This new and improved gasoline was announced to dealers at their sales convention in Sweetwater late in January and distribution accomplished as fast as pumps could be adapted to it and stocks placed with agents. Fred Wemple, proprietor of the Ever-Ready Auto Service, authorized dealer agent for the Gulf Refining Co., recommends this new gasoline highly, pointing out that it is one of the real advancements in present-day motor fuels.

MIDLAND MAY GET VETERINARIAN BY FIRST OF AUGUST

Midland may get a state veterinarian about Aug. 1, though the matter is not certain, according to a letter received Saturday by the chamber of commerce from J. H. Whitten, chairman of the Livestock Sanitary committee of Texas. The request that a state veterinarian be located at Midland primarily to work in times of cattle epidemic and to do research work in cattle diseases, particularly among Hereford cattle, was made by the chamber of commerce on suggestion of J. V. Stokes Jr. and other ranchers. Stokes circulated a petition which was signed by a number of cattlemen. The petition, together with letters were sent to Governor Ross S. Sterling and Chairman Whitten. The state maintains experts in veterinary science in a half dozen centers in Texas, and it is one of these state men that Midland seeks. It was pointed out that Midland is the center of one of the greatest beef cattle areas in the world and should have an expert in cattle diseases located closer than San Angelo, 135 miles distant. The letter in full from Chairman Whitten follows: "I have received your correspondence and have read your letters to the governor. "I am sorry Mr. Vickers that just at this time the Livestock Sanitary Commission does not have funds with which to pay a veterinarian to be located at your place, however, at the beginning of the next fiscal year, which will be August 1, I hope at that time it may be possible to place one at Midland. I am well acquainted with the country and know that you have a great many livestock in that section, but personally I would be unable to do anything possible for your interest. As has been stated, we have no money, and therefore it will be impossible to comply with your wishes just now. "I shall keep your letter on file, and your request in mind, and early as possible will give the matter due consideration. In the meantime I want you to feel free to call on our Dr. Lewis, who is situated at San Angelo. He has entirely too much territory to cover. I located him at San Angelo as this was the best that could be done on account of our finances. "I have some very fine friends in your Midland country, the Brunsons. I would like you to give them my regards. "I hope to be able to serve you at any time in the future in the matter under consideration."

Building Program--

(Continued from page 1) would settle the controversy over the Red Cross relief. In a statement Tilson declared the compromise deals with an entirely different principal than that of the senate's proposal for the \$25,000,000.

ROBINSON CRITICIZES SPEECH OF STIMSON WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—Senator Robinson, Arkansas, democrat, today criticized Secretary Stimson in the senate for Stimson's address last night, declaring that the secretary "went out of his way to make a somewhat stupid attack on Woodrow Wilson."

DROUGHT LOAN IS APPROVED BY CONFEREES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—The \$20,000,000 drought loan compromise on relief was approved today by the conferees of the senate and house as a rebellion against it developed in the senate from republican, democrat and independent senators. Senators LaFollette, republican, Wisconsin, and Wheeler, democrat, Montana, assailed the fund as a face-saving proposition and announced they would oppose it because it contained no federal fund for relief in cities. Chairman Smoot, of the senate conferees said he would bring it up for vote Monday, and both party leaders prepared to throw their full strength behind the measure.

336 Children at Saturday Party

Three hundred and thirty-six children were guests of the Palace theatre and the Snowwhite Creameries company Saturday at ice cream and theatre party. In the absence of Taylor Long, manager of the creamery, Mrs. Long presided in his place. The boys lined up and were served frozen dainties from an ice cream wagon in front of the Ritz, then formed a line, four abreast and a block long, and marched to the Palace theatre to view a picture run for them through the courtesy of Manager John Bonner.

Mob Violence Is Seen at Carthage

CARTHAGE, Feb. 7. (UP)—Willie Byman, 17, charged with murder and robbery with firearms in the slaying of J. R. Kirby at Galloway, was secretly removed from the jail here today when scores of men milled in the streets threatening mob violence.

County Judge Has Discovered Hares That Play Tricks

County Judge M. R. Hill must perforce quit his interest in breeding fine stock, or he will become far more noted in that realm than as a jurist. Already he is accredited with a discovery on the face of which establishes him as more than an amateur. The judge awakened from a couple of months expensive feeding of a pair of Belgian hares—only to find they were a couple of ordinary jack rabbits! First "events leading to the tragedy": Judge Hill, talking to a friend: "Say, John, you know I'd like a couple of pure bred rabbits to feed at my house. I like the critters, and would like to raise some. Do you know where I could get a pair? I'd be willing to pay the regular prices." John, conceiving a "good one" on the judge: "Sure, I've got a couple of them rabbits myself. Thought I'd raise 'em, but cow critters keep me busy—and I'll send you a couple of the little ones. But you'll have to promise to take good care of 'em; the wife would make me scarce around the place if she knew I'd given those baby rabbits to anyone who wouldn't buy cabbage for 'em every day at the store. So, in the course of a week, Judge Hill received the rabbits. They were beauties, and he told his friends of their pedigree—everything except that. The money he spent for cabbage at the groceries was enough to keep a dozen Belgian hares. And then the rabbits grew almost to full size and began changing their coats. With the first coat went the Belgian hares and with the second one came a couple of overgrown jack rabbits. The judge went into the house and called the grocery to countermand an order for two more cabbages, his friends say. He has gone out of the rabbit business.

Amelia Marries Man Who "Found" Her

NEW YORK, Feb. 7. (AP)—Amelia Earhart, transatlantic flyer, and George Putnam, publisher, and explorer, were married at Noank, Conn., today at the home of his mother. The romance is the outgrowth of Putman's search on behalf of Mrs. Frederick Guest for some woman to

BISHOP CANNON TRIAL GOES ON THROUGH WEEK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. (AP)—Twelve elders hearing the charges against Bishop James Cannon Jr. of the Methodist Episcopal church South, today continued receiving the bishop's defense. Reports from the hearing indicated that the investigation would last until next week. In addition to answering each of 48 charges, Cannon introduced much documentary evidence, some being assurances of his good character.

Jury List Given By Sheriff's Office

Petit jurors for the second, third and fourth weeks of the February term of district court were announced Saturday by the sheriff's office. In each case, jurors are to report at 10 o'clock a. m., on dates given. The list follows: For February 9 W. P. Bodine, F. F. Bridgewater, O. C. Collins, Floyd Countiss, Elliott Cowden, J. W. Pyron, J. S. Schow, Ben Driver, Chas. Edwards, W. S. Hill, R. V. Hyatt, M. D. Johnson, R. V. Lawrence, J. O. Nobles, Chambers Peak, M. F. Peters, J. M. Speed, A. B. Stickney, Allen Tolbert, G. W. Tom, Fred Turner, W. R. Upham, H. H. Watford, T. R. Wilson, Frank Wolcott, C. R. Fryar, N. L. Heidleberg, Ed Benedict, Tyson Midkiff, C. G. Brown, Kelso Adams, K. E. Ambrose, J. G. Arnett, A. P. Baker, Jess Barber. For February 16 Terry Elkin, J. D. Bartlett, O. W. Baxley, J. R. Beane, Chas. Berry, D. C. Biggers, O. M. Bizzell, G. A. Black, B. A. Blakney, W. T. Blake-way, R. W. Blevins, J. C. Brooks, Fred Brown, G. C. Brunson, Wm. Bryant, A. T. Bush, Sam Caffey, Van Camp, C. S. Carter, J. R. Choate, G. W. Clapp, S. C. Clark, R. O. Collins, T. M. Combs, Wm. Conner, Hugh Corrigan, Bill Countiss, Claude Cowden, J. Ellis Cowden, S. B. Cragin, Joe Crump, Ed Darnell, E. W. Dawson, G. N. Donovan, Ed Dozier, W. P. Dykema. For February 23 W. A. Eason, Boyce Eldson, W. B. Elkin, W. J. Epley, Bryan Estes, A. Fasken, E. M. Ferrell, Jim Finlayson, D. J. Finley, Fred E. Flournoy, Leslie Floyd, Jim Gage, Ralph Geisler, A. A. Jones, N. T. Hutchison, Herd Midkiff, J. H. Lay, J. M. Livingston, Chas. Lowke, W. L. West, B. T. Hale, C. M. Goldsmith. fly the Atlantic. Putman's selection was Miss Earhart.

J. L. Greene, O. C. Harper, Jack Hazeltine, I. E. Heas, Top Heard, B. H. Heidleberg, W. F. Hejl, Alvin Hicks, J. S. Hines, O. B. Holt Jr., A. D. Horst, Bill Jones, Harry McClintic. the prohibition enforcement law, was resting easily in the hospital here today after an operation Thursday night. The Chinese port of Tientsin serves as an outlet for the products of an area about half the size of the United States. Bald-headed men with advertising on their shiny pates sit in Paris theaters.

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