

“Women dominate social life more now than they ever did, and as much as they ever will.” —Mabel Walker Willebrandt.

SENATE VOTES RED CROSS AID

Clean-Up Work Is Scheduled to Relieve Unemployment

DEFINITE PROPOSALS DISPLACE PETROLEUM'S CRIES FOR AID

BILL IS INTRODUCED BY GARBER

Bill Goes to House Committee for Inspection

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP).—A cry for help by independent oil producers took legislative form today in the shape of bills for an investigation of the industry.

With the bill is a permit of the president to put a stop to oil coming into the country for as long a period as he sees fit.

Representative Hoch, republican of Kansas, presented the measure for the house committee to investigate and make recommendations. It would determine if a decree of the supreme court dissolving the Standard Oil company is being violated and go into price production phases of the industry.

Ask Senate Aid WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP).—Independent oil producers warring against large petroleum corporations here today sought the assistance of members of the senate.

Senator Nye was asked to investigate charges against large companies combining to fix prices and drive small companies out of business. Senator Thomas, democrat, Oklahoma, received a protest against the shipping board for buying foreign oil.

Orville Bullington, Wichita Falls, Texas, today was named chairman of the oil conference's executive committee, which also was named but included no others from Texas or New Mexico.

Teachers Report Rural Progress

Rural school teachers of the county reported much progress Saturday when they met with County School Superintendent W. R. Hill.

Each school gave favorable reports. Trees are being planted, schools are serving hot lunches, literary societies are being organized and physical culture courses being instituted.

Those present follow: County Librarian Hester, Miss Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. Laceywell, Miss Abbott and Miss Carpenter.

Bulletin

PORT ARTHUR, Jan. 17. (AP) O. L. Adams, 23, was shot and killed in a cleaning establishment here tonight.

A. B. Johnson, Gulf Refining Co. foreman surrendered and was charged with murder.

Johnson is the father of Elizabeth Johnson, 19-year-old Sunday school worker found mysteriously dead in an automobile by her sweetheart, Robert L. Williams, University of Texas student, at a curb adjoining the First Methodist church here December 27.

Adams is married but is not living with his wife. He is a former student of medicine at Tulane university in New Orleans, and has been assistant in the Gulf Refining company medical department here.

Miss Johnson was found slumped in a car seat by Williams. The youth had protested he shot the girl, admitting, however, the girl had probably used a gun he had in his car. Williams appeared before a grand jury but was no-billed.

“Perfect Month”

Calendar for February 1931 showing days of the week and dates.

The month of February, 1931, is a “perfect month,” according to advocates of a change in the calendar which would give us 13 months of 28 days each. They point out that every month, under their system, would be like February of this year. The “perfect month” begins on a Sunday and ends on a Saturday. There won't be another like it until 1942.

RURAL ROUTE EXTENSION IS NOW IN EFFECT

Extension of Rural Route No. 1 Friday brought mail distribution facilities to more than 150 miles, it is estimated by the carrier, Troy Eiland.

The total extension approximates 40 miles, including 12 miles southwest to take in the Cotton Flat community; 12 miles southeast, to take in Stokes and Greenwood and 15 miles north, to within a mile of the Pleasant valley school house.

Postal notices of the extension were made about Dec. 20. Eiland leaves on the route daily at 10:30, returning at 4:30.

Orthwein Heir Abductor Held

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17. (UP).—Charles Y. Abernathy and his father, Pearl, negroes, were bound over to the grand jury at a preliminary hearing on charges of kidnaping Adolphus Busch Orthwein, 13, last New Year's eve.

Charles, who admitted the kidnaping, is being held under a \$100,000 bond and his father was released under a \$15,000 bond.

Little Oswald Doesn't Like Tommy Tucker

Insurgent Raises Protest and Takes Political Stand as Story Hour Teacher Mixes Medicine—A Herd Of Deer Stampeded by T. J. Richards

By R. C. HANKINS

“Quit yer kiddin’, the gov’ner is gonna be ‘naug-a-rated Tuesday, ‘cause my dad said so.” This was the remark that made figuratively blink as she talked to a group of children in story hour at the library Saturday.

She was going through the intricacies of “Little Tommie Tucker” and “Snowdrop”—and one of the boys was talking about politics.

In defense of the story teller, Mrs. Peters had expected only eight or 10 listeners. Instead, there were 53. She had expected pre-school age listeners; instead, there was a group of children that ranged as high in age as 11. She had gambled on the chance that, if there should be any children as old as 10 or 11, they would be interested in the exploits of the well-known Tommie, who is remembered as having once sung “for his supper.”

But the 11-year-olds of Midland discuss politics! However, the meeting was the most successful ever held at story hour. Mrs. Peters divided the big crowd of pre-school listeners and politically-minded juveniles into two groups, those up to eight, and those as old as eight or more. A great deal of the time spent was devoted to organization.

Fifty Geologists Meet in Midland Saturday Night

At 3, He's Mental Giant

The West Texas Geological society held its regular monthly meeting Saturday evening in the Crystal room of Hotel Scharbauer, 51 geologists of Midland and the surrounding area being present.

The meeting was called to order by Vice President John Emery Adams in the absence of President A. L. Cannon.

Adams introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. Russell Lloyd, who presented a paper on “Barrier Reefs and Saline Deposits” with special reference to deposition in the Permian basin of West Texas and southeastern New Mexico.

The reading of the paper was followed by a general discussion.

The general election of officers of the society took place at the last monthly meeting, at which the following were elected: R. L. Cannon, president; John Emery Adams, vice-president and Mr. Hemphill, secretary-treasurer.

Daisy Tells How Clara Fired 'em up

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17. (AP).—Daisy De Boe, former secretary of Clara Bow on trial for charges that she stole \$16,000 from the “It” girl, said today that she had more to tell about Clara and her night life in Hollywood. She stated that she had a great deal more to say about drinking parties and escapades that took place while she was in the employ of the red haired girl of the movies.

Miss Bow was ill at her home. Announcement was made yesterday that she had withdrawn from the star role of the film “City Streets” and that another girl would be substituted.

Sun Grins Again Seen on Faces

It was good to find sun glinting on the faces of Midland's population Saturday, after a series of cloudy days of last week.

Friday morning found a precipitation of .07 inch, according to Buster Howard, weather observer. Temperature Saturday went above the 55-degree mark for a pleasant maximum.



Three-year-old Van Dyke Tiers of Downers Grove, Ill., a Chicago suburb, is acclaimed as one of the most brilliant youngsters in the nation—and for reason enough, too. He can read and write English extensively, is studying Greek and Latin, is familiar with mathematics and knows a good deal about geography. Above he is shown demonstrating his ability to point out any place on the map; in the inset, he is shown practicing the Greek alphabet. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tiers.

SCHOOL STUDENTS WIN EVENTS IN A PRACTICE MEET

Midland declaimers got off fast Saturday when they went to Big Spring, competed against seven towns and won every event. Debaters didn't fare so well, losing in each instance. It was thought by those who left before final judging had been announced that Midland took second in both debates, that for boys and that for girls.

B. C. Driver won first place in declamation. He is a freshman. Lucille McMullan was second and Kathleen Scruggs third. Theresa Brooks also took part in the events. Marie Cook and Georgia McMullan, girl debaters, lost to Colorado, and Jack Garlington and Merwin Haag were defeated by San Angelo. One of the San Angelo debaters was in the district finals of debate last year. Conrad Dunagan assisted the Midland boys' team.

San Angelo, Big Spring, Colorado, Stanton, Roscoe, Westbrook and Dunn were the other towns faced by Midland competitors. R. D. Scruggs, Mrs. B. C. Driver, F. H. Lanham, Miss Stella Maye Lanham and Robert C. Cotner went with the students to Big Spring. Some of the students were those of Miss Lanham, others of Cotner.

HIX LEADS AGENTS

John Hix not only sold more insurance than any other man in his company that works in Texas, but ranked eighth in the nation with his company, booklets issued recently show.

RABBITS FOR THE POOR MAY BE HAD FOR WEEKS HERE

Rabbits for the poor, dressed and packed away in cold storage, will be available this week and subsequently so long as the meat is claimed or hunters bring rabbits into town, according to a committeeman of the Midland Community Welfare association.

Kenneth E. Ambrose, manager of the Southern Ice and Utilities corporation plant here, says his cold storage vault will be placed at the disposal of the Welfare association and that those who desire rabbits should drive to the ice loading dock and ask for them.

Hunters will go out each afternoon and shoot rabbits, bringing them to the ice company that evening or night. Arrangements will be made to have the rabbits cleaned at the plant by a person who will be provided by the welfare association, it is planned.

STATION BURNED

GREENVILLE, Jan. 17. (UP).—Fire today destroyed the main office building housing the experimental seed records and other valuable equipment of the government seed breeding station near here.

MOVEMENT WILL START ON JAN. 26

Organizations Unite To Aid in the Week's Work

Partial relief for some of the unemployment in Midland promised to be made available through a movement initiated and sponsored by the Federated clubs of Midland. Actual operation of the plan is scheduled to start Monday Jan. 26.

The projected relief is to come through a clean-up campaign. It is proposed to ask owners of vacant property or occupied property to have the property cleaned up, or pay at the rate of \$1.50 a day to have the work done.

Boy Scouts, the Midland Welfare association, the City of Midland, and the chamber of commerce are cooperating with the Federated Women's clubs. The city will furnish conveyors to haul off all trash and refuse.

The main point of this campaign is to get property owners to agree to hire unemployed, needy, destitute men at a living wage to grub off the mesquite bushes, rake up the weeds and otherwise clean up their property. This method of relieving unemployment serves a three-fold purpose.

First, it gets ugly, filthy, unhealthful property cleared and makes the city look better.

Second, it provides needy men with jobs and takes the burden off the welfare association, and helps men feed their families.

Third, employment of needy men does not destroy their morale and self-respect. Many men with hungry families want work, they don't want charity.

The women are doing the work, and are putting the job over with a lot of work. They are organizing and telephoning and personally seeing people to make the campaign a success to help the poor of Midland, help the property owner who has the work done and help the appearance of Midland.

Mrs. John Haley, president of the Federated clubs, and Miss Lois Patterson, working with Mrs. Harvey Sloan of the Midland Welfare association, met Saturday afternoon with a group of men in Boy Scout headquarters to plan the work.

Those who attended were: the Rev. Edwin C. Calhoun, J. S. Schow, Marcos Williamson, Percy Bridgewater, John O. Nobles, A. J. Gates, Alvin Hicks, and the chamber of commerce secretary.

LEGISLATION TO MARK TIME UNTIL INAUGURAL OVER

AUSTIN, Jan. 17. (AP).—The legislature is closed until the first of the week with both houses adjourned until Monday.

The legislature is not expected to get in full swing until after the inauguration of Ross S. Sterling as governor and Edgar E. Witt as lieutenant governor and Sterling's initial message probably Wednesday.

Episcopal Church To Hold Services

First services in the Episcopal church of Midland will be held Tuesday evening at 7:30 and the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Martin of Big Spring will be here for the occasion. Holy communion will be observed at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. The Episcopal church is the old library building.

Aerial Hostess



Passengers who ride in Eastern Air Transport lines between New York and Atlanta find the trip made more pleasant by Miss Wanda Wood, shown here, the first aerial hostess in the country. She serves them with light lunches, provides cigarettes and furnishes other little attentions to keep the flight from growing monotonous.

MONDAY NOON SET FOR CC MEETING, MEEK ANNOUNCES

Every one of the 21 directors of the Midland chamber of commerce are expected to attend the organization meeting Monday at 12 o'clock in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

The new president, Malcolm M. Meek, has several matters of importance to discuss, such as time of meeting, frequency of meeting, committee appointments, chamber policies and the placing of authority. Meek said these were matters for the directors to determine, and he expects every man of them to be present to determine policies and assume charge of the year's work.

THREE INJURED AS FEUD FLARES; CHARGE FILED

NACOGDOCHES, Jan. 17. (UP).—A backwoods family feud had resulted in the injury today of three persons and an assault-to-murder charge against another.

Ben Fussell, 40, who brought the first news of the battle was freed on a \$750 bond. Ramsey Humphries, 24, was shot in the leg which may be amputated. Mrs. John Barton, 36, amputated. Mrs. John Barton, 36, was also shot in the leg. Her five-year-old daughter was wounded in the chest and may die.

A controversy between Fussell and Humphries was said to be the cause.

National Guard To Hold Meeting

A meeting has been called by officers in the proposed national guard unit for 7:30 Wednesday night in the Scharbauer gym. It was said by these officers the meeting is being held due to a check-up showing the company wanted here is almost filled.

The announcement was made by C. F. Garrison, first sergeant, and Paul Wagster, sergeant.

Boys from the ages of 18 to 24 are asked to join the company. An armory will likely be built and a payroll of not less than \$10,000 a year expended in Midland.

“Those who want to enlist must do so soon,” Sergeant Wagster said. “The company will be filled and someone will lose an opportunity to get this training.”

LEADERS SURPRISED AT MOVE

Airline Contract Is Let B'Spring to Paso Route

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP).—The senate today voted to appropriate \$25,000,000 for Red Cross relief proposed by Democratic Leader Robinson of Arkansas. This surprised administration leaders negotiating

AFFECTS MIDLAND

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (UP).—Contracts totaling approximately \$89,991 for equipment and work in connection with the Federal Airways system have been awarded by the aeronautics branch of the commerce department, it was announced today.

The largest contract was for the establishment of electric airway beacon lights on the El Paso-Big Spring section of the El Paso-Fort Worth airway for \$46,471.20.

When the vote came, Senator Reed, republican, of Pennsylvania, moved for reconsideration, seeking postponement until the Red Cross has completed its campaign for \$10,000,000.

Leaders believed there was little prospect for postponement. It is reported that the president is against appropriation or compromise including a proposal that money be loaned to the Red Cross.

Asks for Building

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (UP).—A bill authorizing an additional million for public building construction throughout the country was introduced today by Chairman Elliott and Keyes of the house and senate public buildings committee.

\$3,500,000 Allocated WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (UP).—Secretary of War Hurley today allocated more than \$35,000,000 to be used for improving rivers and harbors throughout the nation and thus provide employment for thousands.

TEXAS EXES MEET

Ex-students of Texas university will meet Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the assembly room on the third floor of the court house.

All ex-students are asked to be present as matters of importance will be considered, according to District Judge Charles L. Klapproth.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



A dinner date with some means getting both bread and bored.

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PAST AND FUTURE GENERALSHIP

Much of Midland's development comes about not by chance but because of systematic work of the chamber of commerce. Hence, the selection of leaders in the organization is ultra-important.

Even with the keenest interest of the directors, every day details, between conferences of committees and directors, are of necessity handled largely through the initiative of the secretary and the president.

The secretary is a salaried executive, trained through experience and scientific schooling in his profession and in knowledge of his immediate territory and its needs.

This brings the analysis down to the duties of the president. Elected to serve without pay as the directing head of a large community organization, he assumes duties that represent hard work, sacrifice of his own business and time, liability to public criticism and, in many ways, an extremely difficult and distasteful position.

During the past immediate administrations, Leon Goodman has bent himself to the task in probably the most ambitious program ever attempted in a city as small as Midland. The result has been that Midland people thought on a larger scale and the town pulled itself by its bootstraps from a small West Texas cowtown into a small but progressive business metropolis of the Permian Basin.

And now, as his administration has ended successfully, Midland faces a period probably more responsible than at any previous time except when it was a problem to take care of the city's growth. Midland faces an era when the wide-awake city may take advantage of re-tenement of others, to stage unusual growth and development as business swings upward because the city is ready and has not taken to cover because of rumors of depression.

Malcolm Meek, chosen to guide the organization during 1931, is the logical man. Having lived in Midland for four years, during which time he has become thoroughly familiar with the city and its surrounding territory, has served actively in civic organizations, devoted vast amounts of time and effort to the welfare of the community, has become acquainted with the people and the problems of the territory, he is fitted admirably for the important and responsible task.

He has demonstrated not only a willingness but also a passion for civic work. He has that faculty of seeing the side of the "old timer" and the "new comer." His business experience has been of the sort to broaden the mind, to combine humanity with business. What Malcolm Meek will need is full community cooperation. The Reporter-Telegram commends the administration to the public.

TAX PAYING BY INSTALLMENTS

Proposal by Ross Sterling to have county and state tax collections placed on a semi-annual basis, half by February 1 and the other half six months later, is bringing forth commendation, condemnation and general discussion from all parts of the state.

It would seem that such an arrangement would be of advantage in many instances to the tax payer, which should reflect to the advantage of the state and county in the form of better collections. If good for the state and the county, shouldn't it be just as good for school district taxes, city taxes and automobile license taxes?

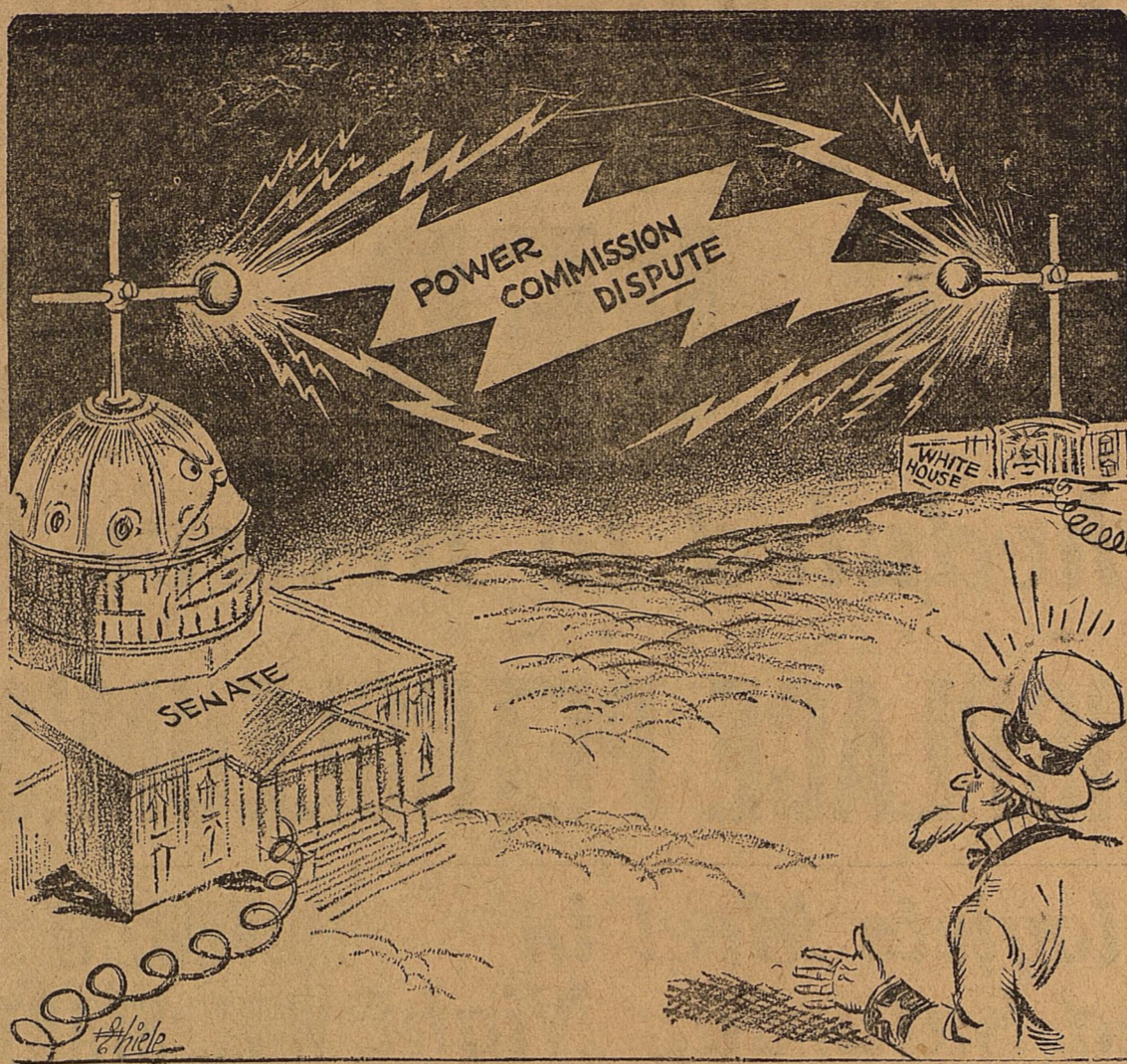
The plan has been tried by Texas cities and they report it worthwhile in that it makes possible the payment

Side Glances by Clark



"Now, where did I lay my glasses?"

High Voltage!



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

United States Should Cease Being a Shrinking Violet and Boast About Its Tourist Attractions, Says Congressman Who Seeks to Create Federal Bureau to Promote Travel

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. — Congressman Leonidas C. Dyer of Missouri thinks it is about time the United States stopped being a shrinking violet among nations and stepped out to attract some tourist trade.

France, Germany, England, Italy, Spain, Japan and other countries spend lots of money to attract foreign tourists, Dyer says, and he has introduced a bill which would create in the Department of Commerce a Travel Division to study, promote, encourage and develop the travel of both foreigners and American citizens in the United States.

"Our people spent four billion dollars for travel last year," Dyer says, "three billion in this country and one in foreign. We don't want to keep people away from foreign travel, but we want Americans to see America and foreigners to do likewise."

There are about 125,000 roadside stands which do a business of a half a billion dollars annually. How much more this will amount to when travel is properly encouraged as a regular business.

"This legislation, if enacted into law, will enable the government to encourage other people and our own to see America. Our trade commissioners over the world will become travel commissioners, encouraging and advising foreign who contemplate a trip to the United States. The travel bureau would try to eliminate useless complaints of often made by touring foreigners and do everything possible to make them have a good time."

We ought, says Dyer, to boast about such matters as Pike's Peak, the unsurpassed grandeur and beauty of our national parks and the "unmatched scenery of our mountains, lakes, glaciers and canyons."

Many Things Worth Seeing "Other things we have worth seeing," the congressman asserts, "the summer capital at Black Hills, S. D., the Devil's Tower in Wyoming, the red woods of California, the Yosemite Valley, the movie studios in Hollywood, the Imperial Valley and the famous ride across the desert into Arizona, the Hopi Indians, an Idaho sandstorm, the Columbia river valley in Oregon, the Raton Pass, Colorado Springs, the Garden of the Gods, the Ozarks, the Blue Ridges in Virginia, the Natural Bridge and the national capital, with its storehouses of knowledge and historical interest."

"From the Pacific to the Atlantic and from the Gulf of Mexico to Canada, ever hour we can interest and benefit those who travel in the United States. Then there is New England. There is no better place to enjoy a real rest and vacation. Tourists there last year left \$250,000,000. It ought to be at least a billion."

Hotels Would Benefit "Tourist money, Dyer points out, doesn't all go into transportation and hotels. Those interests get a lot of it, but garages and access-

of taxes by wage earners and salaried people without such sacrifice at one time. It would also be of benefit to farmers, especially in years of poor crops or of low prices for commodities, enabling them to take tax money from funds produced on the side.

Those who would not care to divide the tax payments could pay as they have been accustomed to, the new system having no effect upon their convenience.

City governments, county governments, school boards, state governments and all depending on tax money would find the plan advantageous in the end, it is believed, providing not only more tax money but doing away with these slack periods which often place them on a deficiency basis.

Double 'T' crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-42.

Answers to crossword puzzle: HORIZONTAL 1 Common-place, 6 Causing death, 11 Craving, 12 Marine plant, 14 To extort, 15 To expand, 16 Mineral filled fissures, 17 Local positions, 18 Female sheep, 19 Growing out, 23 Sooner than, 24 Adam's wife, 25 Eucharist cup, 28 To rob, 30 Tanner's vessel, 32 Dogma, 34 Swarming, 36 Head of a newspaper, 38 Entertainer, 39 She danced for a man's head, 40 Prevents, 42 Marine, 41 Mineral, 42 Gown, 1 Beneath, 2 Apartment, 3 Refined, 4 To get up, 5 To permit, 6 Grazed, 7 Seed of parsley, 8 Ankles, 9 Winged, 10 This equals one kilo of water, 11 Representatives, 12 A. W. O. L's, 20 Tennis' fence, 21 Farewell, 22 Afternoon meal, 26 Badge for bravery, 27 Old-woman's ish, 28 Mouthlike opening, 29 Feebler, 30 Tools for holding, 31 Affirm, 33 English school, 35 Pear-shaped musical instrument, 37 Scarlet, 38 To total.

Sherman Lets Poor Sleep, Eat in Jail

AUSTIN, (P)—Charles McKemy, secretary of Governor Dan Moody's employment committee, thinks Sherman has made a forward stride in handling the unemployed who drift into that town. Sherman has thrown open its jail to these men who are allowed to sleep there at night. They are given a meal the following morning. McKemy explained that no money is given these men, but each is presented with a ticket which is honored by the cafes and which is charged against a standing fund raised by the pastors of the town.

100 WILL GET JOBS

AMARILLO, (P)—Within the next month the Fort Worth and Denver Railway will cut another 100 men off the rolls of the unemployed in Amarillo when the road begins laying 90-pound steel between this city and the Canadian river.

Two crews of more than 50 men each will be employed to lay the heavy steel. J. W. Mode, superintendent of the Amarillo division announced.

Honey bees die within a day or two, and sometimes sooner, after stinging a person. This is because when they sting the "stinger" remains in the body of the person stung and is torn from the bee with such injury that it cannot live.



The Town Quack

I'll be glad when the editor gets back on the job. Some of the boys haven't been satisfied to have me quit after turning in their column. They have asked me to perform jobs that even a reporter would have to do. And, with Shorty laying out on account of the big jaw, they have expected me to be a job printer, not in Shorty's place, but replacing Arkansas, the devil, who took Shorty's alley. If there's anybody on the force who ought to have a dignified job, it's me, but I can't seem to impress it on that bunch when the boss is gone.

Next thing I know, they'll be trying to get me to play on The Reporter-Telegram basketball team. Not that I wouldn't make them a good hand. The only thing I hold back on is playing with strangers. I haven't met the members of our team.

Well, they finally got Malcolm Meek into a job that ought to keep him busy enough that he will have to stay out of meanness. He's had a good deal to do in the past but he always turned his work out fast and snappy, and you know the old story about the idle mind.

And somebody had better watch Leon Goodman. Even a day or two before the election of new officers for the chamber, he was seen loafing around a soda fountain. Next thing you know he will forget he is still mayor and ought to be looking for dead cats and dogs to drag to the dump ground.

I would run for mayor this spring myself, but I don't like for people to call me up at night after a rain and report that the water is washing some mud out in front of their houses. Or to stop me on the street and eat me out because some land lord is getting a good rent for his house and "the city ought to do

Daily Health Talk

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

Children Sometimes Contract Tuberculosis From Adults Years ago a German investigator, basing his opinion on a tremendous number of postmortem examinations, issued a statement that practically every child became infected with tuberculosis before reaching the age of adolescence.

Modern methods of hygiene, the use of preventorium in which malnutrition is controlled, and similar methods of study have unquestionably lowered the incidence of tuberculosis among children in most communities.

The San Francisco Tuberculosis Association, through Drs. L. B. Dick-ey and R. P. Seitz, has just made available the results of an examination of 3500 children in that city in an attempt to find out how prevalent tuberculosis is among boys and girls in that community.

The method used was the tuberculin test, in which small amounts of the sensitive substance is injected into the skin. Of the 3500 children tested, 824 or 23.5 per cent reacted positively.

It is the general belief that infection in childhood is probably acquired in large part by contact with cases of tuberculosis in other members of the family.

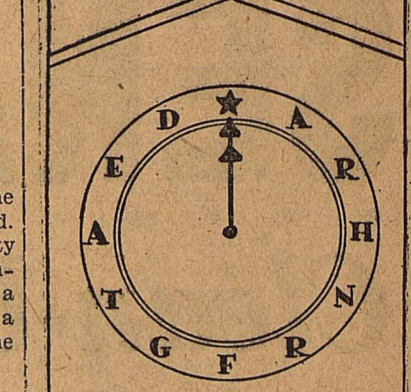
Girls still spend a larger part of their time than boys in the house. They are thus exposed to more intimate contact with members of the family who suffer with tuberculosis.

Doctor Seitz believes that boys have probably just as much of a chance, because they circulate more and are more likely to come in contact with a number of people than are girls.

Similar studies made by other investigators throughout the world show an incidence of tuberculosis in children varying from 31 per cent in Iowa, to 46 per cent in Philadelphia, 50 per cent in Minneapolis, 43 per cent in New York, 75 per cent in Buenos Aires and 94 per cent in Vienna.

gripe about everything. Maybe after thinking it over you will be a better citizen and will throw in your cooperation with these people who are letting themselves be the target just to get something done for Midland.

STICKERS



The above face of a grandfather's clock has letters instead of numbers on it. Start counting at the proper point and count a certain number around the circle, clockwise, and check off the letter. Continue doing this around and around the clock, checking off a letter at the same interval each time, until you have checked off the 11 letters. Then, if you have picked the right starting point and the right interval, you will have spelled out an appropriate word.

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RADIO RECEPTION. If you are unable to derive full enjoyment from your radio on account of popping, scratching, buzzing noises, you should by all means join the RADIO RECEPTION CLUB whose sole purpose is to eliminate this noise. It will take 300 members at \$1.00 each to do this. Approximately \$100 for equipment which will belong to the club and \$200 to pay the trouble shooter who guarantees results or no pay. In case the amount is not raised or the work is not done, you will have your membership fee returned. Remember—that no one gets any pay whatever but the trouble shooter. The sole purpose of the club is to better radio reception in Midland. Join today and obtain more members. Fill in the attached coupon and mail to RADIO RECEPTION CLUB, BOX 371, or else hand \$1.00 to any of the club officers and you will be issued a receipt. K. E. Ambrose, Pres. Frank Smith, V. P. F. D. Ward, Sec'y-Treas. RADIO RECEPTION CLUB I hereby make application for membership in the Radio Reception Club and enclose \$1.00 dues which entitles me to membership until July 1st, 1931, and if I am satisfied with results I will pay \$1.00 a year to keep interference cleaned up. Name Address

GREAT DEBATE SCHEDULED ON RADIO TODAY

An international broadcast "debate," with the speakers addressing their audiences at a week's interval, will be staged over the Columbia network through WABC at 12:30 p. m., E. S. T., the next two Sundays, with five nations participating in the arrangements.

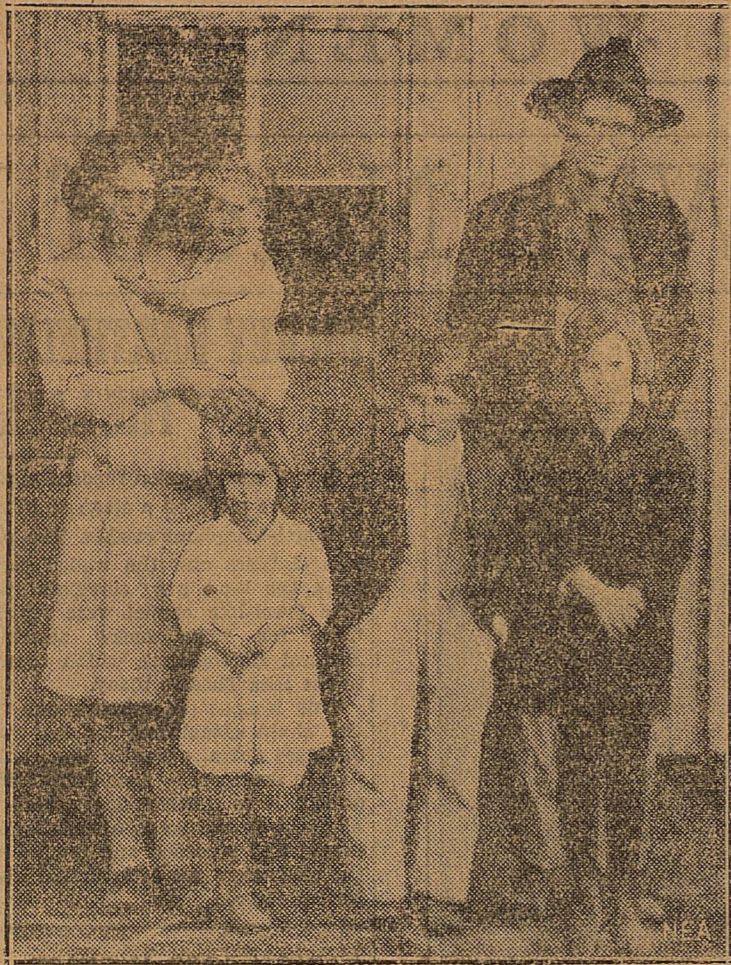
The foreign ministers of Germany and Poland, Dr. Julius Curtius and August Zaleski respectively, will be the debaters. They will speak from Geneva, Switzerland, where the council of the League of Nations will be sitting. Their voices will be carried over the continental telephone system to London, whence they will be relayed to Rugby for transmission on four wave lengths to the United States and then to Canada.

Curtius and Zaleski are protagonists in the conflict on national minorities which forced Germany to give up its first chairmanship of the league council to Great Britain. Dr. Curtius held the post but was unable to retain it because of the impartiality required. He has announced his intention of resigning and will be succeeded by Arthur Henderson, who already has been a speaker over Columbia in the series of international broadcasts.

There is a sharp contrast between the statesmen who are at odds on the troubling minorities question. Curtius is an aristocratic, meticulous, Heidelberg lawyer who succeeded the late Dr. Stresemann, and is pledged to carry on the latter's Locarno policy, but the rising tide of nationalism in Germany, with the threat of Fascism, forces him to take a strong stand. In his broadcast talk he will sum up Germany's general position in international affairs, with particular reference to its demand for general disarmament. A lawyer by profession, he has the precise reasoning of the lawyer with which he combines an incisive speech.

Zaleski, tall, fair, youthful, democratic, simple in dress and manner, has been a revolutionist since his youth, when he joined the Warsaw students' boycott because the

Hunger Victims in Arkansas



This picture shows one of the many families that are suffering from lack of food in the farming neighborhood around England, Ark., where one-third of the nearby population marched on the town recently to demand food. It is the family of W. A. Russell, farmer. The drought last summer ruined Russell's cotton crop, and he has been unable to get work, having earned only \$25 since last summer. The three children are constantly hungry and a new baby is expected. His plight is typical.

Imperial Russian government refused to make the university Polish. Educated in London, he speaks fluent English and is one of the most intimate and trusted colleagues of Marshal Pilsudski, having been associated with him in the movement for Polish independence since the outbreak of the Great war.

He became foreign minister of his country at the age of 43, and moved

the anti-war resolution in the league in 1927, which preceded the Kellogg pact. Zaleski has the reputation of being one of the wittiest men in Poland and is noted for telling jokes to fit any international situation that may arise.

Dr. Curtius will speak at 12:30 p. m., E. S. T., Sunday, January 18; Zaleski at the same hour, Sunday, January 25.

Deakins Manager Of Motor Company

H. L. Deakins has been named manager of the Walsh-Woldert company of West Texas, Dodge brothers, motor cars, trucks, buses and motor coach distributors. He has been office manager here for about six months, and succeeds R. M. Ellis, resigned.

Deakins has been with the company about two years and a half, going to work in Big Spring as bookkeeper and later coming to Midland in the same capacity. He is well recommended by officials of his company and is well-known in Midland. Business in the new car field for 1931 should be good, Deakins said. Those who have money appear to wisely consider spending it while commodities and capital goods are low.

JOURNAL SAYS RESEARCH WILL FIND BUSINESS CURE

WASHINGTON, (UP).—Scientific research will disclose correctives for the present business depression, "Industrial and Engineer Chemistry," the journal of the American Chemical Society, says in surveying world advances in science last year.

Chemistry's organized attack on the problems of industry and public health continued uninterrupted and despite unfavorable business conditions research staffs were in general kept intact, the report said.

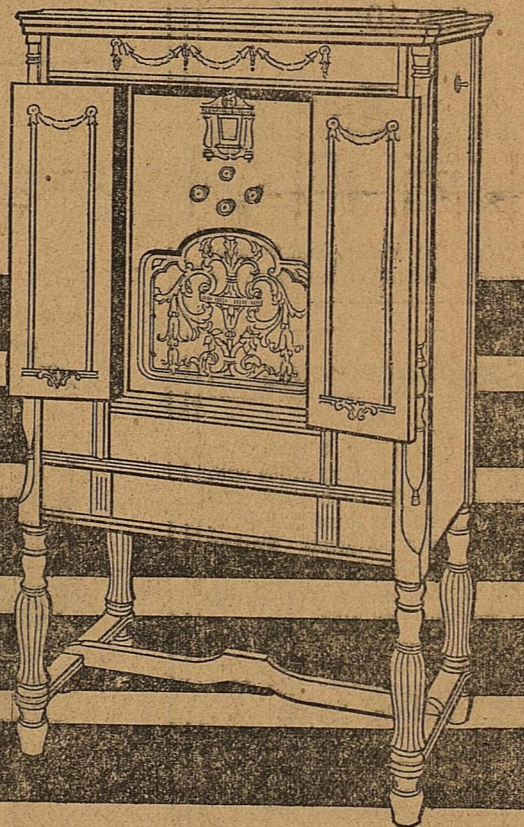
TAKES HOME WITH HIM

COLUMBIA, Mo.—When John Davenport came to the State university here, he brought his home with him—on wheels. John couldn't afford to rent an expensive room at school so he and his father fixed up a small cottage on wheels. The cost of the house was \$250. It is wired for electricity, is heated by a coal stove, and has all the accommodations of home.

DIDN'T BELIEVE PRINTED WORD

LONDON, (UP).—"I don't read what I work at," a woman described as a "Bible-follower," fined for drunkenness, told the magistrate who asked is she knew what the Bible said about drink.

THE HIGHBOY*—9-tube, Screen-Grid Super-Heterodyne. Fitted with local-distant switch and tone control. Brown walnut cabinet with French doors. Price \$203.00

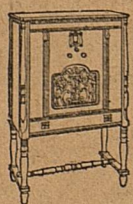


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JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

The success we have had within the past 10 days justifies another week of sale selling.

REMEMBER—You take no chance when you trade at Wilson-Adams Co. Your money back if not satisfied.

Winter merchandise, of all kinds, is cheap.—If you haven't taken advantage of this sale, make a special effort to do so this week. EVERYTHING IN THE HOUSE IS ON SALE.

LADIES' HOSE WAYNE KNIT AND KAYSER HOSE

Here in an opportunity to buy good standard merchandise at prices below the new Low Prices.

\$1.95 Clearance Sale Price	1.39
\$1.50 Clearance Sale Price	1.19
\$1.35 Clearance Sale Price	98c
\$1.00 Clearance Sale Price	79c

VERY SPECIAL PURCHASE OF 60 DOZEN SLIGHTLY IRREGULAR STOCKINGS.

One of our best \$1.50 numbers. We are placing these on this January Clearance Sale—2 Pair for **\$1.50**

CHILDREN'S HOSE

50c Values	39c
35c Values	25c
25c Values	19c
19c Values	15c
15c Values	11c

LADIES' SHOES

Johansen Shoes—Arch Built Shoes—International Shoes for Children.

\$12.00 Python Shoes	\$6.00
\$8.00 Shoes, clearance price	\$5.45
\$5.85 Shoes, clearance price	\$4.59
\$6.00 Shoes, clearance price	\$4.35
\$4.85 and	
\$5.00 Shoes, clearance price	\$3.95
\$3.50 Shoes, clearance price	\$2.79
\$2.85 Shoes, clearance price	\$2.19
\$2.50 and	
\$2.65 Shoes, clearance price	\$1.89
\$1.95 Shoes, clearance price	\$1.39
\$1.65 Shoes, clearance price	\$1.29
\$1.50 Shoes, clearance price	\$1.19

CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS, HALF PRICE

MEN'S OVERCOATS

OF SOFT CAMEL HAIR CLOTH
Every coat priced to move on this sale.

\$32.50 Coats, clearance price	\$19.85
\$27.50 Coats, clearance price	17.85
\$25.00 Coats, clearance price	16.50
\$14.85 Coats, clearance price	9.85

MEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES

House Shoes
J. P. Smith fine Shoes for Men
Kangaroo—Kid—Calfskin

\$10.00 Shoes, clearance price	\$7.35
7.50 Shoes, clearance price	5.50
4.85 & 5.00 Shoes, clearance	3.95
3.85 Shoes, clearance price	2.98
3.50 Shoes, clearance price	2.85
3.00 Shoes, clearance price	2.39
2.50 Shoes, clearance price	1.89
2.25 Shoes, clearance price	1.69

MEN'S BOOTEEES

16 and 17-inch Bootees

\$9.85 Bootees, sale price	\$6.79
\$8.95 Bootees, sale price	6.19
\$7.50 Ladies' Bootees, sale price	5.69
Tennis Shoes, sale price	73c

SWEATERS

Men's, women's and children Sweaters.
Shaker Knit—Baby Shakers—plain and fancy.

\$4.50 and \$4.85 values, clearance price	\$2.95
\$2.85 and \$2.98 values, clearance price	\$1.98
\$2.50 values, clearance price	\$1.49
\$1.98 values, clearance price	\$1.49
\$1.75 values, clearance price	\$1.23
\$1.45 values, clearance price	.89
\$1.25 values, clearance price	.79
\$1.00 values, clearance price	.69

MEN'S DRESS PANTS

\$6.00 values, clearance price,	\$4.39
\$5.85 values, clearance price,	4.19
\$5.00 values, clearance price,	3.95
\$4.50 values, clearance price,	3.39
\$2.98 values, clearance price,	2.29
\$3.50 values, clearance price,	2.75

MEN'S SUITS

Rico Rochester Worsteds
Suits with two pair pants.

\$39.00 Suits	\$26.75
clearance price	
\$35.00 Suits	\$23.75
clearance price	

Odd lot suits with two pair pants.
\$10.00

LADIES' OUTING GOWNS

Good quality outing Gowns, size 17 to 20, \$1.00 values, Special sale price **65c**

CHILDREN'S GOWNS AND PAJAMAS

\$1.50 values	\$1.10
\$1.00 values	.69
.75 values	.55

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Union Suit
65c

BLANKETS

70x80 Nashua 4 1/2 pound part wool double blanket, bright plaids. A splendid value at \$3.85. Clearance sale price **\$2.75**

70x80 Highland 4 pound double plaid part wool, worth \$3.39. Special clearance sale price **\$2.39**

66x80 Alaska 3 1/2 pound double part wool plaid blanket, a \$2.98 value, special sale price **\$2.19**

66x80 3 pound double cotton blanket, grey only, \$1.59 value, special sale price **\$1.10**

66x80 Nashua single 2 1/2 pound part wool Indian pattern, \$1.95 value, special sale price **\$1.29**

3 Pound Snow Bird Bats—stitched—special sale price **79c**

TOM SAWYER SUITS

FOR BOYS
Wool Jersey—Tweeds and Broadcloth

\$3.75 Suits, sale price	\$2.49
\$2.98 and \$3.00 Suits, sale price	\$1.98
\$2.50 Suits, sale price	\$1.49
\$1.98 Suits, sale price	\$1.29

Tom Sawyer Shirts and Blouses
69c

MEN'S LEATHER COATS

Field and Stream

\$24.75 coats, clearance price	\$16.75
\$19.85 coats, clearance price	13.50
\$18.50 coats, clearance price	12.50
\$14.50 coats, clearance price	9.85

OTHER LEATHER COATS

\$9.85 values, clearance price **\$6.95**

Lumberjacks
Corduroy, Coverts, Gaberdeen

\$4.50 values	\$2.85
\$3.75 values	2.49
\$2.50 values	1.79

BOYS' SUITS

Tailored with two pair Knit Grip Knickers

\$17.50 Suits, sale price	\$11.50
\$15.00 Suits, sale price	10.00
\$11.50 Suits, sale price	7.95

Boys' Longies and Knickers

\$2.85 & \$3.00 values, clearance price	\$2.19
\$2.50 values, clearance price	1.79
\$1.98 & \$2.25 values, clearance price	1.45
\$1.50 values, clearance price	1.10

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SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

Week End Social Calendar Marked With Note of Variety

Afternoon and Night Parties Are Favors To Thursday Club by Mrs. Kinkel and Mrs. Yeager; Informal Affairs Holding Sway

Variety among social affairs of the week end has added a note of interest to Midland society.

Entertainment for the Thursday club has been the most outstanding of the week, with Mrs. W. C. Kinkel hostess to the members at her home on Thursday afternoon and Mrs. W. A. Yeager and Mrs. Kinkel hostesses to the club and husbands at the Scharbauer hotel dining room Friday evening.

The afternoon bridge games were arranged at the Kinkel home on North A street.

Mrs. A. L. Ackers won high score trophy for the members while Mrs. M. C. Ulmer held high for the guests. Mrs. Jack H. Meeks cut high.

Guests were Meses. George Abell, J. A. Finlayson, O. C. Harper, R. W. Patterson, W. A. Yeager, Fred Wright, Fred Russell, M. C. Ulmer, Joe Hemphill, and Malcolm M. Meeks.

Night Party

Dinner was served to the club members at seven o'clock and was followed by bridge games.

High score favor for the men went to Mr. Malcolm M. Meek and ladies' gift was won by Mrs. J. A. Finlayson.

Those attending were Messrs. and Meses. George Abell, A. L. Ackers, J. A. Finlayson, O. C. Harper, W. C. Kinkel, M. R. Jackson, Malcolm M. Meek, W. A. Yeager, R. W. Patterson, W. B. Royer, and Mrs. Royer's mother, Mrs. G. G. Vance and sister, Miss Margaret Vance, of Greensburg, Pennsylvania.

Country Club Party

The Country club house was the scene of a bridge party for club members and their guests Thursday evening.

Guests being awarded gifts for high score were Mrs. Harry Tolbert, first; Mr. Elliott Cowden, second; Mrs. Elliott Cowden, third and Mr. Foy Proctor, fourth.

Informal Dance

Guests at the home of Miss Martha Louise Nobles Friday evening were members of the younger social group.

Dancing and informal entertainment included the diversions for the evening.

About twelve couples attended.

Musicians Accompany Minister to Cotton Flat Community

Practically a complete orchestra will accompany the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Peters to the Cotton Flat community this afternoon to attend the weekly service conducted by the Midland minister.

Several special musical numbers will be presented by this group: Miss Eady the Sunquist, pianist; Miss Catherine Dunaway, violinist; Buster Howard, trumpeter; Mr. Buster Howard, trombone player; and Miss Velma Winborne, mandolin player.

Country Women Start Course of Study This Week

The first phase of the county demonstration course of study will be started this week by every women's and girls' club in the county. Poultry will be the general subject and features of the programs will include "The Equipment I am Going to Add," "The Causes and Remedies of Poultry Diseases," and a demonstration on culling.

A Monday demonstration by County Agent Miss Derryberry for women of the Stokes Community will be canning a beef. This will be held at the residence of Mr. Jack Estes.

Garden and Yard Expert Will Be Here February 7

Mr. Fred W. Westcott director of the rural arts department in C. I. A., will be in Midland Saturday, February 7, to be in charge of a demonstration on planning yards. This visit of Mr. Westcott is being made especially for county demonstration clubs, who will immediately start landscaping their yards for the spring season after the demonstration.

During the afternoon he will visit, accompanied by the Midland county agent, individual demonstrators of each club.

Earl Johnson was in Midland last night from his headquarters in Big Lake.

Prentis Brown, Midland oil man, made a business trip to Ft. Stockton Saturday.

Miss Bertie Bow Bistow is spending the week end with relatives in Stanton. She is a teacher in the Midland schools.

Scarfs Play Role in Mode



Scarfs play a subdued though important part in the new mode. With a simple afternoon dress (left), Patou shows a chiffon scarf that has a delicate tracery in several shades of green on a white ground.

Business Women to Form Class at Parsonage Today

Business women of the city are meeting this morning at 9:45 at the Baptist parsonage for the purpose of organizing a Sunday school class.

A program committee to plan pep musical and entertaining programs for each Sunday morning will be chosen. Other plans that will be of interest to every business woman will also be announced.

All women eligible to become members of this class are especially requested to attend the organization meeting.

Life of Michael Angelo Is Reviewed By Arno Art Chapter

Opening the new year of semi-monthly meetings, the Arno Art chapter met with Mrs. R. M. Barron Friday afternoon for a study of the life of Michael Angelo and a group of his paintings.

Among the paintings of the artist described were "Doni Madonna," by Mrs. A. M. Gantt; "Sistine Chapel," Mrs. Harvey Sloan; "The Creation of Man," and "Delphi Sibyl," Miss Albert Gantt; "Prophet Ezekiel," Mrs. John Shippey and the "Last Judgment," Miss Eula Gee Gantt.

National Recreation Directors Visit In Midland

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Jackson and Mrs. Marion Dexter of Washington, D. C., directors of recreation in the national extension service office, spent several hours in Midland Friday afternoon visiting county officials and inspecting the new court house.

The party came from Abilene with Miss Genavieve Derryberry who spent four days in that city attending a series of classes in rural recreation for county agents in this section. The Washington delegates directed this school.

The attendance at the school, which was held in the Simmons university auditorium, averaged 75 each evening with delegates from Eastland, Callahan, Coleman, Runnels, Tom Green, Midland, Nolan, and Mitchell counties.

The institute program consisted of instruction in community singing and music appreciation, direction of various types of group games, and folk dances, and lectures on the following subjects: "Philosophy of Recreation and Application to Rural Recreational programs," "Psychology of Age Groups as Related to Their Recreation," "Recreation for Adult Groups," "Home Recreation of Farm Family - Within the Home, Within the Yard," and "How to Lead Recreational Programs."

Mr. and Mrs. Roy I. Biggs returning to Pecos yesterday afternoon after spending a few days in Midland on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Aid of Ft. Worth are in Midland for a few days visiting. Mr. Aid is connected with the Gulf Production company.

CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH "In the heart of Midland for the hearts of Midland" Howard Peters, pastor

9:45 a. m. The Church school meets in departments. This school is steadily increasing in interest and enthusiasm. You will find a class just to suit you. Come.

11:00 a. m. Communion and sermon. The minister will preach this morning on the subject "Building a Christian Character." The public is cordially invited to hear this, simple, vital, burning message. It is a message that all should hear because it touches upon the things that concern us in our daily tasks.

2:30 p. m. Services at the Cotton Flat School House.

6:30 p. m. All Endeavor Societies meet in the Church.

7:30 p. m. Fifteen minutes with your favorite hymns, followed by a sermon by the minister on Evangelism.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH "The Home-like Church" Thomas D. Murphy, pastor

The schedule of services follows: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor at 4 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Choir practice Thursday 7:30 p. m.

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.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS O. W. Roberts, pastor

Preaching services at the tabernacle in the morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES Schedule of services: Sunday school—9:45. Morning worship—11 o'clock. The meetings will be 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. Public worship at 11:00 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH Mass will be held at the church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Instructions for the children immediately after mass.

Week day mass will be on Thursday morning at 7:30.

Walter D. Cline, who was the principal guest at the chamber of commerce banquet Thursday evening, left late Friday for his home in Wichita Falls. He was accompanied by Felcher Armstrong.

Mrs. W. J. Preslar, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gann and family attended the funeral of a relative in Clyde Friday, returning to Midland that evening.

Mrs. Vickers Has Party for 40 Students

Honoring students of her studio, Mrs. Paul T. Vickers was hostess to more than 40 young people at the Ritz theatre Friday afternoon. The picture was Marilyn Miller in "Sunny."

Following the movie, guests were given candy walking canes as favors.

Announcements

Monday

Presbyterian circles: Circle A at the home of Mrs. Hayden Miles with Mrs. W. P. Knight co-hostess, and Mrs. A. Harry Anderson, leader; Circle B at the Andrew Fasken home with Mrs. Charles McClinic co-hostess and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, leader; meetings at 3:30.

Methodist Women's auxiliary will meet at the parsonage with Mrs. Edwin C. Calhoun hostess at 3 o'clock.

Reinhart circle at the home of Mrs. G. W. Brenneman at 3:30.

Baptist circles meet for Royal Service programs: Lockett at the church; Reagan at the home of Mrs. John Nobles, and Walker at the home of Mrs. Alvin Hicks; meetings at 3:30.

Tuesday

Mrs. W. P. Knight will be hostess to the Mayfair club at her home at 3 o'clock.

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

Ladies' Aid society at the home of Mrs. J. S. Cordill at 1 o'clock.

Wednesday

Play Readers' club will meet with Mrs. Fred E. Brown, 809 West Louisiana, with Mrs. R. M. Lavendar as reader at 3:30.

Wednesday club will hold a program and business meeting at the home of Mrs. O. B. Holt at 3 o'clock.

Mothers' Self Culture club with Mrs. Roy Parks as hostess at 3:30.

Thursday

Mrs. T. S. Patterson will be hostess to the 1912 club at her home at 2:30.

Mrs. W. B. Royer will entertain for the Thursday club at her home.

Members of the 1928 club will be guests of Mrs. Leon Goodman at 3 o'clock.

Bien Amigos club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. E. D. Ruse at 3 o'clock.

Friday

Joi De Vie club members will be guests of Mrs. W. B. Royer at 3 o'clock.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. James S. Noland, 1407 West Illinois. The study will be taken from Phillippians.

DICKEY BARTHELMESS IN GLORIES OF "THE LASH" AT THE RITZ TODAY

San Gabriel Mission reposed in all its sombre glory on a stage at First National-Vitaphone studies. The silent cloisters and the walled gardens, the long, gray corridors and tiny jewel-like chapel were reproduced for "The Lash" starring Richard Barthelmess, which comes to the Ritz Theatre today.

This famous old mission, one of the chain established by the Fra Junipero Serra, plays an important part in the novel by Lanier and Virginia Stivers Bartlett. The romance of early California is authentically filmed and recorded and many of the characters are after actual historical figures.

Some of Barthelmess' finest scenes are done on the San Gabriel Mission set which covered an entire stage of three acres. Barthelmess' characterization is based upon Joaquin Murietta, notorious Spanish bandit who flourished in California about 1850.

Frank Lloyd directed "The Lash" from the adaptation by Bradley King. Mary Astor plays Rosita, the feminine lead opposite the star with Marian Nixon as the sister Dolores. Important roles are being handled by Fred Kohler, James Rennie, Mathilde Comount, Robert Edson, Arthur Stone, Arville Alderson and others.

Bible Class Women Study Ephesians

Continuing with the Bible course from the Moody Institute, members of the Belmont Bible class took up the study of Ephesians at their weekly meeting Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. T. D. Sneed.

Mrs. W. B. Royer, and daughter, Mary Ann, her mother Mrs. G. G. Vance and her sister, Miss Margaret Vance, who arrived in Midland Thursday from their home in Greensburg, Penn., are spending the week end at the Carlisbad caves.

Billy Holt, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Holt, was said to be improved yesterday after a few days illness.

Misses Gantts' School of Kindergarten

Teachers of Art, Folk Dancing, Self Expression, Nature Study, Story Telling, Clay Modeling, Hand Craft and Wood Craft. Kindergarten work lays the best possible foundation for public school entrance.

Children from 3 to 6 Years of Age Admitted. 1510 West Texas Ave. Phone 564 (The Misses Gantt received their training at Southern Methodist University)

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Fisher of Lamesa were in Midland transacting business Saturday afternoon.

Miss Fern Greene of Garden City and Mrs. A. F. Marshall of Stanton were here shopping yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Williamson returned to their home in Sweetwater yesterday after a visit in Midland.

Dr. J. F. Haley left last night for San Antonio where he will visit relatives for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cochran are expected to return today from Ft. Worth where they have been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. Crowley, who is seriously ill.

George H. Pratt of Seminole, Oklahoma, was in Midland Friday transacting business. He formerly owned the Pratt Jewelry company in Midland.

George D. McCormick and Claude O. Crane left last night for a business trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Rankin and his mother, Mrs. R. E. Rankin, of Abilene were in Midland Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. L. T. Rankin. They also visited in the home of Mrs. R. E. Rankin's brother, Clarence Scharbauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Covington are spending today visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Alfred Tom, at the Tom ranch north of Midland.

K. C. Jones of Ranger is a business visitor in Midland over the week end.

R. H. Woods, former Midland oil man, returned to his home in San Angelo Saturday after spending a few days here on business. He was accompanied by J. H. Bonham of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox and a party are spending today going through the Carlsbad caverns.

Saves Through Subscription

"I more than paid for a the Friday issue of your paper's subscription by reading per," a Midland oil man said to a Reporter-Telegram representative in a grocery store Saturday afternoon.

He explained by showing where he had saved something like \$6 on a week's supply of groceries and meat by reading advertisements in that issue of the paper. "Housewives are not the only ones who read the advertisements," he added, "in times like these you can afford to watch for a bargain on anything."

Lee Jones returned to his home in Colorado yesterday afternoon after spending the week in Midland on business.

Merle F. Gunby, Vacuum oil company representative of Roswell, returned to his home yesterday after a business trip to Midland.

Mrs. Herbert Bigelow and Mrs. Leon Bigelow of St. Paul, Minn., were visitors at the Scharbauer hotel Friday evening. They were en route to the western coast.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McClelland of Lovington are guests in Midland over the week end.

J. D. Chambers spent Saturday transacting business in Monohans and Pyote.

Mrs. Dera Kinsolver is spending the week end visiting friends in Odessa. She is has recently moved to Midland to work in the store room at the Texas Electric Service company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith have as their house guest this week his mother.

Mrs. J. R. Blocker and Mrs. W. R. Williams of Courtney were shoppers in Midland Saturday afternoon.

Miss Katherine Hardy of Belton spent Friday and Saturday visiting in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lucas of Andrews were here Saturday shopping.

Miss Pyrie Bradshaw of Big Spring, is spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradshaw.

T. Paul Barron was out for a few hours Saturday afternoon after being confined to his home three days because of illness.

L. B. Barclay, highway patrolman, whose home is in Big Spring, was in Midland transacting business at the court house Saturday.

T. J. Richards came to Midland Friday from Presidio and is spending several days here visiting.



When children come home with: "Tom is a mean boy!" "The teacher scolded me for nothing!" "Mary Smith is always quarreling with me!" what do you say?

Do you exclaim, "What a shame that people should treat you so dreadfully!" or do you by any chance put it this way, "Are you sure that it is not partly your own fault?"

Because there must be two sides before there can be a battle, and trouble of every sort requires two interested parties before it can be so named.

I am not saying that there are no mean Toms, or occasionally an unjust teacher, or that Mary Smith is not the most trying girl in town, but merely suggesting that we, as mothers, are too quick in backing up our children in their battles. As a matter of fact, even if our children are right and they are getting the worst of it, except in very unusual cases where a continued persecution is leaving mental scars, we should allow the youngsters to do without too much sympathy and applause.

It may appear heartless, but it all comes back to that deadly and dangerous thing called emotion. Children have to learn to take the rough with the smooth and not have their resentments, jealousies, or angers fertilized by the sympathizing tears of others, even of their mothers.

It is a softening process, a sapping, weakening process if repeated frequently enough over a long period of time, this sympathizing business.

A Problem of Conduct
It is difficult to analyze or say precisely just how much good, or how much that isn't so good, lies in the comforting rays of a mother's condonement. That it is the nearest thing to God on earth no one would dare to dispute, and yet when a mother allows that sympathy to cloud her better judgment and stand in the way of a child's normal development it may bear questioning.

What should we do when our children are having trouble? Be ready behind the lines with our pats and kisses, a first-aid station to injured feelings, or don helmet and gun and go out into the trenches for them ourselves?

In both cases I should say "yes" —sometimes, but only sometimes, more than that, very seldom. If the Toms and the Marys keep on, and life becomes a real trouble, I should if possible try to remove them both. Not by murder but by strategy, and with as little fuss and talking as possible. I believe in removing a child from any continued unhappiness, if it takes a change of residence to do so, away from persecuting enemies.

A quiet investigation into facts may reveal many things, and if we find that Tom is really mean, and Mary really nasty, the thing to do is to discourage any more intimacy, to find new friends for the injured child and close the old book all together.

An unjust teacher is a rare person. A visit and an honest talk may clear the air here. But it must be made without prejudice, or hostility. Never go to headquarters with defiance but with an open mind prepared to learn and accept the truth. Instead of sympathy you may find that the teacher has a little forgiving to do herself.

HONEST

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — The McCoy brothers are hailing one man as the original honest man. They recount the story of how, 35 years ago, a man entered their meat market and ordered \$4.45 worth of meat on credit. He failed to pay the bill. Just the other day the same man walked in and asked for a bill. Old ledgers were dug out and a bill was given him. He paid it with interest.

French manufacturers are finding that there is a big demand for "baby" motor cars, and a number have been turned out lately.

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The following prices are effective Monday, January 19, 1931

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De Luxe Phaeton	580	625	45
Phaeton	435	440	5
Roadster	430	435	5
Sport Coupe	500	525	25
Coupe	490	495	5
De Luxe Coupe	525	545	20
Tudor Sedan	490	495	5
Fordor Sedan	590	600	10
Town Sedan	630	660	30
Cabriolet	595	625	30
Victoria	580	625	45
De Luxe Sedan	630	640	10
Station Wagon	625	640	15
Model A Chassis	340	345	5
Model AA Truck Chassis, 131½-inch wheelbase	495	510	15
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ELECTRIC COMPANY MAY GIVE INDUSTRIAL LEADERS GOOD RACE

Two Games Played Friday Night, One Being Lost to Odessa Ice Club

CLINIC HEADS FOR WEST SATURDAY FOR A GAME

Texas Electric Service gave the works to Hughes Tool Friday night, emerging with a 34-23 score. This was a surprise, the difference in strength of the clubs. Hughes held the league leading newspapermen to a one-point victory a few days ago and the group was thought a rising and "tough" outfit.

It must be remembered, however, that the electricians beat the touted Clinic club a night or so later, so that both teams are powerful.

The Reporter-Telegram went to Odessa Friday night for a game with the Odessa Southern Ice and was drubbed in a practice game, 36-34.

Long shots of the Odessa boys and failure of the scarlet club of Midland to follow up basket shots lost the game for the invaders.

These two games were the only ones played by Commercial league teams Friday. Clinic was supposed to go to Odessa for a game Saturday night. The club had not been announced.

The Electric-Hughes game was 12-9 in favor of the electricians at the half. In the early part of the third quarter Hughes Tool came from behind to take the lead, 17-15. The electric company tied the score, got ahead and was never corralled from there out.

The game was clean and hard fought. A. Nicholson shot 14 points for the winners and Bridgewater 13. Golliday for the losers shot seven points.

Ted Hubbard of Odessa shot 16 points to lead the individual scoring in the Midland-Odessa game. Warren of Reporter-Telegram accounted for 10.

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	Pct.
Clinic	1	0	100
Reporter-Telegram	1	0	100
Texas Electric	1	0	100
California	0	1	0
Southern Ice	0	1	0
Hughes Tool	0	1	0

HIGH SCOREERS 2nd HALF

	Pts.
Clayton, Clinic	18
R. Whitmire, Reporter-Tel.	18
Pierce, Southern Ice	17
A. Nicholson, Texas Electric	14
Bridgewater, Texas Electric	13
L. Whitmire, Reporter-Tel.	13
Jones, Southern Ice	10
Caraway, California	8
Golliday, Hughes Tool	7
Ellis, Hughes Tool	7

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Odessa—				
Dell Hubbard, f	2	1	5	
Ted Hubbard, f	6	4	16	
Foy McCown, c	3	4	6	
Hary Maurece, g	1	2	2	
Halbart, g	1	1	2	
E. Davidson, g	3	1	6	
Totals	16	5	8	36

	GF	FT	PF	TP
Midland—				
L. Whitmire, f	3	1	2	7
Weaver, f	3	1	7	7
R. Whitmire, c	3	—	6	6
Warren, g	4	2	10	10
French, f	2	—	4	4
Mills, g	—	—	—	—
Totals	15	4	8	34

HERE'S HOW OUR JOKE GET INTO CIRCULATION

NEW YORK (UP)—Ever wonder how a joke is born?

Charlie Ruggles, screen star, outlines the nativity and life of a gag.

First, something happens that has a semi-humorous slant.

Second, someone hears of the occurrence and retells it with an exaggerated angle, accenting the funny part.

Third, like a chain letter, it spreads until a professional lookout man spots it and sends it to a humorous magazine.

All of the above may have occurred about 1890.

From 1890 the story is retold periodically once every few years and after the generation in which it was hatched has passed on, it is revived in modern dress.

MEXICANS OUSTED

PAMPA, Texas. (P)—Following a protest of Pampa citizens against the employment of Mexicans on the construction of an eight-mile rail line between Heaton and Lefors, the contracting firm agreed to replace the Mexicans with unemployed citizens of Pampa and vicinity.

THREE CLUBS ARE MAKING BIG BID FOR HONORS

The week rolled to a close with three clubs of the Industrial league standing 1000 per cent in the new half, having played and won one game each.

These clubs are Clinic, Reporter-Telegram and Texas Electric Service club.

Each club showed surprising strength in downing opponents.

Clinic was master of an improved offensive in downing California the other night; Reporter-Telegram scored well up in the "roaring forties" to beat Southern Ice, and Texas Electric Service put a margin of 11 points over the necks of the boys from the Hughes Tool company Friday night. The electricians are the most improved club in the outfit, and beat a club that lacked only one point of beating the newspaper club in one of the last regular games of the season.

It looks like the new half will have to consider Texas Electric as one of the vital threats. The club has added goal shooting nicety to a fast rushing game that looks good from the sides of the court and the club is rapidly gaining adherents.

Next Thursday night finds the tangle offering some release from its puzzling intricacy. California plays Reporter-Telegram and the Texas Electric takes on Southern Ice. Hughes and the Clinic play the following night.

The dope in the three games points to tight games between the newspaper and California and between the icemen and electricians. Clinic should be able to handle Hughes by a good count.

The scorers are getting off fast with the new half; Clayton, as usual, is in the fore, and R. T. Whitmire is up with him, each having collected 18 points. A. Nicholson has 14 to his credit and Bridgewater 13.

THICK AS BROWN PAPER

DOUGLAS (Isle of Man). (UP)—Physicians said the skull of Jack Lewthwaite, 17, who died of injuries sustained in a rugby game, was no thicker on one side than a stout piece of brown paper.

TOOK 260,000-MILE STROLL

MEMPHIS. (UP)—Memphis mail carriers during 1930 walked 260,000 miles in delivering 60,000,000 pieces of first-class mail, Postmaster E. V. Sheely announced.

STRENGTH OF BANKING SYSTEM SEEN AS BIG AID TO RECOVERY

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

The impressive strength of the general banking structure in America constitutes one of the most favorable factors in the outlook for business recovery in 1931.

The great body of the nation's 25,000 banks, with nearly \$60,000,000,000 of resources, are in a strong condition, notwithstanding some isolated weak spots. These banks are prepared to go to the limit of business judgment and credit resources in assisting business back on its feet.

Many banks of the country have emerged from the depression in the

AS GATE CRASHER WILL BE GOOD GUM CHEWER

The hardships of obscurity are not unknown to Will Rogers. Will and Mrs. Will decided to go to the movies one evening recently.

The comedian had just started work on "A Connecticut Yankee" at the Fox studio and Mrs. Rogers suggested that they see "Lightnin'" his last picture. Will argued.

They drove to a Beverly Hills theater and parked the car. Rogers suddenly turned to his wife and asked if she had any money.

"Just a dollar," she replied.

"Haven't you any?"

"Not a cent," answered Will. "We must try to crash the gate, but these folks here don't know me. Let's go home."

Which they did.

AGED MAN SETS RECORD

MEMPHIS. (UP)—T. K. Riddick, 80, sportsman and member of the

Wapanoca Outing club, bagged 15 ducks with that many shots. He said it was "just shooting."

A device invented by a University of Nebraska scientist to record the time required for mental reactions differentiates between six different types of persons.

SEVEN-TON GIFT

WEST CHESTER, Pa.—William H. Lamborn was good to his employees, and they decided to buy him a gift. Lamborn was going to construct a driveway to his garage, and the employees thought they would have this driveway laid, without him knowing it, as a present.

It took seven tons of stone and cement to complete the job.

LOS ANGELES.—Poor, misguided men. The women sure do rule you.

At least, one can take as much from the testimony given by Samuel C. Hawkins, wealthy oil man, in a divorce suit brought by his

Just One More STOP AND SHOP!

WEEK

SIX DAYS... Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

To Share in the Economy of Our Low Prices EVERYBODY'S PRICE EQUALIZATION SALE

MIDLAND'S GREATEST RETAIL SELLING EVENTS GROWS MORE POPULAR EACH DAY!

A "Sale" within a Sale! Women's and Misses' Dresses

Frocks for sport, street, business, afternoon and evening wear, that reproduce flattering style—every Fifth Avenue mode—the latest embellishments, the new colors make these dresses so impressively smart, graceful, feminine, youthful and chic as to be almost irresistible. The quality of materials, the expert workmanship, will prove amazing. Never before this Price Equalization Sale have you dared dream of such values!

Very special group \$12.50 to \$25 Value
DRESSES
Sale Price . . . **\$4.44**

Women's and Misses' up-to-the-minute \$18.75
DRESSES
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Latest Arrivals—\$39.50 Women's and Misses'
DRESSES
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Entire stock Women's and Misses' Winter **COATS**
1-2 PRICE!

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DRESSES
Sale Price . . . **\$14.95**

Here are "Knock-out Values"—Men!

Your final chance to wear Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes at a price way below regular! Overcoats, and four piece suits consisting of two pairs trousers, vest and coat. The styles develop the newest features in men's wear, such as peaked or notched lapels, new blues, grays and browns, in worsteds, unfinished worsteds, twists, chevots, tweeds, all sizes.

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2-PANTS SUITS and OVERCOATS
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Sale Price . . . **\$43.75**

Very special Group Men's all wool \$30
2-PANTS SUITS
Sale Price . . . **\$9.88**

Hart Schaffner & Marx \$40 and \$45
2-PANTS SUITS and OVERCOATS
Sale Price . . . **\$26.95**

Hart Schaffner & Marx \$30 and \$35
2-PANTS SUITS and OVERCOATS
Sale Price . . . **\$18.75**

DRASTIC REDUCTIONS

Furniture is now being sold at the cheapest prices known in four years of business in Midland and these prices will never be duplicated again. Bargains too numerous to mention and in order to realize the ridiculous prices being quoted, come in and see for yourself and you will easily be convinced of the sincerity of this statement.

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY:

- 4 pc. Bedroom Suits, regular price \$97.50, for **\$59.50**
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- Walnut Rocker, upholstered cushion,, \$9.75 value for **\$5.95**
- Simmons Daybed, with Pad, regular \$32.50, for **\$19.50**
- All Porcelain Gas Range with control, regular \$85.00, for **\$59.50**
- Worsted Wool Wilton Rug, 9x12 size, regular \$125.00, for **\$74.50**
- 5 pc. Simmons Game Set, all steel, regular \$32.50, for **\$19.50**

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CLASSIFIEDS will be accepted until 12 at noon on week days and 6 p. m. Saturday for Sunday issues.

PROPER classification of advertisements will be done in the office of The Reporter-Telegram.

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FOUR room apartment. 310 West Tennessee. Phone 23. 269-3p

6. Houses

THREE room unfurnished house. 222 South Big Spring. Inquire 202 South Big Spring. Phone 345. 269-3p

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10. Bed Rooms

Front bedroom, connecting bath, private entrance. 404 West Ohio. Phone 297-W. 268-3p

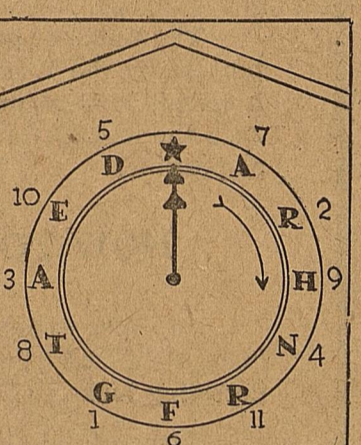
Bedroom for rent. Modern conveniences. Mrs. H. Klapproth. 402 South Marienfield. 269-1p

BEDROOM—Furnished nicely. 214 North Weatherford. 269-3p

14. Miscellaneous

WANTED: Good used Ford Coupe or Roadster. Must be bargain. Box 1734, Midland. 269-1p

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By starting at the star and counting seven letters to the right, you will come to G. Continue around the clock, checking off each seventh letter and you will spell out the word GRANDFATHER.

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He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal ailments.

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 - Mrs. Frank Thate, Cross Plains.
 - Charley Witt, McGregor.
 - B. A. Young, Abilene.
- Remember above date, that consultation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different. Married women must be accompanied by their husbands.
- Address: 4221 West Third Street, Los Angeles, California. —Adv.

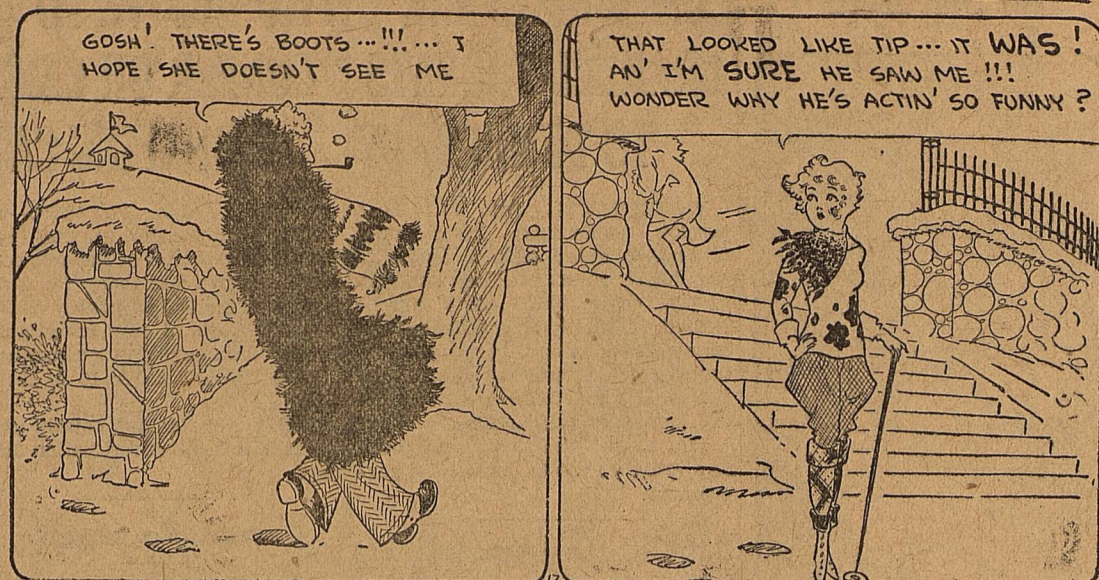
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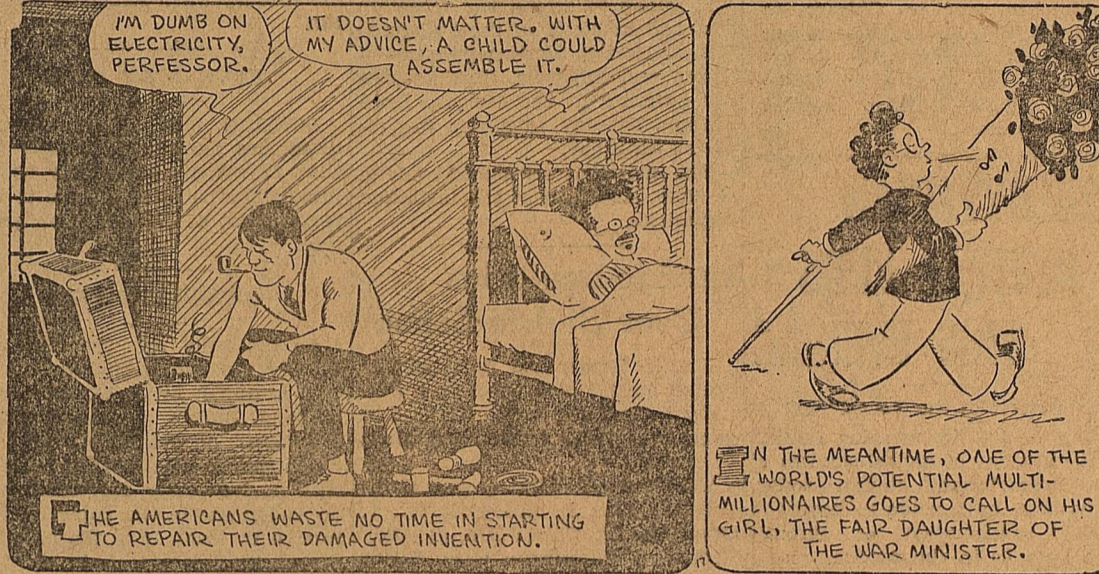
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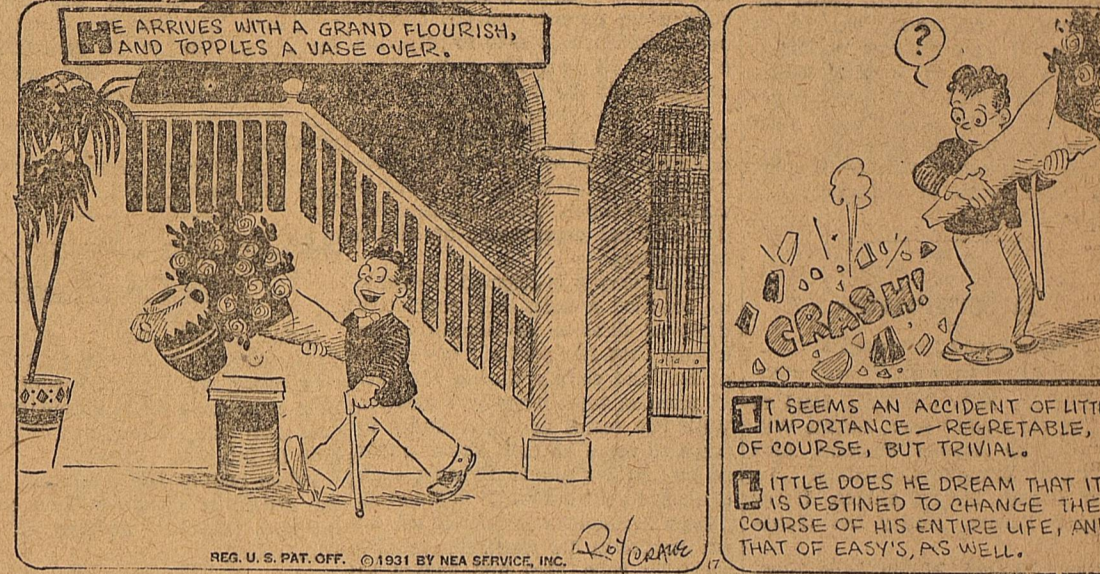
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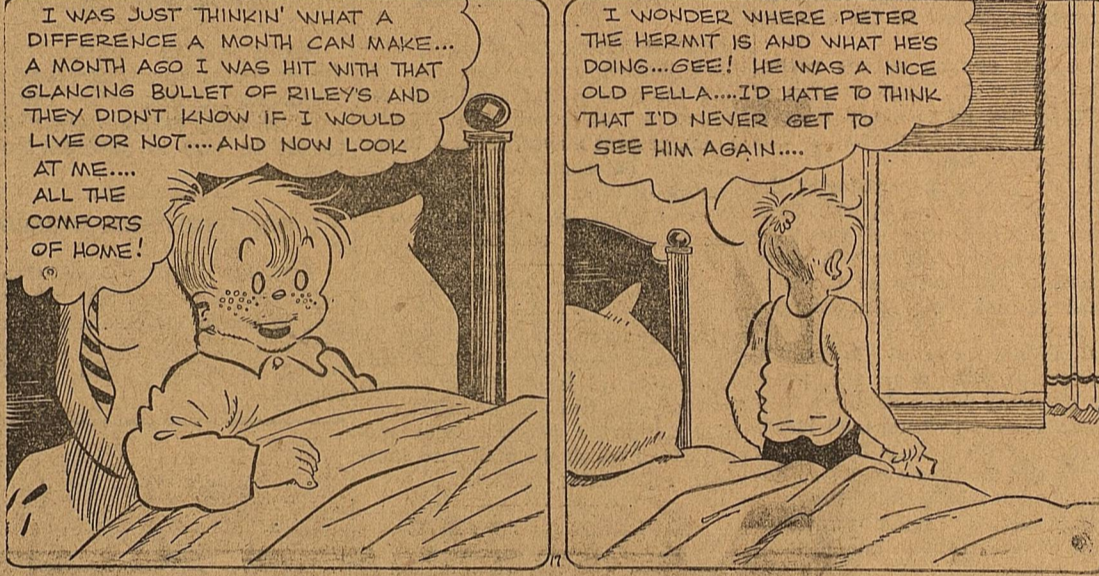
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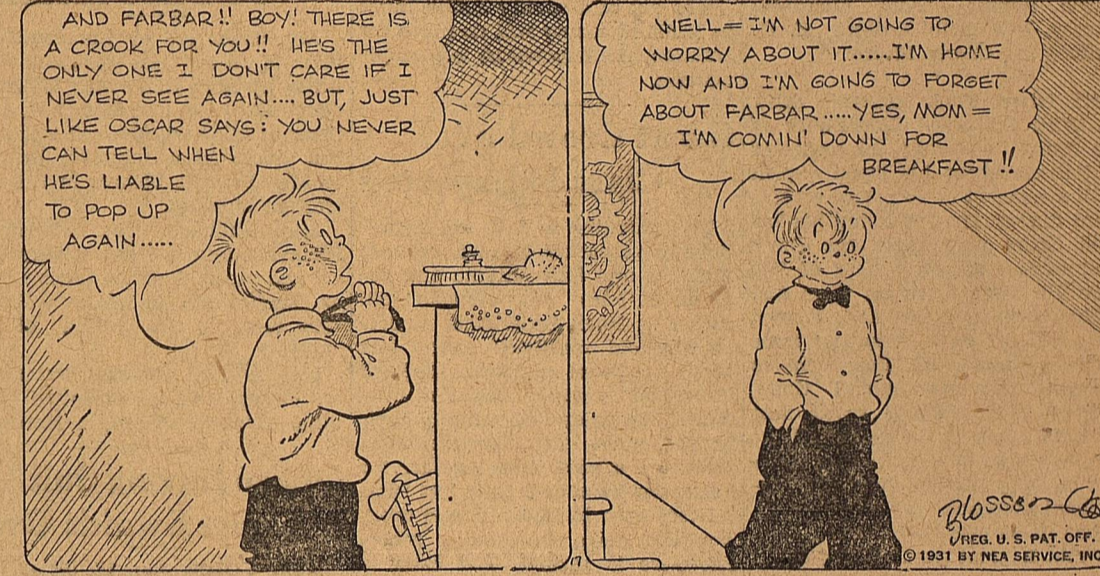
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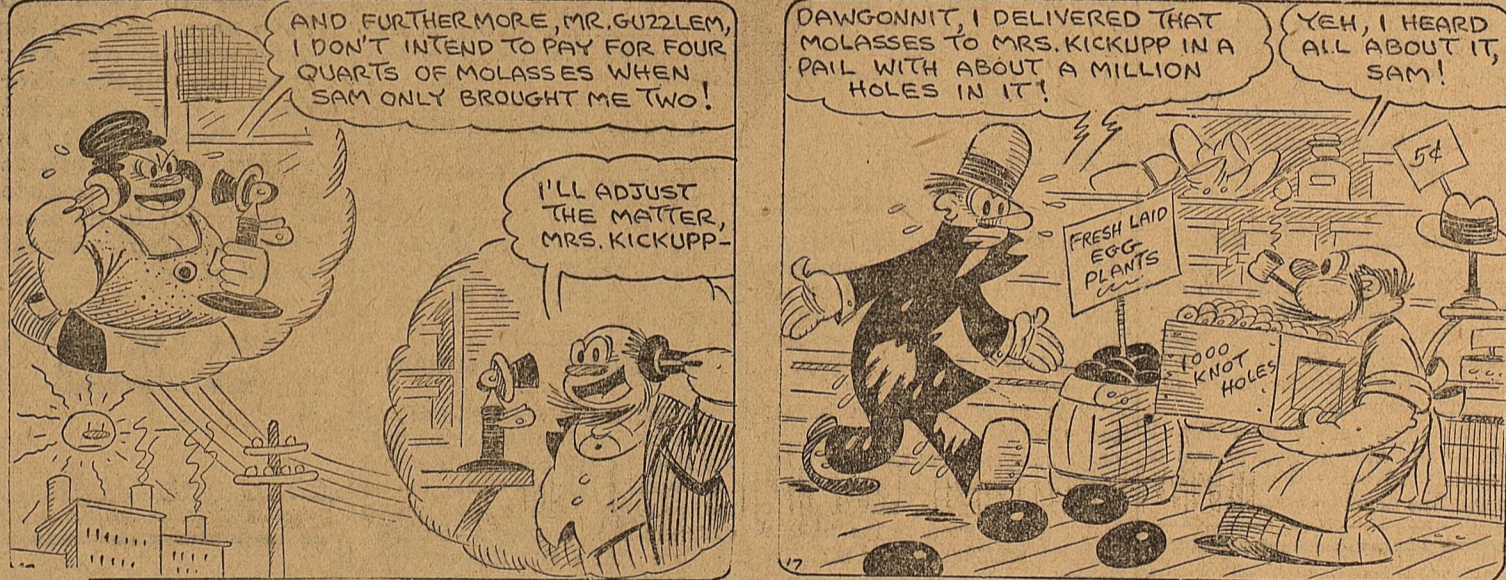
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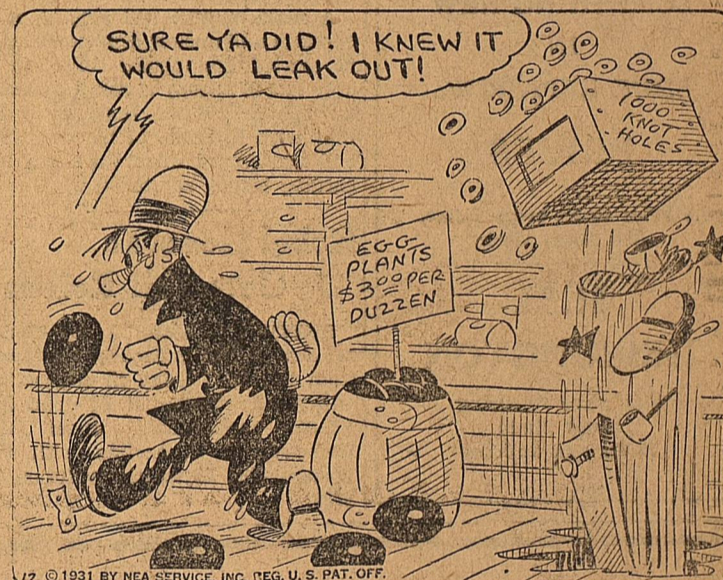
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SALESMAN SAM



As Expected



OUT OUR WAY



By Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By Ahern

ELEMENTS STILL CLAIM LIVES IN INTERIOR MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 17. (AP).—Belated reports from Southern Mexico where cities and villages have been laid to waste by Wednesday's earthquake today fixed the death total at 71 with a probability that the figure would increase.

Thirty were killed at the village of Guelapova and it is feared that others are dead at Huixtpeque, Oaxaca lay in ruins with half the buildings wrecked with soldiers, police and volunteers searching for bodies of additional victims. Three were dead in Mexico City.

The elements continued taking a toll of life in Mexico. Three more were frozen to death, making the present cold wave death reach six.

Almost a continual earthquake with weird subterranean rumblings renewed alarm in Oaxaca valley. Unverified reports said that 51 persons were killed in Zimatlan, near Oaxaca, by an earthquake.

The semi-active volcano Colima, 200 miles south of Ceboruca, was reported active.

Interviews--

(Continued from page 11)

Dublin Jr., Billy Joe Hall, Darleen Vance, Gertrude Vance, Bobbie Williams, Peter Asburn Williams, Alex Seymour, Jimmie Cummings, Joe Ann Dozier, Henry Abbott, Harry Palmer Turner, Nancy Lee Goodman.

John Sindorf, Mollie Jane Newman, Carl Rudy Swanson, Joe Barker, James Van Huss, Minnie Lee Walton, Francis Wakefield, Ruby Patton, Minnie Abbott, Charlotte Kinsey, Nell Ruth Bedford, H. G. Bedford Jr., Gloria Moore.

My friend T. J. Richards drifts in. With the usual insouciance of the flying fraternity, he neglected to tell me about his latest exploit until a moment or so before we finished dinner. He was flying his Island Sport plane over the Davis mountains and saw a herd of five deer. He dived down on them and chased them up a hill, then zoomed high, fell off on a wing and came down on them again. They went up and down the hill several times, leaping with graceful speed that provided sport to the flyer. "That's the only way of entertaining yourself on long flights—some such occasional diversion," he explained. T. J. has flown over most of Old Mexico and a great part of this country.

SOMETHING NEW IN SHOE REPAIRING PRICES

A Price to fit every Purse. Ask about them.

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Fine shoe repairing Hand Made Boots and Saddles

Health Nurse to Start Campaign

Formative plans for the campaign to be conducted by County Health Nurse Miss Martha Bredemeier are tentative, awaiting the passage of a few days which will allow her to learn what work has been done and will be done by clubs, the school system and other organizations.

She said Saturday she is getting acquainted with the board of supervision that is to work with her. She is especially careful not to allow her work to overlap that intended by other organizations.

There is a likelihood, however, that this week will see the beginning of work with children of the county. The general plan for such work, she explained, is to subject children to inspection. Such defects as bad teeth, tonsils, vision, etc., are detected and charted. Weights are taken and observations made. In many instances the aid of a physician results when parents see the charts; again, the nurse is able to prescribe a change in diet for underweight conditions or slight bodily disorders.

All work is conducted through the supervisory committee and under the supervision of the state department of health which, in turn, is dependent upon work outlined by the national department of health for nursing.

At present it is deemed advisable to conduct a brief but conclusive study of diseases of communicable nature that have been experienced in Midland county during the last 12 months, together with reactions. With the result of this study in hand to serve as data there would be an obvious aid to fighting such diseases in the future, it is believed.

Miss Bredemeier is, first of all, an enthusiast in her work. She studies carefully each step and moves to execute her duties only after she is convinced of the desirability of her methods.

The aid of a county health nurse in Midland county will do much for children, the supervisory committee believes.

Great Crowd at Class Is Expected

This morning at 9:45 the biggest Sunday gathering of men between Amarillo and San Antonio and between El Paso and Abilene will gather in Hotel Scharbauer at 9:45 to sing old fashioned songs, talk about important religious, social and individual questions, learn a little something, enjoy fellowship of their friends, make new acquaintances and have a good time together for about one hour or a little less time.

Every man in Midland, and every boy not going to Sunday school elsewhere is invited. The class is open to all denominations and men of no denomination or any religious faith, just so they are not already in some other Sunday school.

A male quartet will sing. A new question and answer department will be started. No regular collection is ever taken, nobody is asked to make an offering, other than what he may wish to make of his own free will and accord when the name recording blanks are taken up.

Rebel General Gets Jail Release

MONTREAL, Jan. 17. (AP).—General Jose Gonzalez Escobar was freed from jail here today in connection with El Paso charges of obtaining \$15,000 worth goods under false pretenses in connection with the unsuccessful Mexican revolution in 1929.

RESIGNATION OF MELLON DENIED BY WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP).—The White House said that there was no foundation to the report that Secretary of Treasury Andrew Mellon had submitted his resignation.

Denial was also made that Ambassador Dawes would become republican national chairman, Secretary Adams succeeding Dawes as London ambassador.

Hardware Company Elects Directors

Directors of the Midland Hardware Company were reelected Thursday night. Charles L. Sinclair was elected president, W. Burton, vice-president, and George D. McCormick, secretary-treasurer and general manager. Other directors are J. L. Tidwell, R. M. Barron and Mrs. Lillie Cowden.

Reports showed a good year in 1930 and confidence in 1931.

\$45,000 in Liquor Is Confiscated

GALVESTON, Jan. 17. (UP).—Imported liquor valued at \$45,000 was seized by prohibition officers in a raid on a little frame house. One man was arrested and is being held in jail.

Police believe the storeroom was the center of smuggling and bootleg ring activities working on the Gulf coast.

Class in Painting To Start Monday

Announcement of the establishment of an art class was made Saturday by Miss Hella Mae Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams of Midland. She will maintain her studio in conjunction to that of Mrs. Paul T. Vickers in the Petroleum building.

Miss Williams has studied in Plainview and has done many desert and ranch sketches, having lived on ranches near El Paso and Plainview most of the period of her studying.

Classes in oil, tapestry, water color, French texture, medium and other painting will begin Monday.

Office Buying Suit Against Ewalds Over

NEW YORK, Jan. 17. (AP).—A supreme court jury here today disagreed and was discharged after deliberating 19 hours on the case of former Magistrate George T. Ewald and his wife who are charged with paying \$10,000 to Martin J. Healey, Tammany district leader, and to Thomas T. Tammany for Ewald's appointment as magistrate.

Similar disagreements have featured recent trials against Tammany and Healey.

MOTORISTS WARNED

Two hundred and forty-two cars must be registered daily from now until Feb. 1 if all cars remaining unlicensed in the county are to be licensed, the sheriff's office announced Saturday.

February 2, rather than Feb. 1, will be the date of first arrests of motorists driving cars with 1930 licenses, the department said.

Her Son Held



Mrs. Cordell Jessen, above, of St. Louis, has gone to Chicago to lead the fight for acquittal of her son, Leo V. Brothers, who is accused of the murder of Alfred "Jake" Lingle, Chicago Tribune police reporter.

PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL ENDS THIS EVENING

"The Heart of the Gospel" will be the theme for the morning sermon at the last day of revival services of the Presbyterian church today. Plans have been made to have the fullest participation of Sunday school pupils in the service.

All those in the school who are not already members of the church will be given an opportunity to join today. Plans have been completed to receive members at the morning service.

The last sermon of the revival series by Dr. W. Bristow Gray of Eldorado will be preached tonight. The theme for the sermon is, "The Best Companionship."

To the largest attendance of the week on Friday night, Dr. Gray spoke on "The Duty of Youth to Christ and the church." A large number of students from the high school and all the grades attended the service.

Dr. Gray discussed fully and convincingly the duty and privilege of young people devoting their energy and enthusiasm, high ideals, love and purity of their lives to the church and its program. By so doing they can revolutionize the work of the church and make it far more effective and winsome and attractive, he said.

A vote was taken as to whether a service would be held Saturday night, and a large number voted in favor of it. This was taken as an expression of the high regard all have for the splendid preaching Dr. Gray has been doing here during the past week.

Former Mayor Ft. Worth Here

Willard Burton, former mayor of Ft. Worth and now a councilman of that city, was in Midland and Odessa Friday and Saturday on business connected with his firm, Burton-Lingo. He is president of the lumber company.

While in Midland, the lumberman attended the chamber of commerce banquet with George D. McCormick, manager of the Midland Hardware company, and when in Odessa was a guest in the home of Manager MacMahon and Mrs. MacMahon.

On Cape Cod, where 100 additional men have been hired to eradicate the mosquito, business is said to be humming.

COMMUNISTS ARE BRANDED THREATS TO DEMOCRACY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (AP).—A special communist investigation committee today gave a report to the house recommending outlawry of the communist party in the United States, by strengthening the immigration laws to prevent communists from entering the United States and providing a deportation of alien communists already here.

The report branded communism as a grave threat to democratic government.

McClintic Invited To Inauguration

Invitation to Harry L. McClintic and guests to attend the reception and ball in honor of the inauguration of Ross S. Sterling governor of Texas and Edgar E. Witt lieutenant-governor at the Gregory gymnasium, Tuesday, in Austin was received Saturday.

The invitation was signed by John C. Ross, chairman of the invitation committee.

Prairie Lee Wins Over Stokes School

Prairie Lee school defeated the Stokes community school in a basketball game last week, 17-13. The game was hard fought and clean throughout.

The Prairie Lee lineup was: Grid-dell Dawkins, f; Casey Carter, f; Orval Gee, g; Calvin Rin, g; Andy Brooks, c. Substitutes were Wilson Bush, for Carter, Archie Mills for Calvin Rin and Laceywell for Brooks.

WALTON FOR MAYOR

AKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 17. (AP).—Jack Walton, former governor, today announced his candidacy for mayor of Oklahoma City. Walter Dean, present mayor, refused to say whether he would be a candidate against Walton. It is asserted that the city is run by an inner circle of the chamber of commerce.

BUILDING PERMITS

Building permits for January to date total only \$900, \$600 of this amount being for a filling station on East Wall built for John Garner. The December permits total was \$15,510, of which the Hall Tire company represented \$10,000.

TAPESTRY WINS PRIZE

BELOIT, Wis. (UP).—A piece of tapestry, woven by Mrs. Aashild Peroy before she came to this country less than a year ago, won for her a first prize in a national exhibition at Bergen, Norway, in 1928, and a medal presented by the king himself.

A GOOD YEAR FOR BEES

SYRACUSE, N. Y. (UP).—It was a good year for bees, according to Edward W. Emmons, veteran apiarist. He reported that in 1930 his 40 swarms turned in an average of 100 pounds of honey. He has about 150,000 bees.

THREE MOTORISTS PUNISHED

DETROIT. (UP).—Only three motorists were punished in Detroit during 1930 for the 366 deaths resulting from motor accidents during the year. Two are serving prison sentences for negligent homicide and one paid a \$100 fine for reckless driving.

Announcing the opening of Miss Hella Mae Williams' Studio or Art, Monday at the Vicker's Studio, Petroleum Bldg, Phone 1000. 169-12

TWO ARRIVE TO CONFER ON CERF KIDNAPING CASE

DALLAS, Jan. 17. (UP).—Cleo Miller, county attorney, and Rufus Prevehouse, sheriff of Navarro county, will arrive late today for a conference with Dallas county officers on a joint grand jury investigation of the kidnaping and ransom of \$15,000 last December 10 of Robert Cerf.

Dallas and Navarro county grand juries will begin investigation Monday.

VIRTUOSO KILLED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 17. (UP).—Mrs. Warren Collins, 70, Fort Worth business woman and art lover, was killed today when struck by a street car.

FOUR RIOT DEAD

LONDON, Jan. 17. (AP).—Calcutta dispatches received here today said that four were killed and 20 injured when police attempted to disperse a riot at Jhaida, Bihar province.

OWNS OLD PAPER

An old issue of the Seymour Weekly Cresset published Oct. 7, 1886 is owned by J. W. Bullock of Midland. Bullock worked as printer's "devil" on the old paper.

Contrary to most of the papers issued in that early day, there were no saloon ads in the paper, neither foreign or local. It is the only paper of that date seen in old files that does not contain a liquor ad of some sort.

EXPORTS DECREASE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. (UP).—United States exports decreased \$1,399,788,000 during the calendar year of 1930, falling from \$5,240,955,000 in 1929 to \$3,841,207,000 in 1930.

TUNER'S BUSINESS RUINED

LONDON. (UP).—John George Taylor, 48, a piano tuner, who was sent to prison for obtaining money by fraud, said his trade had been ruined by wireless and graphophones.

NEW CUSTOMERS,

This message is directed only to those who have never enjoyed the deliciousness of our Brea. Try this Brea for the first time and a real thrill awaits you in its golden, crispy crust, in the fine velvety texture of its body; in its wonder taste. There's a treat ahead of you.

"MY BAKERY"

Made in Midland.

FORD CUTS PRICES
DETROIT, Jan. 17. (AP).—Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Motor company, announced price cuts of \$5 to \$45 on 15 models of Ford cars.

Panels made of sugar cane fiber have been found to reduce noise in a room by 60 per cent.

TO HOP MONDAY
SHANGHAI, Jan. 17. (UP).—G. W. Brophy, manager of the aviation department of the Le Gale company here, will take off from Hung-jao aerodrome here Monday on a proposed flight to Manila, he said today. He expects to reach Manila Wednesday or Thursday.

Gas Leaks Are Expensive

About 15 per cent of the gas you buy is lost through small leaks in your house piping, according to government experts.

This waste, which is often the cause of high gas bills, may be prevented easily.

A leak that may appear trifling to you will, in the course of a year, increase your bills considerably. A loss of only one cubic foot every 15 minutes will waste almost 3,000 cubic feet in a month.

The waste of gas is considered so very important by the West Texas Gas Company that it spends a large sum annually, in an effort to keep the leakage in distributing systems as low as possible.

HOW TO FIND LEAKS

On every domestic meter is a dial marked "One Foot" or "Two Feet." This is used for detecting leaks.

Turn off all the fires in your house and note the position of the hand on the small dial of your meter. Then look at it a little while later. If the hand has moved, there is a leak—for the meter will not work unless gas is going through it.

To find just where the leak is located, cover each joint with strong soap suds. If the gas is escaping, it will bubble through the suds. If you then do not know how to fix the leak, call a plumber.

Never look for a gas leak with a match.

Our service department is always ready to help you with any of your gas problems—and its services are absolutely free.

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GREATER THAN EVER!

RICHARD BARTHELMESS

enacts the most colorful story of his entire career.

"THE LASH"

He hated as he loved—with all the strength of body and soul. And he risked love to accomplish revenge! Follow him on his desperate errand of hate—to his thrilling reward of romance! The sensation of a lifetime—the love and thrill feast you've awaited!

The burning words will ring in your memory forever! The thrilling scenes—majestic backgrounds and dramatic fervor will be indelibly inscribed in the pulse beat of your heart.

YOU'LL NEVER FORGET IT!

OUR GANG COMEDY "HELPING GRANDMA" — — — "SOUND NEWS"

BE SURE YOU'RE RIGHT—

THE ADVENTURES OF ROBINSON CRUSOE ARE NOT AS FICTITIOUS AS MANY THINK. DEFOE BASED HIS STORY LARGELY ON THE EXPERIENCES OF ALEXANDER SELKIRK, A CHRISTIAN.

CATS CONTRARY TO A PREVALENT BELIEF, CANNOT SEE IN ABSOLUTE DARKNESS. THEIR VISION IS UNUSUALLY ACUTE IN THE DUSK, HOWEVER, BECAUSE THE PUPILS OF THEIR EYES, CAPABLE OF EXPANSION, ADMIT ALL THE LIGHT THERE IS AVAILABLE.

Johnson's Electric Wax Polisher	\$39.50
Lamb's Wool Spreading Mop	1.50
Floor Duster	1.25
One Quart Wax	1.40
Total	\$43.65

All for **\$39.50**

You save \$4.15.—This offer for a short time only.

If you do not have sufficient floor footage to warrant purchase of the electric polisher—perhaps your neighbor would like to go in with you to save rental.

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"Quality Merchandise—Priced Right"