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We cannot go on buying our daily bread and butter with paper unless there is something behind it.

—George Bernard Shaw.

The Weather

WEST TEXAS—Fair and colder in the extreme portions. Frost in the west and north portions tonight. Saturday fair.

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NAVY LEAGUE ROW IS KICKED UP

Dalhart Case Suicide Theory Discounted; Knife Found

WEAPON IS IDENTIFIED AS HOGAN'S

Three Members of the Party Said Girl Killed Self

DALHART, Oct. 30. (UP)—A bloodstained pocketknife today prompted officers to investigate the possibility that Juanita Criswell, 20, was murdered during a drinking party early Thursday instead of committing suicide as members of the party insisted.

The knife, found near the house where the party occurred, was identified as J. H. Hogan's property. Hogan was host at the party.

Three others claim the girl ended her own life.

First Theory Is Discounted

DALHART, Oct. 30. (AP)—Police last night had possession of the knife claimed to have stabbed out the life of Juanita Criswell, two nights ago, and suspicious of murder had supplanted the first theory of suicide.

The 20-year-old girl died as the climax of a wild drinking party, two stab wounds in her body, officers said.

The knife, an ordinary pocket knife, was found late Thursday 200 yards from the scene of the fatal apartment party. It was identified as the property of J. H. Hogan, the host at the party and one of the three persons held in connection with the mystery.

Others held, all of whom attended a show and then went to Hogan's apartment afterward, are Lucille Roberts and Carl Ashlock. Another girl who attended the show with the group but who apparently did not remain with the party, was questioned and released Thursday.

Hogan denied ownership of the knife, and maintained, with the other witnesses, that the girl had committed suicide. He was grilled throughout the night.

Conflicting stories were told by all members of the party, and the coroner's inquest held over the body was continued without a verdict.

Investigators are hinging their probe upon the discovery of the knife, which was found by an unnamed youth in a clump of weeds near the Rock Island railway station.

Dance-Carnival

Here on Saturday

An added feature of the Parent-Teacher Halloween carnival Saturday will be a dance opening at 8:30 p. m., in the Home Furniture building where the carnival is to be held all day.

Good music will be furnished by an orchestra and reasonable prices will be charged for the dance, chairman of the carnival announced.

Hobbs Activity

Is on 'up and up'

Oil field activities about Hobbs have increased so much during the past few weeks that the payroll is now \$8,000 a week greater than it was at the summer low ebb. Hobbs plans to become an incorporated city in a short time. Business has shown a big revival in the past few weeks, and Hobbs is again taking the appearance of a thriving oil town, oil men say, though times are not as hectic by far as in the boom days.

Hobbs business men say things are decidedly on the "up and up" the past few weeks.

Stockmen Will

Protest Ranges

RENO, Oct. 30. (UP)—Nevada cattle and sheep raisers are going to take every precaution to prevent California stockmen from running their herds across the line and eating up Nevada grass this winter.

Under the new range law, which was passed at the last state legislature session, Nevada stockmen can protect themselves. They are going to work out ways and means of doing so at a series of state meetings, starting Oct. 31, according to Vernon Metcalf of the Nevada Land and Livestock association.

There are estimated to be 300,000 head of cattle and 1,250,000 head of sheep in this state.

BENEFIT DINNER

Circle B of the Presbyterian Auxiliary is making plans for a benefit chili dinner to be given at a downtown store on Saturday, Nov. 7. The location will be announced early next week.

BLAST FATAL

HARLAND, Ky., Oct. 30. (UP)—A gas explosion in a coal mine here today killed Alvie Elsea, W. S. Amos, and James Barnes, miners.

Ed Crowley was probably fatally injured.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Earl Nutter of Borger is a house guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blair.

"COLONEL" WALLACE TO CRY SALE WHEN "BARTER" FEED IS AUCTIONED SATURDAY AT 3

Why, Princess!



Royal entertainment awaits patrons of a Vienna cabaret. For 25-year-old Princess Rubinia, above, sister of King Zog of Albania, has accepted a contract to appear as a performer. She was reported to have been grieved by the king's cancellation of her engagement to a young army officer.

FOUR OF MINERS ENTOMBED UNDER GROUND LIVING

SHICKSHINNEY, Pa., Oct. 30. (UP)—Rescuers today reached six miners who were entombed in a coal mine shaft for six days. Four responded to signals tapped on an iron pipe forced through the rock.

Hope was aroused last night when the entombed men remaining alive of the six were found dead.

Rescuers had been digging day and night since last Saturday when an explosion wrecked the mine.

Odessa-Andrews Road to Begin

Work is expected to be in full blast early in November on the oil field road paving between Odessa and Andrews. The Odessa segment of the road is completed and money is available for the Andrews segment. This road will be paved to the Gaines county line giving a paved road nearly all the way from oil headquarters in Midland to the Hobbs, N. M. area. Preliminary work has already started on the Odessa-Andrews road, called the Potash highway.

Engineer Hurt as Rock Island Wrecks

WINSTON, Okla., Oct. 30. (UP)—C. W. Coulter, engineer, suffered from a broken leg today when the westbound Rock Island passenger train was derailed when it hit an open switch near here.

Officials are investigating evidence showing the switch had been tampered with.

HOLLOWEEN STORIES

Especially thrilling Halloween stories will be told to children who attend the library story hour Saturday afternoon at the court house, announced Mrs. George Abell, story teller.

The hour opens at 2:30, continuing until 3:30 and is open to every child in the town and county.

Pen Prisoners

Battle; One Is Dead of Wounds

HOUSTON, Oct. 30. (UP)—Ed Crowder, bank robber, was slain by Aubrey Scalley, highwayman, in a knife battle today at the Eastham prison farm. The convicts used crude homemade dirks.

They arose from their bunks while other convicts slept and fought. Scalley was badly wounded.

Crowder was serving a 40-year sentence and Scalley 50 years.

Mexican, Negro Schools Open Mon.

The Mexican and negro schools will be opened Monday, Nov. 2, in accordance with an order of the school board at its last regular meeting. Since the new negro school building is not ready for occupancy the negro school will open in one of the buildings used for the colored children last year. The Mexican school will open in the new brick building recently erected for the Mexican children.

Midland Sends 2 To Road Meeting

Plans for holding traffic round for Carlshad on the Broadway of America, also called the Bankhead, State Highway No. 1 and U. S. 80, will be discussed at Abilene next Thursday by delegates from all towns between Metcalf Gap and Peecos. Arthur G. Jury, will represent Hotel Scharbauer and the Midland chamber of commerce will have a representative at the meeting.

Odessa Chamber To Hold Election

ODESSA, Oct. 30.—The chamber of commerce will elect a new board of directors at their meeting Friday night of this week. Outline of plans will be discussed so that the membership will have a part in the work for the coming year.

Angelo Woman Without Country

SAN ANGELO, Tex., Oct. 30. (UP) Legally "a woman without a country" since August, 1928, Mrs. Chas. C. Canon, of San Angelo, is now an American citizen.

She lost her citizenship in France when she married Canon at Dinard, France, her home city, in the summer of 1928, but under new American laws, she did not automatically become a citizen of the United States with the marriage. Judge William H. Atwell granted her citizenship papers in a hearing in federal court here.

Theft Laid to Black at Last

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., Oct. 30. (UP)—Two years ago Gilbert Bond, negro, speeded away from a filling station with an automobile that he was entrusted to have filled with gasoline.

A traffic officer stopped him for speeding, and Bond swapped the stolen car to the officer in exchange for an old Ford car and to pay his fine on the speeding charge. Bond's journey finally ceased this week, however, when he was arrested in Waxahachie and returned here to face charges of theft of the automobile two years ago.

Frank Cowden Steer Calves, Shipped To Corn Belt, Set New Weight Record

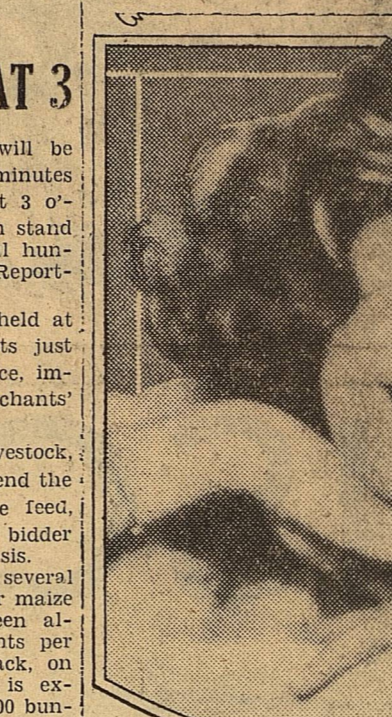
Steer calves shipped Thursday by J. Frank Cowden of Midland set a new weight record, it was believed here today.

The calves represented the entire steer end of Cowden's calf crop, with only a small cut, and were bought by Leon Goodman for the Western Hereford Exchange, Davenport, Iowa, going to Ralph Boller of Geneseo, Illinois.

The steer calves averaged 498 4-5 pounds. All were born after January 1 of this year. No feed had been given to the calves or to the mother cows, all of the weight coming from range grass.

Heavier calves have been shipped from here, but in each case there had been short yearlings in the strong to bring up the weight average or the animals had been given cake or creep feeding, ranchmen said.

"Developed" Into a Prize-Winner



"Pretty as a picture" best describes lovely Lillian Harvey. For this photograph of the English actress won first prize at the recent Exhibition of the Society of International Photographic Artists, in Berlin. However, as you see here, there's nothing negative about her charms.

MEXICANS 'BURN' FOR SLAYING OF CUSTOMS OFFICER

HUNTSVILLE, Oct. 30. (UP)—Victor Rodriguez, 20, and Nicandro Munoz, 26, Mexican aliens were electrocuted in prison this morning for slaying Bert Ellison, United States customs inspector, in the Rio Grande valley on August, 1930.

Ellison was slain in revenge for deporting a Mexican woman.

Three Lost in Trinity Bay Boat

BEAUMONT, Oct. 30. (UP)—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Phillips of Beaumont and John Coyle of Houston were lost in Trinity Bay today.

The trio left Smiths Point in an outboard motorboat early Thursday and have not been heard of since. Galveston coastguard began a search today at the request of friends.

Judges Cast Aside Dignity for Ride

GROESBECK, (UP)—District Judge H. F. Kirby and Capt. Scott Reed will cast their dignity aside here Armistice day and ride mules bare back in a race to settle a dispute.

The race will be a feature of the Armistice day celebration. It will be a grudge contest as both contestants claim the distinction of being the best mule rider in four counties.

Proposes Employing Phoenix Lawyer

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30. (AP)—The name of J. J. Halloran, wealthy Phoenix lumberman was again brought into the Ruth Judd murder case in a letter written by McKinnell, university law student, wrote his sister, Mrs. Judd, held for the killing of Agnes Lerol and Hedvig Samuelson in Phoenix.

The letter in part:

"I wish to speak to you in the matter of attorneys. Mr. Anderson (Lerol Anderson) is one of the outstanding criminal lawyers in Phoenix. He knows Halloran personally. He knows every farmer around Phoenix. We must have prominent Arizona lawyers who exercise political power."

MAPS ARE READY

Official oil and gas maps of New Mexico issued by the New Mexico state bureau of mines and mineral resources will be ready for distribution early in 1932. The maps were designed by Dean E. Winchester of the bureau.

The new maps will show the location of nearly 200 anticlinal structures throughout the state, the location, total depth and result by symbols of about 1000 wildcat wells. The known oil and gas fields, pipe lines and refineries will also be shown. The scale is 1 to 1,000,000 and the map is printed in two colors.

PANHANDLE SHIVERS AS FROST HITS

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Penny Alimony



Members' dues in the Alimony Club are coming down. At any rate, when George Eitmann, above, of New Orleans, La., declared that he was ill, out of work and unable to keep up payments of \$35 a month to his divorced wife, Judge Hugh Cage cut the alimony to one cent a month until Eitmann is back at work.

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HOOVER BEGS A REPORT

President Is Due an Apology, He Says In Statement

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30. (UP)—Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson today joined President Hoover in an offensive fight against the navy league.

Stimson termed the league's charges of secrecy concerning the London naval conference as flagrant misstatements evidently deliberate.

Hoover announced that he would name a committee to investigate the league's affairs. He said he would demand an apology from President William Howard Taft, who said Hoover was abysmally ignorant of naval affairs.

School Enrollment Reaches Total 1027

The second month of the present session of the Midland public schools closed today with a total enrollment of 1,027. The enrollment is distributed as follows:

Senior high school	296
Junior high school	367
North ward school	175
South ward school	189
Total	1,027

The enrollment at the close of the second month one year ago was 1,178, including 45 in the colored school. The colored school and the Mexican school will not open until next Monday, hence for comparison the 45 should be taken from the 1,178 of last year's enrollment. This would leave an enrollment in the white schools at the same time last year of 1,133, which is 106 ahead of this year's enrollment. This difference has existed all during the year's enrollment.

The board of education has ordered the opening of the Mexican and the negro schools for Monday, Nov. 2. This will increase the total enrollment approximately 100 at the beginning of the third month. The new negro school building will not be ready for occupancy Monday, hence the negro school will begin in one of the buildings used last year, and will be continued in it until the new building is ready. This new building should be ready within the next month.

Odessa to Have Armistice Fete

ODESSA, Oct. 30.—Earl S. Bailey post of the American legion in Odessa has announced plans for Armistice day celebration. Starting with an "army breakfast" the day will be filled with many interesting events. The parade in which business men and school children will participate will be followed by a short memorial service just before the noon hour. The afternoon and evening will be devoted to stunts, games, football game and dancing. Adj. N. H. Smelser, in command of the post, expects a large crowd for the celebration.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lancaster are in Alpine this week on a business trip.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



A painting job requires the proper frame of mind.

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TIME—THE WHITEWASHER

When Professor Herbert A. Miller remarked the other day that Sir Francis Drake was a pirate "who should have been hanged" he was not simply trying to make a startling comment that would land on the front pages. He was testifying to something that is self-evident, if you stop to think about it—the fact that the romance and glamour which cluster about certain historical personages are usually put there chiefly by the passage of time.

Nothing looks quite the same at close range as it does a century or two later. In the days of Elizabeth, for example, there were plenty of people who felt precisely as Dr. Miller feels; the Spanish ambassador in London wore himself to a frazzle trying to project that viewpoint on to Elizabeth herself, and a great number of Englishmen were ready to agree.

But today Drake is something more than an English national hero. He is one of the great adventurers the race has produced, with a name that evokes dreams, and we envy the men who sailed with him around the world.

For time has a way of white-washing things and people; and that, very likely, is why we look back to the "good old days" and complain that our times are out of joint. If we could go back, to any bright epoch we might choose, we should gain very little.

We should find Drake, as Dr. Miller says, something very like an out-and-out pirate. And the same would be true of the others with the romantic love.

King Arthur's knights, if we could see them in the flesh, would very likely turn out to be a group of swaggering, uncouth roisterers from whom we would depart with relief. Christopher Columbus, greatest of admirals, quite clearly failed to impress very many of his associates with his splendid halo. The men who followed Cortez into Mexico would probably have said that it was a miserable job, sadly underpaid. Lee's army of northern Virginia—perhaps the most "romantic" group of soldiers ever seen—was really dreadfully ragged, frequently downright filthy, and in its off moments utterly unprepossessing to the casual observer.

And so it goes. Those bright human actions that men of all ages love to remember usually don't start to glitter until at least half a century has passed.

IF SPAIN STARTS DIVORCE

The extent of the change that has come over Spain since the establishment of the republic is strikingly illustrated by the news that the National Assembly has put into the republic's proposed constitution a provision for divorce by mutual consent.

Under the monarchy, Spanish law provided for no divorce at all. The new provision—provided that the law is accepted by the Spanish people—would make divorce almost as easy as it is in Russia. The contrast gives the measure of the change which the nation is undergoing.

Incidentally, if the law stands it may be that Spain will find herself getting a slice of the rich American divorce trade. In recent years the Paris divorce has been popular among rich and restless Americans. Will it, in the near future, be replaced by the Madrid divorce?

OUR AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS

It is rather surprising to hear that the export trade has accounted for practically all of the increase in production of American autos since 1928. A survey conducted by a University of Michigan expert shows this to be the case, and indicates that the domestic market has not appreciably expanded in eight years.

"Production abroad by American companies," remarks the survey, "will do more to limit our future exports than competition from European producers."

The automobile business, thus, seems to be pretty securely in American hands. Yet one is entitled to wonder just how much this will help the ordinary American worker if American factories located overseas are going to grab off most of the export trade. That is a point which the tariff makers might ponder over a little.

Side Glances by Clark



"I'm afraid I'd never get along with a husband. Ya see, I'm the youngest at home and they've sort of spoiled me."

Washington

By Rodney Dutcher Letter

Congressman Wood of Indiana Favors Cutting All Government Salaries, but With the Administration and Sentiment Against Him, Failure Is Probable.

WASHINGTON. — Congressman Will Wood of Indiana is reconciled to being the most unpopular man in Washington. He couldn't expect to be anything else when he decided on a crusade for a reduction of all governmental salaries. The chances are that Wood will not be able to put over his program unless the administration becomes much more desperate for economies than it is now, but Wood presumably will hold his powerful post as chairman of the appropriations committee—if the Republicans control the House—and he will attract enough support to stir up a mean fight.

And when the fight is over, one fears, his name will be a hissing and byword for hundreds of thousands of the boys and girls who work for Uncle Sam.

Wood says he has already had promises of support from 15 or 16 members of Congress, but the fact that he proposes to reduce congressional salaries along with the rest may give you an idea why he seems so surely doomed to disappointment. Even if the old gentlemen were proposing to exempt his colleagues they wouldn't have the nerve to slash the incomes of stenographers, clerks and other workers while leaving their own \$10,000 salaries intact.

The other big stumbling block which Wood faces is the opposition of the Hoover administration itself, of which the Indiana chairman is ordinarily one of the staunchest supporters. Although the administration has come to realize that it has been powerless to avert wage cuts in private industry, Hoover is in no position to sign a bill to reduce the government's own salaries. He has been so thoroughly committed to the policy of maintaining all wages and his party propagandists have made so much capital of his widely commended stand that even if Congress were to hand him such a bill—and even if a considerable amount of public sentiment had come to favor it—a presidential veto would be certain. An election is coming along and that fact is borne in mind constantly both at the White House and on Capitol Hill.

A while ago Wood urged a general salary reduction beginning with the \$2500 salaries. But now he has changed his mind and will attempt to hit all salaries from \$1200 a year up. He realized after his first blast that 80 per cent of governmental salaries are below \$2500 and feels that in order to benefit the country the reduction must be of wider scope. He would make reductions of 5 per cent in the \$1200 to \$2500 class, 8 per cent from \$2500 to \$10,000 and 10 per cent on everything above \$10,000.

That would bring the president's salary down to \$67,500; those of senators and representatives down toward \$9000 and those of Vice President Curtis and the cabinet members to \$13,500.

At recent conventions both the National Federation of Federal Employees and the Postal Employees association, representing about 600,000 persons between them, adopted resolutions calling for aggressive salary increase campaigns.

The Federal employes generally argue that many of them are still miserably underpaid and that the low level of the whole government scale violates Wood's assertion that their pay was raised because of high living costs which have since been lowered. They also feel that Wood dislikes federal employes on general principles as he accuses them of "living on the fat of the land."

Congress raised its own salaries from \$7500 to \$10,000 in 1926 and two years later passed the Welch bill which raised the salary of the average federal worker about \$125 a year and made a maximum for the few highest paid professional and scientific groups \$9000 instead of \$7500. At that time many government workers hadn't had a raise for 20 years and about 75 per cent of them were employed at an average of \$1300 a year.

DIDN'T WANT MUCH

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29. —A man entered the auto service station of David Filimalee and ordered two light bulbs. He handed Filimalee a ten-dollar bill. The attendant opened the cash register to get change and the customer drew a gun. Filimalee expected him to rob the register, but all he did was to say: "Never mind changing the bill—just hand it back to me." All Filimalee lost was the price of the two bulbs.

STEEL-PIERCING BOMB

WASHINGTON.—John W. Currell has invented, and turned over to the U. S. Army, a tiny bomb, only six and a half inches long, that will pierce anything it strikes. The bomb weighs only two pounds, yet it is capable of a large amount of destruction. Currell is the inventor of the aerial bomb now in use and the tracer projectile.

Fall Hats Popular Prices McMullan's.

FOLLOW THE CLASSIFIEDS

STICKERS

ACTS EAR STEP STAR ERA STEPS.

Above are two sentences in which the letters in each word are mixed up. Can you rearrange the letters so as to make the sentences read correctly?

Getting to Be a Strain on the Family Patience!



EDISON

Editor's Note: This is the seventh of 12 exclusive stories on Thomas A. Edison by Major William Joseph Hamner, his scientific associate and lifelong friend, who reveals the human side of the great inventor.

By WILLIAM JOSEPH HAMNER Lifelong Friend and Scientific Associate of Thomas A. Edison, as Told to Willis J. Ballinger (Copyright, 1931, NEA Service, Inc.)

Thomas A. Edison's first progress in perfecting the commercial electric lamp was to try to remedy the shortcomings of platinum.

First he mixed it with iridium. This made the comparatively soft metal hard as steel. He could scratch glass with it. Also it would take a far higher dose of current without melting. Then he heated the filament slowly and repeatedly and found that he thus drove out occluded gases in the pores of the metal and greatly increased its denseness and powers of resistance to heat.

In this way he increased the candlepower of his incandescent lamp up to 30 candlepower. Preceding lamps had been able to generate only a fractional part of this candlepower.

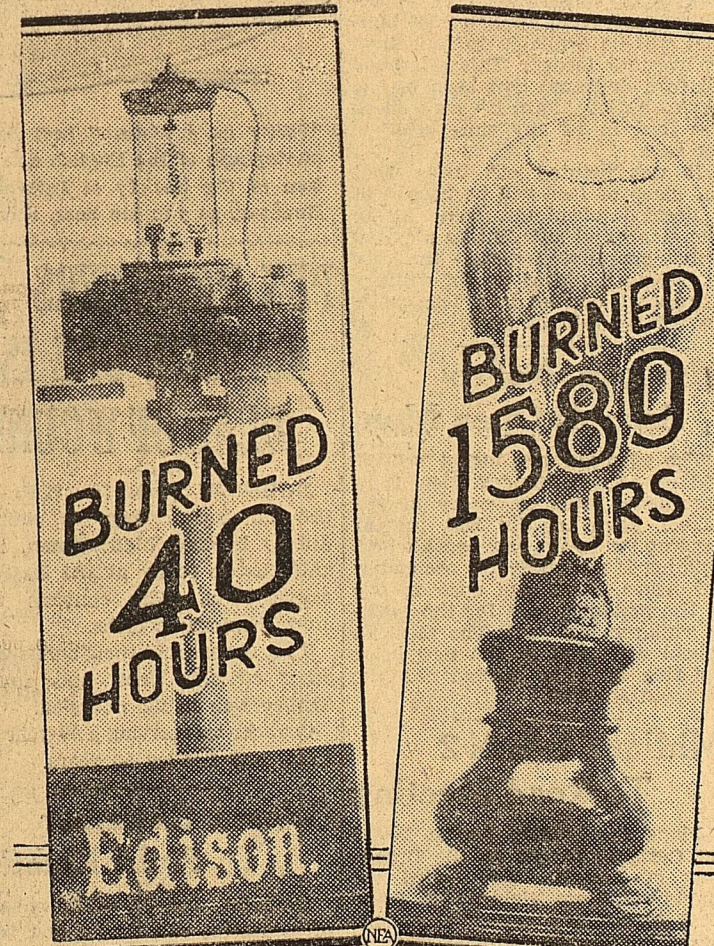
Then Edison, although he had far surpassed the efforts of others with platinum, decided to get rid of platinum for his filaments.

Problems still hung to his efforts. How could he get an inexpensive filament and one of greater mechanical strength? How could he generate more candlepower at higher efficiency?

He suddenly switched from platinum and metallic oxides to carbon. He made his first carbon filaments of sewing thread; these he used in his first carbon lamp on Oct. 21, 1879. This lamp burned 40 hours. He next experimented with paper. Paper was cut in the shape of a horseshoe for the current to pass through. These paper horseshoes were placed in nickel molds and heated at high temperature, thus forming the carbon filaments. The ends of the carbonized horseshoe filaments were mounted in platinum clamps, which held the filaments inside the vacuum casing. But the carbonized paper horseshoe was fragile and lasted but a short time. It had a low efficiency, though higher than Edison's first carbonized thread lamp of Oct. 21, 1879—the lamp which, at the time was hailed by the world as the solution of the incandescent lighting problem. Menlo Park was illuminated with the famous paper horseshoe lamps on Dec. 31, 1879.

Two final steps remained. Edison was scouring the earth for some substance that would be more resistant to an electric current, and would possess greater mechanical strength, and thereby make a lamp last longer, and a material that could absorb a much heavier dose of current. Edison began experimenting with vegetable fibers of many kinds from all over the world. From far-away Japan the missing substance came. There are 3000 varieties of bamboo, but only about 400 are used in commerce. The "Madake" variety of bamboo, which grew in the hilly districts of Japan had a peculiar eight-sided cell. This gave it great structural strength and high resistance. In tests it proved to be very resistant to the current and tough enough to take a tremendous dose without breaking. And so by means of the carbonized bamboo filament, Edison turned the trick.

Major Hamner had charge of the first real test on a carbonized bamboo filament. For over two months he watched constantly the undimmed rays coming from the test lamp. At night he made his rounds carefully checking up on the record run of this lamp. It became noisy about the laboratory that the lamp had already run 500 hours. Suddenly one night the lamp began to pale. Hamner seized it and holding it aloft



Edison's first platinum electric lamp of 1879, which burned for 40 hours is shown at the left, while at the right is the first practical lamp, which burned for 1589 hours.

rushed upstairs to Edison with a lamp that had completed 1589 hours of burning time.

"Now, Hamner, we have a commercial lamp," exclaimed Edison. "We will stop all tests and experiments and go into the manufacture at once."

Then came the big parade about the laboratory and grounds. And after an hour and a half of cheering and shouting, the men returned to work.

Get that? After achieving success on one of the world's greatest inventions, Edison regarded it as all in a night's work. Instead of a holiday the laboratory immediately buckled down to the next mystery. And they lost only an hour and a half of time.

Not only did the laboratory force return to work, but Edison issued orders for the beginning of the first commercial incandescent lamp factory in the world and sent Francis R. Upton and Hamner to turn the Edison electric pen works into a lamp factory. In their first year they turned out the first 50,000 commercially used incandescent lamps in the world. The first lamp in the big wind tunnel at the U. S. factory was pitched less than a mile from the laboratory in an old building which at one time had housed the Edison idea of the automatic pen.

The idea of illuminating the world caught Hamner's imagination and he rushed about like a madman putting the place in order.

By means of overhead cable the lamp factory was supplied with all of its electrical juice directly from the laboratory a mile away. This was incidentally an achievement of the greatest magnitude. The lamp factory really gave the world the first demonstration of how current could be distributed successfully.

Not until Hamner learned this secret would superpower ever be anything more than a dream. And as the direct forerunner of all the agitation that is going on today for superpower was that first experiment of Thomas A. Edison in supplying his lamp factory with electrical power and light from a distance of three-quarters of a mile.

The Town Quack



Who was it said that "honor is without profit even in your own country"? That must have been a chucker for the crack about the New York judges being as fine as money could buy.

Nobody feels at home around the news office today. Hankins and Pearl cleaned up. Everything is in place now except the Polo magazine. Barron borrowed from Leslie Floyd and the law book borrowed from Judge Klapproth.

They tell me Frank Cowden sells his calves at war prices. Not being able to get the old price per head, he sold them at the market price per pound and then brought in a string that tipped the beam at an average of 500 pounds, the heaviest ever to hit the local pens, age considered.

In cleaning out his desk, Hankins unearthed the medal he was given upon achieving the rank of Chief Toter of the Totem Pole at a local lodge.

And now, ladies and gentlemen, step this way. Don't forget, the big auction sale. Great lots of bundles, feed to the highest bidder. Ranchmen, buy your feed at your own price. Four cents is asked. One cent is bid. Who'll give us a cent and a half? Do I hear a cent and a half? Thank you, brother, the bid is a cent and a half. Cent and a half, cent and a half, do I hear two cents? Two cents, do I hear two and quarter? Two and a quarter, two and a quarter, going, going at two and a quarter—TWO AND A HALF, and so on ad infinitum.

Come to the auction sale of our feed Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, right across the street from the Reporter-Telegram office. Buy it at your own price and take it home with you. Some ranchmen are going to pick up a good proposition and will pick it up easy because it's all in one stack.

District 4 standing now: Big Spring, San Angelo and Sweetwater 1000; Midland, Colorado and McCamey 000. After the great Saturday: Big Spring and Sweetwater 1000; Midland and San Angelo 500; Colorado and McCamey 000.

FIRST TUESDAY OF NOVEMBER

A. D. 1931, it being the third day of said month, all and singular the following described lands and premises, that is to say:

All that certain lot, tract, or parcel of land lying and being situated in the county of Midland and state of Texas, and known and described upon the official map or plat of said county as the northwest one-fourth (N. W. 1/4) of section number thirteen (13), in block number thirty-eight (38) and Township Two (2) South, of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. lands, and containing 160 acres of land.

And I will also at the same time and place sell, in satisfaction of said judgment, all the right, title, claim and interest owned or claimed on December 10, 1924, and since that date acquired by said defendants E. M. Ferrell, Mrs. M. H. Stephens, and J. E. Stephens, and by each and all of them, in and to said tract of land.

Levied upon by me on October 5, 1931 as the property of the said defendants E. M. Ferrell, Mrs. M. H. Stephens, and J. E. Stephens, and as the property of each of them, to satisfy a certain final judgment rendered by said Court in said cause on February 6, 1931 in favor of said plaintiffs Alexander H. Half and Jesse D. Oppenheimer against the said defendants E. M. Ferrell, Mrs. M. H. Stephens and J. E. Stephens. Jointly and severally, for the sum of \$3,538.81 with interest thereon at seven per cent per annum from said February 6, 1931 until paid, and all costs of suit, together with a decree of foreclosure against each and all of said defendants of plaintiffs.

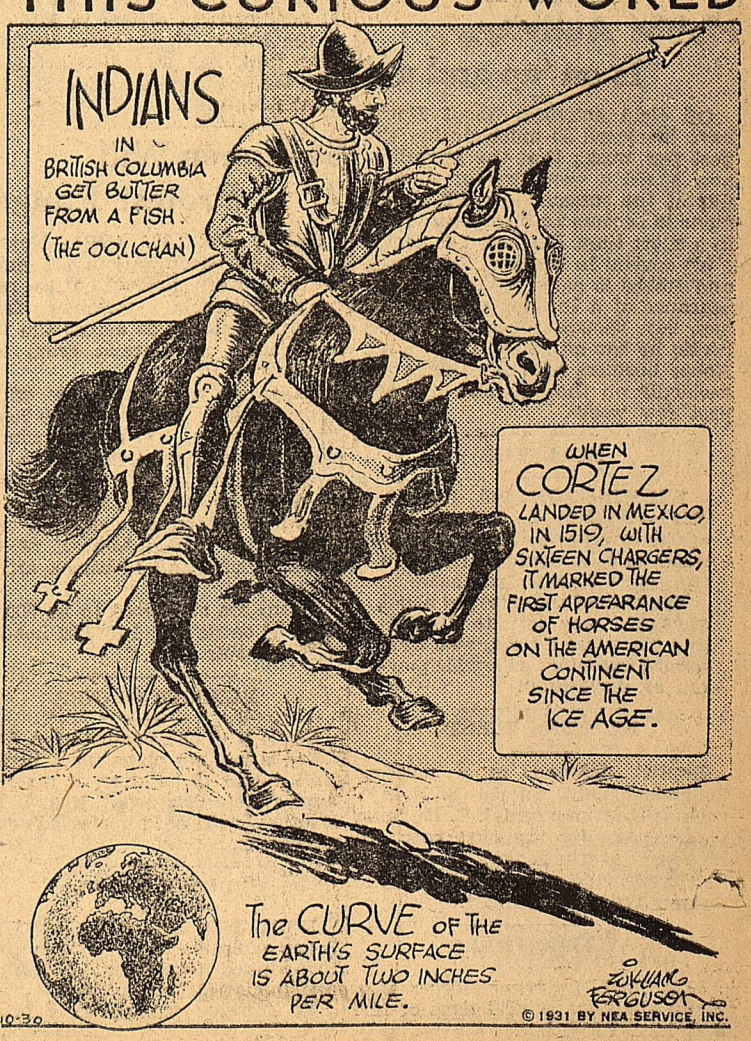
HOT STUFF

SEATTLE, Wash.—Police, two of them, overheard a telephone conversation in a downtown hotel. The gentleman was ordering a "quart" sent up to his room. Both police lined up outside the room of the caller and when the messenger came with the package, they demanded a look at it thinking it was liquor. It turned out to be hot stuff, all right. It was chili con carne.

ONE PARTY FOR THREE

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—William H. Butler, Memphis printer, doesn't have the expense of three birthday parties a year for himself, wife and daughter. All three birthdays fall on the same day—the 25th of September. His other two children have birthdays on other days.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



The CURVE OF THE EARTH'S SURFACE IS ABOUT TWO INCHES PER MILE.

SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

Hallowe'en Season Opens with Country Club Dance and Closes with P-T A. Day's Carnival

Hallowe'en has been officially ushered into Midland society this week with the dance at the country club house Wednesday evening and daily bridge parties for clubs.

Numerous organizations and clubs will celebrate the holiday season this evening with gay spooky parties, and several have set their affairs for Saturday evening.

The country club dance was a festive event with approximately 30 couples taking part in the evening's entertainment. Frenchie's Straight-Eights gave the music.

Club rooms were brilliantly decorated with emblems of the season. Acting as the host committee were Mr. A. S. Legg, Mrs. Alden Donnelly and Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson.

Day's Carnival

The P-T A. Hallowe'en carnival to be given all day tomorrow at the Home Furniture building will bring the season into full swing with attractions for every age.

Doors at the building will be open about 11 o'clock and lunch will be served through the noon hour at the Witch's tea room.

The clever menu calls for "Witch's Brew, San-Witches, Spook's Delight, Jack-o-Lantern Cake, Catnip Tea, and Cat's Meow."

Other booths include the fish pond, fortune teller, owl's cave, and country store. Committees say there will be popcorn, peanuts, candies and confetti for sale.

General chairman of the carnival are Mrs. J. M. Haygood and Mrs. Herbert King.

Mrs. Goodman Has Party for Members of 1928 Club

Guests of Mrs. Leon Goodman Thursday afternoon at a bridge party were members and guests of the 1928 club.

In appointing the tables, the hostesses selected Hallowe'en decoration and roses were used about the rooms.

Score prizes were awarded to Mrs. B. H. Blakeney, club and Mrs. Elliott F. Cowden, guest.

Seated for the games were Mmes. C. C. Duffey, John B. Thomas, S. R. Preston, George Clingman, Elliott Cowden, Blakeney, Jack Hazeltine, George T. Abell, E. B. Cowden, Allen Tolbert and Miss Ustane Tynes.

Lovely Appointed Hallowe'en Party For Bien Amigos Club

Hallowe'en appointments furnished a lovely setting for the party given by Mrs. Bedford Taylor Thursday afternoon in honor of several guests and members of the Bien Amigos club.

Gorgeous yellow chrysanthemums and cosmos in black bowls and vases gave pretty floral decorations. Across the mantle and dotted on the drapes were black witches and cats.

Covers of orange with black cut-outs of Hallowe'en symbols were used in the bridge games. Pencils, tallies and score books harmonized.

Mrs. E. D. Ruse won the club member prize and Mrs. Andrew Northington received guest favor. Mrs. F. P. Winger cut high for another gift.

Napkins and covers reflecting the party motif were used for refreshment service with party plates again carrying out the colors.

Attending the affair were Mmes. J. M. Haygood, John Dublin, J. B. Martin, Andrew Northington, Standfield, C. A. Mix, C. D. Hodges, T. B. Flood, J. D. Chambers, F. P. Winger, E. D. Ruse and M. M. Seymour.

Ladies' Coats Popular Prices McMullan's.

If Costive, Men and women TRY THIS whose work keeps them indoors, without sufficient exercise, often find it difficult to keep the bowels regular. Theford's Black-Draught, (purely vegetable), taken at bedtime or a pinch after meals, has helped thousands.

THEFORD'S

Black-Draught SOLD AT DRUG STORES

Happy Birthday!

TOMORROW Norrell Shirey Billy Smith Mead McCall

Class Completes Decoration of Building

Thursday was work day at the Co-Workers class room when a committee painted walls, and chairs and placed new covers on the pillows. Women, who spent the afternoon at the room were Mrs. H. N. Thompson, Mrs. A. H. Lloyd, Mrs. H. N. Phillips, Mrs. Leslie Stevens and Miss Pearl McCall.

All members of the class are being requested by their new chairmen to come early Sunday morning and inspect the room since its complete renovation.

Minnie Louise McClain, reader, is on the program at the meeting Sunday.

Choice Cooks' Corner

- Orange Blossoms 6 tbs. shortening 2-3 cup granulated sugar 1-2 tsp. almond extract 1-2 cup cold water 1-4 cups pastry flour 2 tbs. cornstarch 2 1-2 tsp. baking powder 2 egg whites Cream shortening, add sugar slowly and beat until fluffy; add flavoring. Sift flour, cornstarch, and baking powder three times; add alternately with water to first mixture. Fold in beaten egg whites. Bake in very small greased pans in moderate oven at 365 degrees F. about 15 minutes. Cool and cover with the following Orange Icing 3 tbs. butter 2 cups confectioner's sugar 1 tbs. orange juice Grated rind and pulp of 1-2 small orange 1 egg white Candied orange peel Cream butter, add sugar slowly and beat until smooth. Add orange juice, rind and pulp. Mix well; fold in beaten egg white. Spread on the cakes and place a small piece of candied peel on tops.

Announcements Saturday Children's Story hour will be held at the country library from 2:30 to 3:30.

Personal Claude Pope and wife of Hobbs, N. M., spent Thursday in Midland, returning to their home this morning. T. H. Hamper and Sutton Elkins of Poyte were business visitors here this morning.

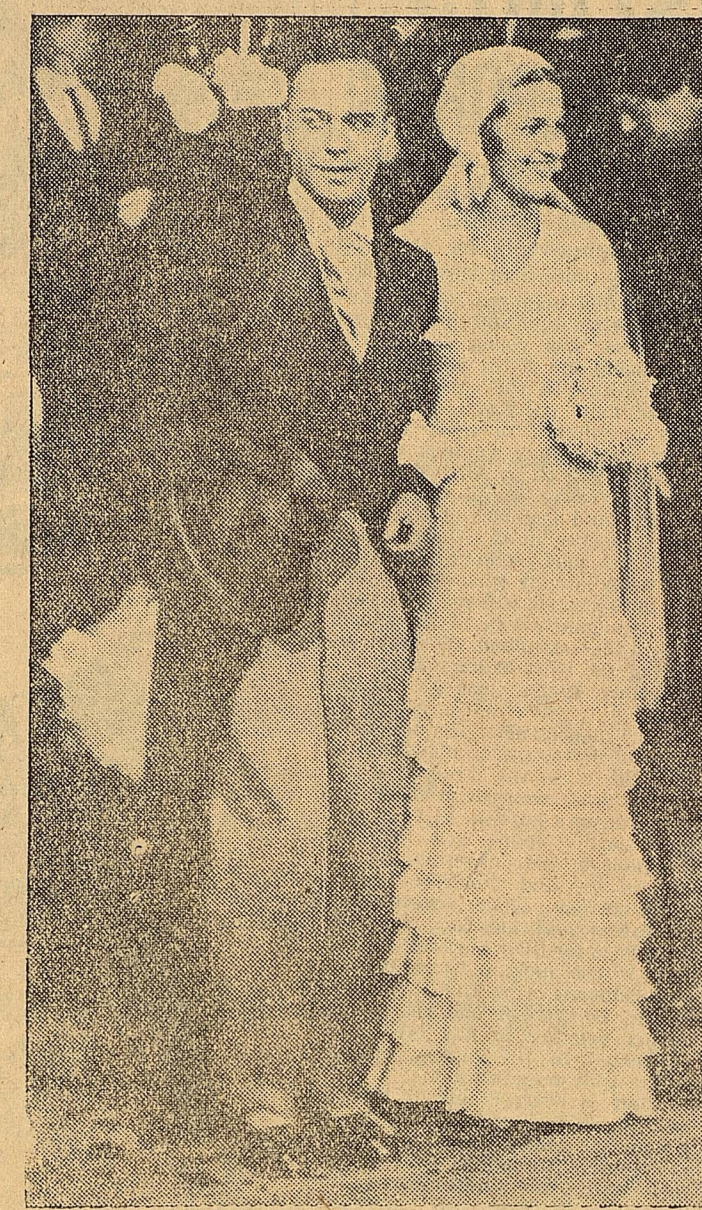
Will Terry returned to his ranch near Hobbs this morning after spending Thursday in Midland. Marvin Couey of Abilene was here this morning transacting business. Red Johnson has returned to Midland from Dallas where he has been attending school. Paul Suttles of San Angelo spent Thursday night in Midland.

What a PENNY will do Listen for Radio Broadcasts to tell you Nov 2-6 175 Stations CITY DRUG STORE PETROLEUM PHARMACY The Rexall Drug Stores

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How a Dressmaker's Daughter Dresses—on her Wedding Day



More than 30 yards of white crepe satin went into the quaint wedding gown worn by Miss Helene Worth, daughter of the famous couturier, pictured here after her marriage to Jean Staniloff Isovence in Paris. The gown was tightly fitted about her hips, in the basque fashion of another day, and had narrow circular ruffles from the floor to the low neckline. The belt was at normal line and the neck a simple V, with an unusual touch in the way of a trim little collar. For the civil ceremony, as seen at the right, she wore a suit of bright green bagherra velvet, with black caracul collar.



HIGH SCHOOL NEWS CHURCHES

STAFF HOLDS MEETING

The paper staff of the Midland High News met in Mrs. A. M. Dunagan's room on Friday afternoon for election of a new sports editor and to make agreements between members of the staff about material published each week. George Derryberry was elected sports editor to take the place of Fouchee Pollard.

JUNIOR PINS

Members of the junior class interested in class pins met Tuesday afternoon to select their pin and guard. They had a previous meeting to decide upon prices. The pin and the guard which were chosen are different from any that have ever been used in the high school. The guard especially. All who were present at the meeting agreed that the pin and the guard which were chosen by a majority vote were pretty. The juniors are very sorry that some members of the class cannot have pins. They feel that if all could the pins would seem more representative. The class has hopes of getting pins in less time this year than the juniors of last year did.

WHOZZIT?

Last week the answer to the senior girl description was accidentally omitted. The senior girl for whom the description was given is Marie Cook. The following are the answers of last week's Whozzit: Senior girl—Ruth Long, junior boy—Fouchee Pollard.

Sophomore boy—J. W. Jones. He is really a freshman. Freshman girl—Nola Mae Meadows. Heavily built, black hair and blue eyes. Very popular, especially with the football boys. (Senior girl).

Light brown hair and blue eyes. Never interested in books of any sort. (Junior girl).

Short, slim, with light hair. Sure makes a good librarian. (Sophomore girl).

Short with blue eyes and light

brown hair. Well liked in first degree by certain young gentlemen. (Freshman girl).

JOKES

Mr. Shiflett: Marilyn, why were you late at noon? Marilyn: The bell rang before I got here.

Allen Sherrod says, "Early to bed and early to rise keeps your little brother from wearing your ties."

"He done me wrong!" wailed the Algebra problem as the freshman handed in his exam paper.

A GLORIOUS FEELING

Ain't it a grand an' glorious feelin' When you wake up at a quarter to eight and You rush to school in an enormous hurry and Get there just before the bell rings and Shiver to think you might be called on to recite and You haven't been called on—Ain't it grand an' glorious feelin'!!!

SOME METRE!

"A senior by the name of G. B. Hallman, stood on the railroad track. A train was coming fast. The train got off the railroad track. And let the senior pass."

LITERARY SOCIETY

The seniors, juniors and sophomores met in the auditorium last Tuesday morning, Oct. 19, to elect the officers of the literary society of the high school.

The junior candidates were: President, Ernestine Holder Vice president, Cecil McEntire Secretary, Alma Lee Hankins Critic, Allen Dorsey Sergeant-at-arms, Allen Sherrod Reporter, Bessie Flournoy Treasurer, John Nobles Jr.

The senior candidates were: President, Lucille McMullan Vice president, Murray Fasken Secretary, Kathleen Scruggs Critic, Marie Cook Sergeant-at-arms, A. B. Cole Reporter, Dorris Black Treasurer, Kathryn Cosper The senior candidates were elected.

JUST FRIENDS FT. WORTH—Judge George Hovey and Arthur L. Brown are old friends. The first man the judge ever sentenced was Brown. That was in 1917. Four years ago he sentenced him for the second time. This time he sent Brown up for two years on 14 theft charges.

IT COSTS MORE, BUT—MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Mrs. Minnie Griebling is willing to pay \$14.01 more than her \$1 fine to obtain an appeal after she was fined that amount on a disorderly conduct charge. She contends that her estranged husband had something to do with the charge and that he was using it to thwart her attempt to secure a divorce. Her counsel had her fine raised to \$15.01 so she could appeal the case.

and evening at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Mass on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and Thursday at 7:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST J. A. McCall, Pastor Bible study—10:00 a. m. Preaching and Communion—11:00 a. m.

Young People's service—6:30 p. m. Preaching—7:30 p. m. Ladies Bible class Tuesday afternoon at 3:30.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting and Bible study at 8 o'clock. Preaching to be conducted by Mr. J. A. McCall. All visitors are invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH Christian Science services will be held in the Veale Music studio, in the Daniel building, 215 N. Colorado. Sunday services are at 11 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A loving welcome is extended to all to attend the services.

Helpful Health Suggestions By Martha Bredemeier

St. Paul Association Sponsors Dental Contest

A dental improvement contest, recently sponsored by the St. Paul Council of Parent-Teachers associations, was successful in creating a new interest in health among more than 8,000 children from 21 schools.

Contestants were rated according to their adherence to specific health rules that had been laid down by the sponsors, and they were given an extra fifty points if they submitted a slip from their dentist showing that their teeth were in perfect condition.

Schools in the contest were graded according to their enrollment, and silver trophies were awarded the ones having the highest point average in each group. The winning schools showed averages as high as 95.5 per cent. Rules for the contest follow:

Drink one and a half pints of milk each day. Eat two vegetables daily. Eat tomatoes or fruits every day. Omit coffee and tea from the diet. Eat one cereal a day. Eat no sweets between meals. Get from 10 to 12 hours of sleep each night. Observe regular health habits.

HARD LUCK CHAMP MEMPHIS, Tenn.—The hard luck championship of the world is claimed by Thomas Rhodes, 17. His car stalled on a railroad track recently and a train sidwiped it, wrecking it, but leaving Rhodes uninjured. He was tried and convicted after the accident on a charge of careless driving.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Howard Peters, Pastor 9:45 a. m.—Bible school. H. G. Bedford, Supt. 11:00 a. m.—Communion and sermon. The minister will speak on "The Grace of Kindness."

6:30 p. m.—Meeting of all Endeavor Societies. 7:30 p. m.—Sermon. "Drifting Away From God."

Let every member of the church endeavor to be present at all the services of Sunday. We will have special music and special sermons.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Winston Borum, pastor One of the faculty members at the pep rally Friday morning urged our football team to go into the game with tears of hate. Was he right? The principle involved will be discussed by Rev. Winston Borum, pastor of the First Baptist church at the Sunday morning hour 11 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "The Paradox of Hatred."

At the evening service, the pastor will preach on the subject, "Dead Man's Curve or Lover's Lane." The feature of the service will be an old-fashioned congregational song service of new and old hymns, choruses, etc. Rev. Borum will direct the song service with the trombone, assisted at the pianos by Mrs. Borum and Wallace Wimberly. The program will be interspersed with special numbers both instrumental and vocal.

Sunday school will begin at 9:45 with the newly elected officers in charge. Let all members back them up from the very start, and let's go over the 500 mark in attendance their first Sunday. The E. Y. P. U.'s will start at 6:15 by unions, and close with general exercises in the main auditorium. The new director, Mrs. L. A. Grantham, will be in charge.

The Woman's Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 in general session. The pastor will bring the second in a series of lectures on the general theme, "Our Lord and Ours."

Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30, followed at 8:30 by choir rehearsal under the direction of Prof. W. W. Lackey. The balance of the Sunday school and E. Y. P. U. faculty will be elected. Also there will be a report and recommendations from the board of deacons as to church offices and budget for the new year. Every member of the church is urged to be present. The Bible study course has been put off another week.

Mr. Louis (Red) Walton has been chosen orchestra director of that organization which will be featured every Sunday evening. He is calling the first rehearsal for Thursday evening next.

Come where a hearty welcome, an interesting program, and a spiritual blessing await you.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH The Friendly Church Sunday school—9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor—7 p. m.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS O. W. Roberts, Pastor Preaching services at the tabernacle in the morning at 11 o'clock.

Personals Miss Theresa Robinson of Canyon spent Thursday afternoon visiting friends here. She was en route to Crane. C. P. Martin, representing G. M. A. C. of El Paso is in Midland for a few days. H. L. Christian, cattle buyer of El Paso, is here on a business visit. C. G. Campbell left this morning for his home in Ranger after spending several days in Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Benton Collins and daughter left today for a trip to Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Finley are spending several days in New Mexico on a business trip. W. H. Goebel and E. J. Erickson of New York and C. R. Miner of Lubbock were business visitors here Thursday evening. J. C. Behne, internal revenue representative of Abilene, is in Midland today. W. L. Brown of the Gulf Production company is in San Angelo today transacting business. William D. Malcolm of Dallas arrived in Midland yesterday and will be here several days on business. Tarrant county leads Texas counties in the production of improved varieties of pecans. Denton boasts one of Texas' largest artificial lakes, 16,000 acres, and costing five million dollars.

Miss Ustane Tynes of Fort Worth is a house guest of Mrs. R. B. Cowden for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Houston Wayland of Plainview were visiting friends here this morning. The new commander of the American Legion in Texas, V. Earl Earp, of Sweetwater, is a native West Texan, and said to be the first to head the organization.

New Fall Dresses now in McMullan's.

Bob and Tom Boot and Shoe Shop 108 E. Wall St. Next door to Silver Grill Cafe

BOOTS AND SHOES Made to Measure Custom Repairing Plenty Parking Space All Work Guaranteed Prices Reasonable

We Can Repair Anything Made of Leather

Bob and Tom Boot and Shoe Shop Bob Mills Tom Jackson

Advertisement for Bob and Tom Boot and Shoe Shop, featuring an illustration of a shoemaker and a customer.

Large advertisement for 'Grocery and Meat SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY, OCT. 31st' listing various items like grapefruit, pineapple, cherries, and beef ribs with prices. Includes a section for 'ROBERT'S MARKET SPECIALS' and 'SELF SERVE GROCERY'.

MIDLAND PEP SQUAD AND BAND TO BROADCAST OVER RADIO SAT.

75 CARS SIGNED FOR TRIP; DUSTY WALLER TURNING LOBBY OF HILTON INTO PURPLE, GOLD HEADQUARTERS

In the face of predictions that Midland will lose to San Angelo Saturday by four touchdowns and four extra points, the most intensive preparation that has ever been made in Midland for an out-of-town game is engaging attention of school authorities and special committees.

Fifty cars had been signed up this morning for transportation of three school organizations, the band and pep squad. The Midland Motor Caravan that leaves here at 8 o'clock Saturday morning, at no cost to Midland, with the compliments of the Hilton hotel, "Midland headquarters." We are making extensive plans for your arrival in town and the Hilton lobby will look like a field of purple and gold."

FOOTBALL GAMES, OCTOBER 31

EAST		1930 Score
Carnegie Tech vs Notre Dame	Pittsburgh	6-21
Yale vs Dartmouth	New Haven	0-0
Cornell vs Columbia	Ithaca	7-10
Harvard vs Virginia	Cambridge	
Boston Col. vs Georgetown	Boston	19-20
Holy Cross vs Brown	Worcester	0-13
Illinois vs Bucknell	Seranton	14-20
Army vs Colorado Col.	West Point	
Pennsylvania vs Lafayette	Philadelphia	
New York U. vs Oregon	New York	
Penn State vs Pittsburgh	State College	12-19
Princeton vs Michigan	Princeton	
West Virginia vs Kansas Aggies	Morgantown	23-7
Amherst vs Mass. Aggies	Amherst	22-6
Bowdoin vs Bates	Brunswick	0-13
Boston U. vs Rhode Island	Boston	0-14
Colgate vs Mississippi Col.	Hamilton	34-0
Davis and Elkins vs Georgia State	Elkins	
Rutgers vs Delaware	New Brunswick	40-0
Swarthmore vs Dickinson	Swarthmore	
Fordham vs West Liberty	New York	
Lehigh vs Muhlenberg	Bethlehem	0-24
Loyola (Baltimore) vs West Md.	Baltimore	7-40
Navy vs West Virginia Wesleyan	Annapolis	37-14
New Hampshire vs Tufts	Durham	8-10
Williams vs Union	Williamstown	14-0
CENTRAL		
Northwestern vs Illinois	Evanston	32-0
Chicago vs Purdue	Chicago	7-26
Indiana vs Ohio State	Bloomington	0-23
Minnesota vs Wisconsin	Minneapolis	0-14
Michigan State vs Syracuse	East Lansing	
Iowa vs George Washington U.	Iowa City	
Detroit vs Loyola (New Orleans)	Detroit	6-9
North Dakota vs N. D. State	Grand Forks	14-7
Butler vs Wabash	Indianapolis	
Grinnell vs Carleton	Grinnell	14-13
So. Dakota U. vs C. Dakota St.	Sioux Falls	6-13
Ohio U. vs Ohio Wesleyan	Athens	20-0
Oberlin vs Western Reserve	Oberlin	13-9
ROCKY MOUNTAIN		
Col. Teachers vs Brigham Young	Greeley	7-7
Utah vs Colorado Aggies	Salt Lake City	39-0
Montana vs Montana State	Butte	13-6
Denver vs Western State	Denver	
Utah Aggies vs Montana Mines	Logan	
WEST		
Stanford vs U. C. L. A.	Palo Alto	20-0
Oregon St. vs Washington St.	Portland	7-14
California vs Nevada	Berkeley	8-0
Washington vs Whitman	Seattle	46-0
Idaho vs Gonzaga	Moscow	26-0
Col. of Puget Sound vs Williamette	Tacoma	0-21
Temple State vs Arizona	Tempe	0-6
SOUTH		
Tulane vs Mississippi A&M	New Orleans	53-0
Tennessee vs Duke	Knoxville	
N. Carolina St. vs N. Carolina	Raleigh	6-13
William & Mary vs Wash. & Lee	Norfolk	
Maryland vs Virginia Poly. Inst.	College Park	12-7
Florida vs Georgia	Gainesville	0-0
Auburn vs Spring Hill	Auburn	13-0
Davidson vs Va. Mil. Inst.	Davidson	0-6
Louisiana St. U. vs Sewanee	Baton Rouge	12-0
Georgia Tech vs Vanderbilt	Atlanta	0-6
Alabama vs Kentucky	Tuscaloosa	19-0
Furman vs Wofford	Greenville	14-0
Centenary vs Texas A&M	Shreveport	6-7
Centre vs Mercer	Darville	
SOUTHWEST		
Missouri vs Nebraska	Norman	19-13
Oklahoma vs Iowa State	Columbia	0-0
Kansas vs Oklahoma A&M	Lawrence	
Arkansas vs Texas Christian	Fayetteville	0-40
Southern Methodist vs Texas	Dallas	7-25
Baylor vs Texas Tech	Waco	
Washington U. vs Drake	St. Louis (night)	0-12

Over two hundred families are carrying a beef each in Dickens county.

The city council of Dallas recently adopted a 25-year gas franchise to a New York concern.

Why Pay More when the best can be had for less?

K-B

That Famous Line of

Poultry and Stock Feeds

Sold by

FARMERS' COOPERATIVE GIN

Phone 199 Midland

Three hundred thousand cans of home preserved foods are being put up in Lamb county this season.

A home products exhibit features the observation of home products week in Plainview recently participated in by 29 local manufacturing concerns.

MIDLAND LODGE
No. 623 A. F. & A. M.

Stated communications 2nd and 4th Thursday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons invited.

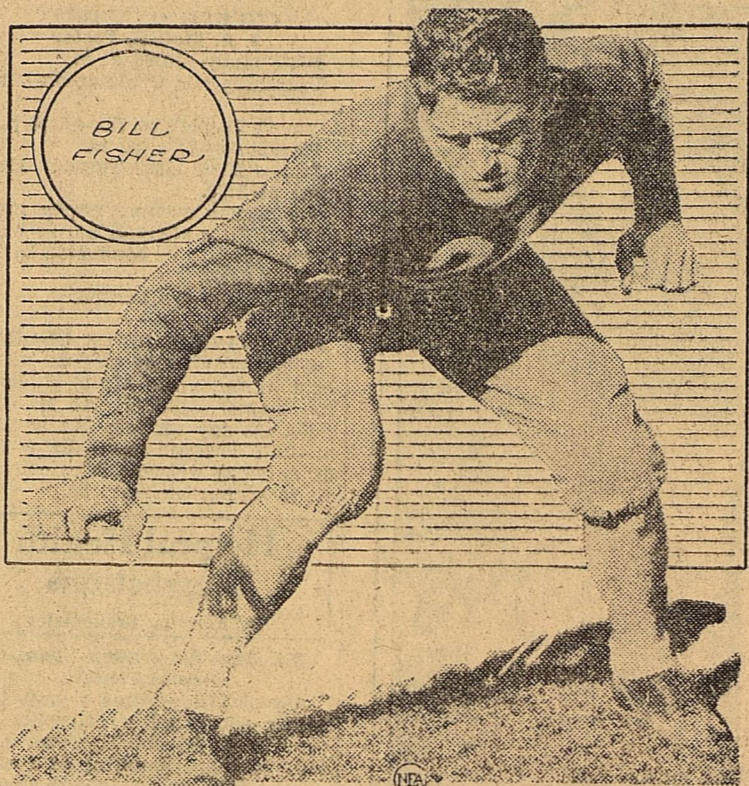
Henry Butler, W. M.
Claude O. Crane, Secy.

Keystone Chapter
No. 172
R. A. M.

Stated communications first Tuesday of each month, 7:30. All members and visiting Chapter Masons invited.

M. D. JOHNSON, H. P.
Claude O. Crane, Secy.

NOTRE DAME IN FRONT AS GRID TEAMS START THEIR LAST LAP



rumblings from the seaboard. Chick Meehan's hat is in the ring. His New York university team has power and versatility and it's exceptionally well coached. The New York U. and Georgia game of Nov. 7 will be about as close to an intercollegiate championship contest as any game of the season.

The Fighting Irish have had great teams in four of the last five years. Northwestern, Michigan and Purdue in recent seasons have made the middle west's intercollegiate edge even more convincing. "That supremacy may or may not be tottering this fall. The season is half gone and there is no new champion in sight, simply because no team has yet knocked off the old champ. Hunk Anderson has kept the Rockne spirit flaming. Notre Dame should not have much trouble with Carnegie Tech, Penn. or Navy. The Southern California and Army hurdles look plenty high."

SPORTS REPORTS

You've seen something in this column occasionally for the past two years concerning Dusty Waller. Hilton hotel manager in San Angelo. Now we want you to go around and meet this young fellow. Beyond being one of the youngest hotel managers in the state and one of the most successful, he's in a class by himself in every respect. From our morgue we took a "pen portrait" written by Allan C. Hurst, associate editor of The American Greeter, and manager of the great Knickerbocker hotel, Chicago. The article, in part, follows, and gives you some idea of what type fellow this Dusty is. He will see that Midland headquarters in his hotel will be just that—Midland. He was manager of the Scharbauer once, you'll remember. Here's what we promised:

"Four months after the vanguard of Greater precepts entered El Paso and penetrated the mind of Dusty Waller, then manager of the beautiful Hussman hotel in El Paso, this same sterling young man stood on the floor of the convention in St. Petersburg and cordially invited 10,000 members of the Greeters' organization and auxiliary to come to El Paso for their next convention. This is the most outstanding accomplishment of its kind in the annals of Greeterism, and this writer doubts whether it has ever been duplicated in the history of any nationwide organization."

"That is courage and it is emblematic of the spirit of hospitality which has made Texas and Texans beloved throughout the world. Incidentally, the Greeters came to Texas, to El Paso and marvelled at the elaborate arrangements, the perfection of detail, and above all, the superb, all enveloping welcome. "Dusty" stands six feet in his stocking feet; is well proportioned physically; is handsome, a perfect picture of a man, and we are going to admit the only one we have ever seen who seemed properly dressed in a ten-gallon hat. No movie star, no hero of the films with all the benefits of expert direction ever could look as real as Dusty Waller. Dressed as his neighbors used to dress—as thoroughly a part of the setting as the cactus of the plains itself."

Telephone Bowl Team Is Winner

Bell Telephone company defeated Texas Electric Service company in the city bowling league Thursday evening, 264 pins. All teams in the league have won and lost a game.

A HORSE! A HORSE!

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—A king once offered his kingdom for a horse. but while Mrs. Anna Stout, 52, hasn't a kingdom, she'd be willing to do most anything for a horse. The one she had recently died and she is now without one to use in hauling firewood, by which she ekes out a living. She is a widow and has been supporting her young daughter for six years.

MALE STYLE SHOW
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 29.—Wilhelma Doerfer just received a divorce decree because her husband enjoyed a quiet little parade all his own. It was quiet for him, but very humiliating for Mrs. Doerfer. She explained that her hubby became intoxicated and paraded through her dressmaking shop in his underwear. That would have been all right, she said, if the shop hadn't been full of women customers at the time.

A natural gas distribution system has been recently completed in Santa Anna.

Streams around Brady recently received fifteen thousand fish from the San Angelo hatchery.

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



Punches, Thrills At Grand Theatre

Punches and thrills! Everybody expects them in a Buck Jones western—and they always get it. "Branded," Columbia's latest starring vehicle for Buck Jones, that opened at the Grand theatre today, does not fall short in these respects—in fact, it comes through with flying colors. But, in addition, there is an innovation. Here is a "shoot-in" and ridin'" feature with enough hilarious comedy to warrant a robust laugh every minute. Past as you get your breath after seeing Buck swing across a canyon suspended to his stirrup by one foot, you lose it again in a loud guffaw at some ludicrous comedy antic that is as diverting as it is unexpected. The fact is, the whole plot of

"Branded" is built on a basis that gives plenty of latitude for laughs. The trouble all starts when Dale gets in a scrap with Lou Preston about a strip of land that forms a boundary of his newly inherited ranch. The Dales had formerly leased it to the Prestons but when Lou waxes facetious over the fact that Tom's real name is Cluthbert Cavanaugh, the sensitive cowboy resolves to retaliate by barring her from his premises. All this leads to a merry battle, that becomes a near tragedy when Joe Moore, Lou's manager, gets jealous of Tom and attempts to implicate him in some evil business. Ethel Kenyon makes a pretty vis-à-vis for the big cowboy, and Al Smith is sufficiently annoying as the jealous manager. Moore, John Oscar does well in a comedy role, and others who deserve mention are

Bob Kortman, Wallace MacDonald, Fred Burns, and Harry Todd. Ross Lederman's direction is capable throughout.

RENT WITH CLASSIFIEDS

BOWLING

Free instructions to ladies from 4 to 5:30 Monday and Thursday of each week.

City Bowling League starts Tuesday.

All teams must register by Wednesday.

MIDLAND BOWLING ALLEY

Feed Is As Good As Cash

The Reporter-Telegram is accepting from Midland county farmers bundle hegari or maize in payment of subscriptions, either new or renewal, allowing four cents per bundle.

If you are not a subscriber to the paper, bring us 125 bundles of maize or hegari and get the paper for a year. If you are already a subscriber, the offer holds good on renewing the subscription, bringing it up to date or paying for a year in advance.

The feed must be brought to the vacant lot opposite the newspaper office any time before noon Saturday.

At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon the entire lot of feed will be auctioned. Midland cattlemen and livestock feeders will be there to bid. You may find a buyer for some more feed if you have more to sell.

READ YOUR HOME TOWN PAPER EVERY DAY

USE YOUR FEED FOR MONEY

The Reporter-Telegram

Midland Lodge No. 145 KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

Meets every Monday night at Castle Hall over Hokus - Pokus Store.

Frank Stubbeman, C. C.
R. D. Lee, K. R. S.

CLASSIFIEDS

PHONE 77

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND INFORMATION

Cash must accompany all orders for classified ads, with a specified number of days for each to be inserted.

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. ERRORS appearing in classified ads will be corrected without charge by notice given immediately after the first insertion.

RATES:
2c a word a day
4c a word two days
5c a word three days.

MINIMUM charges:
1 Day 25c
2 Days 50c
3 Days 80c.
FURTHER information will be given gladly by calling—
77

Wanted

WANTED TO RENT: Good sewing machine, portable or standard size, for about one week. 808 West Kansas, or call for Scott at Phone 77.

Lost and Found

LOST: Elk emblem on tooth. Return to S. M. Warren, Reporter-Telegram or phone 77. Reward. 196-2

For Sale or Trade

BOYS OVERCOAT, size 2, good a. new, for sale cheap. Phone 128. 193-4d1

FOR SALE: Grocery and market six miles of Wink in oil field; would consider some trade; \$1,500 stock. Box 185, Wink, Texas. 199-3p

Apartments

THREE-ROOM apartment; utilities furnished; \$25 month; private entrance; garage. 409 West Texas. 199-3z

THREE rooms, bath; garage; two blocks from high school. 407 North Marienfield. 200-3p

TWO LARGE southeast rooms; utilities furnished; rent reasonable; garage; phone 100. 199-3z

NICE apartment in duplex; two beds; garage; also small apartments. 101 East Ohio. 201-2z

LOST: Platinum wedding ring. Contains three diamonds. Return to Mrs. Andrew Northington. Phone 768. 201-3z

Today's Variety Bazaar

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Hourly.
- 6 Constellation called the "Hare."
- 11 To combine.
- 12 To rub out.
- 13 Unit of work.
- 15 Windsor, Canada, adjoins what U. S. city?
- 17 Feline animal.
- 20 West Indian corkwood.
- 22 To elicit.
- 24 Deserts.
- 25 Swoon.
- 29 Metal.
- 30 Pause.
- 31 Snake.
- 32 Saucy.
- 33 In.
- 34 Custom.
- 35 Heavy flightless bird.
- 38 Receded.
- 40 To eject.
- 44 Heathen god.
- 45 Closes with wax.
- 46 Uncouth.
- 47 Ejector.
- 49 Stories.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

FARMERS' PURPORT

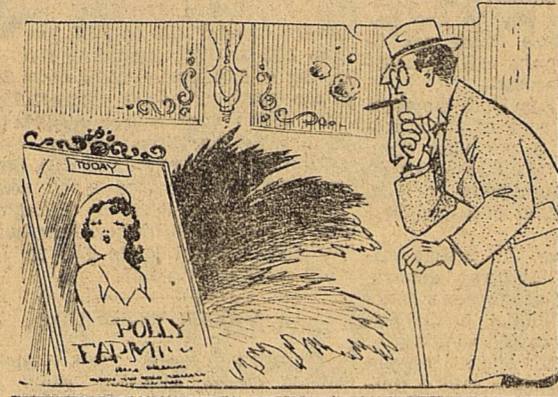
VERTICAL

- 1 Our chief justice of the supreme court.
- 2 Upon.
- 3 Drive.
- 4 Supped.
- 5 To rent.
- 6 Lion.
- 7 Silkworm.
- 8 Crown of the head.
- 9 You and me.
- 10 To get.
- 13 Title in Turkey.
- 14 Contest of speed.
- 16 Sudden invasion by police.
- 18 Acidity.
- 19 Wigwag.
- 21 Fore.
- 23 Order of insects to which the mosquito belongs.
- 25 Three goddesses who determine the cause of human life.
- 26 Brick house in New Mexico.
- 27 Stair post.
- 28 Steps upon.
- 35 Prima donna.
- 36 Smell.
- 37 Sensility.
- 41 Fish.
- 42 Thought.
- 43 Examination.
- 48 To rant.
- 49 Head of the kingdom of Russia.
- 52 Males.
- 53 Ancient.
- 54 Morsel.
- 55 Eucharist wine vessel.
- 58 Exist.
- 60 To depart.

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

DASH IT ALL! IT'S PERFECTLY RIDICULOUS TO THINK ANY MORE OF IT... BUT STILL, I'D A BIT RATHER CORA HADN'T SEEN ME OUT RIDING WITH KITTY YESTERDAY. IT WAS A COINCIDENCE, PURE AND SIMPLE, BUT CORA WOULD NEVER BELIEVE IT! WOMEN ARE QUEER, THAT WAY.



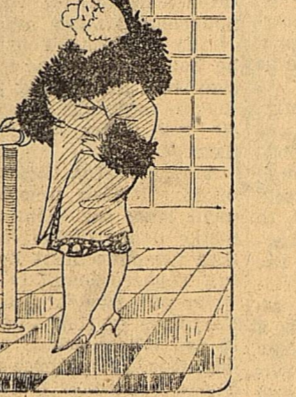
Framed!

KITTY AND I ARE OLD CHUMS, AND... ONE, PLEASE.



Look Out, Wash!

WHY, HELLO KITTY! I WAS JUST GOING IN HERE FOR A FEW MINUTES TO KILL SOME TIME.



By Martin

WELL, TWO'S A PARTY! LET'S GO.



By Crane

CLARA, LOOK! THERE'S PROOF TUTT AGAIN, THE WRECH, WITH THAT SAME BLOND WE'VE SEEN HIM WITH LATELY! PRETTY BRAZEN, I CALL IT... CARRYING ON AN AFFAIR OF THIS KIND, RIGHT UNDER HIS WIFE'S NOSE.



By Blosser

IMAGINE FINDING THEM HERE TOGETHER! WAIT TILL I TELL THE GIRLS... AND I CERTAINLY INTEND TO TELL CORA, TOO... POOR THING.



5. Houses

FURNISHED
FOUR-ROOM furnished house; close in; priced reasonable. Phone Mrs. W. L. Holmsley, 138. 196-6z
FIVE-ROOM furnished brick house located 609 W. Michigan. Sec Chas. Kerr, 110 E. Missouri. 200-3p

11. Employment

WANTED: Man to run nursery yard in Midland; nursery experience necessary; we furnish everything. Waxahachie Nursery Co., Waxahachie, Texas. 201-3z

15 Miscellaneous

SEWING done at reasonable prices; men's and women's coats repaired. Mrs. M. L. Harrison, 206 A West Ohio. 194-10z

PROFESSOR Knight, America's foremost seer, is now at El Campo Moderno, readings daily. This is the man you have heard so much about. 196-8p

FOR SALE: Large chrysanthemums; Mrs. Eaves and Mrs. Rosenbaum, phone 86. 197-6p

TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS who have patronized us in the past we wish to thank you. We are closing our present location and expect to open in a new location shortly. CHEVROLET SERVICE STATION, J. R. Vandeventer. 200-3p

NOTICE: All persons having repair jobs in the Dorsey Boot Shop will please call for same at once by order of the referee in bankruptcy. 201-2z

HE'LL STICK TO GLASS

PRATT, Kan.—Several plates of broken glass is nothing in the daily menu of Jack Redcloud, carnival glass eater. But when it comes to green apples, Redcloud is stopped. He recently ate two of them between his meals of glass and was attacked with acute indigestion. He spent a few days in a hospital.

A LOT OF PULL

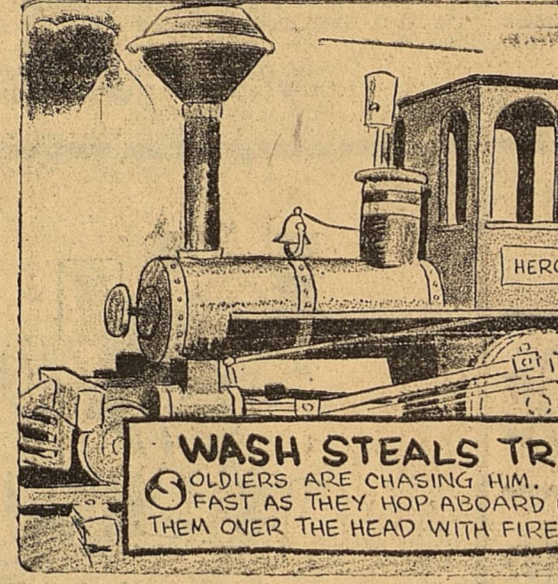
MONTREAL.—The Canadian Pacific Railway's newest super-locomotive has lots of pull. In a recent test this new type of engine pulled a train a mile and a third long. The locomotive is about 100 feet long, weighs 400 tons, and is said to be the most powerful in the world. It is built for service over the Canadian Rockies.

PARK ON OWN SIDE

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—Several Milwaukee motorists received parking tickets recently when the suburb of Wauwatosa changed its traffic regulations over night. The motorists had been parking their cars on the Wauwatosa side of the street marking the boundary between the two cities, because Milwaukee ruled parking off its side. Wauwatosa has now ruled parking off its side.

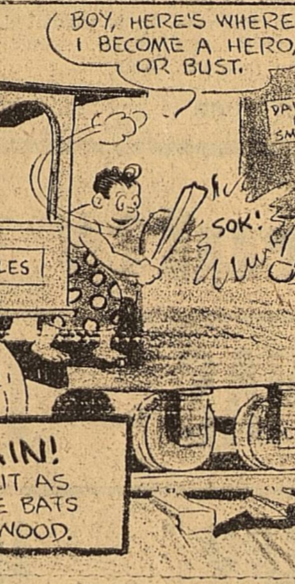
Twelve car loads of machinery were necessary for use in building an earth fill at Lake Brownwood, at Brownwood.

WASH TUBBS



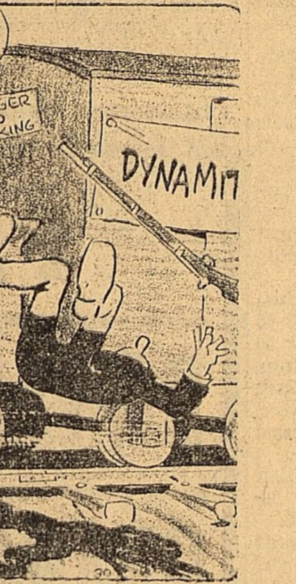
WASH STEALS TRAIN! SOLDIERS ARE CHASING HIM, BUT AS FAST AS THEY HOP ABOARD HE BATS THEM OVER THE HEAD WITH FIRE WOOD.

Oscar's Dog!



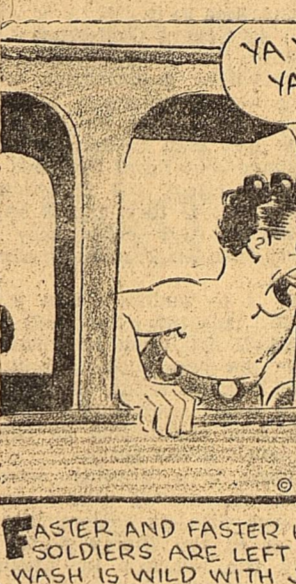
HEY! HOW'D YA GET HIM OUT? OH...WE JUST TALKED NICE TO HIM AN' HE CAME OUT... FINDER'S KEEPERS, Y'KNOW.

By Small



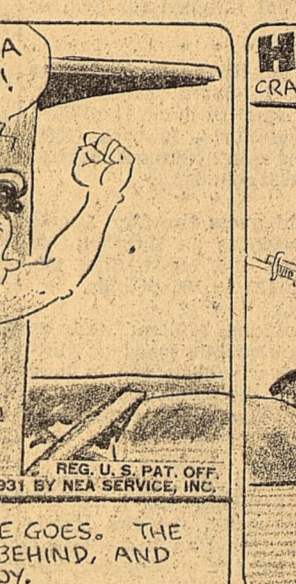
I GUESS NOT! HES MY DOG, CAUSE I WAS FIRST TO START AFTER HIM WHEN HE GOT AWAY FROM THE DOG CATCHER-- AN' I SPENT TEN CENTS ON HIM ALREADY, TOO... HES MINE, I TELL YOU!!

By Blosser



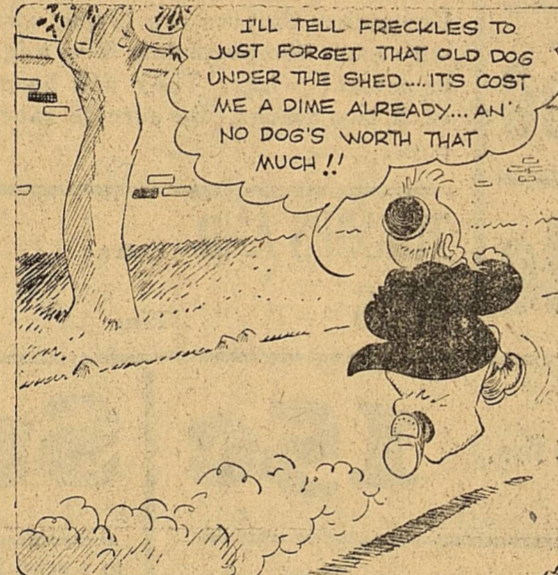
OH, ALL RIGHT...I WOULDNT WANT A BIG DOG LIKE THIS KISSIN ME, ANYWAY... AN' BESIDES, WE GOT JUMBO!!

By Blosser



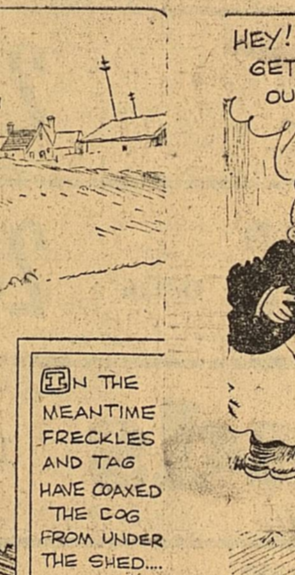
YEAH...THERE ISNT ANOTHER DOG LIKE OUR JUMBO!!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



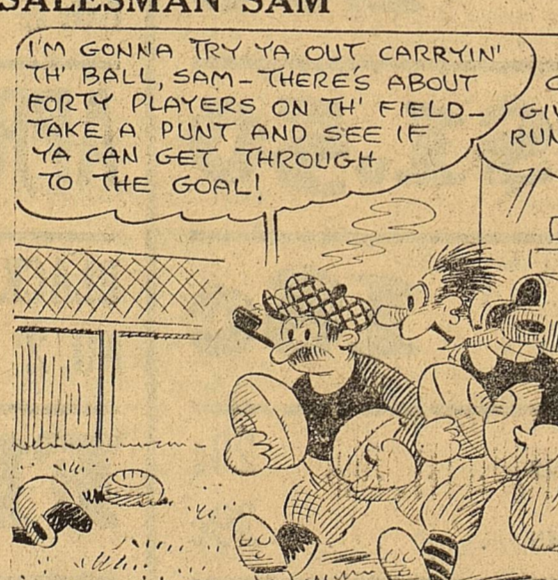
I'LL TELL FRECKLES TO JUST FORGET THAT OLD DOG UNDER THE SHED...ITS COST ME A DIME ALREADY... AN' NO DOG'S WORTH THAT MUCH!!

By Blosser



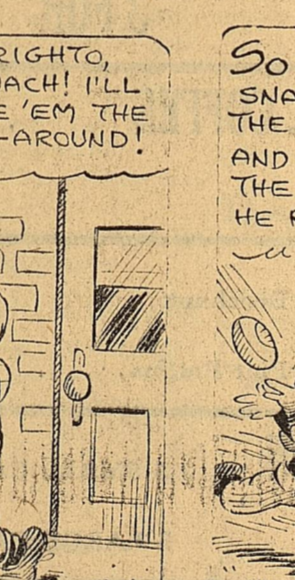
IN THE MEANTIME FRECKLES AND TAG HAVE COINED THE DOG FROM UNDER THE SHED...

SALESMAN SAM



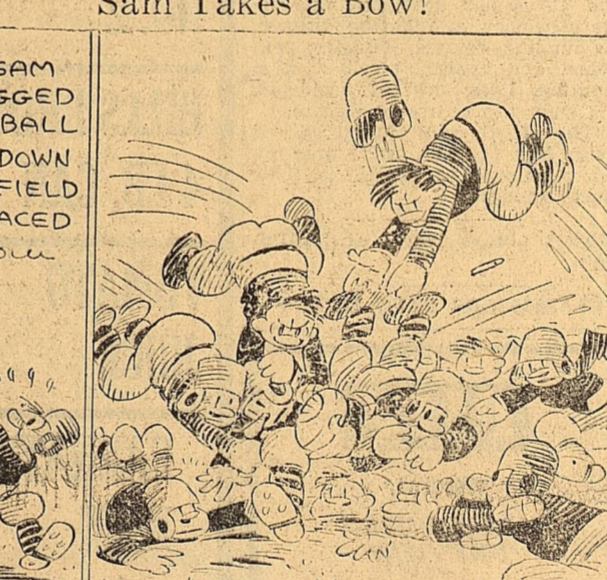
I'M GONNA TRY YA OUT CARRYIN' TH' BALL, SAM--THERE'S ABOUT FORTY PLAYERS ON TH' ABOUT-- TAKE A PUNT AND SEE IF YA CAN GET THROUGH TO THE GOAL!

By Williams



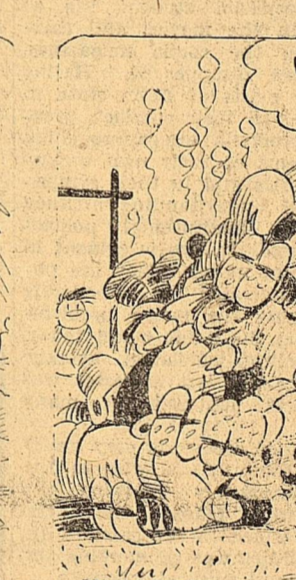
RIGHTO, COACH! I'LL GIVE 'EM THE RUN-AROUND!

Sam Takes a Bow!



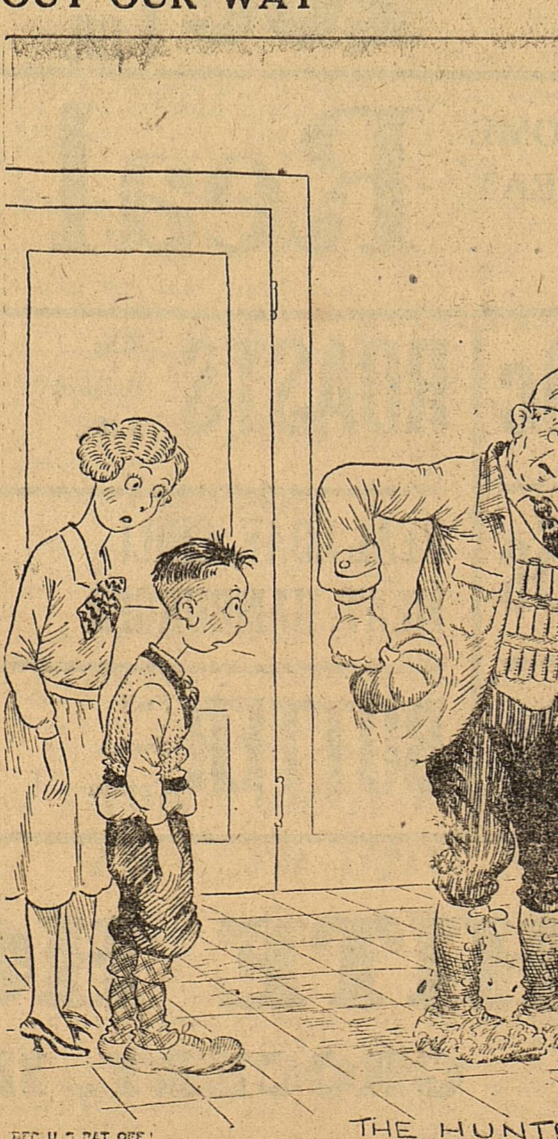
SO SAM SNAGGED THE BALL AND DOWN THE FIELD HE RACED.

By Small



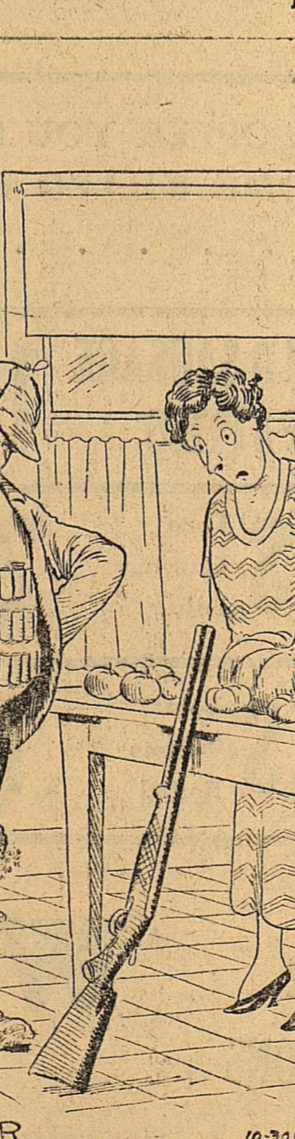
HI, OL' COACH! DIDJA SEE HOW NEATLY I SIDETRACKED THOSE FIRST TWO PLAYERS?

OUT OUR WAY



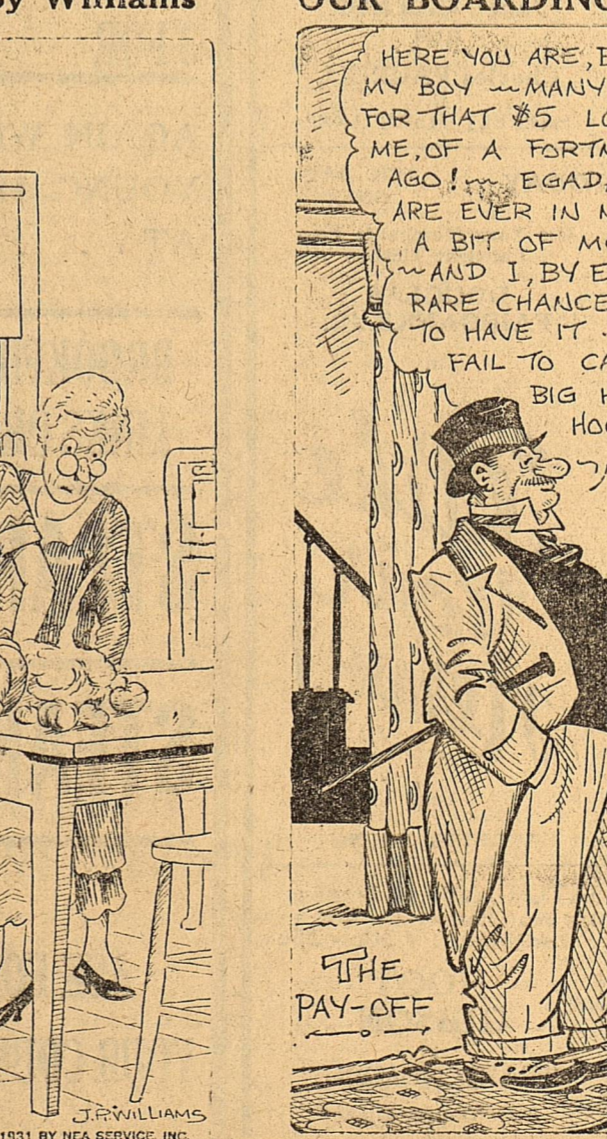
HERE YOU ARE, BARKER MY BOY--MANY THANKS FOR THAT \$5 LOAN TO ME, OF A FORTNIGHT AGO! EGGAD, IF YOU ARE EVER IN NEED OF A BIT OF MONEY-- AND I, BY EXTREME RARE CHANCE, HAPPEN TO HAVE IT-- DON'T FAIL TO CALL ON BIG HEARTED HOOPLE!

By Williams



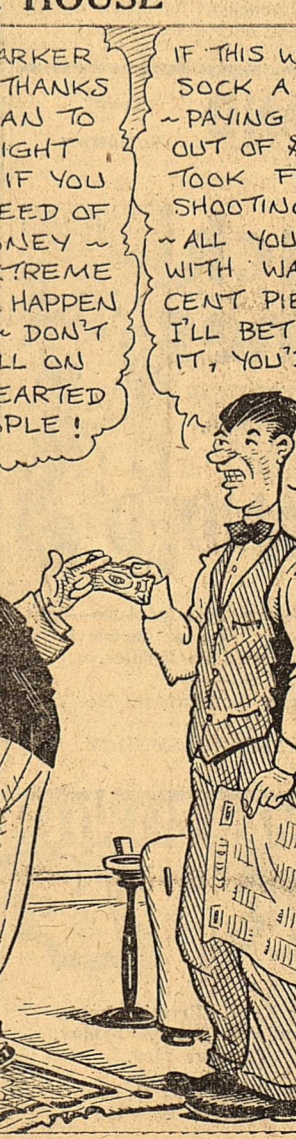
IF THIS WOULDN'T SOCK A GARTER!--PAYING ME BACK OUT OF \$23 HE TOOK FROM ME, SHOOTING DICE!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



HOLD THAT POSE, MAJOR, AN' GIVE ME AT LEAST \$5 ON ACCOUNT--IF YOU DON'T, I'LL SOUND TH' ALARM THRU EVERY MIDDLESEX AN' FARM, THAT YOU'RE LADEN WITH MONEY!

By Ahern



THE PAY-OFF

CROPS GOOD BUT BUSINESS SLOW IN ITS RETURN

DALLAS, Tex., Oct. 29. (UP)—With most major crops showing a good yield, the farmers of Texas are in a good position to hold the cost of production of 1932 crops to a low level, but business failed to show much revival generally in the state during the last month, the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas said Saturday in its monthly reports.

"The production of all major and most minor crops will greatly exceed that of a year ago, which will materially aid the farmers in making adjustments to present conditions," the report states. "With an abundance of feed and large supplies of food for use during the coming year, the district's farmers are in a strategic position to hold the cost of producing 1932 crops to a low level."

"The low prices being received for cash crops have impaired the farmer's debt paying and purchasing power, yet this condition is being partially overcome by the intensive effort of farmers to gather crops with family labor."

Harvesting proceeded rapidly. The lack of moisture, however, retarded the prospective yields of some crops and delayed the seeding of winter grains, but the light to heavy rains which fell over a large area of the state toward the middle of October benefited late maturing crops and enabled farmers to proceed with seeding and plowing. Ranges are reported to have deteriorated rapidly in some sections during September due to lack of moisture. Livestock generally remained in good flesh and the situation was improved by the recent rains.

Unseasonable warm weather that prevailed this fall affected adversely the distribution of merchandise in both wholesale and retail channels. While sales of department stores in larger cities reflected an increase of 22 per cent over the previous month, it was less than seasonal and sales were 27 per cent smaller than a year ago. Sales in most lines of wholesale trade were larger than in the previous month, and in some instances were more than seasonal.

Dean Says Studes Getting Serious

By A. R. WARNOCK, Dean of Men
The Pennsylvania State College, STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Oct. 30. (UP)—The seriousness of the nation-wide depression has been reflected in the Penn State student body this year, but not in the way some of us expected. Instead of a decrease in the size of the enrollment, which might have been expected, a material increase has come. To a considerable extent, business conditions and home conditions are responsible.

Fokker Tricked Both Entente and Allies

LONDON, Oct. 30. (UP)—How Anthony Fokker tricked the allies is revealed in a book entitled "Flying Dutchman," which has just been written by Fokker.

Blondy Will Take Care of Jimmietta

By BLONDY CROSS (Angelo Sports-writer)
SAN ANGELO, Oct. 30.—Data received this morning from Midland high school officials reveals L. K. Barry's starting team here Saturday afternoon in the district 4 tilt with Harry Taylor's high schoolers likely will be outweighed but not necessarily outspeeded. The Midland starting team is said to be unusually fast. The weights we have given us, net weights which it is presumed means the poundage per nude athlete unshackled by shoulder pads, heavy pants and large shoes, place the Midland line at an average of 154 pounds and the backfield at 149.

Barry has a quartet of 160-pounders in his starting forward wall, a couple hovering at 150 pounds and an end coming in several pounds under 150. San Angelo's starting forwards average around 168 to 170 pounds, but that's in full grid regalia and not stripped for gym or showers.

Midland has three fair-sized backs in Captain L. Burris, quarterback, (150 pounds); Sherrod, halfback, (153) and Hallman, fullback (158). Midkiff, the other halfback, is said to weigh 135 pounds.

We would guess the San Angelo backfield weights as Harrison 142 pounds, Reed 160, McGlothling 150, and Delker 185 to 190 pounds.

R. C. Hankins, Midland, tells us about 40 automobile loads of Midland rooters will likely roll in here Saturday for the game. San Angelo officials will have a grandstand section reserved for the visitors.

Urges Contribution To Red Cross Drive

Walter F. Brown, postmaster general of the United States, urged Midland people to join the Red Cross this year. This is the first year when nearly all of the money raised will be kept in Midland. The postmaster general says: "This year the call to membership in the American Red Cross is more than ever an appeal to patriotism. The nation is fortunate indeed to have at its command this humanitarian agency with its 50 years' experience in ministering to human needs. Through a half century the Red Cross has developed marvelous efficiency in relieving distress, its nursing reserve, disaster personnel and health services save countless lives, prevent accidents, and stem the course of disease."

WORLD GIVING U. S. MANTLE OF LEADERSHIP

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30. (UP)—International public opinion is clothing the United States with the mantle of leadership in the present world emergency because of her position as creditor and banker.

B. A. Rolfe Resigns To Take Vacation

NEW YORK.—B. A. Rolfe, famous as leader of the Lucky Strike dance orchestra, whose continuous and faithful service for over three years has been without precedent in radio broadcasting, is going abroad.

Escapes a Salary Cut; But no Funds

AUSTIN, Oct. 30. (UP)—Employees of the state, grateful over escaping a reduction in pay at the recent session of the legislature, now face a new difficulty.

Cattle Sales at Small Advances

FORT WORTH, Oct. 30.—Cattle receipts 1,000, including 500 calves. Market on butcher cows and low cutters active, steady to strong. Some sales at small advances. General trade in other classes of cattle poorly tested, notably steady.

Parsons and Bad Eggs Are Invited

Preachers of Midland and men who imagine they are bad eggs are invited to hear the "truth" about the church in the Men's class Sunday. The teacher promises to give the "low down" about "church business." Every man who "cusses" the churches and every man who likes the church is invited.

Early Bridge Not An Inconvenience

LAREDO, Tex., Oct. 30. (UP)—Although the international bridge between Laredo, Tex., and Nuevo Laredo, Mex., closes daily at 9 p. m. now, returning American celebrants are not being inconvenienced.

SELL WITH CLASSIFIEDS

SEATTLE.—Women neighbors of Alexander Mims wondered at his lack of manners. They passed him on the street and he failed to raise his hat in greeting. But this explains Mims' actions. He is nearsighted, and by mistake took a bottle of glue out of a cabinet in place of hair tonic. He put on his hat and it took him more than 15 minutes to cut it off after he had discovered his mistake. He had to have his head shaved.

CLASSIFIEDS DO THE WORK

When the United States enters the Geneva disarmament conference next February, it is believed its representatives will employ the war debt club to force a cut in military and naval budgets. They will, in effect, tell European nations that if they expect any revision of war debts they must pare down their military expenditures.

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Four hundred and forty-five varieties of field crops are under observation at the Texas Experiment Station farm at Chillicothe.

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DREAM VERIFIED

CASERTA, Italy. (UP)—Signor Nicola Greco, although dead, appeared before his wife in a dream and told her who had killed him, although it had been believed he had died accidentally.

STUCK UP

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BANANAS Dozen	16c
ORANGES Good Size	18c
GRAPE FRUIT (Texas) Nice Size 4 for	25c
LEMONS Dozen	24c

Vegetables

LETTUCE	5c
NEW POTATOES 10 lbs.	19c
CRANBERRIES 1/2 GAL.	35c
FRESH PUMPKIN	25c
YAMS 10 lbs.	25c

Spuds 10 lbs. **15c**

Sugar 10 lbs. **54c**

BROWN BEANS NO. 2 3 FOR	20c
HILLS BROS. COFFEE 4 LB. CAN	\$1.50
TOMATO JUICE Beechnut Pint Bottles	18c
CARNATION MILK 5 SMALL CANS	20c
5 LARGE CANS	39c
BROWN BEAUTY BEANS 3 FOR	20c

APRICOTS No. 2 **16c**

BLACK EYED PEAS NO. 2 3 FOR **20c**

Flour 48 lbs. **83c**

SALAD OIL Golden West Pint Bottle **26c**

Real Bargains

BROOKFIELD SAUSAGE LINKS OR PATTIES	19c
STEAKS Fore Quarter 3 lbs.	25c
STEAKS Loin T-Bone Round	19c
ROASTS Ribs Brisket 3 lbs.	25c
VEAL LOAF, CHILI MEAT, HAMBURGER	11c
BUTTER Full Sweet Cream	39c
SUGAR CURED BACON Lb. (whole) Lb. (sliced) The Strip	18c 20c 17c
BACON SWIFT PREMIUM BOX	31c
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