

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Slightly warmer Tuesday and in north portion tonight.

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ROAD BOND BILLS ARE RECEIVED

GOVERNMENT TO SETTLE DEBTS, SANS DEBATES

British Pound Down To Lowest Level Of History

LONDON, Nov. 28. (UP)—Premier MacDonald indicated in the house of commons today that the government would settle the question of paying the Dec. 15 installment to the United States without consulting parliament, believing a debate not to be to the interest of the public. In the meantime, British currency declined to the lowest level in history, a pound selling for \$3.19.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28. (UP)—The war debt crisis was thoroughly canvassed today by President Hoover in a lengthy conference with Secretaries Mills and Stimson. Mills said afterward, "We are waiting now to hear more from Great Britain and other nations."

White Enrollment Near the '31 Mark

A difference in white enrollment of only 37 since last year was reflected in the report of attendance of the city schools for the third month of the term.

According to figures from the office of Supt. W. W. Lackey, the attendance follows:

1932	1931	
High school	287	296
Junior high	343	367
North ward	175	175
South ward	203	189
Mexican school	19	49
Colored school	30	42
Total	1,039	1,118

King Picks His Christmas Cards

LONDON, (UP)—Thousands of people will receive Christmas cards from members of the British royal family this year.

The king has followed his usual custom of having some scene from England's history used on his Christmas card. This year he has chosen a reproduction of a painting by A. D. McCormick, entitled, "Sir Francis Drake Explains His Plans to Queen Elizabeth," the origin of which is in the king's possession. The accompanying greetings read: "Christmas Greetings and all good wishes for the coming year."

Queen Mary again shows her partiality for garden studies. There are two garden pictures, painted by Edith Andrews, on her card, with the inscription: "With all good wishes for a happy Christmas and a Bright New Year."

The Prince of Wales has chosen a view of old London Bridge, and the Duke of York has selected a picture of a ship, which is an incident in naval history—the mutiny of the "Bounty," in 1787, and the setting adrift of Lieutenant Blyth and his loyal men.

The Princess Royal also has chosen a garden study.

Queen Does Her Shopping Early

LONDON, (UP)—Queen Mary is busy with her Christmas shopping. But she is finding it more of a problem than usual, for with a household budget reduced by royal economies, she still has to find presents for over 1,200 people.

Her list includes members of the royal family from the king and the Prince of Wales down to her grandchildren; a host of friends, a still larger host of those who must be remembered; and a whole army of servants.

The queen insists on choosing each present herself, an unnecessary and arduous task, but she has a flair for picking the right thing and never gives the usual Christmas "wishes" to her guests.

Any day now her plum-colored limousine, with the royal arms minutely inscribed on the doors, is to be seen standing before some store in the west-end district. There will be a little knot of excited pedestrians waiting to see the queen enter her car; and there will be an unusual alertness among the shop assistants. Queen Mary, accompanied by a lady-in-waiting, never announces her intention of visiting any particular store, and she even has been unrecognized by customers standing next to her at a counter.

Some Queenly Presents

Among the purchases she already has made are china and glass, stationery, dress lengths of printed cotton materials, and colored household linen sets which, she remarked, would lend a welcome brightness to a home during the wintry weather.

She also has ordered several cigarette cases for her relatives, although she never gives smoking accessories to women.

The queen always insists on British goods, and, if possible, she chooses things made by ex-servicemen.

BROTHERHOOD MOVING

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers at Big Spring has extended invitations to several Midland men to attend a meeting on Nov. 30, at which time guests from over the state will be heard on a program.

Invitations were issued by E. L. Deason, president.

Stagg's Farewell



Here is Amos Alonzo Stagg, his old eyes protected by an alien pair of spectacles as he watched his Maroons lose their last game of the season to Wisconsin. The 70-year-old coach, who has been

in football for nearly half a century at Yale and Chicago, recently was declared too old as a mentor under the 70-year age ruling at the University of Chicago.

Pythians Will Meet Tonight

Knights of Pythians will hold a district meeting in Midland this evening. Many Knights and Pythian sisters from this area will attend, it was indicated.

Grand Chancellor John Lee Smith of Breckenridge will give the principal address. Grand Keeper of the Record and Seal Theo Yarbrough of Weatherford will also speak.

Terry Elkin Home Burns Down Sunday

The home of Terry Elkin, northwest of Midland and out of the city limits, was burned to the ground about 11 o'clock Sunday morning while the family was at church.

Much of the furniture was saved by a crowd that was attracted by the smoke and flames.

Elkin said today he didn't know how the fire started and that the property was almost a total loss, little insurance having been held. He does not plan to build back at the same place, he said.

GO TO SAN ANGELO

A worker's conference for Methodist churches in the San Angelo district will be held at San Angelo Tuesday from 10 o'clock to 3.

Several Midlanders will attend.

HOSPITAL CASES

J. A. Johnson has been released from a Midland hospital after receiving medical treatment.

Roy Lee of Lovington, who underwent an appendix operation several days ago, is reported improved.

Boy Carver was operated on Saturday for a ruptured appendix. Carver is employed with the Lone Star Construction company. He is in a serious condition Saturday evening, but is somewhat improved today.

J. W. McClellan from the C. C. Duffy lease was treated Saturday afternoon for a crushed foot.

SEVERAL ARE ILL

Captain G. B. Hallman of the high school football squad, was reported ill with influenza this afternoon.

The entire family of J. F. Nixon, employee of the Gulf tank farm, was sbed with that illness.

O. M. Bizzell, who lives east of Midland on the Joe Youngblood farm, is recovering slowly from pneumonia.

CONVICTS PRESENT FORGED PAROLES, GET MONEY AND SAUNTER FREEDOM

HUNTSVILLE, Nov. 28. (UP)—Penitentiary officials today were seeking an explanation of how four convicts tricked them with a forged "parole proclamation" letter, walked nonchalantly from the walls with \$5, a new suit and a handshake each.

The escape was one of the most brazen and most clever in history. The letter was typed on the governor's stationery, was postmarked from the capitol at Austin and bore the forged signatures of Paul Wakefield, Sterling's secretary.

DIST. GOVERNOR ANDERSON TALKS TO ROTARY CLUB

Speaking on the "Aims and Objectives of Rotary," H. C. (Andy) Anderson of Ranger addressed the Midland Rotary club today on the occasion of his 52nd official visit to the clubs of the 41st district, of which he is governor.

It was the district governor's first visit to Midland since his induction to office.

The program of Rotary International is divided into club, vocational, community and international service, the speaker said, and he pointed out the way for making each service outstanding for every Rotary club.

Before launching his subject, the district governor told of his visit to the International assembly at Victoria, Canada, at which the 77 districts of the world were well represented with 5,139 delegates.

"Is Rotary coming or going?" he asked. "While the international convention had prepared for only 3,000 guests, there were more than 5,000, that many more in attendance. During the past two years, when most other organizations, business, fraternal and otherwise, were showing the influence of the slump, the number of Rotary clubs increased and membership showed a decline of less than three per cent. In this district, Rotary has shown an increase each month. And now is the time of all times for Rotary clubs," he said.

Active influence of Rotary has spread to 60 nations, a far cry from 26 years ago when Paul Harris and three others met to organize the first Rotary club, Anderson said. The influence of the organization in preserving peace between nations was cited, with mention of prominent Rotarians in various countries, some of them being high in governmental affairs.

"The excellent standard of living in the United States makes all classes one at the Rotary luncheon," he said, "but in most foreign countries the unbalanced struggle for an existence makes for the man of lesser means having to deny himself considerably in order to join the club. In that regard, clubs in this country should show a wonderful growth in the next few years."

Charles Gregory of El Paso, associated with construction work done by the highway department, was a visitor.

DEMOS CALLED TO CONSIDER APPEAL PLANS

Garner Gives Sumner Resolution for Repeal

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28. (UP)—Chairman Hutton Sumner of the house judiciary committee announced today that in response to requests by "democratic leadership" he had called a meeting of the committee for Dec. 2 to consider a resolution for repeal of prohibition.

He said the resolution was personally handed to him today by John Garner.

The text of the proposed constitutional amendment, as made public, provides for outright repeal in accordance with democratic platform pledges and further, for ratification by specifically elected state conventions within seven years.

FATHER McGRATH HAS GOOD CROWD AT 1ST LECTURE

With a good attendance both in the morning at 10 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30, the series of dogmatic lectures at St. George's Catholic church, East Texas, sponsored by the Rev. Thomas J. S. McGrath, S. J., of Shreveport, La., got off with a promising start Sunday.

With "What Is Religion Good For?" for his subject at the morning services, the visiting lecturer said that religion "when rightly understood and properly put into practice, can be a great blessing to the family and for the individual." For 35 minutes the speaker held his listeners closely as he unfolded his subject and drove home his message by striking comparisons and examples.

Why a Catholic This Evening

The subject of the lecture this evening at 7:30 was "Why I Am Catholic." The general public is cordially invited. "Any one coming to Monday's lecture expecting to hear a tirade against those of other creeds will be greatly disappointed. My policy is to stick to my side of the fence, giving the scriptural and historical reasons for my belief and letting other believers alone," the speaker said.

Sunday evening, Father McGrath took "Twentieth Century Fools" for his theme and began his discourse with a reference to the time Colonel Robert Ingersoll is said to have taken out a watch and said "If there be a God, let Him strike me dead in five minutes."

"Although the incident was spectacular," the speaker said, "Ingersoll was saying nothing new in calling into question the existence of a Supreme Being. Sunday, who said of them, 'the fool hath said in his heart, there is no God.'"

"And since firm belief in a Supreme Being is so essential in a religious system, I have deemed it proper to introduce 'Twentieth Century Fools' into this present series; thus proving on what order grounds the matter on which you call the matter into question."

Proves God's Existence

Defining "God as a self-existent Supreme Being, Creator of all things, Lord and Master of all," Father McGrath said that the existence of a Supreme Being could be shown and proved by four arguments: First, by the consensus of mankind; second, by the finite chain of cause and effect; third, by the order and design seen in the visible world; and fourth, by the moral law found in the hearts of men.

Defining "order" as "a fit and proper precedence upon one person or thing by or action over another," and "design" as "purpose as revealed in or inferred from the adaptation of means to an end," Father McGrath first spoke of the order and design that are found in the human body, in the laws of gravitation, in the seasons of the year, in the tides, in animal life, and in the human mind.

"You have all heard of the Panama Limited, the pride of the Illinois Central system—an extra-fare, deluxe train whose principal run was from Chicago to New Orleans."

"This wonderful train, the last word in railroad travel and comfort, was first operated Nov. 15, 1916 and continued its daily run until within recent months when it was removed from the schedule."

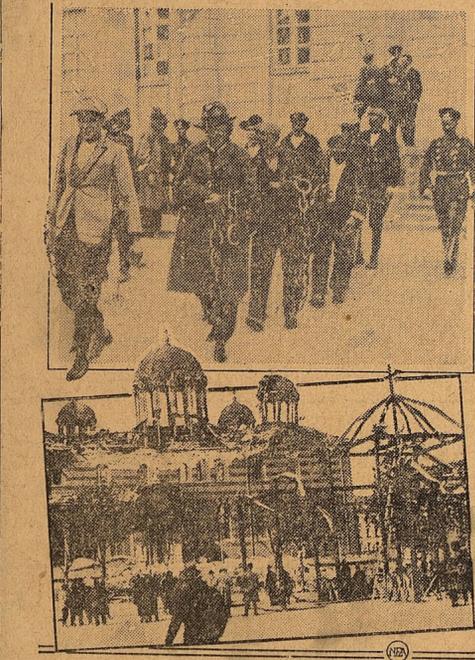
"The Panama Limited today made a trip each way of 921 miles in exactly 21 hours."

"In 184 trips from Chicago to New Orleans, prior to Oct. 21, 1930, the Panama Limited totaled 169,900 miles. And during those 184 trips it hung up an enviable record of punctuality. This national railway system, weighing over 1,000 tons and daily dragging that immense bulk of steel and human freightage at from 60 to 70 miles an hour over a distance of 921 miles, was late in arriving in New Orleans just four times. Did that just 'happen'?"

"It is the result of a well-organized system. Did that just 'happen'?"

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Communism Menaces Reign of King Boris



Communist trouble makers in chains (upper left) . . . Sofia's beautiful cathedral wrecked by bombs (lower left) . . . these represent pictorial evidence of the unrest which menaces the crown of democratic King Boris (right) and the future of the Bulgarian monarchy.

SON ARRESTED AFTER COUPLE FOUND KILLED

McALESTER, Okla., Nov. 28. (UP)—The mutilated bodies of Joe House and wife, both about 60, were found today in their small grocery store. A bloody two-bladed axe was found in the house. The place had been ransacked and it was believed that robbery was the motive.

Tom House, a son, was picked up about midnight on the streets and held for investigation. Officers said he was intoxicated.

Phillips Shoots One Of Heaviest Bucks

He had made one hunting trip and had shot a flag fall buck. Late when H. J. Phillips Jr. saw those two 10-pound bucks dropped last week by Hap Corrigan he went back to the wilds and shot a 10-pound black tail, dressed 202 pounds, presumably the second largest killed by a Midland man this season, a 213-pound buck having been accredited earlier.

Minister Suffers Influenza Attack

The Rev. Kenneth C. Minter was confined to his bed today with a slight attack of influenza. He was reported to be improved this afternoon.

Mrs. T. O. Midkiff and G. E. Hallman also are ill with influenza.

Mrs. Harry L. Haight is recovering from a several-day attack.

STATION ATTENDANT

Theo Ferguson has become associated with H. M. Becherer in the operation of the Continental Oil company service station on West Wall. Becherer assumed charge of the station Nov. 1.

BABY BORN TODAY

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd W. Herring at 5 o'clock this morning at the home of her father, J. A. Andrews, and was named today. The mother and baby were reported to be doing nicely.

HOKIE NEARING CITY

Jack Hoxie, motion picture star who is well known here from past visits, was reported near Midland this afternoon with two white horses in a trailer attached to his car.

Motorists said he had stopped just before noon to repair a flat tire and expected to be here about 2 o'clock.

Hoxie's last appearance here was on the stage of a theatre.

NEW DATA ON CATTLE FEEDING WILL BE AVAILABLE WHEN GIST MARKETS

Can cattle be fed out profitably at Midland? New data on this question will be available next May when John M. Gist markets 130 head of Hereford beef cattle he started feeding at his Midland barns three weeks ago.

Gist bought the cattle from T. O. Midkiff and has bought his feed principally from Midland farmers. The cattleman has the cattle on a ration he himself worked out.

The cattle get 10 pounds of ground maize heads, 6 pounds of ground sorghum cane stalks, 2 pounds of alfalfa hay and 2 pounds of cottonseed meal daily. They are in four pens, divided according to size. The feed ration is supplemented with bone meal and Dicalpho salt.

The rancher has 100 head of Gist-raised cattle on the same ration at his feed lots near Odessa.

Big Lake Teachers Visit City Schools

Three teachers from the Big Lake public schools are visiting in the Midland schools today. G. O. Stewart, principal of the Big Lake grade school, Jesse Davis, science teacher in the Big Lake high school, and Miss Minnie Ruth Garvin, supervisor of music in the Big Lake schools.

The Big Lake schools are using today as visitation day, the teachers visiting school systems in different parts of the state. Lee Hensley has recently come to Big Lake as superintendent of schools, and he with his entire faculty is using this opportunity to see different school systems. Hensley was formerly principal of the Burleson county school in Burleson county, after which he was visitor of schools and auditor for the state department of education for a number of years.

The three visitors saw the high school assembly program this morning. Davis visited in high school classes until noon, and the party spent the afternoon in the grade schools.

By MILTON BRONNER

NEA Service Writer

LONDON—A Communist boo, that was heard clear around the kingdom of Bulgaria, was emitted the other day when King Boris was reading a speech from the throne to the Sobranje, the national parliament.

The sovereign turned pale. He only resumed his reading after the Communist deputies, thirty in strong, were sitting out, as if in contempt for anything he had to say.

All of which goes to show that the Bulgarian crown also uneasy lie the heads of the Bulgarian Premier, Stefan Stambouloff, the greatest premier Bulgaria ever had, was assassinated by a Communist, thirty years ago.

Who was premier after the World war and took hold of things with a firm hand, was likewise assassinated. Czar Ferdinand, who took his country into the war, was kicked out. In 1925 an attempt was made to assassinate King Boris, although he has tried hard to be a modest, democratic king instead of the autocrat his father was.

Bulgaria is Third Largest Communist Stronghold

On form, Bulgaria ought to be the poorest little country in Europe. It has few factories, and in no large industrial population. The bulk of the people are peasants who own their own farms and hence are hard to ringer. It would seem then that Bulgaria of all places ought to be free from a threat of Communism, but the cold fact is that next to Bolshevik Russia and Germany, Bulgaria has the most Communist voters. Bulgaria is the reddest country on Europe's map. Many of the peasant farmers lean that way.

Recognizing this, Stambouloff, who came into power by the votes of the peasants, was said to have a secret understanding with the Communists. However that may be, in 1923 the Bulgarian army executed a coup d'etat, overthrew him and put Alexander Tsankov in his place. The premier was killed by his enemies while hiding for safety. Under Tsankov an iron regime was established. In September 1923 he claimed to have discovered a new Communist plot and over 100 Reds were arrested. Several hundred were killed in various parts of the kingdom in local outbreaks. Assassination became the order of the day. It is estimated that about 200,000 people on various sides of the political fence met their deaths in this way.

Attempt Made on Boris' Life Seven Years Ago

Things came to a startling climax in 1925 when an attempt was made on the life of King Boris and bombs were thrown at the great Sofia cathedral, 20 people being killed and about 300 injured. Tsankov was finally beaten at the polls and replaced by a succession of premier representing various coalitions.

In the meantime the Communists began to show life again. They elected 90 deputies to parliament. It was only recently that municipal elections were held in the capital of Sofia. To the amazement of everybody, the result was 19 seats for the Reds, 12 for the government coalition and four for the Tsankov party. The Reds thus have a clear majority and hope to rule the capital. Hence the government is seeking some way of passing a law to circumvent them. The government feels that it would have a very bad reaction in the country if the seat of the government were in the hands of the Communists.

Nobody would be surprised if a new attempt were made to have the army intervene and once more give control to a White government. General Kisisoff, War Minister in the present cabinet, recently made speeches to organizations of ex-officers and ex-non-coms, he called attention to the rise of extremism among the masses and the impossibility of passing a law to circumvent them.

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ACCEPTANCE TO PEND HEARING ON INJUNCTION

Bids on Other Half Of Advertised Issue Tues.

AUSTIN, Nov. 28. (UP)—The highway commission, under a temporary injunction against letting new contracts, opened bids for approximately \$2,000,000 of work. When low bidders are determined, others will be permitted to withdraw guarantee checks on county line.

"Beyond that, it is unknown what we can do," said Judge Ely, highway commissioner. He denied that Dan Moody will be employed to represent the highway commission in the proposed injunction suit. Moody and Governor Sterling conferred last night.

State highway commissioners here today continued the opening of bids on road and bridge projects. The total cost of which, including tomorrow's contracts, will be near \$4,000,000.

Much of the work will be done with funds advanced under the federal unemployment relief measures. Half time work per man is called for under the federal projects.

Bids opened were:

Brazoria county, highway 38, three miles, grading drainage and concrete paving from Alvin to the Galveston county line.

Cheerokee county, highway 40, six miles of iron ore top soil base course between Jacksonville and Rusk.

Cheerokee and Houston counties, highway 21, four miles grading and small drainage structures through Neches river bottom and Neches river bridge.

Comanche county, highway 4, four miles grading and drainage structures between Paint Rock and Eden, one bridge and five large concrete culverts.

Comanche county, highway 40, five miles grading and drainage structures and six miles concrete paving between Gainesville and Red River bridge.

Dallas and Erath counties, on highway 89, grading and drainage structures from highway 1 to Palo Pinto county line, seven and one-half miles.

Dallas county, highway 34, seven and one-half miles of concrete paving between Emmit and Ray.

El Paso county, highway 1, Cadwell bridge, Ascarate wasteway bridge, Chichester siphon and reconstruction and widening of present roadway between Ascarate and Ysleta.

Freestone county, highway 7, grading, drainage and concrete paving through Teague.

Henderson county, highway 19, five miles grading and drainage structures between Athens and Van Zandt county line.

Jeff Davis county, highway 118, Musquig canyon bridge between Davis and Alameda counties.

Newton county, highway 87, seven miles grading and drainage structures between Port Arthur and Sabine Pass.

Mculloch county, highway 16, 20 miles grading and drainage structures beginning two and one-half miles north of Brady and extending to the Colorado river.

Newton county, highway 68, six miles grading and drainage structures between Newton and the Jasper county line.

Presidio county, highway 3, 14 miles grading and drainage structures around Conejo.

Reeves county, highway 17, 20 miles caliche base with single bituminous surface between Arno and Jefferson counties.

Tarrant county, highway 10, Texas and Pacific overpass and Mary's creek bridge.

Tyler county, highway 49, 10 miles concrete paving from the Hardin county line north to Hillister.

Terrell and Val Verde counties, highway 3, eight miles grading and drainage structures from Terrell county line to the Texas county line.

Val Verde county, highway 3, grading and drainage structures from Terrell county line to 2.5 miles west of Langtry and Antonio creek bridge and culverts.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

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It's a wise woman who can keep a sense of humor during the Christmas shopping rush.

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WHEN WAR DEBTS WALK PLANK

During the campaign the terse and pithy character of the Democratic platform won a good deal of praise.

It was short and easy to read, and there was no mistaking its meaning. Its planks were things that the most hurried voter could digest; and one of the most clear and digestible was the following:

"We oppose cancellation of the debts owing to the United States by foreign nations."

It is rapidly becoming evident that that section of the platform is going to be tested pretty strenuously before the newly elected candidates even take office.

The plank is perfectly clear and straightforward. No one could possibly misunderstand what it says.

At the same time, it is becoming a little bit clearer every day that the war debts are not, any longer, collectible obligations.

No longer is it a question whether or not we shall be paid in full. It is hardly a question, even, whether we shall collect 10 cents on the dollar or 20 cents.

The chief question now is whether we shall accept the loss gracefully and take it as an inevitable part of the post-war readjustments which are still going on, or whether we shall have to have it rammed down our throats.

That being the case, what happens to the Democratic platform plank—the statement which, according to political theory, will form the guiding star for the policy-makers of the new administration.

Much as one hates to admit it, it seems very probable that this plank will be gently but thoroughly forgotten. It will be forgotten because there is nothing else that can be done about it. You can oppose cancellation of a debt with your whole soul, but when you simply haven't got a Chinaman's chance of collecting that debt you might just as well lock your opposition up in a quiet room somewhere and let it starve.

Terseness and clearness in a political platform are desirable. But a straightforward recognition of the political realities is even better.

EDITORIAL NOTES

One hundred years ago the London Observer recorded dire complaint by Londoners because of the immense number of omnibuses blocking traffic in Cheapside. One hundred years of traffic problems serve only to impress us moderns that though they are not new, their "infinite variety" is more likely to stall than stale.

The London Daily Express says that most of the large banks in Siam employ monkeys to help cashiers to detect base coins by the process of training the monkey to bite the coin to detect its true worth. At last we have found a monkey business that is a business.

A Franco-German accord is proposed for the purpose of building public works and providing employment. It might also serve the more important purpose of building friendship and causing useful unemployment—of fighting men.

Finland furnishes another example of the manner in which liquor disappoints those who look forward to a large governmental revenue as the result of its legalization and taxation. Sales by the government monopoly dropped from 406,000 liters in September to 252,000 liters in October, chiefly as the result of smuggling activities.

Now that an "electric palate" has been invented for testing the flavor of foodstuffs, we may expect soon to see the up-to-the-minute restaurant advertising its "Ohm Cooking."

Soviet Russia has recently lifted the ban on jazz. What can the people of that country have done now to deserve such treatment?

This may be the last national election in the United States after which "lame ducks" migrate in March instead of November.

Side Glances By Clark

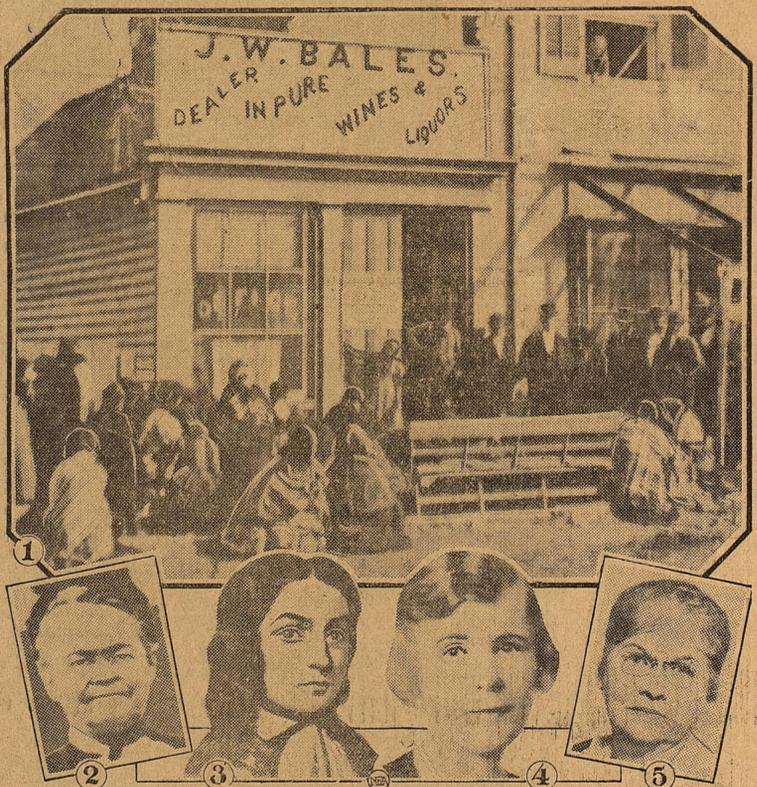


"I'll eat another one, if you will."

The Right o' Way



Breweries Will Ask for Tariff If Wets Victors



(1) The Hillsboro (Ohio) crusade against the saloon in 1873, one of the early prohibition movements of American women. (2) Carrie Nation, pioneer hatcheter. (3) William Penn, who brought the idea of brewing to Pennsylvania. (4) Mrs. Charles H. Sabin, a modern "temperance dry."

originally and came with the earliest colonists, especially the English and Dutch. Behind these, even lies a 7000-year history and tradition of beer-making. For man has been a beer maker as long as he has been a bread maker. Baked bricks of Babylon record that they were making beer from barley in 5000 B. C. It was an important feature of daily life in ancient Egypt. Greeks, Romans, Gauls, Germans, Russians, Japanese, African bushmen, all have brewed beer from the earliest times we know of.

In almost every batch of American colonists sent from the homeland, brewers were included. But most of the colonists brewed their own beer. William Penn brewed and sold beer at Pennsylvania, Pa. and he was "a great lover of beer and accustomed to praise his own brewing." Early acts of colonial legislatures were almost all aimed at substituting fermented for distilled drinks.

Steps to Prohibition Up to the time of the Revolution, however, brewing tended to decline despite attempts to encourage it. The country drank imported rum and home-made whiskey with such heartiness as to shock every European traveler who has set down his impressions. This hard-whiskey-drinking tradition continued until the middle of the 18th century when the rise of the German brewers began. Agitation for the control of drinking also began very early, though all the early efforts were aimed at encouraging drinkers to desert fiery whiskeys, rums and brandies for varieties of beer. Dr. Benjamin Rush (1785) is usually regarded as the first real campaigner against the evils of drink. Roughly, the course of the movement against alcohol moved from one objective to another something like this: 1. Moderation. 2. Personal abstinence from "hard liquor."

BOYS CARRY ON CLEBURNE (UP)—The Rhome family "carries on" in football warfare for Cleburne high school. This year, Dan Rhome, 16, upholds the gridiron traditions of his family set by three older brothers. Only two Cleburne football squads have been without a "Rhome" since 1918. Rhome field, the school's football plant, was named in memory of brother Joe, who died in August 1921, before he finished high school. He was a three-year backfield star and captain-elect. Rhome started from 1920 through 1923. Otto Rhome donned a uniform in 1926, playing until 1929. Dan went out for the squad in 1930.

PECANS TO NORWAY HOUSTON, (UP)—Pecans from Texas orchards will be among the good things found by Norwegian children in their Christmas stockings during the coming season. The bureau of foreign and domestic trade of the local chamber of commerce received a request from an Oslo importer recently for a shipment of pecans in time for the Christmas trade. The nuts were rare on the European continent.

NOTICE OF MARSHAL'S SALE Whereas, by virtue of an alias execution issued out of the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, dated the 17th day of October, A. D. 1932, in the case of the United States of America vs. Samuel H. Bernstein, Harry H. Levinson, Rose Weinstein and S. Rotsky, directed to me as marshal of the Western District of Texas, and commanding me to make the sum of \$10,000.00 together with costs of court and the further cost of executing said writ by levy upon the property of the said Samuel H. Bernstein, Harry H. Levinson, Rose Weinstein and S. Rotsky, jointly and severally, notice is given that I levied said writ of execution upon the following described property of Rose Weinstein, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, & 4 in Block 88, Original town of Midland, Midland County, Texas. A one-half undivided interest in Lot 22 in Block 87 of the town of Midland, Midland County, Texas. All of foregoing property located in the City of Midland, Midland County, State of Texas. Said levy having been made on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1932, notice is hereby given that said property so levied upon by me aforesaid, under and by virtue of said writ of execution, will be by me sold at public vendue at the courthouse door of the courthouse of Midland County, Texas, to the highest bidder for cash on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1932, that being the first Tuesday in December, A. D. 1932, and said sale will be held by me between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M. on said 6th day of December, A. D. 1932. Scott C. White, U. S. Marshal for the Western District of Texas, By E. G. Doty, Deputy U. S. Marshal, Nov. 7-14-21-28

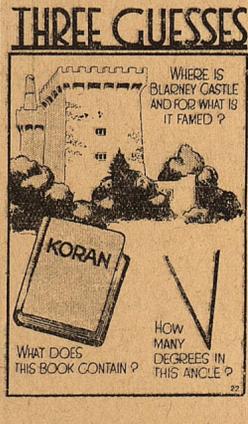
No. 2510 SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Midland. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 1st day of Sept., 1932, by Nettie C. Romer, Clerk of Said District Court, for the sum of Twelve Hundred Eighty three and 48-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under judgment, in favor of Mrs. Laura Haag in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2510 and styled Mrs. Laura Haag vs. H. H. Meeks and Sylvia Meeks, placed in my hands for service, I, A. C. Francis as Sheriff of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 25th day of October, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: The Northern one half of the N. W. 1/4 of Block 26 of the Homestead Addition to the Town of Midland, Texas, Lots 7, 8 and 9, in Block 150 Southern Addition to the town of Midland, Midland County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of H. H. Meeks and Sylvia Meeks, as that on the first Tuesday in December, 1932, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Midland County, in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale will sell said above described Real Estate for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. H. Meeks and Sylvia Meeks.

In compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Midland Reporter-Telegram, a newspaper published in Midland County, Texas. Witness my hand, this 25th day of October, 1932. A. C. FRANCIS, Sheriff Midland County, Texas. By Fisher Pollard, Deputy, Nov. 14-21-23

ident Kansas wrote prohibition into its state constitution, the first state to do so. But nearly every state was by this time experimenting with regulation, license laws, or one form or another of liquor control. The climax of the fight against "John Barleycorn" was rapidly approaching. Next: How the big brewers are planning a quick comeback as soon as the law permits. And how it was this same power that rose to such heights in the early 1900's that the people overthrew it.

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THREE GUESSES



Swapping Yarns with Col. True

Col. True maintains a standing invitation to others to write to him and tell of their own extraordinary experiences. No holds barred. Address Col. True, in care of The Reporter-Telegram.

My dear Colonel: You are doubtless familiar with the training that I gave "Spider," the monkey, this summer. I made an expert boxer out of him and was negotiating for a match with Jack Sharkey when Edwin Calhoun carried the monkey off. The match would undoubtedly have drawn the largest gate of the century. However, my accomplishment with him was nothing to the way I once trained a parrot. The parrot knew every man in town by his first name and could give the street and address of any of them. Each morning he went to the postoffice for the mail and would bring it home and distribute it, giving each member of the family his mail and throwing circulars and the like in the wastebasket. When I rented a postoffice box I thought I had him stopped but he watched me open it one morning and after that, being unable to turn the combination, he would impress some patron in the lobby into service, telling him the combination. He was quite a prowl, however, and because of his small size and ability to get close without being seen, he was able to keep a wife informed as to all the latest gossip and scandal in town. But like most gossips he, or should I say she?—did not always stick to the truth and this caused his ultimate demise. Once I had to work three nights in succession until 12 o'clock and the tale I heard him telling my wife before I got up prompted me to take him to the woodpile and, with the axe, give him what the turkey got. Yours for truth and veracity, CLARENCE C. DAY.

The Town Quack

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

You'll have to pardon me for trying to explode those proverbs. I just can't keep from noticing where they don't always work out. For instance, all things come to him who waits. Ask John Hix how that would work in the life insurance business.

"Be not hasty to outbid another." Was not said by Albert Overck.

This is encouraging. Every slip is not a fall. I suppose now and then you can't hit right end up.

Don't descend in a well with a rotten rope may be good advice but I think it's better to keep out of the well entirely.

Talk of the devil and he will either come or send. Yes, and he has plenty of delegates.

United we stand, divided we fall may have been the quotation of George Philippus.

There is more Samson than Solomon in him is a statement evidently written for a football player, and sometimes I believe the Samson must have had a haircut.

This was probably intended as advice to girls wanting to be married: That fish will soon be caught that nibbles at every bait.

Today's Variety Bazaar

- HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle 15 Shafts. 16 To dabble. 17 Tumultuous. 18 disturbance. 19 Stepwise excavation. 20 Canoe. 21 To play boisterously. 22 Rascal. 23 Wayside hotel. 24 To go on foot. 25 Stead. 26 Wing-like. 27 Japanese coin. 28 Slush. 29 Ramsay MacDonald is of Great Britain? 30 To merit. 31 Tiny particles. 32 Infection. 33 Mountain pass. 34 Cry for help. 35 Angle of a vein. 36 True olive. 37 Clan-like group. 38 Males. 39 Line. 40 Garment. 41 Falseness. 42 To conclude. 43 To observe. 44 Therefore. 45 Tidy. 46 58 II. 47 Counsel. 48 VERTICAL 1 Soft food. 2 Stir. 3 Mountain pass. 4 Gastrostomy. 5 Paid publicity. 6 To total. 7 To clip off. 8 supplely. 9 Garment. 10 Limited. 11 Aye. 12 Poe. 13 59. 14 59. 15 59. 16 59. 17 59. 18 59. 19 59. 20 59. 21 59. 22 59. 23 59. 24 59. 25 59. 26 59. 27 59. 28 59. 29 59. 30 59. 31 59. 32 59. 33 59. 34 59. 35 59. 36 59. 37 59. 38 59. 39 59. 40 59. 41 59. 42 59. 43 59. 44 59. 45 59. 46 59. 47 59. 48 59. 49 59. 50 59. 51 59. 52 59. 53 59. 54 59. 55 59. 56 59. 57 59. 58 59. 59 59.

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SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

107 Attend First Baptist General Assembly

One hundred and seven attended the First Baptist general assembly Sunday evening following various department meetings.

Fine Arts Teachers Association Gives Varied Program

Eleven children representing Midland studios presented a varied program at the South ward school assembly exercises this morning.

Personals

Miss Lonnie Smith, who is a student in Texas Tech, has returned to Lubbock after spending the week end here with her mother.

ETHEL



Light-Headed



Glenda Farrell has answered Hollywood's call and has deserted Broadway's footlights for a career under the movies' stronger lights.

John Scharbauer of Fort Worth is in Midland visiting relatives and transacting business.

-by Hays

Show Recalls Tragic Story

PARIS. (UP)—The memory of Napoleon and his blazing epoch forever is being revived here. This time it is the retrospective exposition in connection with the centenary of the King of Rome, about whom the drama of L'Aiglon has preserved the tragic story of the great Emperor's dynastic hopes.

Mushroom Broth Is Used in Cocktails

KENNETT SQUARE, Pa. (UP)—Canners of mushrooms have discovered that mushroom broth, used in soups or jellied, is being drunk as a cocktail, like tomato juice and sauerkraut juice.

Communist Russia Ready to 'Fold up'

SAN ANGELO. (UP)—Communist Russia is about ready to "fold up," believes Dr. Dewey Sutton, surgeon, who recently resumed his practice here after studying in Europe.

Gin Receipts Are Behind Last Year

COLORADO.—Nolan county gin receipts, according to report from the department of commerce at Washington, are running behind totals reported for the same period a year ago.

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Announcements

Tuesday Mrs. J. O. Vance will be hostess to the Lucky Thirteen club Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Adult Class Completes Course

Thirteen members of the Adult class of the First Methodist church finished a course on "Methodism" Sunday evening.

30 Couples Attend Minuet Dance

Approximately 30 couples attended the second Minuet club dance of the season Saturday evening in the ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

Blondes Are out; Ruddy Brown in

PARIS. (UP)—Platinum and gold blondes are outmoded. Like many modes launched in Hollywood, it was run into the ground, in the opinion of at least of dressmakers here.

In New Location

We have opened at 120-A South Main, the PALACE BARBER SHOP and will be glad to see our friends and also new customers.



GREETING CARDS

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WRITER PICKS ENTIRE LEFT SIDE OF CHAMPIONSHIP FROG LINE FOR ALL CONFERENCE; TEXAS PLACES 4

By D. B. HARDEMAN, JR.
(Editor's Note: The writer of this article has covered sports in the Southwest Conference for the past four years. Last year he was sports editor of the Daily Texan, University of Texas daily newspaper and this year is university correspondent for several state dailies.)

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE ALL-STAR ELEVENS
First Team Position Second Team
Madison (Pap) Pruitt, TCU LE Ray Murray, A. & M.
Ben Boswell, TCU LT Foster Howell, TCU
J. W. Townsend, TCU C Willis Nolan, A. & M.
Ray Lagow, Rice RG Cliff Braly, Texas
Charlie Cummings, A. & M. RT Erwin, Arkansas
Frank James, Baylor QB Dause Bibby, Texas
Edna Hillard, Texas QB Howard Sprague, SMU
Blannard Spearman, TCU HB Red Oliver, TCU
Harrison Stafford, Texas HB John McCauley, Rice
Ernest Koy, Texas HB Ted Spencer, A. & M.

AUSTIN, Nov. 28—The business of picking an all-star team is one that resolves itself into purely personal channels. A player may star in every game of the season, and then when the critic sees him, the player may suffer an off-day and drop to a poor brand of football. And the chances are that the sports scribe will keep him off the mythical eleven because of the poor performance that he saw him turn in. It is obviously impossible to be fair about the business of picking an all-star team, so the writer must use his own opinions and observations and hope that they are fair to all concerned.

This year's all-conference team was rather easy to select. Pruitt and James were foregone conclusions at ends. Pruitt because of his great all-round play, and James because he was the best punter in the conference along with being a fine wingman. Boswell and Vaught of T. C. U. were certainly deserving of guard and guard, while Cummings of A. & M. and Lagow of Rice stood out in their respective lines all season, and must be given berths at the other tackle and guard positions.

The fight between Townsend of T. C. U. and Nolan of A. & M. for the center position was long and bitter, and probably one that will neither be satisfactorily settled. Townsend held the edge on pass defense, and that edge was enough to place him on the mythical eleven. For the second time in three years Texas places three men in the all-conference backfield. In 1930 it was Shelley, Koy and Stafford. This year it is Stafford, Koy and Hillard. None of the three are left off the eleven, and a splendid running mate for them is Blannard Spearman, hard-fighting Texas Christian back, and the kingpin of the Christian backfield.

In regards to the second team, it must be said that the selection here was more personal and much harder than the first eleven. Murray is the best pass-receiver in the conference, while Dause Bibby of Texas is a great linesman, one who would have been an all-conference end but for his lack of offensive prowess. He is the most sadly underrated player in the conference, and only those who have followed the Texas team this season can see why he is the Texas linesman most deserving of all-conference honors. Bibby lacks color, but he has dependability and defensive powers, and he is one of the smartest ends that Texas has had in years. He was a great builder of confidence in the Texas forward wall.

John McCauley of Rice might have been an all-conference man had he played more, but the Meagher system of substitutions kept him from playing enough to merit being placed on the all-conference team.

Otha Tiner of T. C. U. deserves some mention for his uncanny footwork in kicking field goals and points after touchdowns. He was worth many dollars to Francis Schmidt's Horned Frogs this season although he played only about four or five minutes in every game.

Germany Tries New Bank Plan

BERLIN (UP)—Germany is contemplating another attempt to lift herself by her own boot-straps. During the last year, the government's credit measures have mobilized to prevent the collapse of important banking and industrial concerns. Now leading financiers have completed new plans for raising funds to stimulate production and restore the liquidity of the banks.

To this end, two new agencies will be created: the Industrial Financing Institute (I. F. I.) and the Amortization Fund (A. M. F.). The former will help banks to mobilize safe assets, the latter will provide a channel for gradually wiping out assets which are not merely temporarily frozen, but definitely lost.

Creation of the I. F. I. was decided on to relieve bank trouble arising out of the large scale financial housecleaning effected by the government throughout German industry. When this housecleaning was finished, banks found themselves in possession of large quantities of shares of industrial works, which they cannot market without sustaining severe losses.

As, however, the shares of newly reconstructed concerns are regarded as safe assets, public and private banks decided to establish a new credit situation which will accept these shares as collateral. This will be the I. F. I. Its capital is fixed at 30,000,000 marks.

The purpose of the Amortization Fund is to distribute over a number of years the irreparable losses which the banks sustained during the crisis.

Tombstone Company Holds a Fire Sale

SALINAS, Cal. (UP)—When fire destroyed the building housing Geo. A. Johnston's monument works near a cemetery here, Johnston decided to dispose of headstones slightly chipped and cracked by the heat. He held a "fire sale."

"Be prepared for an emergency. Attend our fire sale and buy your tombstones now. Prices amazingly reasonable," read a sign in front of his store.

HEAP BIG EAGLE

SAN DIEGO—One of the few Indians in the United States to complete a course in aeronautics is Myron Bangs, who recently received a government-approved transport license here. Bangs is a member of the Osage tribe and lives in Hominy, Okla. He completed his course in less than five months.

Bug Always Gets Its Man

BERKELEY, Calif. (UP)—The habrocytus cerealellae always gets his man. He doesn't belong to the Northwest Mounted, but he's a bug on criminology.

Norman S. Noble, Australian scientist, says so in a scientific bulletin published as part of his work for a master of science degree at the University of California.

Like Sherlock Holmes, habrocytus has a particular enemy. His mortality is one angoumois, a grain moth that lays eggs in corn, or wheat grains, and nourishes his offspring at the expense of the crops. Habrocytus' only resemblance to Philo Vance is his name. He is a wasp-like bug about one-eighth of an inch long, but it's all brain—detective brain.

From his long career let us take one case: Word comes to headquarters that angoumois has established a hideaway in a pile of wheat. It lives in a kernel and eats its way out. The larva turns into a moth and comes out like a chicken from the egg. It lays more eggs. The job is to trap it while still in the kernel.

T. P. Dudley and C. A. Ellis, so the story goes, went coyote hunting late Sunday. As dusk rapidly drew on, they spied a coyote squatting behind a snapper, or other brush, several hundred feet away. Dudley missed his shot, and then Ellis, an almost perfect marksman with his 25-30 rifle, drew a bead on the crouching figure and fired. A man straightened up. Dudley, particularly was horrified. "I had never seen Ellis miss a coyote, and the animals when shot usually reared up and then fell dead. I was sure the man would fall."

Russian Historical Nightmare Revived

MOSCOW (UP)—One of the most sinister of Russia's nightmarish historical memories has suddenly revived here with the discovery recently of the grave of Ivan, the Terrible's favorite executioner, Maluti Skuratov.

Digging on the site of the former Cathedral in preparation for a projected Palace of Soviets, workers unearthed the skeleton and with it a tablet inscribed: "Here lies Maluti Skuratov, died 1573."

The executioner's grave was not far from the spot, over which formerly stood the huge statue of Alexander III. This statue was one of the first sacrifices to the Russian revolution, having been torn from its pedestal by Muscovite crowds in 1917. The Cathedral remained until early this year. Skuratov was the chief of the sadistic Ivan's staff of head-choppers, stranglers and torturers.

University Replaces Horses with Trucks

FORT WORTH (UP)—Texas Christian university is no longer a two-horse, or even a one-horse school.

Jack and Kate, the university's last "horse-power," were replaced this month by a light delivery truck and a motorized lawn-mower.

A LARGE TURNIP

SWEETWATER—M. A. Daughter of near Roscoe, got "tired" of reading about big turnips being grown around Midland, weighing as high as nine pounds.

He walked into his garden and pulled one up. It weighed nine and a half pounds.

"I guess I've got some bigger ones," he said, "but this ought to prove Roscoe turnips are bigger than Midland turnips."

The turnip, brought to The Reporter office, measures 26 inches in circumference.

CANNING FURNISHES CASH

CLARENDON—To prove that truck farming and canning for the market pay better than cotton growing, Mrs. June Taylor, Donley county farm home maker, this year canned 5502 containers of home raised food which she sold to 39 cash customers in five Panhandle towns, and to 24 other customers for whom she canned on shares. The demand exceeded her supply and all her cash customers have asked to have their orders filled again next year, according to Miss Martha Buttrill, home demonstration agent.

The canning receipts paid for canning equipment, two bank notes, doctor and drug bills, grocery and dry goods store bills, gasoline and sewing supply bills, and some has been set aside for the children's education. With the exception of three weeks when a helper was hired, all the work was done by Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, the children, and Mr. Taylor's aged mother.

Eighteen varieties of fruits, vegetables, pickles and meats were put up, and all were either raised on the Taylor farm or were traded for by exchanging home raised products.

DRESS FOR A NICKEL

TAHOKEA (UP)—Mrs. John Stokes has a dress that actually cost her less than five cents cash. It was made of bleached flour sacks.

"I bought a spool of white thread for five cents but as I did not use half, I figure the dress cost me three cents," she explained.

The sacks were bleached until they looked like handkerchiefs. Mrs. Stokes' unusual dress was for street wear and she used it often during the summer.

The largest bronze statue in the world is said to be that of the winged statue of Victory, near Turin, England, 60 feet in height.

The demand for tomato juice and corn far exceeded Mrs. Taylor's supply, and okra, which was not supposed to sell easily, proved a good seller. The canning equipment consisted of a sealer, 25-quart and 18-quart pressure cookers, sieves, a food chopper, a pair of scales, and knives and pans. All the water had to be carried and the stove was a wood burner.

Archaeology Offers Lessons

LONDON (UP)—Archaeology with its lessons from history contains an answer to many of the modern world's problems, according to Sir Flinders Petrie, Britain's 80-year-old dean of archaeologists, who has started off again on one of his many excavating trips to the Near East.

"From archaeology," said Sir Flinders, "we find that Assyrianism, a system of ideas and politics which makes force a virtue, might be lasting. Therefore, it was certainly worth while combating the military power of Germany. Compared with such a menace the danger of Communism, which many people now fear, is comparatively negligible. A communistic system might be harmful, but no communistic system has ever lasted; it has always broken up. Assyrianism is a far more dangerous thing to the human spirit."

Archaeology also sees the fallacy of reparations and war debts

because there is no historical parallel, according to the opinion of Sir Flinders.

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PREACHER WOUNDED

DALHART—What many believe was an act of Providence in the salvation of a Church of Nazarene minister near Texline recently.

T. P. Dudley and C. A. Ellis, so the story goes, went coyote hunting late Sunday. As dusk rapidly drew on, they spied a coyote squatting behind a snapper, or other brush, several hundred feet away. Dudley missed his shot, and then Ellis, an almost perfect marksman with his 25-30 rifle, drew a bead on the crouching figure and fired.

A man straightened up. Dudley, particularly was horrified. "I had never seen Ellis miss a coyote, and the animals when shot usually reared up and then fell dead. I was sure the man would fall."

Disclosures were that the man was a preacher, supposed to be from near Texline. He had reached at Texline, it is said, with a view to securing a charge, and later had walked several miles into the hills for solitude and prayer. He was kneeling in earnest supplication to God when the bullet from Ellis' gun clipped his left heel and burned the flesh of his left hip.

NO PRIVACY

LOS ANGELES—Her bedroom was an open book to her in-laws, and so Mrs. Helen Shepherd Monaco, 26, sought a divorce. She complained that "my husband's mother, brothers and sisters walked in and out of my bedroom whenever they felt like it. I had no more privacy than a gold fish."

Roosevelt's Son Is Waterboy



White House servants will jump to his beck and call after March 4, but just now John Roosevelt, son of President-Elect Franklin D. Roosevelt, is official water boy to the football team at Groton School, Groton, Mass., where he is a student. Here John on the job, bucket in hand. His brother, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., is right tackle on the Groton eleven.

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221-6p

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

WHILE FERDY IS TRYING TO SQUARE HIMSELF WITH BOOTS, LET'S DROP IN ON PETE FOR A WHILE

Just Thinking!

OH—WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH PETE? HE'S ACTING SO STRANGE—IT ISN'T A BIT LIKE HIM

NO! HE DOESN'T TALK TO ANYONE! YOU ALWAYS FIND HIM OFF SOMEWHERE, LIKE THAT, ALONE

PETE IS WELL LIKED BY EVERYONE—AND QUITE THE MOST ELIGIBLE BACHELOR IN THE COMMUNITY! SMALL WONDER THEN THAT THERE IS SO MUCH CONCERN OVER HIS RECENT DESIRE TO BE JUST LEFT ALONE

WASH TUBBS

PIPE DOWN, BUDDIE.

NOSSIR! I WUNTA KNOW WOT'S TH' BIG IDEA THEM FOLLERIN' US. I'M SICK OF IT.

PLEASE, YOUR HIGHNESS, WE MUST GUARD YOUR LIFE.

I CAN TAKE CARE OF MY OWN LIFE, THANK YOU, AN' WOT'S MORE, DON'T CALL ME "HIGHNESS."

Mistaken Identity!

A SLIP OF DER TONGUE, EXCELLENCY. I FORGOT YOU TRAFFEL INCOGNITO.

SAY! WHO TH' HECK YOU THINK I AM, ANYWAY?

HISS ROYAL HIGHNESS, PRINCE VILLY NIBBLY, HE RECOGNIZE YOU BY DER PICTURE.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

OH BOY! I'M STARTIN' TO EARN MONEY FOR CHRISTMAS ALREADY... MRS. SHANTZ IS GIVING ME A NICKEL TO TAKE HER HUSBAND'S PANTS TO THE TAILOR SHOP!!

WHAT'S TH' MATTER WITH THEM... NEED PRESSIN'?

NO... THEY HAVE MARKS ALL OVER THE RIGHT LEG... GONNA HAVE 'EM CLEANED!!

MARKS? WHAT KIND OF MARKS?

MATCH MARKS!! MR. SHANTZ HAS A HABIT OF SCRATCHING MATCHES ON HIS PANTS!!

MRS. SHANTZ SAID SHED GIVE ANYTHING IF SHE COULD BREAK HIM OF THE HABIT!!

THAT'S EASY... TELL HER TO BUY CELLULOID PANTS FOR HIM!!

THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

IT'S MRS. COMER. SHE WANTS YOU TO MEET HER HUSBAND SHE SAYS HE SELLS STOCKS AND BONDS AND THEY'RE VERY RITZY

OH, THE ONE YOU MET AT TEA, WHO INVITED US TO CALL. SHE IS SWANK!!

WHY, I AM MRS. NEWFANGLE I MET YOU—

OH YES

HOW DO YOU DO?

WHY, I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT. SHE WAS SO ANXIOUS TO HAVE US OVER

WELL, IT'S EASY 'T SEE THROUGH HER GAME. WE WERE GOOD PROSPECTS FOR HER HUSBAND UNTIL WE LOST OUT ON AUNT BRIDGET'S DOUGH

WELL, I NEVER WAS SOQUELCHED SO IN MY WHOLE LIFE!

THEY WERE HIDING BEHIND A VENEER OF FRIENDSHIP IN ORDER TO CHISEL US OUT OF OUR COIN

SALESMAN SAM

IF IT WEREN'T FOR THE THREE POINTS THE GUARDS SCORED IN THE FIRST HALF, THE SCORE BETWEEN THE GUARDS AND JAIL BIRDS WOULD BE TIED!

WOT US GUYS NEEDS IS A GOOD MINGOSH LECTURE ON FOOTBALL PLAYIN'. WHAT'LL I TELL 'EM? GIVE IT TO US!

WHAT'LL I TELL 'EM? MINGOSH!

NOW, LISSEN, YOU BUMS! YA BEEN PLAYIN' LIKE A BUNCH O' SCHOOL BOYS SHAP OUT ON IT! TEAR IN FER ALL YER WORTH. HANG ONTA D' BALL! DON'T RUN LIKE TRUCK HOSSES! GIT DAT BALL OVER TH' GOAL LINE!!

GUARD'S CLUB ROOM

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WELL, DIDJA HEAR THAT? NOW, C'MON! GET OUT ON TH' FIELD AN' DO AS TH' GUARD'S COACH SAYS!

BACK IN YOUR SEATS, FOLKS—AND DOWN IN FRONT!

WE'RE ALL READY FOR THE LAST HALF!

Toot! toot!

OUT OUR WAY

WAITA MINUTE HERE! I WANNA WEIGH AT STUFF YOU GOT. THIS FOXY STUFF OF YOURN, OF YOU CARRVIN' TH' PILLOW AN' ME CARRVIN' TH' BED IS GONNA STOP RIGHT HERE. I'LL PAY FER TH' WEIGHIN. C'MON, RIGHT HERE IS WHERE TH' DUGHES AN' TH' STEVEDORE BECOMES EQUALS.

GO ON GO ON! NOTHING COULD BE YOUR EQUAL. THEY RAN OUT OF CAGES OR YOU WOULDT BE LOOSE.

GIVE THEM TO ME! I'LL CARRY ALL OF THEM! PILE 'EM ON HERE!

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

YOU'RE JUST IN TIME, HOOPLE! HERE'S OUR FIRST BATCH OF GINGER ALE ICE CUBES—LOOK AT 'EM—FROZEN SOLID! I MADE THEM OUT OF TWO BOTTLES OF GINGER ALE! TOO BAD WE CAN'T KEEP THESE ALWAYS, OUT OF SENTIMENT FOR WHEN OUR BUSINESS WILL BE A COUPLE MILLION CUBES A DAY!

YES, BUT NERTLES WE CAN'T AFFORD TO MAKE THEM OUT OF BOTTLED GINGER ALE—EGAD! NOW THEN, COMES THE ANXIOUS PART—WILL THEY FIZZ AS THEY MELT?

WILL THE FIZZ BE A FIZZLE?

Genius Direction Of Yucca Picture

A veteran director who has literally learned motion picture production from the ground up, John Ford, is reaping the harvest of his early training in the silent picture days with the direction of important talking productions to his credit.

The man whose seasoned sense of dramatic values and screen technique is clearly evident in his latest Universal Picture, "Air Mail," at the Yucca theatre today, began his motion picture career as a property man after coming to Hollywood from the University of Maine when pictures were in comparative infancy.

Hawaiian Motif At Ritz Theatre

Hawaiian atmosphere prevailed at the Ritz theatre Sunday and is noticeable again today with "Bird of Paradise" on the screen. Decorations at the front of the theatre, as well as costumes worn by attendants, bear out the island motif.

Good crowds attended the showing at the Saturday night preview and again Sunday. Manager J. Howard Hodge reported.

That there is no other setting than Hawaii was easily apparent to David O. Selznick, executive vice president in charge of all RKO productions. Thus the production wheels were set in motion.

The lovely Dolores Del Rio will be seen in the exotic role of "Luana," created on the stage by Leonard Ulric. Joel McCrea, handsome hero of several of Constance Bennett's recent pictures, heads the supporting cast.

Communism--

sible promises being made to them. He issued an appeal to the nation to unite around the army, which he said remained unchangeably devoted to the throne.

General Sirmanoff, president of the Reserve Officers' union, spoke even more violently. He said if the various political party chiefs did not unite to save the country from Bolshevism the reserve army officers, joining with the regular army, would say to them:

"If there had been any doubt as to the wisdom of this expensive expedition, they were quickly dispelled. The natural beauties of Hawaii with its waving palms, its placid, moonlight nights, its verdant, lush valleys, its beautiful seascapes and rugged coast line were a delight to Vidor's eyes. There he set up his camera's under the direction of Clyde De Vinna, who photographed "Trader Horn."

The basic trouble in Bulgaria is the same as in all the countries along the Danube—the farmers can not get good prices for their tobacco and grain, while the manufactured articles they want are both scarce and high in cost. In addition, the finances of the country are in a tangle, especially as regards payments to foreign creditors.

"Ancient and Modern Necromancy," alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, "denounced" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, Nov. 27.

Among the passages read from the Bible was the following from James 3: "Who is a wise man and endowed with knowledge among you? let him show out of a good conversation his works with meekness of wisdom."

For where enmity and strife is there is confusion and every evil work."

The lesson-sermon also included citations from the Christian Science textbook by Mary Baker Eddy, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," one of which was as follows (p. 407): "Man's enslavement to the most relentless masters—passion, selfishness, envy, hatred, and revenge—is conquered only by a mighty struggle. Every hour of delay makes the struggle more severe. If man is not victorious over the passions, they crush out happiness, health, and manhood. Here Christian Science is the sovereign panacea, giving strength to the weakness of mortal mind—strength from the immortal and omnipotent Mind, and lifting humanity above itself into pure desires, even into spiritual power and goodwill to man."

SON OF A GUN

Tomorrow Only CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE

P. O. CAFE

TO ELECT 75

Seventy-five directors will be elected to serve for the year 1933 at the annual convention of the independent Petroleum association of Texas to be held in Fort Worth on Dec. 9. They will represent all sections of the state.

These directors will select from their number a president, executive vice president, secretary-treasurer, and a vice president for producers, a vice president for refiners, and a vice president for royalty owners.

In addition there will be elected a regional vice president to serve in each of the eight districts of the state. They are the Panhandle, West Texas, North Texas, Central West Texas, East Texas and East Central Texas, Southwest Texas and the Gulf coast.

The present officers who have served during 1932 are as follows: J. R. Parten, president, Shreveport; Claude C. Wild, executive vice president, Fort Worth; Geo. E. McCune, secretary-treasurer, Fort Worth; B. F. Weekley, vice president for producers, Fort Worth; Chas. S. Richardson, vice president for royalty owners, Olney; H. L. Lockhart, vice president for refiners and marketers, Gladewater. The regional vice presidents are as follows: Mel Davis, Panhandle district, Pampa; C. C. Duffey, West Texas district, Midland; E. O. Shappell, North Texas district, Wichita Falls; W. E. McKinney, East Texas district, Tyler; C. R. Cole, Southwest Texas district, Laredo; John Deering, Gulf coast, Houston; Tom E. Cranfill, Dallas, and Earl Calloway, Dallas.

Father McGrath--

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blind chance? Only a fool would say so.

Heavenly "limited" "Now with all that we have said about the Panama Limited well in mind, let us go out into the open on a clear and cloudless night, raise our eyes aloft to the vaulted sky and behold the heavenly Panama Limited—thousands of them dashing through trackless space at an incredible speed with never a crash or a wreck.

"Yes, thousands of heavenly Panama Limiteds meet our gaze; but tonight we shall take just one of them, Venus, the brightest planet in the solar system.

"What a sublime spectacle, this heavenly Panama Limited! Look at it and gasp; gaze upon it and think! A huge mass, four-fifths the weight of the earth, dashing not over parallel rails of hardened steel but through the trackless voids of space with a velocity of more than 79,000 miles an hour! Circling its orbit of better than 686,000,000 miles, not once, but twice, not 184 times, but for thousands and thousands of years and never late!

"Will any one but a fool say that this tremendous mass of matter just threw itself together? That it picked out its own orbit? That it spontaneously weaves its endless course in and out among the other stars and planets with no one directing its route?"

"Let us at least be consistent. If the Panama Limited of the Illinois Central System did not, because it could not, make itself; if its enviable record in the 184 runs from Chicago to New Orleans was not the result of automatic spontaneity or chance, but required brains and intelligence, how can any one, who lays claim to sound judgment and common sense, say that blind chance produced the planet Venus—that some blind and unintelligent force is responsible for its continuous 'never late' record of accuracy and punctuality.

"Yes, let us be consistent; let us be reasonable; let us be logical. If the Panama Limited postulates and demands a directing intelligence, must there not be a directing intelligence back of Venus and its perfect record.

"While 'late only four times in 184 trips from Chicago to New Orleans' is a record of which any railroad in the world can be justly proud, it is not 100 per cent perfect. And it is not 100 per cent perfect because the directing intelligence back of it had its limitation. Human intelligence could not foresee and could not forestall every obstacle that stood in the way of such perfection.

"But the 'never late' record of Venus is 100 per cent and must demand an intelligence that is 100 per cent as well. No created intelligence is endowed with such perfection, from the very idea of 'creation'; all created things have their limitations, as experience fully proves. Therefore, since perfection in effect demands perfection in cause, the intelligence back of the heavenly Panama Limited Venus, must be 100 per cent perfect; it must be infinite or infinite. And that uncreated and infinite intelligence is the intelligence of that infinite and supreme being, that we call God Almighty.

"My argument, taken from design, may perhaps be contemptuously thrown aside with the remark 'it is old and obsolete.' It is 'old,' yes, because the vast majority of mankind, from time immemorial, have always recognized the evidence of design. But it will never be 'obsolete' as long as telescopes and microscopes exist and thinking men reflect on the marvels that they reveal.

"The fool sees all these phenomena and says 'there is no God.' And he says it precisely because he is a fool. But with thinking men it is different. Master minds like Lord Kelvin and Kepler see the wonders of nature and are led to postulate themselves at the feet of the God of nature. The former said: 'We are unmistakably shown through nature that she depends upon an ever-acting creator and ruler,' while the latter gave expression to his own conviction in the following beautiful words: 'My supreme desire is to find in myself the God whom I find everywhere outside.'

"A triangle of rubber sewed under the corners of rugs will make them slip-proof.

ANSWERS

to today's THREE GUESSES

BLARNEY CASTLE near CORK, IRELAND, contains the famous BLARNEY STONE which is supposed to give anyone who kisses it powers of persuasive eloquence. THE KORAN is the MOHAMMEDAN SCRIPTURE. The sketch shows an ACUTE ANGLE of 30 DEGREES.

RITZ Last Times TODAY

Midland's Favorite Show Place 10-15-25c

with Dolores Del Rio and Joel McCrea

John Halliday, Craighton Chaney, Richard "Skeets" Gallagher, Bert Roach, David O. Selznick, Executive Producer. RKO-RADIO Picture

ADDED Paramount News—Cartoon Paramount on Parade

Collection of Beer Steins on Display

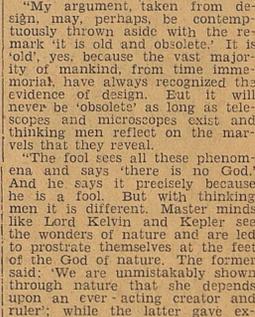
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