

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Generally fair tonight, and Tuesday, with continued cool temperatures.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

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So Jeremiah wrote in a book all the evil that should come upon Babylon, even all these words that are written against Babylon. —Jeremiah 51:60.

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WITNESSES ARE RECOVERED

COLLIER BEER BILL REVISION IS AGREED TO Wording to Undergo Change—Just for Protection

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26. (UP)—The senate judiciary committee agreed today to revision of the Collier beer bill to insure against the danger of a ruling on little fact unconstitutional. The new draft will provide the same 3.2 per cent alcoholic content as passed by the house with only the wording changed.

COLLIER HOPES FOR THE SALES TAX WASHINGTON, Dec. 26. (UP)—Chairman Collier of the ways and means committee said today that the sales tax apparently was the only adequate source of revenue to balance the budget.

CORSICANA AND MASONIC HOME PLAYOFF TODAY

CORSICANA—Primed and ready with all final preparations completed, the Masonic Home Masons of Fort Worth and the Corsicana High Tigers rested here Sunday night for their state championship game this afternoon. At 2:30 o'clock these two undefeated teams will clash for the 1932 state championship of the Texas interscholastic league. More than 10,000 fans from every section of the state, are due to watch the battle.

The Masons, led by Coach H. N. Russell, arrived here Sunday afternoon. The team went directly to its hotel, where it will rest until game time Monday afternoon. Both teams completed their preparations for the deciding battle Saturday.

Crockett Sheriff Is Modern David

OSONA—Sheriff W. S. Willis of Crockett county, famed throughout this area as the "greatest sheriff," who attacked a little bear a few years ago when he stopped a fleeing prisoner who had bolted for his freedom, with a well-aimed rock added to his arsenal as a marksman with a rock recently when he stopped a charging wild boar which he had wounded with a rifle shot a few moments before.

When he arrived, however, he found the boar crouched on his haunches, one of his hind legs broken by the rifle bullet, and in somewhat of a temper at such treatment. As the sheriff neared the wounded animal, the big fellow charged out on three legs, his three-inch tusks bared and ready for action.

When it was that some impromptu clearing was done in the canyon, according to reports, Willis had thought he was tired when he sat on the rim rock to rest, but when the hog came charging out of the brush, he promptly forgot his fatigue and the small trees and underbrush began to come down as the sheriff and wild hog crashed through, the hog grinding his teeth and "roosting" at the sheriff's flying heels.

Baby Deer Makes A Nice Playmate

DUBOIS, Wis. (UP)—An unusual friendship exists between a baby deer and a greyhound, both owned by Miss Eloise Amoretti, of Dubois. Every day the two animals go out into the country and play for several hours.

PUBLISHER DIES BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 26. (UP)—Norman E. Mack, honorary life member of the democratic national committee and former publisher of the Buffalo Times, died this morning after a week's illness.

Killed While Making Trip For Hospital Attention

Devil Killers To Trial Today

LINDEN, Dec. 26. (UP)—Examining trial for Paul and Coy Oakley, "healers," and Sherman A. Clayton, all charged with murder in connection with the death of Clayton's invalid daughter, Bernice, 5, was set for this afternoon. The girl was choked to death during a prayer ory to cure her paralysis "by driving the devil from her body."

ALLRED WRITES SHERIFFS ASSN. ON FEE CODES

The following is a copy of a letter written by Attorney General James V. Allred to the attorney for the Sheriff's Association relative to the fee laws which the sheriff is to propose to the legislature at the next session of the legislature. Another letter, a copy of an original mailed Sheriff A. C. Francis of Midland in reply to an inquiry dated 413, published in this newspaper on Dec. 13, was published Friday.

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If this question were one of first impression the writer might be inclined to agree with you. However, since the rendition of the two opinions during the administrations of Attorneys General Keeling and Ford, mentioned above, the Texas supreme court of civil appeals has held, in the case of McDaniel vs. State, 9 S. W. (2d) 478, against the contention of the sheriffs. The supreme court is reported in the Texas bulletin in issue of January 5, 1929. In our opinion the McDaniel case is squarely in point, and until overruled by the supreme court, is decisive.

After the decision in the McDaniel case senate Bill 32 was introduced in the forty-first legislature in January 1929, and passed the senate. This bill sought to expressly allow sheriffs mileage fees in cases of murder, rape, burglary, burglary of private residence, theft of property over the value of fifty dollars, or robbery, where the defendant was thereafter indicted by the grand jury. The bill was vetoed by Governor Dan Moody. His veto message is found at page 989 of the Senate Journal, Forty-first Legislature, at its regular session, 1929. His veto message read in part as follows:

The reason for vetoing this bill is the amount of expense which it would place upon the state. You would have to practically double your appropriation for sheriffs and constables in felony cases. All of the process, or practically all of it, served out of the examining court would be drawn from the state treasury.

"I believe that a bill can be drawn which would give the sheriffs or constables a fair compensation for the service of process out of the state treasury, but it would not involve the state having to pay for the same work a second time when process is issued out of the district court after indictment. If the state is going to pay the same fees for service of process out of an examining court as are paid for the service of process out of the district court, it seems to me that some provisions should be made for taking the recognizance and bail bond of witnesses and the laws should be strengthened for placing the defendant, when bound over to await the action of the grand jury, under some more effective character or bail or recognizance bond and would obviate the necessity of the sheriff having to arrest him again after indictment.

"I know that the nominal fee of one or two dollars which is paid the sheriff in an examining trial is inadequate to meet his expense, but I believe that this bill would increase the expense beyond what is reasonable, and that in practically every case the state would have to pay twice for the arrest of the defendant and twice for the summoning of the witnesses, and in addition thereto considerably by way of mileage.

"For this reason I have vetoed this bill, and return it herewith." In view of the decision of the court of civil appeals in the McDaniel case, and taking into consideration the history of Senate Bill No. 32, which sought to give to the sheriffs the mileage for which they now contend, and in view of the reasons (See ALLRED LETTER, page 4)

Accepts Pastorate At Valley View The Rev. Sam Horton of Big Spring has been called as pastor of the Valley View Baptist church. He preached his first sermon Sunday noon and his message of acceptance was given in the evening.

Attends Funeral Of Canyon Aunt Mrs. R. E. Witty is at Canyon, where funeral services of an aunt, Mrs. Charles Donnell, were held on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Donnell, a sister of Mrs. W. W. Wimberly of Midland, died Saturday.

Episcopal Communion Held Holy communion services were held this morning at 10:30 at the Episcopal chapel, and almost the entire membership of confirmed members were present. The Rev. W. H. Martin of Big Spring, pastor of the chapel, officiated.

HARRINGTON CASE CONTINUED UNTIL NEXT COURT TERM ODESSA—The murder trial of W. T. Harrington, indicted for murder at the Imperial Poultry Farm west of town some months ago, was postponed until the next term of court in a hearing in district court.

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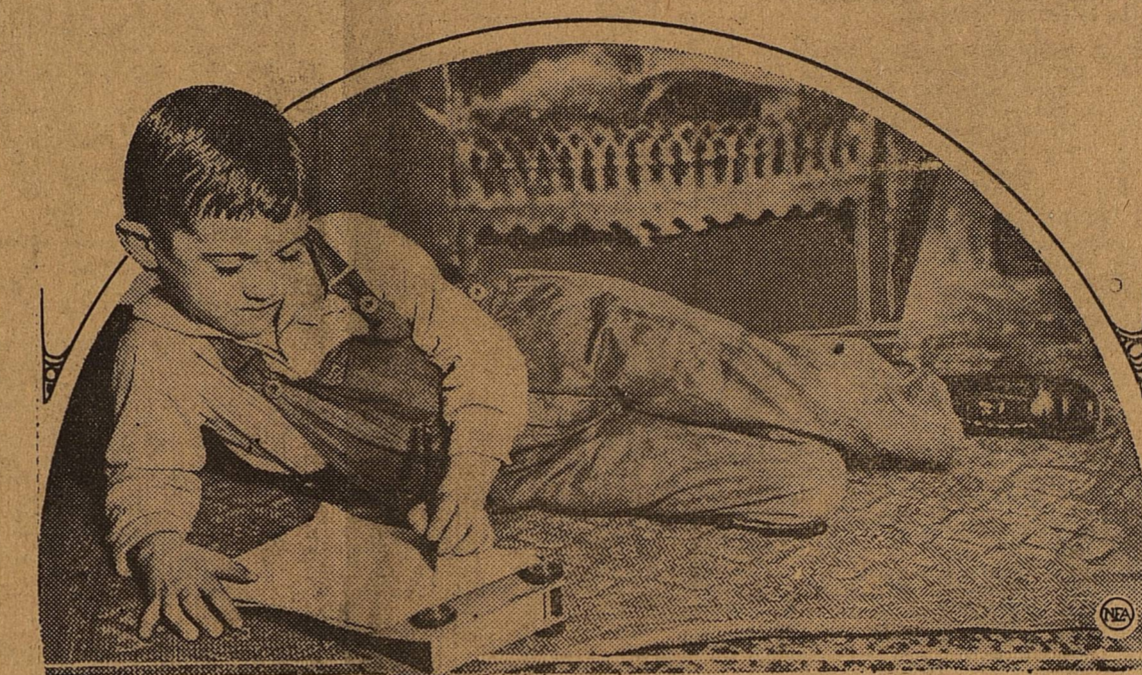
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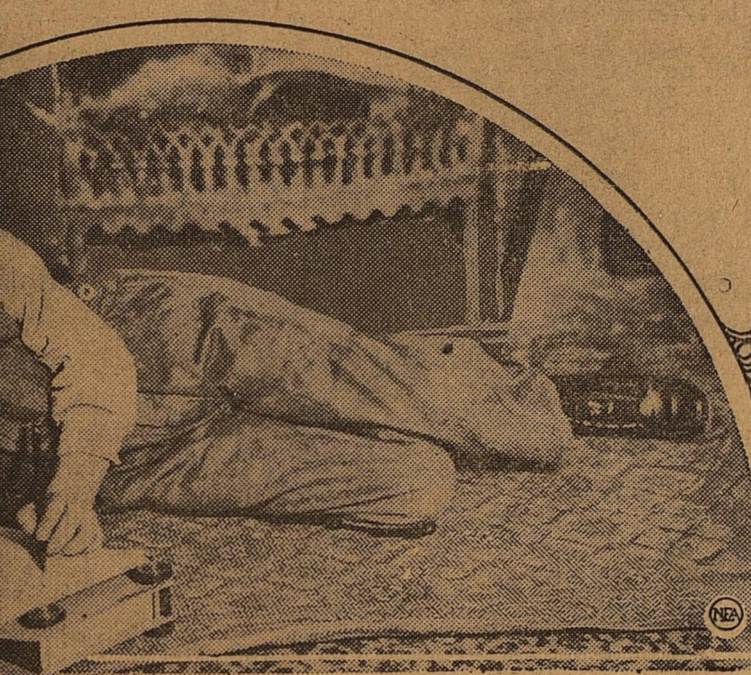
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LITTLE CHANGE FOR ENTOMBED OTHERS MOWEAGUA, Ill., Dec. 26. (UP)—The bodies of 27 miners were found this morning in the Moweagua community mine where an explosion trapped 54 Saturday. Twelve bodies were recovered Sunday.

Two Hundred Toll Of U. S. CHRISTMAS (By United Press) Approximately 200 were killed in the United States during the first half of the double holiday, a survey revealed.

Jealousy Is Death Motive SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26. (UP) Nick Santos and Vincente Fajardo, Filipino houseboys, confessed today to the killing of Karl T. Eymann, a wealthy employe, because Eymann was courting Santos' sweetheart, police said. Eymann was ambushed and was slashed to death last night as he left the girl's home.

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DENTIST'S BODY DISCOVERED BY OFFICERS TODAY ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26. (UP)—The body of Dr. Squire P. Bevier, dentist, who had been sought since Friday for the slaying of Mrs. Josephine M. Elder, a patient, was found today in the garage of his home.

French Heroes In War Retire PARIS. (UP)—One by one France's greatest soldiers of the World war are being retired or placed on the reserve list. Most of the major officers who led the French armies in 1914-18 have or are about to reach the age limit of 65, and their passing means the disappearance from active ranks of an impressive generation of military leaders.

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JOHN DIXON A VICTIM OF FLU, BURIAL SUNDAY John Dixon, for years a ranch foreman and trail driver connected with Midland ranches, died Saturday at the home of his nephew, Tom Bearden, at Baird. He had been engaged as a cowboy or ranch foreman since he was 15 years old and spent much of that time near here. Men for whom he had worked said he was unusually faithful to his employers and was exceptionally proficient in the handling of cattle. Those familiar with him called him "Uncle John."

Chemicals Fight Prickly Pears SAN ANGELO—A chemical used in Australia to fight prickly pear is being used on a ranch near San Angelo by R. M. Roberts, chemical research expert for an oil corporation.

Marfa's Troop to Go Way of Reds PORT DAVIS—Once again the jingle and patter of cavalry will be a thing of the past in Fort Davis. The old fort here was abandoned in 1891, but 12 or 15 years ago soldiers were stationed at Marfa and again cavalry troops on the hike appeared in the picture in town. But now the picture is to be taken down again, for the First U. S. Cavalry at Marfa has been disbanded as a result of the decision to enter into the Age of Machinery.

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THE PROBLEM FOR THE DEMOCRATS

The last presidential campaign was in some ways very educational. During the course of it Americans generally were persuaded that it makes very little difference, as far as business prosperity is concerned, whether we have a Republican or Democratic administration in Washington.

This depression, Colonel Ayres explains, is unlike all previous ones. Our economic difficulties, for the first time, will not be self-curing. Hitherto a steadily increasing population, a constantly expanding export trade and the steady rise of great new industries have made the eventual return of prosperity automatic.

If a wise settlement of the war debts and a sane re-adjustment of tariff laws can rehabilitate our export trade; if the soundness of our money can be preserved by proper fiscal policies at Washington; if the government can find some way of adjusting the relationship between low commodity prices and a domestic debt structure which is based on pre-depression prices—if all of these things can be done, says Colonel Ayres, the foundations for a genuine recovery will have been laid, and the rest will be just a matter of time.

But there is, of course, another side to it. If these things are not done; if the debt-and-tariff muddle remains in its present chaotic condition, if the budget stays off balance, if we resort to inflation as a stimulus for business—in that case we may find that our hard times have only begun.

THE CASE FOR COTTON

A new angle on the war debt question is provided in a statement issued under the auspices of the Committee for the Consideration of Inter-Governmental Debts. This statement quotes Will L. Clayton and Clarence Ousley, leaders in the cotton trade, to the effect that the cotton-growers of the south cannot come back to prosperity until Europe's ability to buy their produce is restored.

It is hoped that the Oklahoma man who purchased a petrified forest with the intention of using the stone "timber" to build a commercial garage can be persuaded to change his plan and give the public an opportunity to demonstrate that his investment is still a worthwhile one with their interest.

A professor at Ohio State university is authority for the statement that more log cabins have been built during the present year than at any time since Abraham Lincoln was a rail-splitter. It is too much to hope that some equally good presidential timber may grow up in their neighborhood?



"How do you know I didn't get twice more than you? Maybe I just ain't showing 'em to anybody."

The Town Quack

(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.) Just because there is an old saying that Hell is paved with good intentions doesn't mean that highway contractors live there.

A tramp yesterday asked at a back door for some fruit cake. "Won't bread and butter do?" he was asked. "This is Christmas and I want to celebrate," he said.

A prominent wrestler, known to the people of West Texas and the Panhandle, says the way to avoid getting into a good deal of trouble is to give a good liver oil twice a day and two glasses of orange juice. After tasting some cod liver oil, I've decided a cold is not so bad after all.

Christmas is over, so far as I know, but it was a sensible, quiet and well conducted Christmas. The streets were crowded for a few days, reports. Lots of people went to church yesterday. I saw very few drunks, although I didn't get off the streets and maybe the drunks that people gave a good deal of credit to, same as usual, and it looked like everybody had a good time.

New back to work. And as one preacher said yesterday, "It's this off to 1932 and coats off to 1932."

A Scotch boy boasted to his father that he had a dime by running to school by the back door, according to reports. "Why didn't you run behind a taxi and save a dollar?" asked his dad.

A town in Ohio has declared horses back riding a modern hazard and has ordered tall lights installed on horses which are to be ridden on streets and bridge paths at night.

EGG LOSES CHICKENS ERIE, Pa.—Which came first, the chicken or the egg? In this case, the chicken went first and Egg made a hasty trip to the police station.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE No. 106112-B By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dallas County, Texas, on the 14th day of November, 1932, in the case of Realty Trust Company, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. Midland Investment Company, a corporation, defendant, No. 106112-B, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 29th day of November, A. D. 1932, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the first Tuesday, to-wit: January 2, 1933, in the City of Midland, State of Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the defendant, Midland Investment Company, a corporation, had on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1927, or any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit:

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Allen have as their guests Mrs. M. J. Allen, who has been visiting for the past two months in Colinga, Calif. Miss Unice Allen of Oskaloosa, Iowa, Miss Olive Allen who teaches school in Clovis, N. M., and Miss Minnie Allen who has been visiting with friends in Wickett.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Sibley of Wink and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Breeding of McCamsy, spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Haygood.

Mr. and Mrs. DeLo Douglas are spending the holidays with her parents in Tyler.

D. Shifflett will spend the Christmas holidays with his mother and sister in Abilene.

Ben Allen of Abilene, former Crane county judge, is here with his family. He has been in East Texas for several months, engaging in construction work. Allen spent Saturday at Crane on business.

Helpful Health Suggestions

By M. Elizabeth Wilson County Health Nurse DANGER SIGNALS It is always wise to heed the danger signals, those in health as well as those in traffic.

1. Rash—This is an early sign of chicken-pox and is often the first symptom of German measles. It also occurs early in scarlet fever.

2. Sore throat—May be a symptom of diphtheria, scarlet fever, septic sore throat, or Vincent's angina.

3. Discomfort in swallowing—Occurs in mumps.

4. Cough—Occurs early in whooping cough, measles, and tuberculosis.

5. Tired feeling—Occurs most commonly in tuberculosis.

6. Running nose—May signify adenoids or may be from a common cold, which is usually contagious.

7. Headache—Occurs from constipation and also with meningitis, infantile paralysis, and many febrile diseases.

Watch out for the common ailments of childhood which may cause the symptoms described. See that the child has plenty of good food and early regular hours of peaceful sleep. It is such simple precautions are observed, this physical condition should insure a happy journey through his school days.

HEALTH QUESTIONS Question: "Me for milk"—me and my family—I'd like to hear you hear every now and then about diseases spread by milk. What are some of them and how to stop it?

Answer: Germs of diphtheria, scarlet fever, sore throat, typhoid and para-typhoid fever, and tuberculosis are sometimes carried by milk. Disease germs reach milk from a sick cow or an infected milk handler.

Have all cows tuberculin tested. Sell no milk from cows with garret. Require all handlers to be free from disease, and to wash their hands before milking, etc.

Question: People get panicky when told they have a cancer. It is family—I'd like to hear you hear every now and then about diseases spread by milk. What are some of them and how to stop it?

Answer: Go and tell your family doctor all about it—understanding and courage. The early symptoms of cancer are usually painless.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE No. 2518 By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Midland County, Texas, on the 12th day of November, 1932, in the case of West Texas Construction Company, a corporation, plaintiff, vs. W. B. Elkin, et al, defendants, No. 2518, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 29th day of November, A. D. 1932, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the first Tuesday, to-wit: January 2, 1933, in the City of Midland, State of Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said defendants, W. B. Elkin, Kate E. Elkin, F. P. Elkin, Lula B. Elkin and Charles Ebersole, and will be sold to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2380.83, together with interest on \$2,220.69 at 8% and on \$170.00 at 6% per annum from September 12th, 1932, in favor of West Texas Construction Company, a corporation, and cost of court and the further cost of executing this writ.

ALL OF Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, Block 52, O. T. Addition to the City of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

Said property being levied on as the property of W. B. Elkin, Kate E. Elkin, F. P. Elkin, Lula B. Elkin and Charles Ebersole, and will be sold to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2380.83, together with interest on \$2,220.69 at 8% and on \$170.00 at 6% per annum from September 12th, 1932, in favor of West Texas Construction Company, a corporation, and cost of court and the further cost of executing this writ.

\$299.11 of this judgment being a foreclosure of a mechanic's lien on Lot 19, Block 52, O. T. Addition to the City of Midland, Texas.

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SOCIETY

Belmont Bible Class Packs Box For Poor Family

Mr. C. F. Garison was hostess to members of the Belmont Bible class Friday afternoon, when members met at her home to pack Christmas boxes for Mexican families. Mmes. Herbert King and J. M. King were co-hostesses.

The lesson taken from the 20th chapter of Exodus was taught by Mrs. King.

During the social hour that followed, a Christmas program was presented. Mrs. E. M. Dolan told a Christmas story and Joan Garison, Billie Jones and Goodman King read.

A visitor, Mrs. Neal Station, and a new member, Mrs. Dolan, attended the meeting.

A. W. Stanley Jr. Host at Dance

A. W. Stanley Jr. was host at an informal dance Saturday evening at his home, 221 North Colorado.

Guests included Mmes. Evelyn Phillips, Jessie Lon Armstrong, Margaret Miles, Louise Wolcott, Viola Ingham and Edna Mae Elkin, Jack Prothro, Maurice King, Gordon Jones, John Nobles Jr., Fourn Armstrong, Mervin Haag, Allen and Johnnie Sherrod and Bill Hogsett.

Under the Dome Of the Capital

By GORDON K. SHEARER United Press Staff Correspondent AUSTIN, (UP)—West Texas landholders are promised re-introduction of the validating bills which were held over in the third called session of the 42nd legislature.

Rep. R. M. Wagstaff, Abilene, announces he will introduce the land validation bills in the 43rd session.

The 43rd legislature is one of continuing promises. Oklahoma, Texas, and Texas, says more than 100 have definitely pledged him their support for the place.

On the other hand Representative J. B. Ford, McGregor, nominal head of the campaign looking to selection of A. P. Johnson, Carrizo Springs, as speaker, says Johnson's election was not decided governor until long after his legislative membership.

We have 78 written and 11 oral pledges of support," said Ford. "Some 20 new members are not pledged and about 15 of them are inclined to support Johnson."

The conflicting claims for Stephens and Johnson, however, for 178 members which is 28 in excess of the total number, without leaving any possible supporters of W. T. Davis, Dallas, also a candidate for speaker.

Speakership in the house carries with it great power over legislation. In the past it has not proved a very great help in climbing the political ladder. Gov. Pat M. Neff was a former speaker of the house but he was not elected governor until long after his legislative membership.

State Representative Homer L. Leonard, McAllen, knows at least 7,294 representative in the 43rd legislature. Denied place on the ballot in the election over the members, he and good party tickets in Hidalgo county. Leonard's name was written in by enough people to elect him for another term. His opponent, with his name on the ballot, received 6,479 votes. Besides the votes Leonard received for representative, 35 people wrote in his name for county judge, county attorney, district judge, and even judge of the court of civil appeals.

J. D. Young, Cuero, is another representative-elect who took a practice view of the special session of the last legislature.

He is following that up with a pre-session trip about DeWitt county endeavoring to ascertain the will of the people on the numerous important issues expected to be before the legislature which meets next month. He was elected on an economy platform and declares he will abide by that platform.

EATS HIS CHARM

WILMINGTON, O. (UP)—Attempting to turn his "Lucky Buckeye" into a death weapon, Sam Treville, serving a sentence in the county jail here, ate the buckeye, which he had carried as a charm.

Sherriff Gus Miller found Treville writing on his cell bunk. He summoned a doctor, who administered emetics, saving the prisoner's life.

Specialists now generally agree that cancer is not inherited or contagious, infectious or otherwise transmissible among human beings.

As regards skin cancers, it is well to remember that a sore on the face, in the mouth, or anywhere on the body that does not readily heal—that is, heal when kept clean and this within two or three days—should be examined by a competent physician.

A wart or mole which changes in size or appearance should arouse suspicion. Do not fail to go speedily to the best authority on such matters.

Cancer is a phenomenon of growth; certain of the cells of which the body is composed set up an active, unmanageable, unrestrainable multiplication and unlike other cells refuse to follow the regulating and limiting control which nature imposes upon all normal and healthy forms of life.

Personals

Herman Walker, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Walker, will return today to San Angelo, where he is a student in the junior college.

Miss Adelle Haag, who is a student in Southwestern, is spending the holidays with her parents, Judge and Mrs. B. Frank Haag.

Miss Lucille Cochran left Saturday night for Dallas, where she will spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Covington and Dr. O. W. Orson spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Tom of Martin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barron and children spent Christmas on the H. E. Cummins ranch west of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cox and family left Saturday morning for Mexico, where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wimberly of El Paso are spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Wimberly. Wimberly is assistant principal of Austin high in El Paso.

Thomas Schrock, who is in the electrical business in Dallas, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Schrock, 405 North Eg Spring.

Mrs. W. E. Umberson and Ray Gwyn spent the week end visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Blackburn of Corpus Christi are in Midland to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Whitmore.

Ernest Sparks, student in Texas university, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Daniel.

Miss Emily Flanagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Flanagan Sr., and Miss Mary Wallace, both of whom are students in Sul Ross at Abilene, are spending the holidays here.

W. E. Brown of Hobbs is in Midland on a business trip.

J. C. William of Fort Stockton spent Sunday night in Midland.

Miss Edna Hanna is spending the holidays with her family in Little Rock, Ark.

Miss Dixie is visiting with relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. R. T. McAden spent Christmas with relatives in Pecos.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Conner are visiting his family in Breckenridge.

Miss Evelyn Herrington of Wink spent Christmas with friends in Midland.

Grady Bell of Odessa was a business visitor in Midland Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Haley is spending the holidays on her ranch near Poyote.

J. J. Willis of Odessa transacted business here Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Preston has as guests during the holidays her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Porter, and her sister, Miss Polly Porter of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Babb of Lubbock spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brunson have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ford and children, Hall and Helen Ford of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cowden and family are here from the ranch, spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cowden and with T. S. Patterson and family.

Johnny Woody of Stanton is spending the holidays here with relatives.

Miss Mary Chancellor, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chancellor, has returned from Greenville, where she attended Wesley college.

Dinner Party Honors Bridal Couple, Friends

Honoring members of the bridal party of the Rankin-Stevens wedding and schoolmates of the couple, Miss Ida Beth Cowden, Miss Helen Margaret Ulmer, Mr. Wright Cowden and Mr. Robert Caldwell entertained with a four-course dinner Saturday evening in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

Yuletide decorations were used. Tall white tapers burned on the table, that was laid in white and silver. Place cards were miniature silver wedding slippers.

Robert Caldwell was toastmaster. Miss Ida Beth Cowden toasts the bride, Mr. C. W. Edwards the groom and Miss Helen Margaret Ulmer the married couple. Mr. Alf Reese responded.

Places were laid for fifteen couples.

Jake Price Married Saturday At Brady

Jake Alvin Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Price, Midland, and Miss Lula Spaw, daughter of Mrs. J. Spaw of Millersville, Texas, were married Saturday afternoon at Brady.

Mrs. Price is a graduate of the high school there, and Mr. Price of the Edinburg high school. He attended the junior college there, as well.

Price met his wife last summer, when she was visiting her brother, Beverly Spaw, manager of the Williams-Miller gin here.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left on a honeymoon trip to Austin and San Antonio. They will return to Midland Thursday to make their home.

A. L. Stett and children, A. L. Jr. and Willard.

Mrs. W. A. Francis of Ballinger is spending the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Francis.

Mrs. F. C. Miller of Ballinger is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred Turner.

Lloyd Burris is here from the Tech college at Lubbock, spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mae Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Stafford of Dallas are in Midland visiting relatives and friends.

W. W. Lackey left Sunday to visit sisters and brothers in Fort Worth and Dallas.

The Rev. Winston F. Borum and family left Sunday afternoon for Shreveport to visit relatives for a few days.

Barna Greathouse went to Tahona Sunday afternoon, returning with Mrs. Greathouse who had visited her parents for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Young Lee are here from the Goldsmith ranch, spending the holidays with relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Chancellor, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chancellor, has returned from Greenville, where she attended Wesley college.

Foreign Lands

Word puzzle grid with horizontal and vertical clues. Includes words like MERRY, CHRISTMAS, AGUE, SHEEN, LEAVE, TOMB, CURE, S, AREA, SDU, TUM, L, LESS, ALPENA, COT, ALINE, NAP, AL, ILLUM, TAW, TIER, MILL, S, M, E, T, A, W, ATRI, P, E, Y, E, W, I, R, E, D, PRESENT, ELEGANT, ROVE, CATES, LIAR, OWES, ELIDE, EDGY, 20 Confined, 21 Right, 22 Empty, 23 Semidiameters, 24 Mountain pass, 25 Verb, 26 Point, 27 Answer, 28 Mythical bird, 29 Card game, 30 To recede, 31 To perish, 32 Sifvax, 33 Rained as in winter, 34 Capital of old Manchuria, 34 Lode, 36 North America, 37 Gatter, 38 Air, 39 Ireland, 40 Prantal, 41 Flat plate, 42 River in Egypt, 43 Withered, 44 Bunk, 45 To piece out, 46 Siltworm, 47 Grief.

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Mrs. John P. Butler and Mrs. R. O. Walker are to be the guests of Manager John Bonner tonight to see "Too Busy to Work." Bring this notice with you.

## Ranch Near Toyah Managed by Woman

SAN ANGELO.—The term "K. C. Steaks" is understood by everybody in America, whether he lives in New England or in Southwest Texas. Almost everybody in Texas knows about the "K. C." horses. In fact, Al Smith, the brown derby of New York, once had a deal on to buy the 200,000-acre properties on which these horses roam. That was in 1928. The ranch is perhaps the largest to be under the management of a woman.

Mrs. W. D. Casey, wife of the owner of the properties, and a daughter, Miss Velma, of Toyah, were at the Hilton Thursday while going over a deal to sell their call crop of about 1,000 head now being rounded up. Mrs. Casey takes an active part in the business due to the ill health of her husband, and it is she that handled the sale of about 700 head of horses to buyers this year. There are more than 3,000 head on the ranch, and Mrs. Casey smiles agreeably as she says that she has had more inquiries for horses this year than in any time in the last ten years.

Horses are coming back, she said, for bankers in eastern Texas and the eastern part of the United States. Mrs. Casey came from a fine old race horse raised in South Texas by Sam Harper and they are all well-bred. No shoddy stuff is allowed on the place. Several of the ponies that Mrs. Casey has selected have gone into the game of polo. Last year she shipped several cars of horses to California and found a good market for them.

Mrs. Casey was in a hurry to get back to her ranch for the branding wagons are running and her presence is needed. She rides over the place in a car, taking orders to the cowboys, giving directions.

The K. C. ranch is located in Jeff Davis, Culberson and Reeves counties. It was established by Casey 53 years ago. He came from Menard, lived in New Mexico for a time, knew Billy the Kid, and established his ranch in a raw country. There are two children, Miss Velma, and Mrs. M. E. Shibley of Toyah. The K. C. ranch is 40 miles from a post office.

Last year Mrs. Casey had on a deal with Mrs. Dora Roberts of Big Spring. Mrs. Casey called on Mrs. Roberts about 6 in the morning to continue negotiations and found Mrs. Roberts, who was living alone, was up and eating breakfast.

answering a remark from the clerk the pin slipped and lodged in his throat. A doctor removed the pin and Carslake rode in the next race.

**THAT'S A FOWL TRICK**

TACOMA, Wash.—Many people were amused the other morning when several policemen chased a diminutive bantam rooster up and down the street. They finally arrested the fowl and took it to the police station to try to establish its identity. Two men, Harry Shaner and A. O. Patterson, recognized the rooster as one belonging to one of Shaner's neighbors. The rooster had ridden to town on the axle of Shaner's car.

**BUGGY BUT NO HORSE**

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Comptroller C. E. Armstrong thought somebody was playing a pre-April-Fools-day joke on him the other day, when he found a bill for a buggy tire on his desk.

"Does the city own a horse and buggy?" he asked his secretary.

"Yes, a buggy—but not a horse," she replied. Garbage superintendent J. P. Ziegler insists on using the horse, which belongs to Ziegler.

**NOT PINNED DOWN**

LONDON.—Pins mean little to jockey Bernard Carslake. He just puts them in his mouth and swallows them—at least he did one. And it didn't prevent his riding soon after that. Carslake was holding a pin in his mouth while weighing out after winning a race recently. In

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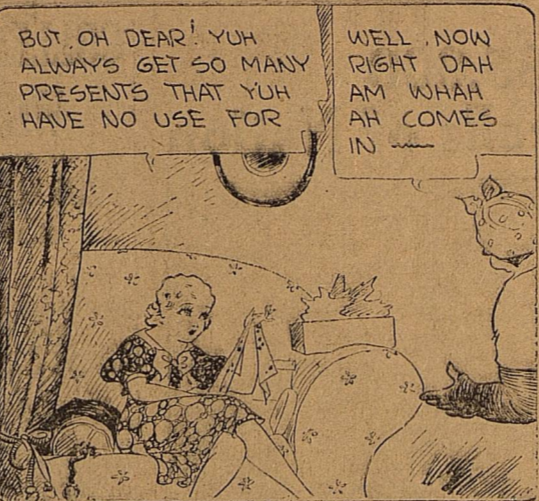
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## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



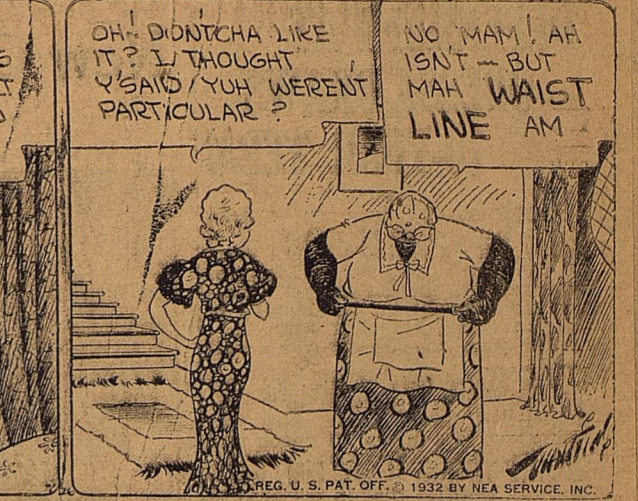
WELL CHRISTMAS AM DONE GONE HONEY  
YEP... IT WAS GOBS OF FUN TOO



BUT OH DEAR! YUH ALWAYS GET SO MANY PRESENTS THAT YUH HAVE NO USE FOR  
WELL NOW RIGHT DAH AM WHAH AH COMES IN

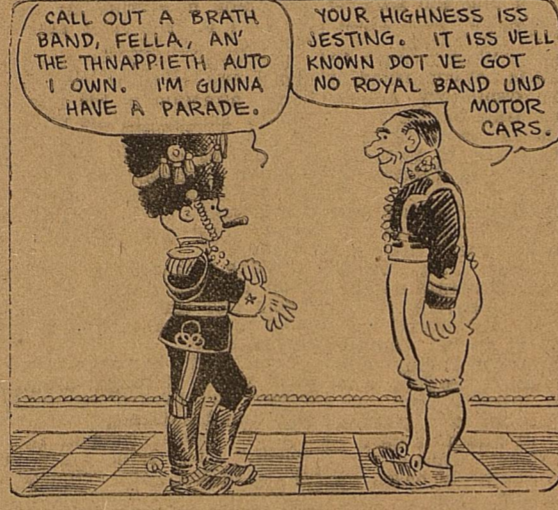


ANYTHING. DAY YO AINT GOT NO USE FO-- WELL, UH-- REMEMBAH, AH ISN'T AS PANTICULAH AS WHUT YO IS  
OKE! THERES A BELT Y'CAN HAVE

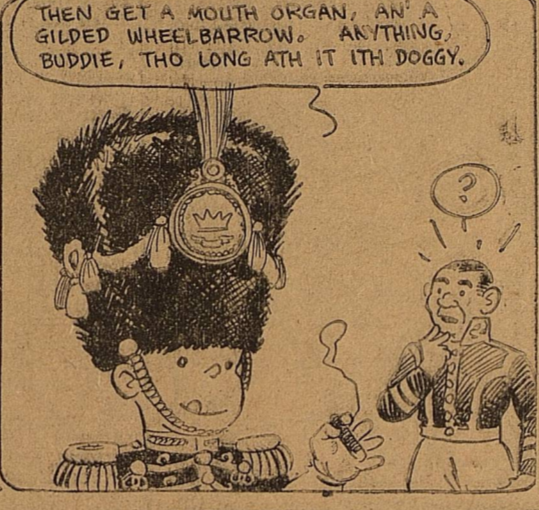


OH! DONTCHA LIKE IT? I THOUGHT Y' SAID YUH WERENT PARTICULAR?  
NO MAM! AH ISN'T-- BUT MAH WAIST LINE AM

## WASH TUBBS

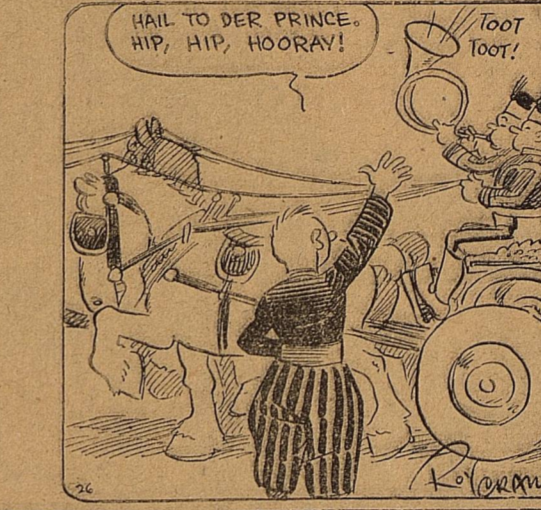


CALL OUT A BRATH BAND, FELLA, AN' THE THNAPPIETH AUTO I OWN. IM GUNNA HAVE A PARADE.  
YOUR HIGHNESS ISS JESTING. IT ISS VELL KNOWN DOT VE GOT NO ROYAL BAND UND MOTOR CARS.

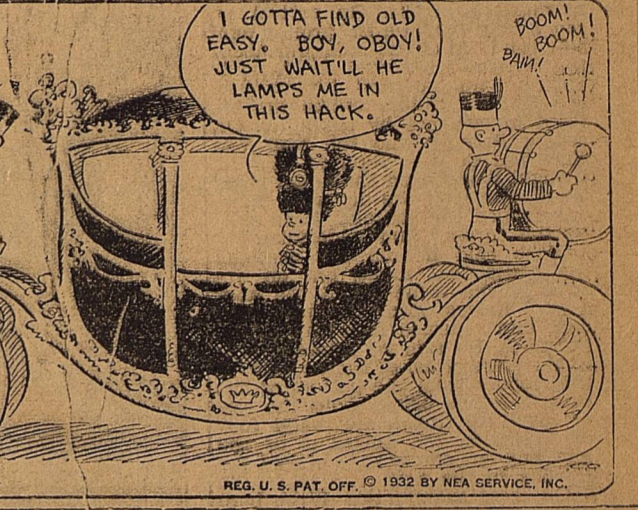


THEN GET A MOUTH ORGAN, AN' A GILDED WHEELBARROW. AN' ANYTHING, BUDDIE, THO LONG ATH IT ITH DOGGY.

## The Prince's Horses, Etc.



HAIL TO DER PRINCE. HIP, HIP, HOORAY!  
TOOT TOOT!



I GOTTA FIND OLD EASY. BOY, OBOY! JUST WAIT'LL HE LAMPS ME IN THIS HACK.  
BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

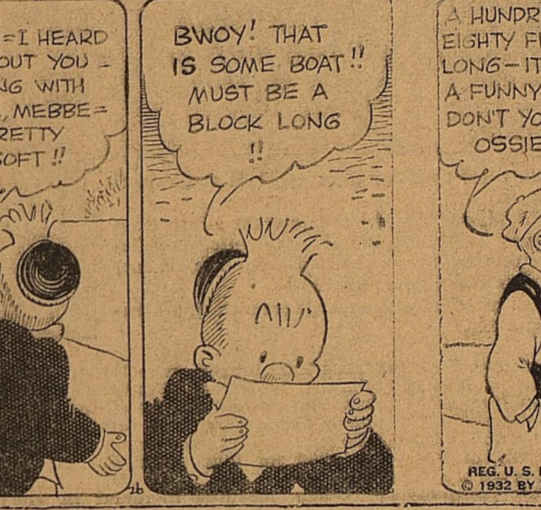


DO YOU MIND IF I TAKE THIS PICTURE OF YOUR YACHT AND SHOW IT TO OSCAR, UNCLE HARRY'S GEE... I'D JUST LIKE HIM TO SEE IT!!  
SURE... GO AHEAD, FRECKLES!!  
YEAH-- AN' TELL HIM A BETTER SHIP NEVER SPLIT A WAVE... AYE, AYE!

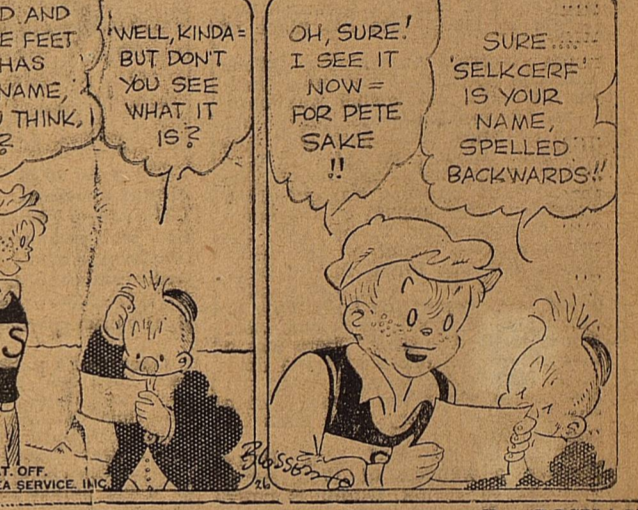


OVERJOINED AT THE INVITATION TO ACCOMPANY UNCLE HARRY ON A YACHT TRIP, FRECKLES IS IN HIGH SPIRITS

## Oscar, the Sleuth!



WAIT A MINUTE OSSIE... I WANT YOU TO SEE A PICTURE OF UNCLE HARRY'S YACHT, THE 'SELKERC'!!  
YEAH-- I HEARD ABOUT YOU GOING WITH HIM, MEBBEE-- PRETTY SOFT!!  
BWOY! THAT IS SOME BOAT!! MUST BE A BLOCK LONG!!

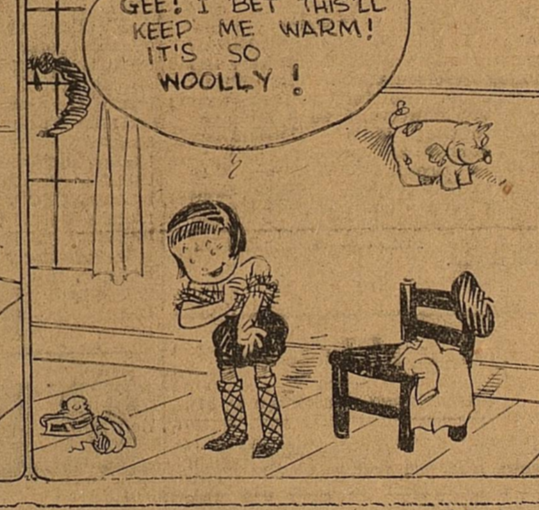


A HUNDRED AND EIGHTY FIVE FEET LONG-- IT HAS A FUNNY NAME, DONT YOU THINK, OSSIE?  
WELL, KINDA-- BUT DONT YOU SEE WHAT IT IS?  
OH, SURE! I SEE IT NOW-- FOR PETE SAKE!!  
SURE... 'SELKERC' IS YOUR NAME, SPELLED BACKWARDS!!

## THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

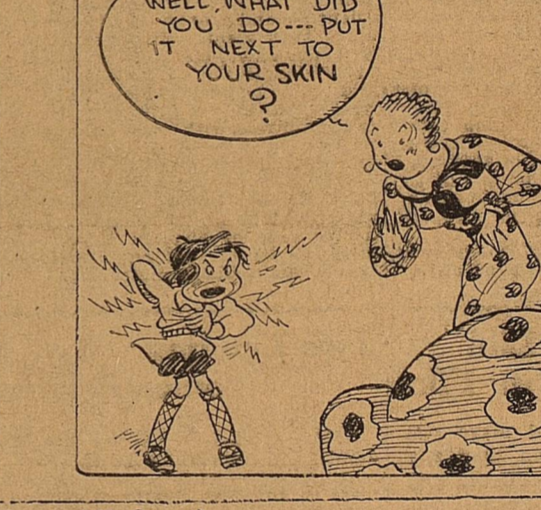


IF YOU ARE GOING SKATING, YOU'D BETTER PUT ON THIS HEAVY WOOLEN PULL-OVER GLADYS GAVE YOU FOR CHRISTMAS.

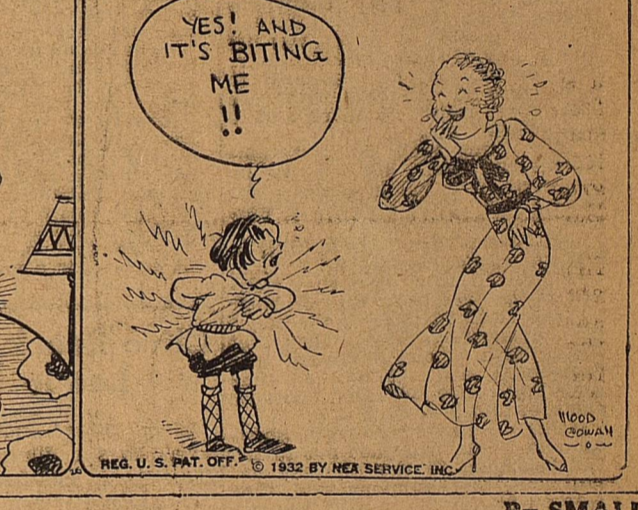


GEE! I BET THS'LL KEEP ME WARM! IT'S SO WOOLLY!

## The Jitters!



WELL, WHAT DID YOU DO--- PUT IT NEXT TO YOUR SKIN?

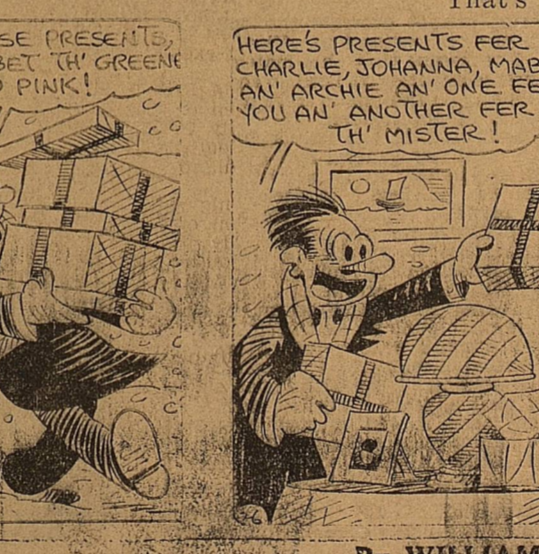


YES! AND IT'S BITING ME!!

## SALESMAN SAM



I'M A LIL' LATE WITH THESE PRESENTS, BUT JEST TH' SAMEY I'LL BET TH' GREENE FAMILY'LL BE TICKLED PINK!

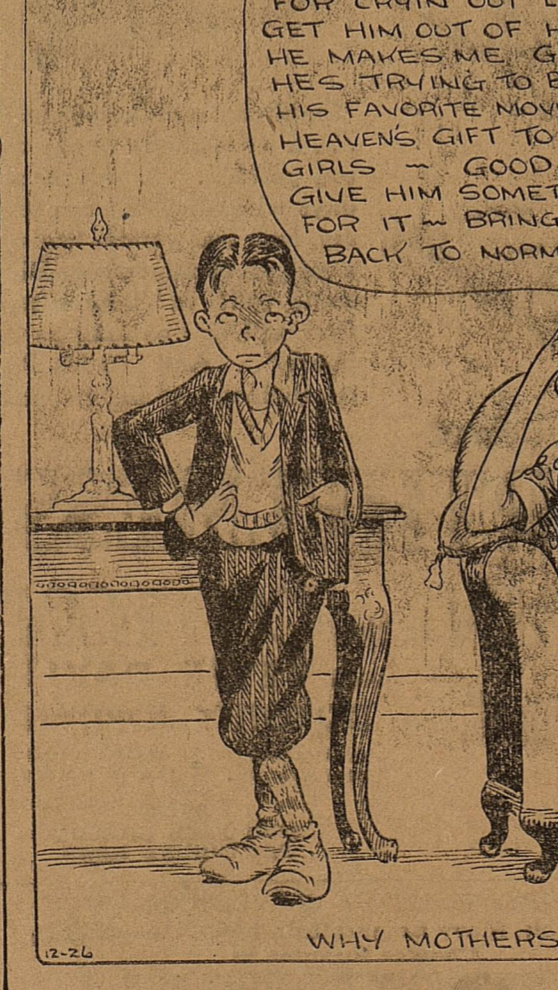


HERE'S PRESENTS FER CHARLIE, JOHANNA, MABEL, AN' ARCHIE AN' ONE FER YOU AN' ANOTHER FER TH' MISTER!  
WHY, CHARLIE'S OUT WEST, JOHANNA'S UP NORTH, MABEL'S DOWN SOUTH AN' ARCHIE'S OVER EAST!

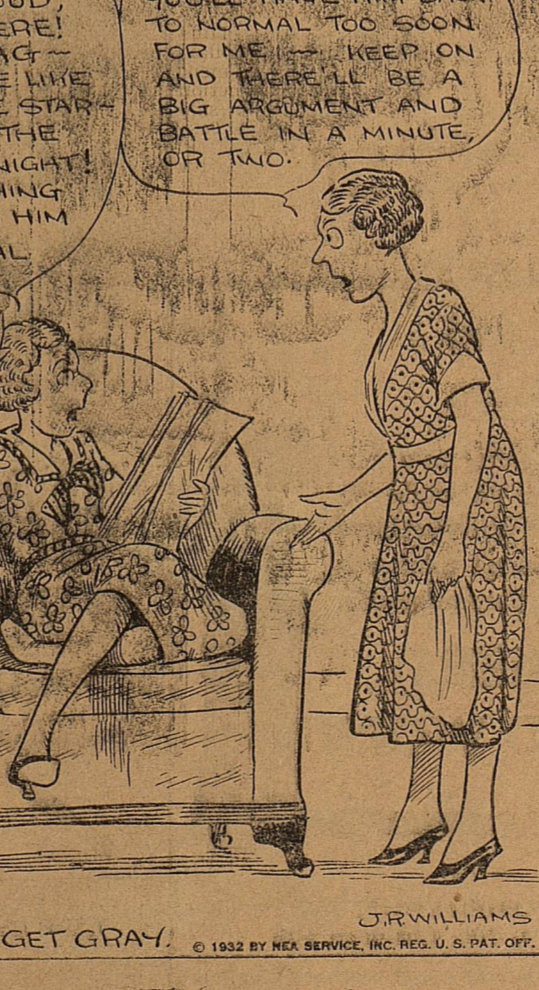


YOU SEE, NOT SO LONG AGO WE HAD AN' EXPLOSION AND TH' FAMILY'S PRETTY WELL SCATTERED AROUND!

## OUT OUR WAY



FOR CRYIN' OUT LOUD, GET HIM OUT OF HERE! HE MAKES ME GAG-- HE'S TRYING TO BE LIKE HIS FAVORITE MOVIE STAR-- HEAVENS GIFT TO THE GIRLS-- GOOD NIGHT! GIVE HIM SOMETHING FOR IT-- BRING HIM BACK TO NORMAL



YOU'LL HAVE HIM BACK TO NORMAL TOO SOON FOR ME-- KEEP ON AND THERE'LL BE A BIG ARGUMENT AND BATTLE IN A MINUTE, OR TWO.

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



NICE OF THE GOOD WOMAN TO GIVE ME THIS LOUNGING ROBE, EH LAD?-- SO SNUG, AND JUST THE THING WHEN I FEEL A BIT CHILLED!



SHE UNCONSCIOUSLY ENCOURAGED YOU TO CONTINUE LOAFING! THAT'LL BE YOUR COCOON, UNTIL YOU CRAWL OUT OF IT NEXT SPRING!  
YOU SHOULD BE SNICKING AT MY CHRISTMAS TIE, WHILE YOU'RE WEARING THAT CARNIVAL SHIRT! I WOULDN'T WAVE IT FOR HELP, IF I WAS A CASTAWAY!  
AS I WAS SAYING-- THAT TIE WOULD MAKE A PIP OF A FUSE FOR A BOMB!

DEFENDANT AT ODESSA DRAWS 10-YEAR TERM

ODESSA.—A jury in district court here returned a verdict of guilty, with a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary for Hal Rancier charged with murder and with malice aforethought in the shooting of Lucian Dunn, here last April 24.

The jury was out two and a half hours. The larger part of the first day of the trial was devoted to examination of jurors. The jury was selected late in the afternoon. The first state witness took the stand. Sheriff Reeder Webb, first state witness, testified that in response to a telephone call from Rancier he went to the place of the homicide at the cafe about 2 o'clock in the morning, April 24. On arrival he saw a man lying on the ground outside the door of the cafe and about the time of his arrival the defendant came up and handed him a gun, a Luger 30 calibre automatic, of which he shot the deceased, Rancier replied that he did. Webb called the coroner and undertaker.

Webb said he did not examine the body that night, but on arrival at the scene he found the door 4 or 6 inches open. He locked the door and returned next day to examine it. He said he found a hole in the glass panel of the door about 6 1/2 inches from the bottom of the door, the hole being about the size of his little finger. He found four cartridges in the magazine of the gun, and one empty shell behind the ice box in the cafe.

On cross examination Webb bore down on the distance between the hole and the bottom of the door and sidewalk. He also testified that Rancier told him the deceased was trying to break into his place of business.

On re-direct examination, Webb said the house was examined thoroughly and only one shell was found. The one previously mentioned—but that evidence on the shell was found in the lock on the door of a supply house across the street. The body of the deceased was examined carefully after arrival of the coroner and undertaker, he said. No weapons were found on the body. One bullet was found in the front part of the head, and considerable blood was around the hole. Two drops of blood, he stated, were found inside the door. There was a splash on the outside of the door.

The witness and Mrs. Pearl Rhodes, a waitress at West Acre, testified to seeing Dunn, Rancier and two highway men from Van Horn, McKnight and Stewart, in the West Acre around one o'clock on the morning of the killing. Dunn was talking to the Van Horn men, and although possibly drinking, was not drunk. Any of the witnesses to have been drunk, Rancier was said to have come in the cafe while the other three men were there, and to have talked out.

The three men, Stewart, McKnight and Dunn, left the cafe by the north door, while Rancier left through the filling station, or west door, testimony of the witness. Jeff Stewart and Tom McKnight, highway department employees from Van Horn, testified that they stopped at the West Acre cafe on their way to Midland late in the afternoon of the shooting. There they met Dunn, with whom McKnight was acquainted, and sat for a time drinking coffee together. Rancier came in and left, they said.

After the three, McKnight, Stewart and Dunn, had gone out to the department, the testimony said, they stopped at the car to talk, the two visitors in the car, and Dunn standing outside.

Here we take up direct examination by the district attorney of Jeff Stewart.

Q. How long did the three of you talk there?  
A. I judge possibly between five and ten minutes.

Q. Did you see the defendant that night?  
A. Well, I couldn't say it was this man. There was a man passed in front of the car while we were talking, and then passed, that is, going east, and passed back and got kind of west of the car and called Lucian Dunn and when he called him we drove off.

The two men drove off toward Midland, the witness testified. When they reached the main part of town, he said, they heard one, possibly two, pistol shots.

McKnight's testimony corroborated that of Stewart. When he reached the point where the three were out at the car, he and Stewart in the car and Dunn outside, his testimony became a bit more complete than Stewart's.

Q. Did you see the defendant that night?  
A. Yes.  
Q. Where did you see him?  
A. He came through the restaurant first, and then saw him on the sidewalk in front of the car.

Q. By the car?  
A. In front of the car.  
Q. Did you see him come out of the restaurant?  
A. No.  
Q. But you saw him there?  
A. Yes.  
Q. Was that while you were talking to Dunn?  
A. Yes.  
Q. Did Rancier have anything to say?  
A. He called Lucian.

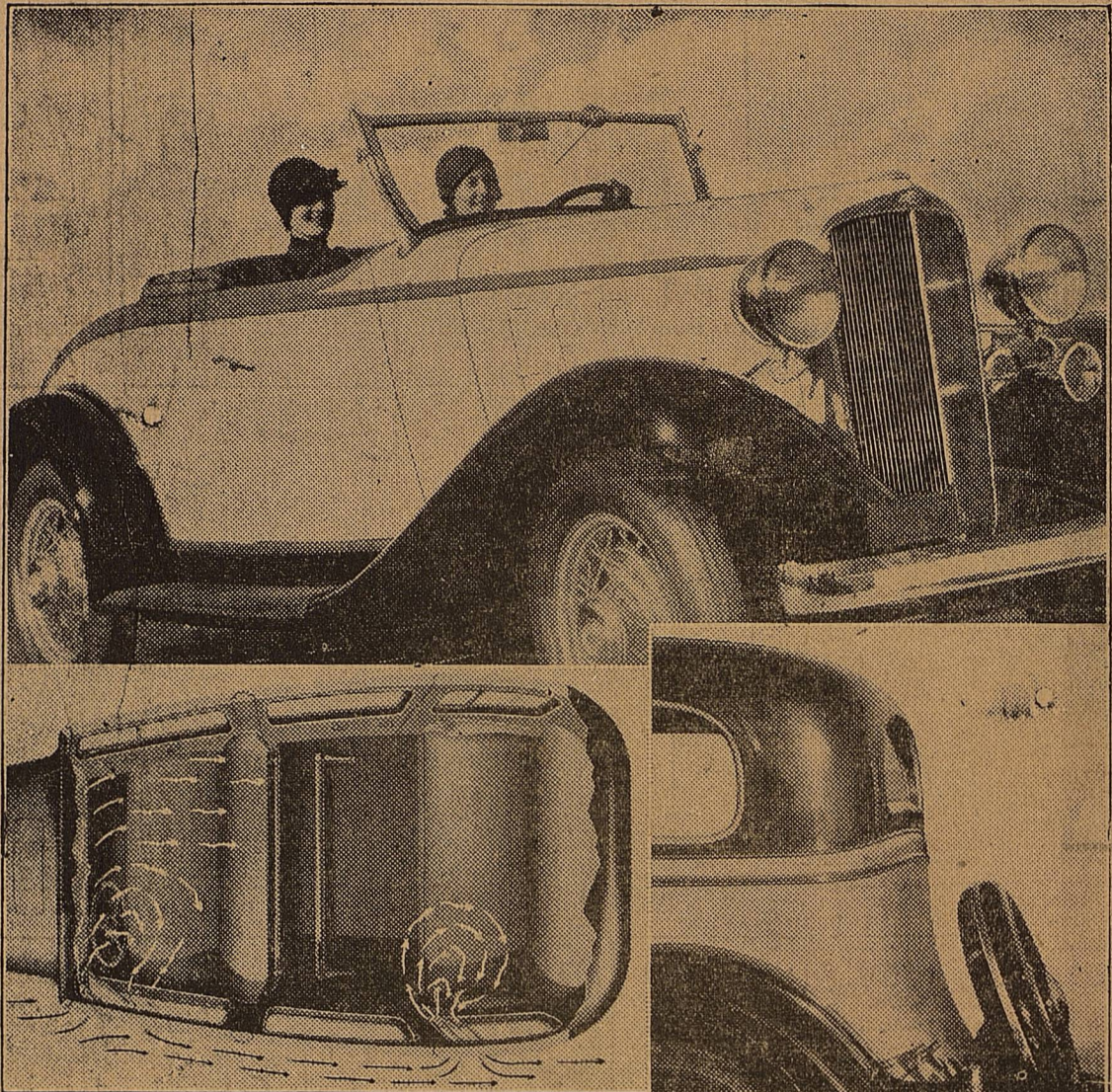
Q. What did he say?  
A. Just called him and said, "Come here."  
Q. Did he call him by name?  
A. I believe he did.

Q. When Rancier, the defendant, called to Dunn, and said, "Come here," did Dunn go?  
A. Yes.  
Q. What were Dunn and Rancier doing the last time you saw them?  
A. They walked away back west.

Q. Together?  
A. Yes.  
The defense was represented by Judge Cornell of San Angelo and Jack Kirby of Odessa, with the state represented by District Attorney W. R. Smith and County Attorney John L. Fowler.

VISITS THE CONNELLS  
W. N. Connell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Connell and Mrs. Nevada, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Connell of 121 North Big Spring street. Miss Lady Connell of Manhattan, Okla., a teacher in the public schools at that place, and her sister, Miss Eleanor Connell who has been visiting her, are also here.

New Chevrolets Add Over 85,000 People to Payrolls of Nation



TOP: New 1933 Chevrolet roadster climbing hill at General Motors Proving Ground.

LEFT: New Fisher "No-Draft" Ventilation system illustrating how each passenger may have individually controlled air, instead of being subjected to a sweep of air through the car, with resultant discomfort and danger to health.

RIGHT: New rear-end of all closed models screening all unsightly underparts of the car.

Chevrolet's public showing of its new 1933 line means a material spur to national employment and materials consumption, since this company is the largest manufacturer in the largest industry in the world.

More than 85,000 people are back at work, 30,000 in the company's twenty domestic factories, 21,000 more in Fisher body plants working exclusively on Chevrolet-Fisher bodies, and more than 36,000 in dealerships throughout the nation.

As many more are indirectly benefited by the announcement, through making their livelihood by building parts for the car which Chevrolet buys from independent suppliers.

Chevrolet's 1932 volume totals 400,000 cars and trucks with a retail value in excess of \$200,000,000. This is said to be one of the greatest contributions made by any company this year to the economic well-being of America.

In the new line, now on display at all dealers, is a variety of models

featuring longer wheelbase, new Fisher "No-Draft" Ventilation and many other features which the company has designed to retain for the leadership in the industry it has enjoyed for four years out of the past six.

Other features included in the new line are more power and speed in the engine, which is newly cushion-mounted; improved free wheeling, plus Synchro-Mesh transmission with Silent Second gear; a new "Starter" that greatly simplifies starting; such safety elements as shatter-proof glass in the windshield; larger and lower bodies by Fisher, in the new "Aer-Stream" mode; three fewer controls, with really automatic features in some of those retained; an Octane Selector that insures the highest possible operating efficiency from all grades of gasoline, besides a uniform gasoline cost per mile; dash instruments of airplane type; foot pedals, with reading, positive brakes; and still easier steering.

With all these, and many more, the price range continues to be mindful of the buyer's pocketbook. It has been found possible to equip the new Chevrolets with many fitments that usually are confined to cars selling at several times Chevrolet's base price.

Since October first, trained former employees have been going back to work in Chevrolet's widely distributed manufacturing and assembly plants, with welcome additions in full swing. More than \$100,000,000 worth of new cars were produced in the month of December, when concentrated operations incident to prompt dealer stocking were in full swing. More than twenty million dollars worth of the new cars were in dealers' hands when the national introduction was made.

COLLEGE-TRAINED RANCHER AT POST WORKS HARD; IS IN SADDLE DAILY

Will Rogers Hates Kisses in Pictures

The first question asked by Will Rogers when it was announced that "Too Busy to Work," his latest Fox picture, was about to go into production was "Do I have to kiss anybody?"

Rogers sidesteps kissing whenever possible. It required some coaxing to induce him to kiss Irene Rich in a picture and he balked, point blank, when the script in "They Had to See Paris" and "Down to Earth" demanded that he be kissed on each cheek by Theodore Lodi. But he finally capitulated and the face he made on each occasion was too genuine to be part of his acting.

In "Too Busy to Work," much to Rogers' relief, he is not compelled to indulge in any osculatory action. Even he does find his long lost daughter, he is no more than a tramp, and he refuses to ruin her happiness by revealing himself to her.

"Too Busy to Work," today and Tuesday at the Yucca theatre, boasts a supporting cast that includes Marion Nixon, Dick Powell, Douglas Cosgrove, Constantine Romanoff and Louise Beavers.

Miss Nixon recently scored successfully in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," "Amateur Daddy" and "Whispering Cypriote." Powell, who shares the love interest with her, has appeared in but one picture, "Blessed Event" in which he gave a performance that set critics agog.

"Too Busy to Work" is based on Ben Ames Williams' widely read story, "Jubilo," and was prepared for the screen by Philip Klein and Earl Conners. John G. Blystone directed the production.

DISTINCTIVE CARD

The Christmas card of Dusty Waller, former manager of Hotel Scharbar, and now manager of the Hilton at El Paso, is prepared as a legal will in which he bequeaths the greetings of the season.

Several friends received one of the documents, which read: THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF EL PASO, I, DUSTY WALLER, TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME: GREETINGS!

I, Dusty Waller, of the City of El Paso in the County of El Paso, in the State of Texas, being of sound mind and disposing memory, a stout heart and a slim purse, and being desirous of remembering bountifully and extravagantly all whom it is my pleasure to honor, do hereby certify that the comptroller might be personally liable on his bond should he issue warrants based on such fees.

I believe the sheriffs of this state would prefer to sail over the smooth waters of certainty. If the opinion of the court of civil appeals is not correct, it can be very speedily determined by a mandamus suit in the supreme court. I take it, from personal conversations with you, that such a mandamus suit will be presently instituted. In that event I should be glad to join with you in a motion to advance the case and secure an early determination of the matter.

Sincerely yours, (Sgd) James V. Allred, Attorney General

POST.—A college-trained rancher swings into the saddle here every day to manage a 78,000-acre ranch that stretches through two counties, and in spite of that fact that he is a graduate of Phillips, Exeter and Yale, by his own choice he is "top hand" on the ranch. He is J. B. Slaughter, Jr., son of one of the most noted cattle raising families in Texas.

On the U-Lazy S ranch, which boasts the most palatial headquarters in the region, Jay Slaughter works boot to boot with men who have spent from a quarter to a half century of service with a family known as cowpunchers for 75 years.

Where his father faced obstacles in getting cattle to market, young Jay finds new trails in low prices for beef on the hoof and the income of high taxes.

Undismayed, nevertheless, he goes about the task of improving his herds, announcing his intention of "pulling" leather till the price of cattle gets back where it belongs.

"I'm not worried about this depression business," said Jay, as he rolled a brown paper cigarette in the chuck wagon camp, "but I'll be glad when they get through foolin' around."

"We're not getting anything for stock because people aren't eating steaks like they used to. But we'll come through, all right, because we always have."

"This outfit has seen worse times than these, through drouths and freezes, but we're still running high, wide and handsome."

"It's the attitude of the whole outfit," the "hands" are pushing ahead, eating good "chuck," drawn in better wages than their fathers did, secure in their belief that the Slaughter, are the cow-raiser's folks in the country."

In addition to its spring and fall calf crops, the U-Lazy-S normally runs from 4,500 to 5,000 head of stock each year.

Windmills scattered over its broad acres provide water in every part of the ranch for its Herefords, many head of "cows" a cross between buffalo and cattle, and a herd of deer which has grown tame in a pasture in front of the ranch headquarters.

TO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY Mrs. W. G. Eddle will entertain her daughter, Willie Mae, with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Willie Mae will be eight years old.

WANTED PEACE SAN FRANCISCO.—John Lee is a peace loving man, as was found out by police here. His wife, Mrs. Viola Lee, 31, tried to commit suicide by throwing herself under the wheels of a street car. She was with her husband at the time. "I didn't want to interfere," he told police, "because I knew it would only start another fight."

my pleasure to admire at this Holiday Season, do now bestow and voluntarily bequeath to you the riches of my good will, and the fortune of my earnest prayers, and the wealth of my admiration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF: I hereunto set my hand this twenty-fifth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-two.

Dusty Waller Santa Claus, Witness

Clive Brook, Lila Lee in Ritz Film

Mary Boland, noted stage star, turns to the films to play with Clive Brook, Lila Lee, Charles Ruggles, Gene Raymond, Frances Dee, and Adrienne Allen in "The Night of June 13," a film which opens Tuesday at the Ritz theatre.

Miss Boland's last effort on the legitimate stage before her departure for Hollywood was in "Face the Music," a musical show which ended a long run on Broadway.

"The Night of June 13" is a drama set in a suburb of a large eastern city. Four families, living in adjacent houses, find their own lives more bound up with the lives of their neighbors than they realized when the wife of one man commits suicide and the husband is inadvertently charged with murder.

At the trial, each neighbor lies to cover up some petty deficiency of his own, and it appears that the innocent husband is about to be hanged when a dramatic climax saves him and reveals the duplicity of everyone concerned.

Holiday Marred— (Continued from page 1) Mrs. Harris already is planning for her four children, made fatherless by the tragedy. She is studying bookkeeping so she may get a job and care for them before the insurance money and community gifts have been spent.

TYNER NAVAL RECRUIT Earl Otis Tyner, 22, of Midland, was enlisted in the navy at Dallas on Dec. 1. Earl Otis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Michael Tyner, also of Midland.

Tyner's application for enlistment in the navy was handed to the Abilene recruiting station. He will receive his recruit training at San Diego, California.

Statistics show that only one person in 10 over 21 years of age has perfect vision.

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Two Leading Women in Film

Two leading ladies make the romantic life interesting for the character played by Richard Barthelmess in the first National picture, "The Cabin in the Cotton," which is now playing at the Ritz theatre for the last times.

Bette Davis and Dorothy Jordan were assigned the feminine roles in this story of the modern South, which comes from the pen of Harry Harrison Kroll and was adapted for the screen by Paul Green, Pulitzer prize winner, and himself the author of over forty plays about the South.

Bette Davis won her contract with Warner Bros. when she played opposite George Arliss in "The Man Who Played God." Since then, she has appeared in "The Rich Are Always With Us," "Go Big" and "The Dark Horse." With each succeeding picture her popularity has grown by leaps and bounds.

Of no less importance in filmdom is Dorothy Jordan who was lately seen on the screen in "Young Sinners," "Min and Bill," "Shipmates" and "The Wet Parade."

Others in support of Mr. Barthelmess are Harlan Albert, Dorothy Peterson, David Landau, Henry B. Walthall, Bert Churchhill, Tully Marshall, Edmund Breese, Clarence Muse, and many others. Directed by Michael Curtiz.

Allred Letter— (Continued from page 1)

assigned by Governor Moody in his veto, and the failure of the legislature thereafter to pass any other laws on the subject, I feel that the present attorney general's department cannot overrule the opinions of our predecessors in office.

I recognize that this matter is of serious importance both to the sheriffs and to the public from a standpoint of enforcement of the criminal laws. Like the courts, however, the attorney general can only construe the law as it is written. We are not privileged to declare what it, perhaps, should be. We are not responsible for the failure of the legislature to provide for adequate compensation for mileage traveled by sheriffs in executing magistrate warrants before indictment. If the previous opinions rendered under the administrations of Attorneys General Keeling and Pollard, and the opinion of the Texas court of civil appeals, correctly state the law, then should sheriffs continue to collect such mileage, they would be liable on their bonds. In my opinion, I take it, from personal conversations with you, that such a mandamus suit will be presently instituted. In that event I should be glad to join with you in a motion to advance the case and secure an early determination of the matter.

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COMING TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY Clive Brook, Mary Boland, Lila Lee, Frances Dee, Charles Ruggles in "THE NIGHT OF JUNE 13"

Cowboys Have Not Changed Much Says Panhandle Writer

By HARRY MONTGOMERY AMARILLO.—The cowboy of 1932 differs not a great deal from the cowboy of 1882 in dress, habits, duties or the ability to ride a horse or rope a steer.

But neither the new model nor the old ever measured up to the specifications of that romantic hero—the cowboy who has lived almost a century in song and story.

Modern conveniences have changed the life of cowboys on big ranches less than that of any other class of individuals. What changes have taken place really are in methods of ranching rather than in the cowboys themselves.

Cowboys still enjoy sleeping under the stars, eating from chuck wagons and mastering wild horses, but they are concerned more with earning a livelihood than with romance.

These observations sum up the opinion of those who have lived in West Texas and New Mexico where there are still ranches as large as the state of Rhode Island.

Dress Altered Little Cowboy dress has changed little. Standard clothing includes big hats, high-heeled boots, spurs, leather jackets, colored shirts and blue denim trousers. Chaps are common in the mesquite country, but not so popular on the prairies.

Among the ranch hands are a good many youngsters, some of whom are college graduates. Wages always have been low, ranging from \$15 to \$50 a month plus board and lodging.

Most ranchers agree that present-day cowboys are more proficient with a rope as their predecessors, for much of the branding, dehorning, vaccinating and other work is now done in corrals and chutes. But they are better riders because their horses are grain-fed and are therefore stronger.

Many go without guns. Other carry them to shoot jackrabbits and coyotes. But in the Big Bend country of Texas their fight off rattling bandits, and in parts of New Mexico rustlers still are active, although modern cattle thieves operate at night and haul away the animals in trucks.

Because the Panhandle, Kansas and Oklahoma—once considered the greatest cattle country of the west—are being divided into small ranches, many have been led to believe that the real cowboy is becoming extinct. However, the big ranches have merely been pushed back into the rough country, where railroads have not been built.

On these ranches the cowboys often spend six or eight weeks at a time in the open country, and the chuck wagons and sleeping with saddles for pillows, in all kinds of weather. They still "ride fence" as

of old. Autos Now Used But the modern cowboy goes places in an open-top car. He can drive 125 miles to a dance in five or six hours, a distance that required three days for those of the 80s and 90s to negotiate on horseback.

Possibly the owner of the ranch is an aviation enthusiast and occasionally sets his plane down along side the chuck wagon to take lunch with his crew.

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