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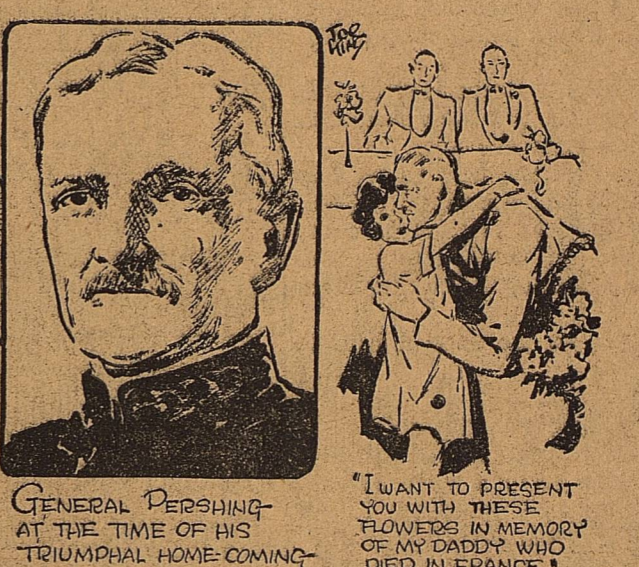
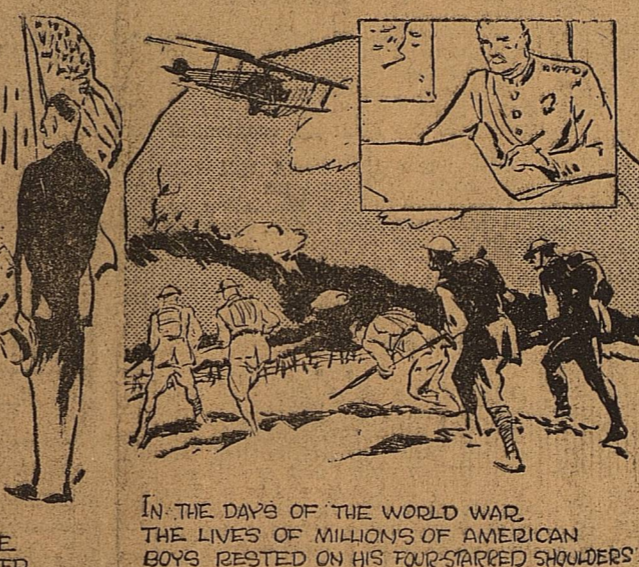
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PERSHING REMAINS OVER-NIGHT

Picture Story of General Pershing Who Commanded the A. E. F.'s Four Millions



WENT TO FRANCE BY PRESIDENT WILSON AS COMMANDER OF A. E. F. IN 1917



WAR MILITARY OBSERVER FOR U. S. IN RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR

IN THE DAYS OF THE WORLD WAR, CORN WHISKEY IN THE RADIATOR OF AN OFFICER OF THE LAW FROZE!

GENERAL PERSHING AT THE TIME OF HIS TRIUMPHAL HOME-COMING

BORN AT LALEDE, MO. IN 1859, JOHN J. PERSHING WAS 26 WHEN HE GRADUATED FROM WEST POINT

IN 1899 HE WON FAME IN THE PHILIPPINES SUBDUING THE MODOS AND WINNING THEIR CONFIDENCE

MARRIED IN 1904, HIS WIFE AND THREE CHILDREN DIED IN FIRE TEN YEARS LATER

BARBERS WORKED IN LUMBER JACKETS AT ONE SHOP AND HOUSE WIVES DID NOT EVEN STICK THEIR NOSES INTO THE OPEN. THEY HAD PLENTY TO DO INSIDE, THAWING OUT HYDRANTS AND MILK BOTTLES.

THE MAN UPON WHOSE FOUR-SHARDED SHOULDER RESTED THE LIVES OF FOUR MILLION AMERICAN SOLDIERS, AND AS A HOUSE GUEST TODAY AND TONIGHT OF GENERAL PERSHING, WHOSE LIFE IN THE ARMY WAS JUST ONE BLAZING ADVENTURE AFTER ANOTHER, WHO FOUGHT IN THE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR, CONQUERED THE FIERCE MODO TRIBES, CHASED VILLA IN MEXICO AND HAS CONDUCTED HIMSELF AT ALL TIMES SO AS TO EARN THE UNSTINING PRAISE OF THE MILITARY AND CIVIL ALIKE READING THE NEWS OF HIS DEEDS WILL REST DURING THE NIGHT BEFORE CONTINUING A TRIP IN HIS BIG MOTOR CAR TO TUCSON, ARIZ., FOR A FEW WEEKS VACATIONING IN RIGOROUS TEMPERATURES OF WASHINGTON. WITH HIM IS MISS MARY PERSHING, HIS SISTER OF LINCOLN, NEB., AND MASTER SERGEANT ROBERT C. SCHAEFER.

"I WANT TO PRESENT YOU WITH THESE FLOWERS IN MEMORY OF MY DAUGHTER WHO DIED IN FRANCE"

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General Remains at Hotel Scharbauer; Gets Reports

BULLETIN
Reports saying the condition of James F. Pershing, ill in New York City, had grown steadily worse and warranted the immediate return of his brother, General John J. Pershing, resting at Hotel Scharbauer during inclement weather conditions here. Reports continuing westward, were not corroborated early this afternoon by the general. Reports from the north said a plane was held in readiness at El Paso to land at Sloan field and pick the general up for a flight to the metropolis. Fort Bliss officials mentioned that weather conditions at Midland during the day, but El Paso flying conditions were dangerous, with the ceiling being reported zero and a snow on the ground. General Pershing reiterated his plan to remain in Midland overnight.

Country in Grip of Wintry Blasts

TEMPERATURE HERE TUMBLES EARLY TODAY

Low of 5 Degrees Is Felt; Fall Is 61 Degrees

A blizzard sweeping mid-America sent snow as far south as Waco. It was 9 degrees below zero at Amarillo early today, the coldest of the west.

Kansas City was five below, and Chicago reported six inches of snow. The lowest temperature of the year fell at Miles City, Montana, where the reading was falling as 36 degrees below zero, and 40 between there and Bismark, N. D.

Stockmen of the area have been warned of cold weather ahead. Reports of this area said snow was falling at Big Spring, where the temperature was 7 degrees over noon, snow also was falling at McCombs and Seminole. Wink had snow this morning. The sun was shining at noon at Fort Stockton, Wink and Kermit, but Hobbs was reported as a north wind sent the temperature scurrying down to five below zero.

Snow intermittently fell in Midland during the morning. Snow flurries were reported at Lubbock, but the weather apparently was breaking south to Canyon.

TEMPERATURE FALLS 61 DEGREES HERE

Speeding as if to make up for time lost in the past 30 days, winter swept into the Midland territory on a shivering north wind last night, snow falling from the Panhandle. The mercury column and bringing 5-degree temperature early this morning. It had warmed only three degrees in two hours.

An unofficial temperature slightly below freezing was registered soon after midnight. The cold wave swept in suddenly from the Panhandle area which early in the night experienced temperatures as low as 4 degrees below zero. A steady sleet accompanied the mer.

The mercury fell 61 degrees at Midland during the night. Buster Howard, weather observer, said 7-degree temperature was set in the 9 o'clock, 8-degree weather lasted from 9 to 11. Eleven degrees was the reading at one o'clock.

Lubbock, where the mercury tobooganed 37 degrees in an hour and 15 minutes, sleet was falling steadily. Rain and sleet were reported at Wichita Falls and Pampa, after a swift descent of temperature at both points.

Continued Cold, Texas Forecast

The weather report for East Texas is cloudy with snow in the interior and east portion and colder in the south. The temperature is expected to fall to six and 12 degrees in the north, to 16 and 20 in the central portion, 20 and 24 near the coast, 26 and 28 on the west coast tonight. The forecast for Wednesday is partly cloudy, not so cold in the northwest.

For West Texas, partly cloudy, colder in the south portion. A cold wave is expected to hit the southeast portion and temperatures in the southeast are expected to be 20 to 24 degrees, and 17 to 20 degrees in the northwest. Wednesday generally fair, not so cold in the north portion.

Improvement Seen Rountree Condition

J. Paul Rountree of El Paso is recovering slowly from injuries received last week when a car in which he was riding was struck on Florence street by a Government hill car.

Temperature persists, but is attributed from ether taken when the car was struck. Rountree, with his son, Herbert, and Rountree, with Mrs. Rountree returned to Midland early today, said his left leg was broken in four places above the ankle and his foot was broken.

Late News

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 7. (UP)—Jesse Jones of Houston was reported today to be slated for the chairmanship of the Reconstruction Finance corporation under Roosevelt. He is now a member of the commission.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 7. (UP)—Sergeant Lester Jones, 51, policeman, was killed by machine gun bandits who were robbing a bus company. One bandit was believed to have been wounded by two patrolmen who were with Jones.

DALLAS, Feb. 7. (UP)—Clarence Driggers, 26, died today from a fractured skull received in a dynamite blast in a sewer tunnel yesterday. W. T. Hughes, 30, was killed instantly.

HOUSTON, Feb. 7. (UP)—W. G. Graham, 25, and J. K. Cartwright, 33, were charged today with criminal assault on Miss Elsie Wells, 22, who said they promised her work in a beauty parlor and then attacked her on a suburban road.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7. (UP)—Baby Ruth celebrated his thirty-ninth birthday quietly at his home today.

Mention of Pioneering Texans Brings Name of Scharbauer Family into Story

When thoughts of pioneers of West Texas occur, one name invariably comes to the fore. It is that of John Scharbauer, Midland and Fort Worth man, member of a family that likely has done as much to fashion the so-called "empire" as any other.

When the great Hotel Scharbauer was completed another instance of investing money earned from wide acreage of this country was shoved across into the consciousness of the public. The building is an imposing monument to the pioneering spirit of the Scharbauers, who left the comparatively easy life of old New York to be the leader in the dangers of thinly settled West Texas and Midland to win for themselves fame, fortune and the respect of those with whom they come in contact.

A tale of the accomplishments of this family recently appeared in the *Cattleman*, written by Tom Whitehead, former Midland newspaperman, and is reproduced as follows: The Scharbauers have prospered in West Texas. Probably no one there even H. J. Haight, the "watchdog" of cowboy Texas, whose business it is to keep up with the physical assets of the Scharbauer Cattle company, could give a correct approximation of the total value of their far-flung properties—including ranches scattered over six counties of West Texas, thousands of acres of land in the Midland, and other investments in Texas and elsewhere.

What the Scharbauers have today they have won from the semi-arid lands of West Texas, carefully saved and profitably put to work to increase itself.

Taught Thrift Early
Like the lives of most of the truly successful men of this country, the biography of the remaining Scharbauers reads like a Horatio Alger story of success. Born of humble parentage—an immigrant German shoemaker—almost on the sidewalks of New York, the Scharbauers have by their own hands and unusual business ability won fortune and a position as one of the first families of the West. The father, Ferdinand Scharbauer, like many other venturesome men of that era, came to America from Germany in the first half of the nineteenth century, and settled in New York state. He was in very moderate circumstances and set out to make money by making boots and shoes to support his rapidly increasing family which finally consisted of four boys and three girls. He was a thrifty individual and he early impressed upon his sons the virtues of saving and profitable investment. Of the four boys this article is concerned with three—John, Phil and Chris (the latter two now deceased).

All three of whom named Midland their home and have left their impress upon the history of this city. The fourth Scharbauer—Clarence, son of Chris and builder of Hotel Scharbauer—came to Midland with his father, and likewise has had wide influence on the progress of this place. The other son of Ferdinand Scharbauer and the three daughters remained in New York, and all are now dead, leaving John Scharbauer, the last of the original four brothers.

At an early age the Scharbauers went to work to help support the family. John, while yet in his teens, rented a farm near Albany. (See SCHARBAUERS, page 4)

Cold? Corn Is Frozen Today!

Judge for yourself if it was cold in Midland this morning. Corn whiskey in the radiator of an officer of the law froze!

B'SPRING BOY JAILED AFTER BANK ROBBERY

SHREVEPORT, Feb. 7. (UP)—Verne E. Moore of Big Spring and Jim Bryant of Sulphur Springs, Texas, were jailed here today, charged with the \$1,500 robbery of the Plain Dealing, La., bank yesterday. They surrendered following a gun battle.

Petitions Urge Aid For Racing Measure

Petitions bearing the names of numerous Midland ranchmen and interested individuals were being circulated today, requesting Senator Frank Regan and Representative E. Ken Haag to support the horse racing bill which was passed favorably by the house committee yesterday by 14 to 4 votes.

Await Gauge After Holt Well Is Shot

Shot with 120 quarts by a time bomb last night, Landreth Production Co., No. 1, C. B. Holt, Ector county wildcat producer, could not be gauged this morning because the hole was bridged about 135 feet above the shot.

Bulletin

AUSTIN, Feb. 7. (UP)—Representatives of cities and small towns clashed today over proposed highway department maintenance of roads through municipalities of 10,000 population and less. Representative Kyle of Mineral Wells, author of the proposal, emphasized the need of state upkeep to relieve burdens on the towns.

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By HARRY W. FRANTZ
United Press Staff Correspondent
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Two million jobs, by official estimate, hinge directly upon manufacturers' exports, while the merchant marine, railway trunk lines, cable companies and port services are crying out through agencies here against the adverse situation.

In the decade from 1920 to 1929, United States export trade seemed to have stabilized at a figure in excess of \$4,500,000,000 annually. This flourishing business was regarded as the "prosperity leeway" for American industry.

It is the more unbelievable happened. Major causes of the slump in foreign trade were: (1) The purpose of many countries to discourage imports in general and those of American products in particular; (2) Abandonment of the gold standard by a majority of countries, which caused disparity in national price levels; and (3) Resort by more than 30 countries to foreign exchange controls, designed to discourage exports of gold by curbing merchandise imports where necessary.

The United States still has tremendous industrial and commercial machinery and unused diplomatic resources to promote rehabilitation of its foreign markets. These are: (1) A government-fostered merchant marine which awaits cargoes far in excess of those now carrying; (2) A bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, with highly trained personnel at home and in 53 commercial centers abroad; (3) Relief to the international exchange situation foreshadowed by United States intention to participate in the world economic conference; and (4) Official assurance that the United States trade policy aims to buy abroad as well as sell abroad.

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WHICH WAY OUT?

When Gov. John G. Winant of New Hampshire declared the other day that men who attempt to block measures for the public good in times like these are guilty of treason, he uttered an axiom with which practically everybody will agree.

The only thing that complicates matters is that it is so hard to get men to agree on precisely which measures are for the public good and which ones are not.

Governor Winant, of course, realizes this as well as any man. His chief point was that the economic depression has brought the nation problems as critical as those of World War days, if not more so, and that party politics should be disregarded, as far as possible, in seeking a solution.

But it isn't all quite as simple as we should like to have it.

In the national capitol at Washington, in the 48 state capitols, in the city halls of countless municipalities there are uncounted public servants who have a very sincere and earnest wish to do whatever may be necessary to get the nation back on its feet.

And yet, so far, they have not been able to agree on any broad platform to lift us out of our troubles. They are perfectly willing to do so; indeed, that is their chief desire. But in the very nature of things it has been almost impossible.

One man, for instance, sees salvation only in debt cancellation. Another sees it in disarmament, another in a vast public works program, another in inflation, another in a sales tax, another in the remonetization of silver and another in a capital levy. And the division of their counsels is a measure of the confusion from which all of us have been suffering.

We have all of the good will and hearty determination in the world; what we lack is a general agreement as to the end to which these forces are to be applied. Until some agreement of that kind is reached we shan't progress far.

MISPLACED MERCY

The vicious murder of a six-year-old girl recently stirred all of New York; nor was public indignation greatly quieted by the discovery that the murderer—who was arrested and confessed—had already served two prison terms for offenses against young children.

Here, it would seem, is a field in which the penalties provided by law are too lenient rather than too heavy. A man who is given to offenses of this kind is too terrible a menace to public safety to be permitted at large. One transgression ought to be enough to warrant society in locking such a man up for the balance of his life.

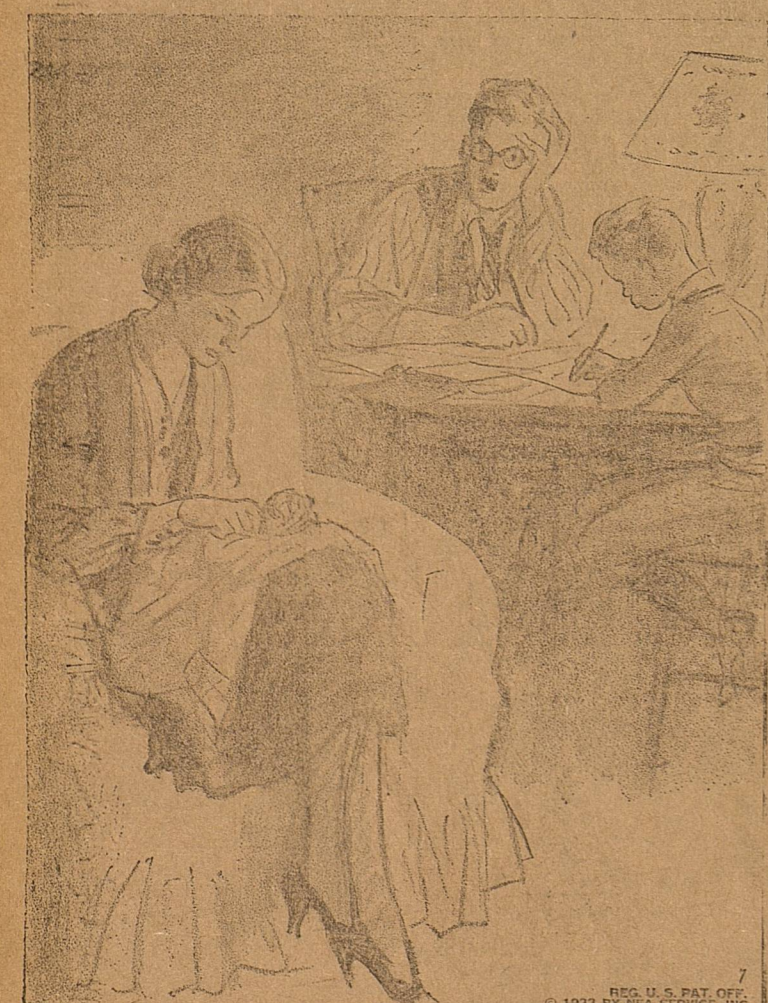
In other fields there are grounds for believing that our criminal code tends to be unduly severe. The hold-up man, the burglar, the defaulter—these men can often be rehabilitated and made useful members of society. But that doesn't apply in cases like this. No sentence can be too heavy.

TIN PAN ALLEY

The death in Honolulu recently of Albert R. Cunha, aged 53, calls to mind the odd way in which our popular songs get written.

Cunha 25 years ago was a Yale student, a tackle on the football team. He liked to write songs, even then, and after leaving college he started the craze for Hawaiian songs which swept the country half a generation ago. It was Cunha who wrote "On the Beach at Waikiki," and if your memory goes back 15 or 20 years you don't need to be told of the wave of Hawaiian songs that followed in its train.

Side Glances by Clark



"If you are so anxious for him to skip the sixth grade, why don't you try to get some of these answers?"



The Town Quack

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

reported that a toad-stool was growing in the basement. Percy Minis, showing the house, remarked that orchids don't grow in dark places. I have been asked to suggest some relief plans for the government. Here they are: Cancel all the government's present relief plans, and offer no new relief plans. Let the nation get back to the old fundamentals of demand and supply and speculation. Economic conditions will not improve until the whole world takes a notion to lift itself up, economically. Just when the world will take that notion is beyond us. I have lost faith in legislation, relief measures, new ideas, speeches, editorials and sermons. We might as well make up our minds that time is the only solution. I suggest a moratorium on mortgages, and believe in no other panaceas, and have no panacea of my own.

What's the most fun you ever had? I believe my greatest enjoyment was witnessing a chronic bellyacher being kicked out of his house by his wife. I also greatly enjoyed this incident. While a man was bragging that he wouldn't ride in anything but a Packard car he was run over by a Ford car.

The man who thinks that because he belongs to "an old and highly respected family" he has the right to be cross with a waitress ought to be shot in the leg.

A Midland man thinks he is an adventurer because once upon a time, while he was seasick, the only thing that kept him from lying down was a piano stool.

esting line has been followed in constructing the first-class dining room. Its sides have been made into covered porches permitting many passengers to dine in the open.

German Ships Nearly Ready

HAMBURG, (UP).—Notwithstanding the depression in shipping, the Hamburg America line is going to put into service two new motor vessels, the "Caribia" and the "Cordillera," which are to ply between Hamburg and the West Indies and Central American ports.

The Caribia's maiden trip is scheduled for February, while that of the Cordillera probably will be in August. Both vessels are for combined passenger and freight service and are similar. They are equipped with twin propellers driven by two eight cylinder Diesel motors generating 11,000 horsepower permitting of an average speed of 17 knots per hour. Each vessel has a displacement of 16,400 gross tons and affords accommodations for 170 passengers in first class, 100 in second, and 130 in third.

Special care has been taken to afford the passengers of all classes greatest comfort for travel in tropical weather. None of the cabins of the three classes is situated near warm air shafts, or service rooms. Most of the cabins as well as the social rooms are outside and permit light and air to enter freely. In addition a carefully tested artificial air conditioning system has been installed.

Social rooms in all three classes are arranged as to permit entertaining them by simply rolling back intervening walls. An inter-

Wild Life Is Cared For in All Weather

HARRISBURG, Pa. (UP).—Game animals and birds of Pennsylvania are taken care of by the Boards of Game Commissioners in "mid weather as well as cold," according to officials of the Board.

Early snows in all sections of the state recently covered completely the usual food sources for animals and birds. The feeding campaign, intensified during that period, was not lessened when milder weather set in, said the Commissioners. They pointed out that hunters from southern counties often do not realize the weather conditions which may prevail in their favorite grounds and that a day's cold rain in southern Pennsylvania may bury the more northern sections in a foot of snow.

Final mail carriers are now permitted to carry grain and other feed on their routes. Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Van Huss returned last night from Fort Worth, where they took their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Van Huss. They were met at Dallas by another son, Earl, who took them to Galveston, where Mr. Van Huss will receive medical treatment.

Ambassadors

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like 'Blotch', 'Spigot', 'Cautatop', 'Coat of mail', 'Inflates', 'Steamship', 'Sickness', 'To do', 'Tiny green vegetable', 'Common laborer of any kind', 'Range of hills', 'Physical orsanism', 'Winter rain', 'Northeast', 'Horned, gaseous elements', 'Huge, U. S. A.', 'U. S. A. ambassador to France', 'Episode in action', 'Before Christ (abbr.)', 'Coffin with group of dishes', 'Long grasses', 'Inclination downward', 'Assigned task', 'To drop', 'Beam', 'Fresh-water fish', 'Fictitious prose tale', 'Farmers of South Africa', 'Pale', 'Prairie bird', 'Machine for making joints', 'Brilliant show', 'Hall', 'Purifies', 'Morsel', 'To vouch', 'Conveyed', 'Moccasin', 'Nothing', 'Large stiff collar', 'Humor', 'Plan or out-line', 'God of love', 'Indian from Utah', 'Eggs of fishes', 'Answer to Previous Puzzle', 'PITTY MALATES SPA', 'ARA EYESORE IAM', 'NOR TETANIC LAB', 'ANIMAL RE TOTAL', 'MIRE AZURE DICE', 'ACID COMER ICED', 'DARN SOON', 'ODAL EASES IBIS', 'CIBER SLATE SANE', 'IRADE LLSMITE', 'VAT RECITAL LAD', 'ATE GRANULE EKE RED', 'SEWAGED', 'VERTICAL', 'U. S. ambassador to England', 'Wing of a seed', 'Decays', 'Manly', 'Eucharist vessel', 'Hardy garden chrysanthemum', '75280 feet', '(pl.)', 'Indian from Utah', 'To hearken', '30 Brilliant show', '31 Hall', '32 Purifies', '33 Morsel', '35 To vouch', '36 Conveyed', '37 Moccasin', '39 Nothing', '40 Large stiff collar', '44 Humor', '44 Plan or out-line', '45 God of love', '49 Indian from Utah', '50 Eggs of fishes'.

Mary Helen Walker Sunbeam Officer

Mary Helen Walker was elected second vice-president of the Sunbeam band Monday afternoon, when nine members met at the Baptist annex. The meeting was opened with a song and a prayer by Ina Bess Hicks. Mrs. H. A. Palmer read a story and valentines were made for handwork. These will be turned over to the Mexican band.

Announcements

Wednesday Meeting of the Fine Arts club has been postponed until Feb. 22.

Thursday Valentine and anniversary meeting of the North Ward Parent Teachers association Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Regular meeting of the South Ward PTA Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Arno Art club will meet on Thursday night with Mrs. John Shipley, 1501 West Illinois.

A bridge-dance Thursday evening at 9 o'clock at the home of Miss Annie Faye Dunagan will entertain members of the Anti club.

Friday Mrs. F. J. Fink will entertain members of the Belmont Bible class Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with a Valentine party at her home, 1310 South Main.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wyatt returned last night from Wichita Falls, where they transacted business and visited friends.

A. P. Phillips of Lubbock was in Midland Monday afternoon on a business trip.

T. S. Nettleton Jr. has returned from Fort Worth, where he visited with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Foster of Odessa were in Midland this morning en route to Austin.

Robert Hamilton, Martin county attorney, was in Midland transacting business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pegues of Odessa were business visitors in Midland Monday afternoon.

Miss Dixie Word has returned from Fort Worth, where she visited friends and relatives.

Sam K. Wasaff has returned from a business trip to Fort Worth.

Mrs. H. N. Thompson has returned from Oklahoma, where she has been at the bedside of her mother for six weeks. Her mother is reported to be improved.

SOCIETY

Wanza Lochabay Entertained with Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lochabay entertained Monday afternoon with a birthday party for their daughter, Wanza, 12, at their home, 208 South Marientel.

Refreshments were served to Misses Barbara Jean Harper, Pauline Levinson, Gloria Swanson, Wanda George, Bertha Flournoy, Freda Faye Turner, Edith Rippen, Geraldine Lewellen, Jessa Lynn Tuttle, Joyce Beauchamp, Jane Bounds and Cleo Tidwell.

Mrs. E. M. Miller Hostess to Women's Auxiliary

The Women's auxiliary of the Episcopal church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. M. Miller, 905 West Kansas.

After a prayer for the auxiliary was repeated in unison, the regular order of business was followed. Members reported on or turned over to the treasurer amounts of money raised for the fund to be used in redecorating the interior of the church building.

The making of a quilt was selected as the next project and a committee was appointed to recommend materials.

Mrs. Don Sivalls presented the lesson study, "Reasons for Certain Events."

During the afternoon, the sewing for the student center at Texas Tech was completed. The meeting Monday will be the last until the first Monday in March and following that date the auxiliary will meet every Monday during Lent.

Seventeen members and one visitor were present.

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Happy Birthday!

TOMORROW Mrs. Chas. Edwards Donnell McGuire Betty Sue Bibb

Miss Lydie and Mr. Ned Watson Guests At Sweetwater Sun.

Miss Lydie G. and Mr. Ned Watson were guest artists Sunday morning at the First Methodist church at Sweetwater.

They offered several cello and piano numbers and played the accompaniment for a song by Mr. Hampstead Bentley, former singer with the A. G. Fields Minstrels and the Paramount-Public stage circuit, who is doing special work at Sweetwater this month in connection with the "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us." Mr. Bentley returned to Midland with the Watsons.

Methodist Auxiliary Meets In Business Session

Both circles of the Methodist auxiliary met in monthly business meeting Monday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. John Haley, who read the devotional. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. M. V. Coman.

The auxiliary joined in singing "Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us," with Mrs. Jess M. Prothro at the piano. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. C. L. Harter, secretary, and a brief business session was conducted by Mrs. John Haley. Reports were given by all officers. The meeting was adjourned with a prayer by Mrs. L. B. Hankins. Twenty-four members were present.

Forty Members at Baptist Meeting

Forty members of the circles of the Baptist Women's Missionary society met at the Baptist parsonage Monday afternoon for a Bible study of the 11th chapter of Luke conducted by Mrs. Winston F. Eorum.

Miss Mary Chancellor Hostess to Women's Missionary Society

The Women's Missionary society of the First Christian church met Monday afternoon with Miss Mary Chancellor at the Christian parsonage.

The meeting was opened by singing "Gathering in the Shavees" and a prayer by Mrs. Erickson. The lesson theme, "Teach Me Thy Way," Micah 4:2, was presented by Mrs. Lee Bradshaw, worshipful leader for the afternoon.

A vocal solo "Our Best" was sung by Mrs. Guy Breneman, and Mrs. S. P. Hall, presentation leader, introduced the topic "Seedtime in China, Ministry Through Our Schools." The Rev. E. B. Chancellor spoke on "How Gingham Women Share with Their Neighbors." Mrs. L. B. Pemberton, Mrs. Glenn Brunson, Mrs. E. C. Adams and Mrs. William Elvins presented the following topics: "Lady at South Gate," "Life Stories of Chinese Students," "We Had No Schools" and "A Little Child Shall Lead Them," respectively.

Billy Joe Hall played a piano selection "A Hunting Scene." Mrs. W. B. Elkin, Ed Erickson, B. F. Whitefield, Glenn Brunson, L. B. Pemberton, E. C. Adams, S. P. Hall, Lee Bradshaw, William Elvins, Paul Ryan, E. H. Shaw, L. C. Res, and Guy Breneman, The Reverend Chancellor and the hostess.

Cordelia, Georgia, has a replica of an apple of steel and concrete, 22 feet in circumference, as a monument in its public square. The apple weighs 5000 pounds and is mounted on a base eight feet in height.

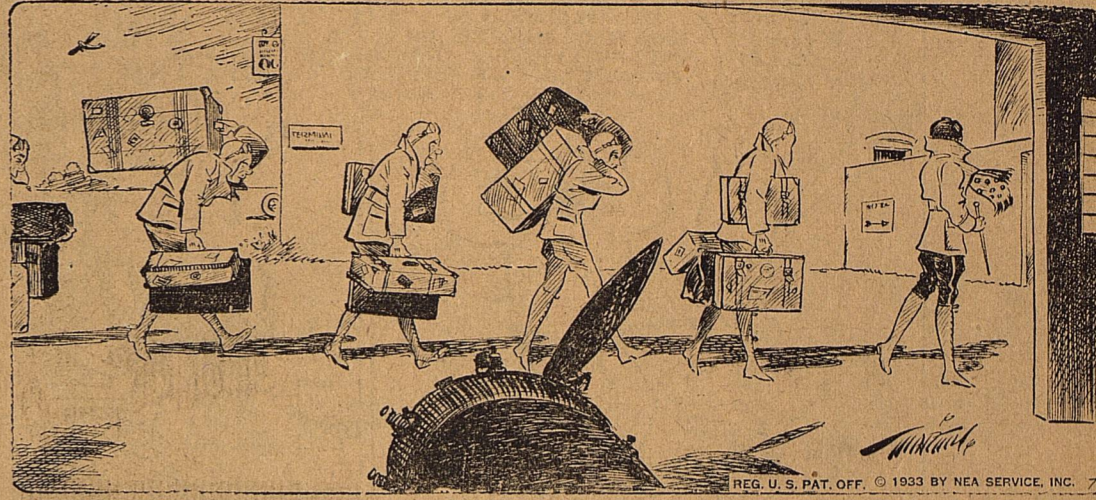
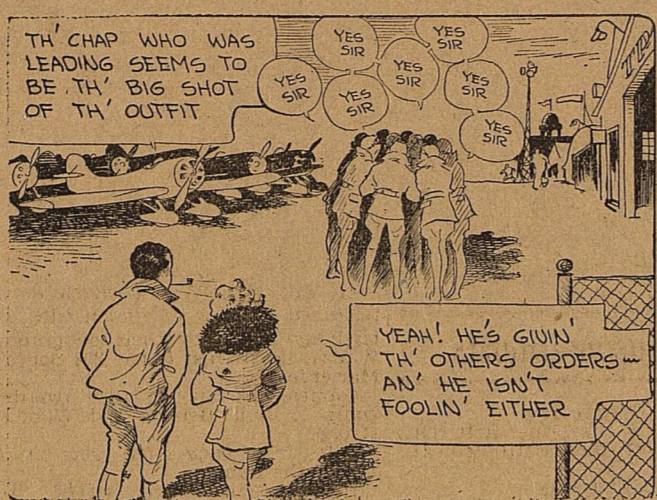
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Can anything be more wearing for women than the ceaseless round of household duties? You have no time to be sick . . . you are tired . . . ailing . . . yet cannot stop. There comes a time when something snaps and you find yourself simply worn out. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you. Its tonic action will give you renewed strength, and will make your daily tasks seem easier to you. 98 out of every 100 women who report to us that they are benefited by this medicine. Buy a bottle from your druggist today . . . and watch the results.

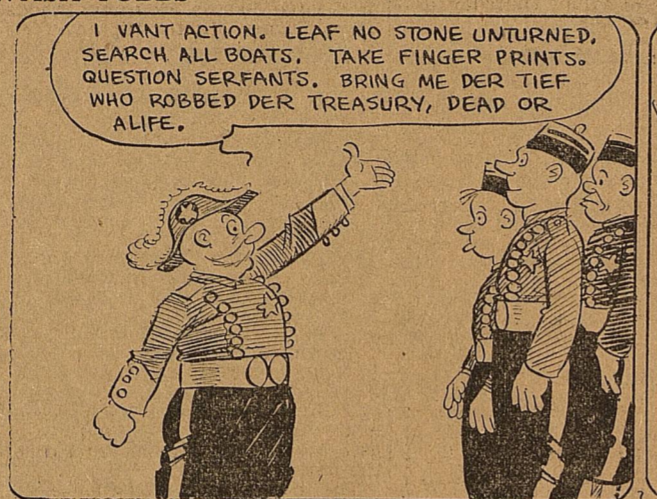
CONOCO advertisement featuring a man in a Conoco cap, a gas pump, and a large '\$10,000' graphic. Text includes: 'LET ME HELP YOU WIN PART OF \$10,000', 'FREE! CONTEST INFORMATION ENTRY BLANK \$5,000 FOR BEST NAME \$5,000 FOR BEST SLOGANS', 'CONOCO', 'THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR A \$5,000 WORD CAN YOU CREATE THE WINNING WORD?', 'Instant Starting Lightning Pick-up NEW Bronze HIGH-TEST GASOLINE', 'BUY AND TRY ONLY IF YOU WISH - BUT DO LET ME GIVE YOU THE FACTS . . .', '75 CASH PRIZES GRAND PRIZE FOR WINNING NAME \$5,000', '74 Prizes for Slogans', 'CONTEST RULES: You Need Buy Nothing to Enter But Read Rules Carefully', '1 Names must be not more than 12 letters; slogans not more than 12 words. Submit either on both on single sheet plain white paper, or on separate sheets on official contest information-and-entry blank, free at Conoco dealers and stations. Elaborate presentations receive no extra credit.', '2 Contest closes midnight, February 23, 1933. Entries must be postmarked before that date and hour.', '3 Continental employees, members of their families and others connected directly or indirectly cannot compete.', '4 Should more than one person submit exactly the same name or slogan, each will receive full amount of any prize such entry may win. All entries become Continental Oil Co. property, and none will be returned.', '5 The Company reserves prior rights to phrases and slogans of its own creation, already in prepared advertising. Also it reserves the names "Continental" or "Conoco" gasoline, "Conogas", and "101" gasoline. Whether or not the winning contest name is adopted, prize money will be paid; but the Company reserves the right to use a name of its own creation if it decided more suitable and more protectable under trademark laws.', '6 No purchase is required of contestants. Continental Oil Co. executives will be the judges and their decisions final. Winners will be announced over radio, and prize money paid as soon as possible after contest closes. ADDRESS ALL ENTRIES TO "CONTEST OFFICIAL" Continental Oil Company Ponca City, Oklahoma', 'Get Official Entry Blank from Conoco Stations and Dealers', 'NO INCREASE IN PRICE!'

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 LOOK FOR THE RED TAPE OPENER
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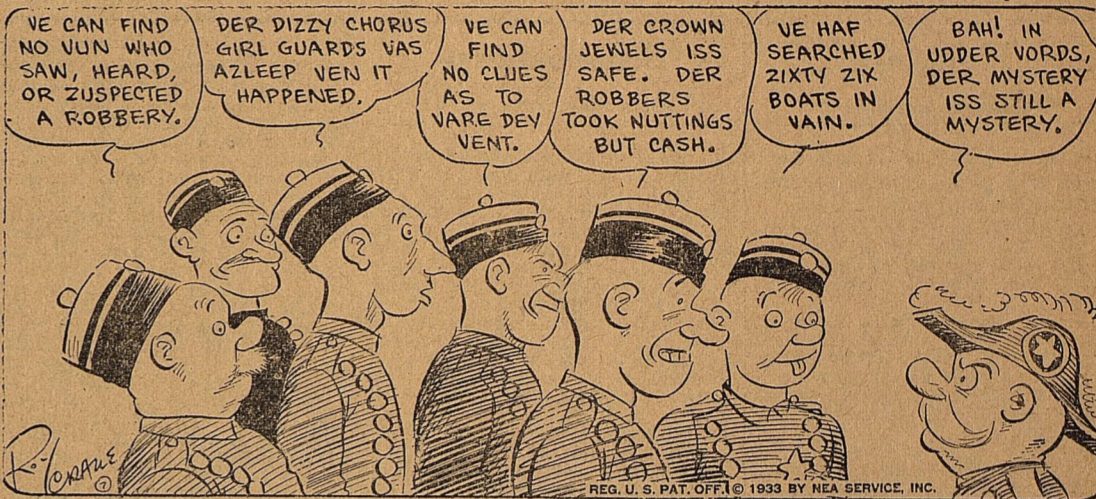
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WASH TUBBS



Getting Nowhere Fast!



Classified Advertising Rates and Information

Political Announcements

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

Subject to the action of the City Election April 4, 1933.
For Marshal:
W. T. BLAKEWAY,
LEE HAYNES,
A. J. NORWOOD
(Re-election)

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

County Auditor to Plant Large Garden

BRECKENRIDGE—Ernest Maxwell, county auditor and vice-chairman of the RFC local committee, is going to plant his community garden, after all.
Maxwell was jubilant Monday morning, for he said that as a result of the article which appeared in a newspaper several days ago he has already been offered four acres of ground to be used as the garden and that many other people are anxious to help in the project.
"I want to plant about 40 acres, using the RFC labor to cultivate it, and by May 1, when the RFC money has been used up, these vegetables will come in handy for the poor of the community," Maxwell said.

J. W. Castleman, justice of the peace, has another good idea which he thinks should be launched. "I believe," he said, "that with a little encouragement a lot of people will be willing to place in gardens, vacant lots and plots near their homes."
"If the county would furnish the seed, and the city would plow up these plots, it would take little care to make these gardens into productive units. Then when the vegetables are ready for eating they can be divided, half to the grower and half to the county to be canned by the county agents and then distributed through the Red Cross."

Judge Castleman said he would discuss this plan with several local persons and see if it could be worked and would appreciate any helpful suggestions given him along this line.

HURDLE IS PROBED

FORT WORTH, (UP).—Once he could take the high hurdles as fast as any of the boys but his 41 years had told him. As he tried to hurdle a back-yard fence officers caught him and took him to police headquarters to tell the judge why he was prowling around that particular neighborhood.

HEREFORDS AVERAGE \$177

HEREFORD, Tex. (UP).—Thirty-three head of Hereford cattle were sold at an average price of \$177 each in the sixth annual auction of Hereford cattle here, while 16 bulls from the famous D. L. McDonald herd averaged \$207.48 each.

The thirty pieces of silver for which Judas betrayed Christ would amount to \$1128 in American money.

Ninety per cent of the world's clothing is made of cotton.

MIDLAND LODGE
 No. 623 A. F. & A. M.
 Stated communications 2nd and 4th Thursday night in each month at 8:00 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons invited.
 Dewey H. Pope, W. M.
 Claude O. Crane, Secy.

Midland Lodge No. 145
KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS
 Meets every Monday night at Castle Hall over Hokus-Pokus Store
 H. W. Montrey, C. C.
 C. P. Pope, K. R. S.

1. Lost and Found

LOST: Brown billfold, initials M. P. B. on front, contained \$8 or \$9. Finder keep money, return purse to this office. 283-3p

2. For Sale or Trade

TWO fine Jerseys for \$70. One milking, other fresh soon. No disappointment. Inquire Arthur Holder, 2 miles south. 284-2p

3. Apartments

THREE-room furnished apartment in duplex, utilities furnished, cistern, garage. 610 North Big Spring. 284-3p

11. Employment

A MAN WITH CAR WANTED to advertise our goods and distribute introductory packages to consumers. Must be satisfied with 90c an hour at start. Write for full particulars. Albert Mills, Route Mgr., 2295 Monmouth, Cincinnati, O. 286-1p

MIDDLE aged lady wants to get work in motherless home, or care for the sick; was with last employer three years. Write Mrs. R. S. Cravens, Box 994, Big Spring. 286-3p

15. Miscellaneous

MATTRESS RENOVATING One-day service; also, new mattresses. Phone 451. FURNITURE HOSPITAL 3-1

WANTED CLEAN COTTON Rags
REPORTER-TELEGRAM OFFICE

For Health—MILK
 It's the finest food for growing children because milk supplies the necessary mineral elements and nutrition to build strong bones, teeth and sturdy muscles. Our milk is whole milk from healthy cows living on clean farms.
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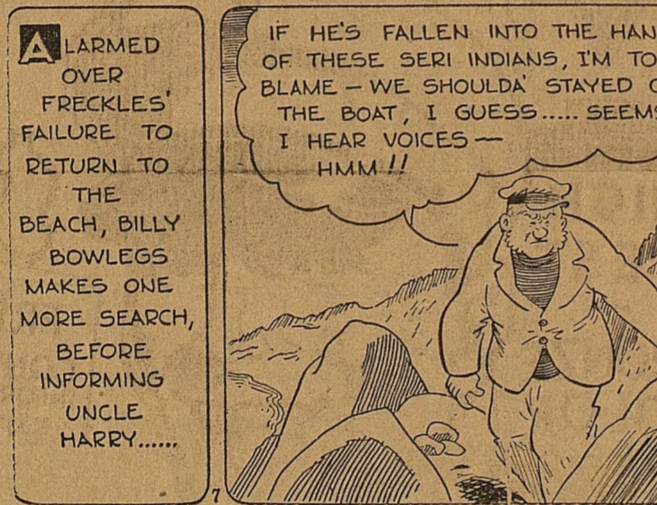
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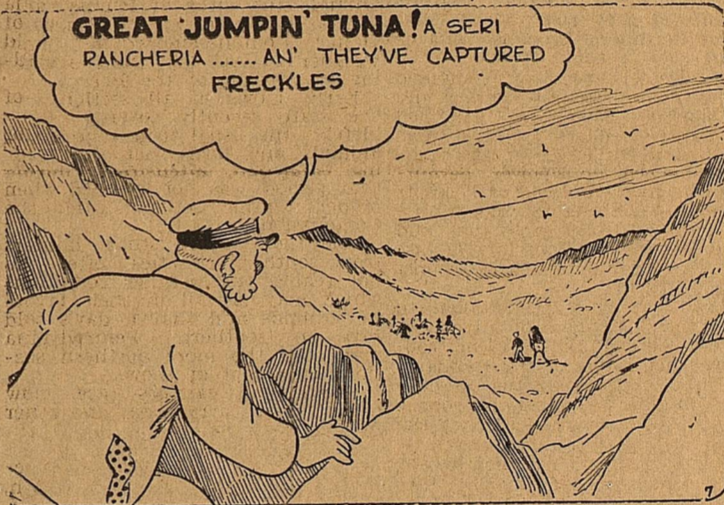
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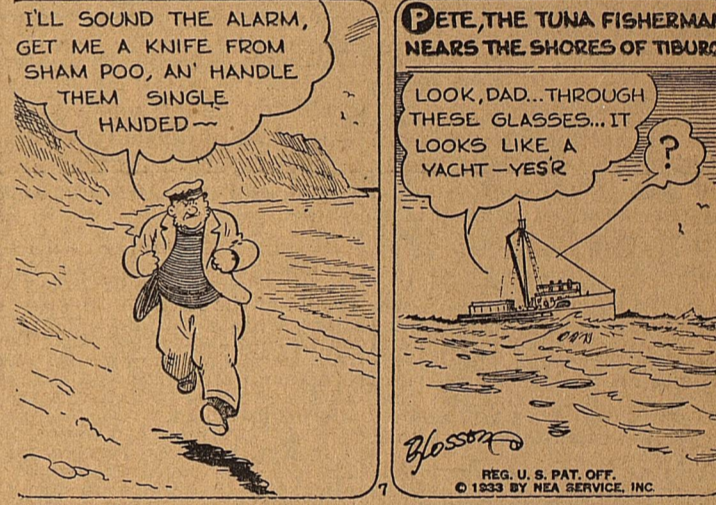
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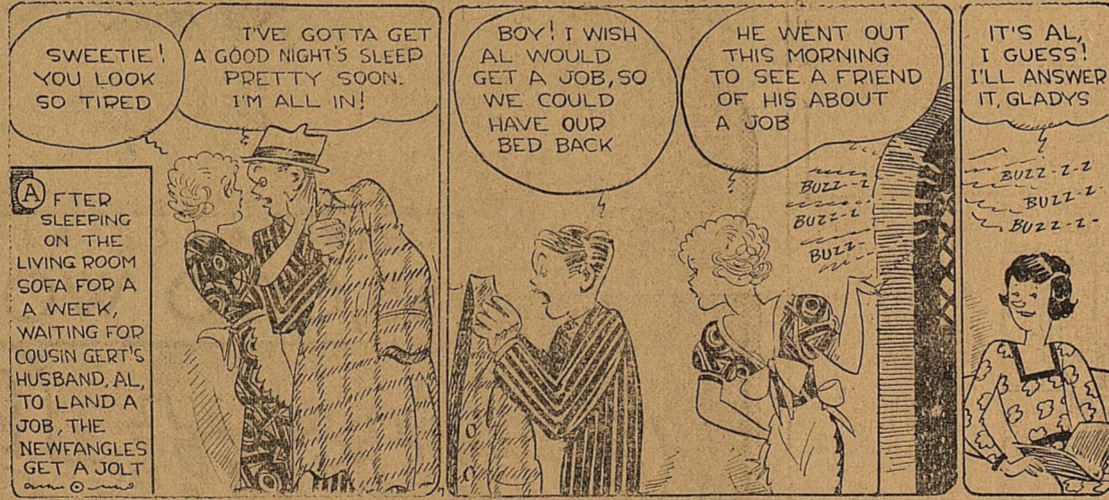
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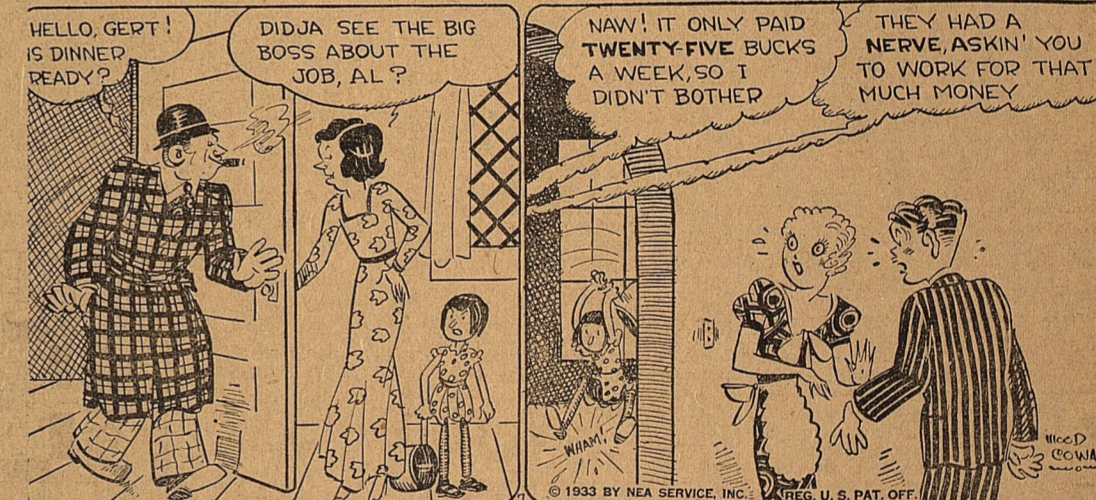
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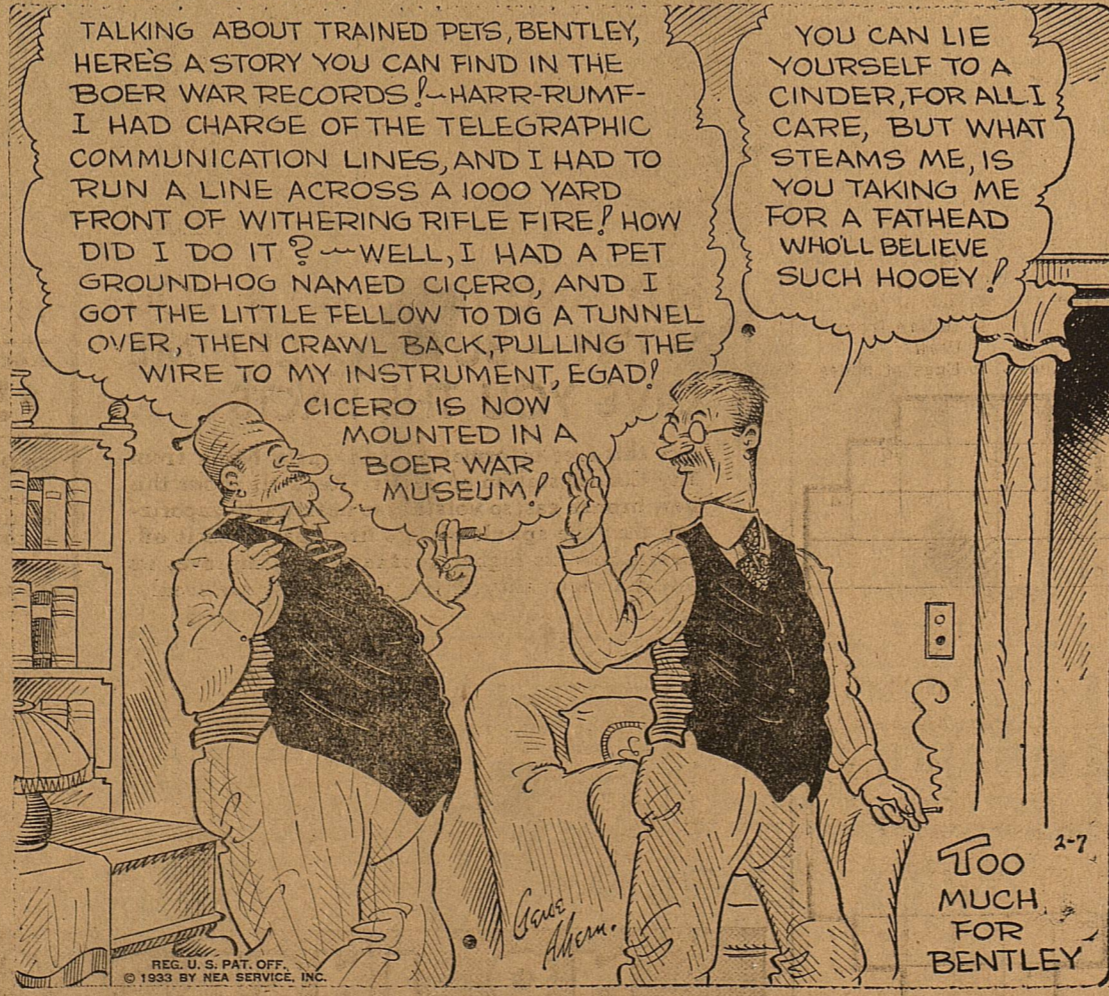


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OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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OUT OUR WAY



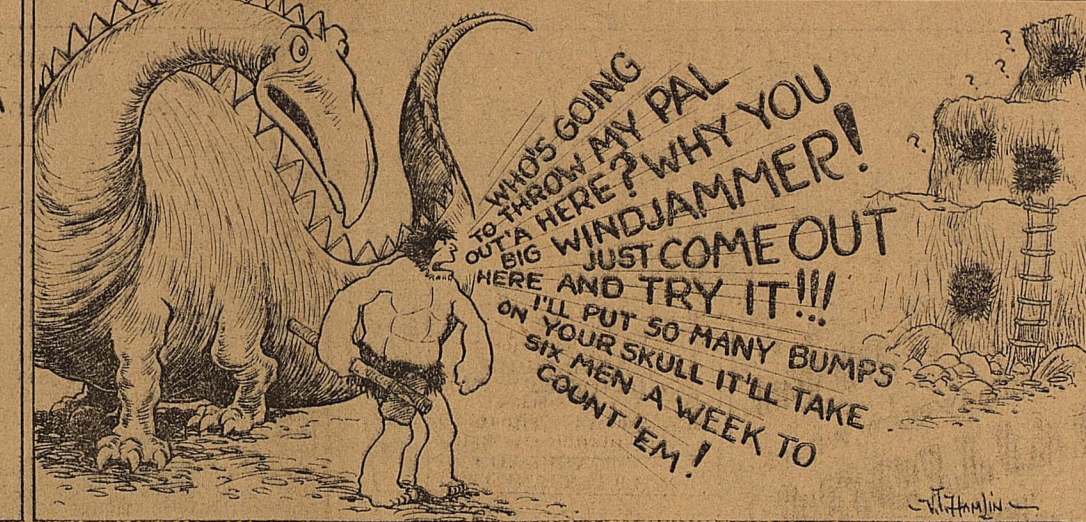
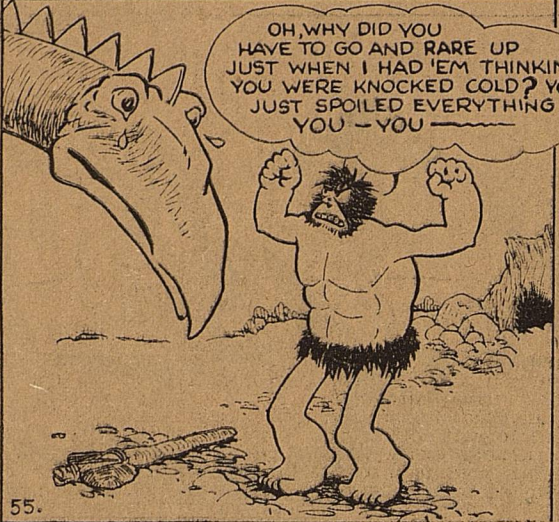
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ALLEY OOP

Our Prehistoric Ancestor

No One's Gonna Touch His Pal

By Hamlin



Hogan--

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of its causes and how it might have been avoided is not even of academic interest to its silent dead.

I would like to be able to report signs of business improvements that would soon return us to prosperity.

The financiers have no answer except "Relieve us who have the nation's money from taxation and government, the control over the issue of the currency of the United States, leaving us to determine in our wisdom the amount and method of that issue and also all matters pertaining to the financing of all industry and commerce."

These are the men who now have the amazing effrontery to demand of the congress that they surrender authority and turn it over to them. There is no hope in that direction.

Next comes the railroad executives and the large industrialists. They make their weakling ring in the unification of high taxes and governmental expenses and with their throaty intakes of breath they discuss the billions to be raised from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. They don't, but they should, march in parade--there are plenty of them here for a good sized parade--and carry banners with the slogan, "Don't Dare to Feed the Hungry. Give Us to Us. Another appropriate slogan would be, "What You Give Us Before, Give Us More."

These unconscious humorists do not seem to know that all R. F. C. funds exist by virtue of the taxing power of congress. No devious ways of financiers can conceal the fact that the ultimate burden of the R. F. C. activities will fall on the American taxpayer.

There is no hope of intelligent leadership in that group. There remains the most powerful group of all, the people's representatives assembled in the congress of the United States and the president and his cabinet.

I want to be as generous as the facts permit, but truth compels the statement that the country is in the hands of the executive and legislative branches of the government, whose conception of the great problems which confront us, and the desperate urgency of their solution, is keen enough to be fully trusted with the initiation and execution of plans broad enough for our desperate needs.

Scharbauers--

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and early developed his interest in growing things and livestock, which he obtained a job as apprentice in a harness factory and, after learning the trade, went into business for himself.

John saw his chance when sheep were very low in price and some of the sheep raisers were becoming discouraged. Overhearing a customer at the restaurant one day he learned of the situation and immediately faced by the guns of the constituted authorities if they even undertook to gather in organized demonstration.

When the Scharbauers were known far and wide and the registered bulls were in great demand for stocking purposes, Chris Scharbauer took most of his time on the ranch looking after the pedigreed animals up until the time of his death.

Chris Scharbauer was a man of many talents. He was a successful businessman and a good father. He was also a good neighbor and a good citizen.

The Scharbauers have always been a prominent family in the Scharbauer section of the county. They have contributed liberally to every worthwhile public movement.

Phil Scharbauer came to Midland in 1902 one year after the Scharbauer Cattle company was organized. He had made two or three visits with his brothers here before that time and liked the climate and the people here so much that he decided to make it his future home.

EDITORIAL ON SCHOOL SYSTEM IN DALLAS NEWS

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following editorial on "Ask Midland How" appeared on the editorial page of today's Dallas Morning News. This makes the second time that this paper, the oldest in the state of Texas, has made mention of the Midland school system.

The teachers of Texas are talking taxes these days in a way that would surprise the ordinary taxpayer if he but realized the situation. It ought not, however, to be surprising. To the average teacher there is no way out but taxes.

Midland's school has more money in bank now than it had at the same time last year. Then it had \$44,739 and now it has \$52,657. Similarly it hopes to finish out the year with a surplus, except that the balance left over this year should be \$40,983.73 instead of the \$34,171.55 indicated at the same time last year.

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gress... went to Russia as a military observer for the U. S. in the Russo-Japanese war... served on the Mexican border and led the expeditionary forces that chased Villa into the interior after the latter's raid on Columbus, N. M.

From that time onward General Pershing's name is inscribed in history along with Washington, Lee, Grant and others. Nothing had come to him to compare with it, even though he had been elevated over \$2 million once by President Roosevelt and made a brigadier general.

The German high command quickly launched the greatest offensive ever attained by its formidable military machine. On the men came down a sea of blood. For miles the flaming mounds lighted up the garish sky. Machine guns snarled their song of death, massive tanks lumbered on like so many juggernauts, even in the clouds the battle raged as aviators dived and zoomed and sent hapless foes crashing to earth in their flaming coffins.

Men died like flies, hospitals overflowed. The advancing Germans crashed through the British lines, strewn across the old Somme battlefield, took 90,000 prisoners and in the British front tore a jagged rent that threatened to cut the British in two.

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Norma Says All Have Interludes

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How many strange interludes have you had in your life? You've had them--everyone has. Probably several. Norma Shearer says she can remember quite a few in her own life.

The Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star who plays the super-emotional Nina Leeds in "Strange Interlude" Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's film, "The Sign of the Cross" today at the Yucca theatre, says that they are the money-breakers of life, and were to him whose life has interludes to vary the drab moments.

Miss Shearer and Clark Gable play the principal roles in the sensational filmation, which, by the magic of the sound track, gives the audience both spoken words and unspoken thoughts of its characters. Robert Z. Leonard directed the picture, in which the central characters first appear in their youth, and go through successive stages to old age as the story of a woman's lifetime progresses.

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more of them from accidents on icy highways. The storm was worst in years at Pocatello, Idaho. All traffic--air, highway and rail--in southeast Idaho was snowbound.

Far east to the seashore, the Atlantic rolled in rage while the weather bureau promised more of the snow that made a deep, white wash on New York and its neighbors. Drifts piled over Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and New Mexico. The temperature was below zero in Denver, Cheyenne tingled at 9 below, Helena ploughed through a foot of snow.

Eastward the same. There was no let-up in the Dakotas and Minnesota as the blizzard drove down the temperatures. It was 25 below at Minot, N. D.

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"No More Orchids" Sparkingly Modern

Only one picture in the past has made absorbing reading, even if it weren't mounted upon a plot that radiates the spirit of today and played by such charming and capable actors and actresses as Carole Lombard, Walter Connolly, Louise Clouser Hale and Lyle Talbot.

At first, the film trips lightly from Paris to Cherbourg and on across the Atlantic ocean to America on one of the finest and most luxurious of our modern liners, bubbling as it were with gaiety and offering with the froth of champagne.

Then the gay and carefree manner of Miss Lombard trips upon the emotional conflict of a sudden affair of the heart that is serious for the first time in her life, and that can't be satisfied because of the entanglement of her engagement to a prince and the determination of her moneyed grandfather that she marry into royalty.

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Citrus County in 80th Anniversa

EDINBURG, (UP).—Hidalgo County, nationally known for its sweet grapefruit and its bitter political campaigns, is starting its 81st year. The 80th anniversary of its official organization as a political subdivision of the state passed during the last days of January.

The county, carved in 1853 from Nueces, Kenedy and Cameron counties, had an area then of 2,356 square miles—larger than the states of Delaware and Rhode Island combined. It stretched nearly 50 miles along the Rio Grande—a young and wild border country.

Where for nine months after the county was organized there was not business enough for a commissioners' meeting, the commissioners now meet twice weekly and devote full time to administrative duties.

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Tidal Wave Ruined Christmas Picnic

TAFT, Calif. (UP).—Even at this late date, it wasn't safe today to mention tidal waves to Charles Stephens, Taft grocer.

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LAST TIMES TODAY

NORMA CLARK SHEARER - GABLE "STRANGE INTERLUDE"

STARTING TOMORROW

YUCCA AFRAID TO TALK

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

CAROLE LOMBARD in "NO MORE ORCHIDS"

WARM

The comfort you enjoyed was not due to any accident—but was the result of the untiring labor of hundreds of employees of an organization which spares nothing in its efforts to keep faith with you.

SEE THE STAR OF "SCARFACE" AS THE FUGITIVE WHO DARED TO TELL ALL

I AM A FUGITIVE FROM A CHAIN GANG WITH PAUL MUNI A Warner Bros. Hit!

WEST TEXAS GAS COMPANY

Natural Gas, without SERVICE, is of little advantage—like a gun without a shell. When, however, it enjoys the companionship of a whole-hearted service, which we strive unceasingly to give, it becomes immediately the most beneficial, economical and dependable fuel known to man.

BOOKKEEPING EQUIPMENT

Loose Leaf Systems Cash Books, Ledgers, Journals, Day Books, Columnar Books. Let us help you plan your system for the new year.