

ARTILLERY BLAZING IN VIENNA!

MacCracken Pays Contempt Fine; Then Is Rearrested

HAD BEEN IN HIDING FROM SENATE WRIT
Former Assistant in Commerce Dept. Is "Astounded"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Indications pointed today to "publicity purposes" behind Col. Lindbergh's telegram to President Roosevelt, protesting cancellation of air mail contracts, it was said at the White House.

The telegram will be referred to Postmaster General Farley and Secretary of Commerce Roper for consideration, Stephen Early, White House secretary, said.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Justice Daniel W. O'Donoghue today found William MacCracken Jr., former assistant secretary of commerce, in contempt of the District of Columbia court.

He held that MacCracken had obtained a writ on misrepresentation and the writ was dismissed. MacCracken, who had been hiding since the senate ordered his arrest on a charge of contempt of the senate, was found not to have been under arrest at the time he got the writ.

Judge O'Donoghue found MacCracken guilty after he ordered the latter to show cause why he should not be ruled in contempt. He ruled that the strategy used by MacCracken to place himself before the senate sergeant-at-arms when the senate was not in session did not constitute a legal arrest.

MacCracken was astounded as he heard the ruling in an effort to keep from appearing before the senate.

MacCracken was fined \$100 or a day in jail, he paying the fine. He was arrested immediately on the senate warrant.

TEXAS FIELD TO FIGURE IN CHANGE
GALVESTON, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Lieut. Com. Horace Hickman, commander of the third attack group here, in charge of air mail operations in the west section, said today that Hensley field at Dallas had been transferred to his command for air mail flying.

Holder to Leave For Rodeo Round
Allen Holder, Midland roper and professional rodeo performer, will leave this week for rodeos in Tucson, Phoenix and other Arizona points, beginning a tour of the winter shows.

He left this morning for Rankin, taking his brown calf roping horse, Cance and will practice up for a few days with E. Pardee of La Junta, Colo., who has been at Rankin for the past two weeks, and with Will Nix. Nix has a well fitted roping arena for practice work.

Holder and Pardee were expected to work together in wild cow milking and team roping in several shows.

Do Grazing Cows Post Watches as They Stray off?
AMARILLO, (U.P.)—Whether range cows leave "watch-mothers" with their calves when they go a mile or so to water, still is a mooted question in the ranch country, according to Carolyn D. Timmons, Amarillo feature writer, who has been trying to settle the issue.

Mrs. Timmons said she had concluded there was little foundation for the belief that range cows never leave their calves unguarded. She said ranchers admitted that sometimes a group of cows might leave one mother in charge of a group of calves while the rest sought a watering place, but that more often the off-springs were left alone.

Return of Duc de Guise and Bourbons Would Doom Masquerading Nobles

BY MORRIS GILBERT
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
PARIS, Feb. 12.—There are thirteen families in this country which, according to common repute, would stand to profit by the return to the throne of France of the Bourbon Duc de Guise as King John III.

These families consist of those holding the noble title of Duke and Peer of the Realm. Their titles are inviolate. No monarchist can displace them, for they constitute the old peerage, the real McCoy of French nobility.

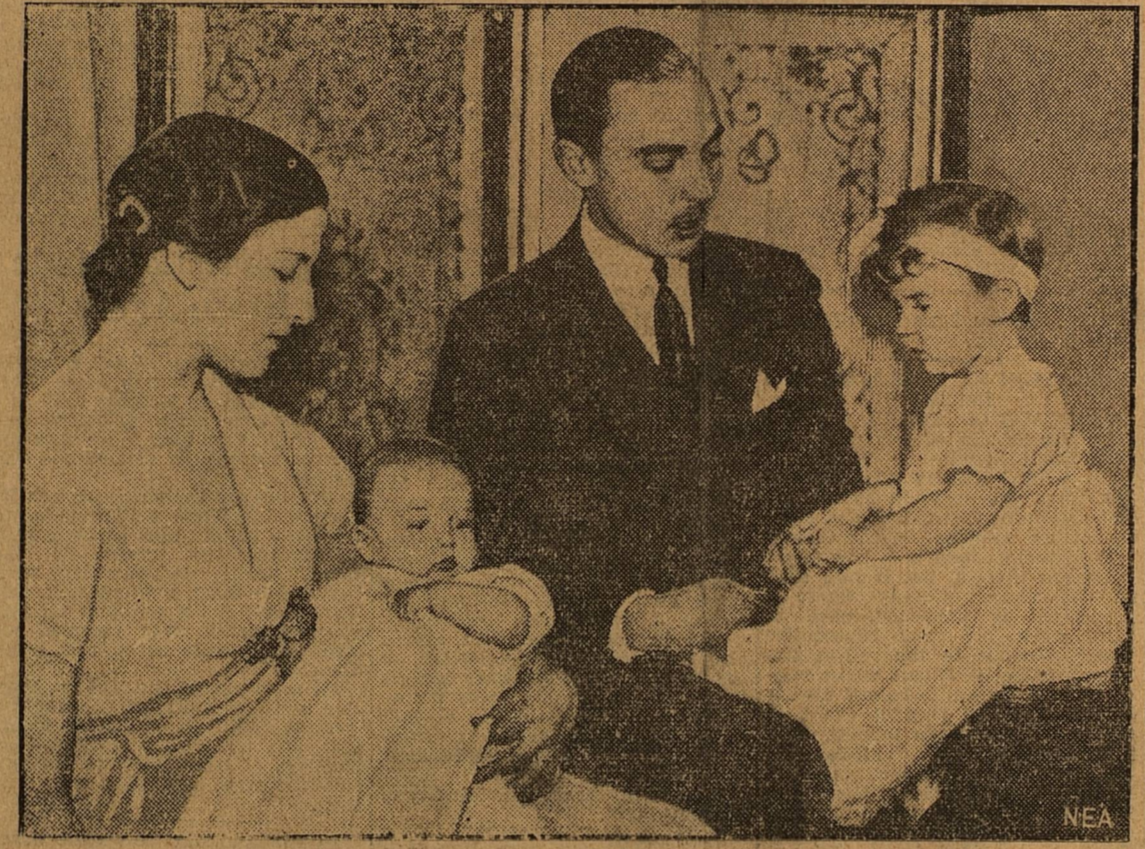
To be punctilious, these Dukos-and-Peers (again, according to general understanding) are as follows: d'Uzes, de Gammont, de Luyne, de La Rochefoucauld, de Richelieu, de Rohan, de Noailles, de Brissac, de Mortemont, de Fitz-James, d'Harcourt, de Preslin, and de Clermont-Tonnerre.

Until the death of the last surviving male heir a few months ago in a British country house fire, there was a fourteenth family, actually a first family, since the title was premier in France; the family of de Tremolle. With the loss of the young duke, the line was wiped out.

Besides these thirteen princely families, there are quantities of other titles: Dukes, Viscounts, Counts, Barons, Marquises. But the return of the Bourbons would cast, one hears, a decided shade on many of these. At present, with no noble protocol to follow, they are all eminent in the circles which they choose to frequent.

A renewal of courtly etiquette might diminish the splendor in which some of these folk now move among the great democratic population of France. There are many titles which no Bourbon would recognize—Napoleonic titles, for instance, sprinkled with lavish Corsican generosity among the First Emperor's own relatives; distributed furthermore by the little emperor, Louis-Napoleon sixty-odd years ago.

How deep popular enthusiasm for the restoration goes is a question. For years the whole business of the aristocracy in France has been carried on the study and very competent shoulders of two decided commoners—Leon Daudet and Charles Maurras, whose royalist daily, Action Française, is perhaps the most brilliantly written, certainly the most diverting of any Paris newspaper.



Below: From his Belgian retreat the Duc de Guise (inset) dreams of another coronation in a royal court of France, such as that depicted in the old sketchwriting you see here. Above: The Count and Countess of Paris, son and daughter-in-law of the Duc de Guise, and their two children, Princess Isabella and Prince Henri, who may some day become a king.

CANDIDATES PLAIN IN GIVING STANDS

AUSTIN, (U.P.)—Maury Hughes of Dallas, chairman of the Texas state democratic executive committee, was not equivocal in his formal announcement for governor. He was especially plain in presenting his ideas about repeal of prohibition in the gubernatorial campaign.

Hughes said in a statement which supplemented his remarks last December at Del Rio, when he told friends at a banquet given for him he would "meet every issue squarely."

Allred said he was for submission of the question of repealing prohibition in Texas to a vote of the people. He said in the event of submission he, personally, would vote to keep Texas dry.

C. C. McDonald of Wichita Falls, the Ferguson-backed candidate for governor, is for submission and repeal. Lieutenant Governor Edgar E. Witt of Waco, another candidate is for repeal and the platform Tom P. Hunter of Wichita Falls, plans to run on calls for submission of the question of repeal "for the edict of the people."

Allred believes that the prohibition issue does not have a place in the gubernatorial campaign. Hughes and McDonald are of the definite opinion that it should be a red hot question. Regardless of anyone's opinion, the voters seem to see a spirited campaign with prohibition the main issue next summer.

Murrell Assault Jury Is Selected

FT. SAM HOUSTON, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Selection of a jury for trial of Lieut. John Murrell was expected to be completed late today in time for opening of arguments.

Murrell, former West Point All-American football ace, was charged with criminal assault in connection with an attack on Blanche Ralls, Birmingham, Ala., divorcee.

BAPTIST PASTOR RETURNS

The Rev. Winston P. Borum, pastor of the Midland Baptist church, will return tonight from El Paso, where he conducted a two weeks revival at the Highland Park Baptist church. His sister, Dr. Virginia Hickerson, who has visited with the Borum family for the past month, left Thursday for her home at Natchez, Miss.

CONDITION IMPROVED

The Rev. Edw. P. Harrison, O.M.I., is improving from a severe throat cold, friends reported today.

MACHINE GUNS SPRAY STREETS; 25 REPORTED KILLED AT LINZ

Parisian Communists Stage Bloody Fights

PARIS, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Riots of communists broke out today, with first manifestations of disorder in crippling the one day strike of union workers throughout France.

MARSEILLES CHURCH IS DYNAMITED

MARSEILLES, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—The church of St. Sophia was wrecked by a dynamite blast today.

CANNON'S SON IN BRUSH WITH LAW

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—Richard M. Cannon, son of Bishop James Cannon Jr., was charged today with swindling by check.

SLAYING TRIAL SET FOR TODAY

SAN ANGELO, Feb. 12.—The murder trial of Mrs. Minnie Hopkins, charged in the fatal shooting Oct. 27 of Frank Cunningham, was scheduled to open here this morning.

New Committees To Be Appointed

New committees of the chamber of commerce are expected to be appointed at the meeting of directors Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Fly Announces Trans-Pecos Meet

ODESSA.—The Trans-Pecos Division of the Texas State Teachers' association will meet at Alpine April 27 and 28, according to an announcement made by Murry H. Fly, Odessa secretary of the association.

CHRISTIAN PASTOR UP

The Rev. E. B. Chancellor, pastor of the First Christian church, who has been ill for three weeks, was up today and is reported to be regaining strength rapidly.

DR. WOLF HERE

Dr. O. E. Wolf, Big Spring veterinarian, is in Midland today testing dairy herds for tuberculosis bacilli.

DEFENSE RESTS

GEORGETOWN, Feb. 12 (U.P.)—The defense in the trial of G. E. Heldingfelder, charged with embezzlement, closed the case today, coming as a surprise in developments of the case.

VIENNA (Via Telephone Berlin to London), Feb. 12. (U.P.)—Machine guns and light artillery blazed in Austria today when a revolutionary general strike resulted in sanguinary fighting, martial law and a state of almost civil war.

At Linz, 25 were reported killed when troops turned machine guns toward socialist headquarters. Rioters barricaded themselves and bombarded troops with hand grenades.

Socialists were striking against the government program creating a fascist state along the Italian lines. They boasted that they had plenty of arms and ammunition. The strike threatened to paralyze industry. This city was without lights and violence was widespread.

A desperate battle between socialists and authorities at Linz had entered the ninth hour of fighting last night.

Stanton Class to Have Gala Program

The Men's Brotherhood class of the Stanton First Baptist church will entertain themselves, guests and the Stanton boy scout troop Thursday night with a barbecue.

Men's Class Given Matched Furniture

Lee Bradshaw, manager of Higginbotham-Barlett Lumber company, and Jim Tuttle, painter and interior decorator, Sunday presented the Men's class of Hotel Scharbauer with a water glass stand.

Odessa Players to Enter Play Tourney

ODESSA.—A cast of players from Odessa high school will enter the University Interscholastic league one-act play contest again this year. Last year the Odessa players ranked third in the meet held at Ballinger, being surpassed by Midland and San Angelo.

Buckeye Loses Its Charm for Watson

BIG SPRING.—C. T. Watson's presidential buckeye is turning Jonah.

Shoppers who are all wet often get soaked.



FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



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"FOOLHARDY" PIONEER WAS MAN OF VISION

Walter Wellman died the other day at 75. He was the first man to try to fly across the Atlantic ocean, and when he made the attempt the stunt was looked on as the ultimate in foolhardy daring.

But he lived to see the number of those who have crossed the sea by air rise far into three figures.

It's a commonplace to say that aerial science has developed rapidly in the last quarter century. One hardly realizes how true that saying is, however, until one glances at the career of a man like Wellman.

It was on Oct. 15, 1910, that Mr. Wellman started his projected transatlantic flight. The takeoff was from Atlantic City; the ship was a non-rigid dirigible, a clumsy and fragile affair 164 feet long, with a gas bag capacity of 350,000 cubic feet.

It compares with a Macon or a Graf Zeppelin in one of Columbus' caravels compares with the Leviathan.

Underneath the bag was slung a lifeboat, stocked with provisions. Down into the sea trailed a device called an "equilibrator"—a series of cylindrical tanks which floated on the ocean, expected to act as a sort of stabilizer, to keep the ship from rising too high in the air. Besides Mr. Wellman, five men were aboard.

The takeoff was at 8 in the morning. Twenty-four hours later—half of the first day having been spent repairing one of the two engines, which had quit cold—the dirigible had reached a point some 250 miles northeast of its starting point.

The voyage had been excessively perilous. The hydrogen in the envelope cooled and contracted dangerously, nearly pitching the ship into the water. A collision with a steamer narrowly was averted.

One of the engines' exhaust pipes nearly set the bag on fire. The equilibrator, instead of working as expected, made the ship almost impossible to steer.

Another 24 hours passed, and conditions became worse. The dirigible was some 400 miles out now, and it was pretty plain that Europe never would be reached. Preparations were made to take to the water in the lifeboat, but it was found impossible to launch it.

Next morning, providentially, a steamer showed up. Signaled by the dirigible, it came alongside. Wellman and his crew came aboard, and the dirigible was left to float out to sea.

So ended the first transatlantic flight attempt. It took place less than 25 years ago. Since then, enormous dirigibles have crossed and recrossed the Atlantic times without number. Ocean flying is almost ready to play a useful part in the everyday life of the world.

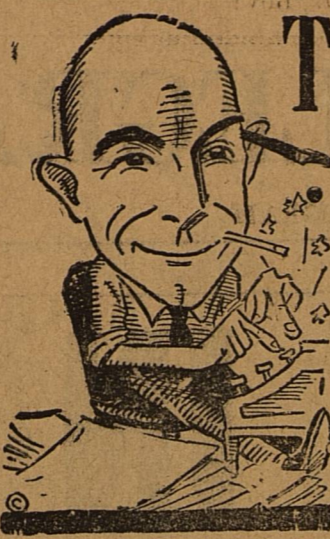
And a good part of the credit must go to daring, "foolhardy" pioneers like Walter Wellman.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Report comes from Berlin, Germany, of the solution of what a writer of mystery fiction might well call "The Stolen Potato Case." There was no doubt that potatoes had been stolen—but had the suspected stolen them in whose possession potatoes were found? Were these potatoes those potatoes? The police were stumped, but not the assisting biologist. The suspected potatoes were proved by biological tests to have grown in the field from which potatoes had been stolen. Confronted with the evidence, the robber confessed.

A Chicago man who had been trying for fifteen years to have his own street repaired has been made commissioner of streets and now says that he hasn't the nerve to order the job done. And perhaps the arguments he will use to convince others that their streets are not so bad may take their effect on him too.

Side Glances by Clark



The Town Quack

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

the bank so he could rest. Neither changed jobs but both are still resting.

Here are a few jokes I picked up, so I could rest a while:

An old country boy who lived away, away out in the hills in Arkansas came to town one day and was sitting on the sidewalk chewing tobacco and spitting and whittling when the town clock, which was out of order, struck 13.

Wal, I reckon I'd better be taking you down here 's later than I ever knowed it to be before," he said.

"Rastus, what for are you sharpenin' your razor?"

"Mandy, I've just noticed a pair of men's shoes under yo' bed. If dey ain't no nigger in dem shoes, I'm going to shave."

A young man was out with his girl, or somebody else's girl, but anyway he was making ardent love to her. And he noticed that tears were stealing down her cheeks. He folded her into his arms.

"Let me kiss those tears away," he said.

But the tears kept on coming and the young man was sort of nonplussed, as it were.

"It's hay fever," she explained, "but keep on with the treatment."

The sickest human being in the history of the world was a man who had sea-sickness and lock-jaw at the same time.

The northern boundary of Delaware is circular.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION No. 2658 THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:

NOTICE IS HEREBY COMMANDED, That you, the undersigned, by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Midland if there be a newspaper published therein, if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Irving R. Stuart whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Midland on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1934 at the Court House thereof in Midland, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1933, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2658, wherein Ethel E. Stuart is plaintiff and Irving R. Stuart is defendant. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Suit for divorce on grounds of cruel treatment and custody of minor children, Allen Stuart and Irving Ross Stuart, Jr.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1934.

NETTIE C. ROMER, (SEAL) Clerk District Court Midland County, Texas. Jan. 21-28-Feb. 4-11

'Oh! Say, Can You See?'

Word puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small illustration of a man's face.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers indicating starting points for words.

AT THE LIBRARY

The Book of the Month selection for February is just in: "The Native's Return" by Louis Adamic. Louis Adamic, born in Canada, was a precocious child. At the age of 15 he dreamed of the United States and when he was fourteen he came to this country. After working as a laborer, he began writing for the "American Mercury" and published his first article in the "American Mercury." Last year he returned to his native land on a Hughenden fellowship and this book is a record of his year abroad. Louis Adamic is a discovery that thousands of readers will make with delight.

CARVES F. D. R. IN WOOD

KIMBERLY, Wis. (UP)—Henry Vanden Boogard, a Kimberly paper maker whose hobby is wood carving, recently completed carving the portrait of President Roosevelt on a solid block of white maple. The likeness of the president, which required months of carving, is 2 1/2 inches high. The carving was sent to the chief executive with the best regards of the wood carver and the village of Kimberly.

SHERIFF'S SALE No. 40474

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Midland, HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE, That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of El Paso County, on the 29th day of January 1934, by W. W. Harper, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Two Thousand Twenty and 10/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of The Peoples' Building and Loan Association of El Paso, Texas vs. L. E. Dunagan, et al., in and to the effect that A. C. Francis as Sheriff of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of February 1934, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Lot Nine (9), in Block Sixteen (16), of the West End Addition to the City of Midland, in Midland County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of L. E. Dunagan, First Loan & Mortgage Co., G. J. Casselberry Trustee, and that on the first Tuesday in March 1934, the Court House door of said month, at the Court House door, of Midland County, in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. E. Dunagan, et al., in and to the effect that A. C. Francis, Sheriff of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 5th day of February 1934, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

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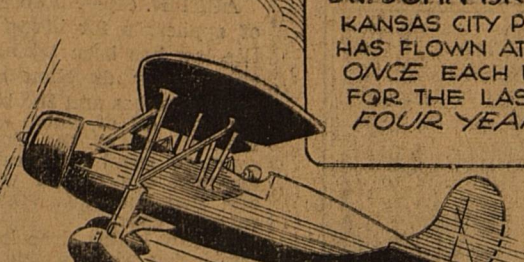
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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



DR. JOHN BROCK, KANSAS CITY PILOT, HAS FLOWN AT LEAST ONCE EACH DAY FOR THE LAST FOUR YEARS!

The POLAR REGIONS OF THE EARTH RECEIVE AS MUCH HEAT AS MUCH HEAT AS THE EQUATOR DURING A PERIOD OF ABOUT A MONTH OF THE POLAR SUMMER.



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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Careful, Steve, Ol' Boy!

TEK TEK—MY WORD! GIRLS! GIRLS!

I'LL GRANT YOU NEED A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF EXERCISE—BUT, REALLY—DON'T YOU THINK THAT'S OVER-DOING IT?

By MARTIN

OH, DON'T BE SILLY

COME ON, PROFESSOR

SURE! YOU'LL LIVE ONCE

YES—AND THAT WILL BE ONCE TOO OFTEN, IF CORA SEES ME BEHAVING LIKE THIS

WASH TUBS

AH! A CLUE! A LONG, BLOND HAIR. A WOMAN'S! SOMEBODY, PODNER, HAS BEEN IN THIS FIREPLACE.

AN' WHY TH' HECK, SHERLOCK, WOULD A WOMAN STICK HER HEAD IN A FIREPLACE?

LISTEN, STUPID, DID YOU HAPPEN TO NOTICE THAT THOSE PISTOL SHOTS CAME FROM THIS SIDE O' THE ROOM?

SAY! AT'S RIGHT. GEE WIZ!

Startling Discoveries!

I WAS JUST LOOKING FOR A TRAP DOOR O' SOME KIND.

MAYBE THERE'S A LADDER UP TH' CHIMNEY.

OH HO! HERE IT IS. YOU PULL THE DAMPER AND THE BOTTOM COMES UP.

OBOY! A SECRET PASSAGE. NOW WE'RE GETTIN' SOME PLACE.

ALLEY OOP

GEE, OOP! WE'RE SURE GLAD YOU'RE OKAY! BUT TELL US HOW YA THOUGHT 'GOT OUT MAYBE OL' TH' GUZ HAD BUMPED YA OFF!

AW—THAT WAS EASY! CARDY GAVE ME A BOOST UP ON A LEDGE AN' I JUST CLIMBED ON OUT, SOCKED TH' GUARDS, AN' HERE WE ARE!

HOORAY FER TH' CARDIFF GIANT!

DOWN WITH KING GUZZLE!

LONG LIVE OOP!

SAY, BLOGS, I GOTTA SWELL IDEA! LET'S MAKE ALLEY OOP KING OF MOO! WHAT D'VA SAY, HUH?

OKAY! WITH GUZ AN' TH' ARMY OUT CHASIN' FOOZY AN' DINNY, IT'LL BE A GINCH TO SEIZE TH' PALACE AN' PROCLAIM OOP KING!

Revolution!!

OOP, OL' PAL—WE'RE GONNA SEIZE TH' ROYAL PALACE, AN' SET YOU ON TH' THRONE AS KING! WHAT D'VA THINKA THAT?

WHAT? ME, KING OF MOO? AW—YER CRAZY!

C'MON, KING OOP, TH' MIGHTY—WE'RE GOIN' TO TH' PALACE!

HEY! Y'AIN'T SERIOUS 'BOUT THIS, ARE YA?

Y'ETTER LIFE, WE'RE SERIOUS! AN' WHEN YOU'RE KING YOU'LL WANTA BE CAPTAIN O' TH' GUARD! NOW, DON'T FORGET—

DOWN WITH TH' TYRANT!

C'MON, GANG, LET'S GO!

ON TO THE PALACE, MEN! MAKE WAY FOR KING OOP!

Playful River Is Costly to County

CANADIAN. (AP)—The Canadian river—usually described as the "treacherous" Canadian—has cost Hemphill county approximately \$1,000,000 in damage losses in the last 45 years, it is estimated by County Judge W. L. Helton.

This loss has been sustained by farmers in erosion from flood waters, loss of meadow lands, livestock and fences, and from bridge wash-outs on highways and the Santa Fe railroad. As an example, he cites that the first highway bridge across the Canadian near this city was 1-

200 feet long. It has been necessary to extend the span after damage by floods, until it is now five-eighths of a mile long.

"The best and richest soil in Hemphill county formerly was along this stream," Helton said, "but most of it has been destroyed. Fine hay meadows and nice groves of trees have been swept away by flood waters."

Helton's statement was in answer to a questionnaire seeking to determine the advisability of constructing a dam in the vicinity of Tucuman, N. M., one of several such projects in the Southwest which have been sought through the Public Works administration.

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BARNYARD FERTILIZER FOR SALE

WELL ROTTED AND FINE

PHONE 9000

SCRUGGS DAIRY

2. For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE or trade: Baby chick feeders and automatic water fountains; all Booth's "AAA" Strain White Leghorn hens, piggens and rabbits will trade. What have you? See them, 901 N. Whitaker. 283-1f

FOR SALE: Everbearing strawberries, transplanted Snapdragons, Pansies, 3 cents; Plum—cherry trees 50 cents; Expert tree pruning. McClintock Nursery. 288-3

WILL TRADE Hupmobile sedan for 3- or 4-room house. Phone 412W. 290-3

3. Apartments

Furnished

FOR RENT: Two-room furnished apartment; reasonable; couple preferred. 601 E. Dakota. 289-3

6. Houses

Unfurnished

SIX-ROOM unfurnished house; modern. 214 South Big Spring. McClintock Bros. 288-3

15. Miscellaneous

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

Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election July 28, 1934. Advertising rates: For State, District, and County Offices, \$15.00; for Precinct Offices, \$7.50. Cash with order.

- For District Judge: 70th Judicial District CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH (Re-Election) PAUL MOSS CLYDE THOMAS
- For District Attorney: CECIL C. COLLINGS R. W. (BOB) HAMILTON (First Elective Term)
- For District Clerk: NETTIE C. ROMER (Re-Election)
- For County Judge: E. H. BARRON (Re-Election)
- For Sheriff: A. C. FRANCIS (Re-Election)
- For County Attorney: C. W. TATE
- For County Clerk: SUSIE G. NOBLE (Re-Election)
- For County Treasurer: MARY L. QUINN (Re-Election)
- For Justice of the Peace: (Precinct No. 1) B. C. GIRDLEY (Re-Election)
- For Constable: (Precinct No. 1) C. B. PONDNER (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner: (Precinct No. 1) C. A. MCCLINTOCK H. G. BEDFORD (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner: (Precinct No. 2) B. T. GRAHAM (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner: (Precinct No. 3) D. L. HUTT (Re-Election)
- For County Commissioner: (Precinct No. 4) CARL SMITH (Re-Election)
- For County Surveyor: R. T. BUCY (Re-Election)

SALESMAN SAM

I SEE YOUR WINDOW IS ALL DECORATED UP WITH LINCOLN PENNIES AND A CUCKING LITTLE LOG CABIN!

SURE THING! I CAN'T FORGET GOOD OL' ABE LINCOLN, YA KNOW! JEST COMMEMORATIN' HIS BIRTHDAY!

Who'da Think It?

YES, I GUESSED THAT—BUT YOU SORT OF OVERLOOKED ME! I WAS BORN ON LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY, TOO!

WELL, FER GOODNESS SAKE! MEBBE YOU COULDN'T FOOL SOME O' TH' PEOPLE ALL O' THE TIME AND ALL TH' PEOPLE, SOME O' TH' TIME, BUT YA SURE FOOLED ME—

6 7/8 PERCENT DISCOUNT ON TH' CHINAWARE

By SMALL

I HAD NO IDEA YOU WERE THAT OLD!

SUB STATION # 411 44 1/2

U.S. MAIL

43 STEPS TODAY ONLY 3¢

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

AND, JUST THINK, MOM. SOME SCIENTIFIC MEN ARE COMING OUT TO LOOK AT THE HISTO-DETECTOR, AND IF THEY LIKE IT, WE'LL BE RICH ENOUGH TO MATCH PENNIES WITH THE MINT!

DON'T BE TOO ELATED, SON....

HERE'S SOMETHING THAT CAME IN THE MAIL THIS MORNING.... THE ENVELOPE WAS ONLY PARTLY SEALED, SO I TOOK THE LIBERTY OF READING IT!

Threats!

GOSH! IT SAYS HERE, THAT UNLESS I JUNK THE HISTO-DETECTOR, I'LL BE SUED BY SOMEONE WHO CLAIMS TO HAVE PATENTS ON THE IDEA! ... BUT THERE IS NO SIGNATURE!

SHUCKS! AND AFTER ALL THE WORK WE PUT IN!!

By BLOSSER

CHEER UP, NUTTY! MAYBE SOMETHING WILL COME ALONG AND BRING US GOOD LUCK!

NOT A CHANCE, FRECKLES! IF I EVEN TRIED TO THROW A HORSESHOE OVER MY SHOULDER, I BET I'D FIND A HORSE FASTENED TO IT!!

OUT OUR WAY

ME SIGN AN AGREEMENT? WHAT FOR? I TOLD YOU, VERY PLAINLY, I'D WASH TH' DISHES BY MYSELF, FOR A WEEK—FOR THAT BLANKET YOU WON ON A PUNCH CARD.

YEH, BUT I LIKE DETAILS! I GOT 'EM DOWN HERE—LIKE CARRYIN' 'EM OUT TO TH' KITCHEN—WIPIN' 'EM—PUTTIN' 'EM AWAY—CLEANIN' TH' SINK—HANGIN' TH' DISHRAGS UP—AN' A FEW OTHER LITTLE DETAILS! I KNOW YOU! SIGN HERE, PLEASE.

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY.

By WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

SAY—WHY DON'T YOU THROTTLE DOWN, AN' GIVE MR GRUNCH A CHANCE TO ELBOW A WORD IN NOW AN' THEN?—YOU'VE HAD TH' BELLOWS ON HIM SINCE HE CAME, HEADLINING YOURSELF—YOU CAN TALK AN' AUCTIONEER BACK TO A COO AN' GURGLE!

HMF—INDEED! EGAD—MR GRUNCH IS A GENTLEMAN AND AN INTERESTED LISTENER, SIR! SO, GO BACK TO YOUR FISH MONGING!

AS I WAS SAYING, MR. GRUNCH, THE PRIME MINISTER SAID, "IF THERE IS ONE MAN WHO KNOWS, IT IS HOOPLE!" SO I WAS SUMMONED TO THE PALACE, ETC ETC.

WONDER WHAT THIS OLD GAFFER IS TALKING ABOUT? EVIDENTLY HE DOESN'T KNOW THAT I'M HARD OF HEARING.

STILL CHEWING THE FAT

By AHERN

De Mille Film

Intense Drama;

Colbert Superb

Noted for providing the ultimate in screen entertainment, Cecil B. DeMille scores another big hit with his latest Paramount picture, "Four Frightened People" showing last time today at the Ritz theatre.

Story, acting, settings and direction hold the audience spell-bound with one eye-filling surprise after another.

From the time the four principals, two men and two women, escape from a Dutch steamer on which bubonic plague has broken out and start their journey to civilization through the Malay jungles, there is not a moment in the picture when interest wanes.

Clauette Colbert is outstanding with one of the most colorful roles of her career, that of a prudish school teacher whom the two men consider in their way.

Herbert Marshall and William Gargan give splendid performances as the marooned rubber chemist and newspaper correspondent who fight over Clauette's charms, while Mary Boland, in a deft comedy characterization, walks away with many of the honors of the picture.

There were no Hollywood "sets" for these people to walk through, and the real jungles in which the picture was filmed are, themselves, cause for interest and amazement.

A good job of adaptation of the original novel by E. Arnot-Robertson was turned in by Bartlett Cormack and Lenore Coffee.

HARROWING EXPERIENCE DALHART (P)—Charlie Dutton, 46 farmer near Dalhart, is recovering from a harrowing experience. High on a load of bundle feed he was catapulted on a team of four horses when the front end-gate of the wagon broke.

CELEBRATE TWO EVENTS PORTLAND, Ore. (U.P.)—The E. L. Watsons observed two anniversaries simultaneously. The festivities marked their 60th year of wedded life, as well as Mr. Watson's 79th birthday.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION No. 1064 THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Midland if there be a newspaper published therein; and if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Walter H. Gant, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Midland, State of Texas, on the 5th day of March, 1934, being the first Monday of said month, at the Court House thereof in Midland, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed said Court, on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1933, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1064, wherein Wilson Keyes is plaintiff and Walter H. Gant and Paul C. Teas are defendants. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows, to-wit:

Suit in quantum meruit for the reasonable value of services performed by the plaintiff in working out the geology in the Smithville area in Texas at the instance and request of said defendants, and for expenses money, plaintiff's claim being for \$940.00, costs of suit, and the establishment and foreclosure of attachment lien on the interest of Walter H. Gant in the following described land situated in Rusk County, Texas, to-wit:

Garvin & Wegner—W. P. Moore 231.98 acres H. V. Pena Survey, less North 40 acres of 80 acre tract forming part of the above described 231.98 acres and being known as the McAllister tract.

HERIN FAIL NOT. And have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this, the 31st day of January, A. D. 1934.

SUSIE G. NOBLE, Clerk of County Court, Midland County, Texas, Feb. 5-12-10-26.

YUCCA TODAY ONLY! 10-25c SON OF KONG

TUES.—WED. 10-15-25c WARNER BAXTER AS HUSBANDS GO HELEN BOLAND WARNER OLAND

WITNESS MY HAND, this 27th day of January 1934. A. C. FRANCIS, Sheriff Midland County, Texas.

By Fisher Pollard, Deputy, Feb. 12-19-26

The Streets of Paris



AN EDITORIAL BY BRUCE CATTON

THE streets of Paris, most beautiful and romantic to look at in all of Europe, are the home of a mob—a mob whose tradition goes back for centuries, a mob which has changed dynasties, altered the destinies of nations and changed the course of world history.

This mob dates "way back to the middle ages, when factions of rival claimants to royal power scuffled and fought along the muddy alleys by the Seine. It has been repressed over and over again, so that people have forgotten it, and a visitor to "the most civilized city in the world" never dreams of its existence. But it is always there, dark below the surface, ready to break loose when its hours come.

A little thing can bring it up. In 1789 the French government was unable to balance its budget. Out of the ensuing deliberations came confusion, and in the confusion the tocsin was sounded; and the mob swept up from nowhere, to tear down the

Bastille, roll a king's head in the dirt, turn raw democracy loose on a startled world, set off a ferment that is still working—and to subside, finally, only before Napoleon's famous whiff of grapeshot.

It rose again in 1830, and again in 1848, and again in 1871. It has fought with paving stones and spikes, with clubs and with rifles. It has ruled all of France and it has set Europe to shuddering. Because of it the guillotine has clanked, and soldiers have killed one another in Spain and Italy and on the plains before Moscow. Forever repressed, it is forever arising anew.

In the broad Place de la Concorde, where the mob of 1934 battle the troops, Louis XVI lost his head—and Danton, and Marie Antoinette, and Charlotte Corday, and many another. And as the barricades went up the other day, and all of France rocked with turmoil, the spectre of the unaccountable once more leered at Europe.

The mob of Paris was up again!

S. W. CAGE RACE table with columns for Team, W, L, Pts, Op.

Results Last Week T. C. U. 40, A. & M. 32, T. C. U. 31, Baylor 24.

Games This Week Tuesday—T. C. U. vs. Rice at Houston. Wednesday—Texas vs. Baylor at Waco.

Butterflies need plenty of sunlight and over the shadow of passing cloud makes them drowsy.

SHERRIFF'S SALE No. 381 THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Midland.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Ward County, on the 27th day of November 1933, by Troy Patrick, Clerk of said County Court for the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-five and 20/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of McAlester Edwards Coal Company in a certain case in said Court No. 381 and styled McAlester Edwards Coal Company, a Corp. vs. J. E. Hill, placed in my hands for service, I, A. C. Francis as Sheriff of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 27th day of January 1934, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and South one-half 3 all in Block 96, Southern Addition to the town of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

and levied upon as the property of J. E. Hill and that on the first Tuesday in March 1934, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Midland County, in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. E. Hill.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Midland, Reporter-Telegram, a newspaper published in Midland County.

Witness my hand, this 27th day of January 1934. A. C. FRANCIS, Sheriff Midland County, Texas.

By Fisher Pollard, Deputy, Feb. 12-19-26

Pretender

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point he took up his quarters near Brussels in Belgium on an estate which he calls the "Manoir d'Anjou."

It was in 1931 that Duc de Giseux's son, Henri, Count of Paris, married a Bourbon cousin, Princess Isabel d'Orleans de Braganca in lavish pomp in Naples. A year later they had a girl, which does not count in succession to the French throne according to the rules of the Bourbons. Five months ago, however, an heir was born, Prince Henri, which insures the Duc de Giseux of at least two more generations of Bourbons aspiration for a return of the French monarchy.

The Duc de Giseux, when his grandson was a fortnight old, took him in his arms, put a little white wine in his lips, and then rubbed them with a bit of garlic, according to an old Bourbon custom.

There being no rule against the visits to France of the wife of the pretender, the Duchess of Giseux, a gracious and charming lady, she visits the old nobility and learns from them the progress of the cause. A few years ago a little coup d'etat of her own was arranged for her. It was the occasion of the unveiling of the Joan of Arc statue beside the Tuilleries. At a certain point in the procession, when a group of royalists was marching past, the Duchess was suddenly seen upon a balcony of a nearby hotel. Thereupon, royalist cheers rose in the heart of Paris.

The Duke, according to his friends, has two pastimes, apart from his interest in his estate. One is the study of military uniforms. He, so it is reported, capable of describing in detail the dress uniform of virtually every regiment that has served in France within the memory of man.

His second pastime is the tannourine, which it is said he plays with great effect and pleasure to himself, in solitude.

'Boob' Fowler Will Live at Big Spring

BIG SPRING.—"Chet" Fowler, who is an athlete of no mean ability, is to be permanently located here.

"Chet" played four years of football for the T.C.U. Horned Toads before going to the Cincinnati Reds, then to the Boston Red Sox. He has also seen service with Montreal in the International league and with Fort Worth in the Texas loop.

Regular meeting of the Order of Eastern Star Tuesday night at 7:30 at the Masonic hall.

WEATHER FORECAST WEST TEXAS: Fair, frost to-night; Tuesday fair.

One Girl Among 317 Employes Operates Refinery Exchange

BIG SPRING.—One lone girl among 317 employes! Miss Helen Duley, operator of the telephone exchange at Cosden Refinery, has the job of finding anybody for anybody else at any time somebody wants somebody else.

Few women would envy her task, but Helen goes along with it smilingly and gets the job done.

The impetus given to the darling adventurer of ski-riding by the 1932 Olympic winter games at Lake Placid has spread it from New Hampshire's mountains to the icy heights of the far west.

Colleges, prep schools, towns, cities, chambers of commerce, tiny villages and far flung winter sports clubs now hold jumping tournaments from which stars for our future Olympic teams are rapidly developing.

Men who wear the flying ships on their feet are accepting new permits in their efforts toward records on the steep slopes. Back in 1932, one

Little Farms in Presidio County REDFORD, Presidio County (P)—The smallest farms of one of the biggest counties in Texas are those found here in this Mexican colony.

It was founded 60 years ago when a group of Mexicans from Ojima came to this place, and settled with their families to farm. Today the graveyards of these settlers occupy the same land which has been divided among children until some straits are only 5 1-2 acres in area.

The original settlers were donated 160 acres by the state. They brought their own sheep, goats and cattle. Contrary to the usual attitude of the Mexican toward land, they have held on to their acres and divided them up in European fashion. Most of the land is under irrigation.

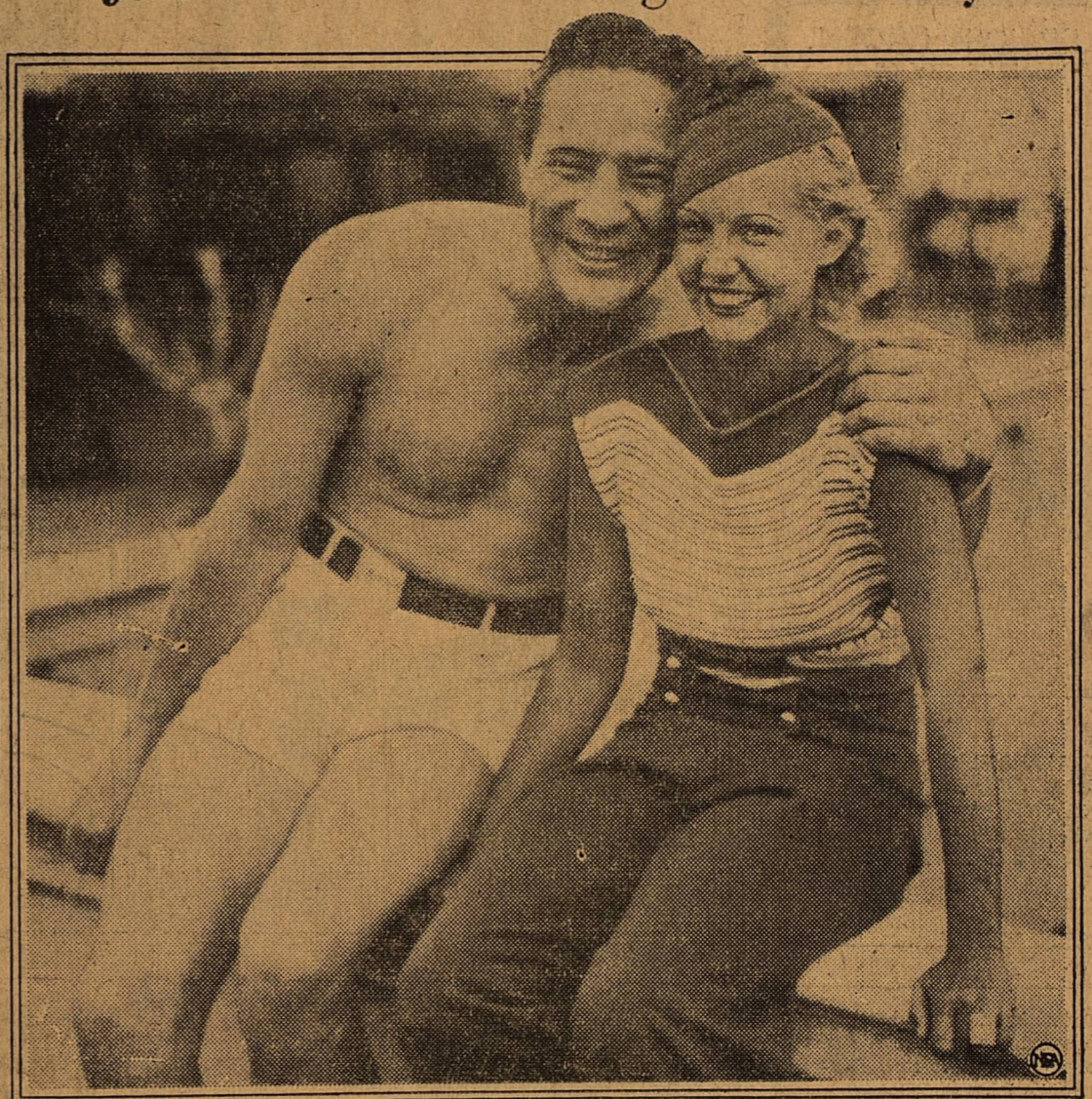
There are not more than 600 acres in cultivation in this valley and about 300 persons reside here. The land produces cotton, vegetables and is very fertile, there being no alkali.

The last American to own any of this land was J. H. Fortner, who sold it to descendants of the settlers.

The valley is named Polvo, a Spanish word for dust, but the name of the postoffice was changed to Redford when it was found there was another Polvo in the state. There once was a mill here but recently the community has gone in for cotton growing and they haul their cotton over the mountains to Presidio 22 miles away.

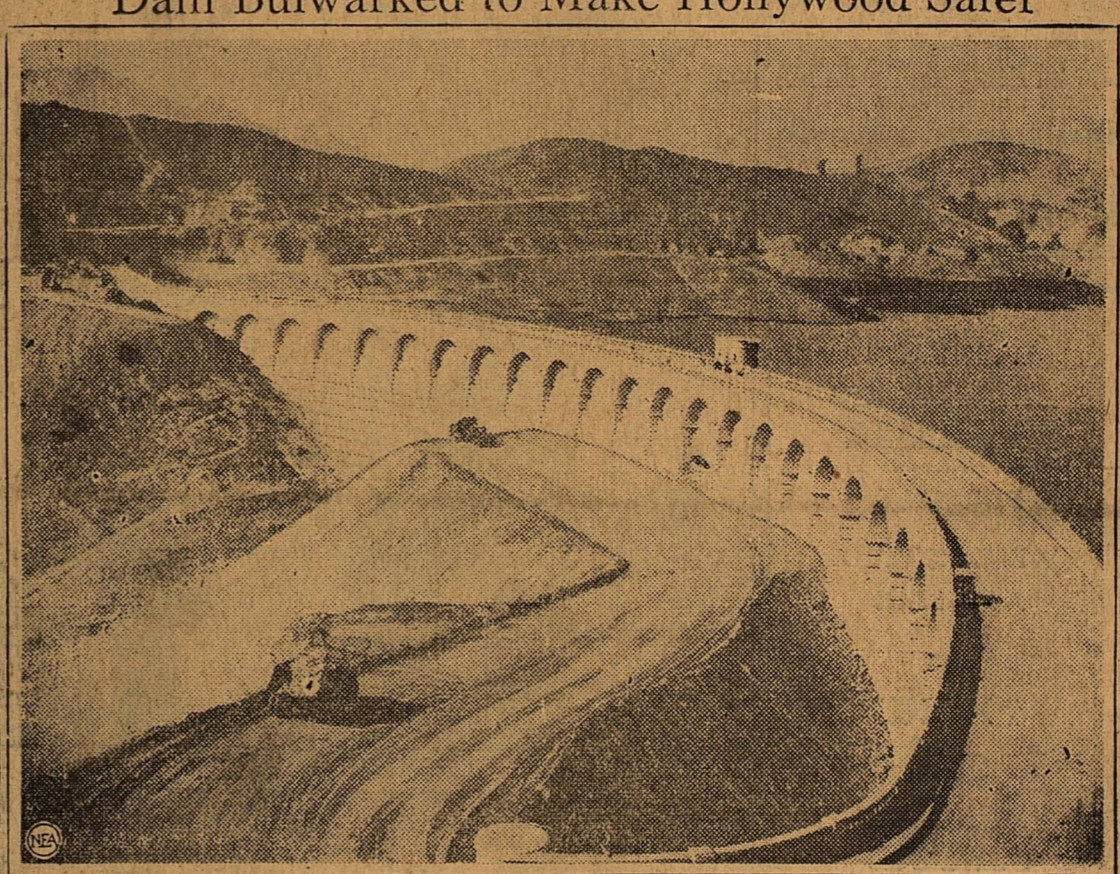
HOP CROP INCREASES PORTLAND, Ore. (U.P.)—Oregon's 1933 hop crop has been set at 98,000 bales by government officials. Approximately 17,000 acres were in production. Both figures are larger than for 1932 and 1931.

June Gets a Baer Hug in February



"Just pals," was what June Knight, oft-reported fiancée of Max Baer, recently remarked of their relations. And this picture, taken while both were in Miami, Fla., suggests that they certainly aren't enemies.

Dam Bulwarked to Make Hollywood Safer



Fear of a dam collapse, which has beset Hollywood, Calif., residents since the St. Francis disaster several years ago, is being allayed as the city fills in the face of the Mulholland Hollywood dam with earth to bulwark it against floods. Trucks working on the fill are shown in this picture, which also displays the beauty of the structure, being sacrificed to insure greater safety.

Other Sport Scribes

By HAL EUSTACE Sports Editor, Brownsville Herald One-horse indeed is the Texas hamlet without a "football family" to carry on to triumphant victory the gay colours of dear old Common School District No. 67/8ths.

No exception to this blanket rule is Harlingen, for as long as man's memory runneth there has been a right sturdy Lawrence fighting the battles of the Cardinal eleven.

When Cabeza de Vaca ("Cow Face") to you smart guys who took 8-A Spanish) first rounded the Texas shoreline, he found the natives playing a barbaric, skull-crushing game. Old residents of this section are convinced that what the gentleman of bovine countenance really saw was a pioneering member of the Lawrence family initiating the coast cannibals into the fine points of the flying wedge and side-swiping tandem.

Jimmie Lawrence, Texas Christian university halfback and one of the best leather jiggers operating in the Southwest conference, is just the baby member of that Harlingen football family of Lawrence. His

Go Into Cuddle, Decide to Wed

accounts of big time football—well, as big as it grows in Texas at any rate—are promptly pool-pooled by big brothers Joe, Bob, "Farmer" and "Doc." They played with the Harlingen Cardinals back yonder when might meant a lot on the gridiron.

"Baby Jim's" crushing gains against the Owls, Steers, Agates and Mustangs fade into the concentrated essence of insignificance when his big buds recall the Harlingen-San Benito classics of yore, up to and including the rock fights. Ah, them wuz the days!

Even as Harlingen has her Lawrence, Brownsville has her Bennetts and San Benito her Adamsons.

The most sought after golf prize in South Texas is the Rex Beach cup which has been an annual fixture here since 1915. The novelty spent several months in the valley while he was writing "Heart of the Sunset." Wm. S. "Bill" West, fresh from his post of Alaska attorney general, was the man who brought the novelty to this section to write of the wild and woolly Texas Rangers.

the sensational hill at Brattleboro, Vermont, Bing Anderson leaped 130 feet. Two years later Nels Nelson, an American ski-jumper, went gliding on empty air for 240 feet.

Two years ago at Davos, Switzerland, Sigmund Ruud established a world record with a leap of 265.74 feet. Last year Alf Engen, Dakota daredevil, took up Ruud's challenge and soared for a distance of 261 feet down a slide in Utah's Wasatch mountains.

Engen's speed on the takeoff was estimated at more than 90 miles an hour—and his jump through space approximated the height of a 25-story building!

Engen has taken a dozen jumps of more than 200 feet, setting up his "old" American record at Salt Lake City two years ago with a jump of 247 feet. That same year he went 243 feet at Big Pine, Calif.

GEYSER WATER HEATS POOL YELLOWSTONE PARK, Wyo. (U.P.)—Swimmers at Old Faithful inn here will have a unique pool this summer. C. A. Hamilton is installing a concrete pool that will be filled and heated by water from one of the park's famous geysers, including Old Faithful.

POSTOFFICE NO MORE HOVEY (P)—The postoffice has been discontinued here and this town may soon join the scores of ghost cities scattered over West Texas. Hovey was laid out when the railroad was built to Alpine and has had a postoffice for ten years. Not more than six families live here now. The large shipping pens are expected to remain.

This and That Around Capitol

AUSTIN, (P)—Another large class of applicants for licenses to practice law has been taking examinations under direction of supreme court attaches and the board of examiners. All of which caused Max Bickler, one of the clerks of the court, to spend a restless night. He dreamt the state capitol was burning and that the blaze started in the supreme court.

He saw in his sleep his little toy terrier dog, which weighs six pounds and is seven years old, scurrying around the building and then disappear from sight. He was so troubled about losing his dog that the jolt awakened him—the fire was over.

Members of Representative Bob Johnson's family have a knack of being born on some president's birthday and in each instance the relatives of the Palestine legislator first saw the light of day before the respective presidents won their lofty place.

E. M. (Bob) Johnson Jr., the lawmaker's only son, has the same birthday as President Roosevelt. Johnson's niece, Mrs. G. W. New, was born on Woodrow Wilson's birthday anniversary and Mrs. New's only son and child shares Herbert Hoover's anniversary date. That accounts for three presidents.

Lieutenant Governor Edgar Witt's gubernatorial campaign song may be set to the tune of "Annie doesn't live here any more," except that it will be "Ed doesn't live here any more."

The 143rd Texas national guard infantry band at Waco recently serenaded the Witts and apprised Mrs. Witt that she had been selected to be its sponsor.

She told the band boys that she hoped it could serenade the Witts after the election and play "Ed doesn't live here any more," meaning that he had taken up his residence in the governor's mansion.

Dean of Officers Recalls 13 Were Seeking One Post

BIG SPRING.—J. I. Prichard, clerk and dean of Howard county office holders, cannot remember when the county ballot contained as many names as it already has.

Last week newspaper announcement columns carried names of 46 candidates for county and precinct offices.

He can remember, however, when one office had many more aspirants than the county treasurer's office now has with 8 candidates.

In 1902, the first time Prichard sought election as clerk, there were 13 candidates for the office of tax assessor, he recalls.

High man received slightly more than 100 votes and the trailing candidate had to be satisfied with 6 votes.

At that time, he says, Dawson county was attached to Howard for judicial purposes and voted with this county. In all there were less than 600 votes cast.

This summer Dawson county will have a potential voting strength in the neighborhood of 4,500.

The organ was invented by Ctesibius of Alexandria about 200 B. C., but it did not come into common use until about 1500 A. D.

Runs Over a Wolf, Receives Bounty

LAMPASAS. (U.P.)—Martin Phelan ran over and killed a large wolf on a highway several miles from Lampasas—as a result of which he was \$50 richer today.

Phelan was the recipient of the \$50 bounty offered for each slain wolf. The bounty offer does not include a provision as to the manner in which the wolf must be killed.

In recent months sheep owners in this area have lost many of their animals as the result of wolves' ravages.

CECIL B. DE MILLE'S "FOUR FRIGHTENED PEOPLE" with CLAUDETTE COLBERT HERBERT MARSHALL MARY BOLAND WILLIAM GARGAN A Paramount Picture

STARTS TOMORROW For 3 Days They stole my baby! Her cry echoed in every mother's heart! While police moved heaven and earth.

"MISS FANE'S BABY IS STOLEN" with DOROTHEA WIECK ABICE BRADY BABY LE ROY