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If we do not awaken to the menace of undemocratic enemies, we shall have the utmost difficulty in wiping out our foreign assailants and their secret, disloyal American agents when the time comes for a showdown.—Representative Samuel Dickstein of New York.

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# METHVIN IDENTIFIED AS KILLER

## New Hot Oil Bill to Be Submitted by the Governor

### Photographer Catches Rainbow at Sunset



(Photo by Margaret Bourke-White; Copyright, 1934, NEA Service, Inc.)

Margaret Bourke-White has caught the Rainbow limned against an immensity of sea and

sky that multiplies the marvel of man's ingenuity in putting the forces of nature to work to pro-

vide the most expensive and exciting of all sports.

### ADDITIONAL INTEREST OF GENERAL ELECTION AS 8 AMENDMENTS ARE UP

AUSTIN, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—General election day will not pass in Texas this year with the usual perfunctory vote. Not that any fear is felt by democrats that its state ticket will be defeated, but because the state's million or more voters will ballot the same day on the proposed state new deal.

Eight sweeping changes in the state constitution will get approval or be rejected Nov. 6. They are: a limit on taxation; different tax rate for real estate and other property; abolishment of the fee system; combination of counties; salary fixing powers for county governments; taxation of the University of Texas' vast land areas; four-year terms for municipal officers; and right of cities to change their charters annually.

The tax limit amendment pegs at \$125 per person the total amount of revenue the state may collect annually from taxes, licenses, permits and fees. Based on 6,000,000 population, that is approximately what the state collected from such sources in 1933. The \$68,000,000 so collected, left a big state deficit.

The amendment has been proposed to prevent any legislative spending spree.

Opponents of the plan to permit different tax rates for real estate and for all other property grouped by reasonable classification, expect help against the amendment from the small homesteaders. An amendment of several years ago exempted \$3,000 of homestead property from tax. The new amendment, it is said, will abolish that exemption by its provisions that "Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform."

Larger units of local government are sought by an amendment to permit abolishing and consolidating counties. A clause in it provides that no county shall be created with an area of less than 900 square miles, nor any existing county be reduced to contain less than 900 square miles unless both the new and remaining county have a population of 50,000 or more. In border counties the 900 square miles total may be varied if it is impractical. It will be possible to make city

and county boundaries coincide under the amendment on counties. The provision on small counties with not less than 50,000 population permits this.

Abolition of fees for district and county officers has with it an accompanying amendment which gives county commissioners courts powers to fix fees of county-wide precinct officers, and to combine offices within the county. The three foregoing amendments are all part of a plan to reduce the cost of local government.

Western counties will continue to receive taxes on the vast tracts of University of Texas lands, under another of the proposed amendments. A former amendment made them taxable. The new one provides that the taxes shall be paid by direct state appropriation. The university land once was tax exempt.

Counties and school districts complained that the large area of the tax free land not only prevented ample provision for schools and other facilities but blocked issuance of bonds for such purposes.

Municipalities are especially interested in two proposals that will be voted upon. One makes it possible to have three or four year city terms of office, instead of two years. The other permits charter cities to amend their charters annually instead of biennially.

### HAS FOUR FRONT PAWS

TROY, O. (U.P.)—A kitten with four front paws was born recently to a cat owned by D. J. Grisco of Troy. The kitten also has an extra toe on each back foot. In all the kitten has 24 toes, whereas only 18 are normal. The additional claws aid the kitten greatly in climbing.

### LEFT CASE OF WHISKEY

VANCOUVER, Wash. (U.P.)—Candidate for the year's most forgetful man — the Portlander who bought a case of high-priced Scotch whiskey, then forgot to take it with him when he left the state liquor store.

### Relief Sewing Room Will Add Paid Supervisor

The well-planned program of making clothing for the poor will see production stepped up through the adding of a paid supervisor for the relief sewing room and the branching out into manufacture of clothing for smaller children, women and for beds, announced R. O. Taggart, relief administrator.

The new deal's modern equivalent of "The Song of a Shirt" has resulted here in the turning out of 98 dresses for school children of poor families. A battery of seven machines and two presses is in operation, and five more machines are needed.

"Midland people have been good to lend us their sewing machines," Taggart said. "We hope at least two more can be borrowed. We are careful to keep the machines oiled and clean, and take other precaution against damaging them in any way."

Taggart pointed out a considerable angle in making and distributing clothing. "We have more than 125 patterns and materials," he said. "Children who wear the clothing made at the relief room need not feel conscious of wearing donated clothing. So varied are the patterns and hues of garments no one can tell who is wearing clothes made at the relief room and who bought clothing at the stores."

Preparation for quilting advanced today to the stage of building three frames. Twelve women will quilt four will card cotton and 12 will piece squares.

Taggart plans an old-fashioned "quilting bee," the date for which will be announced later.

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### POWER OF THE COMMISSION TO BE INCREASED

250 Oil Men Applaud Decision; Begin New Drive

AUSTIN, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—Governor Ferguson agreed to submit to the legislature a bill again increasing the railroad commission powers to prevent hot oil production. The bill would give the commission power to regulate oil production as it endeavored to do in its last East Texas order.

On injunction hearing, District Judge Dodson held the present refinery statute does not give the commission control over shipment of crude oil products.

Two hundred fifty oil men applauded the announcement by Gov. E. O. Thompson, and they were urged to contact legislators and to assure passage of the bill.

Thompson suggested the new oil production order be deferred until it is known if the bill will pass.

### TEX-MEX OPENS A NEW OIL POOL

By F. D. GARDNER

The Tex-Mex Oil company is credited with the opening of its No. 1 Netterville wildcat in section 39, block 8, H. & G. N. survey, Pecos county. The well is now being cleared up to the total depth of 2277 feet, where the top of pay in the oilbearing sand was found. It is flowing between 50 and 75 barrels per day, with an estimated 2,000,000 cubic feet of gas. It is expected that the well will be completed not far below its present depth.

Factor county's most interesting wildcat test, the Landreth No. 1 Scharbauer, in section 20, block 44, township 1 north, T. & P. survey, has encountered an estimated 10,000,000 cubic feet of gas in drilling to 4064 feet in line.

With 6 5/8 inch pipe cemented with 250 sacks of 2000 feet, Sayre No. 1 Howe, 2310 feet, from the south line and 330 feet from the west line of section 12, block 26, public school land survey, Winkler county, will probably resume drilling around the middle of the week. This test was delayed when tools were blown up in the hole by nearly 20,000,000 cubic feet of gas at 2630 feet. The gas is now shut off, and the well will be completed with cable tools. Bottom of the hole is 2655 feet.

### Wreck Victim Leaves Clinic

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### U. S. Refunding Is About Subscribed

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—The treasury today reported subscriptions of \$1,000,044,000 so far toward the fall refinancing of \$1,000,775,000. The response was said to be very satisfactory.

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### Troops in Readiness for Strike Violence



Prevent strike violence before it starts seems to be the slogan in Seneca, S. C., where this scene was enacted. National guardsmen, with bayonets fixed and rifles at ready as though about to go over the top, escorted an army of strikeworkers through the textile strikers' picket lines and into the cotton mills. Soldiers also were stationed on each side of the road to prevent pickets from storming the marching column.

### RELIEF ROLLS NOT TO TAKE BIG HIKE

Winter relief rolls in Midland county will be padded by less than a 10 per cent increase in number of those seeking direct and work relief, in the opinion of R. O. Taggart, relief administrator.

This in spite of the lateness of the season, the blighting of crops in a 10 square-mile strip east of the city, and the short crop of cotton and feed.

Mexicans and negroes are picking and pulling cotton in sections where enough was grown to be worth gathering, getting 75 cents a hundred pounds for picking, 50 cents for pulling bolls.

A total of 475 persons are on the rolls now, 30 of which were taken off direct relief and transferred recently to work projects. An effort will be made to further reduce those on direct relief.

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### Three Talk Selves Out of Liberty at Liberty Day Fete

Three Mexicans celebrated the liberation of their country from Spain, from behind bars.

Two were inclined to be a bit noisy—more than a Mexican deputy could reconcile with patriotism.

Another, a member of the orchestra, didn't appreciate his cousin being whisked off for the hogswog, so talked himself into a free trip in what is Deputy Mike Carrago's equivalent of the Black Maria.

As results, the orchestra sounded a bit flat, and the evening was generally a dud to at least three.

### PRESTON BACK FROM HOUSTON

S. R. Preston of the Midland Production Credit association, has returned from Houston, where he attended a meeting of representatives of all the production credit associations in Texas, held there Saturday.

S. M. Garwood, production credit commissioner of the Farm Credit administration, Washington, D. C., was principal speaker at the meeting, which was under direction of Tully C. Garner, president of the Production Credit corporation of Houston, the central agency which supervises the activities of production credit associations in Texas.

With Garwood was T. B. Clausen, D. C., field representative of the production credit division of the Farm Credit administration, Washington, D. C. The meeting was attended also by officials of the Farm Credit administration of Houston.

The chief points of discussion, Preston said, centered around the relationship of production credit associations to the Production Credit corporation and the Federal Intermediate Credit bank, and policies of the Farm Credit administration with respect to production credit.

Production credit associations form one of the newer branches of the farm credit system having been in existence in Texas a little less than a year. They are designed to supply a complete short-term credit service to farmers and ranchers; to finance the production and harvesting of crops, the raising of livestock, and many other operations. The associations make loans directly to farmers on the security of their products, discounting such paper with the Federal Intermediate Credit bank of Houston.

### ONE MAN BAND

REDSBURG, Wis. (U.P.)—Art Werner, Redsburg's "rotted" one man band," claims to be the only person who can play three instruments simultaneously and in perfect harmony. Werner strums a guitar with his feet, saws a violin with his hands and blows a harmonica all at the same time. He has special toe rings with attached picks for the guitar, and a wire neck piece to hold the harmonica.

### HAD TWO APPENDIX

ELKHORN, Wis. (U.P.)—Most persons have more than enough trouble with the appendix, but Dr. J. V. Herzog found two; one full-grown and the other half-size, when he operated on William Dobbick, Jr., farm youth near here who became ill after sampling too many green apples. Herzog said this condition was unprecedented in his experience and in any of his medical journals.

### BLACK HEN SAVED FLOCK

EPHRAATA, Wash. (U.P.)—A little black hen owed her life and those of a pen full of sisters to her ability to flap her wings. When Gene Jackson, butcher, wielded a sharp knife over her gullet, she squawked and fluttered, knocking the weapon against his hand and inflicting a bad cut. In the confusion, she led the flock to safety.

### PAINTS HUGE MURAL

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (U.P.)—Mrs. George Bridges, widely known Southern artist, is painting a mural 42 feet by 16 feet on the wall of a 100-year-old bank building at Decatur, Ala. The city has planned to convert the aging structure into a civic museum. The mural will reveal the history of the building and its surroundings.

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### WANTED PAY FOR RAIN

TOPEKA, Kan. (U.P.)—Scarcely had the debris from a recent wind and rain storm been cleared away when a Kaw Indian chief called on the secretary of Governor Alf M. Landon of Kansas, seeking remuneration for bringing rain. Landon held the shower was not sufficient to warrant a special appropriation for his services.

### 2,500 RABBITS KILLED

SHOSHONE, Idaho (U.P.)—The ranchers of the Dietrich tract recently killed 2,500 rabbits in one afternoon, but they barely made a dent in the "bunny" population of this section. The rabbits have caused heavy damage to growing crops, and farmers plan more drives.

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### WILL BE TRIED IN CONNECTION WITH SHOOTING

Tipster in Death of Bandits Must Go To Oklahoma

SHEREVEPORT, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—Henry Methvin, former Texas convict, who was pardoned by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson for supplying information leading to the killing of Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker, was positively identified as the slayer of Constable Cal Campbell of Commerce, Okla., Chief of Police Percy Boyd of Commerce said.

The official said he was certain Methvin fired the fatal shot in the April 6 killing.

Methvin will be returned to Oklahoma to face trial.

### MILL OPENING UNSUCCESSFUL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—Efforts of textile manufacturers to open mills proved "a complete failure," strike leaders said.

"The strike was bigger than it was on Saturday," Gorman, walkout leader, said.

Gorman threatened all allied textile trades will be called out if the strike is not settled this week.

### OIL HEARINGS BEGIN NOV. 15

DALLAS, Sept. 17. (U.P.)—The congressional oil investigation committee will open its Texas hearings at Dallas Nov. 15. Rep. Hiram Gamblers was informed by the Washington office. Original dates Nov. 14 and 17, were changed to make it convenient for delegates to attend the American Petroleum institute convention here Nov. 12 and 13. Gamblers said the hearings are the most important ever held in the southwest concerning oil.

### AGED WOMAN TORTURED

CLEVELAND. (U.P.)—Mrs. Pauline Golaboff, 70-year-old grandmother, was tortured by two robbers who applied lighted matches to her bare feet to force her to reveal hidden money. Mrs. Golaboff had none and her assailants got only \$2.

### NEWSBOYS IRK SLEEPERS

TROY, O. (U.P.)—Newsboys would be restrained from crying their headlines between 11 p. m. and 6 a. m. if a proposed councilmanic ordinance passes here. Solous considered the move after newsboys yelled Dillinger extras until 4 a. m.

### FIND MOUND BUILDERS' BONES

WILMINGTON, O. (U.P.)—Two skeletons, supposedly of mound builders, were unearthed in Fort Ancient park by workmen excavating for a new observation platform. The bones, one an adult's, the other of a child, were well preserved.

### IT RAN IN FAMILY

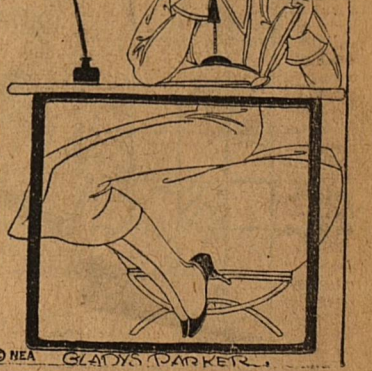
TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (U.P.)—It runs in the family. When Kappa Delta Pi, national education fraternity, selected 19 new members at summer ceremonies here recently, among them were Mrs. Janie Sullivan, Decatur, Ala., her daughter, Grace Huff, Drew, Ala., and a son, Walter Sullivan, Benton, Miss.

### THE FORECAST

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy, warmer in southeast portion tonight; Tuesday partly cloudy, cooler in north portion.

### FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



The campus best-seller still is the date book.

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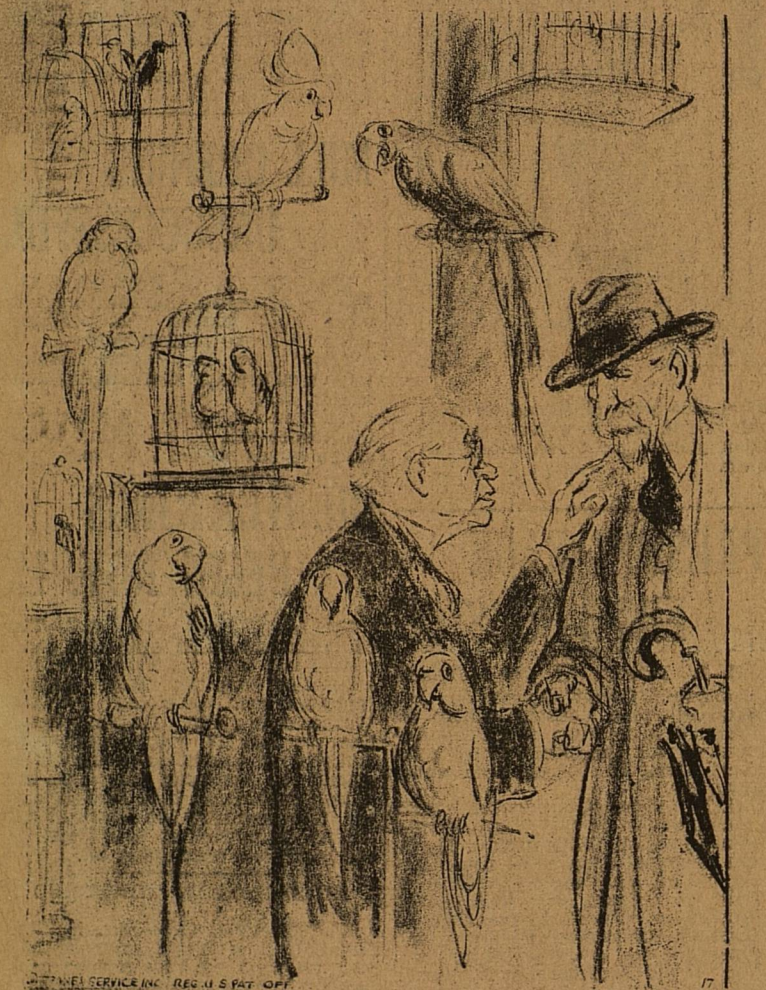
TRAGIC PROMOTION

Acting Captain William F. Warms, of the ill-fated liner Morro Castle, seems to have lived through one of the strangest personal tragedies that any seafaring man could be called on to face.

Here was a man who had won a position as first officer on a large modern steamship. Being human, he was undoubtedly looking forward to the day when he himself might command such a vessel.

Then, unexpectedly compressed into a few hours, came command—accompanied by the most overwhelming emergency responsibilities that can go with it.

Side Glances . . . . . by Clark

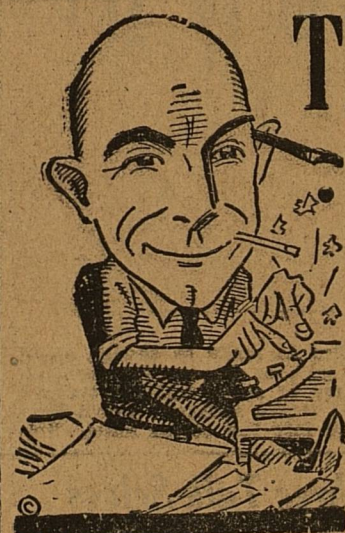


"Drop in more often. You have no idea how I enjoy your conversation."

Famous Stage Star

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

Whispering Pines



The Town Quack

(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything with taking a stand on anything).

Reporter and finding a headline: "A Bug in Her Ear." The story went on to say that "Miss Bonnie Lee Hays was home from Midland a few days last week, having had the misfortune to get a bug in her ear and she came over for medical treatment."

can tell you how the local medicos go about getting a tick out of your ear. Press dispatches told us Sunday that the state still is in the red. Taxes from cigarettes and beer have failed to get the budget balanced, in spite of efforts of some of the local boys to smoke and drink it up.

SOCIETY

Misses Midkiff Class Hostesses

Misses Dee and Jewell Midkiff were hostesses to the Belmont Bible class Friday afternoon at the home of their mother, Mrs. T. O. Midkiff. Mrs. Midkiff is out of town.

Poor Children to Benefit Thursday From 2 Matinees

One or more articles which may be used in the classroom will be the only admission charge at the two Midland theatres at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Announcements

Tuesday The Edelweiss club will meet at the school building at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Thursday The South ward P.T.A. will meet at the school building at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The North ward P.T.A. will meet at the school building at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Benefit picture shows at Yuca and Ritz theatres, sponsored by North and South Ward P.T.A. organizations.

Friday The Belmont Bible class will meet at 4 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. Cecil Rains, 1805 W. Wall.

Saturday The Busy Bee club will hold a food sale Saturday at Wadley's department store.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Paul King and son of Stockton spent the weekend with Mr. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. King.

Mrs. M. M. Fisher and Miss Tommie Grigg of Andrews were in Midland Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Ashton was in town from Hamilton Friday.

Mrs. Edgar Truelove has as her guests her mother, Mrs. J. M. Colbert of Coleman, Texas, her brother Jimmie Wilson, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Freeman of Hamilton, Ohio.

Miss Edith Giddings left Saturday afternoon on a vacation.

Mrs. Johnnie Burton of Roswell has returned to her home after a visit to her sister, Mrs. T. J. Stokes.

Hughie Woody of Stanton spent the weekend with relatives in Midland.

Clyde and Lloyd Bucklen of Lamesa were the guests of Miss Vivian Arnett Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. D. C. Hensill has returned from a visit on the Slaughter ranch in Dawson county.

Mrs. Curtis Abel of Odessa is in town today.

HOUSTON, (U.P.)—Texas law students in the future must serve a six months apprenticeship in a reputable law office before applying for admission to the bar, according to a recent ruling by the supreme court of the state.

Loyal Workers BYPU Chooses New Officers

Officers, who will be installed the first Sunday in October, were elected by the Loyal Workers B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Mrs. Stonehocker, Mr. Nettleton Wed

Mrs. Gene Riley Stonehocker became the bride of Mr. Theron S. Nettleton in a ceremony read at 4 o'clock Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage, Odessa.

Business Meeting Called Tonight

Miss Mary Margaret Mann read as a special number at the meeting of the Naomi class Sunday morning.

Lesson Contrasts False and True Worship" was the subject of the lesson taught by Mrs. J. M. White.

Mrs. A. E. Horst read a scripture stanza and Mrs. R. J. Walker the devotional. Mrs. Newell Beauchamp dismissed the class.

Miss Read Thomas Off for School

Miss Read Thomas leaves tonight for Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania where she will visit her room mate, Miss Iva Mae Falck. Later the two girls will motor to Buena Vista, Va., where they will re-enter Southern seminary.

Approximately 260 varieties of food are carried in the United States.

IS YOUR COMPLEXION BLOTCHY AND PIMPLY?

If your complexion is dull, muddy, sallow due to clogged bowels take Adlerika. Just one dose rids your system of poisonous wastes that cause pimples and bad skin. City Drug Store.

Large advertisement for Chesterfield cigarettes. Features a couple standing in a field, a pack of Chesterfield cigarettes, and the slogan 'the cigarette that's MILDER the cigarette that TASTES BETTER Chesterfield'. Includes text: 'a good cigarette gives you a lot of pleasure' and '... just about every cigarette smoker knows that—but here are some other facts to keep in mind...'.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

1500 CUBIC MILES OF WATER FALL UPON THE EARTH EVERY YEAR.

EVERY DANDELION HAS HUNDREDS OF FLOWERS! THE LARGE BLOSSOM-LIKE HEAD IS MADE UP OF MANY SMALL FLOWERS, EACH OF WHICH PRODUCES ONE SEED.

THE BACK SWIMMER INSECT BREATHES THROUGH THE HIND TIP OF ITS BODY.

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

I THINK MR. KNOX IS THE CHAP YOU WANT TO SEE

OKE! YUH DONT HAVE A BICYCLE OR A HORSE, I COULD BORROW, DO YUH?

MR. KNOX? I WANT TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT MR. ROSS

BAH! ROSS IS THRU! HE'S BROKEN HIS CONTRACT—AND THAT'S THAT

I ABSOLUTELY REFUSE TO BE BOTHERED BY ANY TEMPERAMENTAL ACTOR! WHO DOES HE THINK HE IS, ANYWAY?

WELL, RIGHT NOW HE THINKS HE'S A NO-GOOD, WASHED-UP BUM

SMART BOY

OH, BUT IT HASNT BEEN HIS FAULT—IF YOU'LL ONLY LET ME EXPLAIN! PLEASE

It Doesn't Look So Good!

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By MARTIN

WASH TUBS

THINKS HE'S HORATIO BOARDMAN, HUH?

SAY, HE MUST BE DIPPY.

SURE HE'S DIPPY.

JUST IGNORE HIM, BOYS. SOMETIMES HE THINKS HE'S A MILLIONAIRE—SOMETIMES HE'S NAPOLEON.

I TELL YOU, I AM A MILLIONAIRE, AND I'VE GOT HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS HERE TO PROVE IT.

Spilling the Beans!

KEEP YOUR TRAP SHUT, YOU BRAINLESS IDIOT, OR I'LL BREAK YOUR NECK.

WOP!

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By CRANE

ALLEY OOP

ALLEY OOP YA CRAZY FOOL! YER GONNA GET KNOCKED FOR A GOOL!

AW, BLAWSH! S'NOTHIN' BUT A WEAK-MINDED DIPLODICUS!

SHOOO! GIT GOIN'. YBIG WHALE! SCRAM!

Such Confidence!

WEAK-MINDED AS YOU SAY, HE SEEMS DETERMINED TO STAY!

I'LL FIX TH' SLAB-SIDED, FOUR-LEGGED DUMMY!

OF ALL TH' DUMB STUNTS I EVER SAW, THAT UN TAKES TH' POLKADOT PAPAW!

By HAMLIN

SALESMAN SAM

WHAZZA MATTER, FELLAP? YA LOOK LIKE YA LOST YER LAST FRIEND!

OH, I GOT LOTS O' FRIENDS, BUT I JUST LOST MY LAST FIVE DOLLARS!

JUMP OVER TO PROE BUGG'S FLEA CIRCUS

AN! YOU'RE KICKIN' ABOUT THAT? MIGOSH, I JUST LOST FIFTEEN!

OH, GEE WHIZ! THASS TERRIBLE!

WE OUGHTA REPORT OUR LOSSES TO TH' MANAGEMENT!

GO AHEAD, IF YA WANNA—BUT NOT ME!

Sam Knows When He's Licked!

IT AIN'T THEIR FAULT THAT I WAS TRYIN TA WIN A BOX OF CANDY!

By SMALL

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

I WONDER WHERE OLD MISTER BARROWS WENT, WHEN WE TOLD HIM THAT HIS GOLD WAS WASHED AWAY?

HE SCRAMMED.. BEAT IT RIGHT OFF INTO THE WOODS!

I GUESS HE'S A SHINING EXAMPLE OF WHAT HAPPENS TO PEOPLE WHO MAKE GOLD THEIR GOD!!

BY THE WAY, WHAT TIME IS IT?...WE OUGHTA BE GETTING BACK TO CAMP!

I'VE LOST ALL SENSE OF TIME UP HERE, NUTTY!

JUDGING FROM THE SUN, IT'S ABOUT THREE IN THE AFTERNOON!!

YEAH, BUT WHAT I WANT TO KNOW IS WHAT DAY IS IT?

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He Knows It's This Year!

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By BLOSSER

OUT OUR WAY

THAT PAPER? WHY, THAT PAPER IS IN THERE TO STOP UP TH' CRACKS, SO TH' WEEDS WONT SPILL OUT

THAT PAPER IS IN THERE TO HOODWINK ME! I'M PAYIN' YOU FIFTY CENTS A BUSHEL FOR WEEDS, NOT PAPER! SHOW ME THE CRACKS IN THAT BASKET.

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

J.R. WILLIAMS

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By WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

I ADVISE THAT WE FIRST ATTEMPT TO MAKE A SETTLEMENT WITH YOUR BROTHER, OUT OF COURT! I'LL TELL HIM THAT YOU WILL CONSIDER \$25,000 AS SATISFACTORY DAMAGES FOR SELLING YOUR GOLD MINE—IF HE BALKS, THEN WE'LL GO TO COURT AND SUE HIM FOR \$75,000!

YEH, THAT'LL BE OKAY, MR. WAGGLESNAK—YEH—\$25,000 WILL PARTLY SQUARE TH' GREAT WRONG DID ME—C'MON, WE'LL GO OVER TO TH' HOUSE AN' PUT IT UP TO HIM NOW, BEFORE SUPPER—IT'LL GET HIM SO WORRIED, HE'LL LOSE HIS APPETITE, AN' I WONT HAVE ANY COMPETITION!

YES, JAKE WILL ACCEPT \$25,000!

By AHERN

Line Dredge Sunk In Channel Raised

GALVESTON (AP)—Linde Dredge No. 5 of the Linde Dredging company, which sank in the Bolivar ferry channel during the recent gulf storm, has been raised and delivered to the dredging company.

Work of dredging the channel which leads to the Fort Travis landing of the Galveston-Bolivar ferry will be resumed within 10 days.

A new \$65,000 barge was used by the D. M. Picton company of Port Arthur in raising the dredge, which was practically undamaged.

Contract for dredging the federal government's portion of the ferry channel to the harbor line was awarded to the Linde company several weeks ago and the dredge had been engaged in work only one day when it was sunk. All men aboard escaped safely.

After completing the channel dredging job, the Linde No. 5 will start on a 60-day contract to build a levee on the north bank of the intracoastal canal from Port Bolivar eastward.

Librarian at Borger Believed Youngest

BORGER (AP)—Don Henessee at 19 probably is the youngest librarian in Texas. He has been in charge of the Borger library three years.

In addition to handling circulation, sponsoring book shows, and promoting interest in reading, Henessee is responsible for the financial condition of the library.

The library was established in 1928 by the Twentieth Century club. Since Henessee took charge three years ago the number of volumes has increased from 200 to 350 and the list of subscribers jumped from 100 to 500. The average daily circulation is 108 volumes.

Henessee plans to enter college this fall but he still is planning for the future of the library.

CITY HALL GETS BATH

FORT WORTH (AP)—Fort Worth's city hall is getting its first bath.

Fourteen work-relief employees are giving the 41-year-old building a thorough cleaning, plastering and painting. It will take about two months to scour the building completely.

OLD GAMES RETURN

MCALLEN (AP)—Horse-shoe pitching and shuffleboard proved so popular with tourists here that a local club has constructed an all-weather playing court. Night playing is made possible by lights. Valley residents who belong to the club defray expenses, so that visitors may play free.

If we dig down into the earth to a depth of about 25,000 feet, we find a temperature of approximately 200 degrees.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

**RATES AND INFORMATION**

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

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PROPER classification of advertisements will be done in the office of The Reporter-Telegram.

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FOR TERMS, information will be given gladly by calling 77.

BOARD and room; also table board. Shady Lawn Cottage, Mrs. Frank Edsall, 111 West Ohio. 161-6

FOR BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS Call Mrs. L. A. Denton Phone 359W Representing University Florist of Abilene, Texas

MATTRESS RENOVATING One-day service; also, new mattresses. Phone 451.

FURNITURE HOSPITAL

START RIGHT

0—Wanted

WANTED, grass during winter for small bunch steer calves. Apply Reporter-Telegram. 161-3

3—Furn. Apts.

TWO- or three-room furnished apartment. Call 627 anytime Sunday or after 5 p. m. during week. 163-4

NEATLY furnished 2-room apartment, close in, reasonable. Couple only. 315 North Baird. 163-3

THREE-ROOM apartment in duplex; private bath; garage. Apply 501 North Main. Phone 76W. 164-2

5—Furn. Houses

FIVE-ROOM brick house for rent; nicely furnished; 1604 West Texas. Phone 538 or 106. 163-3

10—Bedrooms

FOR RENT: Two bedrooms; adjoin bath; convenient to high schools. Phone 199. 159-6

WELL furnished bedroom in brick home; adjoins bath; garage convenient. Phone 320. 163-3

15—Miscellaneous

WANT to buy or trade for about 1,000 feet sheep wire. Apply Box B, Reporter-Telegram. 164-3

STAY RIGHT

SCRUGGS DAIRY

PHONE 9000

Zipper Portfolios

No more fumbling with clumsy straps, buckles and fasteners. Zipp—and the contents of your case are at your finger tips. A variety of sizes and styles. Priced from \$2.50 to \$8.00.

PHONE 95

WEST TEXAS OFFICE SUPPLY

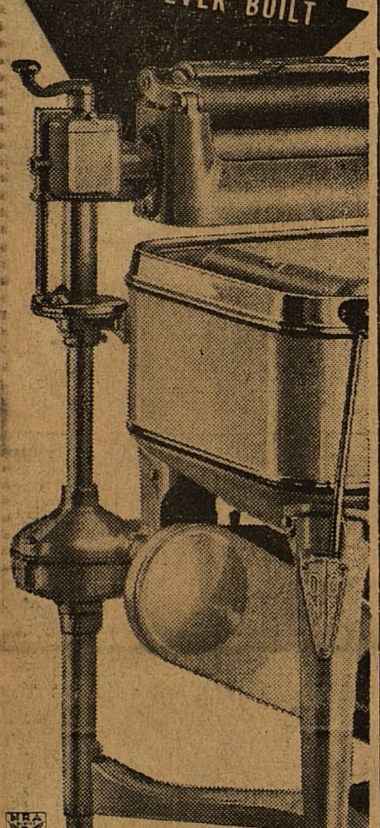
London gourmets need 2,000,000 snails annually; these are imported mostly by airplane.

LEONA McCORMICK Teacher of Expression Curry Method Classes Open Sept. 17 Instructions for all Ages Special Work with Pre-School Ages Studio 217 W. Tenn. Phone 271

This MAYTAG NOW

\$65.50 LESS THAN THE 1929 PRICE

IT'S THE WORLD FAMOUS SQUARE TUB CAST ALUMINUM WASHER—THE FINEST ALUMINUM WASHER MAYTAG EVER BUILT



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TREASURE ISLAND

Chapter XII Squire Trelawney awaited at the entrance to Ben Gunn's cave in a naturally fortified cliff on the hillside. He pumped Jim's arm with enthusiasm, crying: 'Jim! Gad! Strike me pink! Magnificent, Livesey! We watched it all from up here. Gray, I'll have you cited for this! Gunn, you're a genius!'

Hollywood Bound



Very much annoyed by rumors she'll marry Peppy d'Albrey, the blonde and alluring Peggy Hopkins Joyce on her arrival in New York from the Riviera vehemently asserted she hardly knew the gentleman.

the bottle of rum beside him. Jim cried out at seeing Gunn prostrate on the deck when he came running up with the pistol. 'Tch! Tch!' said Silver, quickly. 'That's power and look that one sack to guard a ship, and lies here in drunken stupor.' He pocketed the pistol and hobbled to the gangway and held out his hand. 'Now Silver was genuinely affected. 'Well, matey, what old John's got to tell you, he don't know how to say. It won't mean you be forgiving me for anything I've done. It's just for the mates we might have been.'

150 FUNMAKERS IN LARGE CIRCUS

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Combined Circus, truly the greatest show on earth, making its grand and glorious 1934 tour of the continent and definitely scheduled to exhibit at Big Spring, Friday, Sept. 21, (night) only, has assembled from the four corners of the earth and spent splendid ideas into the greatest aggregation of clowns in all amusement history.

SHERIFF'S SALE No. 213224

Under and by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued on the 10th day of August 1934 out of the 113th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court in Cause No. 213224 of said court, on the 14th day of April 1934, in favor of Great Southern Life Insurance Company, a corporation, against Llano Hotel Company, a corporation; John Scharbauer; Clarence Scharbauer; and Jno. B. Thomas, et al., the sum of \$2750.26 with interest on the sum of \$2504.79 from date of judgment at the rate of 10% per annum, and interest on the sum of \$250.47 from date of judgment at the rate of 6% per annum, together with the sum of \$32.10 costs of suit as taxed on the executed writ of Court in Cause No. 213224 of said court, I have levied on the 3rd day of Sept. 1934 and will offer for sale and sell on the first Tuesday in October 1934, same being the 2nd day of October 1934, at the door of the courthouse of Midland County in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., any and all right, title, interest and claim which the said defendants, Llano Hotel Company, John Scharbauer, Clarence Scharbauer, and Jno. B. Thomas, had on October 1, 1932 of, in or to, and have since had of, in or to the following described property and premises situated in Midland County, Texas, viz: Lots 10, 11, and 12 in Block 54 of the original Town of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., any and all right, title, interest and claim which the said defendants, Llano Hotel Company, had on October 1, 1932, in or to, or has since had of, in or to, the floor coverings on the 3rd and 4th floors of the hotel situated on said property shall be sold subject to a check mortgage lien of Midland Hardware Company covering the said floor coverings on the 3rd and 4th floors of said hotel.

WADLEY'S the Silk Parade



A NATIONAL EVENT... SEPT. 17th to 22nd

The whole store takes pride in presenting quality merchandise developed in silk

Wadley's has always recognized the beauty and desirability of SILK... the fabric that has symbolized luxury and beauty through the ages. 'Fine as silk' is not a mere phrase. It is an accurate means of comparison, for silk is to fabrics what gold is to metals... the standard by which others are judged.

We celebrate the Silk Parade by offering hundreds of yards of new silk dress goods, all of the fascinating fabrics that fashion decrees for Fall. The Canton Crepes that take to themselves new pebbled effects and dashing little surface flakes... The Crepe Backed Satins that turn a dull face to the world this moment and a glossy one the next... The Taffetas, crisp and perky... The Metal Shot Fabrics, glamorous and gay... Not forgetting the Lingerie Silks, for the well-dressed woman of today wears silk from the skin out.

- Marilyn Satin (crepe back) Colors - Black, brown, navy, eggshell, flesh, tea rose, azure blue - 1.69 yd. Marilyn Crepe Colors - Piper green, cocktail blue, wine leaf, cariooca, navy, black, brown - 1.39 yd. Triple Sheer shadow stripe - 1.69 yd. Heavy Failles, novelty weaves, fall shades - 1.39 yd.

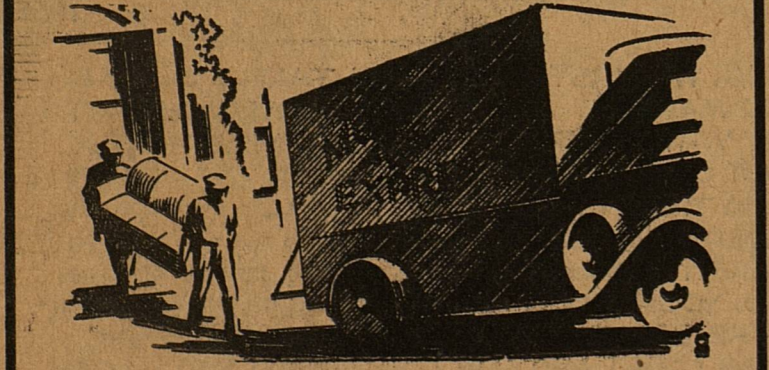
Wadley's Observes Silk Parade Week National Silk Parade week is being observed in Midland by Wadley's Department store and a brilliant array of fabrics will be seen throughout the store and in the show windows during the event. The silk parade is a definite swing toward higher quality merchandise and is a countrywide movement to promote the use of silk. The event is being celebrated all this week.

Unsightly Complexions

muddy-looking, blotchy and red—relieved and improved with safe, medicated Resinol.



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THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Midland, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of El Paso County on the 22nd day of August 1934, by C. W. Harper, Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Sixteen Hundred and Thirty-nine and 18/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of The People's Building & Loan Ass'n, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 37127 of said Court, The People's Building & Loan Association of El Paso, Texas, vs. H. H. Meeks, et al., placed in my hands for service, I, C. B. Ponder, as Constable of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 23rd day of August 1934, sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said H. H. Meeks, Edd Cowden, E. M. Ferrell, A. C. Francis, Harry Roberts, Edna F. Roberts and H. G. Bedford, Jr. 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, Texas.

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EAT AT THE LIMIT

Jean Harlow's Acting Grand At the Yucca

"The Girl from Missouri" the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture which is now playing at the Yucca theatre brings Jean Harlow back to the screen after a too-long absence in one of the most entertaining pictures to come out of Hollywood in recent months. Miss Harlow is seen as Eddie Chapman on the hunt for a millionaire husband in a role that only Jean Harlow could handle. Lionel Barrymore plays the part of T. R. Paige, a financial and political power, who tries to turn heaven and high water to prevent Eddie from marrying his son, Tom. The son's role is taken care of by Franchot Tone, who was last seen with Miss Harlow in "Blonde Bombshell."

WADLEY'S YUCCA NOW

10-25c till 6. Night, 10-25-35c

JEAN Harlow



Smart Elgin semi-baguette, 17 jewels, 14 karat solid white gold case, \$35.00

The GIRL FROM MISSOURI With FRANCHOT TONE LIONEL BARRYMORE LEWIS STONE PLUS these screen joys. NEWS—"THE WISE LITTLE HEN" Walt Disney's All technicolor cartoon—POPEYE THE SAILOR

RAIN DROWNS 204 SPARROWS

ASHTABULA, O. (U.P.)—Under one poplar tree in his lawn, Herman Kuivinen found 204 sparrows drowned by an overnight rain.

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