

## FEUD BREAKS OUT AMONG AUTO WORKERS

By United Press  
ANDERSON, Ind., Feb. 13.—National Guardsmen ordered to repel a mass invasion of men from Michigan in a feud between union and non-union automobile forces, reported today they had halted a caravan of 30 automobiles, 13 miles north of Anderson.

Military officers reported that the cars all bore Michigan license plates. There were about 150 men in the party.

The troops, under command of Capt. Jesse McIntosh, enforced strict martial law over this country and blocked all highways. Troopers erected machine guns at highway intersections and stood guard with fixed bayonets.

National Guard officers said they had confiscated eight shotguns, one pistol and several clubs at United Automobile Workers headquarters at Alexandria.

It was there that troopers halted the caravan.

Adjutant General Elmer Straub said the Michigan cars would be escorted back to the Michigan line.

Five were wounded by shotguns, two seriously, in violence which broke out here Saturday. The city was quiet but tense as guardsmen took charge.

Gov. Clifford Townsend declared martial law after the five persons were injured. 274 troopers arrived in less than an hour after the governor's orders.

## Nepotism Charged To Congressmen Who Were Defeated

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—First month payrolls for the 75th Congress revealed today a similarity of names suggesting that nepotism, a legal but frequently criticized method of giving jobs to relatives, was widely practiced.

The payroll revealed that some representatives defeated in 1936 added to payrolls during their last few months in office, persons bearing their own last names.

Rep. Thomas Blanton, Dem., of Texas, defeated in the runoff primary last August, shifted his clerical list from Oct. 1 through Dec. 30. M. Blanton and W. W. Blanton were put on as clerks, both at \$208.33 a month.

## Rescue Crew Nears Snowbound Party

By United Press  
JACOB'S LAKE, Ariz., Feb. 13.—Traveling less than a mile an hour, two tractors today pushed through 11-foot snow drifts in an attempt to reach an expectant mother and 33 other persons who have been isolated on the rim of the Grand Canyon in Northwestern Arizona since Dec. 26.

A snowplow was ordered from Flagstaff, after communication was established with the lodge where the party was snowbound. Rescuers hoped to reach them by Sunday.

## Rites Conducted for Gorman Woman

Funeral services for Mrs. J. M. Underwood, 72-year-old mother of G. D. Underwood of Eastland, who died recently at her home seven and a half miles southwest of Gorman, were held in Oakland cemetery. Rev. Brown of Sipe Springs officiated.

A member of the Methodist church, she had lived near Gorman for over 40 years. She had been ill her last two years.

Beside the Eastland son she is survived by her husband and the following other children: W. J. Underwood, Andrews county; J. L. Underwood, Rochester; Mrs. D. E. Brown, Rochester; K. N. Underwood, O'Brien; C. C. Underwood, Sagerton; Mrs. L. C. Morton, El Centro, Calif.; Mrs. Frank Haygood, Gorman, and Mrs. E. L. Curb, Sipe Springs.

**AT SWEETWATER**  
W. E. Moore, former minister of the Church of Christ at Eastland and more recently of Snyder, has moved to Sweetwater, where he is an investigator for the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission.

## SPEAKER OVERRULED



Speaker William B. Bankhead's word is law in the House of Representatives, but his daughter Talulah, brilliant young actress, overruled him when he objected to her smoking while they posed for pictures at a party in her honor in Washington, D. C. She contended the smoke screen would soften cameramen's flashlights. It was their first reunion since she flew to his bedside two years ago when he was ill.

## OPPOSITION BEGIN WORK VOICED TO ON NEW WELL COURT PLAN IN DEEP TEST

By United Press  
FORT WORTH, Feb. 13.—Supporters of President Roosevelt's proposed judiciary reform were drowned out with boos today as the Fort Worth Bar Association voted 103 to 10 to condemn the program.

The few attorneys who favored the proposal including an increase in membership of the supreme court, were met with a chorus of "no" and "boo" and shouts to "sit down."

The Fort Worth Bar Association's action followed similar opposition by lawyers in other Texas cities. The State Legislature likewise overwhelmingly condemned the court proposal this week.

DALLAS, Feb. 13.—Shout of "don't forget state's rights, Robert E. Lee and Thomas Jefferson" punctuated a stormy session of the Dallas Bar Association today when that group voted 152 to 25 against President Roosevelt's proposal to increase the U. S. Supreme Court membership.

Former State Senator Thomas Love and M. M. Crane, former State Attorney General, led the unsuccessful fight in support of the plan.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Three senators, all outspokenly opposed to President Roosevelt's judiciary reorganization, were called to the White House today for personal conferences with the president.

While administration leaders sought support from those not committed to either side of the controversy, Mr. Roosevelt held conferences with Senators William King of Utah, Frederick Van Nuys of Indiana and Edward Burke of Nebraska.

# 'Bad' Record In County as Shown by the 'True Bills' of Grand Jury Sunk to 15-Year Low During 1936

The "bad" record of Eastland counties — as shown in indictments returned by district court grand juries — is improving.

Last year the 80 "true bills" found by the juries was the least number in 15 years, a check of records in District Clerk P. L. Crossley's office discloses.

In 15 years ending Jan. 1, 1937, district court grand juries returned a total of 4,529 indictments. Heaviest of any one year was 718 in 1929, year generally acknowledged as the most prosperous in the country and marking the beginning of the recent economic depression.

Singularly, 1929 was light in the number of indictments returned alleging murder. A total of 73 murder indictments, including several transfers from other counties, have been found by grand juries in the 15-year period.

## that reminds me...

Hearts that are inclined to flutter just a tiny bit... on this day of Valentine... get up extra speed for the occasion. The birds seem to have given the idea the start, and folks got the rhythm of the thing. Lowell says: "All birds during the pairing season become more or less sentimental, and murmur soft nothings in a tone unlike the grinding-organ repetition and loudness of their habitual song. The crow is very comical as a lover; and to hear him trying to soften his croak to the proper Saint-Preux standard has something the effect of a Mississippi boatman quoting Tennyson."

Anyway, this Valentine business is an established custom and woe to the young or old gent that doesn't soften up his heart and warm it a little bit in sentimental expressions by word or writing to the lady of his dreams... If she has the least flutter in her heart at other times he had better make it flutter more today. Here's hoping that "she wasn't forgotten."

Kidnapers are still at it... Seems like the "fools for quick money" haven't learned their lesson yet. They will all be caught if they don't commit suicide first after the offense. Of all the cowardly acts in history, it is the kidnap who sends threats... or actually perpetrates it... murders their victim and then, still gives an intimation to those who they try to filch money from, that the victim will be released unharmed on payment of the money. From past experiences parents of babies grown-up, can well take notice. If the kidnaping has actually occurred, pay no money, because there is plenty of reason to know that their loved ones are already dead before you pay the money.

Old New Orleans, with its Mardi Gras behind it, is now bearing the brunt of the Mississippi river. It is truly remarkable how the officials of the Red Cross and the nation have handled the worst flood in history. Ten years ago this same flood would have cost more than 50,000 lives. As it is, from actual drowning, less than five hundred have been lost. It's simply a star in the crown of those who took charge and handled the situation.

L. C. Burr Company is holding its seventh anniversary during the month of February. See their page ad in this paper. This popular firm has one of the largest department stores in this section. W. B. Robinson, local manager of the store, announces that all hands are on deck in the sales personnel to give unusual service to all the folks of this community, to help them celebrate, on their seventh birthday, by taking advantage of the bargains and values that are being offered by the store.

Weather is windy, but pleasant. Clouds threatened rain for awhile but soon blew off. Folks in every nook and corner are plowing down the rows... Folks everywhere are busy getting mother earth ready for the coming crops. Soon tiny sprigs in spring gardens will be peeping out. Chickens will try their darndest to fly over the fence to nip them off. (Chickens always did like tiny sprigs in spring gardens). This is the time of year that work shoes, work clothes, house dresses (dainty or mother Hubbard) are in demand. And, by the way, it's the time of year that folks get the urge to get out and play with nature...

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 13.—Chairman Henry A. Ashurst of the Senate judiciary committee, today cancelled the scheduled meeting Monday of the committee, which has been reported sharply divided over President Roosevelt's proposal for supreme court re-organization.

Ashurst said the committee would meet Feb. 22. The reason given for calling off the session was that there were no reports demanding consideration at the present.

**BURNED TO DEATH**  
By United Press  
DALLAS, Feb. 13.—Walter Bruce Kelfay, 50, lumberman for many years, was burned to death today when fire destroyed his cottage near Dallas.

The best time of all... and no matter how hard-hearted one may be at other seasons... Nature seems to soothe the savage breast... Springtime is just around the corner... Isn't it grand!

## Scouting Birthday Church Program Is Scheduled Tonight

The twenty-seventh anniversary of the national Boy Scout movement will be observed tonight at 7:30 in the First Baptist church at Eastland.

The three Eastland troops, 103, 6 and 45, will participate in the program at which Rev. J. I. Cartledge, Baptist pastor, will deliver the sermon.

The invocation will be pronounced by Rev. R. E. Bowden, pastor of the Church of God.

Collin Gray Satterwhite will give a history of scouting. The Scout oath will be given by members.

The public has been invited to attend.

## Church Heads to Consider Request For Dissolution

A request for dissolution of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church at Eastland will be considered Monday afternoon at a special meeting of the Presbytery at Abilene.

The meeting, to be held at Eastland beginning at 2 o'clock, was called following a request from the congregation for its dissolution.

Ministers and elders from West Texas are expected to attend.

Rev. Charles W. Estes, pastor, will be in Strawn for services today. Sunday school services begin at 10 o'clock.

## Jarecki Setting Up Branch at Abilene

F. C. Buckles, former field salesman for the district headquarters of the Jarecki Manufacturing Company at Eastland, has been transferred to Abilene, where a branch house is being established.

The Abilene house will handle gas and oil supplies for eight counties in that area. The counties, according to announcement of District Manager Carl Angstadt of Eastland, are Callahan, Jones, Shackelford, Taylor, Fisher, Nolan, King and Runnels.

## Committee Meet Is Postponed

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## SHE'LL CARRY ON—ALONE



Widowed by the plane crash that put her in the hospital with severe injuries, Mrs. Osa Johnson nevertheless has decided to carry out alone, as soon as she is able, the trip to the Belgian Congo which she and Martin Johnson had planned prior to the tragedy. "Any woman who wants to be an explorer," she insists. This hospital bedside picture of the beautiful explorer shows her "carrying on" on rehearsal of a speech which was to be telephoned to the audience at the premier of the film she and her husband made in Borneo.

## UNION MEN TO WEAR BUTTONS ON THE JOB

By United Press  
DETROIT, Feb. 13.—Homer Martin, president of United Automobile Workers, announced today that both General Motors and Ford Motor Company had agreed to allow union members to wear their membership insignia in company plants.

Martin said he had received a letter signed by William Knudsen, vice president of General Motors, stating the "company had no objection to the wearing of insignia by union members."

Martin also reported "a representative of the Ford Motor Company had informed me that union men would be allowed to wear their buttons and that no union men would be fired for union activities."

Martin pointed out the rights of union men to wear buttons had precipitated dismissal of union workers in the General Motors plant in Atlanta and brought about the first sit-down strike.

A Ford spokesman announced there would be no immediate comment of Martin's statement.

John L. Lewis, chairman of the committee for industrial organization had warned the Ford Company and Chrysler Corporation they would be called upon to "do a little collective bargaining" as soon as the General Motors strike was over.

Martin said today, "We expect that they will be doing collective bargaining with us." He said such a union maneuver "may or may not" come soon.

Martin denied that any official union delegation had been sent to Anderson, Ind., where rioting between automobile workers broke out today.

## KIDNAPING OF DIONNES NOT LIKELY

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 13.—Attorney General Arthur Roebuck said today Ontario government officials did not take "very serious" the reported plot to kidnap the Dionne quintuplets.

"When we heard there was a plan to kidnap the quintuplets, we did not take it very seriously," he said, "but at the same time, we left nothing undone to protect them."

CALLANDER, Ont., Feb. 13.—Extra police guarded the Dionne quintuplets after reported kidnap threats caused fear for their safety.

The guard was increased from two to five, although police were skeptical of the reported plot.

Mrs. Charlotte Suggett, wife of a former police chief, said she had received a telephone warning Friday night from a man who told her he had heard two men discussing a kidnap plot involving the quintuplets. He hung up when she tried to get details.

## Happy Helpers Meet At Colony Thursday

The Happy Helpers Club of Colony met Thursday at the home of Mrs. R. R. Alderson in a very interesting quilting.

New members are being sought for the club and all who are interested in joining have been urged to attend the meetings.

Those present at Thursday's meeting were Meses G. W. Moore, H. B. Groce, H. G. Burch, Dee Anderson, Cecil Townsend and Misses Mamie Moore and Ruby Moore.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Burch, which will be an all-day meeting to which all members have been asked to bring a covered dish.

## LEGISLATORS WILL RECEIVE REVENUE BILLS

AUSTIN, Feb. 13.—Officially termed a "working legislature," Texas senators and representatives will return Monday to earn further the compliment given them by Governor Allred.

Revenue measures have been voted out of House committees and sponsors are trying to get them passed ahead of big appropriation bills.

The revenue bills included a tax of 10 cents a barrel on oil, a franchise tax and an old age assistance bill, carrying levies on natural resources. These include a four-cents-a-barrel tax on oil and \$2 a ton on sulphur.

Secretary of Interior Harold Ickes will be here Friday to address legislators despite the "high hatting" of four senators who failed to concur in the invitation because of Ickes' views on federal oil control. Postmaster General James A. Farley is expected to address the legislature March 24, the day after he dedicated Waco's new postoffice.

Thirty-two legislators took a week-end bus trip to Lubbock, which was climaxed by a dinner in their honor at Texas Tech college. Friday night they were guests at a dinner in Sweetwater.

## Olden Hornets to Have Strong Track Team Again in '37

The Olden Hornets, 1936 State B champions have begun their 1937 track season and the indications point toward another good season.

With the return of six veterans and a number of other promising boys the Hornets will be a threat to any school of their class in a meet. There is doubt, however, as to the condition of Max Anderson, the star of every meet he entered in '36. He is recovering from a week's stay in the West Texas Hospital of pneumonia.

Another star of every '36 meet is G. W. Curry. He is showing much improvement with every workout.

Members of the squad: G. W. Curry, dashes, low hurdles, high jump and broad jump; Joe Norton, dashes, relay, high jump and broad jump.

Melvin Holt, hurdles, relay; Wilbert Norton, dashes, relay, javelin.

John C. Hyatt, dashes, hurdles, pole vault.

Rex Howell, weights, 880; Billie Spears, dashes, 880, relay, broad jump.

Charles Hunter, mile; Arthur Crossley, 880; S. B. Horton, mile.

Aqua Lee Fox, mile. The squad promises to be stronger than the '36 squad with the return of Anderson and the addition of Spears, a speedy youngster from Stephenville, John C. Hyatt, a hurdler from the junior ranks, and several other untried boys in competition.

With the juniors, "Jiggs" Fowler, union Hamilton and G. A. Fox promise to keep the record of four straight county championships.

## HAD INFLUENZA

Congressman Clyde L. Garrett, his secretary, J. W. Cockrill, and Mrs. Cockrill, have been ill with influenza, friends in Eastland have been advised. The message also stated Mrs. Garrett recently was ill with influenza.

**EASTLAND TELEGRAM** has Guest Tickets **MONDAY** for Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hamner to see **BING CROSBY** in **"PENNIES FROM HEAVEN"** AT THE CONNELLEE Call at Telegram Office



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Don't Judge Tennessee by Freak Happenings!

The wondering attention of the nation again centers upon Tennessee. The objects of interest this time are rawboned, 22-year-old mountain lad and his 9-year-old, golden-haired child bride.

It was only a few days ago that news of this unusual marriage trickled to the outside world, but it already is creating a flood of criticism.

Though the girl's parents and her brawny husband can see nothing strange about the romance, theirs being a region in which girls marry young, ministers and social workers from afar are castigating it as a crime against society, and blaming the state for permitting such alliances.

Before the whole affair dies down, the nation may receive another unfortunate impression of the state of Tennessee. Another—because the notorious "Monkey Trial" also gave it something of a black-eye.

Most people still remember the circumstances of that affair. In July, 1925, a test case was to be fought at Dayton, Tenn., over a state measure that, in effect, prohibited the teaching of evolution in Tennessee schools.

When the outside world learned about it, reporters cameramen descended upon Dayton, William Jennings Bryan and Clarence Darrow were on hand to lend their respective talents to the opposing sides of the debate, and the hippodrome was on.

The whole fiasco contributed very materially to the entertainment of nations, but when it was over, Tennessee had lost caste among her sister states. The impression had been created that a state which would shield its young from a very important branch of science must, to put it kindly, be behind the times.

Now, it would be unfair if the people of other states were to draw such an estimate of Tennessee simply because she was unfortunate enough to have two quirks in her laws magnified by incidents for the nation to see.

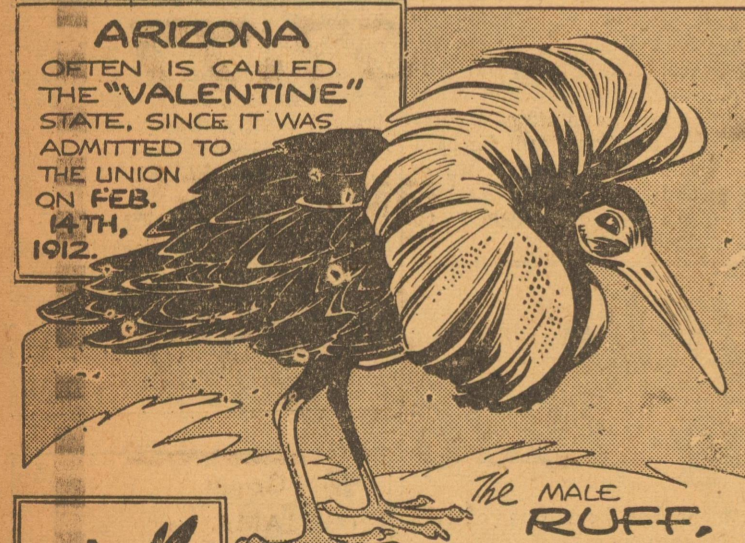
Far from being a "horse-and-buggy" state, Tennessee is rapidly becoming one of the most progressive in the Union. It is, for instance, the laboratory in which the government's TVA project is taking shape, a program that is fashioning a future American design for living. Tennesseans are co-operating heartily in the great plan.

As other evidence that the state is at least keeping abreast of the times are the new highways that unite its formerly isolated, population; its bustling, enterprising cities of Memphis, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Knoxville; and its lure for new industries.

And, though Tennessee has failed to set in its code of minimum age for brides, school attendance is compulsory throughout the state, and employment of children under 16 in workshops, factories, or mines, is illegal.

Truly, it would seem as absurd to judge Tennessee by such scattered incidents as the child marriage and "Monkey Trial" as it would be to assume that hexing is rampant in Pennsylvania, or that the average Kentuckian goes to the polls both to cast his ballot and riddle a few political adversaries.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



THE MALE RUFF. A BIRD OF EUROPE AND ASIA, GROWS AN ENORMOUS FEATHERED COLLAR DURING MATING TIME. AFTERWARDS, IT DISAPPEARS.



THE BLACKWOOD ACACIA HAS NO TRUE LEAVES! THE WORK OF THE LEAVES IS DONE BY EXPANDED LEAF STALKS (SHOWN ABOVE) WHICH HAVE ALL THE APPEARANCES OF REAL LEAVES.

It Looks Like A Big Year For Comic Valentines



THE ELKS NATIONAL MEMORIAL

More than seventy thousand members of the Order of Elks were in the service of our country during the World War. They served in every branch of the military and naval establishments, and in every rank. Over one thousand of them made the last supreme sacrifice in that service, and laid down their lives in the exemplification of that patriotic loyalty and devotion to which they had pledged themselves at the fraternal altars of the Order. It was recognized as a duty, in accord with its every tenet, that the Order should provide a suitable memorial to those heroes whose valor and sacrifice had shed over it such a radiance of glory.

The site selected for the Memorial is located at the corner of Lake View Avenue and Diversey Parkway, in the city of Chicago. It has a spacious frontage on Lincoln Park, across which one looks out upon Lake Michigan. Upon this site, after five years of intensive but carefully directed construction, the Memorial building was completed and was dedicated on July 14, 1926. The artistic embellishments required another five years. It is impossible to avoid superlatives even in the briefest description of this Memorial. The architectural design is so stately and so beautiful, the material of its construction is so enduring, the setting is so appropriate and commanding, and its memorial features so distinctive yet so artistic, that the attention of all beholders is arrested. It has been acclaimed by competent critics as one of the great memorial buildings of the world.

At the session of the Grand Lodge at Los Angeles in 1921, that body approved the recommendation of the Commission to which the matter had been referred, and provided for the construction of a great memorial building, itself a stately monument, which should contain distinctive features in fitting commemoration of the service and sacrifice designed to be honored, and in which the administrative headquarters of the Order should be maintained.

Nowhere has there ever been such a quantity and variety of beautiful marbles, from all parts of the world, employed in any one structure. The great frieze belting the exterior of the central rotunda depicting "Triumphs of War" and "Triumphs of Peace," is the most extensive work of its kind in the world. It is the finest example of this type of sculpture in America. Everywhere the eye turns, as one stands facing the building, there is a work of art of appeal.

ing beauty. The great bronze elks, flanking the entrance; the bronze groups, "Patriotism" and "Fraternity," set in the facades of the pavilions; the wonderful bronze door giving entrance to the rotunda; all are masterpieces of famous artists.

Within one stands awed at the beauty of the great mural panels, the statues emblematic of the four cardinal virtues of the Order; the exquisite marble columns of every variety of coloring; the great sweep of the rotunda with its vaulted ceiling high above; the matchless paintings—"Justice," "Charity," "Fraternity."

And in the great reception room beyond are other magnificent mural paintings and other works of art, each one appropriate to the memorial character of the structure.

The whose aspect of the Memorial is majestic and commanding. Artists, poets, critics and laymen alike have acclaimed its perfection. Truly a great dream has been realized in the beauty that has here been wrought. Truly a great purpose has been achieved, in that all who behold it, and realize its patriotic and fraternal significance, are inevitably inspired to higher and nobler concepts of service to country and to humanity.

One other great feature of the Order of Elks is its National Foundation.

The long established policy of the Order, involving the delegation to subordinate lodges of ordinary charitable and benevolent activities, and to State Associations such large projects as might be deemed appropriate for them to undertake, has demonstrated its wisdom. And that general policy is still maintained. But it became apparent that a permanent fund should be created and maintained, under supervision of the Grand

Lodge, the income from which might be used in assisting these local units in such of their undertakings as were approved but were found to be unduly burdensome upon their respective resources, and also for such independent purposes as the Grand Lodge might itself desire to promote.

At its session held at Miami, in 1928, the Grand Lodge provided for the creation of such a fund, and for accretions thereto, under the name of the Elks National Foundation; and it appropriated one hundred thousand dollars as the nucleus thereof.

The administration of the Foundation was placed in the hands of seven Trustees, appointive by the Grand Exalted Ruler, subject to confirmation by the Grand Lodge, the entire expense of whose administration of the Foundation is paid by the Grand Lodge, leaving the income therefrom free from this charge.

The Trustees are clothed with broad powers and duties and a wide discretion. These include the custody and preservation of the funds of the Foundation; the duty to secure and receive accretions thereto and the authority to apply the income herefrom, as it may be deemed available, to such charitable, educational and benevolent purposes as they may determine.

It is designed that the corpus of the Foundation shall continually grow by donations thereto from any source, primarily by gifts, legacies and devises from members of the Order and from others interested in the promotion of its objects and purposes. The Foundation has steadily grown since its establishment. The annual income therefrom enables the Trustees to make substantial allocations to assist state associations in the furtherance of approved projects, and to promote worthy independent undertakings within the field of

its declared purposes. It is confidently anticipated that, in the course of time, the Elks National Foundation will become one of the great benefactions of our country, with an ever increasing capacity for the accomplishment of the humanitarian service to which it is dedicated.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

Sunday school, 9.45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Wednesday, testimonial service, 8 p. m.

Public cordially invited. "Soul" is the subject of the lesson-sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, Feb. 14.

The Golden Text is: "Truly my soul waiteth upon God; from Him cometh my salvation" (Psalms 62:1).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "And I will set my tabernacle among you. . . . And I will walk among you, and will be your God, and ye shall be my people (Leviticus 26: 11, 12).

The lesson-sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Soul, or Spirit, is God, unchangeable and eternal; and man coexists with and reflects Soul, God, for man is God's image" (page 120).

APARTMENT MANAGERS TAUGHT

By United Press BERKELEY, Cal.—The University of California believes it has stated one of the most unusual and yet up-to-date courses included in any university curriculum. It is for apartment managers and owners.

THE 25 millionth FORD has just been built



Henry Ford and Edsel Ford with the first and 25 millionth Ford cars

IT HAS never occurred before in automobile history that 25 million cars of one make, bearing one name, have been manufactured under one management. The 25,000,000th Ford car rolled off the Ford Rouge Plant production line on January 18, 1937.

25 million cars since 1903 . . . more than one-third of all the cars ever built . . . enough cars to transport the entire population of the United States.

The figures represent a remarkable contribution to the social welfare, the industrial stability and the general progress of our country.

People respect Ford efficiency. They know Ford uses fine materials, the best

workmanship at good wages, the most exact precision measurements. They know these things are passed along to purchasers in the form of extra value.

Naturally, they like to do business with such a company. That's why it has been required to produce 25 million cars.

Naturally, too, they expect more of a Ford car, more this year than last year—more each year than the year before. They have every right to.

The experience gained in building 25,000,000 cars enables Ford to produce today a really superb motor car at a really low price—with the beauty, comfort, safety and performance of much more expensive cars.

The 1937 Ford V-8 combines advanced design, all-steel construction, extra body room, and brilliant brakes with a choice of two V-type 8-cylinder engines—the most modern type of power-plant.

The 85-horsepower engine provides top performance with unusually good economy for its high power.

The 60-horsepower engine gives good performance with the greatest gasoline mileage ever built into a Ford car—at the lowest Ford prices in years.

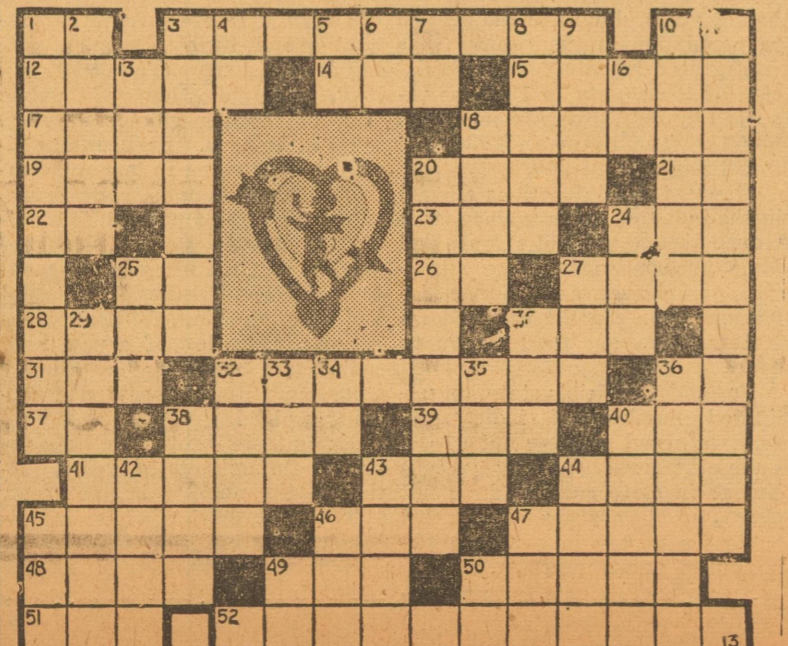
People expect more of a Ford car because it's a Ford—and they get more, for the same reason. It is undeniably THE QUALITY CAR IN THE LOW-PRICE FIELD.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

Seasonal Missive

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a rebus answer: Car + Line + Colt = Carlet + N = Lincoln.





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**CALENDAR SUNDAY**

**Valentine Tea announcement.**  
3 to 6 p. m., residence Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Perkins, honoring Miss Elizabeth Folsom Perkins.  
Young People's department of Methodist church, 8:15 p. m.  
Baptist Training Union, 7 p. m., Baptist church.  
Christian Endeavor, 7:15 p. m., First Christian church.  
**Monday**  
Women's Missionary Union, missionary program, Baptist church auditorium, 2 p. m., Mrs. J. I. Carlidge, general chairman. Program presented by Lockett Circle.  
Ablene Presbytery, 2 p. m., Presbyterian church. All Presbyterians urged to attend.  
Women's Missionary Society, business meeting 3 p. m., Booster class room, Methodist church.  
Women's Council, business session, 3 p. m., First Christian church, Mrs. Louis Pitzer, presiding.  
Ladies' Bible class, 3 p. m., Church of Christ.

**Executive Board Luncheon**

**Business and Pleasure:**  
The executive board of the Thursday Afternoon Club held their monthly session about the luncheon table, Thursday, prior to the club meeting.

Mrs. W. A. Martin hostess, entertained in reception room of Connellee Hotel.

The oblong table, laid in cut work Italian linen, was centered with an oblong crystal bowl of red roses and ferns on a vine wreath and reflector. Valentine place cards carried the red color motif.

The fruit cocktail, chicken a la king, peas in shells, had second course, tomato and lettuce salad, with heart shaped rolls, and last course, chocolate pastries and coffee.

The personnel presented Mrs. E. Roy Townsend, club president; Mrs. T. M. Collie, second vice president; Mrs. W. P. Leslie, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Dan Childress, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Martin, treasurer; Mrs. R. A. Lerner, library chairman. Guests for luncheon, Meses. Otis Harvey and Ben Scott.

Mrs. Art H. Johnson, first vice president was ill and unable to attend.

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**Mrs. R. W. Chalker Hostess To Church Groups**

The business and social session of Home Makers class of Baptist church a monthly affair, was hosted by Mrs. R. W. Chalker, Thursday afternoon at her residence.  
The meeting, opened by their president, Mrs. J. D. Blankenship, brought the election of Mrs. Chalker as first vice president and Mrs. Carl Springer, fourth vice president.

A pleasing program of original Valentine verses, a heart contest, had high score awarded Mrs. Don Parker.

Refreshments of frosted punch, cookies in heart shape, and valentine candy were served from a lace table, centered with a glistening gumdrop heart tree, with similar smaller trees as mantle decorations.

Present, Meses. C. T. Lucas, D. S. Hood, J. D. Harvey, Don Parker, C. H. O'Brien, H. W. Simms, G. W. Jackson, Bert Leyton, W. G. Womack, M. B. Edmiston, S. N. Bumpass, William Shirriffs, Roy Pentecost, Hollis Bennett, J. D. Blankenship, R. W. Chalker, J. T. Cooper and Jess Lewellen.

**Attended Clubs' District Meet**

Mrs. John Knox Jr., instructor of dramatic science, Eastland high school, with the delegates representing the Rip and Sip Club of forty-five members, attended the Home Making club's district meeting held in Albany, Saturday.  
The group of personnel, Meses Frances Lane, Barbara Blythe, Jimmie Mae Mitchell, Irene Riek, Mary Lou Harbin and Jane Ferguson.

The district was entertained in the fall by the Eastland Home making club, the Rip and Sip, who provided luncheon for one hundred and twenty-five and a four o'clock tea for one hundred.

**Eastland County Federation To Meet Saturdays**

The local organizations, members of the Eastland County Federation, announce, the quarterly session of the federation will be held Saturday of this week 2:30 p. m., in Community clubhouse, with hostess committees in charge of entertainment, representing the organizations.  
Mrs. N. A. Brown of Cisco, president, Mrs. W. A. Martin of Eastland, vice president; Mrs. H. A. Bible of Cisco, secretary and Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite of Eastland, treasurer will be present.  
The committees are to arrange for the hospitality, the decoration and heating of assembly room of Community clubhouse; refreshments, and are to receive.

Mrs. W. A. Martin, general chairman. Personnel of committees; Meses. W. A. Martin, W. E. Chaney, W. P. Leslie and Mrs. E. R. Townsend, president, Thursday Afternoon Club.  
Meses. J. M. Perkins, N. N. Rosquest, Bula B. Connellee, Bert McGlamery of Civic League, Mrs. W. K. Jackson, president.  
Meses. Iola Mitchell, John Harrison, W. F. Davenport, of Alpha Delphian club; Mrs. J. LeRoy Arnold, president.  
Meses. Victor Ginn, P. B. Bittle, W. M. Tucker, Music Study Club, Mrs. W. E. Stalter, president.  
Miss Mary Carter, president; Mrs. Carl Miller, Mrs. Gwendoline Bittle Cox, Junior Thursday club.  
Ladies' Auxiliary of Firemens Association, Mrs. Johnny Hart, president, Mrs. Ed T. Cox Jr., and Mrs. A. W. Hennessee.

These committees extend an invitation to all women of Eastland to attend the federation meeting, whether they are clubwomen or not.

**Founders Day to Be Celebrated**

The Parent-Teacher Association of West Ward school announces through their president, Mrs. Karl F. Page, a special Founders' Day program will be conducted at the monthly session, Tuesday, at 3:30 p. m., in school assembly room.  
The Parent-Teacher Association of South Ward school will be special guests of the afternoon.

**Thursday Afternoon Club Studies American Literature**

The Thursday Afternoon club held an interesting business session prior to the fine program presented, under direction of the leader, Mrs. Ben Scott.  
Minutes by Mrs. Dan Childress, secretary, and treasurer's report by Mrs. W. A. Martin prefaced announcement of Eastland County Federation to meet in Community club house, this city, Saturday, February 20, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. E. Roy Townsend, president, appointed Meses. W. A. Martin, W. E. Chaney and W. P. Leslie as hostess committee for club.

Mrs. Victor Ginn announced the "Act Tea, and Art Exhibit," and lecture by John Eliot Jenkins, noted artist, a Music Study Club, open benefit reception, Tuesday night, 8 o'clock, Community clubhouse, and asked for patronage.

Mrs. Jack Muirhead was elected in membership and Mrs. W. A. Wiegand, move from associate to active membership.

The covered dish luncheon the club will hold February 25, was announced by general chairman, Mrs. F. M. Kenny, and chairmen and their committees stated.  
The program brought an interesting history of the American short story, written by Mrs. Leslie Gray, who stated, "Prodigal Son" of 500 words was the best short story ever written.  
"That a short story deals with one person, one atmosphere, one situation."  
Mrs. Carl Springer gave a review of Doctor Victor Heiser's wonderful book, an American, odyssey, published 1936, and really, memoirs in travel.  
Mrs. Victor Ginn in voice solo, "Solvejgs Lied," (Grieg) and encore, "I may Sing High, I May Sing Low," (Macdowell) with accompaniment by Mrs. D. L. Kinnaid, guest artist, closed program.

Present, Meses. T. M. Collie, Dan Childress, Victor Ginn, Leslie Gray, Ben E. Hammer, James Horton, W. K. Jackson, Hubert Jones, F. M. Kenny, R. A. Lerner, W. P. Leslie, W. A. Martin, Grady Pipkin, Ben Scott, R. E. Sikes, Carl Springer, Elmo Cook, E. Roy Townsend, W. S. Poe, L. D. Back, O. E. Harvey, W. E. Chaney, W. A. Wiegand, Beulah Frost and Mrs. McGlamery of Sweetwater, a guest.

**World Day of Prayer:**

The First Christian church held a good sized audience for the observance of the annual World Day of Prayer, Friday afternoon.  
The auditorium was decorated with ferns, blooming plants and the national flag hung across the altar.  
Meses. P. L. Crossley and L. D. Black, led the singing, and the session was conducted by Mrs. R. A. Lerner, president of W. M. U. Baptist church.  
The program was given as published in Eastland Telegram with a few substitutions; Mrs. L. J. Lambert supplying for Mrs. F. L. Drago; Mrs. D. J. Fiensy for Mrs. J. Le Roy Arnold and Mrs. J. J. Mickler, for Mrs. Bert McGlamery, who is ill.

An added talk "Migrant Children in United States" was given by Mrs. L. D. Black.  
The service was inspirational and all who attended were refreshed.

**Mrs. B. H. Clifton Hostess to Club:**

The Sew Sew Sewing club gathered with Mrs. B. H. Clifton for their needlework afternoon, Thursday, and filled the visiting hour with their knitting and chatting.  
The tea plate of heart shaped sandwiches, cakes iced in valentine designs, and valentine candy was served with coffee to Meses. G. B. Lanier, O. M. Hunt, C. L. Fields, W. M. Tucker, W. Hoag Jr., Earl Throne, M. B. Griffin, L. M. Cawley, hostess Mrs. D. H. Clifton, and guest, Mrs. Ashley.

**Benefit for Music Club Due Tuesday**

Sale of tickets to the Music Study club benefit Tuesday night at the Community clubhouse has been encouraging, committee reported Saturday.  
The program will include a book review by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins and an art lecture and exhibit by John Elliott Eliot of Houston.  
Admission is 25 cents. The program is scheduled to begin at 7:30.

**Persons**

Mrs. E. H. McGlamery of Sweetwater, who spent the week-end with Mrs. Dan Childress, was the luncheon guest noon Thursday of Mrs. O. C. Funerburk at Connellee Hotel.

D. J. Fiensy was a business visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Taylor,

**To Announce Engagement of Daughter Of Joseph M. Perkins at a Tea Today at 3:00 o'Clock In Residence of Family**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Folsom Perkins, to Charles Keith Beyette of Fort Worth, whose marriage will take place in the spring.  
The family home on South Seaman street will be open to the large circle of friends of the family and the debutante this afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock for the formal announcement tea, to which informal invitations were issued some days ago.  
Miss Perkins, one of the most popular girls of Eastland, a high school graduate in 1936, past president of the high school dramatic club, and of a popular girls club, was a special student several summers, in oratory, at the Emerson College in Boston, during the family's migration each season to Massachusetts.  
She is the great-granddaughter of Charles Gleason of Bock Bottom, Massachusetts, owner of one of the five oldest woolen mills in the United States, and for whom Rock Bottom, located twenty-eight miles from Boston, was afterwards named Gleasondale.

Mrs. Perkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gleason, still live in the old family mansion.  
The Perkins family came to Eastland twelve years ago from

Oklahoma City, where "Betty" was born.  
Mrs. Perkins is prominently connected with the State, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs' activities and many other public interests.  
Mr. Beyette was recently transferred from Eastland, after a two and one-half years' residence, by Texas Electric Service Company, to the engineering office department in Fort Worth. He is a graduate of Rice institute, and in 1933 took his master's degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.  
His mother, Mrs. C. K. Beyette, has lived in Fort Worth some years. His father passed away long ago.  
The debut and announcement tea for the fair bride-to-be will be attended by an immense circle of callers. The house party will include college friends of Miss Perkins, Miss Marie Smith of Sonora, Miss Helen Dorsey of Keokuk, Iowa, Miss Susanne Dunning of Austin, guests of Miss Perkins; Miss Agnes Boren of Carthage, who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ed F. Willman, and Miss Eleanor Ruth Ferguson of Fort Worth, who, with her mother, Mrs. Theodore Ferguson, will visit Mrs. W. E. Stalter.

**CHURCH OF GOD**

Robt. E. Bowden, pastor  
We appreciated the good attendance upon the services last Sunday. We are expecting a larger attendance next Lord's Day. Our services next Sunday will be as usual, except, there will be no night service. After the close of the young people's service we will attend the union services at the Baptist church, in honor of the Boy Scouts.  
We are very much interested in the boys of our city. They soon will be our business men, professional men, and will be filling the positions occupied now by their seniors. They need a hand of sympathy and a clean example to pattern after. Dads, how are you living? What will your boy and mine be, if they should pattern after you? Will you join with us in an effort to lift the moral and spiritual standard just a little higher so our boys can be even better men than we? Meet with the boys Sunday night.

Winston Allison was scheduled to leave Saturday for Tyler and Overton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allison.

**WORDS OF THANKS**

We haven't the words to express our appreciation to those who were so thoughtful of us during our loved one, Jack Speer's illness.  
The lovely floral offering help to make us feel better, the dinner prepared and sent in was gratifying, the many kind words and deeds, the use of the Methodist church will always be fond remembrances, to each of us.  
We wish you God's blessings.  
Mrs. W. J. Speer  
Claxton Speer and wife and Edison Speer, family of deceased.  
W. W. Speer and family; L. Owens and wife, Eastland; Guy Smith and wife, Ranger; Clifton Cawley and wife, Ranger; Woodrow Speer and wife, Carbon; H. Jennings and wife, Clyde; Mrs. Lon Meadford and family, Carbon; Miss Beulah Speer, Rising Star; Bruce Eberhart and family, Rising Star Mrs. S. J. and E. T. Hudnal, Rising Star T. R. Cox and family, Brownwood R. L. Speer and family, Sherman; Mrs. N. S. Lanier, Oatman, Ariz.; Mrs. R. L. Armstrong, Amarillo.

**Illinois Woman, 85 Has Second Sight**

By United Press  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—Mrs. Anna Billington, 85, claims she has "second eyesight" after using spectacles for more than 40 years.  
Mrs. Billington, a widow, said she noticed the improvement in her eyes two years ago when she picked up a paper and discovered she could read without the glasses, although she occasionally wears them to rest her eyes.  
Mrs. Billington attended the same church here with Abraham Lincoln, her family having the pew behind the Lincoln's. Her father, Reuben Coon, made Lincoln's boots both before and after he became President.  
"Sam Rayburn was only 29 when he became speaker of the house." It's just about that age that most men become listeners.

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We doubt the wisdom of those who are putting off the day when they expect to own their own home.  
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CONFIDENTIAL REPORT

CRIME FILE ON BOLITHO BLANE

BEGIN HERE TODAY... Investigating the mysterious disappearance of BOLITHO BLANE...

K. Does it, Mr. Jocelyn? I wonder. I am quite satisfied that "Slick" didn't do this job...

Now look here, Officer, whether my wife was right or wrong about the time I don't know...

J. I suppose that's another portion of Posodini's cock and bull story.

K. Mr. Jocelyn, it happens to me that you seem to spend a good portion of my life examining the criminal classes...

It's my belief that "Slick" has come clean with me and, in any case, I'm pretty satisfied about his movements during the time under review...

Now go on with the story... SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S THIRD EXAMINATION OF THE HONORABLE REGINALD JOCELYN, CONTINUED.

K. Now, it was at your invitation that Count Posodini joined this party, wasn't it?

J. Yes.

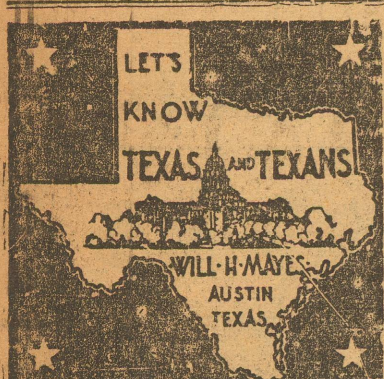
K. D'you mind telling me when it was that you tumbled to it that the Count was a crook?

J. What the hell d'you mean? K. Just what I say. Count Posodini is known to the police...

K. How d'you know that? J. Mr. Rocksavage told me and, if you don't mind not interrupting, as I was about to add...

K. If it was much later, that doesn't improve your situation, because you definitely wanted Blane out of the way and, unless you can bring evidence to show what you were doing between 7:45 and 8:15, I must assume that...

Save this installment as evidence to help you solve the crime.



LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS... WILL H. MAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS

of Menard, was attacked by a large Indian band and forced to return to San Antonio, where he soon after was killed in the battle of the Alamo...

Q. Why was Texas more prosperous than other states during the Civil War?

A Blockades were more effective in other Southern states, preventing shipments of products; Texas slaves were easier to discipline...

Q. What tribe of Indians is still in Texas? Are they still near Houston?

A. There are two tribes, the Alabamas and the Coushattas, located on a 3,281 acre reservation in Polk County...

Q. When and under what conditions was the first Protestant sermon preached in Texas?

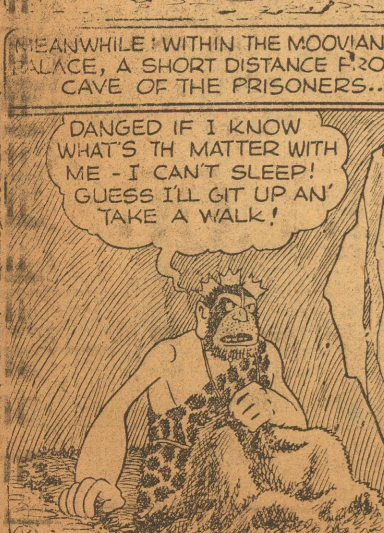
A. There is no record of an earlier Protestant service in Texas than a sermon preached in 1816 at Jonesboro, on Red River north of the present town of Clarksville...

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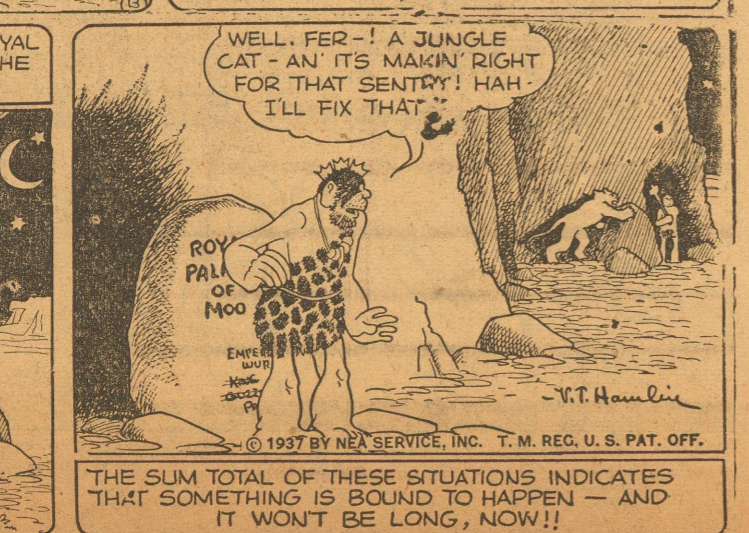
ALLEY OOP!

ALLEY OOP! DISGUISED AS A BIG CAT, HAVING SUCCESSFULLY EVASDED THE COORDON OF SENTRIES, NOW FACES THE TASK OF LOCATING HIS IMPRISONED FRIENDS...



MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll

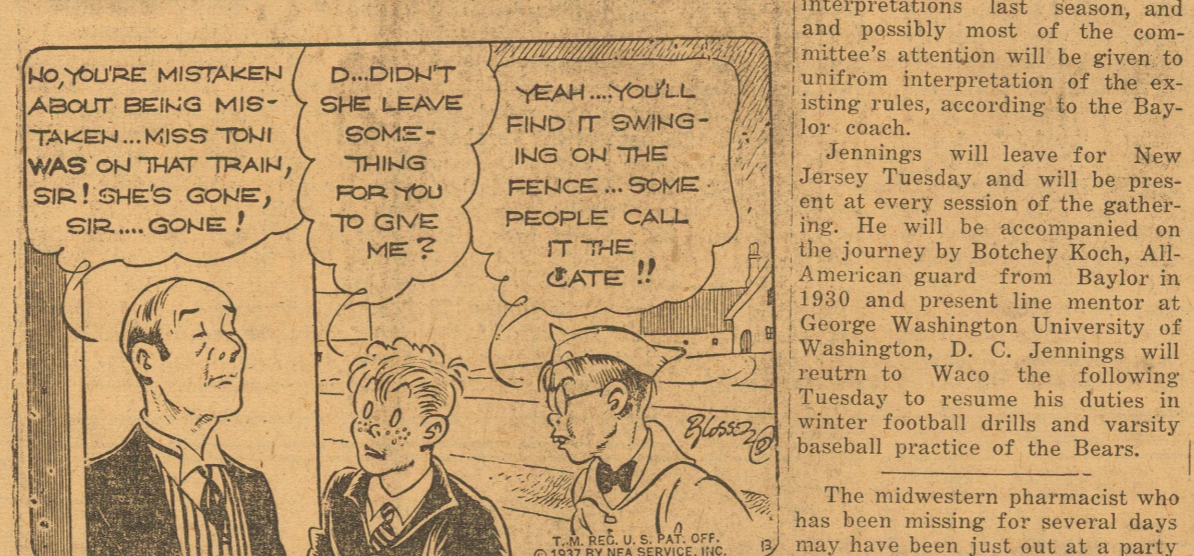
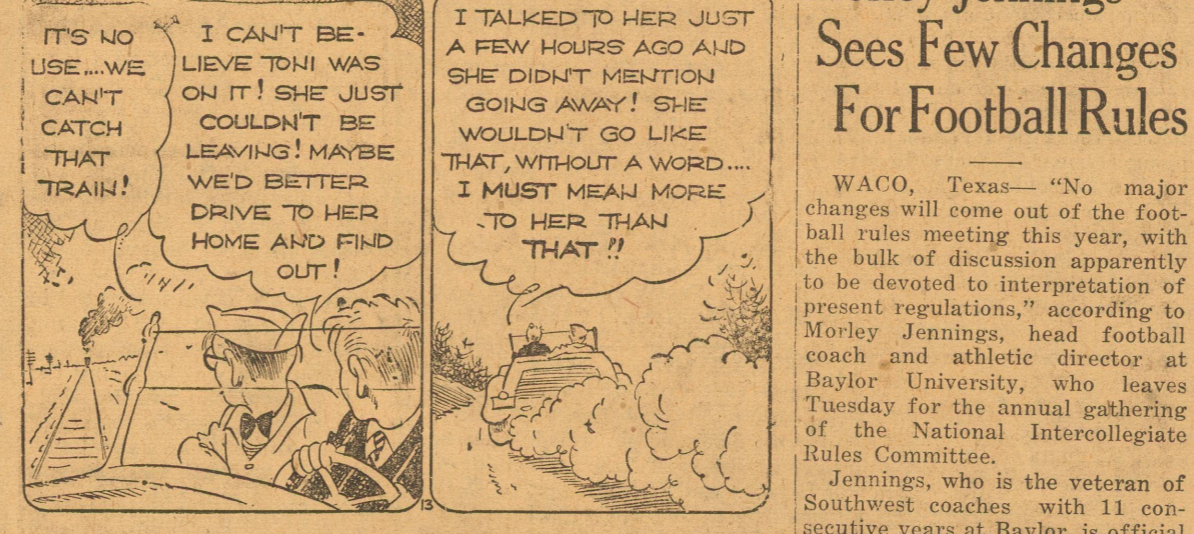
MY DEAR - THIS LITTLE SCENE HAS TAKEN TEN YEARS OFF MY LIFE? IT'LL BE A HOSPITAL CASE TO REMOVE ALL THAT ADHESIVE FROM HIM, LADY AINSLEY!



"OUTOUR WAY" By Williams



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS - By Blosser



The Power of Jesus Over Death

BY WM. E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of Advance THE miracles that we have studied in the lessons thus far have symbolized the power of Jesus to give life, to heal, and to bring light to the darkened souls of men...

THESE questions we cannot answer, any more than we can explain the miracle. The rationalist might say that these stories have come from traditions that arose around the life of the Master...

Behind the Scenes in Washington

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Staff Correspondent WASHINGTON—The president's abrupt termination of negotiations toward pooling TVA power with the electricity of the private power companies...

THE committee, under chairmanship of Secretary Harold Ickes, will concentrate for the time being on a policy for the big Bonneville project in the northwest.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

Monday's Menu BREAKFAST: Bananas with lemon juice, whole wheat cereal, golden muffins, coffee, milk. LUNCHEON: French toast with link sausage, cold slaw, tea, milk.

Chili Con Carne

Two and two-thirds cups kidney beans, 4 cups cold water, 2 pounds raw beef, 3 teaspoons olive oil, 1 cup chopped onions, 1-3 cup chopped celery, 1 small clove garlic, 3 teaspoons salt, 3 teaspoons chili powder...

Grilled Link Sausages With French Toast

Twenty-four slices of bread, 5 eggs, 1 cup milk, 2-3 teaspoon salt, 32 broiled link sausages. Break eggs in bowl. Add salt and beat until light. Add milk. Dip bread in this batter. Fry in butter until it turns golden brown.



### New Work Projects Given Approval By State Director

AUSTIN.—Eight new work projects were approved and 92 of those in operation were extended by the National Youth Administration in Texas prior to Feb. 1, Lyndon B. Johnson, state director, announced. Applications for other new projects and for extension of other projects now in operation are being reviewed.

Two new work projects were approved for Waco. One project will employ 20 youths marking names, block numbers and safety zones on curbs and streets of Waco, this work being outside the normal budgeted scope of city activity. On the other project, 109 youths will be employed improving, beautifying and constructing recreational facilities on Waco public school grounds.

New park improvement projects were approved for two localities. At Seguin, 46 youths will be employed improving and extending the recreational facilities of Starke Park. The other project will operate at New Braunfels, where 44 youths will be employed improving and beautifying the grounds and recreational facilities of Landa Park, now owned by the city of New Braunfels.

New soil conservation and farm betterment projects were approved in three counties. Ten boys will be employed in soil conservation work in cooperation with the Agricultural Extension Service in Cherokee county, 30 in Tarrant county and eight in Bosque county.

A home economics project, to

employ 240 youths in public school cafeterias in Fort Worth, in preparing and serving lunches, was approved.

Projects extended include 21 highway right of way improvement jobs, employing 810 youths in DeWitt, Gonzales, Lavaca, Anderson, Colorado, Bexar, Nolan, Mitchell, Brown, Tom Green, Navarro, Ellis, Baylo, Childress, Cottle, Foard, Hardeman, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young counties.

Soil conservation survey projects were approved to continue in 13 counties. These were in Cherokee, Shelby, Trinity, Limestone, Comanche, Erath, McLennan, Hill, Ellis, Johnson, Wilson, Coleman, and in counties in administrative district 16, which embraces the Texas Panhandle.

Thirteen sewing room projects, employing 2030 youths in 13 administrative districts, were also extended.

Six projects for improvements to city parks or school grounds were extended in Beaumont, Port Arthur, Roby, Ballinger, San Antonio, and near Dallas.

Public service projects—that is, clerical assistance in public offices outside the normal budgeted scope of activity—will continue in Childress, Wichita Falls, Throckmorton, Belton, Guthrie, Aspermont, Graham, San Saba, Lufkin, Nacogdoches, Palestine, Austin, San Antonio, Vernon, Quanah, Paducah, Crowell, Haskell, Seguin, and in various counties as district-wide projects. These projects will employ 777 youths.

Display of affection in public is poor taste, says an etiquette adviser. A thoughtful man, however, will hold his wife's hand if he has inadvertently mentioned her age.

### Third Degree Murder Case Stirring All Pennsylvania As 12 Go On Trial

**By United Press**  
SOMERSET, Pa.—The Monaghan "third degree" case, which Gov. George H. Earle branded "the most horrible, brutal and barbarous occurrence" in Pennsylvania history, will reach its courtroom denouement this month.

As the result of the death of Frank C. Monaghan, a hotel man, in Uniontown, Pr., on Sept. 12, twelve men went on trial here this week, seven charged with murder, five charged with aiding and abetting after the crime.

The case involved prominent men of Fayette County. Charged with murder were District Attorney James A. Reilly, his assistant, Harry Byrnes, and five police officers; with aiding and abetting, Coroner S. A. Blatz, two physicians and two undertakers. The trial was transferred here on a change of venue from Uniontown.

Its inception was a case of reckless driving. An automobile driven by Monaghan, 64, once wealthy real estate operator, father of Prof. Frank C. Monaghan, Jr., of Yale University, was observed making a zig-zag path on a highway near Uniontown the night of Sept. 11.

**Strange Case Develops.**  
County Detective John C. Wall halted the car, found inside an 18-year-old girl and Monaghan. He started to drive the couple to Uniontown. A few minutes later, Wall was found staggering along the road, his throat cut from ear to ear.

Police accused Monaghan. In early morning they questioned him in the basement of the Fayette County courthouse. Several hours later Monaghan died. Blatz, the coroner, first said death was due to a heart attack. "superinduced by chronic alcoholism."

When several persons reported they heard screams from the courthouse basement, Professor Monaghan rushed to Union town and demanded reopening of the investigation.

An autopsy showed that Monaghan had suffered 11 fractured ribs, fracture of the right jaw, fracture of the nose, internal hemorrhages, and hemorrhages of the throat "due to a blow."

Two days later, Blatz filed murder charges against Stacy Gunderman and Anthony Sanute, state policemen and Wilbert Miner, county detective.

No one could have predicted the ramifications that followed. Attorney General Charles Margiotti arrived to conduct a personal investigation, which led him to believe that "prominent officials" were involved. He recalled the September grand jury and subpoenaed nearly a hundred witnesses.

**Grand Jury Sits 9 Days.**  
After nine days, the grand jury indicted seven men for murder and five for aiding and abetting. Nam-

ed in the murder indictments were Reilly, Byrnes, Miner, Gunderman, Sanute, Night Police Chief Chas. Malik and Jack Hann, former county deputy; in the aiding and abetting indictments, Blatz, Morticians Stephen and Andrew Haky and Mrs. H. A. Ralston and C. Corrado.

The immediate results of the indictment snarled the legal machinery of Fayette County; brought the state supreme court into the dispute; resulted in district attorneys, opposed to each other, trying to operate; and aroused public opinion to such an extent that the Supreme Court granted a change of venue, transferring the case from Fayette County to Somerset County.

**Prejudice is Charged.**  
Margiotti said that neither the prosecution nor the defense could obtain a fair trial because of prejudice against the state. He charged that racketeers promised to raise a defense fund.

Before the trial closes it is expected that the population of this mountain town of 5,000 will be increased by nearly a thousand. And it has brought county authorities face to face with the problem of how to accommodate spectators, attorneys and newspapermen.

The courtroom of Judge George W. Maxey of the Supreme Court has a seating capacity of 200 and possibly might accommodate a few more by rearrangement.

One of the witnesses will be Wall, who recovered from the knife wounds.

### States Ask Federal Gasoline Tax Be Discontinued Soon

WASHINGTON—Withdrawal of the federal government from the field of gasoline taxation by repealing the duplicating federal gasoline tax of 1c per gallon has been asked by the states through the general assembly of the Council of State Governments.

All states were represented at the recent Council meeting at Washington, D. C. at which this resolution was adopted:

"Resolved: The original temporary emergency nature of the federal gasoline tax, improving yields from federal levies, the vital importance of gasoline state revenue sources, and the essential role of gasoline as a commodity utilized in transportation and communication, prompt the Third Assembly of the Council of State Governments to request and urge that the Congress of the United States relinquish this recognized field of state taxation at the termination of the current fiscal year, or as soon thereafter as possible."

Prior to the adoption of the resolution, the legislatures of nearly one-half the states had memorialized Congress for repeal of the duplicating federal levy. It is expected that additional legislatures will take similar action this year. The states have opposed federal taxation of gasoline since the tax first was levied in 1932, viewing the policy as a federal invasion of an exclusive state tax field.

The states first taxed gasoline in 1919 on the theory that those who use the highways should contribute to their cost. All state gasoline tax revenues were allocated to highway financing. The federal government, however, levied the tax in an emergency, with revenues going to general funds and not earmarked for roads.

The states also view the federal levy as a threat to their own highway financing programs. Many of them have floated highway bond issues with the expectation that state gasoline tax revenues would provide the finances wherewith to meet payments of principal and interest. In many cases state gasoline revenues are pledged as security, and the action of the federal government in taking out of the state so much money in the way of federal gasoline taxes is regarded as jeopardizing the state's highway financing.

It is estimated that in 1936 the federal gasoline tax took \$190,000,000 from the states, in addition to federal lubricating oil tax of around \$30,000,000, plus other motor taxes running into millions of dollars. On the average the federal levy increases the motorist's gasoline tax bill by 25 per cent.

### Fewer 'Dead Letters' Mailed In Texas

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Texans are being more careful when they mail letters, postcards and packages, a check-up on this city's "dead letter" office at the post-office revealed.

The Fort Worth office, which handles "dead letter" articles from 8,000 offices in the Southwest, in 1936 showed the lowest business in a decade.

Once, the "dead letters" from the Southwest were so numerous that a dozen men were employed to handle them and the annual spring auction of unclaimed articles brought about \$30,000.

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# New Musical Smash Shows at Connellee Theatre Today

## BING CROSBY'S NEW PICTURE IS FEATURED

There's happiness ahead at the Connellee theatre, where Bing Crosby's latest picture, Columbia's "Pennies from Heaven," is due today. A cast that includes Madge Evans, Edith Fellows, Donald Meek and Louis Armstrong, famed king of swing, works along with Bing in the film.

Crosby's latest picture was "Rhythm on the Range," in which he scored a hit. Madge Evans was last seen in "Piccadilly Jim," and little Edith Fellows, thirteen-year-old starlet, will be remembered for her performances in "She Married Her Boss," and "And So They Were Married," and other films. Armstrong's celebrated swing band appears with him in "Pennies from Heaven."

The story concerns a vagabond troubadour who falls in with a little girl and her improvident grandfather and proceeds to take them under his somewhat patched-up wing. The child is about to be sent to an orphanage and the elderly man to an Old People's home when the troubadour hits upon a plan to make enough money for all three of them to live on.

The county welfare worker who is responsible for the child, happens to be just the type of girl the troubadour can love, and he finds himself doing it thoroughly. However, they are on opposite sides of the fence, hence complications. Things manage to work out for the best along toward the end of the picture, after merriment, romance and music take turns with the entertainment.

Crosby is said to sing some of the best songs of his career in "Pennies from Heaven." The numbers— "Let's Call a Heart a Heart," "Pennies from Heaven," "So Do I," "One, Two, Button Your Shoe," and "Skeleton in the Closet" were fashioned by Arthur Johnston and John Burke. Johnston wrote the music for two of Crosby's biggest successes, "College Harmony" and "Too Much Harmony." He has such songs as "Bease listen to my Pleas," "Just One More Chance," "Thanks a Million," "Sittin' High on a Hill-top," "Cocktails for Two," "Moon-struck," and many others to his credit.

Burke won fame for writing "The Beat of My Heart," "Annie Doesn't Live Here Anymore" and others.

Norman McLeod directed, from the screen play by Jo Swerling.

If you were asked to guess what screen star boasts a history as a song-and-dance man, a black-face comedian, a trick bicycle rider, and a romantic leading man, there's one player you'd probably name last—George Bancroft. Yet that's the history of the film "A Doctor's Diary," a revealing drama of hospital life.

Bancroft had never played a tough role in his life, after a stage career that began at the age of twelve, when as a quirk of moviedom "typed" him as a brute in "Unleashed World." In twelve pictures a man of blood and iron to screen-geeks—and he's just beginning to get into roles of a different type. In "A Doctor's Diary," he's a bluff, good-natured doctor of the old school. In two other recent pictures he has played comedy roles.

"A Doctor's Diary" presents John Trent, new film discovery, and Helen Burgess, who made her movie debut at a leading actress in Cecil B. DeMille's "The Plainsman," in the top romantic role. The story is a behind-the-scenes pendant of a young doctor's battle to win the girl he loves and solve the riddle of infantile paralysis—with strong forces battling against him in both endeavors.

Get ready to scramble for Pennies. Five hundred pennies will be dropped from an airplane Sunday at twelve noon according to the management of the Connellee Theatre. The pennies will be enclosed in a small coin envelope which will have the message on them "This is a Penny from Heaven that Bing Crosby is passing out at the Connellee Theatre today and Monday."

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## Wet Cadavers Used In Lecture Course To Physicians Here

Physicians and Surgeons of Eastland and surrounding counties have had the advantage of attending a series of lecture demonstrations on the Anatomy of the Head and Neck, with wet specimens, also lantern slides and charts conducted by Dr. C. Augustus de Vere, of New York City. This work embraces the teaching of the subject, utilizing wet specimens of the Cadavar, previously dissected, both whole and in part, so that any and all structures might be displayed with their relationship to each other. Pathological conditions involving structural tissues and spaces of the Head and Neck were also demonstrated and discussed. Surgical approaches were demonstrated on Cavaderic material.

Major demonstrations and discussions involved: Parotid, Temporal and Infra-temporal Regions—Glands and Lymphatics in these areas. Carotid Triangle, Submaxillary Region, Hyoid Bone—Muscles, Lymphatics, Vascular and Nerve supply.

Superficial Vessels and Nerves—The face the front and side of the neck.

Supra-hyoid and Infra-hyoid Regions—Larynx, Trachea, Esophagus, Thyroid Gland.

Vascular Channels of the Neck—Internal and external Carotid Arteries. Anterior, internal and external jugular veins.

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All courses included lectures and demonstrations of the orbit, Ocular muscles with their Vascular and Nerve Supply. Temporal Bone, including both the internal and external ear structures of the middle Cranial Fossa. Frontal Ethmoidal, Sphenoidal and Maxillary Sinuses, were also thoroughly demonstrated and explained.

De. de Vere in the present tour, has covered practically all states East of the Mississippi and has devoted 12 years to Anatomy course work and research. Dr. de Vere was on the program of the Eastland and Callahan County Medical Association meeting held on the roof of the Connellee Hotel Tuesday night. Dr. de Vere's course here in Eastland were conducted for past ten days in room 201, Exchange Building, Mineral Wells and Abilene have been scheduled for his next courses, lectures and demonstrations.

## Southwest Has Kept Step With Social Security

SAN ANTONIO.—The states of the tenth Social Security Board region, Louisiana, Texas and New Mexico, have more than kept pace with the nation as a whole in the thereafter, the twelve pictures a man of blood and iron to screen-geeks—and he's just beginning to get into roles of a different type. In "A Doctor's Diary," he's a bluff, good-natured doctor of the old school. In two other recent pictures he has played comedy roles.

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"One year ago," Powell said, "there was no federal-state program of assistance to the needy aged, the needy blind, and dependent children in New Mexico, Texas or Louisiana. Neither did any of these states have unemployment compensation laws nor had the people under 65 years of age in these states begun to contribute toward an independent old age."

"But that is all different now," Powell continued. "The past 12 months have witnessed a broad advance against insecurity in these states." Powell said, "The story is a behind-the-scenes pendant of a young doctor's battle to win the girl he loves and solve the riddle of infantile paralysis—with strong forces battling against him in both endeavors."

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## Tries Townsend Spending Spree



George J. Tryon's task of spending \$200 a month is just three days longer than that of C. C. Fleming of Chelan, Wash., who was selected to spend that amount in January under a Townsend plan test. Tryon, above, a 77-year-old unemployed painter of Hot Springs, S. D., has only 28 days in February in which to spend interest bearing notes of one dollar each backed by money in the Townsend Club treasury of Hot Springs.

three Southwestern states such as we have never seen before.

"For instance, during the month December, 1936, approximately 135,000 needy aged, needy blind, and dependent children in Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico received federal-state aid totaling \$1,901,678. The states of Louisiana, and New Mexico have complete programs of public assistance; that is, these states are aiding the needy aged, the needy blind, and dependent children. Texas has a program for the needy aged but the state has not yet submitted to the Social Security Board plans for aiding its needy blind and its dependent children."

"All three states have unemployment compensation laws which offer a measure of protection to approximately 900,000 workers. It is estimated that 638,000 workers in Texas, 222,000 in Louisiana and 41,000 in New Mexico will be covered by these laws. To these 900,000 workers, this federal-state program means relief from over-present fear, compensation to tide a man over until he again finds work, to keep his family from immediate want and to help him to conserve his earnings."

"Probably one million workers in Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico began January 1 to contribute one per cent of their wages toward an independent old age. In order to administer this program of old-age benefits expeditiously, the Social Security Board began late in 1936 to open field offices throughout the country to make possible convenient contacts with employers and employees.

"In Region 10, these offices have been established, or will be established, as follows: "Louisiana—Alexandria, Baton Rouge, Lafayette, Monroe, New Orleans, and Shreveport.

"New Mexico—Albuquerque and Roswell.

"Texas—Amarillo, Austin, Beaumont, Corpus Christi, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston, Houston, San Angelo, Tyler, Waco, and Wichita Falls.

"In addition to these security program activities the State of Louisiana established late in 1936 a Department of Public Welfare in order to coordinate and efficiently administer its public assistance and other welfare activities.

"If Texas passes approvable laws for the needy blind and for dependent children the states of this region will be 100 per cent participants in the national Social Security Act," Powell concluded.

## PROPOSED ABOLITION OF 88TH COURT AT EASTLAND OPPOSED BY LAWYER GROUP

The Eastland County Bar Association, meeting Saturday afternoon in the courthouse at Eastland, voted to enlist the aid of district representatives to support maintenance of the 88th district court at Eastland, the abolishment of which has been proposed in the Legislature.

On motion of L. H. Flewellen of Ranger, the lawyers agreed to write Senator W. B. Collie and Representatives Ross and George Davidson, pointing out the need and service of the court.

Under a bill which Senator Olan B. Van Zandt of Tioga has introduced the Eastland court would be eliminated with 18 others of the state.

Cyrus B. Frost and Flewellen pointed out that both Eastland county district courts 91st and 88th are busy throughout the year as if Judge George L. Davidson isn't presiding in the first tribunal or that Judge B. W. Patterson isn't presiding in the other court they are assigned to other points in the state.

Flewellen said in his opinion probably the proposed bill would not mean the elimination of the courts as proposed in the legislation but in reality mean their transfer to cities.

"Why," said Flewellen, "there are so many courts in Dallas the judges run into each other in the courthouse."

"Inequality in allotment and apportionment of the courts creates an emergency and should be remedied in this session to become effective Sept. 1," Senator Van Zandt was quoted Saturday morning by press dispatches. At Austin the senator pointed out Eastland county has two courts serving 24,100 population, whereas one court in the state serves over 107,000 people in five counties.

Representative W. H. Adkins of Brady has stated press dispatches disclose that he will introduce a judicial redistricting bill soon.

The Tioga senator also was reported in Saturday papers as stating, "With the discovery of oil in Stephens county (the abolition of the 90th district court in that county is also proposed) in 1917 there was necessity for a court there. Now that court serves only 16,000 people. Eastland, Falls, and Limestone counties had similar experiences."

The Eastland bar meeting was primarily called for discussion of president Roosevelt's proposed court reform program. While not adopting any resolution, the body voted that each member write his sentiment to Congressman Clyde Garrett and the two U. S. Senators from Texas.

All members who gave their opinion on the proposed court reform program were opposed.

Said Flewellen "I think he's making a mistake it's a clear attempt to stack the court." The Ranger attorney said he believed retirement at 75 would be a "happy age limit." He opposed any attempt to increase the membership from nine as indicated by the president.

Saying the supreme court is the "safety valve of man's rights," Allen D. Dabney of Eastland expressed vigorous denunciation for the plan. "Congress is already under his (the president's) thumb" Dabney stated. "With the court he would be a dictator."

The supreme court, he concluded, "should not be monkeyed with."

John W. Turner, Eastland was "absolutely against" the plan.

Cyrus B. Frost of Eastland prefaced his discussion with the explanation, "I think the subject is so big it would be very difficult to discuss." Opposing the plan, Frost said he believed the matter was being undertaken by the president by indirection and should be attempted, if at all, by the longer and constitutional route as approved by states. It would be best to "take time" than have it done on the "spur of the moment."

R. E. Grantham of Cisco stated he opposed the plan. Frank Sparks of Eastland was opposed with "every phase."

Earl Conner, Sr., president of the association, expressed opposition to the program as a whole.

Conner declared that the impression is positive that President Roosevelt is acting to stack the court in his favor.

Others attending the meeting: Jack Frost, Eastland; Earl Conner Jr., Eastland; Mrs. C. C. Robey, Eastland; Carl Springer, Eastland; Matthew J. Smith; Gorman, T. M. Collier, Eastland.

## Naval Etiquette Question Settled By the President

BY FREDERICK C. OTHMAN  
United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, President Roosevelt has settled a momentous question of official etiquette by deciding who calls on whom whenever an American battleship drops anchor in a foreign port.

He also ordered the boys to go easy on the official entertainment for each other. Apparently they've been drinking champagne when coffee would have been plenty good enough to uphold the dignity of the nation.

From Singapore to Stockholm, and from Borneo to the Baltic Sea the world is strewn with bleeding hearts, because this government never bothered much about whether or an ambassador is a bigger shot than an admiral, or a consul general a greater guy than a navy captain on the line.

When a battle cruiser steams into harbor anywhere in the world, its commander is supposed to have a talk with whatever American diplomat is stationed there. The resultant problem is in two parts:

1. Should the commander go ashore and call on the diplomat.
2. Should the diplomat put-put to sea and call on the commander.

These questions are serious. Many a naval officer has been left biting his finger nails in his

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cabin, waiting for the consul general to call. Simultaneously the consul general has been pacing his sitting room, smoking too many cigarettes, in hopes the admiral would show up soon.

They'd wait and wait—and wait; the admiral would go away mad, the diplomat would get sore and his wife would weep. Then would come the writing of icy letters and the unwinding of red tape and everybody concerned would promise himself never to speak to any of the others, so long as he lived, so help him.

Mr. Roosevelt stepped in with an executive order, document number 37-321, ending such international social wars.

If the commander of the visiting boat is a flag officer or a commodore, the President ruled, then the consular officer must go calling at sea.

Should the seadog's gold braid show he's just a captain, then it's his duty to make the first call ashore. The same goes for any sailors below that rank.

If the consul has to go visiting aboard the commodore's ship, Mr. Roosevelt decreed that the latter must send in a water taxi for him. The consul furthermore must make this call within 24 hours after the commander issues his invitation.

Finally, if the captain has been the one to make the first visit ashore, the diplomat must return the call at sea before 24 hours have passed.

As for the champagne business, Mr. Roosevelt didn't mention it specifically. He pointed out there are visits of courtesy by naval boats involving the exchange of official entertainment. That's when the boys drink the bubbly water and wear their medals and dance under the light of the tropic moon.

Then, as the President said, there are informal visits, with no official entertainment. He ordered that all visits by U. S. naval vessels hereafter be considered informal unless otherwise specifically specified. On these visits, however, it will be all right for the visitors and the visitees, once they've decided which is which, to drink a cup of coffee and maybe eat a cruller, provided they don't put this government to any extra expense.

## Faithful Service of Officer Earns \$15,000

By United Press  
BOSTON—Because their father was faithful in his work for 39 years, James and Carolyn Hixon are assured a college education.

Patrolman James R. Hixon was bequeathed \$15,000 by Miss Carrie W. Smith, 89. The bequest was "to show appreciation of the faith and service" Hixon had given to Miss Smith.

Hixon began working for Miss Smith when he was 14 years old. He worked for her for 20 years and continued to help on the estate after he joined the police force.

Hixon put away the money for his children's education.

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## Answers Questions About the Church

BY FATHER S. E. BYRNE  
NOTE: In view of the numerous questions asked me, I will attempt to answer some of them publicly, so that all may have the benefit of the answer to these many perplexing queries.

Question: Did Christ establish one, or many churches?

Answer: Here we have on the one side the old mother church of the ages; and on the other some two hundred different denominations, dating from the religious revolt of the sixteenth century, each of them professing to be the one Church of Christ, yet one contradicting the other on nearly every point of doctrine. All of these claimants cannot be right. Which one of them really is the Church set up by our Savior for the salvation of man?

The simplest way to settle this question is to go back to the days of our Blessed Lord, get a picture of the church that He left on earth, and compare that infant institution with the various churches that claim the high honor of being His Church today. But do we have a picture of that infant church? Indeed we do, portrayed most beautifully in the opening chapters of the Acts of the Apostles.

Having assembled on the slopes of Mount Olivet and having witnessed our Lord ascend gloriously into Heaven, the Apostles and Disciples returned to Jerusalem, there to await the coming of the promised Paraclete on Pentecost day. "And when they were come in, they went into an upper room where abode Peter and John and James and Andrew... All these were persevering with one mind in prayer with Mary, the Mother of Jesus, and with His brethren. In those days Peter, rising in the midst of the brethren, said: Men, brethren, the Scriptures must needs be fulfilled, which the Holy Ghost spoke before by the mouth of David concerning Jesus... Wherefore, of these men who have accompanied with us all the time that the Lord Jesus came in and went out among us, of His resurrection. And they appointed two, Joseph and Matthias... And they gave them lots, and the lot fell upon Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles" (Acts 1, 1-26). Thus for chapter one. Chapter two describes the descent of the Holy Ghost and the throngs that gathered around the Apostles amazed at hearing them speak every one in his own tongue. "But Peter standing up with the eleven lifted up his voice and spoke to them." After Peter had preached to them about the Lord Jesus whom they had crucified and whom God had raised from the dead, "they had compunction in their heart and said to Peter and to the rest of the Apostles: What shall we do? But Peter said to them: Do penance and be baptized

every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ... They, therefore, that received His word, were baptized, and there were added in that day about three thousand souls. And they were persevering in the doctrine of the Apostles and in the communication of the breaking of bread and in prayers" (Acts 2, 1-47).

Behold here the Church of Christ in its infant form, the mustard seed set out in the soil of this world by the Savior of men, containing in embryo all the elements of that mighty tree into which it was destined to grow! It was a church of one mind, united heart and soul in the doctrine of the Apostles; a church of prayer, persevering in prayer with Mary, the Mother of Jesus; a church of Sacraments and sacrifice, Baptism and the communication of the breaking of bread indicative of the same; a church of order and organization, with Peter pre-eminent in power and authority. Each of these items would deserve our attention if we were solicitous in seeking the church at the present day that contains all of them.

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ST. PAUL—St. Paul motorized police patrols traveled an equivalent of 21 times around the earth in their work during 1936. It was announced here, according to Lieut. Oscar Peterson, radio statistician, the squad cars travelled 525,804 miles while making 51,220 Apstles.

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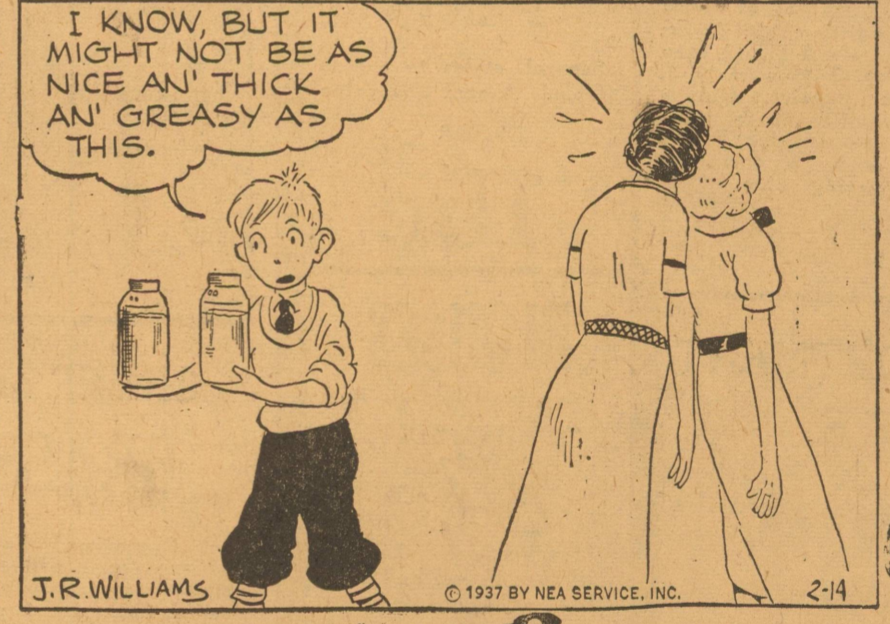
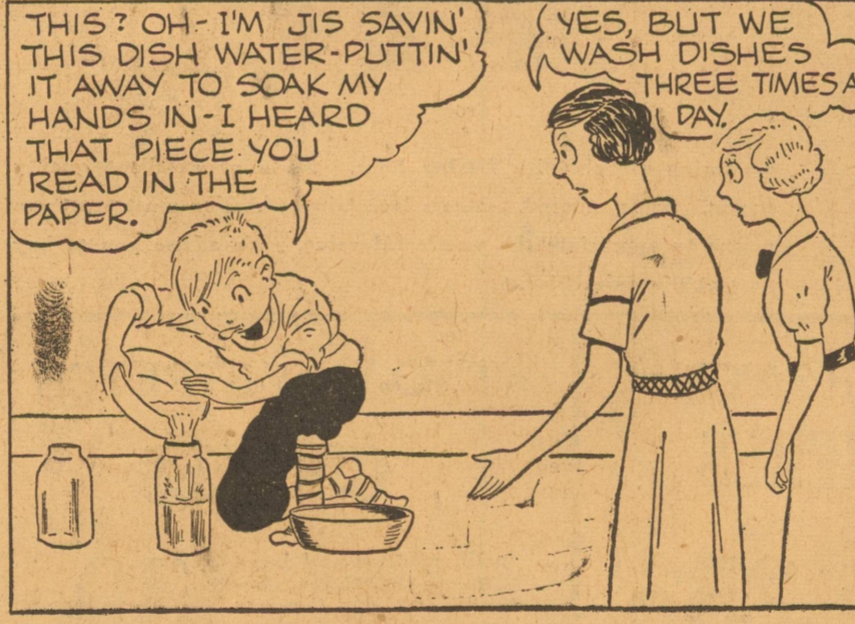
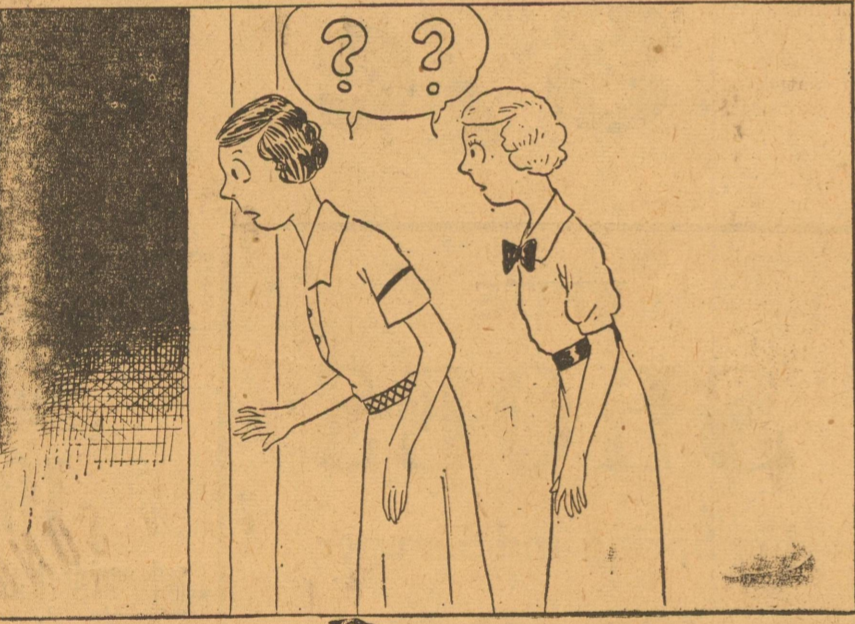
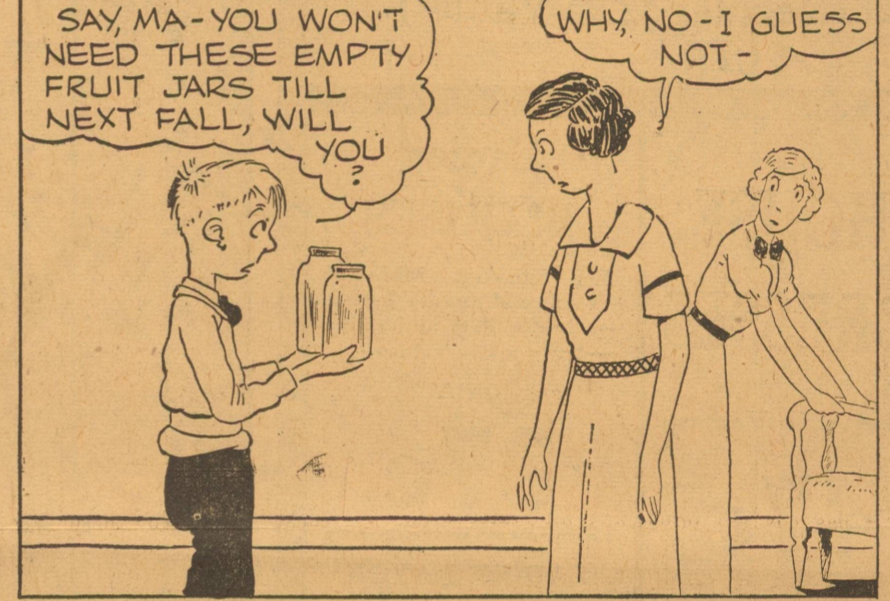
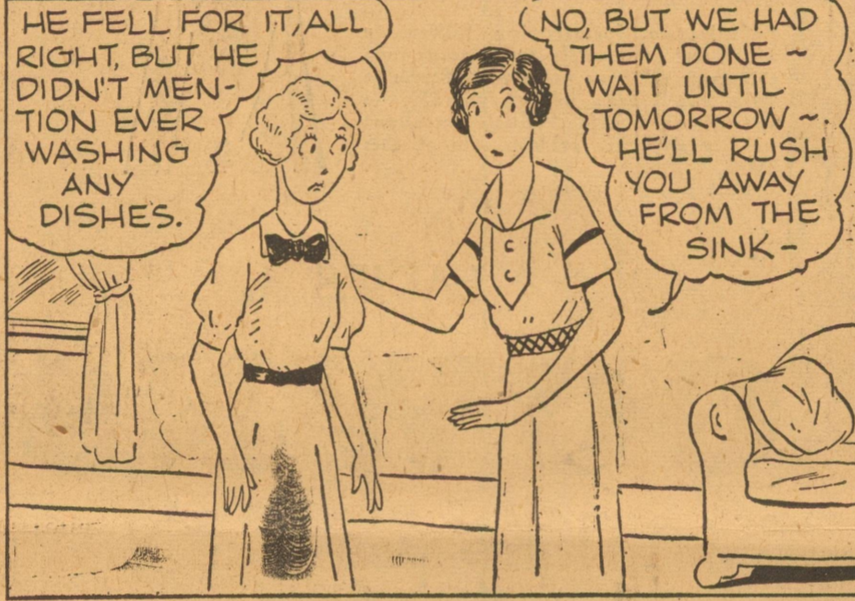
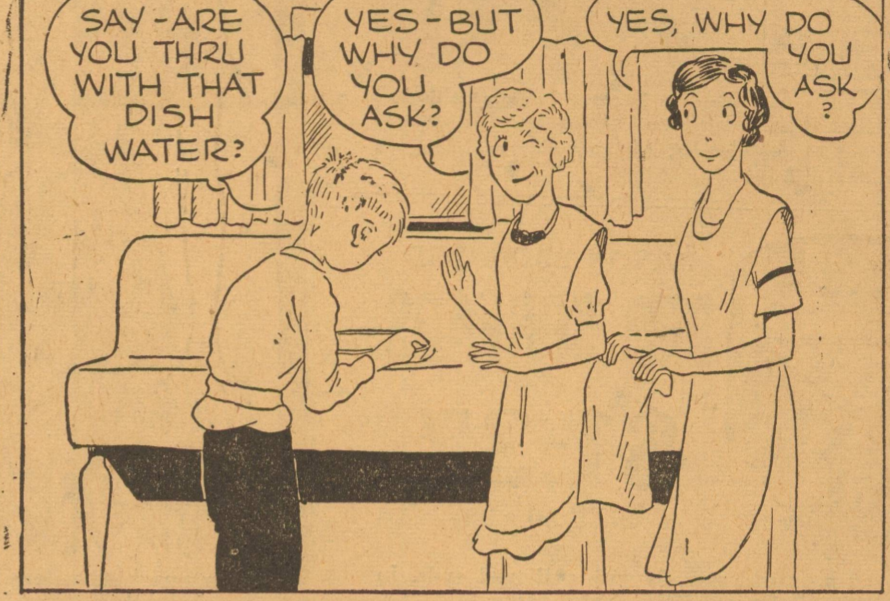
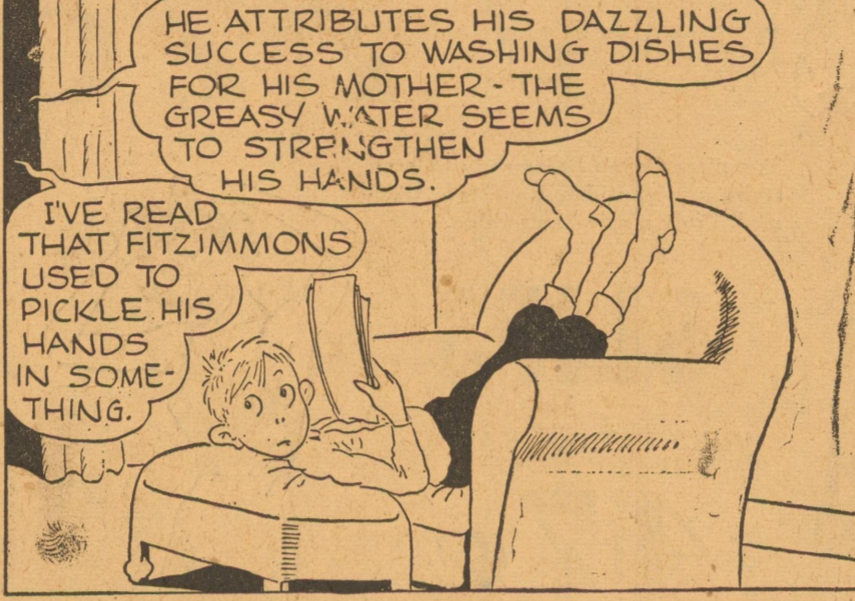
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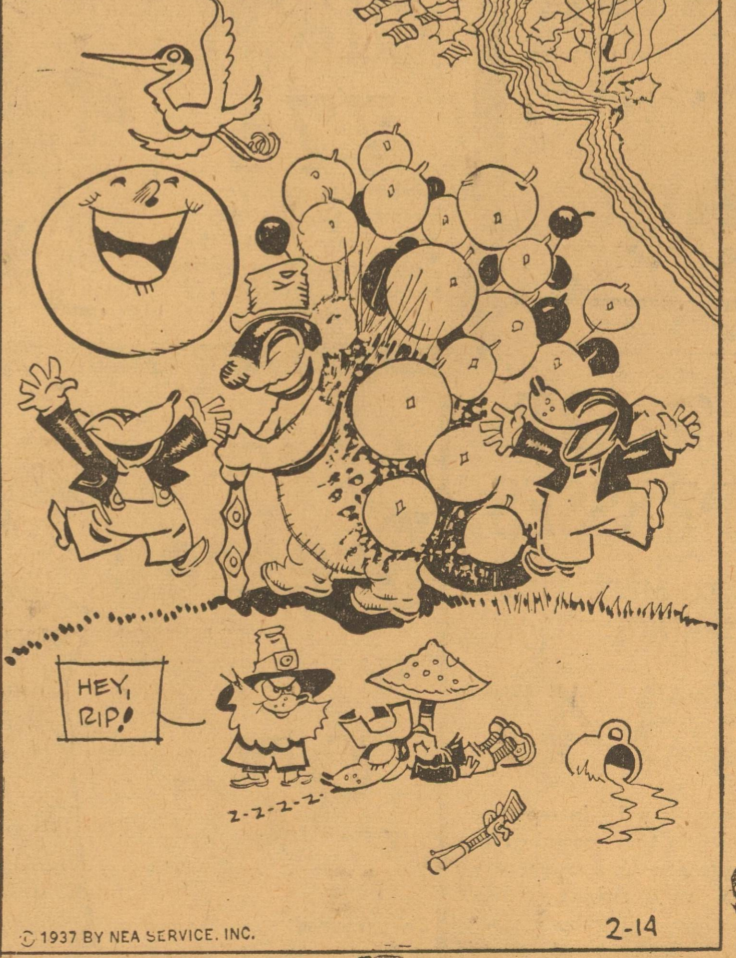
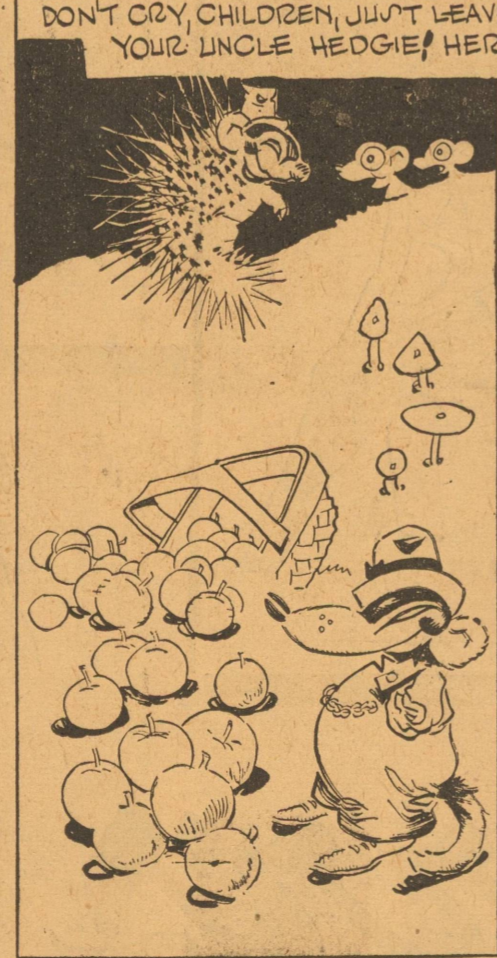
# OUT OUR WAY

*The Willets*  
by J.R. WILLIAMS



## THE COMIC ZOO

By Scarbo



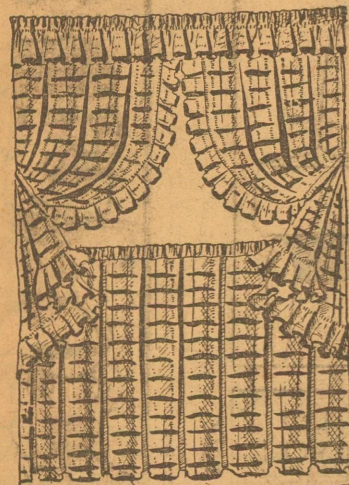


WE CELEBRATE WITH BARGAINS!

7th

# Anniversary SALE

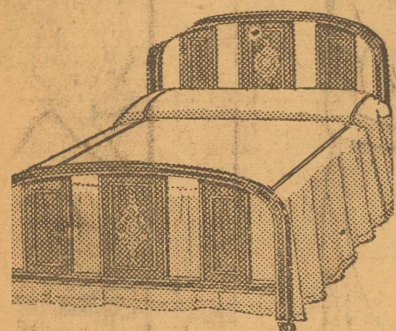
BURR'S brings you bargains galore so that you can celebrate with them. It will be a big sale—six glorious bargain days. There are many other specials on sale not advertised here... Visit Burr's and take advantage of these wonderful buys.



## CURTAINS

PRISCILLA  
2-Piece  
Tailored Styles  
**77c**

You can buy curtains for every window in your home at this low price. Your choice of white and ecru grounds with colored figures, cushion dots and Leno checks. All cut wide and long as you like them. A wonderful buy!



## RAYON BROCADED BED SPREADS

**\$1.37**  
SIZE 80 x 90

Heavy Rayon imported brocaded spreads with scalloped ends. In colors, Rose, Blue, Gold, Green and Helio, \$1.95 value. Size 80x105 (Regular \$2.95 Values) **\$1.77**



## HOUSE DRESSES

Reg. 59c Values  
**47c**

Buy several of these chic little cotton frocks for yourself and even your housework will seem easier. Only a special purchase makes it possible for Burr's to bring you this money saving value.

## Ladies' BLOUSES

For Summer. Made of extra good quality batiste—checks, dots and stripe—truly a 69c value—

ONLY  
**37c**

## LADIES' RAYON PANTS

Several styles to choose from. A real 25c value

FOR  
**15c**

## BLOUSES

FOR THE NEW SPRING SUITS

**87c**

Handkerchief Linen Blouses in gay and delicate Spring colors as well as white.

## SPRING MILLINERY

**77c**

Perky hats, gay, young charm. One of them will prove just the Spring tonic your spirit needs. Anniversary Sale Special!



## Rayon PAJAMAS

Reg. 98c Val.

**77c**

Two-piece Rayon Pajamas in tailored styles or embroidered and lace trimmed. Truly a marvelous value.

## SLIPS

REGULAR 79c VALUE

**47c**



Soft Rayon, form-fitting Silhouette Slips, cut generously full. Some lace trimmed. Others tailored. If you're wise, you'll take advantage of the special sale price. Such excellent quality slips are seldom sold at this price.



## LADIES' GOWNS

**77c**

Flattering models with flaring lines. Made of excellent quality Rayon. Some tailored. Others lace trimmed. You must see these gowns to appreciate the wonderful value. We advise you to buy now at the Sale Price.

## CREPE and SATIN BRASSIERES

Lace, Crepe and Satin Brassieres, some with adjustable straps, and others with Satin and Crepe bands.

**25c**

## TWO-WAY STRETCH GIRDLES

Small, medium and large sizes. Comfortable because they are two-way stretch.

**39c**

## FULL FASHIONED Hose

**47c Pr.**

Firsts and slightly irregulars in values up to 98c. Included in this group are three thread hose, made of crepe on three carrier ringless machines. The irregularities are so slight it will be difficult for you to detect them.



## Children's SWEATERS

Regular 49c Value

**37c**

Adorable sweaters to keep the children snug and warm. Seldom can you buy them so reasonably. Blue and Pink trim, slip over styles. A Burr value.

## Infant's SILK COATS

**97c**

Dress little sister up for Spring in one of these pretty little Silk Coats. Some hand embroidered. Others with smocking.



Receiving Blankets ..... 12c  
Organdie Bonnets ..... 25c  
Training Pants, Rayon Stripe ..... 10c

Just received new shipment of

## INFANTS DRESSES

Dresses, Sizes from 1 to 3  
Beautiful Patterns for Spring

**59c**

## Dainty Little Philippine DRESSES

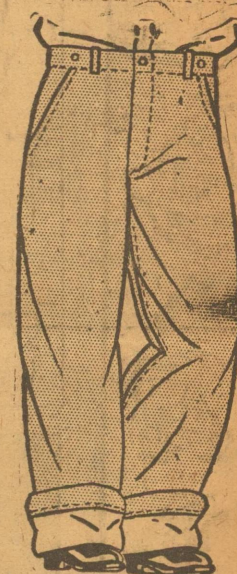
Hand finished and neatly embroidered—Made of fine batiste.

**25c**

## Men's WORK PANTS

Grey Court, Blue Denim and Gambler Stripes. All Sizes. A regular 98c value for

**87c**



## WHITE SHOES

For Spring and Summer

**\$1.97**

Our Spring shipment of White Shoes has just been received. New Straps, Ties, Pumps and Oxfords. Style combined with superb comfort.



## MEN'S WALKING SOCKS

**10c Pr.**

Good quality long wearing walking socks. Soft finish for comfort, yet serviceable. A regular 15c value.

## SILK NECKTIES

**37c**

A wide range of new Spring patterns and colors, gathered together for this Anniversary Sale. All hand made. Regularly sell for 49c.

A BIG ASSORTMENT OF SILK

## DRESS LENGTHS

In the newest of Spring Patterns—Floral and solid colors. 3 1/2 to 4 1/2 yard pieces.

**\$1.98**



## SMART DRESSES

TO MEET THE SPRING SEASON

**\$3.47**

New and interesting styles in this special price group for the Anniversary Sale only. Add new life to your wardrobe by selecting several of these frocks for yourself.

They will not last long at this price—Shop early and take advantage of this Burr Value.

## LACE Dresses

NEAT AND DAINTY

**97c**

Be prepared for the warm and sultry months ahead by including one or two of these dainty lace dresses in your wardrobe. A regular \$1.49 value. Specially priced for the Anniversary Sale.



# Burr's

DEPARTMENT STORE

WEST SIDE SQUARE -- EASTLAND, TEXAS



## SPRING SMARTNESS

### SUITS

MANNISH and SWAGGER STYLES

**\$9.90**

Models ranging from the short man tailored suits, which are so popular right now, to the swagger and full length suits. Styles to suit all tastes in both soft tweedy weaves and smooth men's wear materials.

### COATS

SPORT AND DRESSY STYLES

Smartly casual and dressy styles in the Princess silhouette and swagger sport models. Single and double breasted, some with pockets. Peter Pan and flared collars. Others smartly tailored. Prices are moderate as always.

