

Liner Thought to Have Sunk In Sea

'Heart Is Here'



Explaining that "her whole heart is here in California with Elaine and John," Mrs. Edna Jacobs, above, mother of Mrs. John Barrymore, announced that she would file for divorce against Louis Jacobs, New York clothier.

Two Held in Kidnaping of Dallas Negro

Wealthy Doctor and Wife Charged After Arrested by Police

DALLAS, July 30 (P).—Dr. Cosette Faust-Newton and her husband Dr. F. H. Newton, were free on bonds of \$10,000 each today after they were taken into custody here last night and charged with kidnaping a negro.

The Dallas county sheriff's office announced Mrs. Faust-Newton, prominent writer and traveler, had made a statement of facts in the case.

Officers last night found Mickey Ricketts, 24, negro, tied up in the attic of the Newton's residence in exclusive Highland Park, a suburb city adjoining Dallas. Ricketts' face, except his mouth, was bound with bandages held in place by adhesive tape.

Police said Ricketts was so weakened from being held in the attic five days that they had to assist him to an automobile.

The sheriff's office said that, in her statement, Doctor Newton declared Ricketts "was held in her home on the advice of a private detective who had been hired to aid her in recovering some jewelry, valued variously at between \$1,000 and \$3,000, which disappeared from her home last February."

Ricketts, former chauffeur for the Newtons, was arrested following the jewelry disappearance, but twice was non-billed by grand juries.

Ricketts was taken to a hospital. Officers said his condition was serious. Doctors said he was suffering from malnutrition.

A negro yardboy employed by the Newtons was held for questioning. Officers sought to learn the identity of the private detective Mrs. Newton named in her statement. She also said that her husband, a prominent eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, did not know Ricketts was being held in their home until several days after he was brought there.

Flooded Colorado Continues Rampage Over South Texas

WHARTON, July 30 (P).—Approximately 500 persons, mostly negroes, were made homeless today as the rampaging Colorado river, its flood damage already in the millions of dollars, swirled over nearly two-thirds of Wharton.

The devastating flood cut a swath 13 miles wide through lowland farmland in this area. Crops of the flood was expected to reach here this afternoon. The river stood at 37.5 feet, 11.5 above the danger mark, and still was rising.

There were no reports of drownings or injury to residents of rich Wharton county, but V. L. Sandlin, county farm agent, said more than 60,000 acres of lowland cotton and corn has been inundated and ruined.

Sandlin estimated the damage in excess of \$1,000,000 in Wharton county alone, but others guessed it would be nearer \$10,000,000.

Today's flood waters came from the San Saba district, more than 250 miles upstream, where cloud-bursts last week claimed four lives and damaged crops and property valued at \$1,000,000.

In the path of ruinous flood—Austin, Bastrop, Smithville, Lagrange, Goldsmith, Wharton, Bay City and Matagorda—came bitter criticism from hundreds of planters against the Colorado River Authority which operates the \$40,000,000 Buchanan dam system above Austin.

AUSTIN, July 30 (P).—As angry farmers from communities on the lower Colorado river gathered here today to ask Governor James V. Allred, Sen. Tom Connally and Texas congressman for an investigation of the river control, the river authority issued a statement welcoming investigation by "qualified and unbiased" engineers.

The authority, by resolution, said that under the law it has a duty to conserve water against drought which is due to prevent floods. "The board cannot agree," its statement said, "that its reservoirs should be emptied after each flood, and its appliances be operated to flood control alone."

The flood which recently passed down the Colorado river was described as "unprecedented." Damage above Buchanan dam was cited as proof of this. To that flood, was added high water from streams that will be controlled by dams now under construction, the authority's statement said.

VISITS HERE.

Mrs. Nettie Wasson of Snyder is visiting with her sister, Mrs. M. P. Hines, here.

New Minister



Newly appointed U. S. minister to Latvia and Estonia is John C. Wiley, above, of Indiana. Mr. Wiley, now consul general at Vienna, was charge d'affaires of the legation there when Germany absorbed Austria.

Demo Convention Delegates Endorse W. Lee O'Daniel

Midland county delegates met Saturday afternoon in an harmonious county convention and selected delegates to the state democratic convention to be held in Beaumont, Sept. 9.

T. O. Midkiff was elected president of the county convention and chairman of the delegation to the state convention.

Foremost event of the afternoon at the convention was the adoption of a resolution providing for all delegates to vote as a unit, and pledging support of the Midland delegation to the democratic choice for governor, W. Lee O'Daniel. Congratulations to O'Daniel and an offer to cooperate were voiced in the resolution.

Also pledges of support to President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Vice President John N. Garner, United States Senators Tom Connally and Morris Sheppard, Congressman R. E. Thomson and State Senator H. L. Winfield were voiced in other resolutions passed by the delegates.

Expressions of support and commendation of his program was voiced toward the railroad commission of Texas and to its officers.

Delegates selected to attend the state convention were: T. O. Midkiff, Henry Thomas, Susie G. Noble, Jas. H. Goodman, John King, Ben Rogers, Geo. McDonald, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Mrs. Hal Peck, Mrs. Dick Midkiff, R. W. Hamilton, Jno. P. Butler.

Blood Poisoning Fatal to Barber

C. J. Emanuel, about 55, succumbed Friday night to an attack of blood poisoning for which he had been under treatment at a local hospital for several days. Mr. Emanuel had operated a barber shop here for some time.

Relatives were expected from Lufkin Saturday night and funeral arrangements had not been announced before that time. He had no immediate family members or relatives with him here. The body was at Barrow's funeral home.

REVIVAL STARTS AUG. 11.

Announcement was made yesterday that a revival will start at the Valley View Baptist church Aug. 11. Pastor Claude Gooch will be assisted by Rev. Dick Griffin of Fort Worth.

Active Preparation Begins for Annual Midland Rodeo, Now Only Five Weeks Off

Letters were being mailed late in the week from the chamber of commerce office, inviting cowgirl sponsors from cities and towns of West Texas and New Mexico to participate in the annual Midland Rodeo, Sept. 3-4-5.

Plans are being made for the largest rodeo since Midland Fair, Inc., with its \$60,000 plant, was inaugurated in October 1935. Purses in all contest events are the same as last year but will have the entrance fees added to them, making the total money far better for the contestants. The cream of the roping, riding and bull-dogging talent of North America is expected to compete this year.

Midland Rodeo is not an amateur affair, it is not restricted to range cowboys but is open to professionals or amateurs of the world. However, past records of the show have demonstrated that the range cowboys of this section make com-

Duce Denies Charges of Pope Pius

Says Imitation of Nazi Claim Voiced By Official Absurd

FORLI, Italy, July 30. (P).—Premier Mussolini replied personally today to Pope Pius' assertion that the new fascist race policy was adopted in imitation of Nazi Germany.

Addressing a group of fascist party officials in camp at Forli, Mussolini asserted: "You know and everyone knows that also on the question of race we will shoot straight."

"To say that fascism has imitated anyone or anything is simply absurd."

L'Osservatore Romano, Vatican newspaper, yesterday quoted the pope in discussing the race doctrine as asking "why in the world Italy unfortunately felt the need to imitate Germany?"

he pope was addressing missionary students of 37 nationalities who visited him Thursday at his summer residence, Castel Gandolfo.

Mussolini, who left Rome yesterday for his summer place at Rocca Della Amante, arose early today to make his reply.

The two sentences from his talk referring to imitation of Nazi Germany were distributed by Stefani, official Italian news agency. No further quotes were made available.

Mussolini's remarks were the sharpest he had used in years toward the Vatican and caused a new uneasiness among Catholics over whether the present trend of fascism was heading toward a break with the church.

The pope in his address referred to the new fascist race doctrine which holds that Jews "do not belong to the Italian race," but did not mention Jews by name.

In Rome, the fascist newspaper Il Tevere today applied the fascist race doctrine to Mayor LaGuardia of New York by saying he had no right to belong to "our race."

LaGuardia is partly Italian and partly of Hebrew origin.

Bussolini came to Forli this morning from Riccione where he spent his 55th birthday yesterday.

His phrase "noi tireremo diritto," the fascist motto.

Insurgents Halt Smashing Drive of Government Troops

HENDAYE, France, July 30 (P).—The Spanish government's smashing offensive on the Catalan front appeared stopped today by insurgent reinforcements.

The front line along the Ebro river was little changed during the last 40 hours. The city of Denzesa was still a "No Man's" land to both sides.

McCraw Campaigner Tells the "Inside"

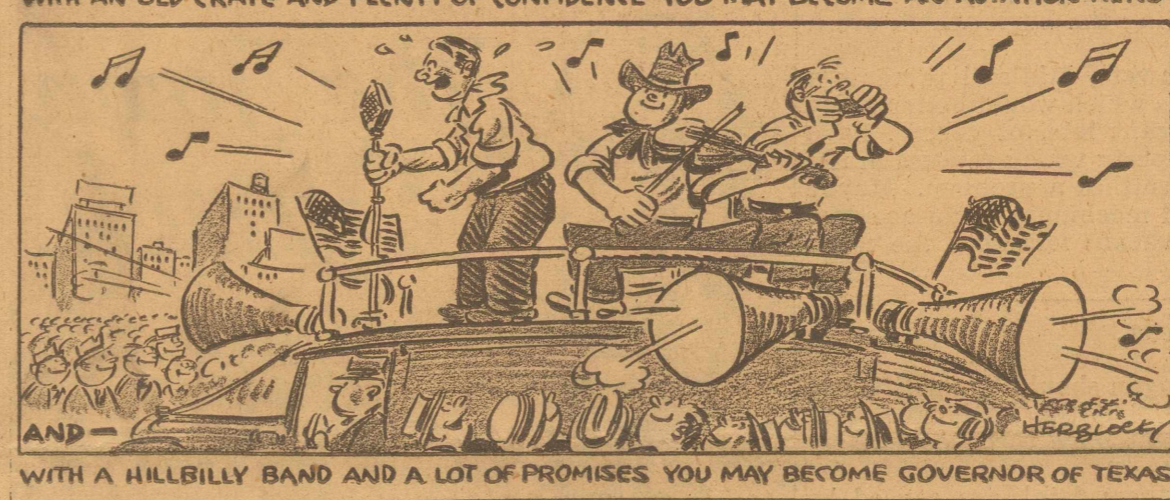
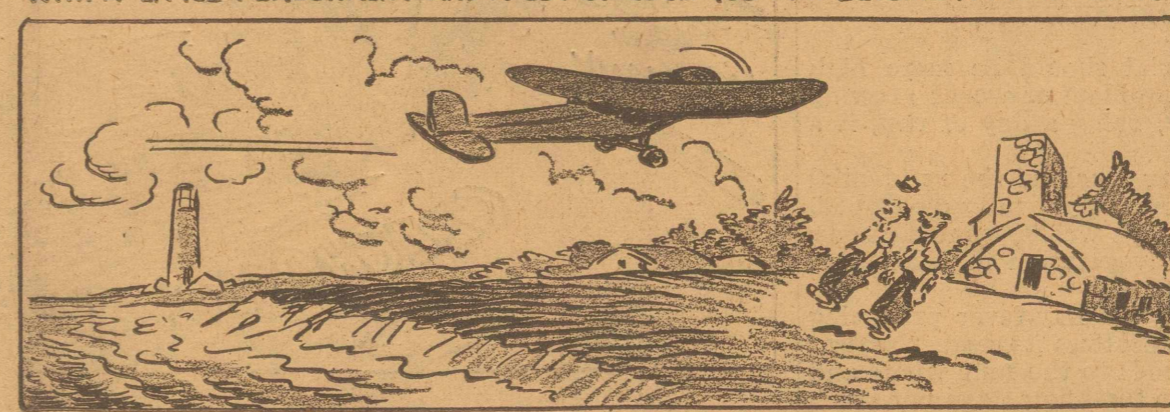
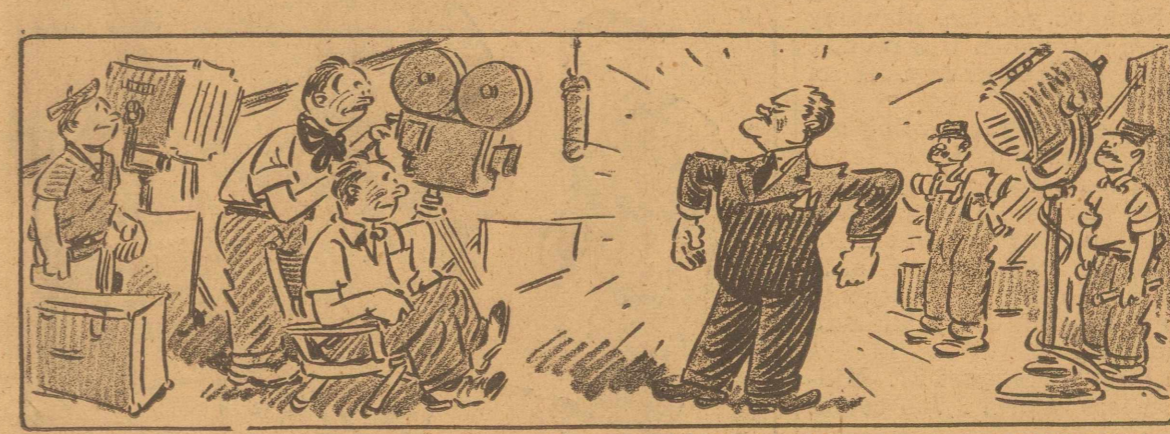
Stuart Long, publisher of the Kermit Sun and who for several weeks has been on the staff of William McCraw in his campaign for governor, passed through Midland Saturday en route from Austin to Kermit. He visited his brother, Menifred Long, who is connected with the Palace Drug store.

The Kermit man had some humorous "inside stories" of the recent gubernatorial campaign.

HERE FROM AUSTIN.

H. C. Barnes and son, Harold, arrived Saturday from Austin where the Barnes family moved early in the summer. They will be here for several days.

The Land of Opportunity



Public Schools to Open September 12

At a regular meeting of the school board last week it was decided to open the 1938-1939 session of the Midland public schools Sept. 12.

The board also decided to make necessary repairs and remodeling on south ward school building, including new windows and window frames, new window curtains, and repairs on the roof and walls. The work order on the addition to the Mexican school was delayed pending approval by the PWA of an application for federal grant with which to help do the work.

Work on both projects has been delayed awaiting a hearing on application for grant. Notice having been received by the architect and the board that grant could not be obtained for the purpose of repairing an old building, the board decided to go ahead with the south ward school project.

The board at this meeting elected two high school teachers and two grade teachers, filling all vacancies existing in the grades, and one of the teachers elected being a physical education teacher for girls. Other routine matters were passed on the board.

MOTHER LOCAL WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. W. F. Hehl has returned from Brownfield where she was called Wednesday by the death of her mother, Mrs. Julia Ann Chesher. Funeral services were held Friday. Mrs. Chesher, 75, died of a heart attack.

Crane Area Extension Well Has 500 Feet of Oil While Drilling

By FRANK GARDNER.

Assuring a mile and a quarter southeast extension to the new producing area between the Church & Fields and Waddell pools in eastern Crane county, Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-15 University Saturday had 500 feet of oil in the hole while drilling at 3,200 feet in lime. Depth at 3,235 had been corrected to 3,219 by steel line. The well topped pay at 3,199, old measurement, and has logged increases by deepening. Its first oil came in at approximately the same point as the discovery pumper, Magnolia No. 1 University. Location of the new producer is in section 15, block 30, University survey.

An important test a mile and a half northwest of the discovery, Texas Company No. 1-G State, in section 7, block 30, is drilling below 2,730 feet in anhydrite. It is running 83 feet higher on structure than the pool opener.

Gulf No. 4 McKnight, Ordovician wildcat in western Crane, is fishing for drill pipe, bottomed at 6,280 feet in sand. It topped Simpson, middle Ordovician, at 6,150, and showed salt water on drillstem test from 6,150 to 6,265.

Osage Anhydrite Low. Driller called top of anhydrite at 2,280 feet in Osage Drilling Company No. 1 Sun-B. E. Miller, central Gaines wildcat, and Saturday it was drilling below 2,400 feet in salt and anhydrite. On anhydrite marker, the test is running 175 feet low to Osage and J. L. Frick No. 1 Atlantic. T. S. Riley, two and a half miles to the southeast, the Osage-Frick well last May indicated a four-mile northwest extension of the Seminole pool when it flowed 135 barrels a day after treating with 1,500 gallons, bottomed at 5,098 feet.

Olson Drilling Company No. 1 Lockhart & Brown, Andrews wildcat five miles west of the south end of the Fuhrman pool, is drilling at 4,712 feet in lime, carrying 800 feet of oil in the hole. Last change reported was an increase in oil at 4,624 feet.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 3 Emma Cowden, east offset to Montecito, Rhodes, Tompkins and Donnelly No. 1 Cowden, first flush producer in the Emma pool of southern Andrews, spudded Friday and is drilling below 110 feet in sand and shells. The flush well is now taking potential gauge.

First showing of oil attracted interest to Sinclair-Prairie No. 3-A Johnson, extension test two miles north of the Foster pool in Ector. The showing, described as slight, came in from 4,165-70, and the well is drilling ahead at 4,222 feet in lime. It had previously logged slight showing of gas at 4,092 in the Foster pool, T. P. No. 3 Foster fluster 1, 297 barrels a day, with gas-oil ratio of 560-1, following a 590-quot shot from 4,000, where pay was entered, to 4,175, the total depth.

Phillips No. 5 Kloh, in the North Cowden pool of Ector, flowed 1,559.67 barrels on daily potential test, bottomed at 4,221 feet. Gas-oil ratio figured 307-1. The well topped pay at 4,185 and received a 280-quot shot.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 2-B Moss, half-mile southwest extension test in the one-well Moss area of Ector, lost a second string of tools, top of which was at 2,890, and is now drilling by at 2,910. Total depth is 3,040 feet in anhydrite.

Yokum Test Watched. Yokum's most closely watched wildcat, Ralph H. Gill No. 1 Gulf-S. J. Dixon, is drilling below 5,960 feet in lime, with first show anticipated at around 5,200 feet. It is two and a half miles northwest of the Bennett pool.

A new test on the southeast edge of the Bennett pool, T. P. No. 10 Bennett, spudded Saturday. T. P. No. 9 Bennett is drilling at 4,000 feet in anhydrite. Honolulu No. 6-677 Bennett is drilling at 4,680 feet in lime.

Magnolia No. 1 J. H. Lynn, wildcat northwest of Denver pool production in Yokum and northeast of the one-well Walker area, is drilling at 700 feet in red rock, Texas No. 1 Edward Randall, south offset to the discovery in the Walker area, is drilling lime at 4,840 feet. In the Roberts area west of the Denver pool, Shell No. 3 Mrs. Dora Roberts is drilling below 4,747 feet in lime. It is one-quarter mile west of the farther north of the area's two producers.

In the Denver pool, Shell No. 3 Dowden cemented 5 1/2-inch of string on bottom at 4,961 feet with 225 sacks and is waiting for cement to set. Don Danvers No. 2 Shell-Lynn is drilling at 207 feet in sand.

Southeast Hockley. Skelly Oil Company No. 1 W. L. Ellwood estate, interesting wildcat in southeast Hockley, league 15, Howard county school land, is drilling unchanged at 4,705 feet in hard lime.

Gulf No. 2 Mallett Land & Cattle Company, northeast of southwest Hockley's Slaughter pool, had drilled to 4,520 feet in lime. A half-mile east outpost to the north end of the pool, S. W. Richardson No. 2 Sue Alice Slaughter, cemented 7-inch casing at 4,720 feet with 400 sacks. Total depth is 4,724 feet in lime. Cable tools will be employed to drill into the pay section. Stanolind No. 2 Alex Slaughter, pool well, is drilling at 4,933 feet in lime, with showing of gas logged from 4,923-26. SEE (OIL NEWS) PAGE EIGHT

Oil Patch Is Discovered on Ship's Course

Search Continued In Hopes Plane May Have Landed

MANILA, July 30. (P).—The army transport Meigs found a large patch of oil on the surface of the Pacific ocean today, indicating the missing Hawaii clipper may have plunged into the sea 600 miles from Manila.

The Meigs made no mention of sighting any wreckage from the luxurious flying boat which disappeared with 15 men on a flight from Guam to Manila Friday. (Thursday night Midland time).

Night Halts Search. Two lifeboats were put out by the transport to search the tell-tale oil slick but were recalled at nightfall. The transport stood by where the slick was found, intending to resume search at dawn Sunday. (Saturday afternoon in the United States).

Her searchlights played on the surrounding area but her captain said he did not expect much to be accomplished before daylight.

The Meigs said the coating of heavy oil was about 1,500 feet in circumference, which experts said was "quite large" for a plane the size of the clipper.

But marine men were unable to suggest any other source for the slick, an oil coating such as a plane leaves on the surface of the water when sinking.

Samples Taken. The slick was found directly on the course of the 26-ton flying boat. It was sighted approximately 50 miles west by southwest of the last position by the clipper. This would mean that, if the slick were caused by oil from the Hawaii clipper, the flying boat remained in the air about 20 minutes after her last radio message.

Life boats from the Meigs collected samples of oil from the surface to help determine whether it was from the flying boat.

If the Hawaii clipper sank there, little hope was held of finding the wreckage; for the slick lay over deep waters, ranging to a depth of 5,352 fathoms. These waters, about 400 miles east of San Bernardino strait, are among the deepest around the Philippines.

Pan-American Airways headquarters in San Francisco held hope the oil was dumped on the surface by the flying boat for emergency landing and the clipper came down safely, subsequently drifting out to sea faster than the oil.

The Meigs said the clipper carried heavy "anchor" oil to calm the seas in just such an event. Pan-American men here said they did not know any other "anchor" oil but suggested the clipper might have dumped oil to lessen her load preparatory to alighting.

Neither explanation accounted for the failure of the clipper to radio an emergency landing was necessary, or to report later by her wireless which was capable of communicating while the flying boat drifted on the sea.

Discovery of the slick brought no announcement of a change in plans for the search although one army officer expressed opinion that the hunt would be left to the Meigs service. Engineers here suggested the planes might be ordered to comb isolated mountain forests on the Pacific side of Luzon island on the possibility the clipper panicked into the trees.

Passenger List. Aboard the luxurious Pan-American Airways clipper, one of three sister planes in regular California-Manila service, passengers: M. A. Kennedy of Piedmont, Calif., P. A. A. division traffic manager; Major Howard C. French of Portland, Ore.; Dr. Eric B. McKinley, medical school dean at George Washington and noted authority on leprosy, and Dr. Gred C. Meier, department of agriculture pathologist, both of Washington, D. C.; E. E. Wyman, Curtis-Wright, aircraft official of New York City; Wah Sung Choy, Chinese restaurateur of Jersey City, N. J.

The crew is composed of Capt. Leo Terletzky, ace P. A. pilot of Palo Alto, Calif.; First Officer M. A. Walker of Berkeley, Calif.; Second Officer G. M. Davis, Oakland, Calif.; Third Officer, J. M. Saucedo, Oakland; Fourth Officer, J. W. Jewett, Oakland; Engineer, H. L. Cox, Alameda, Calif.; Assistant Engineer, T. B. Tatum, Honolulu; Radio Officer, W. McCarty, Alameda; and Steward I. Parker.

ON TWO WEEKS TRIP. Misses Artemyse McMullen, Bill McMullen and Hollie Tippet of Midland, Irene Johnson of Dallas and Maurine Autrey of San Angelo left Saturday on a two weeks trip by automobile, planning to visit Santa Fe, Denver, Estes Park, Yellowstone National Park and the Grand Canyon.

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Provide for the Absentee Vote.

One week from today the time for absentee voting in the run-off primary opens. Perhaps you are planning a late summer vacation or business trip which will require your absence from home August 27, election day. If so, make your plans now to vote absentee.

If you leave before August 7, leave a forwarding address so that the ballot may be mailed to you. If you leave later, vote at the county clerk's office before you go.

Midland has strong reason to have a large vote cast August 27. Although only one precinct has a run-off for local office, that of the commissioner for precinct No. 2, there are two Midland men in races for district offices and there are district and state races in which every Midland county voter should be highly interested.

Talk up the necessity for a big vote August 27. Midland should not be satisfied with less than a 2,750 count.

The Weed Crop Is Abundant.

Probably a Sunday editorial should be more high minded than to deal with the problem of weeds growing on the vacant lots; but Sunday, being a day of rest, is a good day for retrospection.

One does not have to cover much of the residential section, even the business section not yet fully developed, to find flourishing crops of careless weeds, tumble weeds, sand-burrs and other forms of vegetation unpleasing to the eye and unhealthy to the nostril.

The time to put an end to the hay-fever producing weed is before it heads out and scatters its seed. Careless weeds soon will scatter their seeds to the four winds and the tumble weeds will reach the tumbling stage not much later. Sand-burrs now are putting on growth, whereas in another week they will be adding the burrs which are a menace to the barefoot boy.

Thanks to the copious showers, Midland presents a fine crop of shoulder-high weeds which would better grace a hog pasture. Owners of vacant lots, of course, have taken the hint. The vacant property which reposes in the names of non-residents still furnishes a problem. Maybe some piece of publicly operated machinery could accidentally be diverted on to these vacant lots until the weed menace is relieved.

If You Drink, Don't Drive.

Perhaps the well known slogan should be modified to "when you drive, don't drink," but the National Safety Council points out that you don't have to be completely drunk to be a dangerous driver.

Many accidents, some of them fatal, are caused by drivers who were not drunk, but had been drinking just enough to slow up their faculties. Their reactions were delayed. Their judgment wasn't good.

Famous last words are: "I'm still sober enough to drive." Don't let those be your last words, cautions the safety council.

Tumbler, 60, Stages Act For Fun on Birthdays

MILLTOWN, Wis. (U.P.)—Once every year, Ed Lindsey, 60-year-old oil station operator, strides into his back yard, flexes his muscles and turns a few cartwheels, a hand-spring and a neckspring.

The occasions are his birthdays. The reason for the exercise is "just to show that I'm as spry as ever," Lindsey explains. He was an accomplished tumbler in his youth, but he gave up the exercise until 10 years ago, when he began his annual cavorting.

INDIAN MAID

HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Pictured Indian heroine
10 Armadillo.
11 To depart.
12 Fairy.
13 The Creator.
14 Thing.
15 Cubic meter.
16 Valued.
18 Being.
19 Lying tool.
21 Organs of hearing.
26 Licked up with the tongue.
30 Rabbit.
33 Blood-sucking insect.
34 Alleged force.
36 Italian river.
37 S molding.
38 Tranquil.
39 Amber-colored resin.
41 Touched with the toes.
42 Myself.
43 Type standard.

VERTICAL

17 Female deer.
20 To love.
22 To make amends.
23 Sun god.
24 Stain.
25 She — in her twenties.
27 Wing.
28 Footlike part.
29 Wages.
31 Self.
32 Golf device.
33 To accomplish.
36 3.1416.
40 To guide a vessel.
42 To crush.
44 Door rugs.
45 To total.
46 Inlet.
47 God of sky.
48 To implore.
49 Lixivium.
50 Onager.
52 Brink.
53 Biblical prophet.
54 Mesh of lace.
55 Tree.

45 Oriental cart.
49 Meadow.
51 Amphitheater center.
56 Eats.
57 Affirmative.
58 Glazed clay blocks.
59 She was the — of Powhatan, Indian chief of Virginia (pl.).

60 She saved the life of Captain John —.

VERTICAL

1 Soft food.
2 Music drama.
3 Writer's mark.
4 To ascend.
5 Salamanders.
6 Tidier.
7 Captured.
8 Reluctant.
9 Withered.
16 She married

Fig Stars as Climber

BRYANTVILLE, Mass. (U.P.)—When Ralph Milliken discovered that a newly purchased baby pig was a natural climber and would not stay within bounds, he sold it to a neighbor. But the pig climbed everything but the maple tree in the neighbor's yard, so the young porker was sold to a Hanson resident who is waiting for a circus to come to town.

Germany Issues Stamps For Sports Festival

BERLIN, (U.P.)—The government has issued special stamps on the occasion of the sports and gymnastics festival in Breslau.

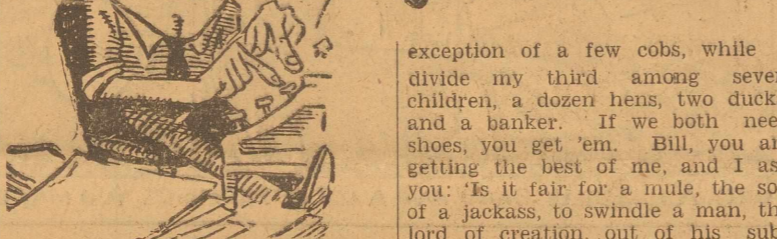
The new issues are in the denominations of 3, 6, 12 and 15 pfennigs. The size is 24.5 by 29.15 millimeters.

The stamps show scenes of Breslau; the 3-pfennig the Cathedral Island, the 6-pfennig the Hermann Goering Sport Field, the 12-pfennig the City Hall and the 15-pfennig the Century Hall.

This Would Be a Nice, Neighborly Suggestion



The Jown Quack



The Breckenridge American, under the caption "Man, Mule—Which Is Jackass," tells a story which had been received at the office of County Agent W. R. Lacey of Stephens county.

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule drawing a Dixie plow. The cloidnopper was "broadcasting."

Said the man to the mule: "Bill, you are a mule, the son of a packass, and I am a man, made in the image of God. Yet, here we work, hitched up together year in and year out. Often I wonder if you work for me or I work for you. Verily, I think this is a partnership between a mule and a fool, for surely I work as hard as you, if not harder. Rowling or cultivating, we cover the same distance—but you do it on four legs and I on two. I, therefore, mathematically speaking, do twice as much work per leg as you do.

"Soon we'll be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested, I give one-third to the landlord for being so kind as to let me use this small speck of God's universe. One-third goes to you, and the balance is mine. You consume all of your portion, with the exception of a few cobs, while I divide my third among seven children, a dozen hens, two ducks, and a banker. If we both need shoes, you get 'em. Bill, you are getting the best of me, and I ask you: 'Is it fair for a mule, the son of a jackass, to swindle a man, the lord of creation, out of his substance?' And, come to think of it, you merely help plow and cultivate the ground, while I alone must cut shock, and husk the corn while you look over the pasture fence and 'hee-haw' at me.

"All fall and most of the winter the whole family, from Grammy to the baby, work from morning to night to help raise money to pay taxes and buy you a new set of harness and pay the interest on the mortgage on you. And by the way, what do you care about the mortgage? Not a damn! You ornary cuss, I even have to do this worrying about the mortgage on your tough, ungrateful hide!

"About the only time I am your better is on election day, for I can vote and you can't. And after election I realize that I was fully as great a jackass as your papapa, verily, I am prone to wonder if politics were made for men or jackasses—or to make jackasses out of men.

"And that ain't all, Bill. When you're dead, that's supposed to be the end of you. But me? The parson tells me that when I die I gotta go to hell forever. That is, Bill, if I don't do just as he says. And most of what he says keeps me from getting any kick out of life.

"Tell me, Willyum, considering these things, how can you keep a straight face and look so dumb and solemn?"

Bequest Sets Up Award For Courteous Children

MASHPEE, Mass. (U.P.)—Thanks to a bequest by the late Samuel G. Davis, West Falmouth summer resident, 25 Mashpee grammar school pupils every year receive \$10 and \$5 awards and gold medals.

The will stipulates that the awards be given to those pupils most consistently showing "kindness and good manners" during the school year.

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Speed of Business Recovery Between Now And Election Day Can Surprise Even the Most Optimistic Observers, Babson Says

By ROGER W. BABSON, BABSON PARK, Mass., July 30.—Merchants are selling almost as many goods today as they were last summer! This is hard to believe, but it is a fact. Department store sales for the entire country are averaging less than ten per cent below a year ago in dollars. Meanwhile, price tags have fallen almost as much as that. Hence, unit sales of goods are close to the satisfactory levels of a year ago at this time. Furthermore, in many sections trade is actually above the 1937 volume. This, of course, is wonderful news. It means that we are in for a real surge of business this fall.

We often forget that retail trade is one of the best forecasters we have of future business. When stores are crowded when goods are moving off the shelves and when cash registers are jingling, we can be sure that more workers will soon be having jobs in factories, that additional traffic will be moving over the railroads and that investors will be receiving bigger dividends. On the other hand, when people are not buying goods, a let-down in industrial activity is sure to follow.

Inventories Cleared Out.

Late last summer buying was beginning to fall off. People had bought all the goods they needed during the Winter and Spring of '37. Because of this and because of high retail prices, trade was slowing up by Summer's end. As a result, when last Labor Day rolled around, factories had but few orders for goods. They had to lay off workers. Then everyone got frightened; stocks broke badly; and we had a discouraging business recession. Within six months from the time the break started, thousands of plants and mill all over the country were shut down tight. Industrial ac-

tivity plunged 50 per cent below its peak.

The situation became more and more acute as 1938 moved along. Retail trade, however, did not sag so drastically. All during the Fall, Winter, and Spring it averaged only 10 per cent below the corresponding months of the previous year. Furthermore, retail price-lags were constantly marked down, giving people added incentive to buy goods. Despite the fact that several million had been laid off, national purchasing power was not reduced materially. More government checks and higher farm income offset other losses in buying power. Furthermore, a big percentage of people, who always have money to spend for retail goods regardless of whether we are in prosperity or in depression, resumed their buying.

Consequently, retail sales dropped only moderately as against a sharp slump in industrial activity. Production through the Spring was not equalling consumption. Inventories were cut down to rock bottom. This could not continue long. Suddenly, investors, deciding that the storm had blown itself out, rushed in to pick up good securities at bargain prices. This happened in the middle of June. Since then there has been a hurricane of good news. On every hand, we read about factories re-opening, of railroad traffic increasing, of homes and other big projects being constructed. Not since the days following the bank holiday of 1933 has there been as swift an upswing as we have had in the last six weeks.

Leading the advance has been retail trade. More people have gone shopping each week since mid-June. Now, dollar buying is less than 10 per cent under last year at this time. Because of the sharp drop in prices, however, this means that merchants are selling as many goods, in number, as they were then. Steel activity, machine tool orders, car-loadings, power production, building, and other powerful barometers are pointing to better business this fall. But more important than these, retail trade, which means the final movement of goods into consumers'

hands, is rapidly picking up momentum.

Outlook Rosy.

Because of this splendid gain in retail trade, plus bumper crops, billions being spent for relief, the skyrocketing of security prices, sharp advances in commodity quotations, the potential demand for goods, our huge credit reserves, and the mounting volume of construction, I look for the sharpest increase in business this Fall in many years. Volume in the months ahead may not equal the volume of some good Autumns in the past, such as 1936 or 1939. However, the speed of the business recovery between now and Election Day can surprise even the most optimistic observers.

Those who read by New Year forecast, written in the gloomy days of late December, 1937, may recall the following opening paragraph:

"We are not entering a major depression; 1938 will see a resumption of the upward trend which began in 1933. The first quarter may be poor—much worse than the early months of 1937; but later in the year I look for a substantial revival. Do not confuse this current sharp recession with a major depression! Payrolls, prices, stocks, real estate, and jobs should all be on their way up to new highs by the end of '38'. Get Started Now.

"We may not, perhaps, reach new highs this year, but readers can count upon a tremendous upsurge in coming months. Merchants, manufacturers, bankers, salesmen, workers, and investors should capitalize on the huge upturn which lies ahead. This is the time to get started. Do not wait until after Labor Day and miss five full weeks of real activity. Plan your advertising campaigns now. Get your employees and sales forces in shape. Forget hand-to-mouth buying. Stock your shelves thoroughly. We are facing four or five months of rushing business. Cash in on it!"

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SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

Lucille Guffey and Lige Midkiff Are Wed

Nuptial Vows Are Taken at Home Ceremony Saturday

Miss Loleta Lucille Guffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Guffey, became the bride of Lige Irwin Midkiff, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Midkiff at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, 512 W. Kansas. Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the First Methodist church officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The living room was decorated with zinnias, roses, dahlias, gladioli, and other garden flowers. The arch under which the couple took the nuptial vows was made of English ivy and banked by gladioli in tall, woven baskets.

Preceding the services, Miss Lois Guffey played "I Love You Truly" as a violin solo accompanied by Miss Lydia G. Watson at the piano. As the professional Miss Watson and Ned Watson, violin, played Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" during the ceremony "Sweetest Story Ever Told," and at the reception "At Dawning" and "Love Dreams."

The bride wore a navy blue sheer trimmed with white embroidered organza cuffs and collar. Her shoes were two-tone, and the other accessories were white. She chose garlands as her flowers.

She was attended by her sister, Miss Frances Guffey, as maid of honor. The latter wore aqua blue with white accessories and carried sweepstakes.

The groom was attended by his brother, Sam Midkiff, as best man.

Out of town guests for the wedding were the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Guffey of Caney, Kansas, E. B. Guffey of Caney, Kansas, Mrs. J. W. Lansdowne and son, Nelo, of Madison, Wisconsin, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Guffey, Jr., and children, Virginia Joe and Billy, of Texon, Mrs. Charlie Chambers and Mrs. James Sadler of Wink.

Following the ceremony, which was attended by approximately 40 guests, a reception was held in the dining room. Here the table was appointed with reflector mirrors and the centerpiece was daisies. Mrs. L. R. Saunders presided at the punch bowl, and Mrs. Alvin McKee assisted.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Midkiff are well known in Midland. Mrs. Midkiff coming from Wink, four years ago, and Mr. Midkiff was born here. They are both graduates of the class of 1937 of the Midland high school.

Mrs. Midkiff was a member of the choral club and pep squad, being pep leader during the school years of 1935-36 and 1936-37. She was president of the student body her senior year. She attended McMurry at Abilene one year and majored in business administration.

Mr. Midkiff was a member of the glee club and football squad. He was named class favorite his freshman year.

After a two week honeymoon trip to Ruidoso, Mr. and Mrs. Midkiff, will be at home at 512 W. New Jersey.

Church Services

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Piekring, Pastor
H. G. Beaford, Supt. of Bible School
Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music

9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
10:50 a. m.—Preparation for Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m.—Worship sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Samson A Man Who Forgot God."
2:00 p. m.—Board meeting.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship sermon by the pastor on the subject: "Walking in the Light."
3:30 p. m.—Monday. General Missionary society of all circles.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. C. Hinds, Pastor

9:45 a. m.—Church school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.
Epworth League Evening Service
7:00 p. m.—Intermediate department at the church.
7:00 p. m.—Senior department at the annex.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.
Young People's choir in charge of song service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Claude O. Crane, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by Bryce L. Twitty, Supt. of Baylor Hospital, will talk.
8:15 p. m.—Training union. Dick Denham, director.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. Mr. Bonner will preach.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Harvey Childress, Minister
800 West Tennessee

9:45 a. m. Bible school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
7:15 p. m. Young People's class.
8:00 p. m. Evening service.
3:00 p. m. Tuesday. Women's Bible class.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

TRINITY CHAPEL
(Protestant Episcopal)
P. Walter Henckell, Minister in Charge
Richard E. Gile, Lay Reader.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Lay Reader's Service.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
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10:30 a. m. Song service.
11:00 a. m. Preaching and communion service.
8:00 p. m. Sermon which will be read in all churches of Christ, Scientist, or Services at other times as announced.
Visitors are always welcome.

HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal)
Pastor O. W. Roberts
T. H. Graalmann, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.
7:45 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer meeting.
7:30 p. m. Evening service.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH
John J. O'Connell, O. M. I. Pastor
7:30 a. m. Holy Communion.
8:00 a. m. Mass for Mexican people.
10:00 a. m. High mass. (English speaking).

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
T. H. Graalmann, Pastor

Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Episcopal Church at 2:00 p. m. You are cordially invited.

MEN'S CLASS.
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.

The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and Judge Charles L. Klapproth. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

NAOMI CLASS
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.
Mrs. J. Howard Hodge is the teacher.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 S. Baird
M. E. Stubblefield, Pastor.

10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:15 p. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday. Young people's meeting.
8:00 p. m. Friday. Prayer meeting.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge
J. L. Kendrick, Church School Supt.

9:45 a. m. Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. The sermon by the pastor.
There will be no evening service in the absence of the pastor.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Nazarene prayer meeting will be held every Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock at 222 N. Weatherford. The public is welcome.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in

Westside Home Dem Club Is Shown New Hemstitching Model

A new stitch in hemstitching was shown to the Westside Home Demonstration club by Miss Mary Jo Weigers, home demonstration agent, Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Lohr. The demonstration was made by means of drawings on a blackboard.

Four new members were voted on and accepted by the club.

Mrs. J. L. Hundie talked on her recent trip to College Station where she was enrolled in A&M's annual short course on home demonstration work. She showed a scrapbook which displayed the events and activities of the College Station trip.

Mrs. L. M. Hallman was presented with a stork shower. The club gave a blanket and a baby book, and members gave individual gifts.

Refreshments were served to Misses J. L. Hundie, S. L. Alexander, C. C. Gaden, W. A. Omm, A. C. Francis, A. C. Caswell, Gene Harwell, S. E. Richardson, H. C. Whitmore, J. H. Smith, J. A. Mead, H. L. Hallman, Frank Lord, Tillman, Miss Weigers, and the hostess.

The club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Smith Aug. 11.

Eleven Quilt at Stitch and Chatter Meeting Friday

Stitch and Chatter Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. L. Reagan, 211 E. Kentucky. They had a business discussion and postponed a picnic on account of rainy weather.

The four visitors and seven members pieced on a quilt for Mrs. Reagan.

Refreshments were served to visitors Misses W. C. Moore, A. E. Dixon, Ray Watson, and D. Shepherd; members Misses L. M. Hedges, Ben Biggs, V. L. Peazel, W. P. Hedges, Charles Ward, T. D. Reven, and the hostess.

The club will meet next week with Miss Jewel Hedges, 304 Ft. Worth.

Tidwells Entertain With Lawn Party

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tidwell entertained the employees of the Midland Hardware Co. with a lawn party at their home, 316 S. Big Spring, Friday evening.

Chinese chess and forty-two were among the various games that were played.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. P. Lord, Mr. and Mrs. Kesler Adams and daughter, Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Beauchamp, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rhoden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Coy Knight, the host and hostess, and Miss Daphne Shafer and Ernest Nance.

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At The Library

The following new books for young folks are now on the shelves. There are absorbing lists which will interest young readers, these range in color from russet (for very young children) through cherry, orange, pink, yellow, blue, green and white (for various ages). Children who would like to read from these individual lists ask at the desk in the main library.

New Juvenile Books:
Adams. Viano, A Boy of New Finland: A dramatic story of modern Finland into which are interwoven tales and legends from the Kalevala and other early Finnish sources. The hero is a patriotic Finnish boy who is at school in Helsingfors at the beginning of the Russian and Finn Revolution. (The illustrator is also a Finn). (6-8 grade).
Adams. Gateway to American History: A pictorial history. The illustrations are reproduction of old engravings, originally published in books of the 16th and 17th centuries. The text explains the pictures and the conditions which led to the discovery of the new world and the founding of the Spanish, French, English, and Dutch colonies. (6-8 grade).
Alcott. Lulu's Library: Contents: Silver party; Skipping shoes; Ebenezer visit to fairyland; Frost king and how the fairies conquered him; Lilybell and Thistle-down; or The Fairy Sleeping Beauty; Candy country; Sophie's secret; Trude's siege; music and Macaroni. (4-5 grade).
Bates. In Sunny Spain with Pilarica and Rafael: Story of a Spanish household, told in a most interesting way with bits of history and art and customs of the people skillfully woven in. The children's father and her brother go to the Spanish-American war and we see how

all churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 31.
The Golden Text is: "The Lord is good to all; and his tender mercies are over all his works" (Psalms 145:9).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For thus saith the Lord God; Behold, I, even I, will both search my sheep, and seek them out. . . . I will seek that which was lost, and bring again that which was driven away, and will bind up that which was broken, and will strengthen that which was sick" (Ezekiel 34: 11, 16). (Psalms 108:3).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God is not moved by the breath of praise to do more than He has already done, nor can the infinite do less than bestow all good, since He is unchanging wisdom and Love" (page 2).

Colum. Island of the Mighty: "Her stories of Celtic Britain retold from Mabonigin." "The stories live as they have not lived for boys and girls before, with a glow and color upon them that bids fair to keep them alive for years to come." (A. C. Moore). (6-8 grades).
Davies. Boy in Serbia: Depicts in an intimate way the home life of a child of the upper-farmer class, telling of the superstitious customs and the peaceful, honest life before the war. Some quaint legends are woven into the tale. Charming simple, dignified and instructive and filled with a joyous appreciation of home and country. (5-7 grades).
Dalglish. Relief's Rocker: a story of Sandy Cove and the sea: "Relief's Rocker" we have found particularly appealing with its altogether natural and unforced story. . . . here is a salty tang and talk that is real talk, and a little painted rocker that played a strange part in the mysterious return of a sea-faring uncle. (Rachel Riddle in Sat. red. lit.) (4-5 grades).
Field. Hepatica Hawk: About tall

Hepatica, her giant father, the mid-gel and other odd-sized persons in a traveling show of the nineties. (7-8 grades).
Fogler. Rutsy Pete of the Lazy AB: A story of ranch life. The heroes, Rutsy Pete, Chester, Nellie and her son, playing an important part in the story as do Mary Lou and her brother Alan, the owner of the ranch. (4-6 grades).
Hader. Farmer in the Dell: About the farmer, his family and all the animals that live on the farm and what they do each season of the year. A gay picture book. (1-4 grades).
Hall. Here-to-Yonder Girl: Tassie Tyler is the heroine of this well told story of mountain folk in one of the sequestered regions of Kentucky. Especially interesting to girls. (7-8 grades).
Hawthorne. Open Range: A fine story of the western plains region in the early days of big cattle drives and the introduction of barbed wire. Historically true and will appeal to boy. (7-8 grades).
Hess. Buckaroo: A story of Pinon ranch. An excellent picture of ranch life in the cattle country of Nevada. Appeal to girls. (7-8 grades).
Hine. Men at Work: Photographic studies of men at work building skyscrapers, on the railroads, in machine shops and in mines. (These are selections from Hine's best studies, which means that they are as fine as one could demand.) Survey (4-8 grades).
Hogan. Nicodemus and His Little Sister: Amusing pictures of the little darky whose well meaning efforts to take care of his still smaller sister only succeeded in getting her into one predicament after another. (2-3 grades).
Jacobi. Adventures of Andris: Andris who is nine years old, and his six-year-old sister, Kati, live on a large Hungarian farm. Hungarian customs are the feature of the episodes—especially the festivals that mark off the various periods of the year on the farm and in school. The lively illustrations keep the picturesque background vividly before the reader. (4-6 grades).
Justus. Other Side of the Mountain: Glory lived in a log cabin on the side of Little Twin Mountain. On the other side were Slab Town and Far Beyond, where Glory longed to go. This story of her life with her Mammy and Brother Matt and the Tennessee mountain neighbors is charmingly told by one who lives among them. (4-5 grades).
Kent. He Went With Marco Polo: A story of Venice and Cathay: The See (Library) Page Four.

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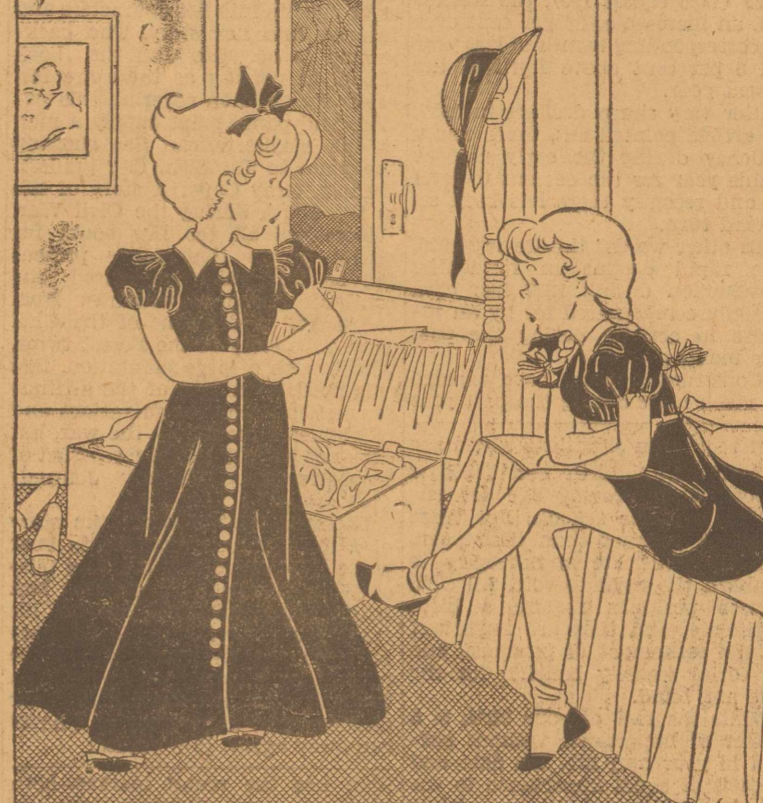
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A matter of such importance should not be neglected. The lack of a birth certificate can cause great inconvenience in any legal circumstance in which establishment of identity is necessary. To establish the fact that you have been born is usually regarded with humor, but there is the humor in law and a birth certificate does establish the fact of birth in a legal sense. While you may be forty and on some Monday mornings feel as if you were sixty, unless the beginning of those years is recorded, your school superintendent, your preacher, your lawyer and your social security administrator cannot cooperate with you in

Home Construction On Upward Trend for First Part of 1938

WASHINGTON, July 30. — An upward trend in construction of homes was pointed out today by the Federal Home Loan Bank Review upon the basis of records of the U. S. Labor Department, collected from cities of 10,000 and more population.

The building index for May reached 29 (1926 equals 100), the Review said, an increase of 25 per cent over the corresponding month of last year and 6 per cent above April of the present year.

After very sharp declines in 1937, the article pointed out, there was a tendency during the early months of this year for the descent to level off and recently there has been an upward turn.

"In other words," the Review said, "the rapid decline in residential construction during 1937 has been partially compensated for by an increase in activity during the past four months."

"Construction costs have tapered off much more during the past year than your request in situations where age is involved. A birth certificate is important in proving age for entrance to public schools. For those who look younger than their years a birth certificate is necessary to establish the right to vote. All Civil Service positions require a birth certificate, and they are important for the settlement of pensions, and for social security benefits for the aged and blind."

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Helen Stocking.

Library--

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story of a young gondolier of Venice who becomes the friend of young Marco Polo and accompanies him on his travels. The story is based on Marco Polo's own story and offers a colorful introduction to boys and girls. (6-8 grades).

Kent. Two Children of Tyre: The two children, David and Esther, lived 3000 years ago, when Solomon ruled in Jerusalem and Hiram was King in Tyre. Much information is given and the writer contrives to put life into her characters and interest into her story. The background is accurate and the book should be popular as there are few books for children covering this period. Good paper maps supply a map of the Mediterranean Sea showing the route to Tarshish. (5-7 grades).

Knox Gray Caps: A story of life in the South during the Civil War. "There are all too few books for young people that fairly present the motives which influenced the southern states to withdraw from the union at the time of the Civil War. This story of the Forest twins, who live on a large plantation, fills this need, as it tells of the attitude of the South and the privations and adjustments caused by the war, but does not go into the bitter period of reconstruction." (Library Journal) (7-8 grades).

Ladimore. Little Pear; the story of a little Chinese boy; Little Pear was a solemn looking, but very mischievous five-year-old Chinese boy. After many mishaps, due to his craving for adventure, Little Pear fell into the river and had to be rescued by a man on a house-boat. The outcome was that Little Pear decided to be a good boy and never run away again. (3-5 grades).

than has the rental market—both of these series showing signs of stabilizing somewhat during the February-May period. However, a downward trend in these series is still in evidence, especially in the prices of building materials.

"With the exception of brick and tile, all groups of wholesale building material prices indexes indicated either a decline or remained stationary during the month of May."

Numerically, 15,300 dwelling units were provided in May in cities of 10,000 or over, an increase of 500 over April and 600 more than in May, 1937.

"Although the number of dwelling units constructed had risen during the past three months in line with the number of units built in the corresponding period of 1937," the Review said, "the May total estimated cost of these units is still \$4,000,000 below May, 1937."

"In the United States as a whole, 24.3 family dwelling units were provided in May per 100,000 population. This represents an increase of slightly less than one unit over last month, and a similar rise in the rate over May, 1937."

Theatre Calendar

Yucca. Now through Tuesday: Bob Burns, Martha Raye, Dorothy Lamour and Ray Milland in "Tropic Holiday." Wednesday and Thursday: Melvyn Douglas and Florence Rice in "Fast Company." Friday and Saturday: Kay Francis and John Litel in "My Bill." Ritz. Now through Monday: Mickey Rooney and Freddie Bartholomew in "Lord Jeff." Tuesday and Wednesday: Stuart Erwin, Pauline Moore and Joan Woodbury in "Passport Husbands." Thursday only: Scott Colton and Mary Russell in "Extortion." Friday and Saturday: Bob Baker in "Border Wolves."

Girl Believes Flying Will Be Her Destiny

CLEVELAND, (U.P.)—Lyndel Barch, 17, believes that she is destined to become an aviatrix because her friends call her "Lindy" and she has the same birthday as Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. She also has her hair cut Amelia Earhart style. She wishes, however, that her black hair were blonde and her dark eyes blue so she would resemble Miss Earhart more closely.

Lyndel is president of the Cleveland Girls' Aeronautical Club, building model planes, collects books on flying and pictures of Amelia Earhart. She takes rides as often as possible with Mrs. Florence Boswell, governor of the Ninety-Nines, and honorary society of women fliers.

Ladies Salon Will Be Reopened Monday

It was learned Saturday that W. E. McCarrier had purchased the business here known as the Ladies Salon after the former owner had gone into bankruptcy. The business will be open tomorrow morning.

Insurance Savings Total 6 1/2 Billion in Canada

MONTREAL, (U.P.)—Canada's insurance savings of \$6,500,000,000 still lack nearly \$1,000,000,000 of equalling the public debt, George

Lyndel has not decided on a career yet, but thinks that she might like to fly or perhaps design airplanes. She wants to enter a school of aeronautics next fall.

H. Harris of the Sun Life Assurance Company, said in an address here.

"Criticizing those who would place discriminatory taxes on insurance companies, Harris said, the taxes lessened the heritage of savings built up by much sacrifice. He termed the insurance figures a heritage of savings to be passed on to the next generation and characterized the public debt as a debt

Washington lived in the days before modern dental surgery, and, as a result, he seldom smiled.

All of the pictures made of him in his later years attest to poorly fitted teeth. He kept his lips tightly pressed together to prevent his springy dental plate from leaping from his mouth.

with which coming generations would be saddled.

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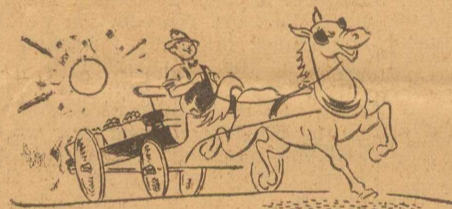
America's favorite tropical lovers, Dorothy Lamour and Ray Milland, will be seen against a Mexican background for the first time when Paramount's new musical romance, "Tropic Holiday," opens today at the Yucca theatre. Bob Burns and Martha Raye share top honors in all the gaiety!

The Story of OD and AD

[OD and AD owned neighboring farms. Both decided to grow tomatoes. But when their tomatoes were ripe, OD and AD had different ideas as to how they should sell them. This is the story of what happened.]

and the TOMATOES

How OD and AD Sold Their Tomatoes



OD filled baskets with his tomatoes and put them in a wagon and drove to town. He went up and down the streets looking for people who wanted to buy tomatoes. Some days he sold all. Some days he sold only a few. When the season was over, he found he had made just enough to live on.



AD thought there must be a better way to sell his tomatoes. He knew he must tell people about them, but he decided he could never sell very many tomatoes if he talked to people one at a time. So he used one of the simplest forms of ADVERTISING. He built a stand by the side of the road where many

people passed. He put up a sign that said: "AD's big, red, ripe, juicy tomatoes." Because so many people saw the sign, enough people stopped to buy so that he sold all his ripe tomatoes every day. Many who bought, remembering his name on the sign, came back again and again. When the season was over, he had money in the bank.

One day AD heard that tomato juice was healthful and good to drink. He thought it would also be convenient to handle, to sell, and to serve in the home. He told OD about it. The next year both decided to make and sell tomato juice.

How OD and AD Sold Their Tomato Juice



OD's wife squeezed tomatoes all day and put the juice in bottles. OD took it to town and went from door to door, looking for people who wanted to buy tomato juice. In a whole day he could call at only about 50 homes. As most people had never heard of tomato juice and did not know how good it was, he sold only a few bottles each day.



AD felt sure there was a better way to make and sell his tomato juice. He took some money from the bank and bought a shiny new press that squeezed out juice easily and quickly. He put the juice in bottles that could be tightly sealed. He had labels printed for the bottles, reading: AD'S PURE TOMATO JUICE.

He went to the grocery stores in town, where many people came every day, and asked the grocers to put a few of his bottles on their counters. Then he put an advertisement in newspapers read by thousands of people. The advertisement said: "Enjoy the refreshing taste of AD'S PURE TOMATO JUICE, pressed from big, red, vine-ripened tomatoes. Good to drink and good for you. At your favorite grocery store."

Because so many people read about it, enough people asked for it to exhaust the supply quickly. And remembering AD's name on the label they came back and asked for it again. So AD bought tomatoes from his neighbors and made more tomato juice to supply the demand.

What OD and AD Did The Next Year



OD and his wife decided that if they were going to make any money, they would have to work harder. So she got up earlier in the morning and picked tomatoes and squeezed and bottled juice all day. OD spent a longer day in town trying to see more people in order to sell more bottles. But, even though OD and his wife worked long and hard, they could not make any money.

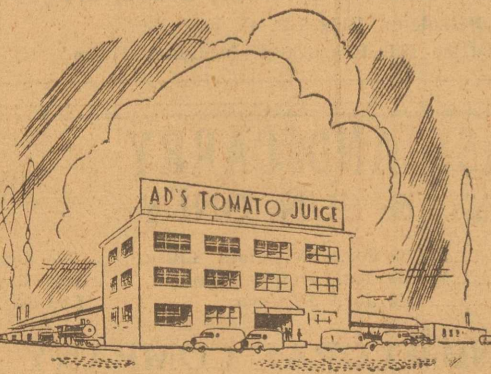


AD now saw how true it was that the more people he told about his tomato juice, the more he sold. So he advertised in other cities, telling women how good tomato juice was for their families to drink. He also sent salesmen to call on grocers. He got so many orders that he arranged to buy tomatoes from hundreds of other farmers, built a bigger building, bought more equipment, more

bottles and labels, and employed more people. AD knew that, because his name was on every bottle, he must always maintain the high quality of his product. And, because he did this, women soon insisted on AD'S PURE TOMATO JUICE.

AD already had found that the more he advertised and the more bottles he sold, the less it cost him to put up each bottle. Therefore, as his advertising was extended all over the country and his sales increased, he reduced the price. Thus more and more people could afford to enjoy tomato juice, and, although his profit per bottle was now very small indeed, he sold so many bottles that he had a very fine business. So both AD and his customers were benefited.

AD tells OD how an Idea Became an Industry—through ADVERTISING



ONE DAY, years later, OD called on his old neighbor AD. He said, "It's remarkable how your business has grown since you got that idea about selling tomato juice."

"Yes," said AD, "but even more important have been the benefits to other people. We are now only one out of many producers of tomato juice. Yet we take all the tomatoes grown by more than a thousand farmers who have here an assured market for their crops. We give steady employment the year round to several hundred

people and employ hundreds more on part-time. We pay more than half a million dollars a year to manufacturers of cans, bottles, labels, supplies, and equipment.

"The entire industry now sells more than twenty million dollars worth of tomato juice a year and the public enjoys its healthful benefits—at the lowest price at which it ever has been sold. Yes, tomato juice was a great idea, but that idea would have benefited very few—without ADVERTISING to tell the story."

CARDS EVEN SERIES WITH HUBBERS; HOBBS HERE TODAY

EVANS, BARNHILL HIT HOMERS TO COP GAME, 3-1

The Midland Cardinals resumed their place two games behind the league leading Lubbock Hubbers by defeating that club last night by a score of 3-1, thereby gaining an even split in the two-game series.

Frank Nelson was the winning hurler last night, giving the Hubbers only four hits, all of them singles. But he had to have some heavy hitting help from his mates and it was supplied by outfielder Evans and second baseman Barnhill. Charley Bryan kept Midland's nine hits well scattered but Barnhill and Evans each came through with home runs that provided the margin of victory.

The Cardinals meet the cellar Hobbs Boosters here this afternoon at three o'clock in the first of a three-game series. Probable pitching choice of the Cardinals will be Soule or Parks. Games with the Boosters will be played on Monday and Tuesday nights.

The Cardinals got off to a one-run lead in the second inning of last night's game on Evans' home run and were never headed as Nelson was retiring the side in order in six of the nine innings. The Red Birds' second tally came in the third frame when Nelson doubled to start the inning and romped home on a single by Morris. The final run was made in the fifth when Barnhill got hold of one that barely cleared the center field pailings.

The lone Lubbock run came in the fourth. When Gedzius singled, advanced to second on a wild pitch by Nelson and came on home when Taylor singled. The Hubbers loaded the bases in the fifth on singles by Hillin and Melito and the only base on balls of the night, from Nelson to Bryan, but the Card righthander bore down to strike out Gedzius and Mosel and retire the side. Only one Hubber got on after that. Carr in the sixth when Guinn muffed his grounder. Nelson retired the first nine men up in order and finished up by retiring the last ten, four of them on strikes.

The box score:

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Lubbock	4	1	1	1	2	0
Gedzius, ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Mosel, 1	4	0	0	3	0	0
Taylor, 3	4	0	1	3	0	0
Stevens, 2	4	0	0	3	1	0
Carr, lf	4	0	0	5	0	0
Watkins, m	3	0	0	2	0	0
x - Miller	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hillin, r	3	0	1	6	1	0
Melito, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Bryan, p	2	0	0	0	0	0

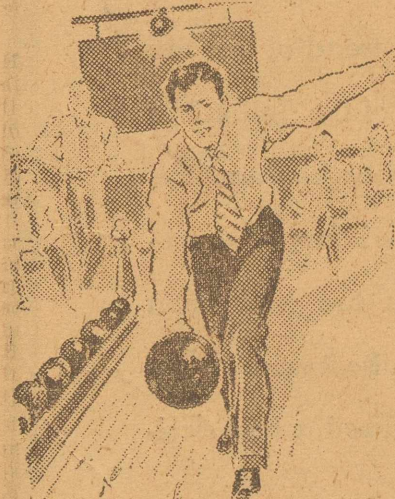
Totals

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Midland	4	1	2	2	2	0
Barnhill, 2	4	1	2	2	2	0
Morris, lf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Battle, ss	4	0	2	3	0	0
Ballingier, c	4	0	0	10	0	0
Suytar, 1	3	0	1	6	1	0
Garbe, m	3	0	0	0	0	0
Evans, r	3	1	2	0	1	0
Guinn, 3	3	0	0	1	0	1
Nelson, p	3	1	1	2	0	0

Totals 31 3 9 27 5 2
x-Miller batted for Watkins in ninth.

Score by innings: Lubbock 000 100 000-1
Midland 011 010 00x-3
Summary: Home runs—Evans, Barnhill, Double—Nelson. Runs batted in—Evans, Barnhill, Morris, Taylor. Base on balls—off Nelson 1. Struck out—Nelson 9, Bryan 6. Left on base—Midland 5, Lubbock 5. Double plays—Stevens to Gedzius to Mosel. Earned runs—Midland 3, Lubbock 1. Umpires: Pettigrew and Rowland. Time: 1:42.

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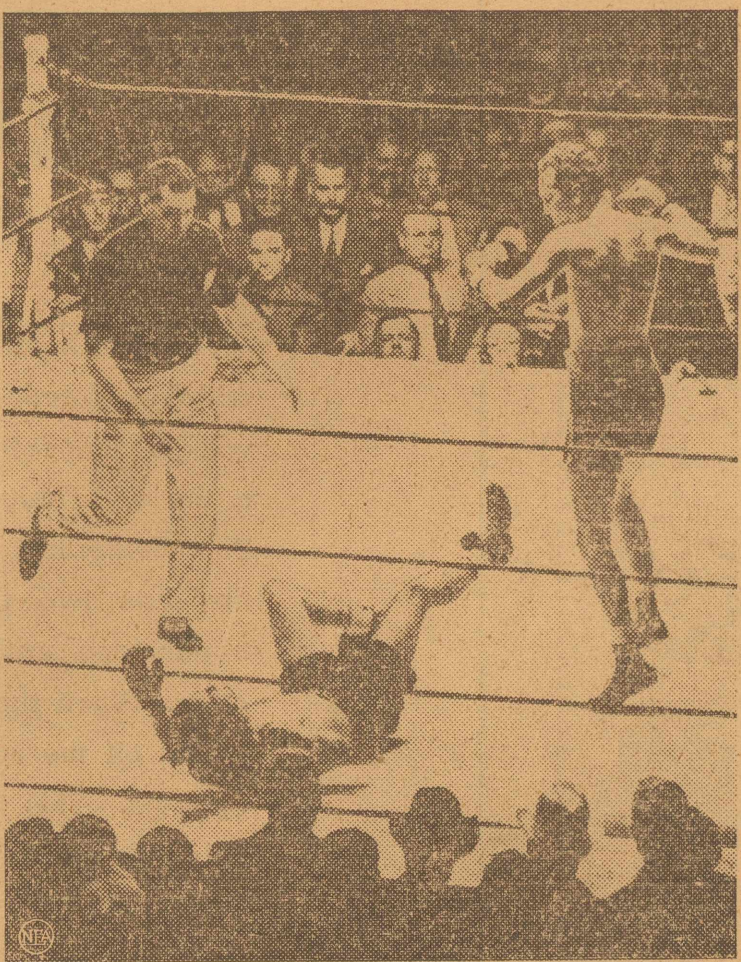
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Coaches Begin Trek to Annual Coaching School That Will Be Held at Lubbock

LUBBOCK, July 30. — Over the week-end high school coaches from over the state began their trek to Lubbock for the sixth annual coaching school of Texas High School Football Coaches Association, which will begin Monday, August 1. More than 400 coaches have made reservations for the week's school.

Instructions in double and single wing formation, the famous Notre Dame formation—punt formation—line play—line play defense—and the latest theory in football practices will constitute the classes beginning each morning at 7:30 and continuing throughout the day until 5:45.

John "Ox" DaGrosa, former coach of the Philadelphia Eagles of the National Professional League; Harry Stuhldreher of Wisconsin University, the one-time famous All-American quarterback of the Four Horsemen of Notre Dame; Lynn Wolford of Northwestern University, ranked as one of the greatest in the game today; and Frank Leahy, line coach of the Fordham team, will instruct.

The final windup of this school will be the annual all-star football game, the fourth of its kind, between the Senior All-Stars of North and South Texas teams. The game will be played at the famous Texas Tech stadium Saturday night, August 6 at 8:30.

The state is divided into two sections—Class A football Districts 1 through 8, and the corresponding Class B Districts furnishing the players for the North team, and Class A football Districts 9 through

16 and the corresponding B Districts furnishing the players for the South Texas team. These teams will be coached and prepared for the game during the week of the school by coaches of the staff, Waldorf guiding the South Texas team and Stuhldreher piloting the northern eleven. Those attending this school may see the way the big time coaches teach their teams and prepare them for the game.

Such high school all-stars as Joe Schwartzing, end from Waco, Durwood L. Pevento, 235 pound tackle from Port Arthur, V. D. Bassey, guard from Austin, Noble Doss, Enel Wasson of Temple, Ronald Brumbaugh, 175 pound end from Ft. Worth, Jack Ware, 212 pound Lubbock tackle, Dan Reese of Ft. Worth, Preacher Fleming of Wichita Falls, backs, and Lilius Viden, 190 pound center from Abilene, in all probability will be in the starting line-up.

A few choice seats remain and can be purchased for 75 cents each with no extra charge for reservations if purchased prior to the day of the game.

Bon Voyage Gifts That Last. Rather than the conventional bon voyage gifts of candy, fruit or flowers, crusing friends might prefer more permanent gifts—gifts that make traveling smoother and pleasanter and possibly will be useful when the trip is only a pleasant memory. Perhaps an eight-day traveling clock, or a compact little case contains of silver spoon, fork, knife and bottle opener, or a silver match box and several refills, would

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The Standings

West Texas-New Mexico.

Team	W. L.	Pct.	
Lubbock	57	41	582
Midland	54	42	563
Clovis	46	43	517
Wink	45	45	500
Big Spring	39	51	433
Hobbs	39	59	398

Midland 3, Lubbock 1.
Big Spring 14, Hobbs 6.
Wink 8, Clovis 6.
Hobbs at Midland.
Big Spring at Clovis.
Lubbock at Wink.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.
American League.
New York 9, Chicago 6.
Detroit 10-8, Philadelphia 7-7.
Cleveland 8, Washington 5.
Boston 5, St. Louis 4 (11¹/₂ innings).

National League.

Team	W. L.	Pct.
Philadelphia 5, Chicago 4.		
St. Louis 8, Boston 2.		
Pittsburgh 9, Brooklyn 2.		
New York 3, Cincinnati 2.		

LEAGUE STANDINGS—American League

Team	W. L.	Pct.	
New York	54	30	543
Cleveland	54	38	587
Boston	51	33	607
Detroit	46	46	500
Washington	46	47	495
Chicago	35	43	449
Philadelphia	29	53	354
St. Louis	26	59	303

National League.

Team	W. L.	Pct.	
Pittsburgh	57	31	544
New York	54	38	587
Chicago	50	40	556
Cincinnati	49	42	538
Brooklyn	41	49	456
Boston	39	47	453
St. Louis	38	50	432
Philadelphia	28	59	323

GAMES TODAY.
American League.
New York at Chicago.
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Friday's Game

The box score:

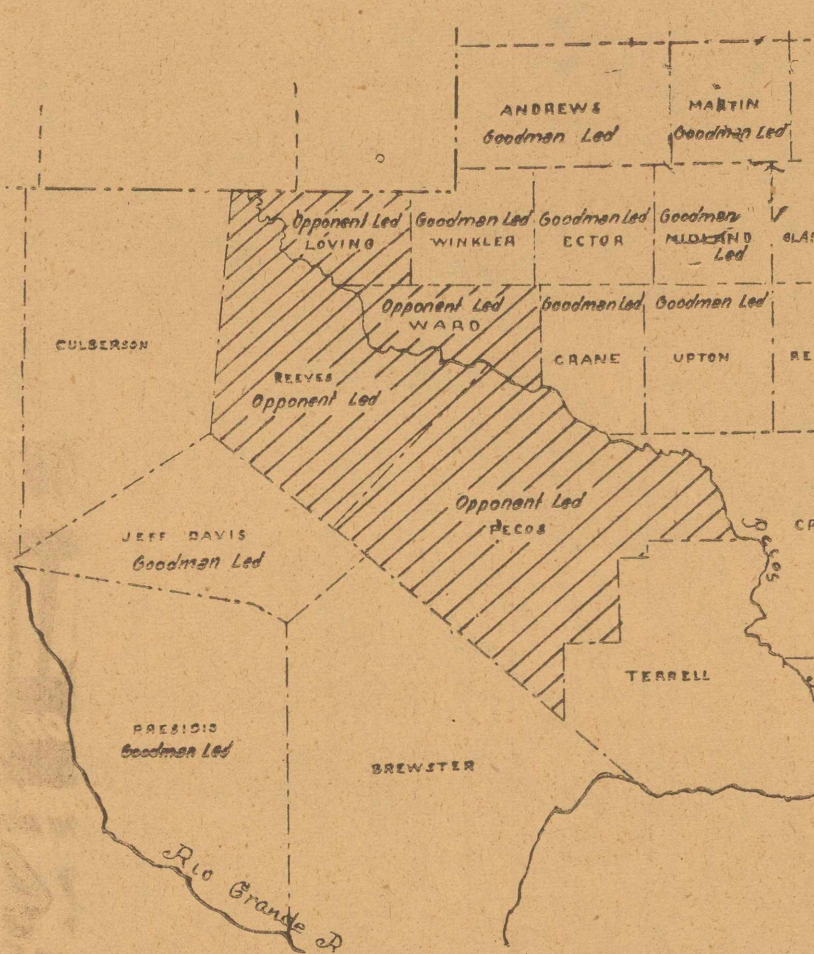
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Taylor, 3	3	1	1	0	0	0
Stevens, 2	4	1	3	3	0	0
Miller, c	3	0	0	12	2	3
Carr, lf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Watkins, m	3	1	0	1	0	0
Hillin, r	3	0	0	3	0	0
Fleming, p	4	0	1	1	0	1

Totals

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Barnhill, 2	5	0	1	4	1	0
Morris, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Battle, ss	2	2	2	2	2	0
Evans, r	3	1	0	1	0	0
Suytar, 1	3	1	0	12	0	0
Garbe, m	4	0	1	1	0	0
Guinn, 3	2	0	0	1	1	0
Beers, c	3	0	0	9	2	0
Franklin, p	3	0	0	0	1	1
x - Ballinger	0	0	0	0	0	0
xx - Soule	0	0	0	0	0	0

Score by innings: Lubbock 005 001 000-6
Midland 110 000 020-4
Summary: Home runs—Carr, Runs batted in—Gedzius, Stevens, Miller, Carr 3. Struck out—by Franklin 9, by Fleming 12. Base on balls—off Franklin 4, off Fleming 8. Double plays—Barnhill to Battle to Suytar 2, Stevens to Mosel. Hit by pitcher—Fleming (Evans), Franklin—(Taylor, Hillin). Left on base—Midland 7, Lubbock 5. Earned runs—Lubbock 6, Umpires—Rowland and Pettigrew. Time: 1:50.

Chart Depicts Representatives Race



The above map shows how results of the first democratic primary July 23 were scored in the representative's race in the 38th district. Final tabulation of votes showed that Jas. H. Goodman, Midland attorney, ran ahead of Clyde Bradford, incumbent, in nine of the 13 counties in the district. Goodman was ahead of Bradford in Andrews, Martin, Midland, Ector, Winkler, Upton, Crane, Jeff Davis and Presidio counties while Bradford led in Pecos, Loving, Reeves and Ward—his home county.

DISTRICT SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD IN ODESSA ON AUGUST 15

ODESSA, July 30. (Special) — The district tournament of the Amateur Softball Association of America, will open here Monday, August 15, George Elliott, district commissioner, announced today. The first and second place winners will take part in the regional meet in Sweetwater, August 22. Deadline for entering the local tournament is August 10, since entries must be in the state office at Houston by August 13. Entrance fee in the meet is \$5 per team. Teams in the district include all of the territory from Big Spring on the east to El Paso on the west. Teams that advance from the district meet to the regional will be permitted to drop three players and add three new ones. The state meet will be held in Abilene, August 29.

Two teams will represent Odessa in the district meet here with the Permian Truckers, first half winners of the local league a sure entry. Either Elliott hotel or Sun Oil will be the other team to represent this city in the tournament. Elliott and Sun open a two-out-of-three game series Thursday night to decide the second half winner and the right to meet the Truckers for the full season title. The two finalists will be eligible to take part in the district tourney here, Elliott said. At least one Midland team, possibly others will enter the tournament. The Midland All-Stars are expected to file their entry Monday and there may be one or two other clubs picked from the Petroleum and Industrial leagues to enter.

San Angelo Softball Club Will Play Here

The Western-Bilt softball team, sponsored by the Western Mattress company of San Angelo, one of the strongest teams of West Texas, will be here to play the Midland All-Star team one night in the latter part of this week. Date for the game has been tentatively set for either Friday or Saturday night. An announcement of the game time will be made as soon as all arrangements are completed. On the night of the game, a mattress and one pair of pillows will be given away by company officials to the holders of lucky tickets. No admission will be charged to the game and the tickets will be distributed free.

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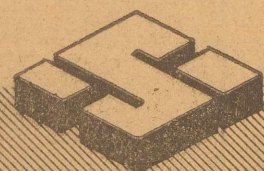
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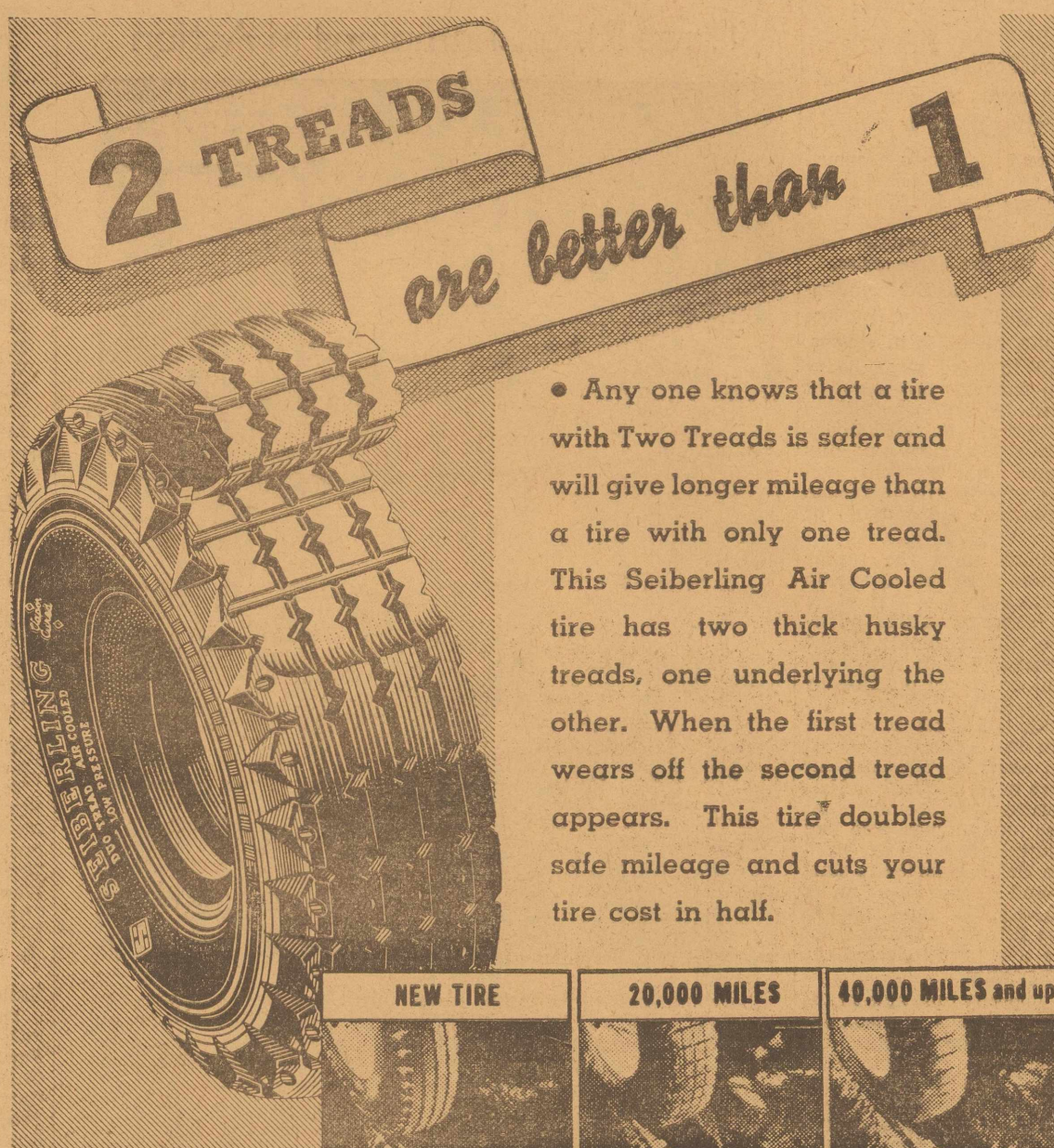
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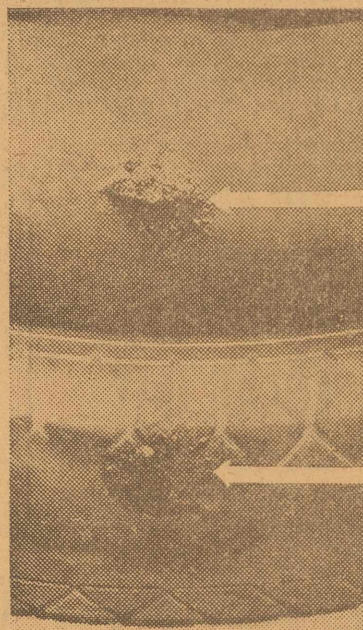
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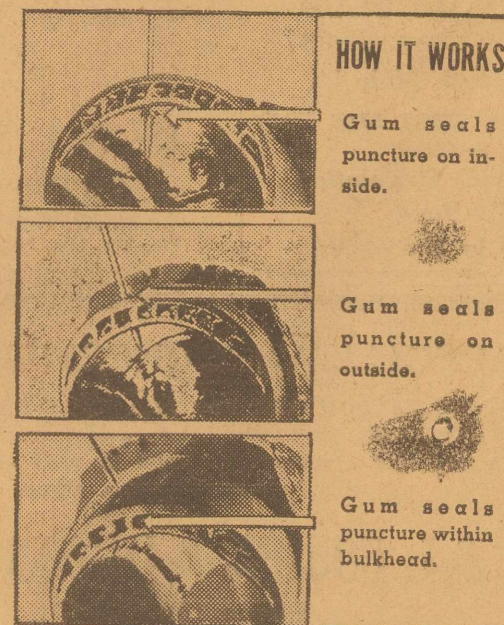
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GARAGE apartment; nicely furnished. Phone 1338. (123-1)

TWO-ROOM apartment; utilities paid; couple preferred. Phone 231. (123-1)

FURNISHED apartment; close in. 113 North Big Spring. (123-1)

TWO-ROOM garage apartment. Apply 605 North Big Spring. (123-3)

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THREE-ROOM furnished apartment; couple only; no dogs. 610 North Big Spring. (123-3)

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THREE rooms; modern; with sleeping porch; garage; big yard. Inquire 200 North Big Spring. (123-1)

FOUR-ROOM unfurnished duplex; private bath. Apply 1607 West Wall before 12 o'clock noon. (123-1)

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\$1,600.00, new 5-room frame house; \$1,500.00 5-room frame; \$1,600.00 new 3-room frame, \$200.00 cash, \$50.00 month. Mrs. L. A. Denton, phone 804. (122-2)

10 BEDROOMS 10

BEDROOM; 4 blocks north of post office; private entrance; connecting bath and phone. 602 North Loraine. (123-1)

SOUTHEAST bedroom in brick home; private entrance; adjoining bath. 714 West Storey. (123-3)

NICELY furnished bedroom; close in; across street from private boarding house. 106 South Pecos, phone 1259-J. (123-1)

BEDROOM; private entrance; close in. 307 North Marienfeld, phone 884. (123-3)

SOUTHEAST bedroom; private entrance. Phone 731, 501 N. Marienfeld. (122-2)

15 MISCELLANEOUS 15

HOME laundering done at 1407 South Main; reasonable prices; good work. (123-3)

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SANITARY rug cleaning; scientific rug and upholstery cleaning; satisfaction guaranteed. San Angelo, Texas; Midland agent, C. C. Hiett, phone 1410. (8-1-38)

ROUNTREE'S Private Boarding House; menus changed daily; monthly rates; phone reservations for Sunday dinners. 10, S. Pecos, phone 278. (6-14-38)

500 Books Given to College at Sherman

SHERMAN (P).—Austin college announces that approximately 500 books on history and government were bequeathed to the college library by the late M. Millian Stevenson of Fort Worth, who died last year. The books were brought to the college by Dr. George L. Landolt, vice president and business manager, more than a week ago. W. H. Stevenson of Fort Worth, father of Miss Stevenson, recently notified college authorities his daughter had requested that her library be given to the college, maintained and supported by the Southern Presbyterian church in Texas.

Also received with Miss Stevenson's collection of books was a large number of art prints and photographs taken by the donor while traveling. Miss Stevenson was a graduate of Daniel Baker college and studied at the University of Texas, University of Chicago and the University of Pennsylvania where she received the doctor of philosophy degree.

Miss Stevenson also did research work at the University of Manchester, Eng., on a Pythian Research Fellowship in 1922. She was head of the department of history at Rhode Island State college when she died.

During her educational career, Miss Stevenson taught at Brownwood and Fort Worth high schools; Agnes Scott college at Decatur, Ga., and the Constantinople Women's college in Turkey. In 1935, she was president of the New England History Teachers' association. She also was president of the Rhode Island History association, a member of the executive board of the Rhode Island Foreign Policy association, and a founder of the Rhode Island college.

Mysterious Poisoner Feared in Montreal

MONTREAL (U.P.)—Police here are seeking a mysterious woman who paid a young boy to deliver a box of poisoned candy to a home in the fashionable Westmount residential district.

Police refused to disclose the name of the woman for whom the candy was intended. Medico-legal experts who examined it said it contained a large quantity of Paris green.

King Snake Vanquishes Rattler in One Round

LEMON COVE, Cal. (U.P.)—Mr. and Mrs. Len Bequette witnessed a royal battle here between a king snake and a rattlesnake that ended in a real finish for the rattler.

The king snake, oblivious of the presence of human being, crawled upon the rattler, wrapped itself around the latter's body, squeezed it to death, and then worked up toward the rattler's head, which it began to swallow. Within an hour and a half, the king snake had swallowed half of the rattler and by the next morning the rattler was entirely consumed.

London's false fire alarms are growing more numerous annually. During 1935 there were 1271 such calls, as compared with only 633 in 1932.

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Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Run-off election Saturday, August 27, 1938.

For District Judge:
 CECIL C. COLLINGS (Of Howard County)
 PAUL MOSS (Of Ector County)

For District Attorney:
 BOYD LAUGHLIN (Of Midland County)
 MARTELL McDONALD (Of Howard County)

For Representative:
 JAMES H. GOODMAN (Of Midland County)
 CLYDE BRADFORD (Of Ward County) Re-Election

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
 B. T. GRAHAM Re-Election
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Wasting No Time



By EDGAR MARTIN

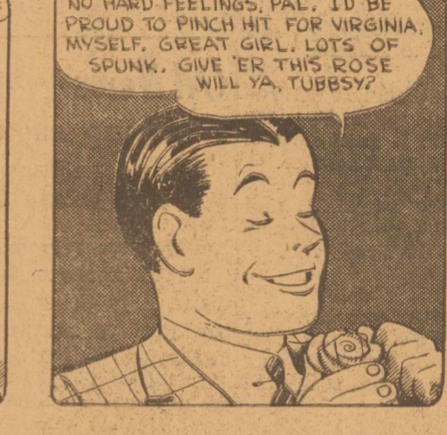
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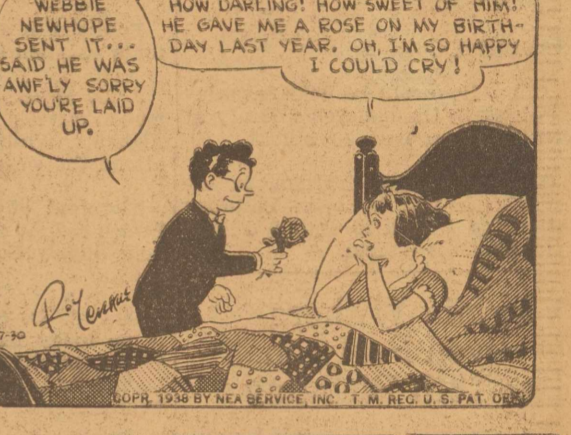
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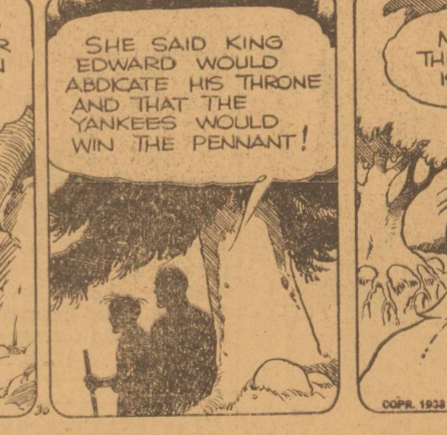
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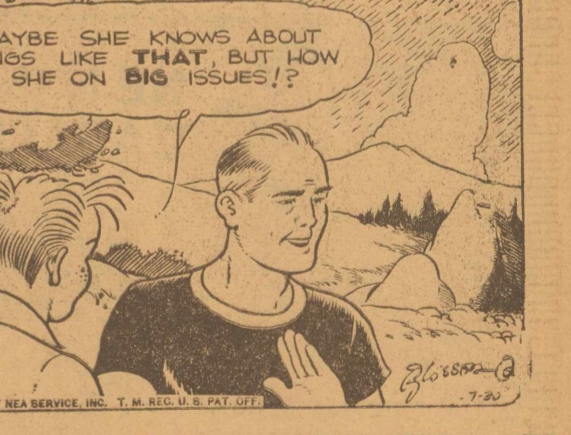
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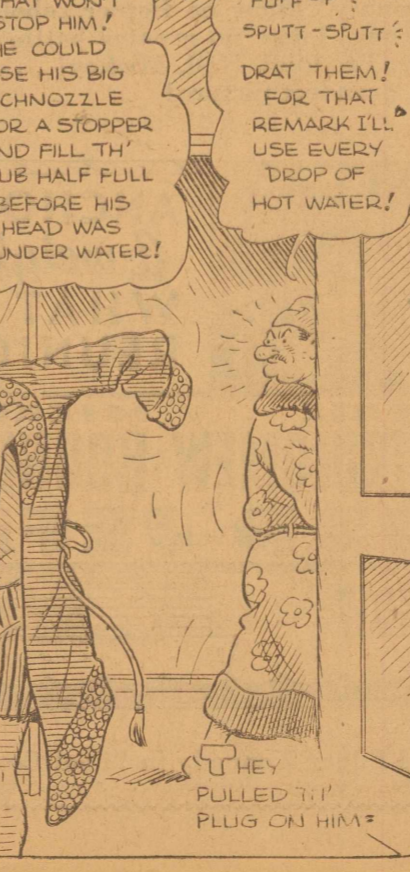
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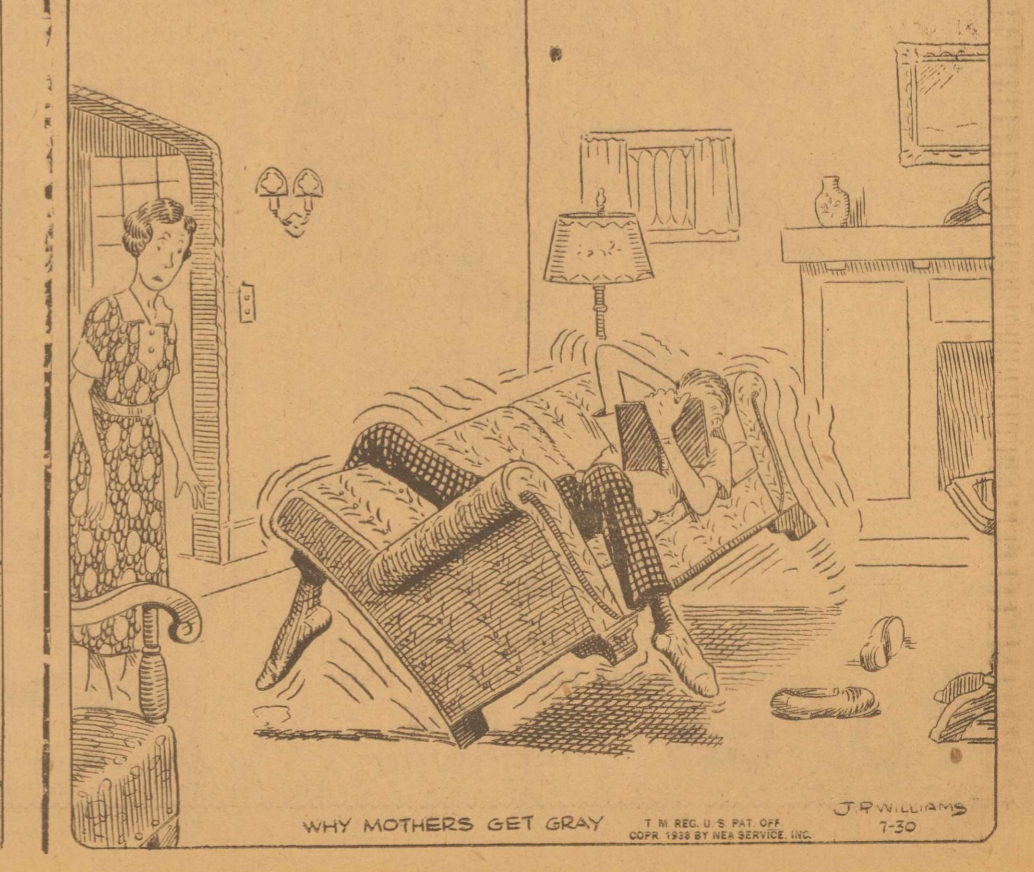
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Announcements

MONDAY. Christian Women's Council will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30. Circle No. 2 will be hostess.

TUESDAY. Midland county museum, in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY. Midland county health program will be broadcast over KRLH at 11 o'clock.

THURSDAY. The Midland county museum, in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

FRIDAY. Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. D. E. Holster, 206 A, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Saturday. Story Hour will be held Saturday morning in the children's library at the courthouse at 10 o'clock.

Midland county museum, in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

Virginia Withers Is Given Party on Her 13th Birthday

Virginia Withers was honored on her thirteenth birthday with a party given by her mother, Mrs. F. E. Withers, and Mrs. W. F. Chandler, at the Withers' home, 405 N. C.

Personals

Zelma Zimmerman is spending a few days with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Buck King, on their ranch near Odessa.

Miss Aurelia Proffitt of Abilene

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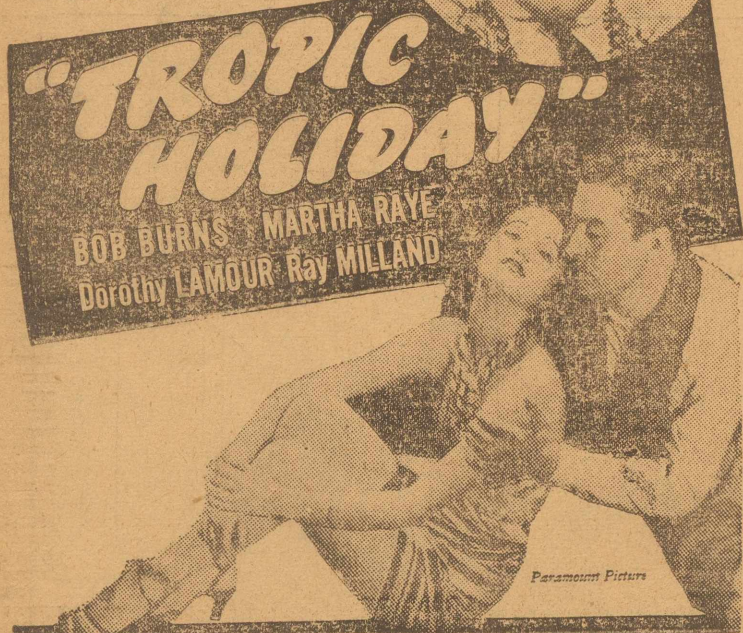
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Yucca NOW SHOWING

Hail Mickey and Freddie!



Mickey Rooney and Freddie Bartholomew come to the Ritz theatre today in their latest and grandest picture, 'Lord Jeff.' A drama as big as Texas of two boys at the forge of manhood!

is spending her vacation in Midland visiting friends.

Close-out of 1938 RCA, GE and Zenith radios; real bargains. Household Supply Co., 113 East Wall.

Paul Smith and family left today for a vacation trip to Arizona.

J. D. Heyes, watchmaker at Inman's Jewelry left Saturday for Alabama. While he is gone he will attend the wedding of his sister.

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Mrs. J. C. Smith was expected home today from Dallas and Fort Worth, having spent the past week buying for the J. C. Smith ready-to-wear store.

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J. P. H. McMullan will leave today for Kansas City to buy merchandise for his store here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Trammell have returned from a two week trip to Ranger, Fort Worth, and Galveston. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Floyd of Kermit.

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Mrs. M. Damron and daughter, Doris, of Crane, visited in Midland Friday.

Perry Collins has returned from

Abilene where he took a short course.

Judge Chas. L. Klapproth, his wife, and niece, Miss Alice Louise Denton of Corvallis, Oregon, will leave Monday for Savannah, Fla., and from there they will cruise to Cuba.

Oil News-

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Gulf No. 1 Swenson, in northeast Garza, is drilling lime at 6,916 feet.

The Delaware Basin's newest producer, Argo No. 1-TX, in the Mason pool of northwestern Loving, swabbed 26 barrels of oil in 12 hours while cleaning out to 3,935 feet.

Argo No. 1-B-TX, on the east edge of the pool, stopped drilling at 3,940 feet in gray lime to cement 5 1/2-inch casing on bottom with 200 sacks and is now standing.

Sun No. 4 Payton, in the Payton pool of Pecos, flowed 173.98 barrels a day on official potential test, with accompanying gas in the ratio of 857-1. It topped pay at 1,965 and was shot with 160 quarts after bottoming hole at 2,025.

Magnolia No. 1-A McKee, Imperial area deep test in northern Pecos, is cleaning out caving on top of lost sand pump at 5,223 feet. Total depth is 5,300, plugged back from 6,267.

Sinclair-Prarie No. 14 Arch-en-hold, in the Shipley pool of southeastern Ward county, pumped 402.12 barrels a day after treating with 5,000 gallons at 3,025 feet. Pay was topped at 2,840, and gas-oil ratio is 401-1.

Three completions were reported yesterday for Howard county fields. In the Howard-Glasscock pool, Magnolia No. 1 Scott pumped at the rate of 1,227 barrels a day, with gas-oil ratio of 9-1, after shooting with 880 quarts at 2,867 feet.

Magnolia No. 6 Hyman-Chalk rated 1,470 barrels daily on pump, bottomed at 2,990 feet. It topped pay at 2,775 and was shot with 320 quarts. In the Snyder pool, Moore Brothers No. 2-A-TX, flowed 733-32 barrels a day, with gas-oil ratio of 475-1, following a 600-quart shot. Pay was entered at 2,620, and total depth is 2,785.

New Mexico Wildcat. Southeast New Mexico's "hottest" wildcat, Tide Water No. 1-L State, three miles east of the town of Tatum in northeastern Lea county, yesterday was scheduled to drill plug from surface pipe set at 295 feet. Total depth was 390 feet in red rock. Location is the center of the northeast of the northwest of section 23-12s-36e.

Located on a seismograph pic-

NOTICE

I have purchased the business formerly operated in Midland known as the Ladies Salon. In the purchase I acquired all accounts receivable, which are now due and payable to me at 208 West Texas Ave., in addition to the stock and fixtures. The business will be open to the public tomorrow morning.

W. E. McCarriar.

Ancient Indian Pipes Get Fireproof Security

FT. GELKNAP, Mont. (U.P.) — Plans are being made to put religious objects of the Gros Ventres Indian tribe in a fireproof building for preservation.

Of particular interest are two pipes possessed by the Indians. The flat pipe is believed to have been given to the tribe when the world was made, and the feathered pipe is said to have been given an ancient chief during a violent storm.

The keepers of the pipes have died and so great is the superstition concerning the objects, even among Christian members of the tribe, that they will not touch them. Several offers of money have been made by museums and private collectors.

Roped in Shallow Water U. S. Finds Veteran,

ASHEVILLE, N. C. (U.P.) — An Asheville druggist has been presented three additional medals by the Federal government for service during the World War.

James P. Adams, who served as a marine captain during the war, already had received the Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, two Croix de Guerre, the Victory medal with five clasps and other decorations.

Adams recently applied for membership in the marine reserve corps and when authorities reviewed his record he was awarded the Silver Star with oak leaves, the Purple Heart and the Marine Expeditionary Force medal.

Marlin of 1,126 Pounds Gives Him 3 Medals

VICTORIA, Australia. (U.P.) — Although not rating himself as an angler, J. Pearson is believed to have established a new world record by the capture of a 1,126 pound black marlin. However, his technique in catching the fish would probably disqualify him as title holder.

While sitting on the beach, Pearson saw the marlin swimming straight for the shore until it was stranded in shallow water. Pearson hastily got a rope, tied it around the marlin's tail, and with the aid of the next incoming wave hauled it out of reach of the outgoing tide.

Nation Held Becoming Water-Safety Conscious

WASHINGTON, (U.P.) — The American Red Cross national aquatic schools have more than 200,000 enrollees for the first time since the schools were started in 1922, the Red Cross announced.

"It is obviously an indication that America is becoming water-safety conscious," explained H. F. Enlows, director of the Red Cross life-saving program.

"It will be necessary to shift applicants to avoid turning enrollees away." The Red Cross this year will conduct 15 schools in 14 states. The students may study First Aid and Accident Prevention; Life Saving and Water Safety; Swimming and Diving; and Small Craft Operation and Safety.

Gallaghers Total 33 On Nominating Petition

CLEVELAND, (U.P.) — A nominating petition signed by 33 Gallaghers and notarized by a 34th was received by Common Pleas Judge Samuel H. Silbert.

The long trail was circulated by Michael H. Gallagher, former councilman, who was the first signer, and 32 of the other signers were his first and second cousins.

Jellyfish's Sting Fatal.

DARWIN, North Australia (U.P.) — Thomas Chandler, 11-year-old half-caste, collapsed and died here after being stung by a huge jellyfish. The long trailers of the jellyfish wound themselves about the boy's body as he was bathing and he was stung directly over the heart.

Under these conditions he is almost certain to break a bone. Recently he fell and broke his leg for the fifth time and all, he declares, because he failed to take the necessary alcoholic precautions.

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Wadley's

Frogs and Toads Tames as Hobby; Strangers Make Them "Hopping Mad"

CLEVELAND, (U.P.) — Mrs. Grace D. Mason's hobby keeps her "on the jump."

She raises frogs. It is her hobby exclusively, she said, because she is interested in all wild life, and frogs and toads in particular.

"I'd never think of sacrificing the lives of Mama and Papa or little Spooky so I could have a meal of frog legs," she said.

Mama and Papa are two big Jumbo frogs. They have been pets for two or three years.

Spooky — a little green frog — lives up to his name. Once Spooky hopped out of his aquarium and hid under a nearby radiator.

The other frog possessing a name is Allan. He is another green frog, the namesake of the little boy across the street who found him in Michigan. Her other dozens of "hoppers" are nameless.

All are very tame around people they know. Mrs. Mason said. But the presence of a stranger makes them "hopping mad."

"It's the punk that handling toads gives you warts," the feminine frog-fancier said. "When I was a little girl in Michigan I

Alcohol Taken as Bone Food.

ALAMEDA, Cal. (U.P.) — Bill Hill who lives in an ark on the estuary here is convinced that if he does not have enough alcohol in his system, his bones get brittle.

Under these conditions he is almost certain to break a bone. Recently he fell and broke his leg for the fifth time and all, he declares, because he failed to take the necessary alcoholic precautions.

To Workhouse on Day Off.

CLEVELAND (U.P.) — Theodore Regan's employer gave him a day off so he could go to the workhouse. Regan, who pleaded guilty in traffic court to a speeding charge, told Judge Julius Kovachy that he could not go to the workhouse for three days as he would lose his job.

Owl Attacks Whistlers.

OBERLIN, O. (U.P.) — A large owl, which makes its home in a tree on the Oberlin college campus, attacked more than a score of students because it apparently was annoyed by whistling. Eugene Veverka, sophomore of Cleveland, was the most seriously injured. His forehead was lacerated by the bird's claws.

Marriage Course Proposed.

URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, Ill. (U.P.) — The student senate at the University of Illinois has asked the school administration to introduce a course in marriage problems restricted to seniors.

Trained rat catchers, who work on ships in London docks, must estimate the number of rats in a ship before beginning their work of extermination.

Advertisement for Wadley's clothing featuring a woman in a coat and a Hirschmaur logo. Text includes 'Gad-about a "must-have"', 'Wrap it around... loop the belt... and go conquer hearts!', and '\$16.95'.

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Wadley's

Museum Commemorates Steam's Rise Over Sail

SALEM, Mass. (U.P.) — The Peabody Museum is exhibiting memorabilia in commemoration of an old-fashioned sidewheeler's 14-day transatlantic crossing 100 years ago.

The sidewheeler Great Western was the first steamship to attain much success in passenger service between England and the United States. Its trip from Bristol, Eng. to New York took about half as long as sailing vessels of that era.

HOUSTON COUPLE WEDS.

Miss Leota Duren and Mr. L. M. Hopkins, both of Houston, were married in this city last night at 9 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Rainbolt, 1208 West Missouri.

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"Mutiny on the Bounty" knew no fiercer rebellion... "Captains Courageous" knew no greater battle of character... Welcome, Freddie! Hail, Mickey!... All the world cheers your grandest picture!

Movie advertisement for 'LORD JEFF' featuring Freddie Bartholomew and Mickey Rooney. Text includes 'ANCHORS A-weigh! WHAT A REUNION', 'RITZ NOW', and 'Also... News and Edgar Kennedy in "Fool Coverage"'