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ANDREWS YOUTH SLAIN BY SHERIFF DICK DILLARD SUNDAY NIGHT

Mediation of Spanish War Is Attempted

British and French Make Effort to End Killing of Innocent

LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP). — Reliable quarters reported today Britain and France were making a fresh attempt to mediate the Spanish civil war. British officials acknowledged the two governments were "trying to stop needless bloodshed in every possible way" and said the British government was "making every effort to keep in touch with both sides of the conflict."

Events were changing with "such kaleidoscopic rapidity," it was said, "that it is not possible to discuss at this minute any action which Britain might have taken during the past week end."

Spanish insurgent authorities were reliably reported to have informed the British government their peace terms were "unconditional surrender" of the Spanish government.

PERPIGNAN, France, Feb. 6. (AP). — Fleeing Spanish government armies began a mass flight in France last night after their leaders had abandoned Catalonia to conquering insurgent armies.

Government leaders were reported violently split over continuing the war.

President Manuel Azana, former Premier Jose Giral, Luis Companys, president of the Catalanian government, and many of Premier Juan Negrin's ministers were said to have appealed to him to surrender immediately to Generalissimo Francisco Franco.

But Negrin, with a few of his followers, including Foreign Minister Julio Alvarez Del Vayo, was said to have insisted on continuing resistance in Central Spain, where the government-held area includes Valencia and Madrid.

Azana and Giral were en route to Paris. Aides of both said they had broken forever with Negrin.

Negrin, and his ministers were scattered, some in France and others on their way to Valencia. Broken government forces began crossing the frontier into France late in the afternoon, after the French government decided to open the border to the escaping fighters.

Almost 10,000 had entered France before nightfall when French authorities decided to close the gates until dawn tomorrow when more weary, beaten government soldiers will be admitted.

French army officers said late tonight they were prepared for 150,000 government fighters to cross the frontier.

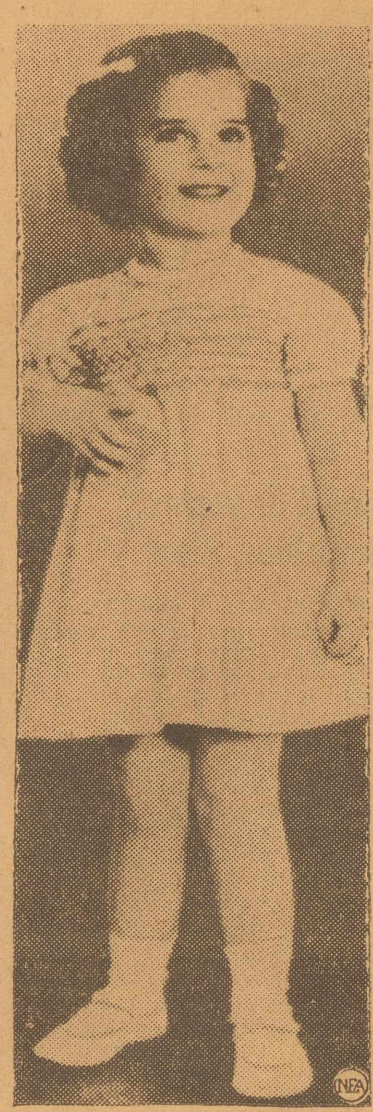
They believed the remaining 50,000 members of the routed government forces would be captured by the rapidly advancing insurgents or would surrender.

Motorized columns of General Franco had made a lightning thrust to and beyond Figueras and were only about 13 miles from the border. West, near Andorra, Seo De Urgel had fallen without a battle. Behind the columns that were cutting the government army to ribbons were the slower moving clean-up squads.

Two thousand insurgent men and women held as political prisoners by the Spanish government in villages just south of the French frontier were evacuated into France tonight. The move resulted from two urgent demands made by the French government which feared they might be slaughtered by frenzied retreating militiamen.

The prisoners will be transferred to insurgent territory under the direction of French authorities and Franco will be asked to exchange government sympathizers for them.

Little Princess



A tiny Balkan princess, Elizabeth, daughter of Regent Prince Paul and Princess Olga of Yugoslavia, nears her third birthday. Here's latest picture of Princess Elizabeth, who is a niece of England's Duchess of Kent.

Flood Peril Grows As Rivers Continue To Overflow Banks

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6. (AP). — Belated reports of record floods in South and Eastern Kentucky brought an upward revision of expected Ohio River crests from the Weather Bureau Sunday and the Red Cross reported preparations under way to care for an estimated 30,000 refugees in four states.

The Weather Bureau forecast crests of between 58 and 59 feet or six to nine feet above flood level for the 250 miles between Huntington, W. Va., and Carrollton, Ky., and W. B. Schlomer, assistant meteorologist, said that figure might be subject to further revision today.

Mrs. Ella Layne Brown, executive director of the Red Cross here, said national headquarters in Washington advised her that an estimated 6,500 to 7,000 families were seriously affected in Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee and West Virginia.

Torrential rains sent the Big Sandy at Paintsville to 48 feet or two feet above the previous record. The Weather Bureau reported, however, that tributaries of the Ohio generally were falling and the probability of serious flood was minimized.

Engineers reported that at Salysville, Ky., near the head waters of the Licking River in South-Central Kentucky, the flood crest had been 20.9 feet, topping the previous record by a foot, and surged into the first floor of the courthouse there.

Painville, Ky., reported its water supply failed at 10 p. m. Saturday night and that the situation was "grave." Water, now receding, was ten feet over the pump station at one time. Health authorities issued typhoid fever warnings.

Prestonsburg, Wayland and Garrett, all mining towns in southeastern Kentucky, were inundated, the flood from Beaver Creek in some sections topping houses two feet or more.

Lapping about the base of buildings on the Huntington, W. Va., river front, the flood forced 350 families from their homes.

Large Crowds Hear Revival Sermons

"The meeting in every respect is one of the best we have ever had," Minister Harvey Childress of the Church of Christ said today in discussing the revival which opened at the church Friday.

"Unusually good crowds" have attended up to the present, he said, including visitors from Andrews, Odessa, and Monahans. A large delegation from Andrews is to attend tonight's services. The services are held at 7:30 o'clock each evening and the public is invited to attend. Beginning this morning, services will also be held each morning at 10 o'clock. Evangelist Palvey Conley of Burnet is preaching during the revival.

Tear Gas, Guns Used to Quell Riot in Prison

MONTGOMERY, Ala. Feb. 6. (AP). — A barrage of tear gas and several blasts from shotguns were reported by Warden J. E. Lindsey today to have subdued a riot in Kilby prison.

Approximately 150 prisoners staged a riot in protest against rations. They were armed with knives from the vegetable kitchen. It was not determined immediately whether any convicts were injured.

Truckers Allowed to Move Fruit Without Having Loads Weighed

ALICE, Feb. 6. (AP). — An agreement was reached here today between representatives of truckers and peace officers in an effort to expedite shipping from the Rio Grande valley to markets.

Under the agreement truckers whose loads exceeded the legal limit of 7,000 would be permitted to plead not guilty and post an appearance bond of \$16, then proceed to markets.

It was reported some drivers last night threatened to run past the weighing station in defiance of inspection. Approximately half of the 100 trucks delayed at Falfurrias started north this morning.

ALICE, Texas, Feb. 6. (AP). — More than 125 trucks hauling 1,000,000 pounds of citrus fruits and vegetables from the Lower Rio Grande Valley passed a weighing station here early Sunday without hindrance.

Truckers said their loads were not weighed. A line of trucks stretching two miles along State Highway 66, the only highway northward from the valley, came through here from Falfurrias. Halted at the latter point with announced intention of running a blockade of state weights inspectors at Alice, the truckers were persuaded to avoid violence.

J. J. Biffle, who had held a conference with state officials in Austin, stopped at Falfurrias and assured the truckers that officials were doing what they could to ease the situation in the movement of perishable products. The drivers agreed to proceed, submit to inspection, plead not guilty and furnish bond with the assistance of Biffle, a citrus grower.

However, when they reached the weighing station about 1 a. m. Sunday, the inspectors had retired, the truckers reported. Later those who sought to evade the weighing station here by using the Kingsville cutoff highway, were subjected to inspection at Kingsville.

Free Education Is Upheld by Rainey In Talk to Solons

AUSTIN, Feb. 6. (AP). — Doctor Homer Price Rainey, recently named President of the University of Texas, told the legislature today free public education was the chief bulwark of democracy.

He suggested the university develop fact-finding research institutes, provide an outstanding graduate school, pan American institute and expansion of the school of fine arts.

HOME TO RANCH. Mrs. Roy Parks was discharged today from a Midland hospital and is being taken to her ranch home where she will recuperate.

TO CALIFORNIA. Frank R. Seavers has left a Midland hospital where he was under observation for his home in California. Dr. L. W. Leggett accompanied him.

Production Credit Association Meets, Reflects Steady Growth

Stockholders of the Midland Production Credit Association, almost 100 strong, held their fifth annual meeting today, heard and approved the report of 1938 business, elected three directors and culminated the morning session with a luncheon at noon in the Crystal ball room of Hotel Scharbauer. Dr. V. P. Lee, president of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston, was the guest speaker. Directors met early this afternoon to lay plans for expanding the activities of the steadily growing financial organization.

President Leonard Proctor called the meeting to order at 10 o'clock this morning, welcomed the visitors from twelve counties and immediately went into the business session. He introduced Directors W. B. Elkin (vice-president), and Stanton Brunson of Midland and W. G. Burkholder of Ward county; Manager Louis Thomas, Assistant Manager C. C. Thomas, Miss D. Midkiff, stenographer; Inspectors Ben Driver, A. G. Bohannon and Dick Midkiff of Midland and Hamp Carter of Rankin. Director Stanton Brunson made a detailed report of meetings and activities of the board during the year, stating that ten board meetings and 43 loan committee meetings were held. He discussed relations with the Intermediate Credit Bank and of efforts to secure greater credit limits here. Proctor told of the reserve fund which was explained as "profit as long as no (See CREDIT ASSN., page 6)

OHIO RIVER FLOODS HUNTINGTON



Above: How the southern section of the city of Huntington, West Virginia, looked from the air when the Ohio river overflowed its banks and surged through the streets of the city. Left: Smoke stacks of this factory building in Huntington tower above the flood waters of the Ohio river as it swept over the city. City officials today prepared for further damage from the flood as the weather bureau forecast crests of between 58 and 59 feet or six to nine feet above the flood level from the 250 miles between Huntington and Carrollton, Ky., and W. B. Schlomer, assistant meteorologist, said the figure might be subject to further revision today. An estimated 6,500 to 7,000 persons have been seriously affected in Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee and West Virginia by the spring floods.



Chamberlain Avows Britain to Defend France From Attack

LONDON, Feb. 6. (AP). — Prime Minister Chamberlain told the house of commons today "any threat to the vital interest of France, from whatever quarters it comes, must evoke the immediate cooperation of this country."

His declaration followed a statement by Virginia Gayda, Italian fascism's newspaper spokesman, that Italian troops would stay in Spain until Generalissimo Franco's political, as well as military victory, was assured. The statement was considered particularly significant in view of fascist agitation for concessions in the Mediterranean and Africa.

Alaskan Geologists Visitors to Midland

Two citizens of Fairbanks, Alaska, were visitors in Midland Friday and Saturday. They were John Ebert and Fred Waldon, geologists engaged in the gold-mining business. They were accompanied by Donald Parrott of Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Jack Kelley of St. Louis, Mo., who are returning to Alaska with them.

All four men were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Parrott, the Cape Girardeau man being a cousin of Mr. Parrott.

The Alaskans had some interesting acts to tell their hosts here. For example, the gold-mining machinery used in their work is hauled by plane instead of by train or truck. Despite all its disadvantages, the North Country "gets you" they said. While a person lives in Alaska, he thinks he wants to be back in the States but when he comes back, he discovers that Alaska is what he wants.

The travelers, who plan to return to Alaska via Seattle, came through Texas to avoid bad weather. They expressed themselves as liking the state, where they found much nicer weather than in the country they had been visiting. Among the examples of clothing worn in Alaska which the visitors displayed was the fur-lined parka, with its enveloping coat and hood. Leaving Midland, the party visited Ralph Parrott in Odessa and Donald Parrott in Monahans, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Parrott, before leaving Texas.

BOARD MEETS TONIGHT. Midland county public health board will hold its regular meeting in the commissioners court room this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. J. O. Shannon will speak.

Pecos Imperial Area Wildcat To Be Drilled by Midland Man

BY FRANK GARDNER.

George T. Abell, local operator, today announced location for a new shallow wildcat test in the Imperial area of northern Pecos county. To be known as Abell et al No. 1 O. W. Williams, it will be drilled 2,310 feet from the northeast, 330 from the southeast line of section 11, block 3, H. & T. C. survey. Tools are being moved to the location, which falls a mile east of Imperial townsite and a mile and three-quarters southwest of Magnolia Petroleum Company and Tex-Mex Petroleum Corporation No. 1-A J. H. McKee, structurally high well which failed in the Ordovician.

J. L. Greene et al No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust Company, Pecos wildcat south of the Masterson pool, yesterday evening had drilled to 780 feet in anhydrite. In the Pecos Valley pool, Union Oil & Mining Company No. 4 Potts flowed 57.60 barrels of 36.7-gravity oil on 24-hour potential test, with gas-oil ratio of 350-1, following 105-quart shot. It topped pay at 1,690 and is bottomed at 1,775.

Ohio Oil Company No. 10-B Yates, "salvage" well in the Yates field of Pecos, pumped 11.97 barrels of 27.3-gravity oil daily plus 66 per cent water. It topped the "pay" at 21 feet and is bottomed at 23. Record Foster Oil.

Record producer of the Foster pool in Ector was gauged today as Shell Petroleum Corporation No. 7-A Witcher flowed 2,814 barrels of 36.1-gravity oil through casing on 24-hour proration gauge. It had been shot with 800 quarts from 3,990 to 4,190, the total depth. Pay was topped at 3,995. Previous largest well in the pool was Broderick & Calvert No. 7 Witcher, with daily potential of 2,027 barrels. In the Jordan pool of Ector, Atlantic Refining Company No. 3-D Utex rated daily potential of 1,563.36 barrels after shooting with 760 quarts in pay between 3,410 and 3,650, total depth. Oil is 36 gravity and gas-oil ratio 672-1. Between North Cowden and Goldsmith production in Ector, Conoco No. 1-B Wright, yesterday was given initial acidization with 2,000 gallons, bottomed at 4,365 feet in lime. After recovering oil load, it swabbed 15 barrels of fluid, cut 20 per cent with basic sediment, and acid water, in seven hours ending at midnight. The next seven hours, ending at seven this morning, it swabbed 16 1/2 barrels of fluid, cut 15 per cent with basic sediment and acid water. In the Goldsmith pool, Blackstock Oil Company No. 1 Cummins set flowing potential of 1,093.40 barrels of 34-gravity oil, with gas in the ratio of 1,257-1. It was acidized with 10,000 gallons in pay lime from 4,116 to 4,250, total depth. East of production at the north end of the North Cowden pool in Ector, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. No. 1 O. B. Holt cemented 7-inch casing on bottom at 4,055 feet with 150 sacks, and is standing. A west outcrop, Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Fay Holt, is drilling at 2,170 feet in salt and anhydrite. In the South Eunice area of Lea county, N. M., T. P. No. 13-A State, Account No. 2 flowed at the rate of 1,440 barrels a day on natural test for completion at 3,800 feet. T. P. today is staking location for a west (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

Aftermath of Fight Among Six Persons

Norman McKinney Dies in Hospital Following Shooting

ANDREWS, Feb. 6. (Special). — One man is dead and three others held in jail here today as the result of an alleged fight occurring here last night about 10:30.

Norman (Preacher) McKinney, 20, resident of Andrews for 13 years, died in an Odessa hospital of a bullet wound said to have been inflicted by Sheriff Dick Dillard of Andrews, and Joel Walters, Morris Lonis and Olen Ingram are in jail as a result of the occurrence.

It was reported that Dillard fired at McKinney one time, the bullet striking him in the abdomen and ranging downward to the pelvis. He was rushed to the Odessa hospital but lived only two minutes after arrival.

The trouble was said to have started over application of Ingram for a marriage license. He told officers, it was reported, that McKinney, Walters and Lonis started "kidding" him, resulting in him having a fight with Walters.

Ingram went to the office of the sheriff, swore out a complaint against Walters and deputy sheriff Robt. McReynolds was sent to arrest Walters.

The deputy was reported to have found Walters, Lonis and McKinney and told them he would have to take them to jail. According to reports, the trio agreed to go to jail, then Walters decided to resist arrest. He and deputy McReynolds became embroiled in a fight, and nightwatchman "Buffalo" Lee appeared on the scene. He was sent by the deputy to get the sheriff.

Dillard was said to have declared that upon his arrival Norman McKinney grabbed his "billy club" and struck him over the head. The sheriff fell from the blow, rolled under a car. Lee and McKinney then started trading blows and as Dillard arose the youth once more started for him, the sheriff said. He fired one time.

Walters and Lonis were then taken to jail by the officers, and Ingram later was jailed. It was declared that Ingram was placed in jail for his own protection, alleged threats by the dead youth's friends to "get him" causing the action.

Sheriff Dillard went to Odessa following the shooting and was reported to have told officers there that there was a possibility of "trouble" over the incident. Today, Sheriff Reeder Webb of Odessa, Sheriff A. C. Francis of Midland and several other officers of this area were called to Andrews as a precaution against any possible action by friends of the dead youth and the two who were jailed.

There was no visible sign of action, but some agitation for action was declared evident. Funeral services will be held for McKinney tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock here. His father was in Oklahoma at the time of the shooting but is expected back tonight.

The youth is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McKinney, three brothers, George, Bewell, Okla., Woodrow and Warner McKinney, both of Andrews; five sisters, Mrs. Bill Harris, New Mexico; Mrs. Jewel Gibson, Mrs. Lily Floyd, Mrs. S. Snyder and Mrs. W. P. Wilson, all of Andrews.

Severance Granted In Trial of Mayor, Aides in Santone

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 6. (AP). — District Judge R. D. Wright today granted a severance in the trial of Mayor C. K. Quinn and L. P. Bishop and R. Neill Campbell, city employees, on charges of misapplication of public funds. Quinn's case was called first and attorneys for the mayor filed a motion to quash the indictment.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. DeVore on the birth of a son, Donald Richard, in a Midland hospital Sunday. The baby weighed 9 pounds 2 1/2 ounces. Mother and child were discharged from the hospital today.

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One Family Out of 21

The charge that thrift is dead, and that nobody cares a rap for the future any more, will scarcely stand up. Viewers-with-alarm insist that modern Americans take no thought for the future, but simply wait for the government to take care of them if they get in a jam.

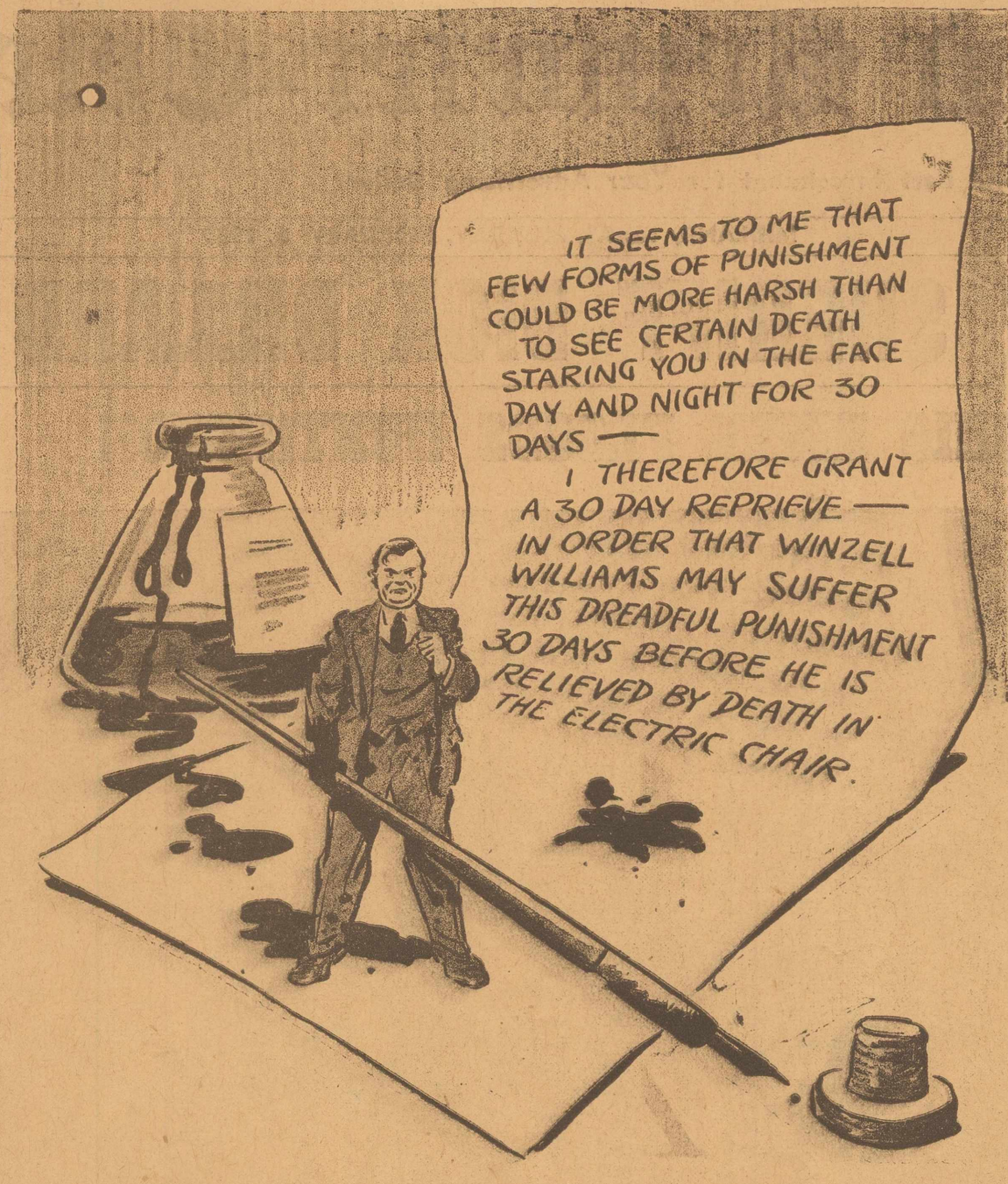
What Can I Do About It?

The new war on traffic accidents is a human appeal to reason and intelligence. Enlistment requires no oath or pledge, except insofar as one may make terms with his own conscience.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—After six years of strenuous and expensive effort, the New Deal program to help the farmer is back within shouting distance of its starting point.

Folks, Meet Governor O'Daniel of Texas



Texas Today

SELF-CONTROL FOR FARMERS.

JUST before he came to Washington this winter, Senator Capper held a conference in Topeka with 900 Kansas farmers. He also had letters from 1,000 more.

First, he feels that regimentation and restriction of production must stop. If there is to be any control, he says, let farmers impose it on themselves rather than submit to something devised at Washington.

Next, he believes the farmer must be assured of the cost of production of his crop, plus a fair profit, as far as crops grown for domestic consumption are concerned.

He would keep the present soil conservation program, and would continue to finance agriculture through the Farm Credit Administration—but he thinks 3 per cent interest is plenty for farm loans.

All of which comes reasonably close to expressing the provisions of the Frazier-Lemke bill introduced recently by the newly-formed farm bloc.

Geologists are not sure but they will bet oil will be found at the five mile level.

The newly discovered Sparta Wilcox formation, which may be the most prolific oil trend in the world, is deep seated.

Geologists say there are bound to be other oil formations deeper.

So the race for long distance drilling soon will be underway.

There are three good reasons why business is good at Wharton.

They are Marguerita, Elbira and Manuel Lara, triplets, born Jan. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Lara.

The town decked out in bunting and farmers came from miles around to see the youngsters, first triplets born in the South Texas town.

Small Investor Grumbles Most

PITTSBURGH (U.P.)—It's the stockholder with a small number of stocks who complains most about the operation of the corporation in which he has his money invested, a survey reveals.

Approximately 120 corporations throughout the country responded in the survey. Despite the fact that the past six years have not been a period of liberal return for the American investor, the survey showed that on the whole an improvement in the relationship between management and stockholders was indicated.

Of the corporations responding to the questionnaire, 54 per cent reported no change in the number of written complaints from stockholders since 1932, as compared to years prior to that date; 26 per cent reported a decrease in the complaints, and 20 per cent reported an increase.

Most complaints the survey showed, came from the small owners as those holding fewer than 100 shares so many of the complaining in 78 per cent of the companies while those owning from 100 to 1,000 shares contribute the issues in 21 per cent of the companies.

Of the complaints, 47 per cent of the corporations reported some criticism of the management; 34 per cent acknowledged complaints about salaries and 26 per cent reported criticism of bonus or incen-

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The Town Quack

Governor O'Daniel had been poor copy for the newspapers for several days. After his inauguration he allowed to stir up much publicity even with his poorly received transactions tax. But he brought them to life by the statement he made in granting a thirty day reprieve to a negro doomed to be electrocuted.

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show man a long time before he got into politics, and no show man can rest without an audience.

This tax business, however, is pretty serious. It is getting to be generally conceded that the present system is inadequate. Of course it is if the state expenditures are to be constantly increased. And it looks as if they are to be. So, Texans had better be working out a tax system which will be as just and fair as possible, or else we will get one which will be like a sore back from now on.

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plants to executive officers. Another major criticism also concerned the relationship between dividends and earnings.

But all letters from stockholders did not contain complaints but instead asked for more information about the company's affairs. It was the practice of 73 per cent of the companies to have an explanatory letter from the president or some executive officers accompany the annual earnings report to stockholders to give information on the company's affairs.



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Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small portrait of a woman.

Advertisement for 'Four Girls in White' movie showing a woman in a white dress and a sign that says 'GOOD WEATHER OR BAD, WASH DAY HAS NO TERROR FOR ME'.

Advertisement for Commercial Printing Co. featuring 'MIDLAND STEAM LAUNDRY' and 'Phone 90'.

Odessa Young People Present Program At Presbyterian Church Here Sunday

Members of the Young People's group of the Odessa Presbyterian church presented the program at the meeting of Young People at the First Presbyterian church here Sunday evening.

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Senior Endeavorers Study Oneness of The Church Sunday

With Billy Joe Hall presiding, the Senior Endeavor of the First Christian church met at the usual time Sunday evening.

Announcements

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Junior-Intermediates

"Keeping Our Bodies Strong" was the subject of study at the meeting of the Junior-Intermediate Endeavor at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

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FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Novel and easily-made bathroom curtains are those which consist of two large bath towels hemmed and hung like regular curtains.

Such curtains should prove a boon to the housewife who likes clever things but has little time for sewing. Also, their washability is 100 per cent.

To make one appreciate his or her own house there's nothing like having some friend approve it. Ditto for dresses, hair-do, and et cetera.

For those who desire to match gloves and purse but feel they cannot buy several high-priced sets, there are now being made quite inexpensive purses with gloves to match. A nice way of pepping up one's costume at small cost.

Valentines for this year, we are told, show definitely a return to the more sentimental mood of the Victorian age.

There are many, many hearts on the new Valentines and verses that are more directly sentimental and loving than in the last few seasons.

No longer are Valentines used only as a purveyor of good wishes or loving vows between unmarried sweethearts. Husband and wife Valentines and verses are in high favor and those for family members or friends are increasingly popular.

Some Valentines carry tiny animal figures or charms which may be detached and worn on charm bracelets.

Watson school of music. Mrs. L. G. Byerley will talk on "Movies" and Fred Wemple will discuss "Radios."

Thief Returns Worn Out Tire URRICHESVILLE, O., (AP) — A disappointed thief stole a worn-out spare tire from Mayor J. W. Lytle's automobile, then returned it when he discovered that even he could not use it.

Texas Composer Comes Home



DENTON, Texas.—Julia Smith, a young Texas composer who is rapidly making a name for herself in the East, is coming home to Denton this week to assist in the rehearsals of her opera, "Cynthia Parker," which will have its world premiere on February 16-17 at the North Texas State Teachers College.

Leona Corona, former prima donna soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will fly down next week to sing the title role. The production, which is the first opera premiere ever to be held on Texas soil, will be presented by a joint student and professional cast.

Other leading roles will be filled by Margaret Finney, former Juilliard student and professional singer who is a member of the music faculty of Temple Junior College, and Roger Harris of Dallas, graduate student in music at the Denton Teachers College.

Speaking parts will be taken by leading speech students under the direction of Mrs. Myrtle Hardy of the college speech faculty. The Indian ballet and play party dances have been planned by Miss Donnie Cotteral of the physical education department. The entire opera is under the musical direction of Dr. Wilfred C. Bain, head of the college music department.

Plans for a gala opening are under way at N. T. S. T. C., which is Miss Smith's alma mater. Faculty and students will bring out "tuxes" and tails to honor their distinguished alumna-composer and to greet a distinguished guest list which includes state music critics, musicians, legislators, surviving members of the Parker family.

PERSONALS

Mrs. J. C. Rodman and two sons are visiting her father, J. P. Collins. The Rodmans are being transferred from Alpine to El Paso and she is visiting here during the move.

B. C. Girdley Jr. returned to Austin Sunday to re-enter the University of Texas. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Girdley Sr. here during the between-terms holiday.

Miss Mrs. Jo Ray left Sunday for Austin where she will enroll as a senior in the University of Texas. A major in journalism, Miss Ray is transferred to the University from TSCW at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barham left Friday for Shreveport, La.

R. L. Mangum of Pittsburgh, Pa., has left Midland after a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. H. F. Johnson. This was his first visit to Midland and he liked it, Mrs. Johnson reported.

Mrs. Mabel Nelson, Mrs. Dorothy Pendleton, and Miss Etta Adams of Kermit were in Midland Saturday.



FRANCES FARMER... WON A POPULARITY CONTEST IN SEATTLE IN 1935... PRIZE WAS A TRIP TO MOSCOW

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Parents of Texas Quadruplets

Nurse Looks Over Two of a Kind

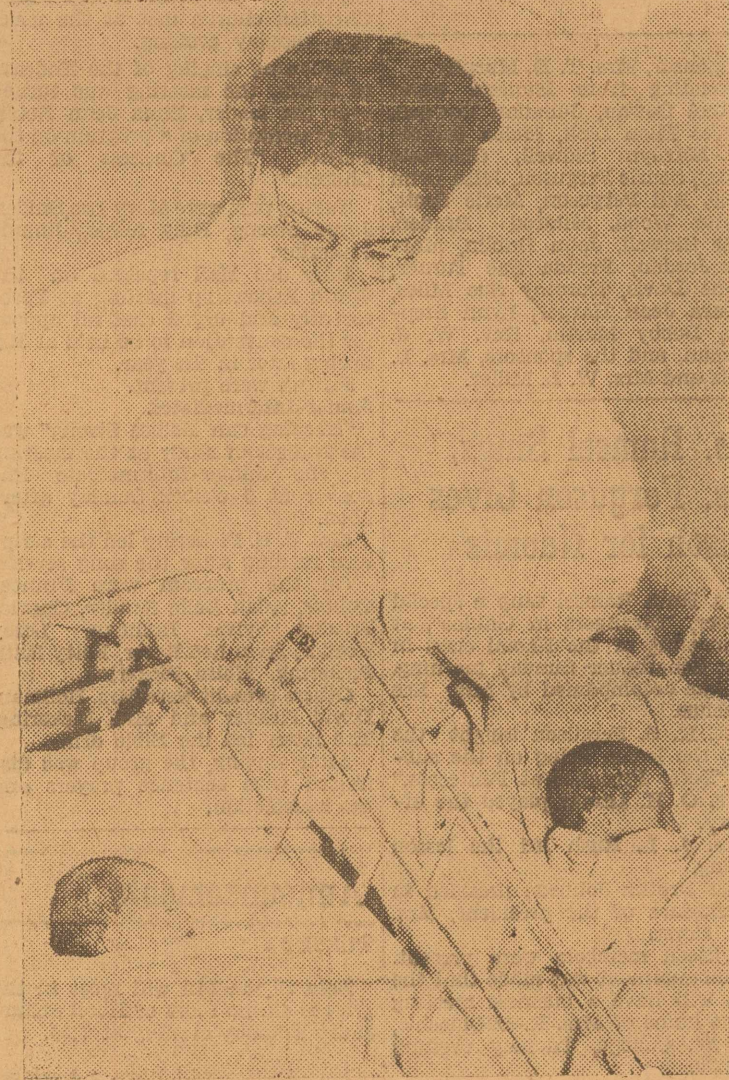
Half of Famous Four



Proud parents of a foursome of new baby daughters, born in St. Mary's Infirmary at Galveston, Tex., are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Badgett, above. The mother is 36 years old. The 35-year-old father is a construction foreman.



Through a window at St. Mary's Infirmary, Galveston, Tex., a nurse looks at two of the girl quadruplets born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Badgett. Multiple births run in the families of mother and father.



Two of the girl quadruplets born to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Badgett of Galveston, Tex., are pictured above with a nurse. The four babies, described as "in perfect health," have been named Geraldine, Jeannette, Joyce, and Joan.

versity performed before more than 18,000 three times in three campaigns.

From eight programs in the first season, the Garden now holds 14 and in two more winters Irish believes the improvement of metropolitan combinations will make it possible to stage 20 or more successful double-headers . . . if he can land the dates.

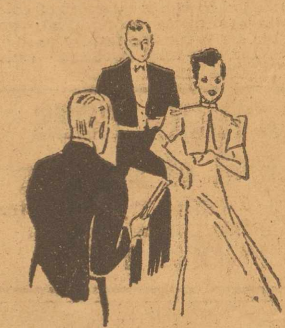
The pros should take a tip from the collegians . . . keep basketball open, clean, and fast.

Love's Labor Lost
SAN RAFAEL, Cal. (U.P.) — After waiting 10 years to be able to send to Switzerland for his fiancée to come here and marry him, it only took Robert Steingrubber three days to become disillusioned. They separated at the end of that time and he filed suit for divorce.

Constable Mary Feared
NEW LEXINGTON, O. (U.P.) — Constable Mary Saffell, only village officer of Rehobeth, population 127, has never made an arrest but groups of "roughnecks" scatter when a threat is made to call her and she says "the law in Rehobeth will be enforced."



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Dictator-ruled Rumania believes war means she will be destroyed

Carol's Kingdom Is Strange Mixture of Modern and Ancient

Melanie L. Pflaum, famous woman journalist for many years resident in Europe, has just completed a trip through the Balkans which lie directly in the path of German expansion. In five stories she tells what their people are like, what they are thinking about. Here is the second, on Rumania.

By MELANIE L. PFLAUM
NEA Service Special Correspondent.

BUCHAREST—Closer political relations with Germany are not popular in Rumania, but her people seem to approve any policy that will bring peace.

"Germany buys our wheat and our oil," they say. "Why not closer relations with her? If war breaks out we will be the battleground between Germany and Russia. Rumania will be destroyed, whichever side wins."

Small European country, nationalism is strong, but not militarism. They feel that Rumania has everything to lose in any war, nothing to gain.

Here in Rumania is the strange spectacle of a king-dictator ruling in Fascist fashion, tossing into jail Iron Guard conspirators who are Fascists, too, but generally considered a more authentic German breed.

King Carol sits on the lid of a one-party dictatorship, and you can find many who say that his only political object is to keep his seat on the throne. Whatever policy assures this is his policy.

GERMANY HOLDS POTENT HAND.

THUS England and Germany, rivals for Carol's favor, will succeed in proportion as they are able to assure Carol's security on the throne.

And here Germany has strong cards to play. She bought about 35 per cent of all Rumania's exports last year, and the proportion is growing. French and British cultural influence is still very strong.

It is a mark of distinction for a Rumanian family to be able to employ an English governess for the children. And, Bucharest is like a little Paris, with the girls imitating the hairdress and cos-

metimes of Danielle Darrieux and Simone Simon. But these influences seem to be slowly yielding to the fact that Germany can and does buy the exportable goods of the country, a practical tie which no sentiment can wash out.

According to the Rumanian government, there is no unemployment in the country.

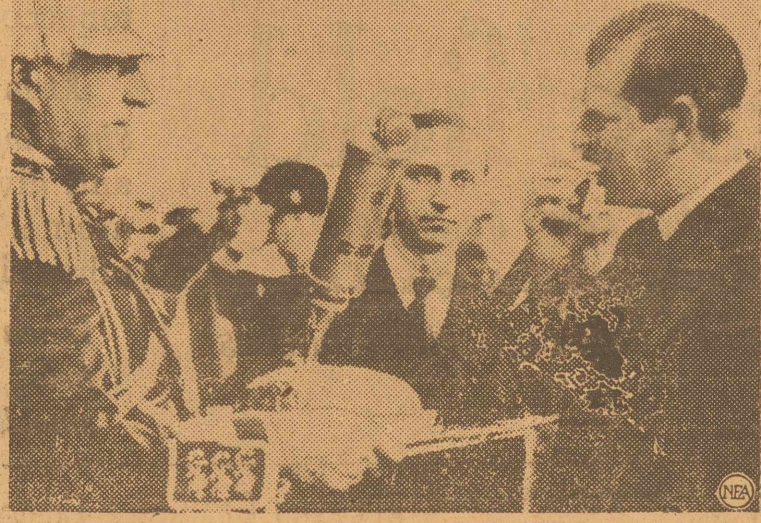
Agricultural co-operatives have been encouraged, and despite periodic scandals in their administration the peasants seem to be far better off than those of Hungary.

People in Bucharest support a lively night life along Parisian lines, but the spirit is different from that in Budapest. A clerk in Bucharest may make about \$80 a month. He can't live on that and he doesn't try.

So he usually holds two or more jobs. Government employees often work as language translators or teachers; school teachers are often public accountants or notaries on the side. A man who is a bricklayer by day may be a cabinet-maker by night.

CITIES UP-TO-DATE COUNTRY ANTIQUE.

In Budapest they run into debt



King Carol, right, boss of Rumania's up-to-the-minute dictatorship, takes part in a quaint old custom of the country as he is greeted with bread and salt by Oberburgermeister Dombrowsky of Bucharest on his return from a tour of western Europe.

and let the tradesmen worry. In Bucharest they simply get a couple of other jobs to eke out what they have. Prices are high—a pair of shoes, \$12—while wages are lower than in the United States. Petty graft and bribery are rampant.

Bucharest is a modern city. Were it not for the Byzantine churches, you could be in Cincinnati or Detroit. But to go from the capital into the provinces is a journey not in space, but in time. It is 500 years from Bucharest to a typical country village.

Here men still wear a loose white shirt over tight-fitting trousers of white cotton tucked into embroidered stockings, and a colored scarf about the waist.

The women wear loose white cotton embroidered blouses, and on least days the glistening tiara which was once the attribute of nobility, but which in the days of the Turks was imitated by the peasants, and is not part of the national

dress. There are dances and ceremonials that go back to the pagan days of the Roman occupation.

All attempts at payment were refused. Instead, "Please send us a postal card from New York," they demanded. "A postal card of the Empire State Building," added the eldest son, who could write, as he spelled out the family name. His younger brother disagreed. He wanted a picture of Gary Cooper.

Next: Greece, where an unloved and unwhated king sits on the throne by virtue of England, and Bulgaria, where an engineer-king rules.

Druggists, Bulldogs Meet in Feature Go At School Tonight

Industrial League standings are due for a shake-up tonight when the Midland Drug and high school teams, tied for second place only one-half game behind the leading Petroleum Pharmacy team, tangle at the high school gymnasium.

Winner of the game will go into a tie with the Petroleum Pharmacy five for first place and since none of the three meet each other again it is highly probable the first half-ending Saturday night, will close with two teams in first place.

The Midland Drug, because of the rapid improvement shown by the club, will take the floor favored to win tonight. The high school team appears to be going back rap-

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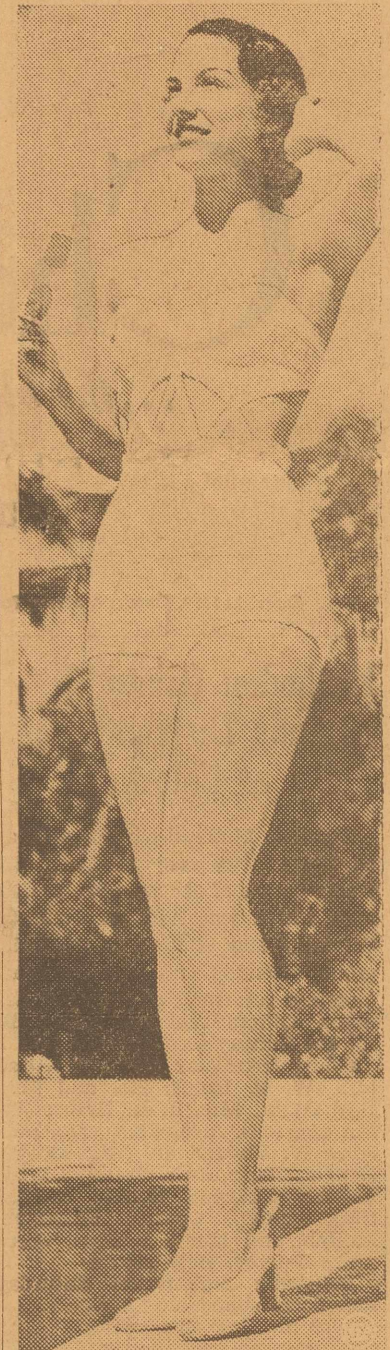
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News Item



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The PAYOFF

By HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK—The phenomenal success of intercollegiate basketball in recent seasons had led to talk of reviving the old American Professional League.

Properly promoted and played, there is little doubt but that there is room for the money players, but the first who would have to be whipped into line are the money players themselves.

The professionals kill their own game, according to Ned Irish, the young New York sports writer who put the hoop sport on the big time in Madison Square Garden.

While the money players certainly are accomplished along that line, the pro game today simply is a pop shooting contest from mid-court.

Any athlete silly enough to cut practically gets murdered.

Pros hold and shove to such an extent that there is no limit to personals, but a combatant has to be scalped, or something like that, to get a foul shot.

Many old-timers hanging on refuse to encourage the most satisfactory and pleasing college rules.

OFFICIATING MATCHES PRO GAME'S POOR RULES

The pros still use the two-handed dribble.

The pro rules are poor and the officiating matches them.

Inability to arrange for the better and larger arenas and halls is another tremendous handicap.

There also is talk of the phonus balonus.

The finest basketball of today probably is played by the so-called amateurs of the A. A. U. Missouri alley League. The clubs are sponsored by oil companies, etc. Players get around \$1500 a season . . . on

jobs, of course, to keep them simon-pure.

The shickest of these teams is the Phillips 66 Oilers of Bartlesville, Okla., managed by Chuck Hyatt, famous Pittsburgh forward of a decade ago.

But out-and-out professional basketball has dropped to a status where the salary is \$10 or less a game.

Irish, the Garden's director of basketball is confident that basketball will play to 300,000 paid admissions in the Eighth Avenue Arena this season.

MONEY PLAYERS SHOULD TAKE TIP FROM COLLEGES

College basketball is in its fifth season in the garden. It was launched with a meeting between Notre Dame and New York University in December, 1924. That was a sellout limited to 18,000 by the hockey set-up. The boxing setup is now used with seats right down to the floor all around.

The Garden's record all-time high for basketball is 18,344 . . . established this winter. Long Island Uni-

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NEWCASTLE, Australia (U.P.) — An aerial pageant which will be directed entirely by women, from pilots to ground organization, is being prepared by the Newcastle Women's Flying club. Twenty of the 40 members of the club are training for the event.

Rides the Books



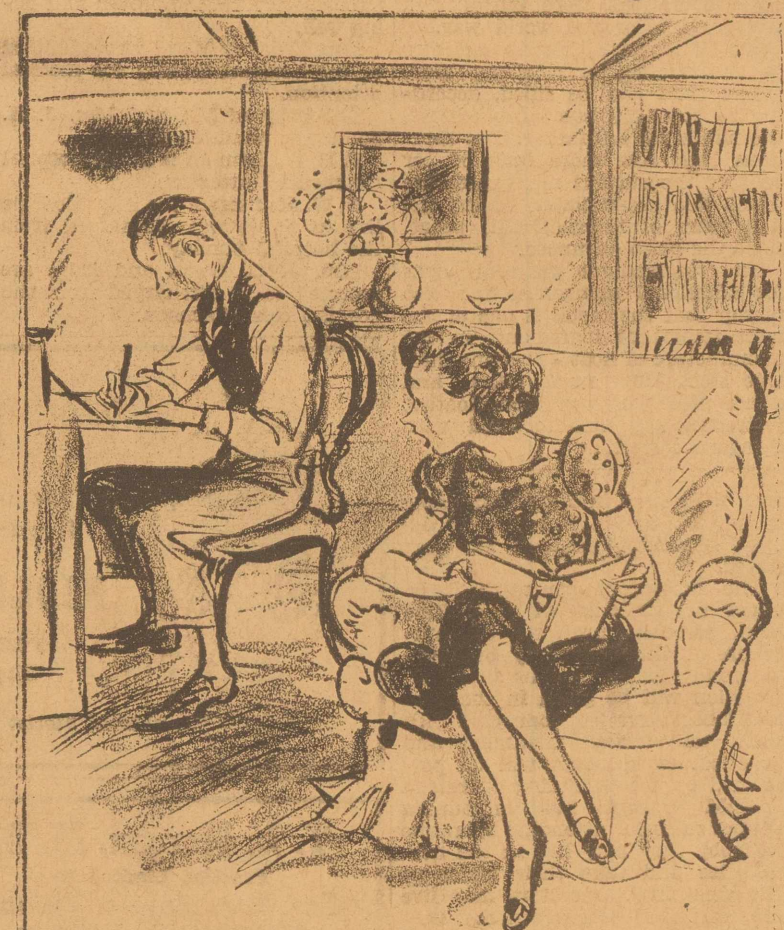
Because he is under 18, Jockey Jackie Boyle, along with others in the same boat at Santa Anita, has been ordered by California school authorities to resume his education, so Boyle digs into a book at the barn while the filly Sun Egret peers out of her stall and wonders what's going on.

Loveliest Lips in New England



New England's most entrancing lips competed for first honors against those of Olive Miltens of Worcester, Mass., above, but lost. Hers were tops, Boston judges said.

Side Glances-----By George Clark



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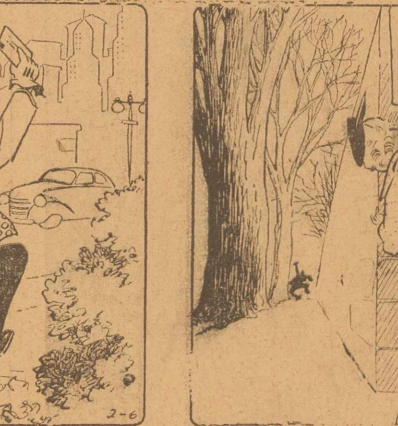
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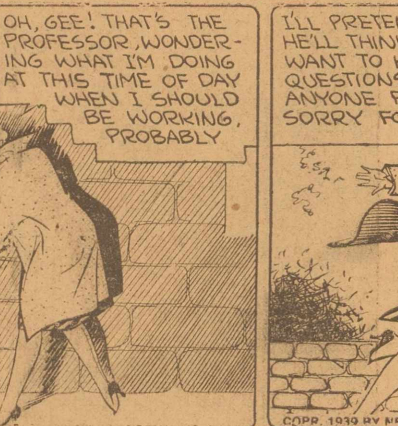
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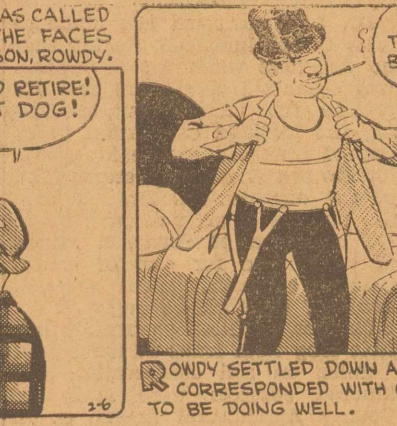


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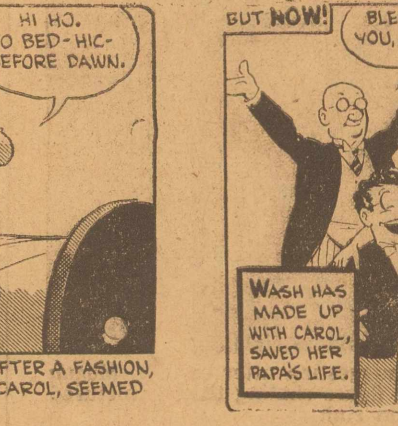
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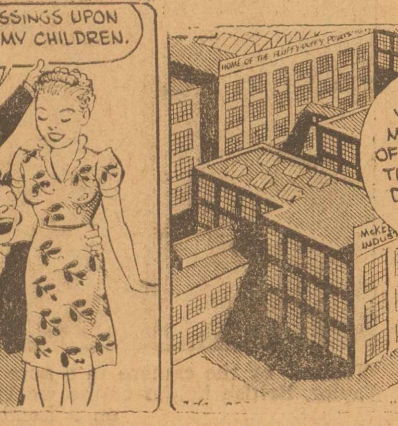
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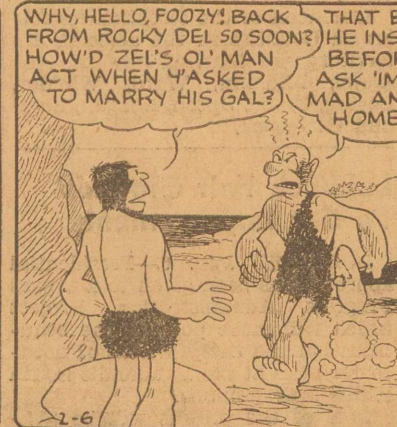


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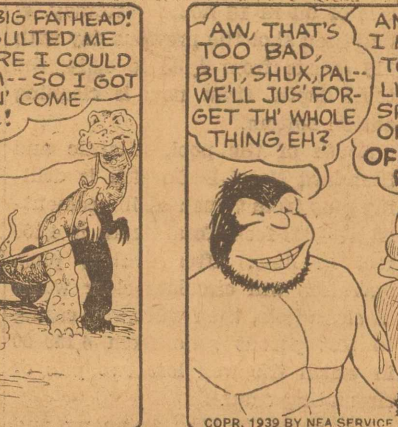
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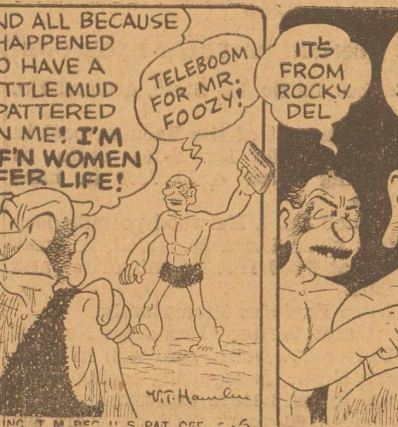
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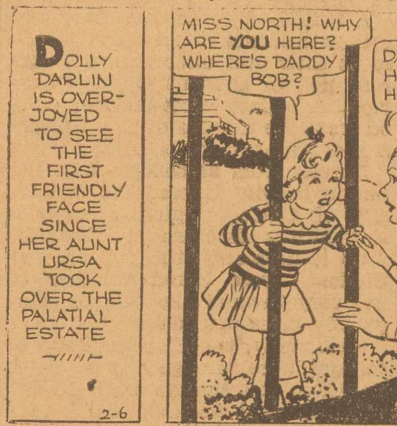


WELL, I'LL BE---!!



By V. T. HAMLIN

MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE



YOU SEE, I'M GOING



THAT'S SURE GOING TO BE HARD

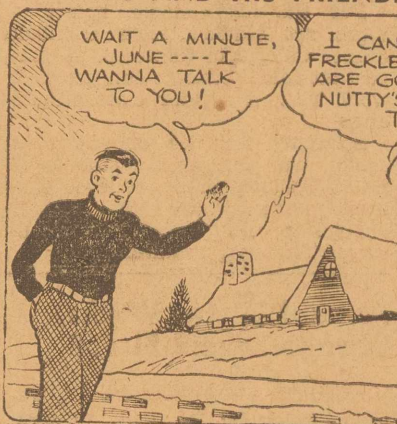


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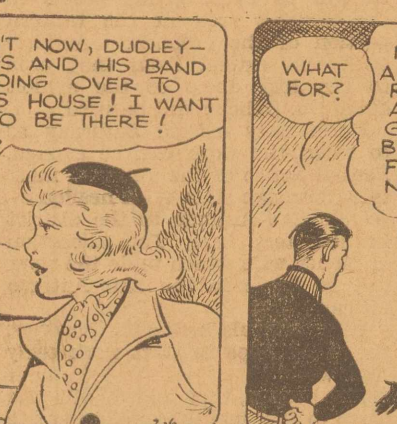


By RAY THOMPSON AND CHARLES COLL

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



WHAT FOR?



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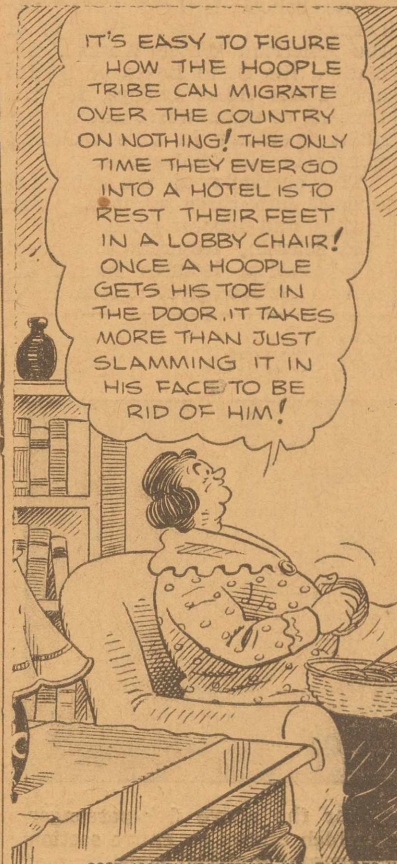


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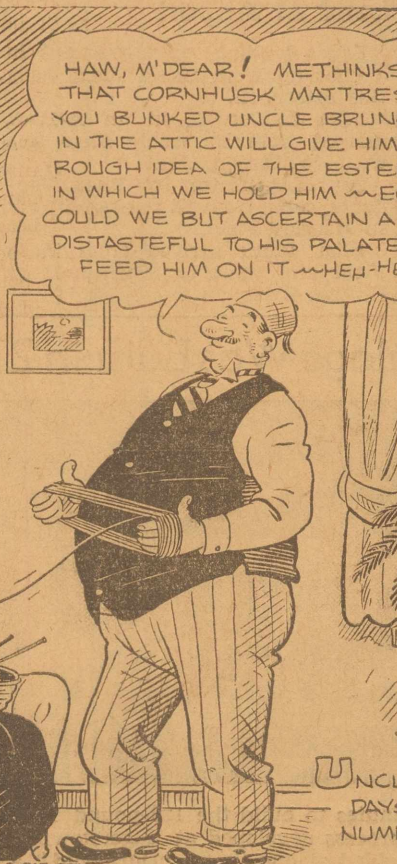


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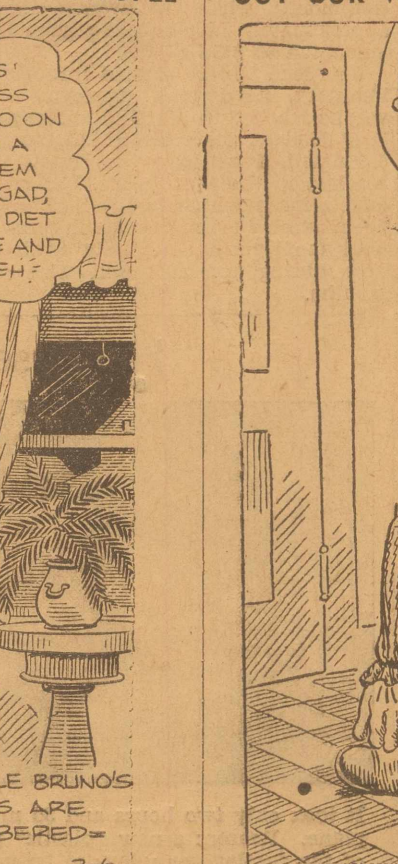
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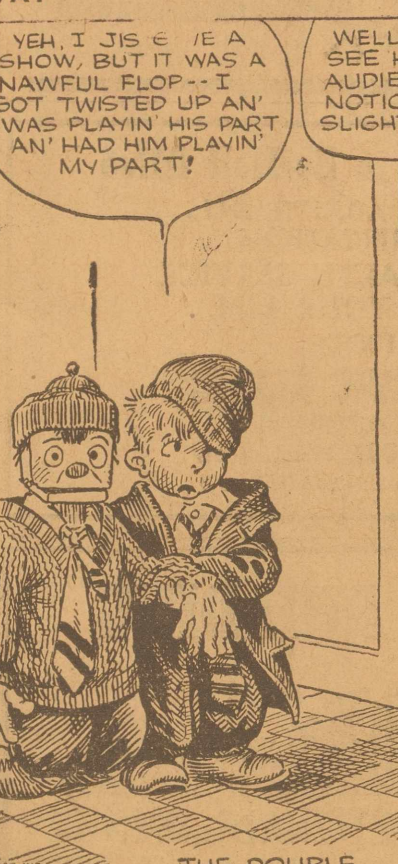
with MAJOR HOOPLE



OUT OUR WAY



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By J. R. WILLIAMS

FDR Nomination of Judge Is Rejected

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 (AP)—The senate today rejected President Roosevelt's nomination of Floyd Roberts as a federal judge in Virginia.

Constipated?

"For 30 years I had constipation, awful gas bloating, headaches and back pains. Adlerika helped right away. Now, I eat sausage, bananas, etc. anything I want. Never felt better." Mrs. Mabel Schott.

ADLERIKA Midland Drug Co. and City Drug Store. (Adv.)

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS.

YUCCA TODAY & TUES.

It's a Hon-o-lu-lu!

Advertisement for Honolulu featuring Eleanor Powell, Robert Young, George Burns, and Gracie Allen. Includes a cartoon illustration.

RITZ LAST DAY

A lion in the ring! A lamb with the ladies!

Advertisement for Ritz featuring John Garfield and Ann Sheridan in the movie 'They Made Me a Criminal'.

At the RITZ Tuesday & Wednesday

No pretty nurse ever stays single Rich men patients see to that!

Advertisement for 'Four Girls in White' featuring Florence Rice, Ann Rutherford, Una Merkel, Mary Howard, and Alan Marshal.

REVOLT—Refuse to Be Half Alive

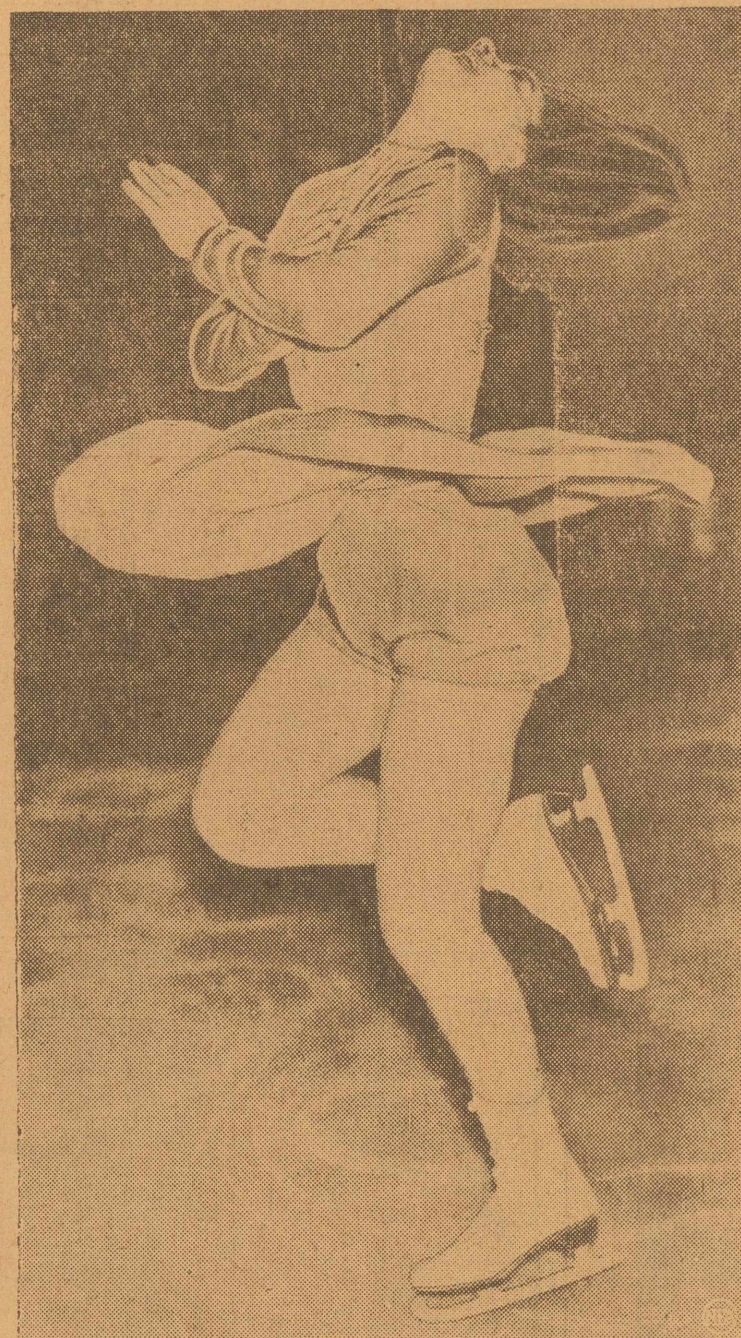
CHIROPRACTIC ADJUSTMENTS COLONIC IRRIGATIONS COMPLETE HEALTH SERVICE LENGTHEN YOUR LIFE LIVE 100% CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC

LOANS FOR BUILDING

You can pay for your home with rent money. We shall be glad to furnish details.

Advertisement for Midland Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Ecstasy on Ice



"Frozen" by the camera in a pose suggesting utter ecstasy, Megan Taylor, British holder of the world figure skating title, is pictured on a London rink.

Credit Assn.—

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bad loans are made," the class-B stock taking the "reserve" after the reserve fund, and the class-A stock being the next guarantor.

Directors elected were Stanton Brunson and W. G. Burkholder, to succeed themselves, and Robert A. Bishop of Reagan county to succeed J. P. Rankin, resigned.

Dr. Lee addressed the audience prior to the luncheon, stating that he was here when the association was organized five years ago.

Luncheon of the stockholders followed. Counties in the association's territory are Martin, Howard, Andrews, Midland, Ward, Winkler, Loving, Crane, Upton, Reagan, Ector and Glasscock.

Lubbock Fair Grounds To Get Improvement

LUBBOCK, Feb. 6.—Presidential approval has been given to a Works Progress Administration project which will make possible the beautification and the provision of needed facilities at the Panhandle South Plains Fair grounds.

The work to be done, officials of the association said, will include the setting out of approximately 200 trees, the laying of a sanitary sewer main, erection of a women's rest room, road and sidewalk improvements, and the installation of six or seven drinking fountains at convenient spots on the grounds.

Construction called for in this election includes the 10-mile cut off U. S. Highway 290 into Iran plus the 24-mile strip from Fort Stockton to the communities of Imperial and Buenavista.

Funds for the new election will be divided as follows: \$80,000 for Precinct 3 (Iran strip), and the remaining \$170,000 for the Precincts One and Four.

Pecos County Will Vote on Road Bonds

FORT STOCKTON, Feb. 6.—March 1 is the date set by the Commissioners' Court for a \$250,000 road bond election for Pecos county voters.

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16,000 Texas Youths Get Aid From the NYA

AUSTIN.—Texas NYA officials have announced that more than 16,000 youths received assistance through the NYA Student Aid Program during the month of January.

More than 10,000 high school students earned an average of \$4.42 for part-time work performed during the month, while the average for approximately 6,000 college students amounted to \$12.72.

This load will be carried through February, and peak employment will be reached in March and April.

Three Pilots Land at Airport

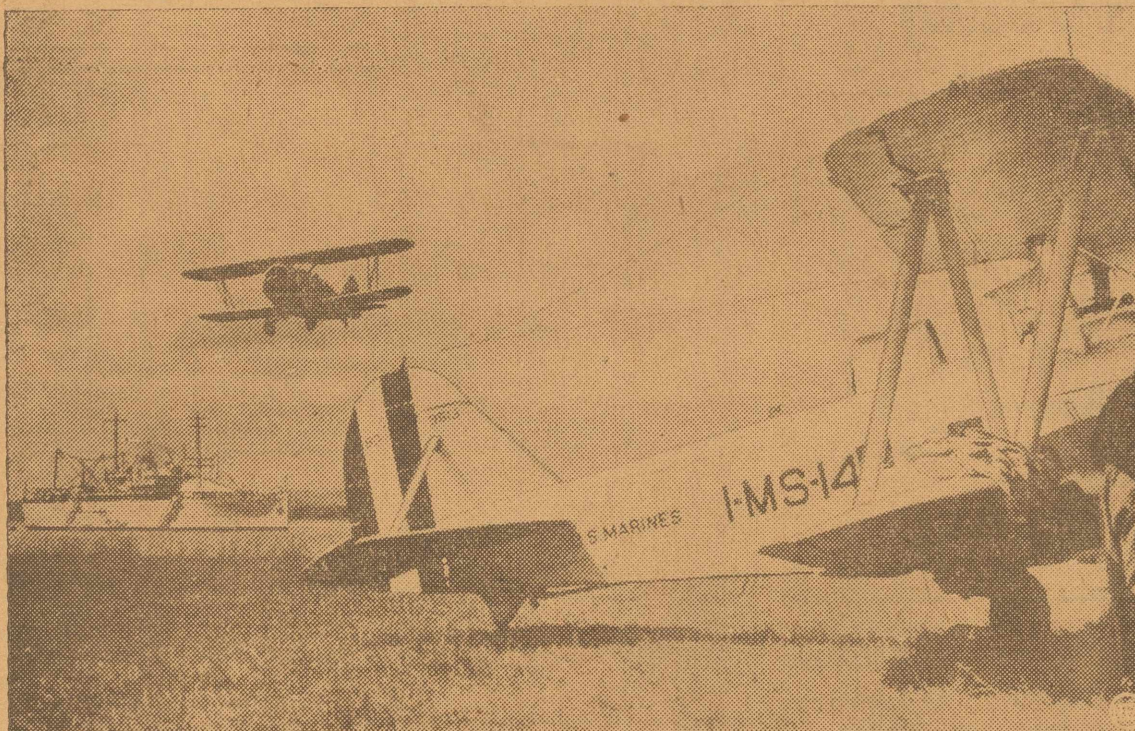
Three landings were reported in a checkup from Sloan Field early this afternoon.

Pilot McDonald, in an A-17-A, arrived from Barksdale Field and went to Tucson, Ariz.

An SLP, flown by Pilot Vandevours, came from El Paso and went to Hensley Field.

Pilot Clark arrived from Kelly Field and went to Conches Dam. He was flying an O-25.

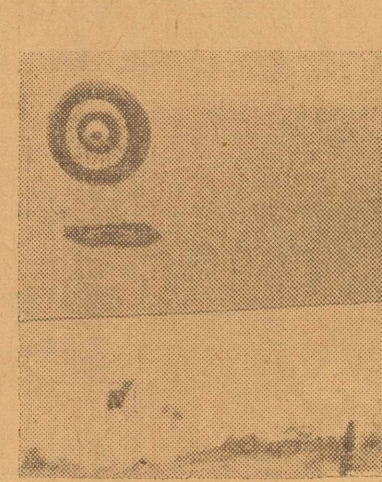
Uncle Sam's War Birds Flock to the South



A buzzing hornet of the skies zips in for a landing at San Juan, Puerto Rico, where nearly 1,000 U. S. planes are gathering for giant war games with the combined Pacific and Atlantic fleets in the Caribbean.

Camera Catches One Driver's Two Crack-ups

Not often has the camera recorded two accidents in one day to one driver. First Otis Stein of York, Pa., broke an axle while rounding a turn at 75 miles an hour at Tampa, Fla. That's shown in photo at right.



Students Favor Cutting Classes

AUSTIN.—Two to one, American college students would attend classes at their own discretion, the current poll of Student Opinion Surveys, collegiate cross-section, editor, from the campus of The University of Texas, revealed today.

Results from 34 colleges over the nation heavily favored the University of Chicago's plan whereby a student attends classes whenever he feels it necessary, the poll showed.

Sectionally, the Eastern group of colleges were strongest in favor of abolition, the surveys held. In the West Central section, which includes Chicago, however, a bare majority—53.8 per cent—would do away with roll-calling.

For the abolitionists, a sophomore art student from Glendale Junior College in California declared that some students can get their work without regular class attendance.

Annual Water Works, Sewage School Slated

AUSTIN.—Announcement was made today by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, of the twenty-first Annual Water Works and Sewage Short School to be held at A&M College February 13 through 17.

The school is held under the auspices of the Texas Division of the American Water Works Association, the State Board of Health and Texas A&M College, for the training of water works and sewage plant operators in the technical phases of the professions.

The curricula of the school is divided into three sections, water, sewage and laboratory.

In selecting lecturers to present the technical lectures special attention has been given to secure men

Soaring Price Of Manganese Booms Mining

BATESVILLE, Ark. (U.P.)—Rearmament programs of a jittery world are boosting the price of high-grade manganese ore to its highest point in 15 years and mines in this vicinity are reopening as orders from munitions makers pour in.

The market has jumped 20 per cent in recent weeks and the price is now \$12 a ton, the highest since operations were curtailed a few years after the world war.

W. H. Denison, largest operator in this region, is receiving more orders than can be filled, according to Reed Denison who directs the mines for his father. The Denisons have sold more than 50 per cent of the surplus manganese ore which has accumulated during the dull years of international peace, since the price advanced.

The rearmament program calls for additional manganese for the reason that the metal is one of the most important ingredients in the manufacture of heat-resisting durable steel.

who were best informed and able to present the information in the most beneficial manner, Dr. Cox stated.

The laboratory courses will be under the direction of J. J. Hinman, associate professor of sanitation of the University of Iowa, nationally known in this field. Instruction will be given in the various laboratory tests connected with water and sewage treatment and practical experiments will be performed by the attending operators.

A&M College has announced special rates for attending operators whereby they may live in the dormitories and take their meals at the mess hall.

Operators may live also at the several Bryan and College Station hotels or tourist camps.

J. L. Horner of Henderson, President of the Association, predicts that this will be the biggest and best school ever held.

"All cities are urged to take advantage of this opportunity of sending their water plant and sewage plant operators to A&M College for one week, during which time they will receive instruction that will permit them to serve the city with a higher degree of efficiency," Mr. Horner said.

Appendectomy Among Cases at Hospital

An appendectomy, minor surgery, and admittance and dismissal of patients were reported by a Midland hospital for the week-end.

Miss Betty Avery underwent an appendectomy early this morning. Mrs. Fred Wemple underwent minor surgery Sunday.

Gene Rogers, son of Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Rogers of Smith's Chapel, who

Increase Guards Around Palace as Bomb Scare Grows

LONDON, Feb. 6 (AP)—Increased guards were thrown around Buckingham Palace and Britain's famous houses of Parliament Sunday following discovery of a bizarre conspiracy rivaling the Seventeenth Century "gunpowder plot" to blow them up.

Scotland Yard officials who attribute the recent wave of bombings in England to the king-hating outlawed Irish Republican army, said details of the plot were uncovered in a raid at Belfast, in Northern Ireland.

They immediately pressed into service 10,000 extra police to guard the country's vital services and historic buildings.

A special guard watched Windsor Castle, where King George VI and Queen Elizabeth were on a week-end holiday.

Some quarters likened the plot against the houses of Parliament with the frustrated attempt in 1605 to blow up the historic buildings during agitation against anti-Catholic laws enforced by King James I.

Despite Scotland Yard's elaborate weekend precautions there were sporadic outbreaks of terrorism. Incendiary bombs were set off in four stores at Coventry. An explosion blew out a part of Walton prison at Liverpool where a number of persons accused of taking part in the terrorist activities were held.

Mounting anti-Irish feeling forced a number of Irish laborers employed in Britain to return home.

Two Prisoners Found Dead in Menard Jail

MENARD, Feb. 6 (AP)—Two prisoners, Clayton Kirk, about 30, and Lindsey Baker, 20, were found dead in their cell on the fourth floor of the Menard county courthouse here Sunday morning.

Sheriff Walston said the men apparently had suffocated. He said that he locked them up in the jail at 6 p. m. Saturday, and that William Braley, courthouse janitor, found them dead when he looked into the cell at 8 a. m. Sunday.

Sheriff Walston said the bed clothing in the cell was partly burned. Braley reported he found water scattered about the cell, apparently from the commode and lavatory. Sheriff Walston said "water was running everywhere."

Both men had been held in the jail for several weeks. Both are residents of Menard.

Kirk was being held for grand jury action on a charge of car theft and Baker was awaiting action on a forgery charge. The grand jury will be called early in April.

The sheriff said he didn't know how the fire started or at what time Saturday night it occurred.

Molten steel does not melt the iron molds into which it is poured because the thick walls of the molds conduct away heat so rapidly that the steel cools and solidifies before it can melt them.

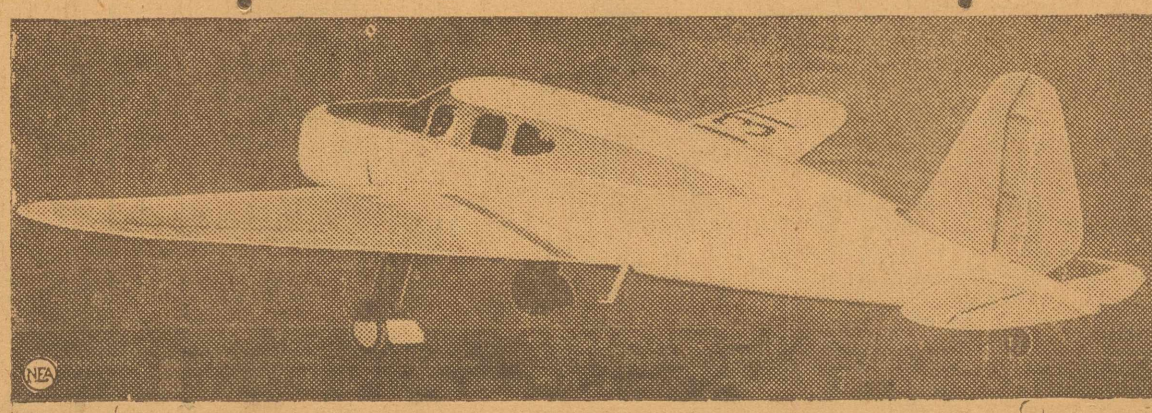
Advertisement for Nasal Irritation relief using Mentholatum. Includes text: 'for NASAL IRRITATION due to colds. WHEN your nostrils become red, irritated, and stuffy because you have a head cold, just insert a little Mentholatum in them. Note how quickly it soothes the irritated membranes and relieves the stuffiness. It will also check sneezing. Once you enjoy Mentholatum's comforting relief, you'll always want to keep this gentle ointment handy.'

Advertisement for Midland Floral Co. featuring flowers and blooming plants. Text: 'See our large assortment of flowers and blooming plants. MIDLAND FLORAL CO. FRED FROMHOLD, Owner Phone 1286-1705 W. Wall Member of Florist Telegraph Delivery Assn.'

Advertisement for T. L. Morgan, M. D. and Dr. V. P. Neissl, Dentist. Text: 'Practice Limited to Ear, Eye, Nose & Throat Formerly in the Wilkerson Bldg. ANNOUNCE THE JOINT OCCUPANCY of Suite 203-204 First National Bank Bldg. Phone 843'

Advertisement for The Reporter-Telegram. Text: 'NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS If you do not receive your Reporter-Telegram by 6:15 on week days or by 8:00 o'clock on Sunday morning, please call 80 or 500 and your missing copy will be sent to you immediately. The Reporter-Telegram'

Her Fuselage Was Built in 2 1/2 Hours



It took only two hours and 35 minutes to build the 120-pound fuselage for the above five-passenger plane. Reason: a new "plastic" process developed at Hagerstown, Md., which allows an entire section of the fuselage or wings to be molded at one time. "Duramold," a waterproof material consisting of strips of long grain wood, impregnated with bakelite synthetics, was used.