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Harkrider Wins Ranger Tourney Second Time

This year's first Atlantic flyers hopped off for Rome and landed on the Irish coast. Next time they should hop off for Egypt, then maybe they'd get to Rome.

POSTAL CLERK INJURED WHEN BOMB BURSTS

WASHINGTON, May 21.—A bomb concealed in a hollowed out copy of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and addressed to a person in a Balkan country exploded today in the hands of Myrtle Genung, clerk in the Washington dead letter post-office.

Genung's face was lacerated and one hand so mangled it may be amputated.

The package containing the bomb was sent to the dead letter office 10 days ago because of defective sealing. It was shipped from New York. As Genung unwrapped it and pulled back the cover there was a loud explosion and she fell to the floor.

Pages of the book had been hollowed out and the bomb, with battery attached, embedded in the hole. It was so cleverly constructed that when the cover was lifted it triggered the powder.

Texas Farmers Got \$48,000,000 From A.A.A. Payments

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Texas farmers received \$48,000,000 in AAA payments, an analysis showed today.

Southern farmers received 64 per cent of the crop reduction funds paid so far. But the tide of federal money will shift soon to other sections.

About \$186,000,000 had been in crop restriction programs. Wheat growers got \$112,500,000 and wheat raisers \$67,000,000.

Christmas Package Several Months Late

FORT WORTH.—A Christmas package addressed to U. S. Marshal J. R. Wright and sent from an office building not more than seven or eight blocks from his own office has just turned up.

"Better late than never," Wright joked, as he viewed the brown and red suits of pajamas, neckties and handkerchiefs sent by Guy L. Waggoner. The package, it was explained, had been put away by a deputy who forgot it, until another deputy discovered it.

Galveston Raises Salaries of Teachers

GALVESTON, Tex.—Restoration of 50 per cent of the salary reductions for Galveston public school teachers last year has been voted by school board trustees for Sept. 17.

Cuts ranged from 8 to 20 per cent last year, pending on salaries received.

CRICKET BATTLE BEGUN

POCATELLO, Idaho.—The battle between grasshoppers and Mormon crickets started nearly two months early this year when officials distributed 40 tons of mixed grasshopper bait, shipped here by the federal government. Sixty tons more will be distributed.

COLORADO ELK SCARCE

OURAY, Colo.—Elk, which usually come down from the highlands about this time of year to feed, the very scarce this year.

Continued good grazing, and light snowfall on the peaks are given as reasons for their preference for the high places.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS.—Partly cloudy to unsettled. Probably thunderstorms in north portion tonight and Tuesday. Cooler in Panhandle west and north portions.

SOFT BALL

Jack Vaught, secretary of the Eastland Soft Ball league, announces the following games were scheduled for this afternoon at 4:15: 9-10ers-Barbers, at South Ward playground; Service Station Men-Mechanics, old football field and Arabs-C. of C. at the old football field.

Trophy Typifies Her Success



Three years ago Jona Blondell was just another Wampus baby movie star, picked by press agents as a likely prospect. But she made good in a big way, and here she is with the elegant silver trophy presented to her by the Wampus organization for outstanding achievement among the baby stars.

TWO CHARGED WITH MURDER OF PATROLMEN

FORT WORTH, May 21.—The State today charged Mrs. Billie White, alias Mace, the sister of notorious Bonnie Parker, and Floyd Hamilton with the murder last Easter Sunday of two highway patrolmen near Grapevine.

District Attorney Jessie Martin said Mrs. White and Hamilton, brother of the notorious Raymond Hamilton, had been identified positively by William Schieffer, farmer, near Grapevine, who witnessed the shooting.

Mrs. White, 21, was arrested late yesterday at Waxahachie and brought here and lodged in jail last night.

Floyd is held at Crockett.

The two patrolmen were shot down as they sought to question a man and woman parked on a side road.

Clyde Barrow, southwestern desperado, and his gun moll, Bonnie Parker, were at first believed the slayers. Indictments were returned against them here last week. Martin revealed, however, that Schieffer had never identified Bonnie and Barrow as the slayers, but today identified Mrs. White and Hamilton as the slayers.

Former Eastland Man Named Editor The Mission Times

Joe T. Cook, former Eastland newspaper man, who has been advertising manager of the Mission Times at Mission, Texas, since January, 1933, has been made editor of the paper.

Cook, a graduate of the Texas State University, served as editor-in-chief of the university paper, Daily Texan, during his senior year there.

PREPARES FOR FRONTIER DAYS

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—Looking ahead to the annual celebration of Frontier Days, to be staged late this summer, Cheyenne business men already have subscribed \$4,255 for expenses of the great rodeo.

Grain Dealers of Texas Want Open Marketing Plan

FORT WORTH, May 21.—Texas grain dealers want to get back on the basis of unrestricted markets and let the law of supply and demand rule, President T. L. Houghton of Crowell, told delegates to the Texas Grain Dealers' convention here today.

Grain dealers appreciate what the government has done, he said, adding that the government had helped temporarily by pegging prices and by other means.

"But a collapse from an artificial price would leave the grain business in a worse fix than it was before," he said.

Thomas L. Blanton For Re-Election

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, in a statement issued in Washington, formally announces his candidacy for re-election.

As grounds for asking your support Judge Blanton submits his record of service and intimate knowledge of government business. Except as to the return of the saloons, "against which I was unalterably pledged," he declares that he has been one of the leaders in the House in supporting President Roosevelt's Recovery Program.

His statement follows:

"To My Constituents:

"As grounds for asking your vote and support for re-election, I submit my record of service, intimate knowledge of every detail of government business both in the United States and foreign countries, and wide legislative experience.

"Except as to return of saloons against which I was unalterably pledged, I have been one of the leaders in the House in supporting President Franklin D. Roosevelt, and in fighting for his plans and policies for economic recovery. Regardless of my own views, I have felt that the American people wanted Congress to give the President means to try out and put into effect his recovery program.

"As a reward for long, active service, my colleagues have assigned me to membership on the important Committee on Appropriations, which gives me an excellent opportunity to eliminate all items not authorized by law, and to save annually large sums of money for tax-payers.

"Wholly at my own expense, and without cost to the Government, I have had reprinted excerpts from the daily Record of Congress, giving you voters a glimpse of the kind of work I perform in Congress. As the railroads are paid by the year for handling mail, and all postal employees receive annual salaries, it has not cost the Government one extra penny to send these excerpts to you through the mail, and I have felt that you were entitled to know about the standing and work of your Representative in Congress, who serves nearly 2,000 miles away from you.

"I have faithfully kept every pledge I have made to the people. During the past five months that my opponents have been actively campaigning against me, Congress has been in continuous session, and I have been kept busy here in Washington working 16 hours per day. I feel that I should remain at my post of duty here until Congress adjourns, regardless of my political interests, but I have an abiding faith that if I remain on the job and perform well my duties, you good people will take care of me on election day. If Congress should adjourn in time, I will then try to make the best campaign possible of my district.

"Sincerely, your friend,
"Thomas L. Blanton."

One Pilot Is Dead Another Is Injured In Plane Crackup

SHERMAN, May 21.—One student pilot was injured fatally and another injured possibly fatally when their training ship crashed at the airport here today.

Martimer Riley, 20, Long Island, N. Y., died at a hospital shortly after the crash. William Curry, 21, Wichita, Kas., was near death.

DEBATE OVER DARROW BOARD REPORT HEARD

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The nation plunged today into debate of the Darrow board report that NRA fosters monopoly and Clarence Darrow's own recommendation to President Roosevelt that American industry be socialized.

The 77-year-old lawyer proposed industrial competition be eliminated from American lives. Otherwise, he said, it will remain a wolfish and relentless factor.

First comment from congress and the press today appears to support NRA and Administrator Hugh S. Johnson against the Darrow findings.

Senator Gerald Nye, republican, North Dakota, who helped compel Mr. Roosevelt to create the Darrow board for code investigation, however said the reports proved NRA is destroying small business and entrenching monopoly.

The major blow of the attack on NRA by the Darrow board was a charge that it is dominated by big business and allows gross monopoly and choking of small business.

"The hope for the American people," Darrow said, "lies in the planned use of America's resources following socialization."

Recovery Administrator Johnson led the attack, charging:

"A more superficial, intemperate and inaccurate document than the report, I have never seen."

Johnson called for abolition of the Darrow board. Darrow wants the NRA administration abolished and the federal trade commission substituted in its place.

The counts Darrow brought against the NRA were that:

Big business dominates the NRA, allowing the growth of monopoly and choking small businesses.

Each of the NRA codes studied suffered due to poor administration.

The NRA oppresses consumers through higher prices.

He recommended:

Socialized collective ownership and control of industry, followed by a planned use of America's resources.

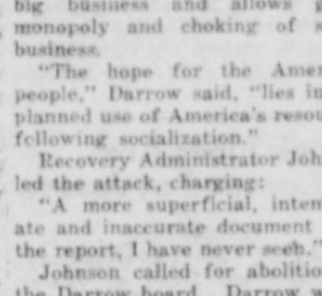
Transfer of code enforcement and fact finding from NRA to the federal trade commission.

Restoration of the anti-trust laws.

TICK BITE CAUSED DEATH

REDFORD, Ore.—A bite by a wood tick carrying spotted fever infection caused the death of Jim Cram, Crooked river country stockman.

Queen for a Day Of Campus Fete



The prize beauty's wreath rests in the head of Miss Helen Garvey, Oak Park, Ill., co-ed, above, by vote of Northwestern U. students. She reigned as queen of the May festivities at the Evanston, Ill., school.

Foe'll Never Board the Texas As Long as Kerry Can Battle



Just bring on the enemy! Kerry is ready for all comers as he stands here in watchful attitude, proud of his naval berth as mascot of the U. S. Texas, while the battleship goes through maneuvers with the U. S. fleet in Caribbean waters. Kerry is a thoroughbred Irish terrier.

FIVE KILLED WHEN TRUCK TURNS OVER

TYLER, Texas, May 21.—Five persons were killed and a sixth critically injured today when a truck crashed into a narrow bridge and rolled down a 30-foot embankment near Carroll.

Those killed were Troy Paul, 21, son of a Carroll merchant; Lloyd Dowell, 22, whose home was near Carroll, and three negroes, Cleveland Griffin, Julius Davis and Martin Davis.

Another negro, who was expected to die, was found dazed about half a mile from the scene of the accident. Passing motorists discovered the wreck.

High School Boy Held For Murder

FALFURRIAS, Texas, May 21.—William Osborne, 16-year-old high school senior, today faced a charge of murder in the shooting of J. M. Brinek, 27, of Harlingen, former University of California athlete and American Olympic rowing star.

The boy, son of a prominent Fremont, Texas, dairyman, confessed to the slaying, officers said, after captured in the wastelands south of here late yesterday. Poses had spent the day searching for him after motorists found Brinek's body in front of his car which was parked on a lonely road 18 miles south of here.

Dick Barkley Hurt In a Car Accident

Dick Barkley Jr. was painfully but not seriously injured when the car in which he was riding overturned on a curve in the Strawn road within the city limits of Ranger last Saturday night.

He was rushed to the City-County hospital, where it was found that he had sustained a broken collar bone and had received injuries about the face. His condition was reported as being not critical.

Three others who were riding in the car at the time it overturned were slightly injured, their injuries being superficial. They received first aid after the accident. The car was badly damaged.

Thirteen Are Killed In Plane Accidents

Thirteen persons, including two children, were killed over the week-end in five airplane accidents. Another plane was reported to have fallen near Tucson, Ariz., in a forest fire. It was unidentified.

Merchants Will Meet Tuesday 7:30 o'Clock

Merchants of Ranger who recently signed the credit agreement, are urged by Mrs. Alice D. True, secretary of the Retail Merchants association, to attend a meeting to be held in the furniture department of Killingsworth, Cox & Co., Tuesday night, May 22, at 7:30.

Any merchant who did not sign the agreement but who might be interested in attending are also cordially invited to be present.

SCHOOL CLOSURES

Graduation exercises of the seventh grade class of the Lone Cedar school were held Wednesday night.

Funeral Is Held For Victims of Bus Accident

A double funeral service for Mrs. Ethel Honey, 19, wife of M. C. Honey, and her infant daughter, both of whom were killed when a Southland Greyhound bus plunged from an overpass west of Cisco Saturday at noon, were conducted from the Bullock church Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The services were conducted by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian church of Ranger, assisted by Rev. K. C. Edmonds.

The mother and daughter were buried in the Bullock cemetery following the services at the church.

CHICAGO IS REBUILDING AFTER BLAZE

CHICAGO, May 21.—Thousands of workmen, having removed one body from the smoldering debris of Chicago's \$10,000,000 stockyard fire, pursued their search today in the belief others may have been trapped in the raging flames.

The task was most difficult due to the necessity of searching through the burned carcasses of hundreds of head of livestock.

It was impossible in some instances to determine the character of charred remains.

Identification of one body, however, was made today when it was determined that a 62-year-old watchman had lost his life in the cattle pens.

Looting started when 5,000 men, thrown out of jobs by the blaze, stormed into partially ruined store buildings near the stockyards.

Meanwhile rehabilitation work was speeded. The stricken area took on an appearance of a war-riddled village as commission men threw up flimsy shacks amid the ruins and hung out signs, "Business as usual."

Girl Arrested On Charge of Murder

FORT WORTH, May 21.—A 20-year-old girl arrested last night at Waxahachie was held in county jail today on a murder charge which was veiled in mystery.

District Attorney Jessie Martin withheld details pending investigation.

He said the girl was charged with murder but declined to reveal what murder.

Martin planned to question the girl later in the day. She gave her name as Billie Mace, but gave no address. Officers would make no further revelation regarding her identity. She was brought here last night by county investigators.

Mrs. Dixie Harpool Is Buried Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Dixie Harpool, 68, were conducted from the First Baptist church of Ranger Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with burial in the old Ranger cemetery following the services at the church. The services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Thomas, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. E. D. Conway.

The decedent was born in Kentucky March 6, 1866, and had been a resident of Ranger for a number of years. She was the widow of H. F. Harpool.

Senate Rejects the Norris Amendment

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The senate today rejected the Norris constitutional amendment providing for popular election of the President and abolition of the electoral college.

The vote was 42 for to 24 against, a two-thirds majority being necessary for approval. Senator Geo. Norris, Neb., changed his vote from aye to no in order to move for reconsideration later.

BRADY GOLFER IS SENSATION IN THE FINALS

Downer James Smith of Ranger 5-4 In Best Golf Seen in a Ranger Tournament.

D. A. Harkrider of Brady, formerly of Ranger, shot what was probably the best golf ever seen on the Ranger course Sunday afternoon to take the fourth annual invitation tournament championship by defeating James Smith of Ranger, 5-4.

Harkrider took the first hole of the championship match, halved the next three, took the fifth, halved the sixth, lost the seventh, the only hole he lost in the match, won the eighth, halved the next two, then won three in a row against the remarkable playing of Smith and won the match on the fourteenth hole, which he halved.

Smith was shooting par or below on practically every hole, while Harkrider, after winning the first hole, was never behind throughout the match. This is the second championship he won on the Ranger course, having been winner in 1932.

Previous winners were Gus Moreland, who won the first invitation tournament in 1931, Harkrider won in a closely contested match with James Phillips in 1932, the final round going to 21 holes and James Phillips won in 1933 and was defending champion. He lost out in the first round of match play to Sam Brimberry by a score of 1-4.

Harkrider went into the finals by winning from Doug Jones of Eastland, 4-3, in the first round taking the second round from Sam Brimberry, 5-4, and then won a 2-1 victory over H. H. Vaughn in the semi-finals.

Smith won his first match from Sam Conner of Eastland, 1-4; defeated Jack Mooney of Ranger by 2-1 and won his semi-final match against J. T. Hammett of Phil-Per Co by a score of 3-2.

Bill McMahon of Cisco won the second flight honors by defeating D. Tully of Eastland, 3-2, while J. C. Andrews won the third flight by defeating H. V. Joiner of Cisco, 1-4.

Nath Pirkle won the fourth flight Saturday.

Doug Jones of Eastland won the first flight consolation, E. C. Byars was winner of second flight consolation, while Bill McDonald won the third flight consolation.

Trophies and prizes were awarded at the clubhouse at the conclusion of the tournament.

Retail Grocers to Meet at Houston

HOUSTON, May 21.—The Texas Retail Grocers association is holding its annual convention in Houston May 21-23. Sessions will be at the Rice hotel. A. W. Pierson, president of the association and chairman of the state food and grocery code authority announces that C. H. Jansson, chairman of the national code authority for the food and grocery distributors trade, wholesale as well as retail, will be the featured speaker at luncheons on Monday and Tuesday and that Mr. Jansson will address an open meeting covering all phases of code administration at 2:30 p. m. on May 22.

An invitation is extended to members of all other code authorities, trade associations and chambers of commerce to participate. Compliance boards are especially urged to have representation. Another featured speaker will be H. C. Peterson, secretary-treasurer of the National Association of Retail Grocers who represents the independent retail grocers on the national code authority at Washington.

Rioting Breaks Out In Produce Market

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 21.—Rioting broke out at the city market today when an attempt was made to run several truck loads of produce through a blockade thrown up by more than 1000 striking truck drivers.

The outbreak of violence breaking the tension among business men and striking drivers, prepared for a showdown battle, came after hundreds of police had made a futile attempt to disburse the pickets.

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CALIFORNIA KIDNAPERS BEHIND THE BARS FOR LIFE

Three California kidnapers are behind the bars of San Quentin penitentiary—for life. They were the kidnapers of Millionaire William F. Gettle. District Attorney Byron K. Fitts of Los Angeles county made a quick job of it. He's a former Texan. The kidnapers were taken to the private office of the prosecutor. This is what he said to the ruffians who were trapped and missed the ransom loot: "Agree to enter pleas of guilty today or risk the electric chair." They agreed. They were given life imprisonment. They were taken to San Quentin. They did not harm or injure their victim. The California law recently enacted calls for death for the perpetrator "if the victim is harmed."

Now it is said that federal agents of the department of justice and the state authorities of Arizona are on the trail of the abductors of the Robles child and their arrest and conviction is certain. Yes, "justice travels with a laden heel but it strikes mighty hard." The congress has enacted the legislation recommended by the attorney general of the United States. A large appropriation has been made for modern equipment of the sleuths of the department of justice who are to work hand in glove with the state units of law enforcement. Uncle Sam is on the road. Uncle Sam "gets his man." High or low, "he gets his man." There are no state boundary lines which make it easy for criminals to jump from one commonwealth or another. Samuel Insull fled to Europe. He laughed at the law and its agents. He is back in America. He must go to trial. He was not a kidnaper. He was not a murderer, but the leaden heel of justice caught him under faraway foreign skies just the same.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

There is need for caution and moderation in everything, and especially in publicity for the purpose of attracting tourists.

I read a very interesting booklet received in the mail today, telling about the captivating beauty spots of a certain part of the world. I happen to know the place. It has no Alladin's lamp nor magic gardens for the tourist to tread upon. There are many more wonderful places in the United States and Canada.

The tourist of today is generally a much traveled and educated person, and a mere fairy tale won't satisfy him. If once duped, he won't return and will tell the world why.

When you plan a trip, you will find plenty of places of interest advertised in the newspapers.
SEE AMERICA FIRST!

IF THE PUNISHMENT FITTED THE CRIME



Bootleggers Are Threatened By Federal Agencies

By United Press
FORT WORTH.—Bootleggers and druggists who are violating the state dry laws are being threatened with prosecution by federal agents.

W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue, has mailed 6,000 notices to North Texas drug stores and other holders of liquor stamps warning them they will be subject to a \$1,000 federal excise tax if they are distributing liquor in violation of the state dry law.

Bootleggers who believe themselves "right" with the federal government just because they purchased liquor revenue stamps after repeal are misinformed, Thomas said. Drug stores selling whisky on "made-to-order" prescriptions were warned.

"Some drug stores are buying

prescriptions from doctors in batches of a hundred," Thomas said. "These are filled in when whisky is sold."

"Not only are these pharmacists violating the revenue act, but they are guilty of forgery and the doctor is guilty of conspiracy."

"Under the law, the physician must examine the patient before giving him a whisky prescription. We are not going to stop levying this excise tax. Druggists and doctors guilty of conspiracy will be prosecuted on these charges."

The \$1,000 levy is provided in Section 701 of the internal revenue act of 1926, the collector said.

Some drug stores here and at Dallas, as well as other Texas cities, according to informed persons, keep pads of prescriptions in their stores ready for issuance when a customer wants his whisky. At some places, it is said, not even the pretense of a forged prescription is necessary.

Many bootleggers here bought \$20 retail liquor stamps after repeal and stocked up with stamped liquor to keep in line with the stern revenue laws, it is said.

Thomas' action was taken by law enforcement officers and dry forces here to indicate the federal government would carry out its pledge to protect dry states after repeal of the eighteenth amendment.

Drunk Fines Are Lowered at Juarez

By United Press
JUAREZ, Mexico.—Americans who drink too freely at Juarez bars in the future will find the Juarez court tempered with mercy, on orders from Mayor Daniel Quiroz Reyes.

The mayor ordered ordinary intoxication fines reduced to one peso, approximately 32 cents in American currency.

Previously, fines of five to 60 pesos have been assessed, depending on the degree of inebriation.

A hen fell into a well at Duncan, Okla., and floundered around in deep water for two days until it was rescued. Then, most likely, it quacked its thanks.

Markets

By United Press
Closing selected New York stocks:

Am Can	95
Am P & L	7 3/4
Am Rad & S S	14 1/2
Am Smelt	42 1/2
Am T & T	116
Anacosta	15 1/2
Auburn Auto	34 1/2
Avn Corp Del	7
Barnsdall	8
Beth Steel	35 1/2
Byers A M	22 1/2
Canada Dry	22 1/2
Case J I	40 1/2
Chrysler	40 1/2
Comw & Sou	2 1/2
Cons Oil	10 1/2
Curtiss Wright	3 1/2
Elec Au L	22
Foster Wheel	15 1/2
Freeport Tex	39 1/2
Gen Elec	20 1/2
Gen Foods	32 1/2
Gen Mot	38 1/2
Gillette S R	10 1/2
Goodyear	29 1/2
Gt West Sugar	29
Houston Oil	20 1/2
Int Harvester	33 1/2
Johns Manville	43 1/2
Kroger G & B	29 1/2
Lia Carb	28 1/2
Marshall Field	15 1/2
Montz Ward	25 1/2
Nat Dairy	17
Ohio Oil	12 1/2
Penney J C	58 1/2
Phelps Dodge	17
Phillips Pet	18 1/2
Pure Oil	11
Purity Bak	13 1/2
Radio	7 1/2
Sears Roebuck	42 1/2
Shell Union Oil	7 1/2
Socony Vac	15 1/2
Southern Pac	22 1/2
Stan Oil N J	43
Studebaker	5 1/2
Texas Corp	24 1/2
Texas Gulf Sul	34
Texas Pac C & O	4 1/2
Und Elliott	40
Union Carb	38 1/2
United Air & T	21 1/2
United Corp	5 1/2
U S Steel	43 1/2
Westing Elec	33 1/2
Worthington	21 1/2

Curb Stocks
Cities Service 2 1/2
Ford M Ltd 9 1/2
Gulf Oil Pa 61
Niag Hud Per 5 1/2
Stan Oil Ind 26 1/2

Eastland Personals

Mrs. D. W. Watson of San Angelo, is spending this week with Mrs. Morgan Myers.

Miss Evelyn Hearn left Saturday for El Paso for a week's visit with Mr. and Ms. W. W. Phillips.

13TH DAY; 13 EGGS; 13 CHICKS

GARDINER, Me.—On Friday the 13th Mrs. Lillian M. Rice set a hen with 13 eggs. On a subsequent Friday several weeks later 13 perfect chicks were hatched out.



COLOR VARIATION DETECTOR WILL DISTRIBUTE SILVER DIPLOMAS THIS YEAR

By United Press
BOSTON.—A color analyzer, invented by Prof. Arthur C. Hardy, has proven its ability to detect color differences that are imperceptible to the unaided eye. In two red and yellow dyes it was capable of identifying a difference of 1-10,000 per cent of red.

WOMAN, 92, MAKES GARDEN

ELYRIA, O.—Mrs. Dora Stark, 92, has just finished "making" her garden, just as she has for years here. Undeterred by age, she refuses to let friends or neighbors do any of the spading or later weeding.

QUAKES INCREASED FLOW OF SPRING

By United Press
MINA, Nev.—The Resale spring, proposed source of the community's water supply, has increased its flow 100 per cent since a series of recent earth shocks. The New Boston spring also nearby, has an increased flow.

Educator

HORIZONTAL
1 The educator in the picture.
11 South Carolina.
13 To wander.
14 Music drama.
15 Sportsman's halloo.
17 Social insect.
18 To pardon.
19 Lubricant.
21 Northeast.
22 Homelike.
23 Low tide.
25 Chaos.
26 Lawyer's charge.
27 To tear stitches.
29 Extols.
31 To clean with a brush.
32 Too.
34 Unless.
35 Finale.
37 Coal box.
38 One who inherits.
39 Performs.
41 To accomplish.
42 Restaurant.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

University.
14 Hawaiian bird.
18 Enemies.
19 Organs of hearing.
22 Pertaining to pleasure.
24 Informal out-door parties.
26 Friction match.
28 To publish.
30 Morindia tree.
32 You and me.
38 Yellowish gray.
37 Post.
38 Cavities.
40 Pertaining to the sun.
41 Part of a pedestal base.
43 Swift.
44 Sea eagle.
45 Light wagon.
46 Region.
48 Measure of cloth.
50 Lava.
52 Neither.
53 Form of "be".
55 Northeast part of.

45 Automobiles.
47 Whirlwind.
49 Wing.
51 In what college is she?
53 Every.
54 What is her official title?
56 To breathe loudly in sleep.
57 Verb.
58 Bone.
59 Actors.
VERTH-AL
1 Granulated.

2 Tertiary formation.
3 Upright shaft.
4 Doctor of medicine.
5 Chamber.
6 Nimble.
7 Limb.
8 Ireland.
9 Edge of a roof.
10 Corpse.
11 Lower part of the leg.
12 Her college part of.

A crossword puzzle grid with a small portrait of a woman in the center. The grid contains numbers for the puzzle.

—that Chesterfields are Milder
—that Chesterfields Taste Better



Bankhead Act to Be Administered By Old Committee

COLLEGE STATION—The Bankhead Act, controlling cotton production, will be administered by the same machinery employed in the cotton acreage reduction program, the agricultural adjustment administration at Washington has advised C. B. Martin, extension service director at Texas A. & M. college.

Texas may gain and sell 3,091,000 bales tax free under the new act, the AAA points out. All in excess of this must pay a tax of 50 per cent of the average central market spot price for 7-8-inch mid-ling staple.

County control associations set up under the acreage reduction program will have charge of making individual allotments for production the next year beginning June 1, during which the Bankhead Act will operate. As far as possible although these may be raised or lowered according to the county allotments assigned by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The allotted bales are to be given tax exemption certificates as soon as forms are received and machinery set up in the individual counties.

Those who did not sign reduction contracts may participate in the new act, but they will not share in rental and parity payments given former co-operators.

Share croppers and tenants are to be protected in making of allotments and issuing of exemption certificates, according to provisions of the act. Contract signers who violate their contracts are to have their exemption certificates revoked.

No allotments are to be made under the Bankhead Act until all producers have applied to their county cotton committees for exemption certificates. Texas allotments are based on the ratio of average production for five years—1928-32—to the average national production for that period.

The first duty of every producer under the law is to apply for sale tags for all cotton produced prior to this season now in possession of the farmer. As soon as forms are available, the farmer should apply for production exemption certificates for his allotted cotton for 1934-35. Final date for these applications has not been set.

Every bale of American cotton carrying trade channels in the cotton year 1934-35, must have a sale tag which the farmer may obtain either by surrendering his exemption certificate or by paying the tax. The amount of tax is determined by the tax in effect at the time the cotton is ginned regardless of when it is sold. At no time can the tax be less than 5 cents a pound. Bureau of Internal Revenue will have charge of collecting the tax.

Cotton of 1-2 inch staple length or longer is exempted from tax but the producer of such cotton must first prove his point before exemption is granted. Exemption station cotton is also exempted from the tax.

The Newfangles (Mom 'n' Pop)



By Cowen ALLEY OOP



BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Tulsa	18	12	.600
San Antonio	20	15	.571
Galveston	19	16	.543
Dallas	18	16	.529
Houston	17	17	.500
Fort Worth	15	20	.429
Oklahoma City	13	18	.419
Beaumont	14	20	.412

Yesterday's Results
 San Antonio 817, Fort Worth 6-5
 Houston 3-2, Oklahoma City 1-0
 Tulsa 2-0, Beaumont 1-4
 Dallas 6-3, Galveston 1-6

Today's Schedule
 Dallas at Beaumont.
 Fort Worth at Houston.
 Oklahoma City at San Antonio.
 Tulsa at Galveston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	20	11	.645
St. Louis	18	11	.621
Pittsburgh	16	10	.615
New York	17	13	.567
Boston	14	13	.519
Brooklyn	12	16	.429
Philadelphia	9	17	.346
Cincinnati	6	22	.222

Yesterday's Results
 Brooklyn 5, Chicago 1
 Boston 1, Cincinnati 0 (10 innings)
 Philadelphia 16, Pittsburgh 4
 St. Louis 9, New York 5

Today's Schedule
 Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
 St. Louis at New York.
 Chicago at Brooklyn.
 Cincinnati at Boston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Standing of the Teams

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	18	9	.667
Cleveland	13	11	.542
Detroit	13	13	.519
Washington	15	14	.517
St. Louis	12	13	.480
Boston	13	15	.464
Philadelphia	12	15	.444
Chicago	9	16	.360

Yesterday's Results
 Boston 6, Chicago 5
 Washington 4, Detroit 1
 Cleveland 8, New York 5
 St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 7

Today's Schedule
 Washington at Detroit.
 Philadelphia at St. Louis.
 New York at Cleveland.
 Boston at Chicago.

111,631,765 POUNDS OF MEAT
 By United Press
 BOSTON.—Boston, famous for its baked beans, also has a taste for meat. A survey revealed that Bostonians ate no less than 111,631,765 pounds of meat in 1933.

\$15 POLICE SIGN STOLEN
 By United Press
 YARMOUTH, Mass.—A sign, costing \$15, which told passersby that a new state police barracks was to be built there, was stolen from a lot in South Yarmouth.

13,000 WELLS IN EAST TEXAS OIL FIELD

KILGORE, Texas.—The East Texas oil field now has more than 13,000 oil wells. Field headquarters here for the state controlling agency put the number at 13,011 on May 1.

WATER PISTOLS FORBIDDEN

WOODBURY, N. J.—Water pistols may be harmless, and all that sort of thing, but possession of one by any high school student here is strictly forbidden. The reason? Harry M. Taxis, school principal, was "shot" with one recently.

SURGERY AIDS GUINEA HEN

FALL MILLS, Va.—A successful job of plastic surgery has been performed by J. A. Peake, Fall Mills poultryman, on a guinea hen. The hen got her bill entangled in a wire fence and tore it off. Peake glued the bill back and it has grown into place.

MAPLE SYRUP DREW BEES

PITTSFIELD, Mass.—When honey bees arrived in swarms at the home of Frank Wilson here, it was found that painters had mistakenly used maple syrup instead of linseed oil in mixing paint for the house.

PLOWED UP OLD GOLD RING

SILVERTON, Ore.—When Fred Knight plowed in a field near here he turned up a gold ring in perfect condition. It was identified as one lost by Ed Finlay, now dead, more than 42 years ago.

OUT OUR WAY



TEXAS BEAUTIFIES YARDS

AUSTIN, Texas. Municipalities have entered upon a practical campaign for beautified yards and home gardens. Austin, Temple, San Marcos and many other places are offering reduced summer water rates to encourage home gardening.

TRY A WANT-AD!

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Only a second Donna hesitated. Then she dashed down the steps, two at a time, calling, "Grandpa! Grandpa!" Through the living room she ran and into the room that had been hers during her convalescence. The old man lay beside the bed, breathing heavily, his face flushed purple and his eight-lesed eyes wide and protruding with his effort to get his breath.

"Grandfather!" Donna cried, throwing herself on her knees by his side. "What is it? What happened?"

His lips parted but only a croak issued from them. There was a flutter of his eyelids but otherwise he did not move. She put strong arms under his shoulders and raised him to a sitting position. She realized he was conscious but suffering from something she did not understand.

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What was the name of the doctor who had removed the splints from her leg? In her excitement Donna could not remember. There was a telephone book and she seized it eagerly but it gave her little information, since there was no classified section.

She flung the directory from her and jerked the receiver from the hook. The telephone was on a party line and she had to wait several seconds before a voice answered.

"This is the Sidal farm," Donna said. "Mr. Sidal is very ill. Will you get hold of a doctor and send him out here right away? Any doctor—just please tell him hurry!"

Evidently the telephone operator tried to meet the emergency, for an hour later, after Donna had

Donna of the Big Top

BEGIN HERE TODAY
 DONNA GABRIEL and MADELINE SIDDAL who call themselves "The Gabriel Sisters" are circus performers. When Donna is injured by a fall from the trapeze Madeline arranges for her to be taken to GRANDFATHER SIDDAL's farm to recuperate. To please her grandfather Donna falls in love with BILL SIDDAL, Madeline's cousin, and though she is ashamed of deceiving Bill and grandfather she is afraid to tell the truth.

Meanwhile Madeline marries CON DAVID, animal trainer with the circus, and takes part in the animal act.

Bill and Donna are married. Mrs. Planter, housekeeper on the farm, shows Donna a handbill announcing Madeline's marriage to Con in the circus arena and Donna realizes the woman is a dangerous enemy.

In New Orleans Madeline encounters RED TRAFFORD, formerly boss canvasser of the circus. She decides not to tell Con.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
 CHAPTER XXII
 "YOU know, Honey," Bill Sidral said, struggling into his shirt and ruffling his crisp dark hair, "I've been noticing you and Mrs. Planter. She's a harmless old soul with a bark a lot worse than her bite, but I can see she gets on your nerves. If you'd like to get rid of her and have Minnie Jones come over to help you with the work I'll speak to Grandpop and I'm sure he'll agree to the change."

Donna's first reaction was one of relief. Since Mrs. Planter had shown her the circus handbill, relations between the two had been more strained than ever. Donna had made an effort to be pleasant, had tried tactfully to assume charge of the household, as befitted its mistress, but she had met sullen resentment.

But before she could agree gratefully to Bill's suggestion caution prompted a different answer.

No—so long as Mrs. Planter had that handbill in her possession Donna could not risk offending her. Consequently Mrs. Planter could not be dismissed.

"Oh, I don't mind her much," she said.

"She's a good cook," Bill agreed with relief, "and a hard worker. Minnie might not do as well."

From that hour Donna's chief thought was how to get hold of the handbill and destroy it. The slip of paper had become a menace out of all proportion to its contents. Donna dreamed about it and awoke shivering and wondering if she had talked in her sleep.

OCCASIONALLY on a Saturday afternoon Mrs. Planter went to Lebanon to visit a married cousin who lived on the other side of town. The next time she spoke of paying such a visit and asked Bill if she could ride to town with him Donna found an excuse to remain at home. She was determined to search for the handbill, as she waited until Grandfather was asleep and she was sure the car might not return. Then, feeling as though she were a sneak thief, she mounted the stairs to Mrs. Planter's room. Carefully, so as not to disturb anything and give away the fact that she had been in the room, she opened all the bureau drawers, went through the pockets

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Ten Million Poppies Made By Disabled To Be Sold May 26

JAMESTOWN, N. D.—Completion of arrangements for the nationwide observance of Poppy Day, May 26, has been announced by Mrs. James Morris, of this city, chairman of the national poppy committee of the American Legion Auxiliary. Approximately ten million paper replicas of the poppies which grew along the World war battle front in France and which became the memorial flower of the World war dead, have been made by disabled veterans working in 58 government hospitals and convalescent workrooms in different parts of the country. Nearly 100,000 women of the auxiliary have volunteered to distribute the flowers on the streets throughout the country on Poppy Day.

"Arrangements for the annual Poppy Day observance have been carried out with enthusiasm and thoroughness by the 8,300 American Legion Auxiliary units," Mrs. Morris said. "We are confident that fully 10,000,000 Americans will wear poppies Saturday to honor the war dead and aid the war's living victims."

HAS UNIQUE ROCK HOUSE

BARTLETT, Texas.—E. E. Springer, gargaman, claims some sort of record for rock houses. Petrified wood from Texas, two tons of pink granite from Marble Falls, Texas, and seashells from the Gulf of Mexico, lava rock from Hawaii, white and red crystal rock from the Ozark mountains, were used in the construction of his home.

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BULLOCK

Special Correspondent
 The Bullock Home Demonstration club met Wednesday, May 16, at the home of Mrs. B. F. Dempsey. There were 14 of the members and two visitors present.

Miss Ruth Ramey gave a cake demonstration. Then ice cream and cake was served.

The program in general was very interesting and everyone reported a nice time.

The next meeting will be on

OLEANDER PARADE

GALVESTON.—Galveston's annual oleander parade will be held June 2 and 3.

Scores of children will walk in the parades in costumes decorated with the pink and white flowers of the oleander shrub.

In New York, it's a misdemeanor to town, rent, or lease a slot machine. In all states it's a mistake to play one.

Why Not A Spring Vacation?

Are you one whose vitality is always lowest in the spring? Do you have what you term "a snappy case of spring fever?" You're probably just run-down and worn-out after a hard winter. What you'd better do is stop right now, rest awhile, and get in trim to carry on for another year.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

BY MARY E. DAGUE
 NEA Service Star Writer

WITH a hey-nony-nony and an appetite whetted by fresh air, anticipation and vacation to the nth degree, we welcome the picnic season. Unfortunately, back of the gay party and the wonderful food out of baskets must be somebody's thoughtful care, and that somebody as usual will have to be mother.

So let's get down to this picnic situation and work it out once and for all so that afterwards we can enjoy ourselves. That's important, for any child will tell you that a picnic is more fun if mother is there and not serving all the time.

Pinic Calendar
 To help out, here are some calculations for the average picnic:
 One large orange ten inches in diameter will serve 16 persons.
 One loaf of spaghetti bread will make 24 sandwiches which have been cut in half.
 Two-thirds cup evaporated butter will spread both sides of 24 sandwiches.
 One pint sandwich filling will fill 24 sandwiches.
 One quart of salad will serve 10 persons.
 One four-pound chicken will yield about 3 cups of diced meat.
 One 2-1/2 pound lobster will yield, when boiled, enough meat for one quart of salad combined with other material.
 One-half pound coffee and 4 quarts of boiling water will make enough of the beverage to serve 15 people.

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Strawberries, cereal, cream, ham omelet, crisp toast, milk, coffee.
LUNCHEON: Onion and celery soup, toast sticks, cottage cheese and shredded vegetable salad, date and nut bread sandwiches, lemonade.
DINNER: Veal loaf with mushroom sauce, potatoes in parsley butter, asparagus on toast, cream with French dressing, pineapple shortcake, milk, coffee.

One and one-half dozen lemons will make enough lemonade to serve 20 to 25 persons, depending largely on the size and juiciness of the fruit.
 One quart of a frozen mixture will serve 6 to 8 persons. When ice cream means the main part of the refreshments, a larger serving is needed.
 One pound of salted nuts will serve 25 persons.
 One pound of cold boiled ham will serve 6 to 8 persons, and 1 pound of meat loaf will provide for about the same number.

These suggestions are made with a balanced picnic meal in mind. If baked beans, potato salad, cold-boiled ham, meat loaf, meat sandwiches, cheese sandwiches, pie, cake and cookies are all in evidence with lemonade, ice cream and watermelon, for the "grand finale," the quantities of each vendor should be very small indeed.

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Ranger Social News
 ARBITTA DAVENPORT, Editor

Infirmary Ceremonies Unite Ranger Couples Over Week-End
 Informal ceremonies ended in marriage over the week-end two Ranger couples who are to make their future homes here.

Miss Charlotte Howard and E. B. Stiffler were married at the office of Judge J. N. McFatter Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Miss Zettie Faye Morris and C. D. Stagner said their vows at the home of Judge and Mrs. McFatter, Mission apartments, as the clock pointed to 9.

Saturday Evening Tournament Dance Delightful Occasion

The Saturday evening dance held at the Ranger Country club in conjunction with the annual golf tournament was most delightful with music furnished by the group of musicians from the Crazy hotel, Mineral Wells.

The clubrooms, decked in gay dress for the hour, again served a favored place for a large number of local dancers together with several from surrounding cities.

Co-Workers Home Demonstration Club With Mrs. Parrish

The Co-Workers Home Demonstration club will meet for a demonstration on the making of jelly rolls at the home of Mrs. J. W. Parrish, Deudemonia boulevard, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Members are urged by Meses. Lillian Neal Eastland and Mrs. Louis Pitcock to be present.

All-Day Meeting of Federation Club, Bass Lake

The Eastland County Council of Women's Clubs rounded out their splendid year of work with an all-day session held at Bass lake Saturday with the president of the Sixth district, Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, presiding during the interesting morning and afternoon hours.

Mrs. J. E. Hickman of Eastland assisted in the morning period devoted to a business session during which time reports were heard from all chairmen and committees. Mrs. Stubbfield offered the welcome address. Albert H. Gleason of Gleanontale, Mass., father of Mrs. Perkins, gave a talk and also a report from a man's standpoint of the convention held at Fort Davis a short time ago which was attended by Mrs. James Horton, secretary of the district and Mrs. Perkins. The resume afforded

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ed several laughs due to the humorous manner in which Mr. Gleason related the event.

Other prominent program features were a talk by Judge Clyde L. Garrett and "stunt" by members of the Rising Star division.

Mrs. Horton touched on important and whole-hearted co-operation received from the rural districts throughout the year. The round-table discussion woven about a summary of interesting and successful projects made outstanding was conducted under the leadership of Mrs. Perkins.

Numbered among some 75 guests was Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent.

Mission Study

File Hour

Sunbeams and G. A.'s of the Central Baptist church met at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Mission study under the leadership of Mrs. J. E. Ogg. Devotional was given by Mrs. E. S. Brink.

Eleven were present for refreshments served by Meses. Dan Neville and Brink.

Wednesday Study to Be Held With Mrs. Johnson

The Wednesday afternoon club meeting of Child Study Association No. 1 will be held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Johnson, 2:30 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

Fourteenth Birthday Celebrated

Miss Inez Harrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harrell, entertained a number of friends with a delightful party Saturday, celebrating her fourteenth birthday. Games furnished diversion for the hour, with ice cream and cake served to the following: Cecelia McDowell, Joe Craver, Wilma Lee, Mary Davis, Maurice Chastain, Evelyn Childs, Jack Rapp, Pickens Weaver, Cloma Huffman, Robert Johnson, Robert Ray Herring, Willard Balch, Harman Almsworth, Sarah Maud Crawley of Eastland, Katherine White of Eastland, and Emma Donley.

Birthday Party Happy Affair

Honoring her small daughter, Sue Kathleen, Mrs. Jeanette Gordon entertained with pretty party at their home, 513 Street highway, Friday afternoon, marking the ninth birthday of the honoree.

A color note of jade green and coral pink were predominant in decorations, bringing clusters of roses and fern.

Games, story-telling and reading afforded a happily spent hour from 3:30 till 5 o'clock.

Gifts in dainty wrappings brought greetings from the group of little friends. Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake and food punch were served. Billy Deaton, Betty Jo Hooks, Doris

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Political Announcements

This paper is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary Election in July, 1934:

For County Judge: **W. D. R. OWEN**
CLYDE L. GARRETT

For County School Superintendent: **CLAIBORNE ELDRIDGE**
T. C. WILLIAMS

For County Treasurer: **JOHN WHITE**
MRS. MAE HARRISON

For Sheriff: **VIRGE FOSTER**

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: **HENRY DAVENPORT**

Where 'Worst Drouth' Perils Crops

Grasshopper menace appears as appeals go to Washington to relieve distress. Governor acts to forestall "most dangerous forest fire hazard in history." Wheat pit in turmoil as prices rise legal limit, facing "short crop."



Acute water shortage at Salt Lake City and in many communities east to Ohio. Heavy dust storms sweep whole counties, denuding and killing wheat. Farmers break seals of "loan corn" cribs to feed stock as mercury hits 90 degrees.

The entire Midwest waits anxiously for relief from the "worst drouth in a generation." Whole counties of "America's bread basket" lie parching under unseasonable heat, and nearly a month without appreciable rainfall is endangering the wheat crop. While a huge carry-over eliminates fear of actual shortage, Washington officials watch anxiously the effects on the Midwest farming region.

TALE OF OREGON SEA SERPENT EXPLODED

By United Press

LAKEVIEW, Ore.—A 20-foot "fossilized sea serpent" which attracted many visitors to a dry lake bed here was declared merely a "concretion" by Dr. Warren D. Smith, University of Oregon geologist. The formation was shaped like a gigantic serpent and had what resembled a head. Dr. Smith said it probably had a root as its nucleus, around which mud formed and later hardened into rock. It was about 20 inches in diameter.

PARIS SOCIETY NOW USES TYPEWRITER

By United Press

PARIS—The typewriter is being admitted to society, and mechanical fingers now are permitted to write formal notes for social usage. Several society typewriters have been ordered here in mahogany and walnut, with key-rims and metal accessories in gold and silver. They are monogrammed on the spacer and are equipped with ashtrays attached at the side, cigarettes and a lighter.

TRUSTED HONEST FACE

By United Press

BOWDOINHAM, Me.—If a man has an honest face that's enough proof for Gil Brown that he can be trusted. Brown, manager of a gasoline station here, had \$43 he wanted to deposit but couldn't get to the bank. The first man that came to purchase gasoline, who had an honest face, was handed the money and asked to bank it for him. The stranger obliged.

STEEL RECOVERY SHOWN

By United Press

CINCINNATI, O.—Steel recovery was shown here in the first quarter report of the American Rolling Mills Co., of Middletown, O., which showed a net profit of \$545,268, compared with a net loss of \$966,593 for the same period last year.

STOLE WORLD WAR PLAQUE

By United Press

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—Vandals stole the inscription plaque from a monument honoring Utah soldiers who gave their lives in the World War. Inscribed on the plaque was "From the living to the dead—"

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Porters at Capitol Have Long Service Records to Credit

AUSTIN, Tex.—Illness of Tom Brown, file custodian in the Adjutant General's office, has interrupted the service of probably the state capital's longest-time employe. Brown has been in the Adjutant-General's department as porter and file custodian since Spanish-American war days. A beautiful penman, he has for years written the names of National Guard officers in the commissions issued to them. Dave Mitchell has been a porter in the same office for 33 years.

Alex Phillips has almost as long service as porter to the State Supreme Court. Hugh Green has been porter in the Governor's office since he came to Austin after the Galveston flood.

Henry McBride, another of the capital's famous porters, was their dean when he retired four years ago. He antedates the present state capitol. In fact, he is responsible for it. In burning trash in the old state capitol, equipped with stoves, he made so big a fire that the building was destroyed.

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