

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★ Hollywood Set To Battle TV With Its Own Quiz Contest

By **ERSKINE JOHNSON**
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD — Hollywood is ready to strike back at radio and TV giveaways. A "Movie Quiz" contest, on film, will be staged in selected movie houses throughout the country. You answer Yes or No questions for local, regional and national cash awards. The national contest, they say, will have a jackpot of \$180,000.

Department of Red Faces:
February issue of a film magazine has a story titled "Why I Waited Four Years to Marry Guy Madison." It was written by Gail Russell, who left him the day before the magazine hit the stands.

Ida Lupino's film, "Never Fear," has a line of dialog: "Why, Clark Gable always denies he's getting married."

Notes from Betty Hutton at Sun Valley:
"Have just had my first ski lesson and boy—my soaking feet. But I've got to have them in shape for square dancing tonight."

Stan Kramer, who brought Marlon Brando to Hollywood to star as a paraplegic vet in "The Men," predicts the Broadway actor will "make Hollywood revise its standards of performances." Says Kramer: "Brando flouts all standards. I expected good acting. Instead he gave me the real thing without any consciousness or care for anybody or anything. He is without doubt the first and only actor of his kind."

Hollywood, says Martin Ragaway, is still the land of make-believe. Most of the producers want to make believe there's no such thing as television. **Quick Deal:**
Phil Regan met producer Jack Cummings at M-G-M. Said Cummings: "I'd sure like you for my new picture. Have you ever considered returning to the screen?" "Yes," said Regan, "right now." Regan will play himself in "Three Little Words."

Trick opening for "Sunset Boulevard": Opening shot shows Bill Holden as a corpse floating face downward in a river. The camera sees him from below, as though under water, and stares right into his eyes. Pleasant dreams.

Cyd Charisse's new contract with M-G-M has a unique clause — when not working she has permission to join hubby Tony Martin wherever he may be — in this country or abroad. The Bob Cummings-Ann Blyth film, "Free for All," got laughs in the wrong places during the New York work shortage. The plot hinges around

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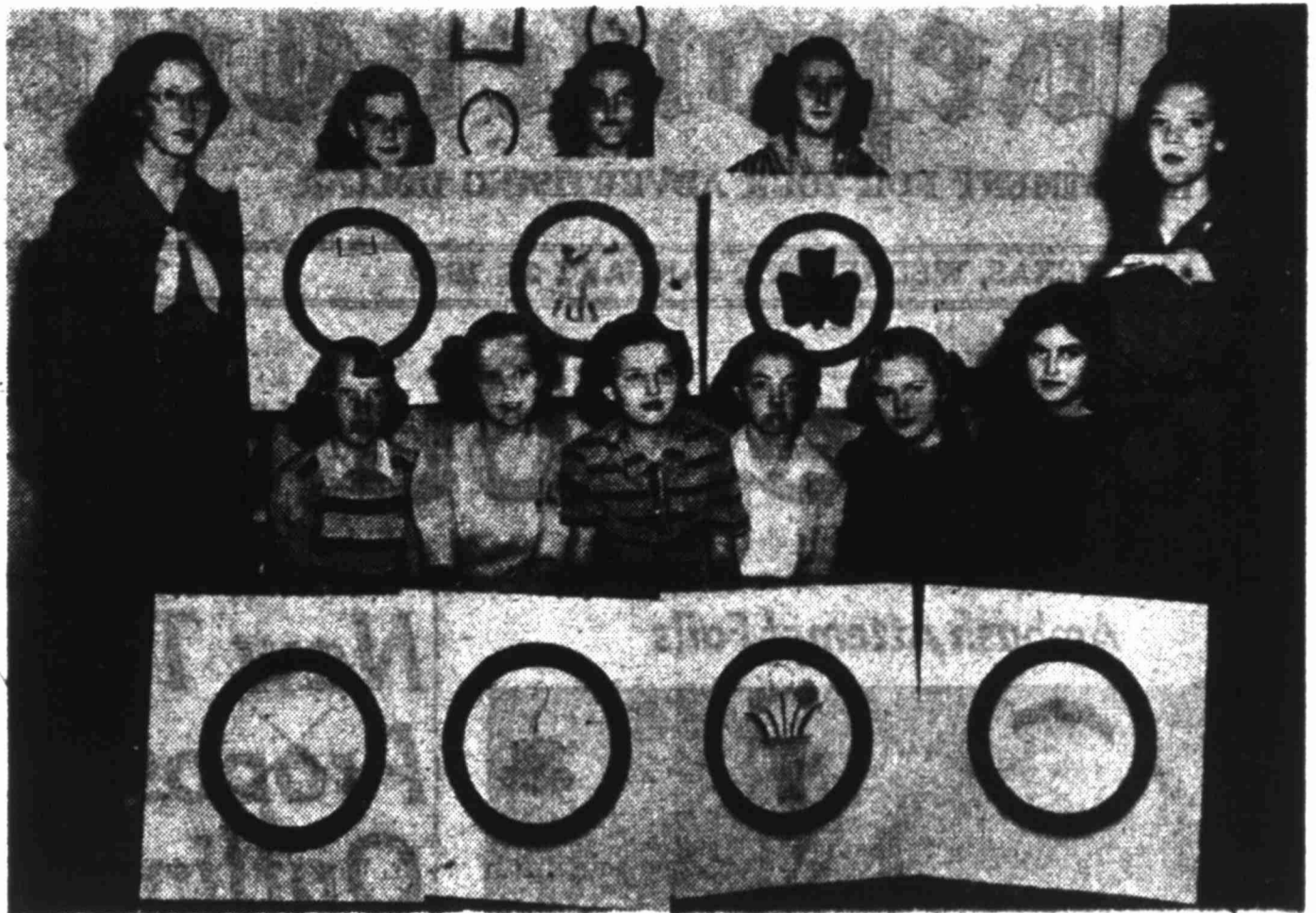
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Girl Scouts And Honor Badges



Members of Girl Scout Troop 3 are, front row, left to right: Pat Riley, Trenna Standley, Betty Palton, Marga Smith, Martha Forrest, Carolyn Gray, Frances Whigham and Gail Hoover; back row, Wanda Moore, Ann Matlock and Shirley Biggs. Honor badges shown are front row, left to right, housekeeper, hostess, interior decorating and curving bar; back row, photography, folk dancing and my troop. Mrs. Howard Ford is the troop leader.

Court Of Awards Scheduled Friday To Confer Badges Earned By Girl Scouts

Members of nine Midland Girl Scout troops will receive honor badges at the Court of Awards scheduled Friday night in the West Elementary School Auditorium. Girls who belong to Troops 9, 13, 14, 8, 18, 2, 3, 15, and 26 will receive badges, awarded by the troop leaders. The meeting is open to the public, and all Girl Scouts and Brownies and their parents are invited especially.

Books, Pamphlets On Wood Hobbies Given To Library

A collection of books on woodwork, pamphlets and working plans for furniture and household shelves have been presented to the Midland County Library by Mrs. E. L. Phillips as a memorial to her late husband.

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Abundant Living

By **E. STANLEY JONES**
Heb. 1:1-3; John 1:1-5, 17-18; Heb. 12:1-2.
GOD IS MY ADVENTURE
We now see that God could not show us Himself except through another self, a self that would be in human surroundings and would speak the language we speak, a human language. Jesus was God speaking the language of the man in the street, interpreting God in understandable terms. Just as when you take hold of my words you get hold of my thoughts, so when you take hold of the Word, Jesus, you get hold of the Thought, God. They do not rival nor push out each other. The Word is the Thought become available, near at hand, intimate, human.
"God is in nature, but the nature of God I find in Christ." And what a nature! If I were to try to think of nothing higher than that He should be Christlike. For "Jesus stands erect amid the fallen, calm amid the daffled, living among the dying, the Saviour of men." Said the blind George Matheson: "Son of Man, whenever I doubt of life, I think of Thee. Nothing is so impossible as that Thou shouldst be dead. I can't imagine the hills to dissolve into vapor, the stars to melt in smoke, and the rivers to empty themselves in sheer exhaustion, but I feel no limit in Thee."
Surely here is Jesus in one spot in my universe that will not let me down, something that is utterly trustable. Here, if anywhere, I can commit my life, and confess my sins; for this one spot is not only trustable, it is sympathetic — it loves, it cares.
Here, then, is the place of my adventure. My adventure shall be God — and the kind of God I see in Christ.
Just as a planet rushing through space is only a comet on its way to destruction until it is caught by some central sun and begins to

revolve around that sun as its center and its life; so my life is an aimless comet burning itself out in its own self-will, till it finds the pull and attraction of Christ's love, halts its deadly way, and forever revolves around Him, its central Sun and its Life.
O Christ, I am so grateful that Thou art God near at hand, God bending to my need. I cannot scale the heavens to find Thee, for I am mired in my own fears and sins. Thou dost come to me. And now there is response within me. I come to Thee; I thank Thee that I come. Amen.
(From the book "Abundant Living," published by Abingdon-Cokesbury Press of New York and Nashville. Copyright, Released by NEA Service.)

Pastor Chosen For Howard Payne For

BROWNWOOD — The Rev. A. A. Brian, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Brownfield, will become vice president of Howard Payne College, effective March 1.

★ RUTH MILLETT ★

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NEA Staff Writer
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Lady Golfers May Invite Guests For Luncheon And Bridge

Progressive bridge games will follow the luncheon of the Ladies Golf Association in the Midland Country Club Friday afternoon as the association returns to its schedule of social meetings after a series of business sessions at the beginning of a new year.
Mrs. Bob Franklin and Mrs. Leif Olson will be hostesses at the luncheon. Members are urged to make their reservations as early in the week as possible, and are reminded that they may invite guests. The business meetings have been for members only.
New officers, elected at the luncheon last Friday with Mrs. Vann M. Ligon as president, will be in charge of this meeting.

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'Battle For Asia' Is Program Topic For Delphian Club

"China and the Battle for Asia" was the program subject at the Delphian Society meeting Tuesday morning in the Palette Club Studio. Mrs. O. F. Hedrick was the leader and Mrs. C. M. Linehan gave "China's Position in the World." Mrs. Woodrow Campbell spoke on "Aspects of Chinese Civilization," and Mrs. J. P. Ruckman spoke on "The Difficult Road to Nationalism." "China's Present-Day Problem" was discussed by Mrs. P. N. Shiriver.
It was announced that a special meeting of the group will be held at 8:30 a.m. next Tuesday in the Palette Club Studio.
Other members attending the meeting were Mrs. R. M. Barron, Mrs. E. W. Cowden, Mrs. Brutus Hanks and Mrs. Harold Kelly.
Read the Classifieds

Suppose Robinson Crusoe Hadn't Had A Shirt

SPEAKING OF Furniture

By **GEORGE STEWART**
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Compositions by modern musicians were played as piano solos by members of the Young Artists Junior Music Club who met in Don Hanks' home Monday night. Mrs. Harry Miller talked on "Modern Music" and roll call was answered with names of modern composers.

Program numbers were "Cinderella at the Ball," Van Nort, by Mary Lynn Osborn; "Ice Carnival," Aaron, Carol Gilles; "Wisteria," Barker, Caroline Hazlip; "Jolly Dandies," Bechter, Billy Dan Miller; "Dream Fancies," Harris, Lois Nell West; "Shortin' Bread," Angus Smith; "Malay Boy," Harvey, Don Hanks; "The Bells," Bassett, Betty Pitzer; "Harp Sounds," Nancy Creswell; "Rhapsodie," Eckstein, Eliza Jane Payne; "Viennese Melody," Williams, Joan Monroe; "Crescendo," Lasson, Tommy Miller; "Scotch Poem," MacDowell, Lynn Griffith; "The Juggler," Wright, Jackie Matthews; "The Butterfly," LaVallee, Mary Jane Miller; and "Eude," Wallenhaupt, Evelyn Hejl.

SUPERVISOR NAMED

WASHINGTON — The appointment of Walter Shaller as census supervisor in the Panhandle area with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas, has been announced by Representative Worley of Texas. Shaller formerly lived in Canadian, Texas.

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Twentieth Century Club Dinner Served In International Theme

Exploration of international cuisine added interest to the dinner at which members of Twentieth Century Study Club entertained their husbands Tuesday night. Each course of the progressive dinner featured a menu typical of a different country.

Robert Goff, the guest speaker, drew on his observations of Chinese life during a stay of several years there, to discuss the people of that nation. Duke Jimerson, vocal soloist, donned the costume of an Italian organ grinder, complete with organ and tiny monkey, to sing "Vesti la Giubba," an aria from an Italian opera, "Pagliacci."

The appetizer course was served in French style at the home of Mrs. W. H. Rhodes. She and the other hostesses, Mrs. C. E. George, Mrs. T. S. Edrington, Mrs. C. E. Nelson and Mrs. Jimerson, dressed as frivolous French maids and decorated the table with a French doll backed by a fan arrangement of French flags in the center.

Program booklets were distributed there. Made by Mrs. H. H. Redding of red felt with miniature flags on the cover, they had the program outline typed in red. Mrs. Robert Cox assisted with the typing.

Riji-taufel was the Javanese dish served as the main course in the Harlan Howell home. Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mrs. A. C. Elliott and Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Jr., were other hostesses there and Margaret Howell assisted in serving the course buffet style. An invocation was given by W. E. Shipp, Jr., and Camille Hockersmith played piano selections. The hostesses wore bright costumes typical of the orient, with flowers in their hair.

Mrs. Redding, Mrs. James O. Simmons, Jr., Mrs. J. L. Daugherty

Women Voters' Tea To Present National And State Officers

Irene Sweeney, organization secretary and member of the board of the National League of Women Voters, and Mrs. Martin A. Row of Dallas, president of the Texas League, will speak at a seated tea to be given by the Midland League Saturday.

The tea will be held at 2 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer and all interested women are invited to attend. Non-league members who plan to come are requested to call Mrs. J. E. Beakey, telephone No. 1214, by Friday noon.

STUDY GROUP TO MEET

Mrs. Norman Dawson will lead a discussion on "The Problems of the Growing Child" at a meeting of the Elementary Study Group of the West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association Thursday.

The meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. J. B. Elder, 1311 West Washington Street.

Wed Recently



Mrs. Robert F. Thacker was, before her marriage January 8, Lee Abbott. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Abbott of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Thacker, after a trip to Mexico, are residing at 904 South Colorado Street.

Circles Of Council Select New Officers

Circles of the First Christian Woman's Council chose new officers and chairman at meetings Monday afternoon after recent re-organization for 1950. The Rihnhart Circle met in Mrs. G. H. Butler's home with Mrs. W. S. Dunham as assisting hostess.

Mrs. Al Boring was named co-leader to serve with Mrs. Van Camp; Mrs. Charles Sherwood was chosen program chairman; Mrs. J. Roy Jones, hospitality chairman, and Mrs. H. G. Bedford, social service chairman. Mrs. Sherwood was in charge of a quiz program on Japan and Mrs. Boring was the devotional speaker. Mrs. J. R. Robinson was a new member.

Mrs. Clarence Symes is the chairman of the Young Mothers Circle, which met in Mrs. Wayne Moore's home. Mrs. Audrey L. Gill was elected secretary and Mrs. Lamar Eschberger program chairman. Mrs. Symes presented the program topic, "Lady in the Glass House," and Mrs. David C. Smith the devotional topic.

The U. S. Public Health Service investigated five epidemics believed to be "sleeping sickness" in 1949.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH TO HAVE MEETING THURSDAY

The public is invited to an all-day meeting Thursday in the Trinity Baptist Church, the Rev. C. B. Hedges, pastor, has announced. Lunch will be served and several out-of-city ministers will preach.

MRS. ELDER TO SPEAK

Mrs. J. B. Elder will discuss "Sex Education" at a meeting of the co-ed school study group of the West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. Mrs. Jess P. Roach will be hostess to the group in her home, 1104 West Washington Street.

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Coming Events

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Xi Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. John Dunagan, 1904 West Wall Street.

Bridge Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Ranch House with Mrs. James Brown and Mrs. W. H. Carter as hostesses.

Forty-Niners Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club.

Cub Scout Pack 6 of West Elementary School will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Trinity Episcopal Junior Choir will practice at 7 p.m.

First Baptist Cradle Roll workers will meet at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. Eugene Knight, 409 North D Street.

First Presbyterian Sunday School Worker's Conference supper will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Young Sprouters Junior Garden Club will meet at 3:15 p.m. with Mrs. C. E. Nelson, 502 East Broadway.

Jota Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Joe Mims, 704 West Storey Street.

West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association elementary study group will meet at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. J. B. Elder, 1311 West Washington Street.

Pre-school study group of the West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Jess P. Roach, 1304 West Washington Street.

FRIDAY

Lucky Thirteen club will meet for supper at 7 p.m. with Mrs. Sidney P. Hall, 1004 West Tennessee Street.

Girl Scout Court of Awards will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the West Elementary School Auditorium.

Woman's Club Building Planning Committee will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. L. C. Thomas, 1607 West Texas Street.

Ladies Golf Association will meet at 1 p.m. for luncheon and progressive bridge. Members are requested to make their reservations early in the week.

A business meeting of the newly-organized Single Saddle Square Dance Club will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club building.

SATURDAY

Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

Children's Story Hour will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

Midland Country Club monthly dance will be held in the club-house, 9 p.m. with Jack Free's orchestra furnishing the music.

League of Women Voters seated tea will be held at 2 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

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Attack of Pleurisy May Mean Victim Has Serious Disease

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

A sudden, sharp pain in the chest accompanied by a short, dry cough always raises the suspicion of an attack of pleurisy. The pain may be felt anywhere in the chest but is most frequent in the lower part and in front. Coughing does not bring up any sputum. Some fever usually is present. Coughing, or even taking a deep breath, almost always makes the pain worse.

Acute pleurisy can start at any time, but especially is likely after exposure to cold. Infection is present, though just where this comes from is often uncertain. Sometimes pleurisy is simply a complication of some other disease, such as pneumonia.

The person who suffers from acute pleurisy should be confined to bed. It is not always easy to relieve the severe pain. Sometimes hot or cold applications or even pain-killing drugs may be required. One form of treatment is to strap the painful side with a wide piece of adhesive tape which prevents some of the chest movements which produce the distress.

Fluid Drawn Out

Fluid may gather in the space between the lining of the lung or pleura and the chest wall. When fluid is present the problem of treatment is still more complicated. The fluid may be only a result of the acute or dry pleurisy or it may mean that some serious condition such as tuberculosis is present. The fluid can be drawn out through a needle frequently and repeatedly. After the second or third time the fluid may not accumulate again.

In addition to the acute kinds of pleurisy, a chronic dry pleurisy and chronic pleurisy with accumulation of fluid also are recognized. Either of these may start gradually or can follow an acute attack.

The chronic, or long-lasting dry pleurisy is extremely annoying and difficult. It may drag out for weeks or months and be accompanied by a good deal of pain. If it lasts too long there may be some permanent thickening of the lining membrane of the lung and eventually some damage to the lung itself.

Neither acute nor chronic pleurisy should be considered lightly. Not only are they painful, but they may mean that a serious disease is present. The amount of pain present usually is enough to cause the victim to seek skilled care early. Any kind of pleurisy is a distressing and unpleasant experience.

There are extensive deposits of manganese in South Dakota's Missouri Valley, but they are in a form difficult to refine.

Have A Laugh



By BOYCE HOUSE

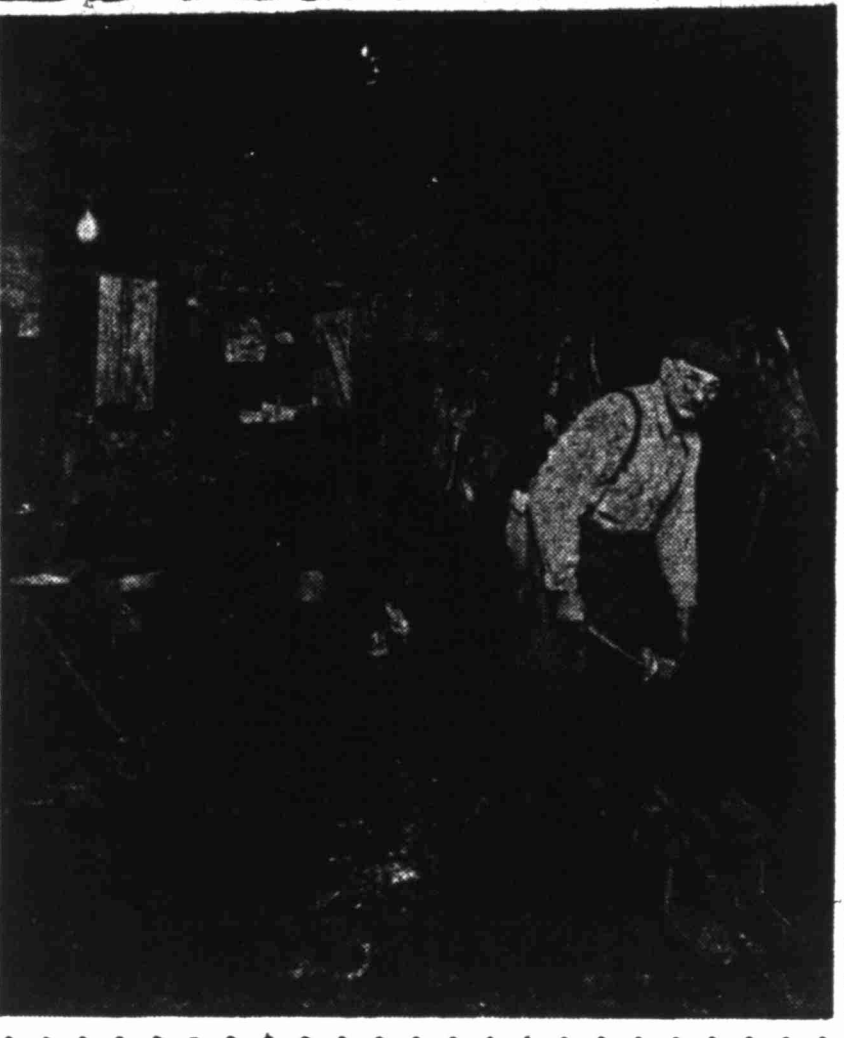
Will Rogers was proud of the Indian blood that flowed in his veins and he often declared that his ancestors didn't come over on the Mayflower but they were on hand to greet the folks that did.

President Coolidge, of whom someone said he looked as though he had been weaned on a pickle, was accounted a difficult man to make smile. Nevertheless, Rogers made a wager with a friend that he could cause the President to smile when they were introduced.

The "introducer" said, "Mr. President, this is Mr. Will Rogers; Mr. Rogers, President Coolidge." Looking the President straight in the eye and with solemn face, Will said, "I beg your pardon; I didn't catch the name."

A grin spread over Coolidge's features.

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



"Under the spreading chestnut tree . . ." In the fiftieth year of this automobile century, the village blacksmith still holds forth. You will find him near the race track, in the rural communities, and occasionally even in the big city. The village smith was, and probably still is, the most rugged of free enterprisers. In his unfloored shop there is the clang of hammer on anvil, the wheezing of the hand bellows and the roar of the coal fire, the acrid smell of burning hoof, the hissing of cold water when a red-hot horseshoe is plunged into it. The brawny blacksmith—not so numerous as he once was; perhaps not quite so prosperous as his dad and granddad who did their smithing in the very same shop—is still a nostalgic part of the American hometown scene.

Atlantic Will Test Oil Recovery Method In West Texas Area

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— A process which may recover 30 billion barrels of oil considered lost forever two miles under the earth has been announced by the Atlantic Refining Company.

The first field test, to be launched this year, probably will be undertaken in West Texas. No definite site was disclosed.

Lycurgas Laskaris, director of Atlantic's crude oil production, said Tuesday oil firms recover only 45 per cent of petroleum in underground reservoirs.

"Recoverable reserves of petroleum in the U. S. are estimated at 25 billion barrels," Laskaris said. "There remain, in known fields already tapped by wells, another 30 billion barrels of crude oil which is regarded as irrecoverable."

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Herr Boyle Solves Marital Problems—With Reservations

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK —(AP)— Have you hypnotized your wife or husband?

Why not? This is the best solution of everybody's marital problems yet dreamed up.

A New York professor recently indicated that problems of this nature can be solved by mumbo-jumbo of hypnotism.

He didn't say it quite that way. But he did say he could hypnotize a gent, snap him out of it and yet still have the guy come back by post-hypnotic suggestion at 3 o'clock the following afternoon to pet a big black dog that wasn't there.

I say this opens the answer to all the problems of the Western world, which largely are male versus female rather than American against Russia. (The Russians must have as much trouble getting along with their wives as we do.)

It is needless to point out that wives are the soft instruments of power in our civilization. Why remark again upon the female fist in the velvet glove? We all have felt it.

Our only possible defense is—hypnotism.

Let's be realistic, even if it costs \$25—if I can hire a mumbo-jumbo artist who will get her to pat me lovingly on the cheek on the morning after the night before under the mistaken impression I am a misunderstood Saint Bernard . . . well? Boy-wow!

The only danger I can see is that this terrible weapon of hypnotism may fall into wifely hands.

Looking at it that way, boys, our secrets are gone. Our favorite bartenders will sell us helplessly down the river at the snap of female fingers. Our little white lies will stand out like five o'clock shadow at 10 p.m.—or like John Dillinger at an FBI chowder party.

Believe me, friends, hypnotism should never become the poor woman's radar. But it can be man's best friend.

FATHER OF BROWN COUNTY SHERIFF DIES

BROWNWOOD —(AP)— Moses F. Shaw, 63, father of Brown County Sheriff Otis F. Shaw, died in a hospital here Tuesday.

Funeral services were scheduled here Wednesday afternoon.

GROCERY STORE BANDIT GETS 11-YEAR SENTENCE

AMARILLO —(AP)— A district court jury sentenced L. R. Moore of Lubbock to 11 years in prison after hearing him plead guilty Tuesday to charges of armed robbery.

Moore, 23, was charged in the June 22 holdup of a grocery store here. Two gunmen escaped with \$130.

Two In Basket



Sharing a wastebasket in Hatfield, England, are Tarahumara and Toltecs, a couple of Chinahuas from down Mexico way. They are two of only a dozen of their breed in England, and though they don't weigh so much, they are worth quite a few pounds.

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Senate Panel Told Farmers Soon May Demand Pensions

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Texas farmers excluded from the social security program someday may demand pensions, a Senate committee has been told.

John H. Winters, director of public welfare in Texas, said provision should be made so farmers and farm workers can participate in the old age and survivors insurance program.

He gave this outlook Tuesday to a committee studying proposals to extend social security coverage to agricultural workers and self-employed persons.

"Our farmers now are helping to buy pension for industrial workers whenever they buy steel products," he said. "There is no place for them at present in the social security program. And I'm afraid that someday they will demand pensions out of the general revenues."

He said 220,000 persons in Texas are drawing old age assistance benefits at the rate of \$7,400,000 a month while only 29,000 are getting \$800,000 from the OASI.

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Slaton Cotton Gin Damaged By Fire

SLATON —(AP)— The Malone Cotton Gin was partially destroyed by fire here Tuesday. Dust-laden winds up to 50 miles an hour in gusts threatened to spread the fire to other buildings.

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Maxim Eyes Heavy Crown After Kayo Victory In London

LONDON—(AP)—Fast-stepping Joey Maxim, not satisfied with winning the world's light heavyweight title, cocked an eye Wednesday at the heavyweight crown.

The 27-year-old boxing machine from Cleveland, Ohio, knocked out Freddie Mills of England in the tenth round Tuesday night to win back the championship for the United States.

Maxim's payoff blows which made a record indoor crowd of 18,000 roar were a stiff left jab to the face and a terrific right cross to Mills' jaw. The victory redeemed the loss of the title here by America's Gus Lesnevich in the Summer of 1948. Mills dropped the title Tuesday night in his first defense.

Wily Jack (Doc) Kearns, Maxim's manager, announced the new champion will go after the heavyweight title. "Now that Joey has won the crown," Kearns said, "we'll stay over here to fight the winner of the Bruce Woodcock-Lee Savold fight in May. The British call this their version of the world's heavyweight championship, so we'll take a cut at that."

The U. S. National Boxing Association recognizes Ezzard Charles as the world's heavyweight champion. Charles decided Maxim in a 15-rounder at Cincinnati last February.

The knockout came in 1:34 of the tenth of a scheduled 15-rounder. Maxim weighed 174 1/4 and Mills 173. Maxim rated a one to two favorite with the bookmakers, but the knockout was unexpected.

Gorgeous Gussie Changes Her Mind

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—(AP)—Gussie Moran, one of the nation's top ranking feminine tennis players, who recently announced her engagement to a Calcutta, India, shipper, called her mother here Tuesday that she is "not being married." The mother, Mrs. Emma Moran, indicated that she is quite relieved to receive the news. Gussie is on a world tennis tour. Since Gussie's surprise announcement that she had become engaged to Anthony Davenport in Calcutta, her mother said she and the net fan's father, Harry C. Moran, had sent a cablegram suggesting that she wait until she returns here, to think it over.

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Thorpe Chosen Greatest Gridder Of Half-Century

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Fate hasn't always been kind to Jim Thorpe but you never would guess it talking with the greatest football player of them all.

The 61-year-old Sac and Fox Indian, voted by 391 of the nation's sport writers and broadcasters the No. 1 gridiron performer of the last 50 years, prefers to think only of the high spots in an athletic career that started at Carlisle Institute in 1907.

His football exploits for the Pennsylvania Indian school twice made him a member of Walter Camp's All-American teams. And the memory of those deeds brought him 170 votes in The Associated Press' mid-century poll. Harold (Red) Grange, Illinois' galloping ghost of the mid-Twenties, was second with 138 votes.

Next came Bronko Nagurski of Minnesota, with 38 tallies, followed by Ernie Nevers of Stanford and Sammy Baugh of Texas Christian, each with seven votes.

Just A Memory
The times he was down and out are just a memory to Thorpe now. Jim will talk about them but he'd rather recall his football feats, the 1912 Olympics, when he won both the decathlon and pentathlon at Stockholm, or the time he spent as a major league baseball player.

The conversation switched back and forth from Jim's boyhood days on the Indian reservation in Oklahoma to the time he spent at Haskell Institute in Kansas, how he was "discovered" by Glenn (Pop) Warner at Carlisle; his pro football days with the Canton Bulldogs; his filing in the major league baseball, the one sport which he never completely dominated; basketball and the crowning point at Stockholm when he was declared the greatest athlete in the world by the king of Sweden.

But it was not hard to detect that Jim liked football best of all. "I'll never forget our 1911 game against Army," Thorpe recalled. "Army kicked off. I took the ball near the goal line and ran for a touchdown. But there was a penalty. Again Army kicked off. Again I took the ball near the goal line and went for a touchdown. That was my greatest football thrill."

Gridiron legend has it that there was nothing he couldn't do on a field. He had few equals as a punter and placement kicker while his open field running, interference and defensive work stamped him a marvel of all time. Jim still has a contagious, lazy grin. He's a picture of health. To stay that way he gets plenty of rest, hasn't taken a drink of hard liquor in three years and doesn't do anything more strenuous than hunting or fishing.

His current interests are a moving picture on the story of his life, which is scheduled to go into production this Spring, and an attempt to collect more than \$4,000,000 which he contends the government owes his tribe.

The money represents the principal and compound interest due on land purchased by the U. S. from the Sac and Fox Tribe in 1814, Thorpe said.

City Loop In Action Wednesday

There'll be action in the City Cage League Wednesday night. Two titles are on tap at the Junior High School Gym. Mid-West Lumber and the JayCees tangle in the first contest at 7:30 p.m. and Rotary Engineers meet Ted Thompson in the nightcap.

Lamesa Teams Whip Pups, 'C' Bulldogs

Lamesa teams swept a brace of basketball games from Midland in the Lamesa gym Tuesday afternoon. The 'C' Bulldogs, although showing improvement, dropped a 34-24 decision to the Lamesa freshmen.

Coach John Higdon's Eighth Grade Bullpups lost to Lamesa Junior High by a 27-20 count. Robert Keisling and Jesse Hatfield were high-point men for Midland.

The two teams will be idle the remainder of the week. Monday they go to Big Spring for a double-header.

In Hospital

John Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing R. Hill, 1401 West Kentucky Street, has been a patient in the Western Clinic-Hospital since Friday. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Pistol Stolen

A Midlander Tuesday reported to police the theft of a pistol from his parked automobile several days ago. The car was parked at 713 West Kentucky Street.

Russians Stop Truck Traffic Again



A line of trucks, halted by guards at Russian checkpoint near Marienborn, Germany, awaits clearance to proceed from Berlin to West Germany after the Soviet cut truck traffic in new transportation restrictions. Russian gestures toward a new Berlin blockade began after U. S. authorities in Berlin invoked a law permitting idle space to be requisitioned and occupied the vacant 600-room headquarters of the Soviet-controlled railway administration in Western Berlin.

Midland Ranchers To Enter Prize Horses In Fat Stock Shows

A trio of young Midland ranchers will leave Thursday to attend and enter prize horses in the Fort Worth and Houston Fat Stock Shows. They are John Dublin, Jr., Buster Cole and Roy Parks, Jr., all of whom are directors of Midland Fair, Inc.

Parks will enter three colts and a cutting horse in the Fort Worth competition. Cole and Dublin Tuesday will continue on from Fort Worth to Houston where they will enter two horses in the competition at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Don DeVore Enjoys Trip To Mexico

Don (Speck) DeVore, Midland's popular newsboy who was a victim of polio, recently enjoyed a trip to the Rio Grande Valley and into Old Mexico.

He also was taken to Warm Springs Foundation at Gonzales for a checkup. Don traveled with his mother and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hughes and children of Lorenzo. Mrs. Hughes is the former Daphne DeVore, a sister.

Junior High Times To Publish Fridays

An announcement in the Bullpup Times, junior high publication, Thursday reported the newspaper will be published each Friday, beginning February 3.

New Press Club members named in the Thursday issue included Anne Grayum, Roberta Stewart, Charles Davis, Anne Fitzgerald, Clinton Hamlin, Margaret Blison, Ruth McEntire, Jack Thomson and Caroline Reigle. The club has a membership of 35.

Livestock

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle 600; calves 300; slow, steady; warmed-up and short-fed steers and yearlings 17.00-23.00; good yearlings 24.00-25.00; beef cows 14.50-17.00; good and choice fat calves 21.00-24.00; common and medium 18.00-20.00; stocker yearlings 17.00-22.00; stocker cows 15.00-19.00; stocker steer calves 18.00-25.00. Hogs 1.100; butchers mostly 25c higher; sows steady to 50c higher and feeder pigs unchanged; good and choice 190-280 lb. butchers 17.00-25; good and choice 275-375 lb. and 155-180 lb. hogs 15.00-16.75; sows 13.50-14.00; good 275-300 lb. sows to 14.50; feeder pigs 11.00-14.00. Sheep 1.500; slaughter lambs and feeders steady with slaughter yearlings strong to 50c higher; good slaughter lambs 22.00; medium and good wooled slaughter lambs 22.50; good 116 lb. shorn slaughter lambs with No. 1 pelts 20.00; a few medium grade slaughter ewes 12.50; feeder lambs 22.00-50.

LATIN AMERICAN CLUB GIVES TO DIMES MARCH
The Latin American Betterman's Club raised \$18.25 for the March of Dimes at a benefit dance held Sunday in the Latin American Recreation Hall. Jose Lopez was chairman for the event.

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Rankin News

RANKIN — C. V. Price of Rotan has joined the staff of The First State Bank of Rankin as a teller. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Workman and Jimmy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. McCommie, Jr., in Big Spring.

Bobby Bell of Sul Ross College visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bell during the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Adams and Tom Workman were Snyder visitors Monday.

Mrs. John Hurst and Lonnie spent the weekend in Miles with Mrs. R. L. Herring, who has been ill. The Rev. R. L. Herring preached for the polo patients at the Gonzales Foundation on Sunday.

Nephrosis Victim To Share Airborne Watermelon Juice

NASHVILLE, TENN.—(AP)—The parents of two boys suffering from nephrosis want to share their Winter-care supply of watermelons with other children suffering from the kidney disease.

Several lots of watermelons and frozen watermelon juice have been collected at Brownsville, Texas, ready to be flown to Bernard Wiltz, Jr., at Lafayette, La., and Roy (Rusty) Green III, two, at Nashville. Three more nephrosis cases were disclosed after Rusty's need for the watermelon juice was revealed last Saturday.

Two are at Knoxville, Charles Nikolai, four, and Sandra Lynn Young, three. The third is Agnes Jane Stansbury at Jeanerette, La. Station Manager C. W. Vanderford of Eastern Air Lines here read some terse inter-station messages Tuesday night: "Rusty authorizes his crate of four melons be opened at Brownsville and two sent to Charles Nikolai."

"Bernard Wiltz authorizes his crate of four melons be opened and two sent to Charles Nikolai, one sent to Agnes Jane Stansbury and one to himself."

Vanderford said other airlines—American, Capital, Delta—are helping Eastern to get the watermelons to the nephrosis patients as soon as possible. Nephrosis, with its attendant swelling and excessive weight, has been alleviated in some cases by drinking watermelon juice.

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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Monkey For My Zoo

A long, long time ago—when Uncle Bunkum and Daddy Ringtail were monkey boys—they were playing with a swing that was close by the Whispering River. Mother Ringtail came running up and shouting as loud as she could: "Run! Run! Run away fast! The Monkey Catcher is coming!" Daddy Ringtail asked Uncle

Bunkum please, please to jump down from the swing and run. But Uncle Bunkum wouldn't do it. He said that he was hungry, and that he wished someone would bring him a scrambled coconut sandwich to eat. When they saw that Uncle Bunkum wouldn't run, Daddy Ringtail and Mother Ringtail with him, hid in some bushes. There came the Monkey Catcher. There sat Uncle Bunkum in the swing, his tail a-swinging and a-swooshing along the ground.

"I'm the Monkey Catcher, I am, I am," said the Monkey Catcher.

And I guess you think that Daddy Ringtail and Mother Ringtail with him, hiding there in the bushes, were awfully unhappy to see Uncle Bunkum go. They were unhappy at first, because they liked so well to live in the Great Forest, and then they remembered a happy something we should all remember. Different things—like a zoo and a forest—are needed to make different people happy. Poor, poor anyone who thinks that others have to like only the things that he likes himself. Happy day!

you a monkey, would you come to live at the zoo where Uncle Bunkum could be happy and lazy in his cage with the Monkey Catcher looking after him.

Said Uncle Bunkum: "And bring me scrambled coconut for breakfast every morning?" The Monkey Catcher said "yes," and so Uncle Bunkum got down from the swing. He grabbed hold of the Monkey Catcher in a hurry so that the Monkey Catcher couldn't get away. And away they went to live at the zoo where Uncle Bunkum could be happy and lazy in his cage with the Monkey Catcher looking after him.

Said Uncle Bunkum: "Are the cages nice and warm?" The Monkey Catcher said they were. Said Uncle Bunkum: "If you had

Manuscript Makes Novel And Exhibit

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Peter Viertel wrote a book. He turned in some of the chapters as part of his work in a course at an unnamed university. When he got them back he found they had been graded "D."

But Harcourt Brace and Company published the book—a novel called "The Canyon"—in 1940. Now the manuscript has been given to the University of California library here. It is one of the exhibits in the special collections department.

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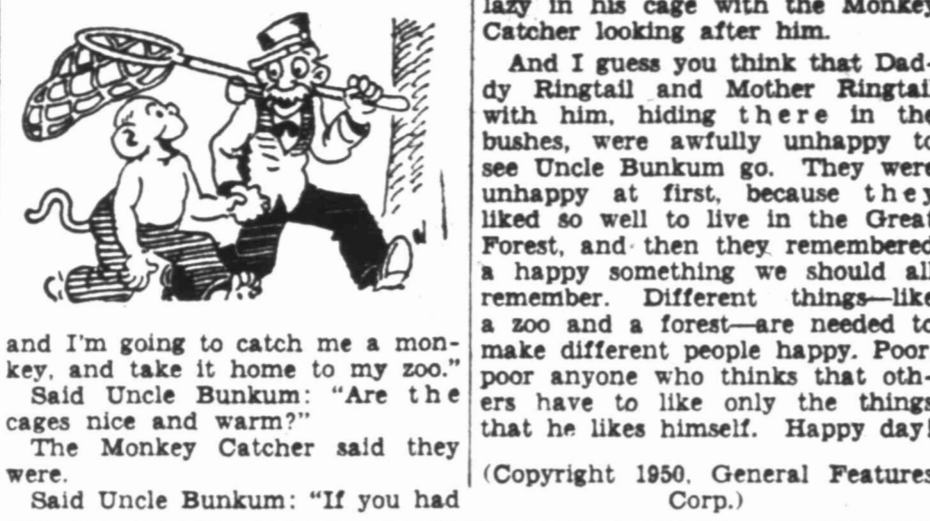


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YEP, I CAN PUT YOU ON TELEVISION AT A MUNDANE PER—JUST FEED ME GAG LINES, LIKE YOU SAY, 'IF YOU'RE SUCH A SWELL ACTOR, CAN YOU MOVE AN AUDIENCE?'—AND I SAY, 'SURE! IN MY LAST PLAY I MOVED EVERYBODY—OUT THE EXITS!'—KYUK-KYUK!

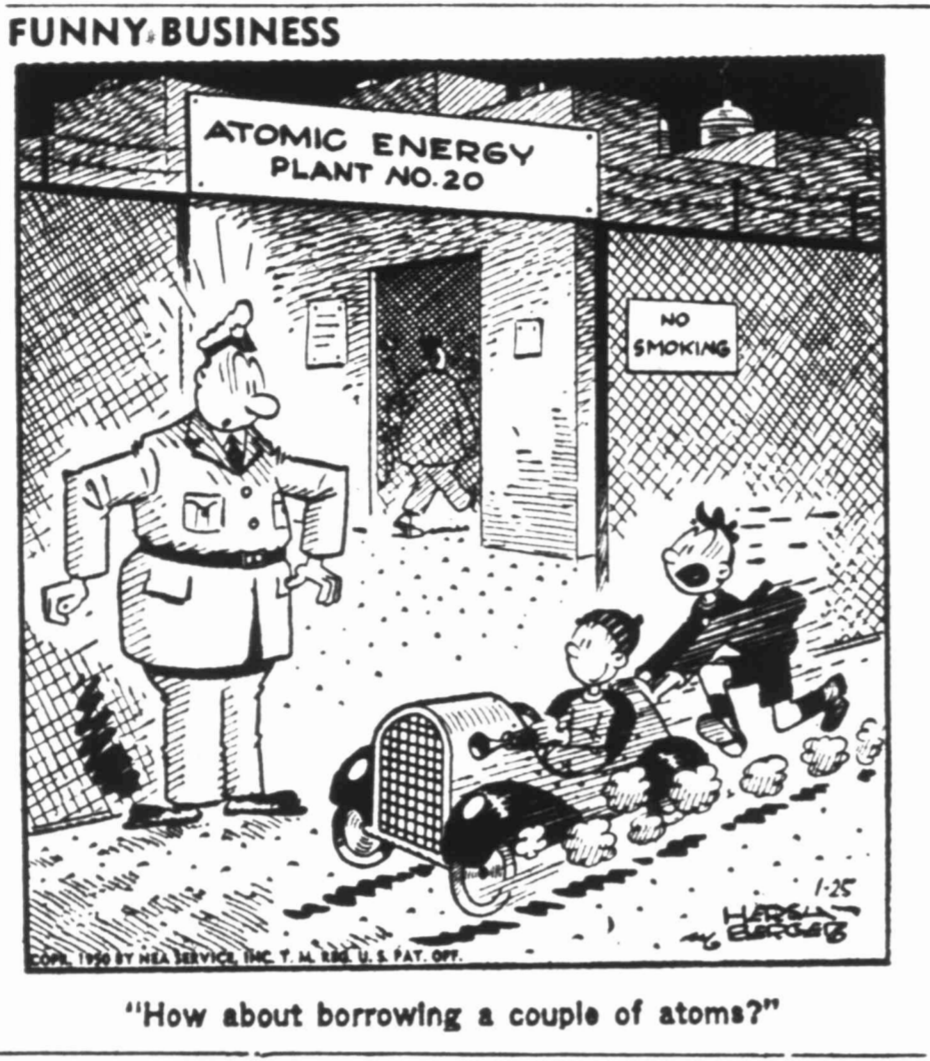
UM-M-H! AH—ER, I DON'T WANTA THROW MYSELF INTO NOTHING PIKE, TILL I'M COCKSURE—KIN I GIVE YOU MY ANSWER LATER?

WHEN! WHY? COULDN'T I FIND SJMPIN' MORE AGREE-ABLE, LIKE LIFE-SAVER AT A POLAR BEAR SWIMMING POOL?

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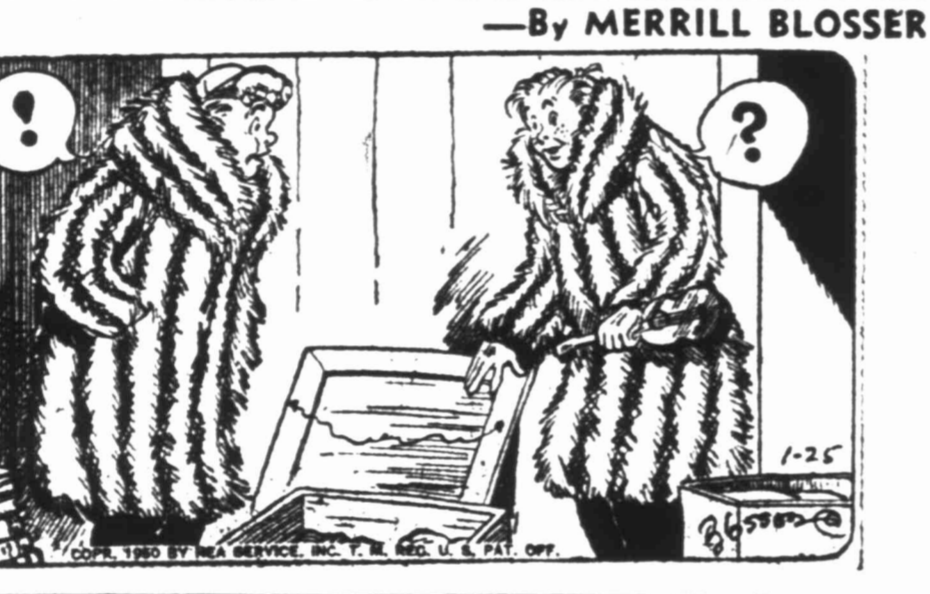
SH! MUMS THE WORD, MRS. SMITH!

COME ON UP, MEATBALL! AND PREPARE FOR A SHOCK!

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WHATEVER IT IS, IT'S NOTHING TO WHAT YOU'RE ABOUT TO GET A LOAD OF!

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PRISCILLA'S POP



NO, NO, PRISCILLA! WHEN YOU SAY YOUR PRAYERS YOU SHOULD BE NEXT TO THE BED, ON YOUR KNEES!

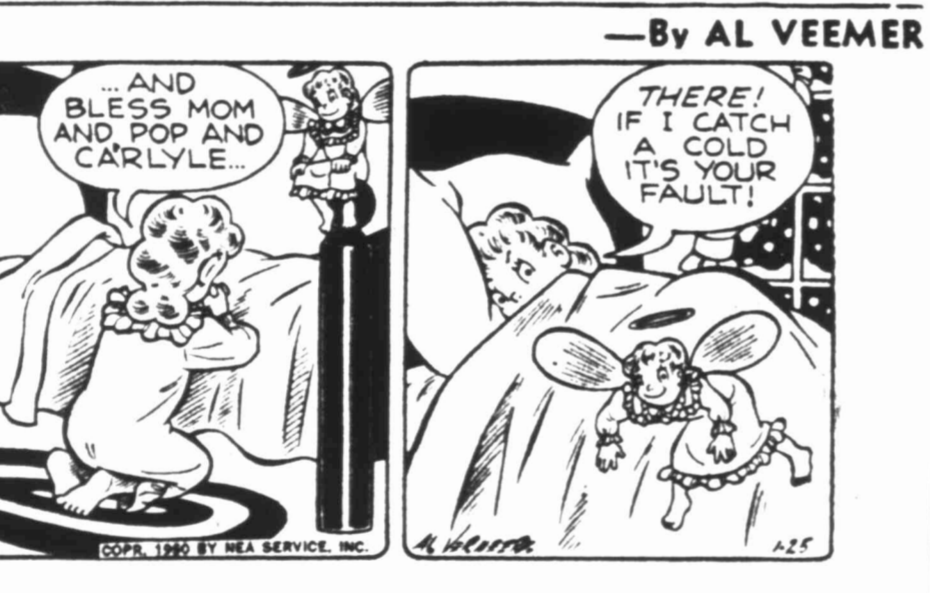
BUT, CONSCIENCE... IT'S TOO COLD!

NO EXCUSES! ON YOUR KNEES!

...AND BLESS MOM AND POP AND CARLYLE...

THERE! IF CATCH A COLD IT'S YOUR FAULT!

BY AL VEEMER



HOMER HOOPEE



WELL, IF IT ISN'T GOOD OLD LULU—HA-HA-HA—MY OLD GIRL FRIEND—HO-HO-HO—

SO NICE OF YOU TO INVITE ME TO YOUR HEH-HEH-HEH—DRESSING ROOM, LULU!

DON'T CALL HER LULU—SHE'S GLORIA DELUXE NOW!

LET'S GO—WE'LL BE LATE FOR THE SHOW!

I CAN'T DO IT! I'M TOO BASHFUL TO BE A STAGEDOR JOHNNY.

NONSENSE! LOOPEE!

BY RAND TAYLOR



DICKIE DARE



WE'RE IN KINGSTON, JAMAICA—OUR MAP SAYS: "THROUGH THE TWIN ELEPHANTS TO BIBLE ROCK"

NO ONE SEEMS TO KNOW WHERE OR WHAT THE TWIN ELEPHANTS ARE—WE'LL ASK THIS VERY OLD WOMAN

ANOTHER PART OF KINGSTON ASK THAT OLD FELLOW, DICKIE!

HE'S SURE TO KNOW ABOUT THE ELEPHANTS!

HEY, MISTER!

NO, SAR, NEVER I HEARD 'BOUT TWIN ELEPHANTS—NOTHER GEN'WAN ASKED ME SAME THING!

BETTER STEP ON IT, DICKIE—YOU'VE GOT COMPETITION!

BY FRAN MATERA



BUGS BUNNY



PORRY MIGHT BE KINDA SORE, IF HE FINDS OUT I WRECKED HIS CAR HEATER INSTEAD O' FIXIN' IT!

C'MON, SUPER-BRAIN, STAY CLUCKIN'! I GOTTA THINK O' SOMETHIN'!

WATER... HAVE YOU F-FINISHED FIXIN' MY C-CAR HEATER? IT'S C-COLD TODAY!

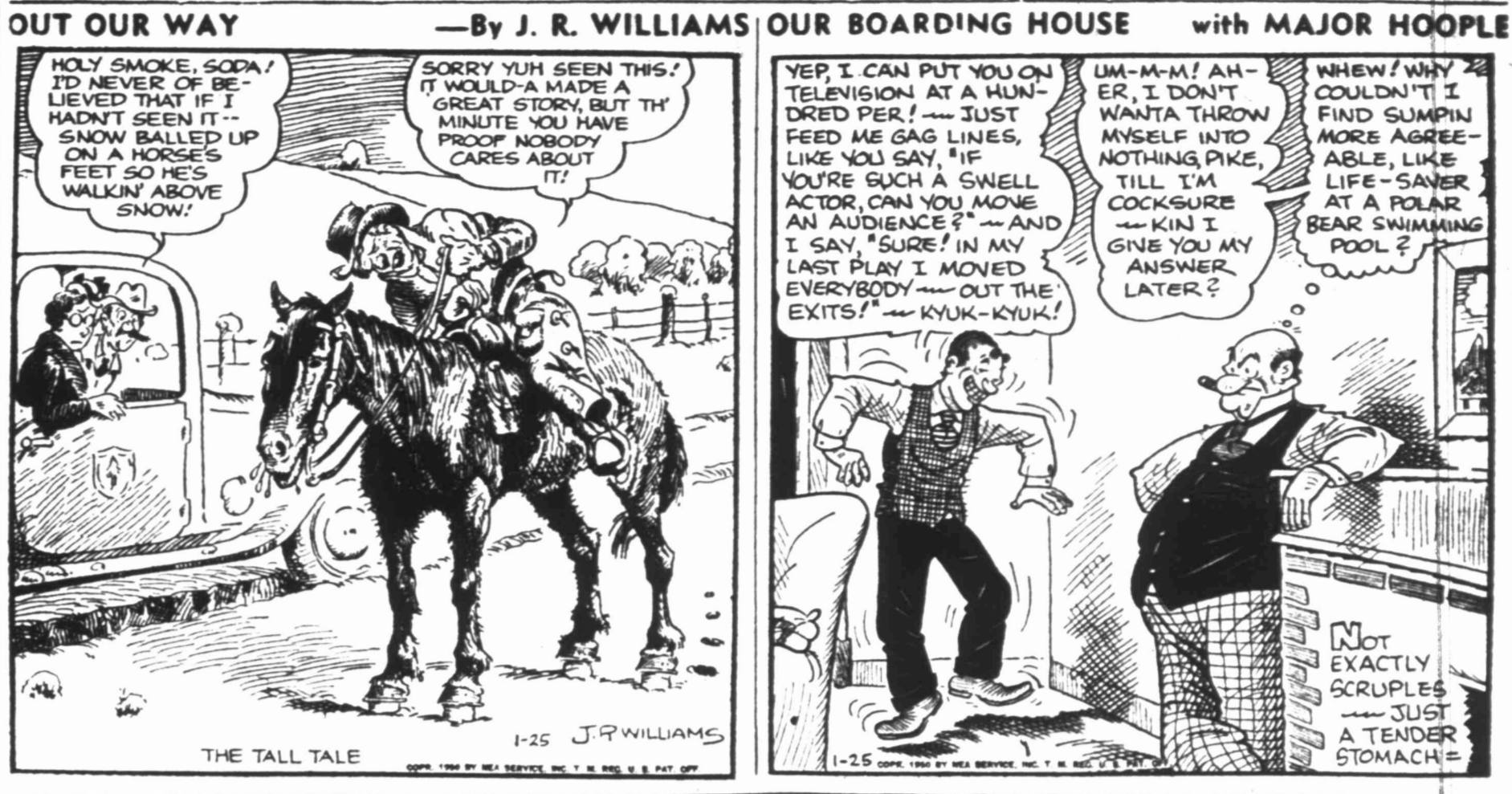
YA GOT NOTHIN' 'BOUT...?

...THIS LIL OIL STOV'LL KEEP YA WARM AS TOAST!

BY EDGAR MARTIN



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