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The Town Quack

The Midland officer was graded "Excellent" on his first week's work. Fifty three officers are attending.

This is baseball day at Midland. If you want to see a good side show along with the baseball game, just look over the new "Knot Hole" bleachers. There is a hole where the boys under fourteen may enter from the outside, but they are penned in their own bleachers, the only exit being the way they came in. If you have a youngster, let him go out and enjoy this clean fun.

I would like to have some more letters "pro and con" on the "horse in town" situation. The letters from Uncle Ike and Les Winny brought out both sides of the question. Maybe you have some other angles. Being somewhat prejudiced myself, I would prefer to let the readers do the writing. For this once, I'll accept your letters under an assumed name, a pen cognomen or a nomme de plume.

The Mustang Pet Parade will have 100 boys and at least 150 pets in the procession on Saturday, May 4, according to those working up the second annual spectacle.

Kerosene Drink Credited For Good Health at 103

MONTICELLO, N. Y. (UP).—Charles Dennis is 103 years old. He seldom misses his daily two-mile walk and ascribes his health partly to drinking a cup of kerosene "at the first sign of the sniffles."

"I've drunk gallons of it, but I've only known one other man who tried it," he said after a 200-mile automobile trip from his Skaneateles home. "He agreed it was wonderful stuff."

New Uses of Texas Timbers to Be Show

DENTON, Texas.—New uses of Texas timbers, especially the noncommercial varieties, will be featured by Dr. T. R. Truax of the U. S. Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, Wisconsin, in a paper to be delivered before the Texas Farm Chemurgic Conference at North Texas State Teachers College, meeting on Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Truax will present his paper on Friday afternoon in the wood uses section to be presided over by discussion chairman, E. O. Sleke, director of the Texas Forest Service. W. W. Henderson of Lufkin will also present a paper on "East Texas Paper Production."

The U. S. Forest Products Laboratories have been pioneers in the development of new uses for wood. Important work was conducted for the chemical processes now used in the manufacture of Texas piney woods into newsprint.

Other sessions of the program will cover recent developments in sugar beets, castor, cotton seed oils, sweet potatoes, flax, citrus fruits and vegetables, and peanuts. The financing of chemurgic industries will be featured at the noon luncheon Friday by Dr. Frank K. Rader, professor, Business Administration, S. M. U., and Director of the Statistical Department of a Dallas investment organization. Victor H. Schoffmayer, Agricultural Editor of the Dallas News, a pioneer chemurgic leader of the South, will speak at the dinner Friday.

Flax, one of the newest Texas farm crop possibilities, will be discussed Saturday morning by Dr. E. S. McFadden, of the Texas Experiment Station, College Station. The chairman for the Saturday session will be C. J. Crampton, Executive Secretary of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. Harold S. Foster, Manager of the Agricultural and Livestock Department of the Ft. Worth Chamber of Commerce will be discussion leader. New interest has been shown in flax as a Texas crop with the completion of a \$2,000,000 cigarette paper plant in North Carolina, the first in the U. S., using flax. Some consideration has already been given to a Texas plant of similar nature.

More than twenty major chemurgic exhibits are to be shown in the science hall of the college during the conference. Several of these are to be shown for the first time in the state. The largest number of castor exhibits ever to be assembled in Texas will be shown.

The sessions of the chemurgic conference are open to all desiring to attend.

Bit of Glacier Studied in Cold Storage Plant

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (UP).—Dr. Max Demorest, Yale University geologist, is studying the crystalline structure and flow of glacial ice in a local cold storage plant. Dr. Demorest returned recently with 350 pounds of a Mt. Rainier glacier, and found the cold stor-

Home Demonstration Club Work

LIKES FRAME GARDEN.

"Every thing in my frame garden is up, and my beans are 3 or 4 inches high," stated Mrs. H. L. Albrecht enthusiastically to the home demonstration agent Wednesday.

Mrs. Albrecht, who is a member of the Westside home demonstration club is trying a frame garden for the first time as an extra precaution against dust and cold. Mr. Albrecht lined the inside walls of the frame with heavy paper. He built the frame about 18 inches from the ground on the south side and about 24 inches on the north side. He then sopped the ends from north to south smoothly so that the canvas covering which he attached at the back could be raised and closed without rough edges tearing it. They installed tin can lines for subirrigation. The garden is four feet wide and 24 feet long.

Spinach, lettuce, tender greens, radishes and beans are up to an excellent stand in rows about 4 to 6 inches apart. Space has been saved for onions to provide green onions during the summer. Second plant-

ings of radishes and lettuce will be made between the rows of the first planting in about 10 days. Mr. Albrecht plans to use a little commercial fertilizer, and he and Mrs. Albrecht expect to furnish their table amply from this garden with salad vegetables throughout the summer. "This garden promises to rival Mrs. J. L. Humble's garden, which has been in constant production for the last twelve months, and which has been a first class demonstration in vegetable production in a frame garden ever since its first plantings," according to Miss Alpha Lyman, county home demonstration agent.

California Incorporates Sense of Humor Society

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (UP).—A group believing that a good sense of humor is the best way to solve the nation's problems has filed articles of incorporation with the California secretary of state. The society, called the Royal Crowns, plans "to contribute to the well-being of society" by establishing branches all over the country, "to promote a hearty sense of humor, because the world will become more sane by not taking life so seriously."

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Resident Centers for Girls Built by NYA

AUSTIN. — Forty-nine Resident Centers for Girls are now being operated in Texas by the National Youth Administration in cooperation with local public agencies, J. C. Kellam, State Administrator, said today.

"We initiated these resident centers in Texas in 1938," the State Youth Administrator said, "for the purpose of providing a means for young women to learn the fundamentals of homemaking, particularly ways to secure and prepare good food at minimum cost, and to furnish home attractively at small cost."

Approximately fifteen hundred Texas girls are assigned to these resident centers at Lufkin, Marshall, Texarkana, Jasper, Nacogdoches, San Augustine, Cardage, Mount Pleasant, Gainesville, Paris, Sherman, Denton, Beaumont, Huntsville, Vernon, Mineral Wells, Ranger, Madisonville, Hillsboro, Stephenville, Palestine, Cleburne, Crockett, Giddings, Franklin, Bryan, Seguin, Cuero (whiff), Castro (negro), Runge, Clarendon, Lubbock, Coleman, Sweetwater, Center, Woodville, Clarksville, Gladewater, Terrell, Anson, Gonzales, Corsicana, Haskell, Taylor, Cameron, Pearsall,

Old Church Installs Eight Women Deacons

HONEOYE FALLS, N. Y. (UP).—One of the most unusual services ever held in the 108-year-old Presbyterian church in this village took place when eight women deacons were installed into office by the Rev. John Buyer.

Chosen by the Ladies' Aid Society and the pastor, the women deacons will act in conjunction with the pastor in administrative and charitable work of the church as well as community-service.

Creoles are not mulattoes, as many people imagine. They are descendants of white families, long settled in tropical climes.

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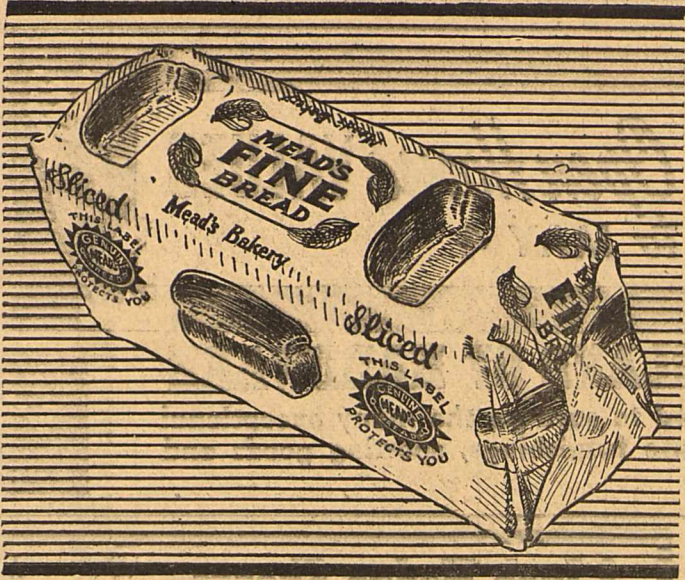
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**National Council of Boy Scouts
To Meet in Oklahoma City May 9**

The national leaders of the Boy Scouts of America who will have prominent roles at the 30th annual National Council meeting to be held at the Skirwin Hotel, Oklahoma City, Okla., Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10 are men from various fields of endeavor.

The President of the National Council, Walter W. Head of St. Louis, Mo., who will preside at the meeting, is President of the General American Life Insurance Company. He is a farmer and banker and one of the leading business men of the Middle West. He is a Director of the United States Fidelity and Guaranty and a number of other large corporations. Mr. Head was president of the American Bankers Association in 1933-34.

Mr. Head was born 62 years ago on a farm, near Adrian, Ill. Completing his education in public and normal schools, he entered the school teaching profession, but in 1903 he gave up this occupation, and accepted a position in a small bank at DeKalb, Mo. Three years later he became a state and subsequently a national bank examiner. In 1909 he became Cashier of the American National Bank of St. Joseph, Mo., which position he held until 1917. Then he became chief executive officer of the Omaha National Bank.

His connection with Scouting dates back to the World War days when he became active in the Scout Council at Omaha, Neb., later becoming chairman of region 8, comprising Scouting in Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Wyoming. He was elected to the Boy Scouts' National Executive Board in 1919 and since 1926 has been president of the National Council. For several years Mr. Head

**Debtor's Chair
Of 1647 Shown
In Collection**

PHILADELPHIA (U.P.) — An elaborately carved, massive oak "debtor's chair," dated 1647 and believed to have been mentioned in Samuel Pepys' diary, is on display in a collection here.

The unsuspecting debtor who sat in it after paying a call on his creditor would find himself firmly held by iron grips hidden in the panels at the sides. Since the unlocking device is at the top of the chair and well out of the victim's reach, he would have to sit there until he made some arrangements to pay his bills or until his creditor released him.

Pepys referred to such a device in his diary on No. 1, 1660: "This morning Sir W. Penn (William Penn's father) and I were mounted early and gave very merry discourse all the way, being very good company," he writes.

"We came to Sir Batten's, where he lives like a prince, and were made very welcome. Among other things he showed me my Lady's Closet, wherein was great store of rarities, as also a chair which he calls King Harry's chair, where he that sits down is caught with two irons that come around about him, which makes good sport."

Rhode Island once had laws providing penalties for refusal to accept public office on election.

"Uncle Dan" Beard is the National Scout Commissioner. Thirty years ago he was one of the founders of the movement in America and he has had an active role in the three decades. An Associate Editor of "Boy's Life," monthly magazine published for all boys by the Boy Scouts of America, he also is the author and illustrator of his own page in the magazine through which he has delighted countless boys of several generations by his nature stories and helpful hints on life in the great out-of-doors.

He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio on June 21, 1850 and spent his boyhood there and at Covington, Ky. Both cities are in a section of the country where the memory of Daniel Boone's exploits are widely known.

A leading figure at the annual meeting will be Dr. James E. West, who as Chief Scout Executive nearly thirty years has been most intimately related to the development of the Scout program and as administrative head, largely responsible for its progress in its thirty years.

The life story of James E. West is a most remarkable document. Placed in an orphan asylum in his native city of Washington, D.C., at an early age, he was left without knowledge of any living relative and was obliged to fend for himself. A short time after being admitted to the institution, he became afflicted with an illness that persisted for years and left him a cripple.

Determined to obtain an education and live a life of usefulness to others he made his way forward and by his personality his force and his perseverance overcame almost extraordinary handicaps and obtained an education. He studied law and when he was thirty years old, he was admitted to the bar in the District of Columbia and received a certificate to practice law before the Supreme Court of the United States.

His interest in the youth of the nation constantly dominated his work. He interested President Theodore Roosevelt to such an extent that the president called the White House Conference on the Care of Dependent Children with Dr. West as secretary. "But for you there would have been no conference," said Theodore Roosevelt afterward. "I have always thought well of you, but now I feel that you are one of those disinterested and patriotic citizens to whom this country stands under a peculiar debt of gratitude."

In spite of his youth he was early recognized as a social worker of vision, originality and power.

He is recognized as an authority on conditions affecting youth throughout the nation. He participated in President Harding's second White House Conference, and in President Hoover's White House Conference on Child Health and Protection. In connection with the latter he was chairman of one of the important committees on Youth Outside the Home and School.

Early this year Dr. West took a very active part in President Roosevelt's White House Conference on Youth in a Democracy.

Two prominent business leaders taking an active part in the meeting will be Marshall Field and John M. Schiff.

Mr. Field, Chairman of the Operations Division Committee and a member of several important National Committees of the Boy Scouts, has been a member of the National Executive Board since 1929. He has been actively interested in Scouting in Chicago and in New York City for many years. Mr. Field is also actively interested in many other social and welfare activities. He is a Trustee of the Field Museum of Natural History in Chicago and of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York.

John M. Schiff, banker and member of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. of New York, has been on the National Executive Board since 1933. He is active on many important National Scout Committees and is the son of the later Mortimer L. Schiff, who was president of the Boy Scouts at the time of his death in 1931. Mr. Schiff is a trustee of many educational organizations.

Four distinguished speakers will address the Oklahoma City meeting. Dr. George W. Truett, Pastor of the First Baptist church, Dallas, Texas for 43 years and president of the Baptist World Alliance, will speak on "America's Call to Leaders of Youth."

Dr. J. Reuben Clark, Jr., of Salt Lake City, Utah, of the First presidency of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and a former United States Ambassador to Mexico, will make an address on "Loyal Citizenship, Scouting's Opportunity."

Dr. Frank Porter Graham, Presi-

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The theme of the Boy Scouts' National Council Meeting is "Scouting—The American Way." Formal and informal talks, the exhibits and the very atmosphere of the meeting itself will show how thoroughly democratic is the Boy Scout movement in America.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynch Are Honored at Housewarming

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lynch were entertained with a housewarming shower at their new home 304 N. Perco Wednesday evening. Taking part were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Link and their daughters and the following high school faculty: Surt, W. W. Lackey, Mrs. Lily Koon, J. E. Black, D. D. Shifflet, Prin. Miss Ruth Carden, J. C. Moore, Miss Merle Smith, Miss Jacobina Burch, Miss Helene Miley, R. W. Myer, Miss Laura Niebur, Miss Gladys Pinson, R. C. Ferguson, Miss Norene Kirby, Miss Jo Hestand, Miss Ella Lunday, Miss Theresa Klapproth, Miss Freda Yarbrough, Miss Sudie Pearl Whithead, M. A. Armstrong, Miss Iva Butler, Mrs. De Lo Doules, Miss Jeanie Logan, J. Webb Miller, L. W. Taylor, Miss Ina Mae Vaught, Mrs. L. W. Taylor.

Mrs. Merle Fulton Entertains for Cactus Club

Mrs. James R. Day, a new member, was among those present at the meeting of the Cactus club for which Mrs. Merle Fulton was hostess at her home, 1900 W. Kentucky, Wednesday afternoon. Roses supplied a brilliant and fragrant note to appointments for the party rooms where two tables were laid for the bridge games. Mrs. Robert Cox held high score and Mrs. S. H. Hudkins received bingo prize. An ice course was served at tea time to the following, all club members: Mmes. J. Wray Campbell, R. Chansler, Cox, Day, Wallace M. Ford, Hudkins, O. R. Jeffers, and the hostess. Next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Hudkins.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland
With Mother's Day in the offing, the mother motif is becoming evident in store displays. For example, we've just been noting candies packed in pails to represent flower pots, topped with artificial flowers and labeled with the word "Mother" so that they won't be mistaken as a gift for little sister or the girl friend. A news item tells of a yelling crowd of Mexicans frightening passengers and threatening a couple of Mexican officers on a United States-bound train recently. That is not such good publicity for the "See Mexico First" campaign of good neighborliness.

Handpainted Tallies Mark Appointments For Bridge Party

Unique handpainted tallies in butterfly design with yellow as the predominating color were used in bridge games when Mrs. Tom Sealy, 909 W. Kansas, entertained the Wednesday Bridge club with an afternoon party Wednesday. The tallies were painted by the hostess' mother. Yellow and white prize packages were awarded to Mrs. Donald M. Oliver for high score and to Mrs. Wade Heath for cut. Spring flowers were used in the party rooms where three tables were laid for bridge. Mrs. John Harvey Herd was the only guest. Members attending were: Mmes. Ben-Black, W. M. Blevins, Wright Cowden, Chas. Edwards Jr., Ralph Geisler, Heath, Frank Miller, Oliver, Miss Georgia Goss, Miss Marian Wadley, Mrs. Hugh West, and the hostess. A party plate was served.

Coming Events

FRIDAY.
Primary teachers of the Baptist Sunday school will meet with Mrs. Bob Preston at her home on North Marienfeld street Friday afternoon at two o'clock.
Child Study club will meet with Mrs. H. A. Hemphill, 1207 W. Indiana, Friday morning at 10 o'clock.
Women's Golf Association will meet at the Country Club for play at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning. A business meeting will be held at 12 o'clock and luncheon will be served at one o'clock at the clubhouse. Hostesses will be Mrs. F. A. Stacy, Mrs. W. B. Harkrider, Mrs. H. J. Summy, and Mrs. Harry Prickett.
Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. A. W. Lester at the Magnolia Tank Farm Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.
SATURDAY.
Trebble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.
Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.
Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.
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A "dug-out" brooder house has proved very successful for Lillie Rose Meissner, 4-H club poultry demonstrator for Prairie-Lee girls' club, says Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent. The "dug-out" is 6x10 feet in size and about three feet deep. A top of planks slants from the south about 5 feet above the ground to the north which is only about 2 feet from the ground. Dirt is banked against the walls at the back ends, and the front is covered with cellophane wire on hinged windows that raise when weather permits. A small commercial brooder with kerosene lamp, provides heat. The caliche floor is easily kept clean with sand coverings. Inverted fruit jars in pie plates are used for water pans, and small feed trays hold the growing mash and grains which Lillie Rose and her mother are feeding 300 white leghorn chicks. From this flock in the fall Lillie Rose will select the pullets to be kept for next year's laying flock. The cockerels will furnish fried chicken.

Two Read Papers At Meeting of Fine Arts Club
Mrs. Curtis Gilmore was director for the program on "Agricultural Frontiers" at the meeting of the Fine Arts club with Mrs. E. Hazen Woods, 2003 W. Brunson, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Fred Fuhrman and Mrs. Gilmore read papers dealing with phases of the subject. Mrs. Fuhrman's discussion was on "Colonial Struggle with the Soil," telling of the problems which early settlers in America faced in their effort to produce a living from the earth. "Modern Governmental Direction" was discussed by Mrs. Gilmore in her paper. She took up the work of the AAA, with its payments and restrictions on the work of farmers. There were no guests. Members present were: Mmes. Elliott H. Barron, T. Paul Barron, Tom C. Bobo, Charles Brown, L. G. Eyerley, Aiden Donnelly, E. H. Edlison, Fuhrman, Gilmore, O. J. Hubbard, J. Howard Hodge, George Kidd Jr., A. P. Shirley, Tom Sloan, R. C. Tucker, Fred H. Wilcox, Miss Lydia G. Watson, and the hostess.

Luncheon and Party Entertainment for Tell-U Needle Club

A luncheon and party at the home of Mrs. W. G. Attaway, 404 W. Illinois, Wednesday afternoon provided a change from the regular sewing sessions of the Tell-U Needle club. The luncheon was a covered-dish affair at one o'clock. Games of bridge and 42 supplied diversion for the afternoon. Party rooms were decorated with roses. Next meeting of the club will be with R. L. Cline, 1106 N. M. Members present included: Mmes. Eric Allison, R. L. Cline, G. D. Fuller, J. W. Higginbotham, C. R. Horschler, R. H. McClain, R. C. Pickle, P. W. Pinson, G. T. Stafford, R. L. Stewart, and the hostess.

HAPPY RELIEF FROM PAINFUL BACKACHE

Many of those gnawing, nagging, painful backaches people blame on colds or strains are often caused by tired kidneys—and may be relieved when treated in the right way. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day. If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

Bluebonnet Club Organized at Home Of Mrs. J. H. Barron

Newest of Midland's clubs, the Bluebonnet club held its organization meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Barron, 410 N. Loraine, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Barron was elected president and Mrs. Brooks Pemberton secretary of the group. The club will meet on alternate Wednesdays at 3 o'clock and will devote club sessions to fancy work and conversation. For the club meeting, Mrs. Barron had decorated her house with roses with which her garden abounds. A party plate was served to the following charter members of the club: Mmes. D. W. Brunson, S. T. Cole, Cora Graham, Frank Ingham, Brooks Pemberton, W. E. Shipp, V. Z. Wrenn, M. L. Wyatt, L. A. Denton, and the hostess.

Safety Program Is Presented by Home Arts Club

Mrs. John Drummond was in charge of the program at the meeting of the Home Arts club with Mrs. H. L. Albrecht, 1910 W. Indiana, Wednesday afternoon. She was assisted in the program, which was on safety by Mrs. C. M. Dunagan who discussed traffic and by Mrs. Marvin English who told of safety in the home. Mrs. Dunagan also reported on the recent meeting of the city-county Federation. Mrs. Malcolm Brenneman was a guest. Next meeting of the club, the last for the year, will be held at the home of Mrs. N. W. Bigham. Members present were: Mmes. C. M. Dunagan, Guy Brenneman, John Dunagan, Drummond, English, Julia Filson, B. C. Girdley, Eula Mahoney, John B. Mills, B. W. Recer, H. C. Walker, and the hostess.

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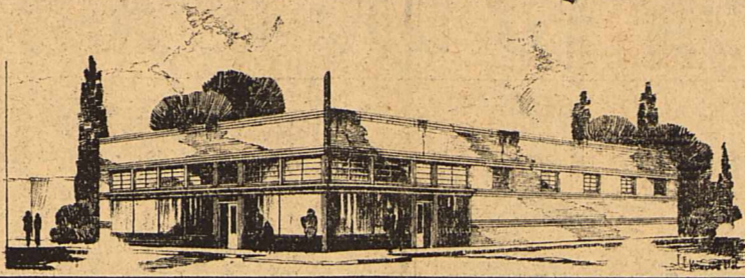
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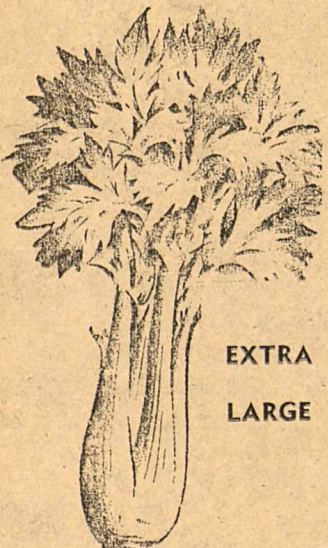
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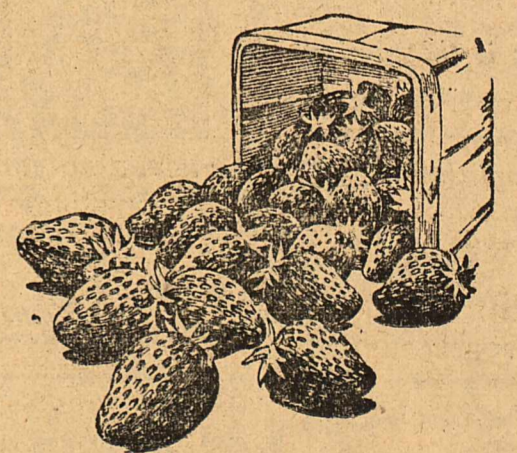
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COWBOYS DROP 4-0 DECISION TO BIG SPRING CLUB; PLAY HERE TODAY

All Runs Made Off Johnson Are Unearned

The Midland Cowboys, after even with the Big Spring Barons after dropping a 4-0 decision last night, open the season here this afternoon against the Barons at City Park at 3 o'clock.

Small chance exists for Midland to cup the cup awarded the town having the largest opening day attendance since no campaign has been waged here to sell tickets. All the ducks will have to be purchased at the gate this afternoon.

Last night's game was a heart-breaker for Rankin Johnson, Cowboy right-hander, to lose. All the Big Spring runs were unearned, coming on an error by Manager Sammy Hale of the Cowboys plus some very doubtful decisions by the umpires.

The Cowboys were able to get men on base in seven of the nine innings but could never push them all the way around. In four different innings, they had two men left stranded on bases.

All the scoring was done in the third inning. Benites, Baron second baseman was first man up and was retired on a grounder to Johnson. Muratore then hit one that got away from Hale on third and pitcher Pelligrini punched out a single. Jones then forced Pelligrini at second and Johnson issued a pass to Scapone, his only one of the night, to load the bases. Laurel, after being saved at the bat by the umpire on what appeared to be a perfect third strike, hit one for three bases to clear the baselines.

The base umpire also took a very prominent part in the scoring by calling Laurel safe on third on the hit when everyone else in the park believed he was out. Hale had the ball in his hand and was waiting for Laurel when he slid into third but the umpire called the runner safe, and his decision was final despite all protests. Left fielder Carroll then hit what looked momentarily to be an easy grounder to handle to Jack Jordan but at the last second the ball took a bad hop, bounding over Jordan's head and sending Laurel home.

That was all the scoring for the game. The Barons threatened in the seventh when Pelligrini tripled with two away but Johnson made the next batter ground harmlessly to first base to retire the side.

The Cowboys made several threats but could never complete a run. In the first inning, Jack Jordan started the game off with a walk, then Naranjo punched out a single, a passed ball moved both runners up but Hale and Scapone flew out to right field and Kirby Jordan popped out to second. In the third, Naranjo reached first on a walk and Hale got on on an error but Scapone and Kirby Jordan could not push them around. The Cowboys got two men on base in the fourth and in the fifth and in the ninth but never had the luck necessary to push them across with runs.

Johnson and Pelligrini each gave up five hits but luck with the Baron left-hander in his first start. The box score:

Midland	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Jordan ss	3	0	0	2	3	1
Rodriguez ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Naranjo r	4	0	1	2	1	0
Hale 3	5	1	0	2	1	0
Scapone c	4	0	1	2	0	0
K Jordan m	4	0	1	1	0	0
Keyser lf	3	0	0	0	0	0

Motion Pictures on Health Subjects to Be Shown Here Free

Motion pictures made and endorsed by the American Red Cross, the National Tuberculosis Association, and by the teaching films division of the Eastman Kodak Company are to be shown free as a part of the public health program endorsed locally by Midland County Health Unit.

These films are to be brought here by the Public Health Pro-Motor, frequently spoken of as a world's fair on wheels, when it arrives on Friday, April 26 for an exhibition lasting two days.

The sponsoring groups emphasize the complete absence of any charges or obligations connected with the Public Health Pro-Motor exhibit. Its sole purpose, it is declared, is to make available many new scientific discoveries that are being shown this year at the New York world's fair.

Among the films to be shown here are "Behind the Shadows," "Diphtheria and Anti-Toxin," "Fight Cancer with Knowledge," and the ever-popular movie on accident prevention entitled "Why Not Live."

The streamlined vans carrying the Public Health Pro-Motor exhibit are capable of being transformed into an open air theatre for 150 spectators. The film will be shown several times during the day and evening. A crew of young scientists trained for many months by the American United Life Insurance Company, of Indianapolis, Indiana, is in charge of the showings and delivery of the accompanying lectures.

Dr. W. A. Droppler, in charge of health education for the National Tuberculosis Association, declares that visual education is the most effective means of teaching people and has heartily endorsed the traveling exhibit as arranged by the sponsors of the Public Health Pro-Motor caravan.

Public health authorities in other fields of endeavor, as well as prominent educators, also have endorsed the motion pictures that will be shown free to those who attend the local exhibit. The dates, as arranged by the local sponsoring organizations, are Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27 at court house lawn.

Truck open 12:00 to 10:00—Free movies 7:45.

Prather 2	4	0	0	3	2	0
Berndt c	3	0	1	4	2	0
Johnson p	3	0	0	0	1	0
x - Jorstad	1	0	0	0	0	0

Big Spring	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Jones ss	4	1	0	2	1	0
Scapone r	3	1	0	5	0	0
Laurel 3	4	1	1	0	2	1
Carroll lf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Correll 1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Steiner m	3	0	0	2	0	0
Benites 2	3	0	1	2	3	0
Muratore c	3	1	0	5	0	1
Pelligrini p	3	0	2	0	3	1

x-Jorstad batted for Johnson in ninth.			
Midland	000	000	000-0
Big Spring	004	000	000-4

Summary: Runs batted in—Laurel 3, Carroll 1. Three base hits—Jones, Struck out—by Johnson 4, by Pelligrini 2. Base on balls—of Johnson 1, off Pelligrini 4. Left on base—Midland 10, Big Spring 2. Earned runs—Midland 0, Big Spring 4. Umpires: Thompson and Levine. Time: 1:40.

Meet the Cowboys

WILLARD (Stud) RAINES



Willard Robert Raines, (He'll probably be after the sports editor for making his real name known since he has gone by "Stud" Raines for so long). But there is the full name and it identifies the number one pitcher of the Midland Cowboys. And the title isn't honorary.

By winning nine games for the Cowboys out of the ten he pitched last year after having compiled a 13-12 record with Lamesa, Raines proved that he ranks with the best in the league. "Stud" is from McKinney where he spends each winter. Married, he is the father of two small children, both of them girls. The youngest was born last December.

This marks Raines' third year in professional baseball, his debut being made in 1938 with the Wink club. However, Raines participated in only three games, winning two and losing one before he got a broken arm and retiring for the rest of the year. A "scatter-arm" hurler managed to hit Stud on the arm with a wild pitch near the end of the 1938 season to halt him temporarily. Stud had to show the umpire the break before he would give him a base on balls, the ump claiming the ball hit the bat. Stud didn't get any time to loaf last year, working in 258 innings during his season. He played every position except catcher while with Lamesa, then worked as a starting and relief pitcher with Midland for the rest of the year. He finally wound up with a 22-13 record. Stud is a nephew of Otto Nicholas, a pitcher with the Fort Worth Cats. He may never go as high as his uncle, but there is no doubt he will get a promotion next year if he comes through with 25 wins this year as he has promised.

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The Standings

WEST TEXAS-NEW MEXICO			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Amarillo	2	0	1.000
Lamesa	2	0	1.000
Midland	1	1	.500
Big Spring	1	1	.500
Borger	1	1	.500
Pampa	1	1	.500
Clovis	0	2	.000
Lubbock	0	2	.000

TEXAS LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
San Antonio	8	4	.667
Houston	7	4	.636
Fort Worth	7	6	.539
Oklahoma City	6	6	.500
Dallas	5	6	.455
Beaumont	4	7	.364
Shreveport	4	7	.364

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	4	0	1.000
Cincinnati	3	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	3	1	.750
New York	2	2	.500
Chicago	3	5	.375
Philadelphia	1	2	.333
St. Louis	1	4	.200
Boston	0	3	.000

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	4	2	.667
Boston	4	2	.667
New York	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
St. Louis	2	4	.333
Chicago	1	4	.200
Washington	1	4	.200

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS			
West Texas-New Mexico	Big Spring 4, Midland 0.		
Amarillo 8, Clovis 4.			
Borger 11, Pampa 9.			
Lamesa 6, Lubbock 3.			

TEXAS LEAGUE			
Oklahoma City 4, Beaumont 0.			
San Antonio 6, Dallas 5.			
Shreveport 9, Fort Worth 4.			
Tulsa 8, Houston 7.			

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
New York 5, Philadelphia 2.			
Chicago 9, Pittsburgh 4.			
Brooklyn 8, Boston 6.			
St. Louis at Cincinnati, postponed.			

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
New York 9, Philadelphia 4.			
Washington 9, Boston 6.			
Detroit 2, Chicago 1.			
Cleveland 6, St. Louis 4.			

Indiana Runner Has Tendency to Stray

By NEA Service BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Billy Hayes, Indiana track coach, is convinced he'll have to watch Roy Cochran, quarter-mile star, on future trips. En route to the Texas Relays, one of the Hoosier autos stopped for gas. Cochran was missing when the group was ready to start again.

He was found a mile down the road, chatting with a farm-hand and shooting turtles with the farmer's gun, while hanging on a bridge rail.

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NEW YORK University's great mile relay team of James McPoland, Harold Bogrow, George Hagans and Jim Herbert, is favored to break the meet record of 3:14.8 made by Pittsburgh last year. The Panthers, having lost Long John Woodruff, are appreciably weakened in the mile relay, but look like the best bet for a blistering 880-yard triumph.

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IT will be brilliant individual entries of the Drake Relays against the sparkling baton wielders of the Penn Relays when the outstanding carnivals vie for public acclaim in Des Moines and Philadelphia, respectively, April 26-27.

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Robin Debunked As First Herald Of Springtime

CHICAGO (U.P.)—The myth of the "first spring robin" has been exploded. Inasmuch as the symbol of spring is a year-long resident in the North, no importance can be attached to his appearance, according to Emmet R. Blake, assistant curator of birds at the Chicago Field Museum of Natural History.

Robins, like many other northern birds, sometimes experience only partial or modified migration. They are less numerous in the North during the winter, but there are always a few hardy ones in sheltered locations. The migratory instinct can be modified by planting shrubbery and hedgerows and providing sheltered feeding stations. However, Blake warns that once the birds are accustomed to such artificial devices, they will starve if thrown on their own resources. Once the migratory instinct is modified, the bird can no longer travel South even though physically able to do so.

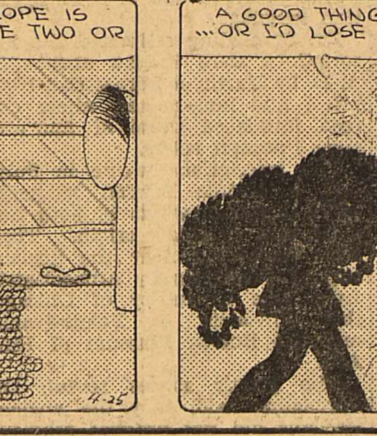
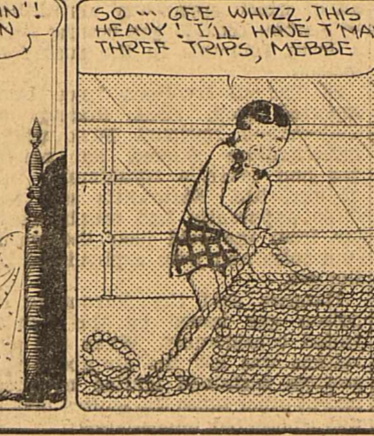
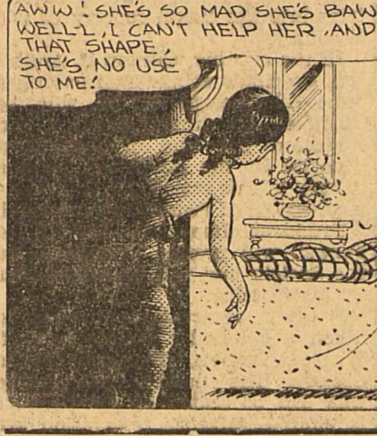
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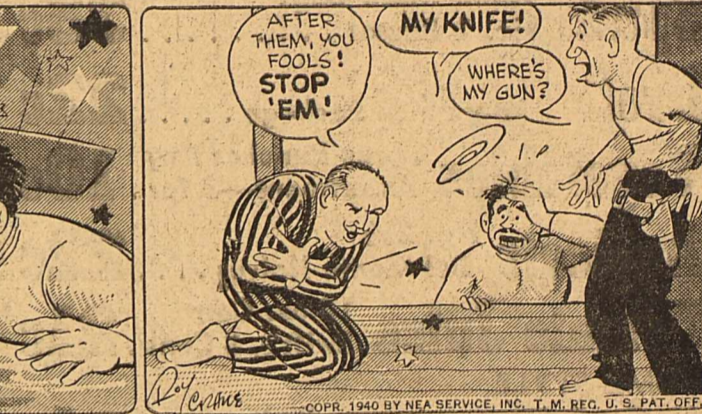
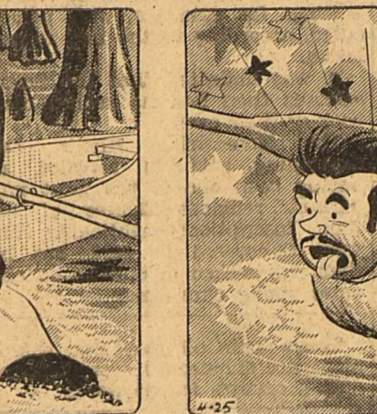
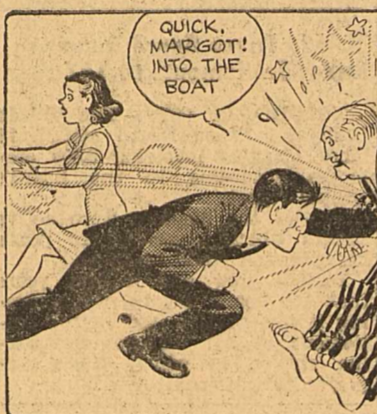
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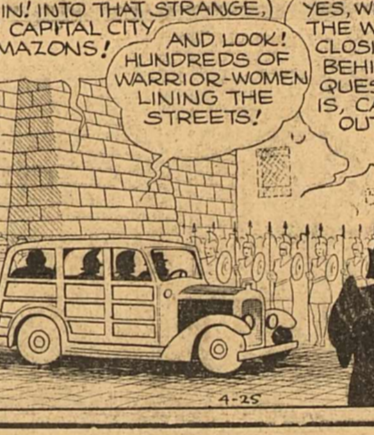
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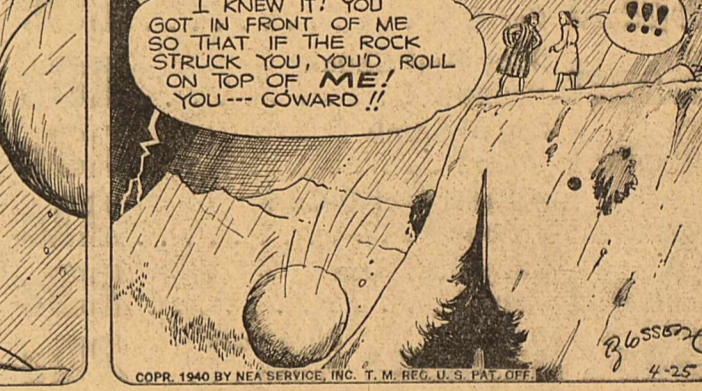
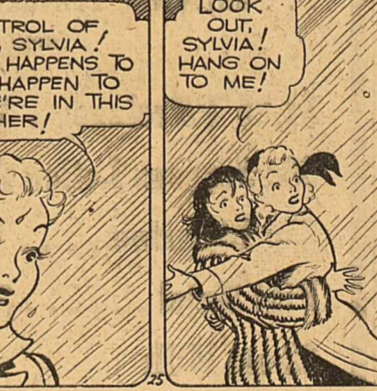
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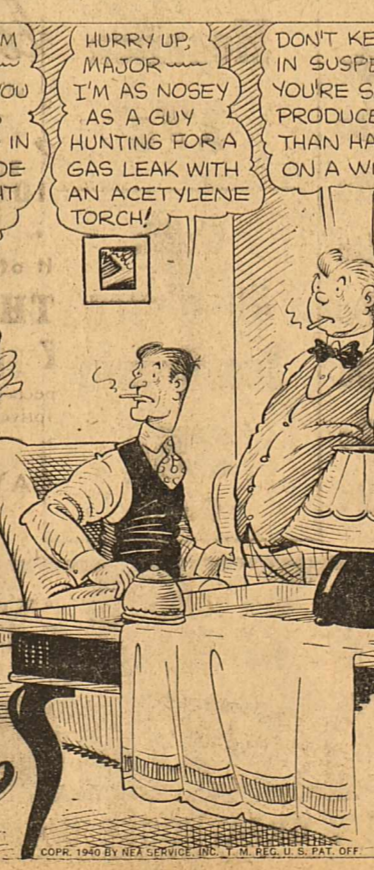


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Home for Aged Gets Lift Of Confederate Currency

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—The Philadelphia Home for Aged and Infirm Colored Persons, which conducted a drive for funds to keep the institution open, received a gift of \$240 from a 91-year-old woman inmate.

No Blackouts in U. S., New Citizens Advised

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Federal Judge Harry E. Kalodner welcomes new citizens in Naturalization Court as "United States stockholders."

Superintendent Nathaniel Webb accepted the gift. He didn't tell the woman that the bills were Confederate currency — worthless for 75 years.

According to scientists, you can sleep better if you rearrange your furniture.

Dead Language Yields New Key

CHICAGO (UP)—A group of stone inscriptions, found last year on the walls of an ancient Persian tomb, have proved important in studying dead languages and in clarifying history between 500 B. C. and 500 A. D., University of Chicago archeologists have announced.

Dr. Martin Sprengling, internationally-known authority on ancient languages, made the translations from photographic enlargements of the inscriptions. He compared them in archeological importance to the Rosetta stone, which unlocked the ancient Egyptian language.

Dr. Sprengling estimated the inscriptions were made about 290 A. D. by Kartir, a Zoroastrian high priest and king-maker, whose career interlaced those of four ancient Persian rulers.

The inscriptions were in Pahlavi, a Middle Persian language which contains words of both Semitic and Parthian origin. They were discovered near the ancient city of Persepolis by archeologists from the University of Chicago, the University of Pennsylvania and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

The Kartir stones reveal, Dr. Sprengling said, that the ancient Persians did not practice religious tolerance, contrary to previous conclusions from romantic literature. Religious groups using sacred writings for guidance, were persecuted, according to the new translation.

It was indicated that the Zoroastrians then had no such sacred book of their own.

The Zoroastrian Kartir, Dr. Sprengling said, is revealed as having been one of the most important religious figures of all time. Inscriptions mentioning him were discovered in 1936, but he then was spoken of only as an obscure young churchman.

Rock Fissures Found to Emit Poison Gases

FRESNO, Cal. (UP)—Sequoia National Park rangers reveal Mother Nature's apparent disregard for man-made laws of international warfare. Mother Nature uses poison gas!

Naturalists observed the phenomenon during the course of research under the national conservation program project at Shotgun creek in the Sequoia National Park. The naturalists said they observed thousands of dead insects and many dead birds and reptiles, all of which apparently were killed by carbon dioxide gas issuing from a large fumarole in the rock formation.

Similar observations have been reported from Soda Springs in Yellowstone National Park where investigations showed the poison gas had taken a considerable toll of bird life. Naturalists said the birds apparently had sought shelter from the cold near the warm fumaroles and were asphyxiated by the gas.

Rangers said the percentage of poison gas issued by the fissure varied considerably. When the gas volume was low the air above the crevices sustained ignited matches, and at other times the ignited match was smothered immediately.

German Servant Girls Worry Aldershot Staff

ALDERSHOT, Eng. (UP)—The army is not a bit comfortable about the fact that some 250 German servant girls are employed as servants in houses in and around Aldershot, and the Military Intelligence Department has been bringing pressure to bear upon the tri-als to have these girls interned—so far without result.

A high officer on the staff of the Aldershot command said, "We regard these girls as a source of great danger" and strongly denied the suggestion that some of them were employed by army officers.

The girls' freedom of movement is not in any way curbed and if they wish to visit the military camp areas it is difficult for the military and civil police to keep adequate watch on them.

Coronado's Journey Will Be Discussed At Historical Meet

CANYON — Two men who are exceptionally well qualified to discuss the Spanish Southwest and the pioneering journey of Coronado into this region will be heard at sessions of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society here May 10.

Dr. W. C. Holden of Texas Technological College will be heard at the afternoon session starting at 3 o'clock. He has done much research into the present and past of plains civilization and has made several trips into the Yaqui country of Old Mexico.

In the evening, Clinton P. Anderson, Coronado commission executive from Albuquerque, N. M., will be heard at the annual banquet. Mr. Anderson has one of the finest libraries in the Southwest on the history of this region. He is a former president of Rotary International.

Banquet reservations are being taken at one dollar a plate by Prof. W. L. Vaughan, treasurer of the Society. The number of persons who can be seated at the banquet is limited. Advance reservation are being asked by Dr. L. F. Sherry, executive secretary of the historical association.

Toledo Peace Board Runs Labor Settlements to 157

TOLEDO, O. (UP)—The Toledo Industrial Peace Board settled 23 labor disputes involving 3,509 employees, according to the board's annual report.

Ten of the disputes were active strikes which began before peace board action could be taken.

In the four and a half years that the board has been functioning it has participated in the settlement of 157 disputes, preventing strikes, in which 31,053 employees have been involved.

About 70,000,000 tons of ingots a year, or about 1,328,000 tons a week are produced by the steel industry.

Safety Poster Contest Winners Are Announced

Winners in the annual Safety Poster Contest of the Midland Safety Council were announced at the various schools Wednesday and Thursday. Richard Peters, president of the Safety Council, presented a medal to the winner for the best poster in each of the schools participating in the contest.

The American Legion contributed attractive bronze medals, engraved "First Place Safety Poster Contest." Winners of second place in each school were awarded ribbons and prizes of fifty cents each, and winners of first place in each grade at the various schools were presented with ribbons printed "First Prize 1940."

Judges of the contest expressed their approval of the splendid work done by both the pupils and their teachers in preparing the posters. Many of the posters are outstanding and members of the Safety Council were enthusiastic in voting their appreciation for the cooperation given by all the schools.

The winning first place posters for each of the five schools, north elementary, south elementary, junior high, Mexican and colored, will be displayed in the window of the chamber of commerce this week-end.

Names of the winners are: North Elementary: First for school, Billy Holaday; second, Janis Davis; winner, first grade, Dan Dickinson; second grade, Norman Cornelius; third grade, Margaret Yeats; fourth grade, Ruth Hall.

South Elementary: First for school, Richard Clarke (third grade); second for school, James Elledge (second grade); winner, first grade, Patsy Ruth Barney; second grade, Emily Fitch; third grade, Betty Sultz.

Mexican School: First for school, Jesus Reyes, (fourth grade); second for school, Matilde Martinez (seventh grade); winner, pre-primer, Lorena Carrero; first grade, Dora Costello; second grade, Petronilo Ramirez; third grade, Willie Menchiaca and Edia Gertierrez, tie; fourth grade, Jessie Oigin; sixth grade, Jose Escobar.

Colored School: First for school, Eddie Coffield, seventh grade; second, Marcell Hooker, seventh grade; winner first grade, Ernest Sorrell; second grade, Doris Alexander; third grade, Billie Ruth Lewis; fourth grade, Katherine Davis; fifth grade, Nathaline Richardson; sixth grade, Charles Thompson; eighth grade, Helen Jewel McGowan; ninth grade, Johnnie Coffield; tenth grade, Alma Jean Elgin.

Junior High School: First for school, Mary Elizabeth Collins; second for school, Fred Wemple; winner, fifth grade, Virginia Dunagan; sixth grade, Joan Stanley and Henrietta Friday (tie); seventh grade, Lewis Wingo.

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