

CISCO DAILY NEWS

CISCO, TEXAS—1,614 feet above the sea; 5 lakes of water; 5 rail exits; 6 paved highway exits; 127 blocks of brick streets; good hotels; A-1 public schools and Randolph College; no mosquitoes; no malaria or typhoid.

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JAPS AND CHINESE MOVE FOR PEACE

Army Officer Is Charged in Robbery of Schertz Bank

ACCUSED IS IDENTIFIED BY CASHIER

SEGUIN, Feb. 17.—Second Lieut. Herbert C. Lichtenberger, 28 years old, of Oklahoma City, Randolph Field officer and a graduate of Creighton university, was charged here today with holding up the State bank at Schertz, 20 miles west of here, Monday afternoon.

The officer was arrested following the identification of a car for which he had been issued license plates as the car used in the holdup. The car was found in San Antonio. Albert Hausser, arrested the officer with the cooperation of military authorities. The latter agreed to yield him for trial by state courts. Lichtenberger is married and has two children. He is rated an air pilot.

He is being held by military authorities at San Antonio but will be brought to jail here later today.

Two charges of robbery with firearms and one of assault to murder were filed against Lichtenberger. Six hundred and 84 dollars and 50 cents was taken in the robbery and officers declared today \$500 of the stolen money had been recovered. Arresting officers also declared Bank Cashier Phulemeyer and his wife who were held up had identified Lichtenberger as the man who robbed them. They also said the air officer had made a verbal statement to military police admitting the holdup.

QUICK SERVICE DIVORCES ON TAP IN MEXICO

EL PASO, Feb. 17.—The "while you wait" service now has been applied virtually to the divorce field.

Bettering Nevada and Arkansas with their 90-day residence divorce laws, the state of Chihuahua, Mex., has a divorce law which permits one to get a divorce in one day.

And you need not necessarily come to Chihuahua to obtain the divorce, although it is advertised that Juarez, across the border in Mexico, is an attractive place with its bars and casino to celebrate marital freedom.

New Divorce Law

The new divorce law, provides in some cases for one day "mail order" divorces at \$50 for each decree. Both parties involved in the divorce proceedings must have agreed that they consent to the separation before a one-day divorce is granted.

If the application does not show mutual consent, a 20-day delay is required until the second party can be legally notified. Residence is not necessary and consent decrees can be obtained by proxy through an attorney.

Well Advertised.

Lawyers here and in Juarez have advertised the inducements of the get a divorce quick law. Radio addresses from three Juarez stations have broadcast to Americans how to rid yourself of an obnoxious partner. One lawyer has sent circulars to all movie actors and actresses in the Hollywood colony telling them the new divorce law is a boon to marital unhappiness. Every attorney who is eligible to practice in the Juarez courts has a Hollywood directory as part of his law library.

While the attorneys hail the new law, priests have scored it as "a bad thing for humanity and a destroyer of love."

OIL PLAN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Cicero Murray, Oklahoma oil man, said today congress would be asked soon to give its approval to a far-reaching plan for state regulation and rehabilitation of the oil industry.

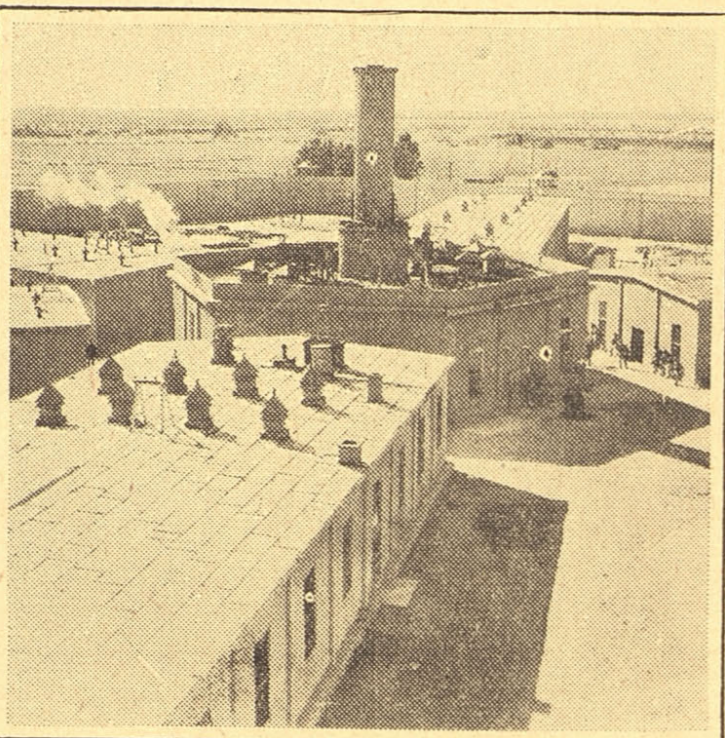
IS IMPROVED

Fred Davies, aged Ciscan who was injured in a fall last week and later developed influenza of a serious nature, was reported improved this morning after a critical evening.

\$100,000 FIRE

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 17.—A \$100,000 fire swept through the Bernet building in downtown Denver early today. A watchman and six firemen were overcome by smoke.

Where Trunk Slayer May Spend Last Days



EXPERTS STUDY NATION'S BANKS FOR NEW LAWS

By ELMER C. WALZER
United Press Financial Editor

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—Congress, the Federal Reserve System and many private institutions are diligently studying the American banking system to frame new laws to prevent recurrence of failures that have been moving down banks at the rate of two a week from 1865 to 1920 and since then at the rate of four a week.

While America has had 9,277 failures since 1921, Canada has had only one and that relatively small—the Home Bank of Canada which suspended August 17, 1923, with deposits of \$15,236,000 and subsequently paid depositors 25 to 60 per cent of their deposits, according to the amount, the smaller deposits being favored.

Canadian Methods.

Canadian banking methods differ radically from ours. Canada has 10 chartered banks with 4,265 branches with total resources of \$3,133,030,468. As of June 30, there were 22,071 banks in United States, with aggregate resources of \$70,209,149,000, including 6,805 national; 12,259 commercial state; 1,469 trust company; 654 stock savings; 690 mutual savings and 284 private banks. In addition there are Postal Savings banks in all states with 770,859 depositors having aggregate deposits of \$306,119,698; 12 Federal Land banks with resources of \$1,286,988,290; 49 joint stock land banks with resources of \$616,620,898; 12 Federal Intermediate Credit banks with resources of \$170,223,810, and 11,777 building and loan associations with total assets of \$8,828,611,925 and membership of 12,350,928. Then, too, there are 14,628 school banks with 4,482,340 depositors having deposits of \$26,783,610.

Bank Laws Lax.

American banks developed on the plan of individual initiative; Canadian banks were a carryover from England. American laws have been lax and easy on banks; Canadian laws have been very exacting.

The principal trouble with American banks is the laxity with regard to capital, say the authorities. The trend of late has been toward stricter enforcement of law and stricter law on bank organization and capitalization. There also is a trend toward branch banking which is in its infancy now, but which, according to experts, will gradually develop into something similar to the Canadian method.

DISTRICT MEET AT GORMAN IS WELL ATTENDED

The district quarterly rally of the Methodists of the Cisco district was well attended at Gorman yesterday, considering the weather conditions. All churches were represented except two and the roads made it impossible for the people from those churches to attend.

The reports showed that five churches in the district had paid the pastor and presiding elder in full for the first quarter; these were First church, Cisco; Breckenridge Rising Star, De-demona and Wayland. Several others were in the 90 per cent column. The reports were very encouraging. The presiding elder, Dr. Cullom H. Booth stated.

Dr. C. C. Seelman of S. M. U., Dallas, preached at 11:30. Plans were made for the pre-Easter revival in the district and it is expected that every church in the district will conduct some form of evangelistic endeavor preceding Easter.

At the First church in Cisco, Rev. H. D. Tveker will conduct a two week revival and at Twelfth Street Rev. C. B. Diltz of Rising Star will preach in the evening.

After the dinner, Mrs. W. E. Barron, district secretary of the women's mission society, gave an excellent address on the Spiritual Life Movement in the women's organizations. Her address was followed by Guy Bruce of De-demona who spoke on the young people's work. Mr. Bruce is district secretary for the Young People's division.

Churches represented were Cisco, Breckenridge, Caddy, Ranger, Wayland, Rising Star, Gorman, Carbon, DeLeon, Dublin, Bunyan, De-demona and Eastland.

Breckenridge and Cisco First church tied in the attendance contest.

Father of K. H. Pittard Dies

K. H. Pittard left today on the Texas for Tennessee following receipt of a message announcing the death of his father, C. G. Pittard of Tulsa, Ok.

Livestock Rate Hearing Set

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—The state railroad commission today tentatively set a hearing for March 9 at Fort Worth on livestock transportation rates. The hearing is to be in conjunction with the corporation commission of Oklahoma.

Plainview—New state bank with capital stock of \$50,000 opened in building formerly occupied by Plainview National bank.



TEXAS GOV'T COST \$18.70 PER CAPITA

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Financial statistics of the cost of Texas state government for the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, 1930, forwarded here by the U. S. Census Bureau put the total at \$108,776,396. This is \$18.70 per capita.

Operation and maintenance of the departments, exclusive of interest and outlay for permanent improvements, totaled \$70,565,710, or \$12.12 for each man, woman and child in the state.

This was an increase over the flat \$12 per capita in the preceding year. It was nearly three times that of the \$4.56 per capita cost of State government in Texas in 1917.

Income was greater than the outlay. Total revenue was \$11,408,561, or a per capita of \$19.16. The difference went into purchase of securities.

The total debt of the State on Aug. 31, 1930, was \$4,372,267 per capita. Per capita figures were on the basis of 5,815,000 population.

Former Lobo Has Operation Tuesday

Roy Chambliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chambliss, a former Lobo and now a student at Rice Institute, Houston, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis last evening, a telephone message to his family here announced.

Roy underwent the operation before 9:30 when a telephone call from doctors informed the family that the operation had been a success and Roy was doing well. Local anaesthetic was used. Previously the doctors had called saying that it appeared certain an emergency operation would have to be performed.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambliss left immediately for Houston.

Deputy Revenue Collector Coming

For the convenience of those required by law to file federal income tax returns, C. E. Vickery, deputy collector of internal revenue will be at the First National bank on March 4, Mr. Vickery announced today. He will assist taxpayers in preparing their returns at no charge to them. Income tax returns for the calendar year 1931 must be filed not later than March 15, 1932, Mr. Vickery pointed out.

Installments on Charity Pledges Due

February installments on pledges to the Cisco Charity and Welfare association are due now, the association announced in urging that every person who has made a pledge to the association pay the installment promptly so that it may be able to carry on its work with the least hindrance.

3RD M'BRIDE CONVICTION IS SUSTAINED

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—C. B. McBride's third conviction on a charge of murder in the killing of John Glenn at Breckenridge in 1927 was affirmed by the court of criminal appeals here today.

The conviction carried a 21-year sentence.

Two previous convictions have been reversed by the court. The last trial was transferred to Callahan county.

Many objections to testimony admitted at the trial and to remarks before the jury were filed. Judge Calhoun, in affirming the conviction, held they were not reversible errors.

The killing occurred when the two men had a fight over oil well tools. McBride claimed the killing was in self defense.

McBride was a citizen of Cisco at the time.

The court reversed a lottery conviction against W. H. Dyer in Palo Pinto county. He was convicted on the charge of installing a mint vending machine in a store at Mingus. The court held there was no testimony to show that this machine was operated in violation of lottery laws.

Waco Going Out Of "Red" This Year

WACO, Feb. 17.—Waco is another Texas city that is "out of the red" while other cities all over the state and country battle along to pay their employees and municipal expenses.

City Manager E. E. McAdam gives credit for the record to citizens for paying their taxes, while the average citizen feels they did a good thing when they adopted the city manager form of government.

The whole thing is just keeping within one's budget, and the total city levy this year was \$1,489,282.15 less than last year because the tax rate was ruthlessly slashed by the commissioners last summer, by reason of wholesale salary cuts from the top to the bottom of the city payroll, and by other economies.

The total of delinquent taxes as of January 31 was \$342,400. However, only \$93,000 of this was more than two years delinquent and the balance is a hold-over from 1929 and 1930. The taxes which have been delinquent no longer than that will be appreciably reduced in the next few months.

ONE SISTER IS DEAD IN DEATH PACT

SCHULENBURG, Tex., Feb. 17.—Two aged sisters, dependent over financial difficulties and ill health, today entered a suicide pact which resulted in the death of one.

Annie Seydler, 60 years old, was found hanging by a rope from the top of an inside door and Mary, 62, was found under a bed in another room.

The elder sister, still alive, had a tightly twisted rope around her neck. Justice of the Peace Vogt, who returned a suicide verdict in the death of Annie Seydler, said Mary had hanged herself in a similar manner but the rope had broken.

She is expected to recover.

Justice Vogt said he found a note signed "Mary" which read:

"When I am dead I want doctors to cut my head open. Maybe it will help them discover what is the matter and help some poor soul to be saved."

The sisters had never married and lived alone.

TREE BEARS PEARS.

OTTOMAN, Va., Feb. 17.—Dr. George Stuart, recently gathered ruscus pears from a tree in his orchard. The pears were as fresh and sound as if they had been picked in September.

PAID IN PRODUCE.

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 17.—Dr. David Cowart's patients couldn't pay but they sent him 300 sacks of potatoes, 50 boxes of apples and 12 bushels of wheat. He turned the supplies over to charity.

THOUSANDS EXPECTED TO GREET MURRAY TOMORROW

COLLINSVILLE, (Grayson Co.) Texas, Feb. 17.—The "local boy who made good" comes home tomorrow amid the cheers of his boyhood associates.

William H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, who rose from a North Texas farm boy to Governor of Oklahoma and now is ready to start a campaign for the democratic presidential candidacy, will return to the city of his birth, Collinsville.

One of the greatest celebrations in the history of North Texas awaited his return. Tomorrow morning a motorcade to extend from Durant, Ok., to Collinsville will form a gigantic parade to greet the "commoner", famous for his "cottonfield" philosophy, his red gaiters and five cent cigars.

Although the governor had been invited to make a formal declaration for the democratic presidential nomination, he declared he was "coming home to reminisce."

Formal Announcement.

Formal announcement of his candidacy will be made two days later, during the Oklahoma state democratic convention, his leadership announced. That, however, will not detract from the celebration here.

A tremendous crowd, variously estimated from 40,000 to 100,000 was expected for the celebration. Extra traffic officers were to patrol all highways to facilitate entry of the vast motor pilgrimage into Collinsville.

Hundreds of Oklahoma admirers were to follow their governor here and join with "old timers" from a dozen North Texas counties in honoring Murray.

A monument, honoring the governor and commemorating his birth on a farm near here, will be unveiled. A full day of festivities, interspersed with an address by Murray, giving his viewpoint on national issues, and talks by prominent Texans, was scheduled.

All this was for a poor Texas youth who fought his own way to earn an education, to become an authority on constitutional law and government and to become one of the most picturesque figures in the United States.

Born on Farm.

Murray was born on a farm near Collinsville. He describes his birth as "born in a Texas snowstorm and cradled in the lap of adversity." This quotation he frequently uses as an introduction to his addresses.

When he was 12 years old Murray ran away from home. He earned his living by working on Texas farms. His early education consisted of that acquired in rural schools and in private study.

Then he worked his way through college at Weatherford, finishing a four-year course in twenty months. For a while he taught in rural schools in Grayson and adjoining counties, studying law at night. In summers he worked in the cotton fields, partly for recreation, chiefly for the money.

"I could never pick cotton," Murray said. "I would work until my back nearly broke and my hands were blistered and I couldn't make more than the 100 pounds a day mark. Right then I decided that was no life for me."

Murray began his political life in Texas but soon migrated to Oklahoma where he became one of the outstanding figures of Oklahoma history.

Hoover Seeks Reorganization of Entire Executive Branch of the Government

NEW SYSTEM FOR PROGRAMS PLEASES LIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—President Hoover today asked congress for authority to effect a complete reorganization of the executive branch of the government.

In a special message the president said the rapid growth of bureaus and commissions was costing the people millions of dollars a year. He charged that scores of these units overlap. He said these "separate units", once created, sought to keep going after their jobs were completed.

He admitted the amount of money to be saved was "difficult to estimate", but in-laid it would total millions of dollars a year. He said the government could and should be made more efficient and to this end recommended:

Consolidation and grouping of the various executive and administrative activities under single heads of responsibility.

While proposing elimination of many minor offices the president suggested creation of several new major posts which he said would fill the need for "definite and concentrated responsibility to the public."

This was followed by a slogan contest which was won by Frank Reynolds, the prize being a lovely pot plant from Philadelphia.

Frank Reynolds gave three vocal numbers with Miss Kunkel at the piano, followed by several numbers by Rig Edwards and Miss Lucile Clements, who were introduced as the Sweethearts from Sweetheart Town.

Mr. Edwards was also introduced as a new Lion, having been sponsored by Lion S. H. Nance.

A letter was read by the president of the club from the Lions club at Ft. Worth regarding All Texas Lions Day, March 9.

The program was furnished by Lions W. J. Leach, chairman; Barton Philpott, H. L. Dyer and Dr. Seale. This same committee will bring the program during the next three weeks.

44 Per Cent Less Autos Registered

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—Forty-four per cent fewer automobiles were registered in ten leading counties of Texas last month than in January a year ago, the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas reported today. McLennan was the only one of the ten counties to show a gain. Losses in automobile registration in Bexar, Dallas, El Paso, Galveston, Harris, Nueces, Potter, Tarrant and Travis counties ranged from 76 per cent in El Paso county to 22 per cent in Tarrant county.

Dr. Booth to Preach At Twelfth Street

Dr. Cullom H. Booth, presiding elder of the Cisco district, will preach at the Twelfth Street Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor, the Rev. Victor Dew, will preach at the morning hour.

The Young People's league has a very interesting subject to present Sunday evening at 6:30.

The subject for prayer-meeting this evening at 7:30 is "Revival of the Old Testament, up to and including the Flood."

CONFERENCE FOR THURSDAY IS ARRANGED

SHANGHAI, Feb. 17.—A concerted move for peace was made by Japan and Chinese authorities today just as Shanghai reached the darkest hour in nearly three weeks of bombardment, terror and battle.

The most important peace discussions since January 28 when the fighting that has resulted in thousands of casualties and untold property damage started, has been arranged for tomorrow morning between representatives of the Japanese and the commander of the Nineteenth Chinese army defending Shanghai.

The conference will discuss the possibility of the Chinese withdrawing from the contested Chapei sector and the Japanese returning to within the international settlement limits. It will be the first direct contact between commanders of the opposing forces since the outbreak of hostilities.

The move came at a time when foreign authorities were growing increasingly apprehensive over the danger to the foreign settlement which has been the target of numerous shells.

The most serious incident occurred today when shells landed on a wharf in the Hongkew area of the settlement, killing two British seamen.

The seamen, H. G. Prior and H. A. Francis, were taken aboard the steamer Carthage where they died.

WILL HOLD JAPAN RESPONSIBLE.

TOKIO, Feb. 17.—The United States government will hold Japan responsible for any American lives endangered by Japanese operations in Shanghai's international settlement. Ambassador Debuchi notified the foreign office today from Washington.

Responsibility will be fixed on Japan regardless of whether the lives are endangered by Japanese gunfire or by Chinese gunfire drawn on the settlement in retaliation for Japanese concentrations in the area.

Debuchi reported he had made "fruitless attempts" to dissuade Secretary Stimson from sending the new representation. He pointed out that American and British troops had been landed in the settlement. Stimson was adamant and very excited, he said.

Secretary of State Stimson had been considering the notification of Japan that the United States will hold her responsible for damage to life and property in the international settlement in Shanghai, it was learned authoritatively today.

The same authority, however, denied Tokio reports credited to Japanese Ambassador Debuchi, at Washington, that a note was being prepared containing such a stern warning.

CRIES OF "WAR" IN COMMONS

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Cries of "War" were raised in the house of commons today while Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, was explaining the government's attitude against withdrawing foreign ambassadors from Tokio and applying an economic boycott to Japan.

"The government will continue to act in close collaboration with the powers represented at Geneva and with the United States," Simon told the house.

"Have we power to do anything more than we have done," asked a Laborite.

Simon ignored the question but several cries of war were heard from the ministerial benches.

ALL YEAR ROBIN HOME.

DETROIT, Feb. 17.—From reports to date naturalists here are almost convinced the Robin is becoming a year-round resident of Detroit. First-Robin reporters have sighted 17 Robins since the first of the year.

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Deputy Shoots Prowler in Leg

GONZALES, Tex., Feb. 17.—About midnight last night Deputy Sheriff Joe Jowers was going home. As he approached his house he said he saw a man trying to break into it. The man ran and Deputy Jowers shot. The man was wounded in the leg. He gave his name as Bill Lovine and said his home was at Abilene where his parents live. His wound was not serious.

WEATHER

West Texas—Fair, colder in southeast portion tonight. Thursday fair, not so cold in northwest and west portion.

East Texas—Generally fair. Cold in freezing northwest portion. Frost tonight if clear in interior and south portion, except the Rio Grande Valley. Thursday fair, not so cold in northwest portion.

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Any error made in advertisements will be gladly corrected upon being brought to attention of the publishers and the liability of this paper is limited to the amount of the space consumed by the error in the advertisement.

DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

THERE IS NO DISCHARGE:—There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death; and there is no discharge in that war.—Ecclesiastes 8:8.

A REAL LEADER.

The United States senate has turned down the Lafollette-Costigan bill to appropriate \$750,000,000 for direct federal aid to the unemployed. In its action the senate sustained President Hoover's policy which is opposed to using federal funds to provide direct governmental doles for the jobless, an attitude that a previous senate, in voting \$25,000,000 to be turned over as a contribution to the Red Cross, against the advice of the president and the desire of the great relief agency, did not share. The action of the senate further demonstrates the harmony of opinion that exists between the legislative and administrative branches of the government as regards the program of economic rehabilitation that is being put under way at this time. The congress, with majorities in the two houses politically opposed, has exhibited a gratifying spirit of non-partisanship in its efforts to accord the president the fullest cooperation in his program. That attitude is particularly commendatory of the democratic organization which is in control of the house and in a position, consequently, to deal the republican administration no end of embarrassment. The sincerity of the house, under the leadership of plain, commonsense John Garner, mocks the attitude of the last congress of the Wilson administration when a republican majority in both houses set itself first and last to wreck the administration program without regard to its merits.

The attitude of the present democratic house organization is a tribute to the leadership of Speaker Garner, just as its spirit is a recommendation of the integrity and ability of the Texan. Where the democratic party as a whole is seething with disorganization and dissenting factions the house group is operating as a harmonious unit under the strong hand of the speaker. It is fortunate that the democratic party has a man like Speaker Garner to direct its legislative responsibilities at such a crucial time.

STILL WORSE THAN WAR.

About a year ago the fact that more persons were killed in automobile accidents during an 18-month period than were killed in the A. E. F. in the World War, was extensively commented upon. Now, according to a booklet issued by the Travelers Insurance company, automobile accidents are still worse than war. During 18 months of the World War, 50,510 American soldiers were killed in action or died of wounds, and 182,674 were wounded, not mortally. In the 18 months ending December 31, 1931, 53,650 people were killed in automobile accidents and 1,576,840 were injured.

The Travelers' booklet emphasizes some information that every motorist and pedestrian should know. During 1931 deaths increased 3.3 per cent over 1930, in spite of a reduction in the total number of accidents. Severe injuries likewise increased, despite a reduction in the total number of persons injured. This apparent contradiction is laid to the increasing speed with which we drive. Cutting in, violation of the right-of-way laws, driving on the wrong side of the road, skidding and driving off the roadway were likewise responsible for many deaths.

More than 42 per cent of deaths were caused when a car struck a pedestrian. Collisions with fixed objects accounted for 12.1 per cent and collisions with other cars, 24.9 per cent. In the case of injuries, 53.1 per cent occurred when cars struck each other and 29.8 per cent when they struck pedestrians.

These facts are of immense value to the thoughtful motorist. They show the primary causes of accidents and, consequently, suggest means of eliminating them. Drastic steps must be taken if we are to lower the horrible and steadily increasing toll of traffic deaths and injuries.

HATS OFF TO THE RAILROAD MEN.

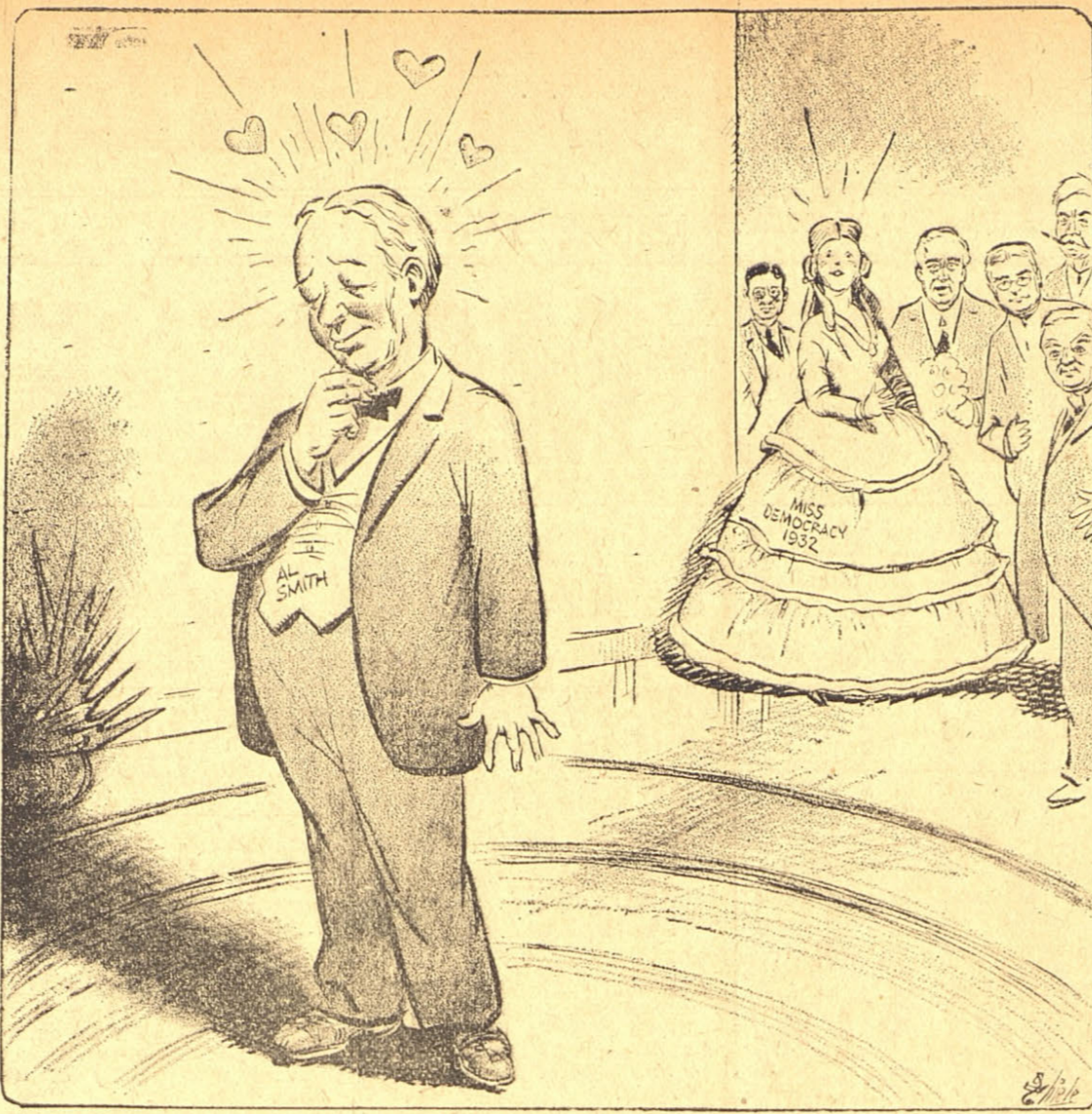
One of the biggest things that ever happened in the United States, from an industrial standpoint, is the decision of the unionized forces of our railroads to take a 10 per cent wage reduction, effective at once and to be in force one year.

For the first time in history, presidents of the railroads and the heads of the labor organizations sat down at a conference table and worked out a wage agreement based on the plain facts involved, without threats of strikes or arbitrary action on either side. Lawyers were used only to help word the articles of agreement.

David B. Robinson, an ex-fireman, who rose to the head of his own brotherhood and then to leadership of the entire railroad labor structure, made it clear that in signing away part of their pay at this time, the workers were not accepting the theory that such reductions, "are to be regarded ordinarily as the appropriate means to promote prosperity." He pointed out that the men recognized the present unparalleled situation affecting both the railroads and the public, and said: "In the hope that our action may improve the health of our industry, may improve the cooperative relations of management and employes, may stimulate revival of business and may advance the general welfare, we have decided to accept the personal."

Thus, railroad labor and railroad executives have established a new precedent in settling a problem of industry. This is an outstanding step toward stabilizing business conditions in the United States and its effect will be far-reaching.

Well, This Is Laep Year, You Know!



OTHER OPINIONS

OUR AMBASSADOR TO GREAT BRITAIN

Senator Huey Long let a great opportunity slip the other day. When Secretary Mellon was nominated as Ambassador to England the Kingfish Senator from the Pelican state announced he would attempt to defeat his confirmation by the Senate. But having business in Louisiana the Senator was not present when Uncle Andy's name came up for confirmation and not one vote was cast against him.

Mr. Mellon is a man of great financial knowledge. He knows more about our international war debts than probably any other American. He has been intimately connected with all the negotiations regarding these debts and the President evidently had that in mind when he appointed Mellon to this important post.

As Secretary of the Treasury Mr. Mellon during the ten years of flush times kept the country broke, but in doing so he was paying the national debt to the tune of ten billion dollars. It was a great disappointment to the small bore senators and congressmen that the treasury surplus was not available for the "pork barrel" representatives and in consequence he has been maligned and vilified but Uncle Andy went quietly on his way serving his country for \$15,000 per year and not even drawing that from the treasury. His action in retiring our bonds is relieving the country of having to pay \$400,000,000 in interest annually.

He is nearly 80 years old, is one of the richest men in the world and it is hard to see any other objection than that for patriotism that would cause him to take up the arduous duties of this, our most important diplomatic post. — Marshall News.

Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

That some cities are nice, quiet places where one can rest in peace. No business disturbs the city. The business men do not believe in advertising and bringing in the buying crowds from the surrounding country to disturb their siesta hours during the day.

Those cities are most enjoyable places in which to live. People who like and can afford rest and quiet can get it there. The quiet required by those nervous, care-worn souls is there. They have a few people who are not contented; they are business-go-getters who have found they are in the wrong place and are trying to get loose.

They want to go to a busy city. They think that a busy city would bring contentment to them. They generally find a way to move.

and he has ever been an idol of the democracy of the wooden nutmeg state as well as sister New England states.

He is going to direct a "Roosevelt campaign" in the future. He visited Washington. He gave a little dinner. He called to his dinner conference 11 outstanding southern and western senators. Thomas J. Walsh of Montana was near the head of the table. Walsh at 73 has a record as a public servant second to no man in America. Now the battle is on for the election of delegates in the New England commonwealths. Sen. Cordell Hull of Tennessee was among those present. Georgia senators were in evidence. North Carolina leaders declared themselves.

President Hoover will have no opposition for renomination. Hiram Johnson refuses to be the goat. Texas W. C. T. U. leaders are getting busy. State Pres. Mrs. Claude De Van Waits of Austin has let it be known that she will have Speaker John N. Garner to state definitely his views on the prohibition question. Mrs. Joseph E. Collins of Dallas has been told that three of the 18 congressmen of Texas, including the speaker, are wet. Why worry? Rep. Thomas Lynn Blanton of Texas is a life-long dry. He is a dry dry. Rep. Charles Schafer, republican of Wisconsin, an anti-prohibitionist, called Speaker Garner "a man so wet he voted against even substituting the 18th amendment to the states."

Blanton is a quick action representative of the people. This was his reply to the Wisconsin republican: "The people of the United States know our distinguished

In the Political Arena

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
Col. Homer S. Cummings of Connecticut in days gone by was one of the most aggressive national leaders of the democratic party. He served as national chairman 4 years. He is one of the leading lawyers of the east. He was close to Woodrow Wilson for eight years.

OUT OUR WAY



SWEET DISPOSITIONS.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Removes Dandruff, Stops Hair-Falling, Imparts Color and Beauty to Gray and Faded Hair.
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speaker so well they are for him wet or dry." Blanton added the gentleman from Texas is willing to support men of outstanding ability even though they are wet. Blanton hails from a dry district. He knows his constituents. He is not going to make prohibition the test of a man's democracy in this campaign. Rep. Lindsley C. Warren of North Carolina is another dry who hails from a dry state. He evidently agrees with Blanton. This is what he said: "I think Gov. Roosevelt will be nominated and the effort to block him is unwise. Should Gov. Roosevelt be stopped I believe the party will turn to a man who is in no wise a candidate but who is today the greatest living democrat — Speaker John N. Garner."

Just now Texas farmers financially pinched are waiting for the land bank agents to advance loans in time for spring planting. A vast number of Texans are watching and waiting for the onward movement of the Dawes commission under the skies of Texas and everywhere else. Col. Arthur Brisbane is a very wise man. He is said to be the highest paid newspaper writer in the world. His chief claim, William Randolph Hearst, launched the Garner boom. In his review of political conditions the country over, Col. Brisbane made this very significant statement: "There are important agencies determined whatever happens Roosevelt shall not be nominated, come of them among the high financial gentlemen." If so, it would be a real news story if Col. Brisbane would furnish a list of the important agencies and their directing heads.

HIDE BROUGHT 5 CENTS.
ST. MARY'S Kans., Feb. 17.—A Kansas farmer, Ralph Hilton has a real souvenir of the depression. Hilton recently killed a calf and sent its hide to a Topeka tannery. The hide brought 60 cents. The freight was 55 cents. Hilton received a check for 5 cents. He framed it.

Donna — New canning plant opened here.

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cisco Daily News and Cisco American and Roundup are authorized to make the following announcements subject to the democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

For District Judge, 88th Judicial District of Eastland County: J. D. BARKER

For District Clerk P. L. CROSSLEY.

For County Clerk WALTER GRAY W. C. BEDFORD

Commissioner Precinct No. 4. L. H. QUALLS.

AVIATION WILL PLAY LARGE ROLE AT FAIR

DALLAS, Feb. 17. — Aviation will play an important part in the next state fair of Texas and a show intended to surpass anything yet attempted in the southwest is being planned by Col. William E. Easterwood, Jr., chairman of the aviation committee of the exposition. Models built by children will be exhibited and prizes for them distributed. Colonel Easterwood said. He hopes to increase attendance of children at the fair by 150,000 in this way.

Contests in this department will begin March 1, with regional winners entering the state competition for prizes with flying models. Half of the automobile exhibit building will be devoted to the aviation show, which will have an international flavor. President Rubic of Mexico, General Bilbo, air minister of Italy and M. Armaic, air minister of France have been asked to send army planes for the exhibit. The United States government has already agreed to send army planes for the exhibit with pilots to explain their workings. Col. Easterwood will depart for Havana the latter part of February to request

the Cuban government to their planes represented. One of the big features of event will be an entrance court at Love Field.

NEW FISH FOR RENO.
RENO, Nev., Feb. 17. — Summer sport should be good around here. Washoe Lake, near by, was almost depleted of fish life by the drought last year. It is being stocked with 10,000 catfish and prospects for a lot of water, due to heavy snows, are good.

San Diego — F. G. Garcia Service station being repaired.

ARE YOU THIN, PALE AND PIMPLY?

Wichita Falls, Texas—My son was in poor health when he was about twenty years of age. His blood became thin and he was pale. He was also troubled with his stomach and his face broke out with pimples," said Mrs. Beulah Singleton of 1101 18th St. "Finally, I decided to have him try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By the time he had taken a few bottles he was completely relieved of all these troubles, his blood became healthy, and he had no more stomach trouble." Ask your druggist for **Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery**

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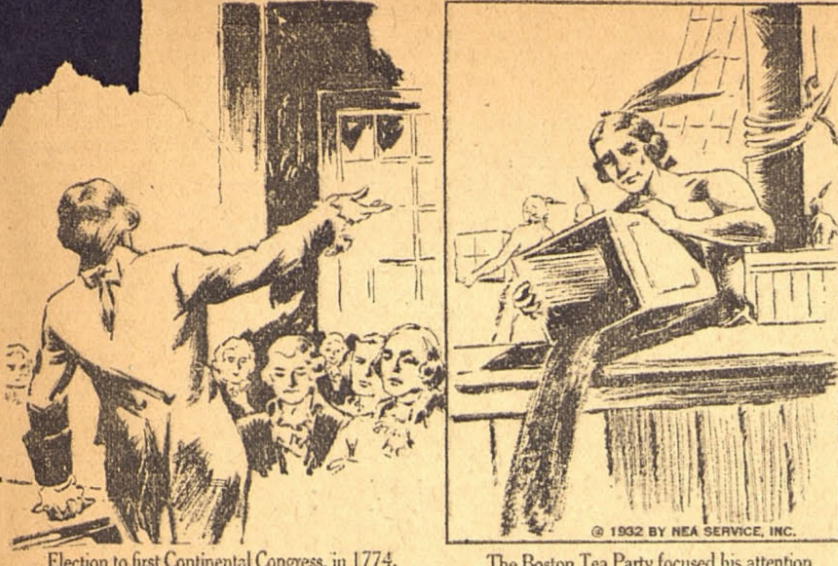
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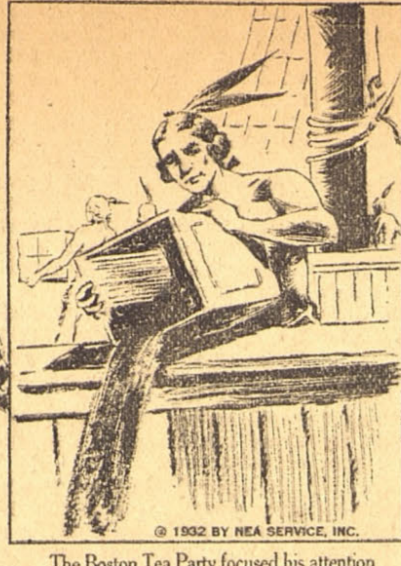
WASHINGTON

HIS LIFE STORY IN PICTURES, COMMEMORATING THE 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF HIS BIRTH

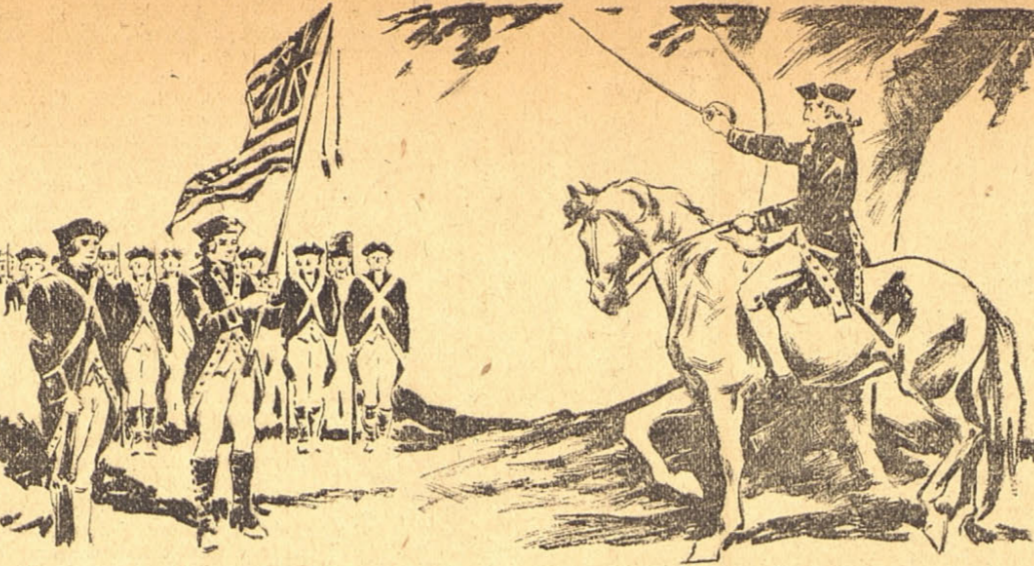
6 Army Chief



Election to first Continental Congress, in 1774, marked beginning of Washington's national career.



The Boston Tea Party focused his attention upon the threatening state of Anglo-American relations.



One of the most impressive scenes of the revolutionary period took place when Washington, wheeling his horse under an elm on Cambridge common, drew his sword and took command of the troops investing Boston, July 3, 1775.

The dime-a-dance girl

BEGIN HERE TODAY
Beautiful Ellen Rossiter, a salesgirl in Barclay's Department Store, lives with her extravagant mother, Molly Rossiter, her older sister Myra and her young brother, Mike. The two girls support the family. Molly foolishly spends money saved to pay the rent. Ellen decides to work at night at Dreamland.

At the dance hall she meets handsome Larry Harrowgate, an artist, and accepts his invitation to tea next day. Barclay sends her roses. Distressed that the gift is not from Larry, Ellen quarrels with her mother and sister, who openly favor the wealthy Barclay. Myra shows her a newspaper announcement of Larry's engagement to Elizabeth Bowers, a substitute. However when he comes to Dreamland again demanding an explanation, she cannot resist his charm. She makes another date with him for Sunday.

Her mother and sister favor Barclay's suit. Myra has been engaged for nine years to Bert Armstrong but they lack money to marry. The two sisters are talking together Sunday morning when Molly raps on the door to say someone wants to speak to Ellen on a neighbor's phone. Ellen is disturbed. She thinks Barclay is calling her.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER XI
Troubles of the heart were by no means uncommon at Dreamland. Ellen had no idea that her misery was evident in her face or bearing, but the moment she entered the crowded, chattering dressing room, little Tony spied it out. She came over to where Ellen was dressing.

"What's eating you?" she demanded in a tone that blended curiosity and sympathy.
"Nothing," Ellen replied spiritlessly, as she kicked off her street shoes.

"Meaning everything," the other hazarded shrewdly.
"Please don't, Tony."
After a long, searching look Tony disappeared into the bathroom. Ellen stepped into the chiffon dress, adjusted the cunning little jacket and walked out of the dressing room.

She sat down at her table. One by one the other girls straggled to their positions. The curtains turned up, struck into the first dance of the evening. Business had began at Dreamland. It was a dull evening. Ellen looked around in a kind of sickness. She felt listless and depressed, tired of herself, tired of life.

After a while she began tracing idle patterns on the table cloth. The patterns traced by her restless fingers became more definite. "Larry" she scratched on the cloth and then "Larry Harrowgate." After that she scribbled slowly, "Mrs. Lawrence Harrowgate."
"Well, you're a fine one," said a familiar voice.

Ellen's heart gave a great leap. She looked up into Larry's half angry, half laughing eyes.
"I waited for you all afternoon—that is, I really waited more than half an hour," he was saying reproachfully. "Why didn't you come?"
He dropped to the chair opposite. Ellen's breath came in quick, uneven spurts. Her heart hammered oddly. With trembling fingers she rubbed the cloth while he watched, a puzzled frown between his gray eyes.
"Why didn't you come?" he repeated.
"I went to a movie," she answered truthfully. "I didn't notice the time until it was too late."
"Well!" he commented, discomfited. A dark flush rose under his tan. "You sorta made me think you loved me," he observed.
"I did," she said faintly.
"You don't like me now?"
"Why shouldn't I?"
"I didn't ask if you should or shouldn't. I asked if you did. Have I done something that has made you change?"
His gray earnest eyes were fixed upon her. She saw that he was genuinely concerned. It was disturbing that he should be like this. She would have understood, better, have been better able to rebuff him.

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stand?" Ellen said suddenly. "I wanted to refuse. You haven't any idea how hard I tried. But all at once I just naturally heard myself accepting."
"Yes, I know that is," Myra admitted in a troubled tone.
"He's coming here," Ellen went on. "He said he wouldn't trust me to meet him again."
"Then you've shown him any way that you don't care," said Myra, beginning to brighten.
"That's what I care for, honey. I don't want you to be hurt."
"Ellen," she began, flushing faintly. "I've been thinking a lot about you. And the more I've thought the more I know how wrong I was. I don't think Larry Harrowgate is good enough or honorable enough for you no matter what you say. But the reason I was so upset about him in the beginning was because I had so hoped that you and Steven Barclay—"

"Oh stop, Myra."
"But Myra went stubbornly on. 'I was trying to rob you, honey, of the sweetest thing that can happen to any woman. Just because Bert and I—well, because I often think he's changed and isn't quite the same—'"
"He's every bit the same," declared Ellen loyally.
"But Myra scarcely heard her. 'Whether he's the same now doesn't matter. Nine years is a long time. But we had the grandest thing in the world together. We loved each other so much that nothing else mattered.'"

Her cheeks were flushed and her eyes were shining. She looked for a moment an eager 16 instead of a tired 26.
"If I had to start all over again," she continued with unusual passion "I'd have to love Bert in just the same way. I wouldn't change a thing. I wouldn't want to, I'll have that for always. Ellen is the way you feel about your Larry—that nothing else matters?"
"Yes," Ellen whispered.
"I'm sorry, Ellen, and I'm glad too," said Myra, half crying. "I'd hoped you didn't feel that way because I'm afraid that you're going to be hurt. But if you love him like that it doesn't matter if he hasn't a dime. It doesn't matter if he's engaged to a dozen other girls—anything you'll suffer afterwards will not be too much to pay for that first part of it. I hope and pray that you'll be luckier than I."

"I thought," Ellen said easily, "that I might invite him here to supper. One of my omelets and maybe some of the jelly we put up last vacation."
"I'm afraid mother won't like that," said Myra doubtfully.
"At that very moment, Molly rapped imperiously on the bedroom door.
"Ellen, Ellen, are you awake?" she called. "Slip on a kimono and run downstairs. There's someone calling for you on Mrs. Barclay's phone."
"Oh help," said Ellen faintly, looking over at Myra. "It must be Mr. Barclay."
(To Be Continued)

King Firm on Marriage Ban

PARIS, Feb. 17.—King Alfonso, exiled monarch of Spain and several women almost have come to blows in the family quarrel over the King's continued refusal to authorize the marriages of his daughters, Princess Beatrice and Christina, to their cousins, Princes Alvaro and Alphonso de Bourbon-Orleans.
Several months ago it was believed that the influence of the King's elderly aunt, Infante Eulalie was sufficient to gain his consent to at least one of the marriages. Plans were made quietly for the Spring marriage of Infanta Beatrice with Prince Alvaro.
Now the King has made it known that his attitude is unchangeable and that for reasons which he refuses to state he does not want the marriage to occur. His friends insist the King's opposition is based on medical reports which specialists have given him after treating the two Princesses for hemophilia—the dread disease of Bourbon males.
Under the direction of British specialists, the Princesses have been receiving inoculations.
It is now whispered among Spanish exiles that Beatrice, who will be 23 June 22 will defy her father and marry in spite of his ban.
In doing that she will risk being cut off without the 1,000,000 pesetas dowry that was planned for each of the Princesses, but since hers is a love match and not a royal marriage she is said to be considering the step.

HARD WINTER FOR QUAIL

RENO, Nev., Feb. 17.—It was a tough winter on quail in Nevada. Snows covered feed for long periods, but sports loving ranchers cooperated with game authorities and rode horseback through the valleys plucking feed. It is estimated the lives of 1,500 quail were saved.

EAST OF RENO

RENO, Nev., Feb. 17.—Many divorce seekers here decide to "jaunt a few miles west" and see Los Angeles before returning home. They are always surprised to learn that Los Angeles is east of Reno. Most of them are never convinced until a map is consulted.

BENZINE GIVES GAS

RIO, Wis., Feb. 17.—Gasoline from benzine is what motorists here get when they stop to fill their tanks at pumps manned by A. M. Benzine.
Mt. Pleasant—Mrs. L. B. Albright of Dardanelles, Ark., opened dining room of Main hotel to public.

GARDENING COURSE

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—A course in home gardening has been started by the West Park board in the Garfield Park Conservatory. Experts in floriculture and landscape work will deliver a series of 18 free lectures.

WASHINGTON

Washington's selection as commander-in-chief of the revolutionary army, following closely on the heels of the first fighting, was the result of a political bargain by which New England offered the chief command as her price for the adoption and support of the New England Army.
Tomorrow: How Washington disciplined his men—crossing the Delaware.

TRAIN SCHEDULE

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New train time tables effective 12:01 a. m., June 7.
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East Bound.
No. 6 4:13 a. m.
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No. 4 4:25 p. m.
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Leaves Cisco 5:00 a. m.
Arrive Breckenridge 6:30 a. m.
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SUNDAY
Leave Cisco 5:00 a. m.
Arrive Cisco 10:55 a. m.
M. K. & T. North Bound.
No. 35 Ar. 12:20 p. m.; Lv. 1:05 p. m.
South Bound.
No. 36 8:40 a. m.

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BORSON, ALIAS MELLINGER, INSISTS ON GOING FROM HIS SICK BED TO SEE A MRS. REDFIELD... DR. KEMP, AGAINST HIS BETTER JUDGEMENT, HAS GIVEN HIS PERMISSION...
PERHAPS, IF HE SEES THIS WOMAN WHOSE ADDRESS WAS ON THAT SLIP OF PAPER, HE'LL FEEL BETTER... DRASTIC TREATMENT OFTEN HAS UNLOOKED FOR RESULTS!!
I SHOULDN'T THINK THE RIDE IN YOUR CAR WOULD HURT HIM... BUT WHAT PUZZLES US IS WHY HE SAYS HIS NAME IS BORSON, WHEN I KNOW IT'S MELLINGER!!

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SHUNS WATER.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—A frog that never goes near the water is one of the curiosities noted by Arthur Loveridge of Harvard's Museum of Comparative Zoology during a trip through East Africa. He found this type of frog in an exceedingly dry and sandy region.
Austin—John Seekamp leased Alamo hotel.

Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome President, H. S. DRUMWRIGHT; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.
Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15. E. O. ELLIOTT president; O. J. TUNNELL, secretary.

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AUTOMOBILE LOANS

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Methodists Reach Goal on Finances

The First Methodist church reached its goal Monday night when at the meeting of the first quarterly conference, the salary of the pastor and presiding elder was paid in full for the first quarter of the conference year, making a remarkable record for the church during the existing financial conditions.
During the fifteen months of the pastorate of Rev. H. D. Tucker here this record has been maintained by paying in full every month on these items.
The conference report also showed a net increase in membership for the quarter which brings the present membership of First church to 513. A total of \$18,000.00 in cash has been raised for all purposes during this first three months of the conference year.

Discordant G-Flat Blamed for Ills

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—The public is soon to learn that many of the human and domestic ills are traceable to a discordant G-flat.
Nervousness, dyspepsia, social ostracism, the divorce rate and a host of other troubles are sometimes aggravated by a disorganized keyboard. Texas piano tuners claimed at a meeting here piano tuners twice a year. "See your slogan thumped out at a banquet. The new slogan is not designed to increase work, according to B. P. Embury, for 20 years a tuner, but to get piano owners to protect their instruments and avoid the many ills due to negligence.
"Because the psychological effect of a piano out of tune is usually subtle," Embury declared, "it is not often listed in divorce proceedings. But even the most unmusical person is adversely affected by a discordant G-flat trying to get in step with all its black and white partners. And as for shattered romances—well, the piano tuner know how often she never knew how near she came to happiness."

Electrical Device Stops Snoring

LONDON, Feb. 17.—An anti-snoring device that sticks a pin into a sleeper, or gives an electric shock every time the sleeper snores has been registered with the British Patent Office.
It is predicted that the device will be in great demand where snoring is recognized as grounds for divorce.
The apparatus consists of a microphone responsive to the grating low-frequency sound produced by a snorer. It is linked to an electric circuit, which, when closed, causes a pin to jab rapidly back and forth. When the volume of snoring reaches a stage that is popularly known as "ripping hard wood," or "striking a knot," the microphone automatically closes the circuit and the pin gives a harder jab.

MOM'N POP.

THAT ISN'T IT, SUGAR I'D LIKE TO GO SHOPPING WITH YOU, BUT YOU CAN PICK OUT A HAT WITHOUT ME GOING ALONG
NIX, I'M NOT GOING TO BUY A HAT THAT I LIKE AND THEN HAVE YOU SAY YOU DON'T LIKE IT—
AW, HECK !!
—AND BESIDES I'LL HAVE SOME BUNDLES...SO I'LL BE UP TO THE OFFICE FOR YOU AT TWO O'CLOCK

SAY, BOSS, CAN I GET OFF THIS AFTERNOON? MY WIFE WANTS ME TO GO SHOPPING WITH HER
NOT A CHANCE !!
THANKS, A LOT !!

WE MIGHT FIND THAT OUT AFTER WE TAKE HIM TO SEE THIS LADY ON RIDGELY STREET...YOU BOYS CAN GO WITH US, THAT IS, IF YOU CARE TO !!
HUH! JUST TRY AND KEEP US FROM GOING...HUH NOODLE ?
YEAH...THERE'S LOTS WE WANTA FIND OUT !!

I FEEL KINDA SHAKY IN THE KNEES, BUT I WON'T LET DOC KNOW IT... AFTER I SEE MRS. REDFIELD, I WON'T CARE HOW MY KNEES WOBBLE!
WHILE, IN THE MEANTIME, POODLE, THE HONORARY MEMBER OF THE OODLES, TRIES TO PICK UP THE TRAIL OF FRECKLES.....
SNIFF SNIFF

About Cisco Today

Society Editor, Miss Marjorie Noell—Phone 80.

CALENDAR

Thursday
The First Industrial Arts club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. B. Pratt, 1101 West Sixth street.
Mrs. Ben McClinton will entertain the Thursday forty-two club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lewis have returned from a short stay in Desdemona.
Mrs. D. E. Jones of Rising Star spent yesterday here.
Miss Nona Mayhew was a visitor in Abilene yesterday.
Miss Vivian O'Holloran is leaving today for Kilgore.
Mrs. John Mathews of Eastland was in the city yesterday.
Rev. and Mrs. Neal Greer of Rising Star attended the Baptist conference meeting here yesterday.
Mrs. S. C. Walker of Eastland was a Cisco visitor yesterday.
H. A. Savage of Dallas transacted business here yesterday.
Tom Sullivan and Miss Willine Sullivan of Breckenridge visited relatives here Monday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young returned yesterday from a visit in Galveston.
Mrs. C. B. Snyder and daughter of Moran were in the city yesterday.
Mrs. Ben Landreth of Rising Star and Mrs. Z. Brown spent Sunday in Sweetwater.
Mrs. H. C. Henderson and son, Leon, were visitors in Abilene yesterday.
J. E. Spencer has returned from a trip to Dallas.
Mrs. F. A. Slaughter left last

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night for Amarillo, where she was called on account of the serious illness of her father.
Miss Ruth Yarbrough of Breckenridge was a visitor in Cisco Monday evening.
Mrs. Argen Smith of Moran was in the city yesterday.
Dr. N. A. Brown and J. Palmer are spending this afternoon in Ranger.
Mrs. J. Roark of Eastland spent yesterday here.
J. C. Mayhew, Earl Mayhew, and Miss Elma Mayhew were visitors in Abilene yesterday.
W. W. Colbert of Dallas spent last night with his nephew, Aston Walters.
Carl Stockard of Sulphur Springs is visiting relatives and friends here.
New patients at the Brown sanatorium are L. E. Shannon of Amarillo, C. G. Langston of Hico, and Mrs. O. H. Dick of Olden.

COUNTY FEDERATION TO MEET SATURDAY.
The Eastland County Federation of Women's clubs will meet Saturday afternoon at Rising Star.
CIRCLE TO HAVE SILVER TEA.
Circle 1 of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will have a silver tea Saturday March 12, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Fea, from 3 to 6 p. m., it was announced today.
CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. CLIEFF
Nine members responded to roll call Tuesday afternoon when Circle 3 of the Ladies Aid of the First Christian church met in the home of Mrs. Oscar Clieff on West Sixth street. The meeting was opened with the singing of "America," after which the Lord's prayer was repeated in unison. Mrs. W. J. Armstrong read the scripture lesson and gave an interesting discussion on "Woman in the Home." At the close of the business session, light refreshments were served.
Present were Mesdames W. J. Armstrong, G. W. Collum, W. L. Harrell, James Mobley, J. T. Scott, H. J. Woodriddle, J. B. Cate, Miss Jo Gray, and the hostess.

CIRCLE 2 MEETS WITH MRS. MOORE.
At a meeting of Circle 2 of the Ladies Aid of the First Christian church Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. P. Moore on D avenue, plans were made for entertaining the General Aid, and arrangements for a circle party to be given at the home of Mrs. Howard D'Spain on next Friday evening were discussed. Members voted to make it their aim to make a "mile of pennies." Mrs. J. E. Elkins led the devotional, and lessons were brought up as assigned on the Bible study, "The Life of Christ."
At the close of the discussion of the assigned topic, refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Mesdames Fannie Pulley, James Flournoy, Ida Painter, E. M. Jordan, M. E. Holcomb, G. W. Troxell, J. M. Hook, J. E. Elkins, Howard D'Spain, H. H. Davis, and Miss Rita Troxell.

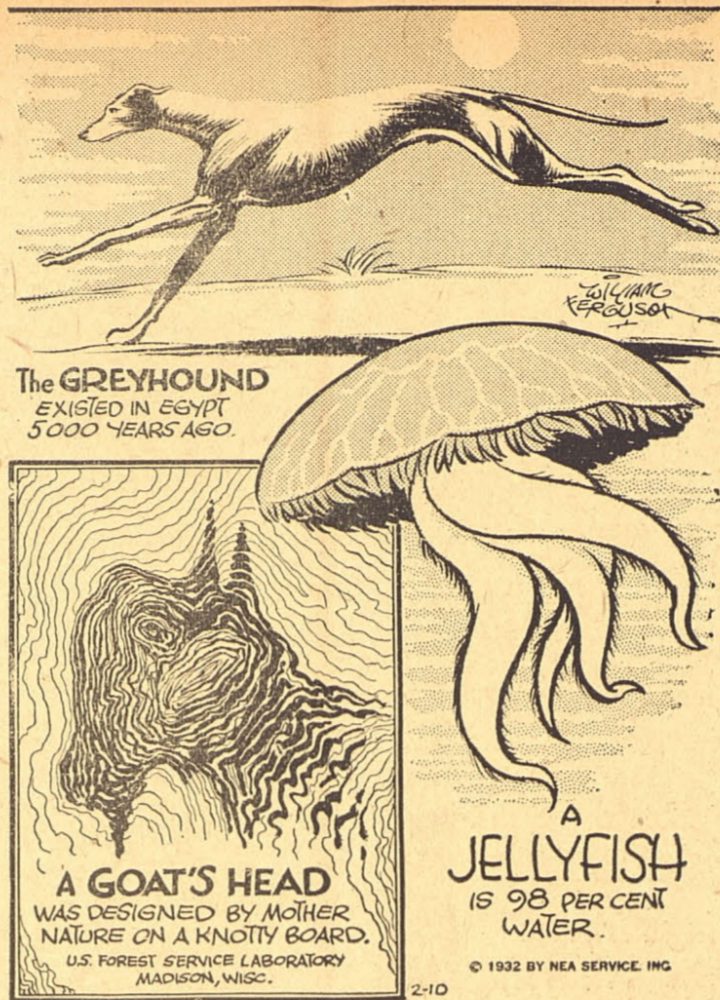
IDEAL 42 CLUB MEETS.
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nichols entertained the Ideal Forty-two club Monday evening at their home, 404 West Fourth street. Colors of red, white, and blue were combined in an attractive theme for decorations. High score for men went to H. C. Henderson and low went to C. M. Nichols. High score for women was won by Miss Fay Henderson, and Mrs. C. M. Nichols won low score. Candies were served throughout the games.
Players were Messrs. and Meses, E. C. McClelland, H. C. Henderson, L. R. Adams, E. W. Anderson, Miss Fay Henderson, and Billy Cooper.

MRS. LOFTIN, MRS. WITTEN CONDUCT STORY HOUR.
Mrs. J. B. Loftin and Mrs. J. M. Witten conducted the Mothers' club story hour with the following present: Betty Jane Coates, Katherine Loftin, Wilbur Gormley, Buddy Moore, Betty Lou Miller, Joe Parish, Salena Moore, Brenda Louise Warwick, Jane Marie Gilman, Berna Marjorie Goldberg, Pansy Erwin, Jack Erwin, Doris Jamison, Mary Frances Keough, and Violet Elliott.

Penny Banks Aid Unemployed
DALLAS, Feb. 17. — Approximately 87,500 pennies have been collected for the unemployment fund whereby 250 men will be given work with wages ranging from \$2 to \$3 per day the Dallas Kiwanis club announced.
The collection of pennies, taken from nearly 700 penny banks distributed throughout Dallas by the Kiwanis clubs, showed an average of 125 pennies each.
Oscar K. Koch, director of public works, whose responsibility it is to assist the unemployed men to crews for public improvement projects, reported to the sponsors of the plan that 1,000 applications for work had been filed.
The first 250 men to be furnished employment from the collection of pennies will be given from two to three days work.
Collection of pennies in the fruit-jar banks throughout the city will continue.

BRING HAPPINESS.
HARTFORD Conn., Feb. 17. — Bickering between husband and wife helps secure the marital bond through the opportunity it gives for reconciliation, according to Dr. Bernard Gluek, Columbia University psychiatrist.

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GARNER PUT FORMALLY INTO NAT'L RACE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Friends of Speaker John Garner, of Texas, have put him formally into the democratic presidential race.
His first comment was "I don't give a damn."
The amiable democrat was put forward in a statement by the two Texas senators, Sheppard and Connally. They said the Texas delegation would present his name to the democratic national convention.
"I don't know a damn thing about it," the speaker said pleasantly when the United Press asked him about it.

New Ship to Be Named Macon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Chairman Vinson of the house naval affairs committee announced today that he had been informed by Sec'y of Navy Adams that the new navy dirigible would be named the Macon. The ship is a sister ship to the Akron.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

- By United Press
- American Can 99 1-8.
 - Am. P. & L. 14 1-2.
 - Am. Smelt 15 3-8.
 - Am. T. & T. 128 1-4.
 - Anaconda 10.
 - Auburn Auto 117 1-8.
 - Aviation Corp. Del. 2 5-8.
 - Beth Steel 21 1-2.
 - Byers A. M. 15 3-4.
 - Canada Dry 12.
 - Casa J. 15 3-4.
 - Chrysler 12 3-4.
 - Curtiss Wright 2.
 - Elect. Au. L. 29 1-8.
 - Elec. St. Bat. 31 1-2.
 - Foster Wheel 9 5-8.
 - Fox Films 3 3-4.
 - Gen. Elec. 21 3-4.
 - Gen. Mot. 23.
 - Gillette S. R. 17 1-4.
 - Goodyear 15 1-2.
 - Houston Oil 19.
 - Int. Cement 17.
 - Int. Harvester 23 1-2.
 - Johns Manville 22 1-2.
 - Kroger C. & B. 15 1-8.
 - Liq. Carb. 18 1-4.
 - Montg. Ward 9 3-8.
 - Nat. Dairy 26 1-4.
 - Para Pulp 9.
 - Phillips P. 4 3-4.
 - Prairie O. & G. 5 5-8.
 - Pure Oil 4 7-8.
 - Purity Bak. 13 5-8.
 - Radio 10 1-4.
 - Sears Roebuck 33 1-8.
 - Shell Union Oil 3 5-8.
 - Southern Pacific 34.
 - Stan. Oil N. J. 28.
 - Socony-Vacuum 9 7-8.
 - Studebaker 11 1-4.
 - Texas Corp. 11 7-8.
 - Texas Gulf Sul. 24 1-2.
 - Tex. Pac. C. & O. 2.
 - Und. Elliott 20.
 - U. S. Gypsum 24.
 - U. S. Ind. Alc. 24 1-2.
 - U. S. Steel 47.
 - Vanadium 15.
 - Westing Elec. 30 5-8.
 - Worthington 20 1-8.
- Curb Stocks.**
Cities Service 6 3-8.
Ford M. Ltd. 5 1-4.
Gulf Oil Pa. 30 1-8.
Humble Oil 46.
Niag. Hud. Pwr. 6 1-2.
Stan. Oil Ind. 15 5-8.

BRITISH NET PROFITS SHOW BIG INCREASE

By HARRY FLORY
United Press-Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Feb. 17. — Approximately 500 representative British industries reported net profits during the fourth quarter of 1931 less than half as great as those of 1930. The same companies distributed dividends during the same period approximately 20 per cent in excess of their earnings.
The earnings relate to working periods ending variously between March and October. Figures showing the effect of the abandonment of the gold standard on British industrial earnings will not be available for another three to six months.
The statistics were compiled by the Economist. They show that during the fourth 1931 quarter, the companies declared dividends on ordinary capital at the average rate of 3.9 per cent, compared with 8.4 per cent for 1930.
Net Profit Slump
Four hundred and seventy-four companies reported that their net profits were 12,292,859 Pounds, compared with 26,460,390 Pounds for 1930. The profit reduction was the largest ever recorded.
Only one group of the 474 companies reported profits greater than 1930. That was a single telegraph and telephone company which showed a net loss the previous year. Every other group reported decreased profits.
Of the remaining 473 companies reporting the brewery group showed smaller profit reductions than any other group, only 7.64 per cent. Tramway and omnibus companies, 17.09 per cent, and hotel and restaurant companies 17.40 per cent.

Builds Bullfight Without Horses

PANAMA, Feb. 17. — Sidney Franklin, the Brooklyn bullfighter, will appear in the Panama bull ring at an early date, according to announcement here.
But when the American matador shows his wares there will be no horses used, his advance representatives have declared.
This is due, they say, to the fact that many American Canal Zone women desire to see the fights, but cannot stand the sight of seeing the picadores' horses gored.
Panama bulls will be used. Franklin recently has been fighting at Bogota, Colombia.

Rabbit's Foot To Aid Flier

CHICAGO, Feb. 17.—A lucky rabbit's foot may make its second trip across the Atlantic in an airplane this summer with a woman as its companion. Carried first by Amelia Earhart, the first woman to fly the Atlantic, this time it will go with Miss Muriel Connelly, who hopes to duplicate the feat.
Miss Earhart received the charm from the Ute Indians and presented it to Miss Connelly when the latter

expressed a wish to fly the ocean in 1932.
"We became friends during the air races in 1930," Miss Connelly explained. "I told her my dream of making a solo flight of the Atlantic in 1932. She gave me the rabbit-foot charm and said, 'Carry this. I hope it will bring you some of the luck it brought me.'"
Miss Connelly is the daughter of Mrs. Minnie B. Jackson, Denver clubwoman. She was the first Denver girl to learn to fly. She barnstormed the country in county fairs and always flew with a Russian wolfhound. In Chicago she met Charles "Speed" Holman, who taught her to stunt.
When Holman left for Omaha, where he was killed, he said to her: "Good bye. Now that I've taught you to stunt—forget it and fly straight. If you don't, you'll sure be killed."
At present, however, Miss Connelly is without a plane. The Atlantic foot wasn't meant to ward off the depression, seemingly, and a bank closed, forcing her to sell her plane. She took a lease on a lodging house as a means to her end—to fly the Atlantic.

Borglum Plans To Push Work

DEADWOOD, S. D., Feb. 17. — Chips will fly on Mt. Rushmore soon when Gutzon Borglum, the mountain carver, adds an extra staff to complete the Washington head on the memorial in time for the Black

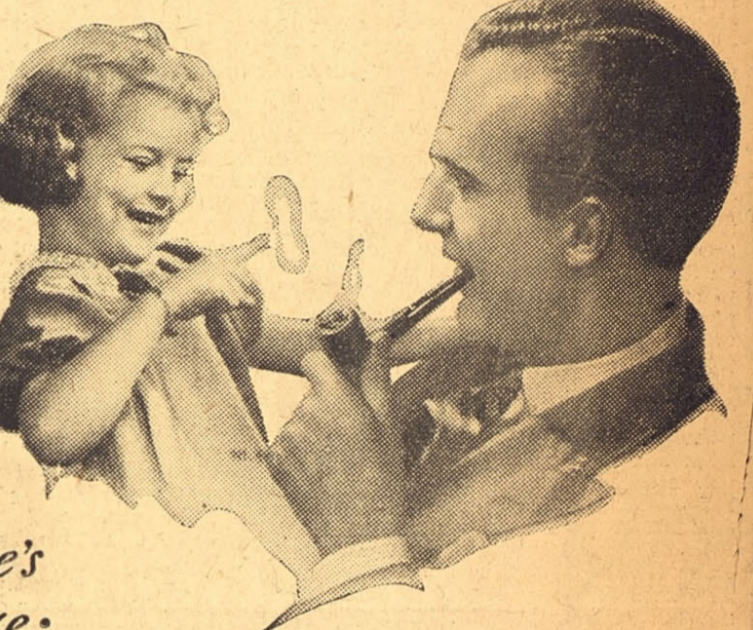
Hills Washington anniversary celebration this summer.
Borglum announced that work will be concentrated on roughing away the stone above and back of Washington's head to separate it from the stone reserved for Lincoln. Borglum plans to give his entire attention this year to completing the Washington figure.
Arrangements for Dakota's celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Washington are being made. Nearly a year ago, August was tentatively fixed as the month most suitable.
Borglum, who has entered into the spirit of the Hills region, has proposed that as South Dakota is the center of the great Louisiana territory, purchased by the colonial Republic that an all-Louisiana territory celebration be developed and centered here.
Co-operation of all Black Hills' cities would be asked for the celebration. Each city would be allotted a certain number of days to develop its special historic interests and forms of entertainment.

Flying Officer Commands Mules

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 17. — Major William C. Oaker, oldest flying officer in point of service at Kelly Field, commands eight mules and twenty horses but not a single airplane.
Major Oaker was recently assigned to command the headquarter

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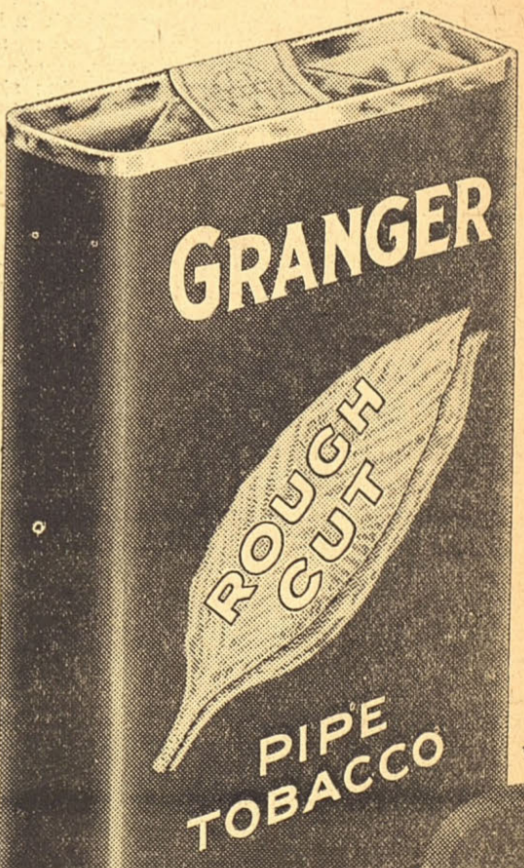
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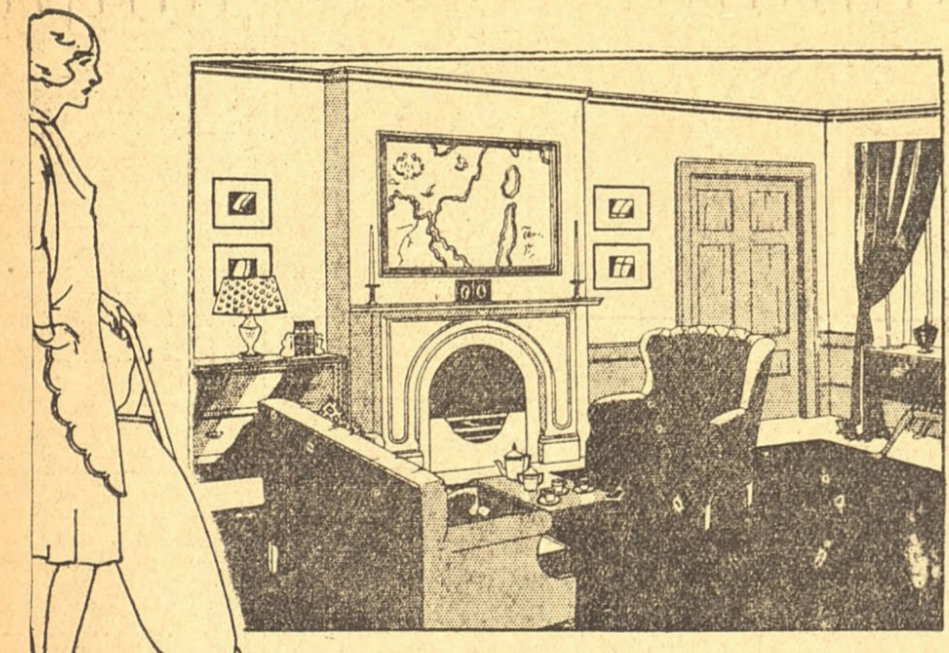
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