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CHI BANK CAR RAIDERS KILL OFFICER

Loboes to Be Center of Oil Belt Grid Interest Sat.

OPENER WITH GORMAN TO BE UNDER LIGHTS

The 1933 Lobo football season will open in Cisco tomorrow night under floodlights. A change in arrangements to place the game at 8 o'clock in the evening instead of at 3 in the afternoon as previously agreed upon, was announced this morning by school officials. The game will be with the Gorman high school Panthers, second class B aggregation which has collaborated so regularly with the Loboes in raising the curtain on the seasons here that the meeting of the two elevens is almost a tradition. Prices for the game will be 25 cents general admission and 15 cents for school children, Principal H. Brandon, of the high school, said. The contest is significant for several reasons. It will be the first game that the Loboes will have played as a member team of the interscholastic league since the team's suspension in the spring of 1932.

It will be the town's first chance to view its hopes in the 1933 oil belt football race.

It will, finally, be the fan's first glimpse of the wares of factum Dexter Shelley, star of past University of Texas football elevens, professional player for two years and successor to the Cisco shoes of his compatriot in Steer football campaigns of the past, Rhodes Scholarship winner Wilson (Bull) Elkins. The game will be the object of numerous hostile eyes, no doubt. No other city in the oil belt league possessing facilities for night play (Abilene and Brownwood excluded), each will have made its opening bow and will be on hand to see what the Loboes can do. Breckenridge, Ranger, Eastland, Abilene and Brownwood will be well represented in the stands, no doubt.

A Cynosure. Eleven Cisco Loboes, playing the Shelly system, will be the object of greater interest than any Cisco team has been since the day that Smiling Coach W. B. Chapman, back in 1930, showed too much for the comfort of five other assorted coaches one opening night.

Gorman, with excellent prospects of its own for a good season in the intermediate register of the state league (there are three divisions now) will play no ringers, Coach Williams, of the Panthers, is reported as saying. The game will probably be cleaner and harder fought than any previous Cisco-Gorman contest. The Panthers, training since the middle of August, should be in fine trim, as pre-season contests. The Loboes, on the other hand, are only now beginning to themselves, it appears. Line-ups for the contest have not been announced. They probably will not be until shortly before the contest opens.

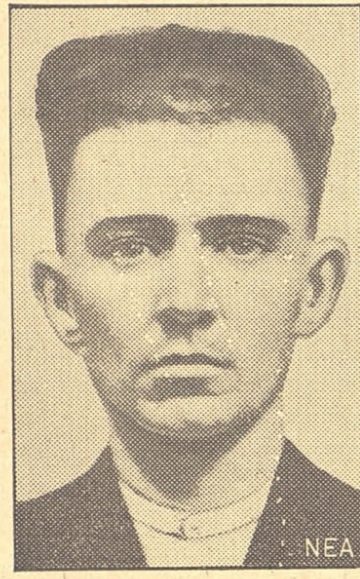
Bankhead Predicts Loan Upon Cotton

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—A loan of ten cents a pound on this year's cotton crop to farmers was predicted today by Sen. Bankhead, of Alabama, after a conference at the white house with President Roosevelt and administration agricultural experts.

THREE GUESSES



Nabbed in Ford Kidnaping Plot



Accused of being a member of the gang that plotted the abduction of Edsel Ford or one of his sons, Joseph (Red) O'Riordan, above, Detroit and St. Louis gangster, was arrested in Los Angeles, after being sought for three years on a warrant charging him with kidnaping a Detroit merchant. O'Riordan admitted his identity but denied his guilt.

TEACHERS FOR BAPTIST S. S. ARE SELECTED

Officers and teachers elected for the first Baptist church Sunday school for the ensuing year are: General superintendent, C. S. Karkalis; Adult Dep., Asa Skiles, Supt.; Tom B. Stark, Ass't Supt.; Miss Ora Howell, pianist; E. L. Wisdom, chorister; Mrs. P. P. Shepard, secretary; W. F. Walker, Miss Cora Harris, Mrs. Kate Richardson, Mrs. J. R. Burnett, F. E. Shepard, teachers; Mrs. C. P. Cole and H. Brandon, substitute teachers. Young people's department: Mrs. H. G. Bailey, Supt.; Louise Karkalis, assistant Supt.; Mrs. C. O. Leroy, chorister; Miss Wilma Mason, pianist; Miss Lucille Robinson, Mrs. Barton Philpott, Mrs. E. S. James, Mrs. W. D. Hazel, teacher; Mrs. Coe McLeroy, substitute teacher. Intermediate department: Mrs. E. J. Poe, superintendent; Mrs. C. J. Stephens, assistant Supt. and secretary; O. L. Mason, chorister; O. L. Mason, Mrs. C. N. Clifton, C. F. Coats, Mrs. J. D. Franklin, Mrs. L. Montgomery, Miss Zelma Curtis and Miss Fern Warren, teachers; Miss Fannie Stevens, substitute. Juniors. Junior department: Mrs. C. F. Stephens, Supt.; Mrs. H. Kungel, assistant superintendent; Mrs. Myrtle Anderson, secretary; Miss Willie Frank Walker, pianist; Miss Ethel Hicks, Mrs. C. H. Abbott, Mrs. Roy Morrison, Mrs. O. W. Crownover, Mrs. H. L. Kunkel, G. A. Eppler, Mary Beth Langston, teachers; Mrs. O. L. Mason, substitute. Primary department: Mrs. G. B. Langston, Supt.; Miss Mamie Estes, assistant Supt. and secretary; Miss DeAlva Graves, chorister; Mrs. Blackstock, pianist; Mrs. E. C. McClelland, secretary of literature and substitute teacher; Lucille Hicks, Mrs. A. B. Cooper, Miss Ruby Faye Hock, Mrs. Jasper Daniels, Miss Dahlia Surles, teachers. Beginners department: Mrs. E. C. Duncan, Supt.; Miss Letha Estes, assistant Supt.; Helen Stokes, secretary; Mrs. T. Moore, Mrs. J. E. Burnam, Mrs. Dewey Moore, Mrs. Parks Poe, teachers, and Mrs. G. T. Hurdleston, substitute. Cradle roll: Mrs. C. A. Farquhar, Supt.; Mrs. W. B. Webb, secretary; Mrs. C. F. Coats, assistant superintendent and teacher. Home department: Mrs. Nora Skiles, Supt.; Miss Letha Estes, assistant Supt.; Mrs. W. D. Hazel, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. J. E. Burnam, Mrs. W. J. Parson, Mrs. J. D. Franklin, Mrs. C. A. Farquhar and Mrs. A. D. Estes, visitors; Mrs. Nellie Robertson, visitor for sanitation.

GIANT COTTONWOOD

FORD, Kan., Sept. 22.—A giant cottonwood tree on the J. C. Lovett farm here is said to be the largest in the state. It is only 80 feet high, but is 25 feet in circumference and 6 1-2 feet in diameter at its base.

JIM PRESIDED OVER COMM'N SENATE HEARS

AUSTIN, Sept. 22.—Former Gov. James E. Ferguson, who now holds no official position with the state, has presided over all but one meeting of the Texas Rehabilitation and Relief commission since its creation, Director Lawrence Westbrook testified today. "Do you mean to say," asked Senator Clint Small, Amarillo, that Mr. Ferguson, who is not under bond, not under oath, not a member of the commission, without official capacity, has presided over meetings of the commission? "The facts speak for themselves," said Westbrook, referring to the approved minutes of the commission. The relief director is being cross-examined in the senate's investigation of relief administration in Texas. Sen. Small also questioned the witness in an effort to show that county relief committees throughout Texas were created through political machinations.

Ex-Sheriff Gives Up In Fatal Shooting

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 22.—John Lott former sheriff of Atascosa county, surrendered to Sheriff Albert Hauser following the fatal shooting of Ed Leahy on Produce Row near the city market house here today. He declined to discuss the shooting, said by his friends to have been provoked because of Lott's implication of Leahy in the slaying of the former officer's son. The latter was killed about a month ago at Jordan. Leahy was shot three times. He died almost instantly.

Writes Bill Curbing Machine Gun Sales

FORT WORTH, Sept. 22.—Henry Mack, Fort Worth attorney, today sent a bill to Austin to be introduced in the special session of the legislature making it a felony to sell, trade or lease a machine gun to any one other than law enforcement officers. Mack said Rep. Tom Renfro, Fort Worth, had assured him he would introduce the measure.

Await Jury Report In Oakley Case

SULPHUR SPRINGS, Sept. 22.—The jury deliberating the fate of Coy Oakley, backwoods faith healer charged with murder in connection with the death of Bernice Clayton, 3, was expected to report today to District Judge Charles D. Berry.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. LeBlanc on Monday, September 18, it was announced. The baby weighed nine pounds. Mrs. LeBlanc is a sister of Coe McLeroy.

NOTE GAVE KIRKPATRICK FULL DIRECTIONS FOR URSCHTEL RANSOM

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 22.—Here is the threatening \$200,000 ransom demand made on friends of Charles F. Urschel, oil millionaire, by his kidnapers:

Mr. E. E. Kirkpatrick Oklahoma City, Okla. Sir:

The enclosed letter from Charles F. Urschel to you and the enclosed identification cards will convince you that you are dealing with abductors.

Immediately upon receipt of this letter you will proceed to obtain the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) in genuine used federal reserve currency in the denomination of twenty dollar (\$20) bills.

It will be useless for you to attempt taking notes of serial numbers, making up dummy packages, or anything else in the line of attempted double cross. Bear this in mind, Charles F. Urschel will remain in our custody until money has been inspected and exchanged and furthermore will be at the scene of contact for pay-off and if there should be any attempt at any double XX it will be he that suffers that consequence.

The letter, typewritten, was delivered to John G. Cattlet, Tulsa oil man, together with a note from Urschel to Cattlet.

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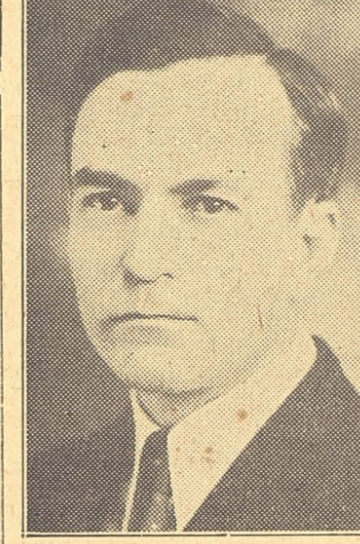
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Will Preach



Dr. C. Q. Smith, presiding elder of the Cisco district of the Methodist church, who will preach at the Loyalty service at the First Methodist church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Presiding Elder to Be Rally Preacher

Dr. C. Q. Smith, presiding elder of the Cisco district of the Methodist church, South, will preach at the First Methodist church Sunday in services marking the climax of the church's month-long Loyalty Campaign. His subject will be "The Last Post."

Dr. Smith concludes one year as presiding elder of the Cisco district in November. He came to Cisco from Fort Worth where for five years he was superintendent of the Methodist hospital.

Tonight the members of the church will assemble at a supper at the church dining room. Addresses by Dr. Smith; the pastor, the Rev. O. O. Odum and others are scheduled. A program of entertainment including musical numbers has been arranged.

At the Sunday evening services the pastor will preach. The Ely orchestra will play a 30-minute concert preceding the services.

URSCHTEL SHOWS NO FEAR AFTER KELLY'S THREAT

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 22.—If a menacing missive from George (Machine Gun) Kelly put any fear into Charles F. Urschel, kidnaping victim, he did not display it while on the witness stand in trial of 12 alleged conspirators in the abduction.

"You are living on borrowed time tonight," Kelly's letter received by airmail from Chicago, was reliably reported to have told Urschel.

"I told you if you gave out any word about the kidnaping that not only you would be killed, but your entire family executed."

Kelly declared he would not have been angry if Urschel had simply prosecuted the guilty parties, but "you and the crooked government are attempting to prosecute the Shannons when you know them to be innocent."

The desperado was said to have written that it would be of no benefit if Kelly were killed, because "I've made arrangements with another gang."

"And how do you like this—I've paid them to wipe you out with your own \$200,000 ransom money and you were stupid enough to believe that by dealing with the government you could get me. Your family will be wiped out. Bates and Bailey will be on the outside to join the celebration."

Similar threats were made for four pages more and on the last was a full handprint and a message to Assistant U. S. Attorney General Joseph B. Keenan:

"How will you enjoy running into the above?"

COST \$75 PER MILE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—People who complain about the high cost of railroad fares, says the American Railway association, should remember that among the incidental expenses of the carriers is one for \$75 per track mile per year for clearing weeds from rights-of-way.

BELIEVE KELLY MACHINE GUN GANG LEADER

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Estimates today ranged as high as \$500,000 as the total amount of checks, securities, coupons and cash obtained by bandits in a murderous mail holdup in the Loop district today. Much of the loot was non-negotiable.

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Six machine gun bandits held up a federal reserve bank automobile in the Loop today, seized four money bags and fled under cover of a dense smoke screen killing a policeman in the escape.

Two nationally notorious gangsters, George (Machine Gun) Kelly and Verne Miller, are suspected, police disclosed. Machine gun clips found in the bandit's car fit only a special, small type of weapon constructed by Miller, authorities said.

Timing the robbery exactly, the bandits descended on the bank car, in which two messengers and two guards were riding, just as it pulled up to the federal reserve door in the heart of the financial district.

Using two automobiles, they operated ruthlessly, shooting down the policeman in cold blood a few blocks from the holdup scene after one of their automobiles collided with another machine.

Authorities were unable to estimate the amount of loot. Police said they suspected Kelly and Miller mainly because of the special machine gun equipment and because a map of the United States, with the state of Kansas heavily thumbed over, was found in the wrecked automobile.

Both Kelly and Miller have been fugitives since the Union Station massacre in Kansas City, Mo.

FOUR BANK BANDITS HUNTED BY POSSE

HAYS, Kan., Sept. 22.—Kansas and Oklahoma officers searched today for four machine gun bandits who robbed the Farmers State bank of \$3,000 yesterday, shot the president and kidnaped a dozen persons in their mad flight.

The 12 hostages, including a girl bookkeeper, were released unharmed and the outlaws apparently had escaped despite the efforts of a large posse, assisted by national guardsmen and an airplane.

The last authentic report of the bandits came from a point near Hollywood, Kan., where they freed the bookkeeper.

Randolph Trustees Will Meet Tonight

The board of trustees of Randolph college will meet this evening for the first time since the death of the institution's president, Dr. John W. Tyndall. The board will face a number of important questions.

NEW PROGRAM FOR RELIEF IS BEING MAPPED

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Top speed was ordered today for execution of a new relief program involving government purchase of farm surpluses and their distribution to the needy.

President Roosevelt threw \$75,000,000 into the fresh effort to raise commodity prices and extend direct relief at one stroke. He directed officials of the agricultural and relief administration to expedite the plan in every way.

The government recently purchased and distributed 100,000,000 pounds of pork. Now it is proposed to do the same thing in varying proportions with beef, poultry, cotton seed and dairy surpluses. Likewise, surplus cotton will be bought, made into clothing and given the destitute.

WEATHER

West and East Texas — Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday.

JESTERS MAKE GOING ROUGH AT ANNUAL GRID DINNER

Cisco was welcomed back to competitive standing in the oil belt Interscholastic league football district last night with a long gasp of amazement as broad-shouldered Captain Leonard Latch of the Loboes stood to introduce at the annual pre-season football banquet of the Breckenridge Lion club.

"Do they make them all as big as that 'milk-fed' baby?" inquired Bill Hayes, editor of the Ranger Times, of this writer after the libelous festivities of that event were over. "Some of the boys were wondering to the affections of the oil belt with what many dopsters predict are the 1933 hopes of the powerful Interscholastic league sub-division upon the ample shoulders of Mr. Latch and his mates, was the butt of much of the raillery that ran from the ridiculous to the sublime with a facility of which only the Breckenridge Lions club is capable.

Unveiled Thrusts With an audacity that nothing but the license of an event that has become a tradition could justify, thrusts, decidedly unveiled, were poked at the coaches, the superintendents and the oil belt committee. Accusations, whispered during in the heat of inter-school rivalry, were banded glibly about and accepted by proxy for the accused. Even the private lives of some of the coaches were invaded. Things were said and charges made which, even intimated on the street, would precipitate battle. But the Breckenridge Lions club gridiron banquet is an institution.

In Memoriam And, institution that it is it laid down the cap and bells and stood

in bowed solemnity before the inspiration of a memory that is kept green in the official name of the event — the memory of a Breckenridge newspaper man, once editor of the Breckenridge American, best-lover of all those whose words have chronicled the football saga of the Breckenridge high school. "Wes", as he was known to his innumerable friends died several years ago. The football banquet, which was established as an annual event by the Lions club years before, was named "Wes Hodges Day" in his honor. At the conclusion last night the 200 or more guests and club members, stood facing west for a long silent moment in memory of "Wes" Hodges, until Toastmaster Jake Sandefur tapped his gavel in dismissal.

"I know," said Dr. Roger W. Gray, Breckenridge physician, afterward, "that Wes Hodges would rather have this than a monument so big that it would require an airplane a day to fly around it."

Evening of License That solemnity concluded an evening of license in which each oil belt coach present was called upon to speak through a proxy in whose selection he had no voice.

Blushing Coach Dexter Shelley, of the Loboes, a newcomer, heard his virtues extolled in first person, singular, without a regard for the modesties involved. Claude Thompson, Breckenridge postmaster, was the proxy. The fact that he is a recent bridegroom was not overlooked. Statements quoted for him: "I shall feel very much at home at Cisco; you know, I used to play professional football, too." "If

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FUTILE DEFIANCE.

The series of threatening notes and messages fired at the prosecution in the trial of the twelve alleged conspirators in the Urschel kidnaping case and the intimidation of prospective witnesses by the skulking Kelly, far from being a cause of alarm, are indications of the extremities to which the government campaign has driven the gangsters. The only hope left for Kelly and his confederates is a desperate chance that a campaign of terrorism will impress the court, the prosecution and the jury favorably for the defendants. The irony of the campaign is that it is being conducted between jumps by a fugitive who is finding it difficult to keep clear of the officials whose well-being he threatens.

Vicious men, bent on reprisal, do not write notes. They do not appear at screened windows at night with solemn warnings to frighten witnesses. The fact that Kelly has resorted to the character of terrorism campaign that he has, indicates quite distinctly that he is in a state of terror himself. The very character of his threats, his assurance that he has made arrangements with another gang, etc., all point to the conclusion that the fugitive is "at the end of his Latin" and verging upon insanity of a type in his efforts to help his hapless confederates. Cornered, he might execute some of his dire promises, but it will be only when there is no alternative in flight, no doubt.

One better characteristic of the campaign, if anything may be salvaged from a desperate record to reflect credit upon the desperado, is the fact that he remains loyal to his comrades. He would be the wiser to "take a runout powder," as slang goes, leaving those comrades to the justice of the court and to the ingenuity of their attorneys who could do the much better conduct their defense if he was not around to complicate matters with his futile defiance and missives of threat.

VITAL STATISTICS.

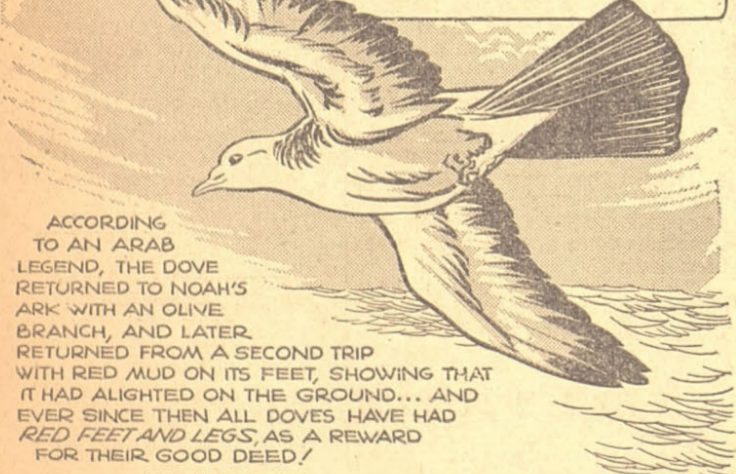
The fact that Texas has at length been included in the federal area of registration of vital statistics is a matter of much more importance than pride, as much a matter of purely patriotic gratification as it is. None of us but wishes our state to be up in the front of the procession. We extol, invariably, its virtues to the exclusion of those characteristics in which it bears feeble comparison to its sisters. That the record of Texas in the registration of births and deaths had been such that the federal government mistrusted its system, pained us not that it meant any serious consequences to the citizens of Texas but that it meant Texas was in one thing, at least, not living up to the superlative character with which we, as its citizens, love to invest it. We privilege ourselves to find plenty of fault with its government and other systems of public service, but criticism from without such as was inherent in the refusal of the federal bureau to accept Texas vital statistics, touches a sore spot.

As a matter of fact we should have been more concerned for the value of the records to the state. Had that been the general case Texas would have become a part of the federal registration area long ago. The authority of a registration of a birth or death may be, and quite often is, a vital proof. The right of a person to citizenship in the United States may even hinge upon the simple registration of his or her birth. Questions of parentage, of legal age, of heirship and so forth are often contingent upon the proof or disproof of some allegation respecting the time or location of birth. Proper registration is proof per se.

Evidence of the definite value of registration of this character is contained in the fact that birth certificates are the final authority in determining the age of a football player in the Interscholastic League. That is but an illustration

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

IN PARIS, ABOUT FIFTY TONS OF SNAILS ARE EATEN DAILY DURING THE LENTEN SEASON!

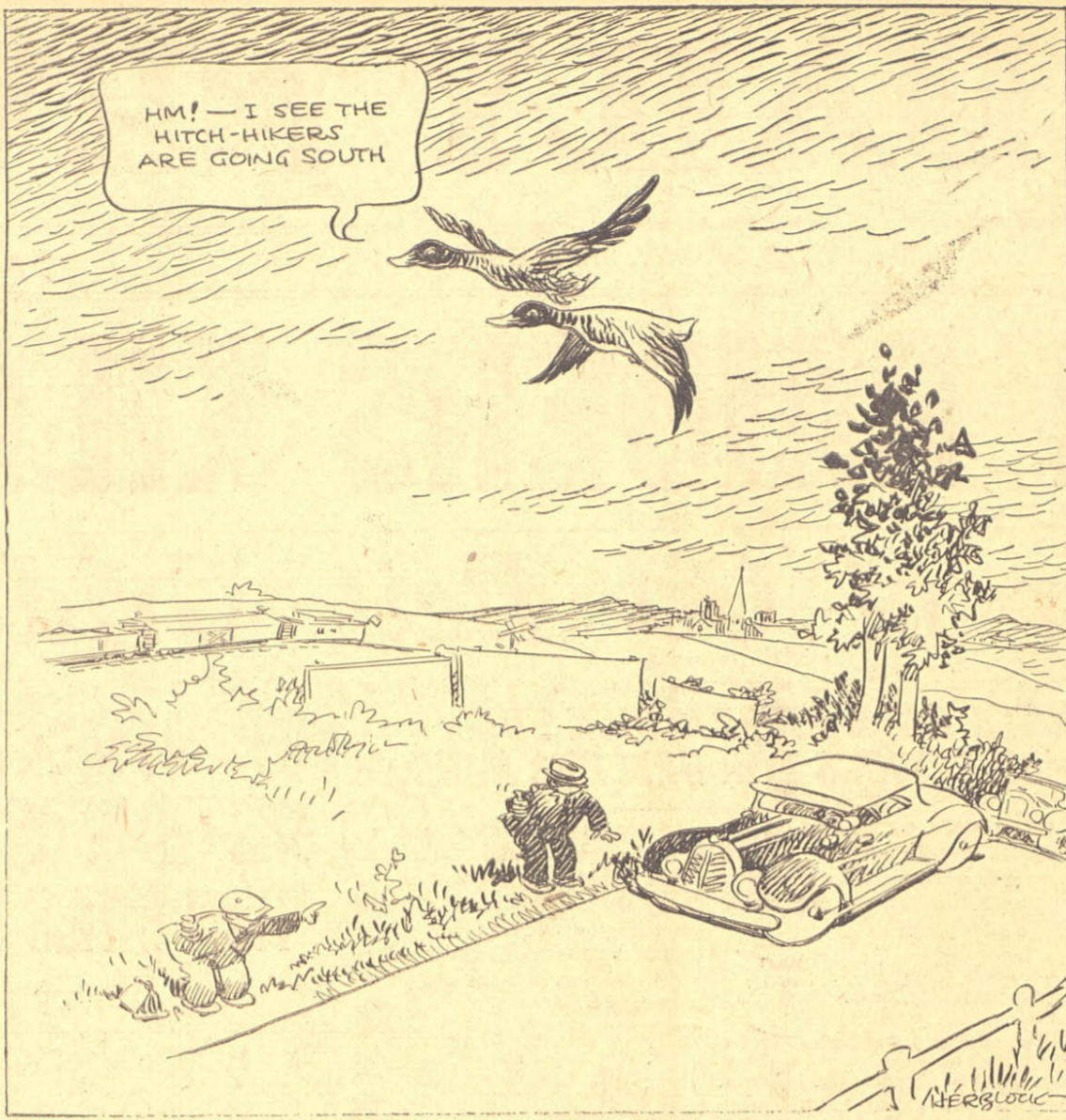


ACCORDING TO AN ARAB LEGEND, THE DOVE RETURNED TO NOAH'S ARK WITH AN OLIVE BRANCH, AND LATER, RETURNED FROM A SECOND TRIP WITH RED MUD ON ITS FEET, SHOWING THAT IT HAD ALIGHTED ON THE GROUND... AND EVER SINCE THEN ALL DOVES HAVE HAD RED FEET AND LEGS, AS A REWARD FOR THEIR GOOD DEED!



IN GUAM, TIN CANS ARE PLANTED IN THE GROUND TO FURNISH IRON FOR GROWING VEGETABLES.

The Approach of Autumn



of the functions of a complete vital statistics registration. The duty of Texas people is to see that the federal recognition is maintained. This can be done only through securing as complete a registration as possible, which means that every time a birth or a death occurs members of the family should see that the event is properly recorded with the authorities. In the cities this is a matter of some ease. In rural districts is where the difficulty arises.

EQUITY FOR TEACHERS.

The Texas house has declared for equality of opportunity as between teachers who can't afford to go to college but one year, and those whose advantages have been greater.

The house called on the state board of education to rescind and annul an order that would have closed the doors of rural aid country schools to teachers, not now employed, who lacked the equivalent of two years' college work, and would have required present teachers to attend summer school to meet the equivalent requirements.

Rep. Manley Head, himself a teacher, warned the house that the raising of teachers' qualifications is bound to come, and the house might as well not attempt to stand in the way. Those who succeeded in striking down the requirements said the depression period and time of low salaries and short-term schools was not the right time in which to enforce conditions that the rural teachers could not meet, regardless of the number of unemployed teachers who had been to college two years or more.

The principle involved is that the legislature, rather than the state board of education, proposes to say what groups of teachers shall have, or shall be denied, jobs, when paid out of rural aid funds from the general revenues of the state treasury.

Through the Editor's Spectacles

By GEORGE

Through the courtesy of N. W. Noell, I have been privileged to inspect a brittle old copy of the Fort Worth Record of 1904—Friday, November 25, 1904, to be exact. The Russo-Japanese war was the big news of that day. A prominent leader on the front page reports that 600 Russians had surprised a Japanese-held village and left it in ashes. On the left-hand side of the page the war story is balanced with an account of outstanding football games. Three columns of the seven are devoted to the sports story. There are such names as "Sieglar," "Piekarski," "Kase," "Butkiewicz." There is an occasional "Wood," "Holliday," "McDonald." Proving that Irishmen have always played American football.

Across the top is a red-ink streamer. It relates, if the story underneath the cartoon of Roosevelt (Not FDR) sitting on a box labeled "Presidential Message," is read, that the tariff was a mighty issue, that there were stand-patters in that American world, and even some folks who were draw-backers.

The most interesting feature of this particular paper, however, is an editorial. The name of Clarence Ousley is on the staff of the paper as director and I surmise, judging from the fact that Mr. Ousley was and still is noted as an editorial writer, that he wrote it. If he did, he should find gratification in the present that justifies the prophetic character of that article.

It asserts that Japan, exemplifying the course and power of national liberty in the strength of her attack upon Russia, was winning a vicarious, not alone for herself and eastern Asia, but for the millions of the thanks of Russia's millions for the

Rival of Bernhardt

Word puzzle grid with clues and answers. Includes sections for 'HORIZONTAL', 'VERTICAL', and 'Answer to Previous Puzzle'.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-50.

influence she has exerted in behalf of Russian liberty, but it is in reality what Japan is giving Russia in exchange for Manchuria," it declares, predicting that the Japanese attack, by exposing the inward rotteness of the Czarist regime, had pointed the way for a national liberty. That the Russo-Japanese war did just that, is now evident in the extinction of the Russian monarchy, which by virtue of a benevolent successor to the Czar of that period, held on until the cataclysm of the World war plunged the nation into red revolt. Perhaps the Japs, in recognition of that service, are entitled to some remuneration in the form of Manchuria, reference to which by the editorialist of the old Record argues that the Japanese greed, only recently consummated, was generally recognized then.

That a Japanese victory was regarded by the writer as essential to the progress of oriental civilization is revealed in the statement, boldly uncomplimentary to the character of the Czarist government: "Russia, if she could crush Japan, would not be accomplishing anything for human progress, but would be turning civilization backward."

The rest of the world, watching the big, cumbersome Russian Bear and the vital, clean-limbed and extremely capable little Japan go at it hammer and tongs were all for the little fellow, it seems. Now that the little fellow is showing an amazing capacity for digesting huge new chunks of fertile territory bitten out of logy old China the world opinion, seeing him grow, may transfer its admiration.

Incidentally the old paper proves the saying that history is a repetition of cycles. "Roosevelt-Japan-Football - Politics - 10-cent cotton" would be a roster of all the principal news sources of that day. How familiar the list sounds.

Black-Draught For Gas After Meals

"About five years ago, I suffered at my stomach quite a good deal," writes Mr. M. H. Venable, of Persia, Tenn. "I would smother, have a lot of gas, and my doctor's friend asked me why I didn't take Black-Draught. I took little doses after meals and my stomach trouble was over and has not come back. Now I only take a dose every once in a while."

Children like the new, pleasant tasting SYRUP of Black-Draught.

Freckles and His Friends.

Comic strip panels with dialogue. Characters include Freckles, a dog, and several men. Dialogue includes: 'HELLO OLD GIRL!! BOY! SHE LOOKS GREAT, FRECKLES! JUST AS SPRY AS A PUP... COME ON, POODLE!', 'SHE SURE IS... GEE! HAVEN'T YOU ANY IDEA, YET, WHO MIGHT HAVE GIVEN HER THAT POISONED PORK CHOP?', 'NO, NOT EXACTLY... BUT WE'VE TRACED THE CHOPS TO THE HUFF HOTEL—TWO TRAVELING MEN HAD CHOPS THAT DAY, BUT THEY WOULDN'T DO A THING LIKE THAT!', 'A COUPLE OF TRAVELING MEN, HUH?', 'YEAH—WHY? DO YOU KNOW WHO THEY ARE, RED?', 'NO-O-O—BUT LET ME THINK A LITTLE—TWO TRAVELING MEN—HMM—NOW, WAIT A MINUTE! I GOT A HUNCH, FRECKLES! YEP!', 'IS RED KING THE ONE WHO CAN SOLVE THIS MYSTERY? WHAT IS HIS HUNCH?', 'WHAT IS HIS HUNCH?'.

For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

...BEGIN HERE TODAY... EVE BAYLESS, pretty assistant to EARLE BARNES, advertising agent for the department store, marries DICK RADER, a construction superintendent. Dick is sent to take charge of a construction job in the Adirondacks. It will require at least a year to complete but Eve refuses to give up her work and go with him. MONA ALLEN, copy writer, advises Eve and is constantly causing trouble at the office. She is responsible for several mistakes for which Eve is constantly rebuked who continues to force unwelcome attentions on Eve. Unknowing to Dick, Eve has been playing the stock market, borrowing money from her mother and sister. She loses this, as well as all her savings and \$400 Dick left in the bank. Eve is lonely and misses Dick. She begins to wonder if she should not give up her job and go to him. On a busy day she writes him a long letter telling him that she is willing to come to Pine Forest.

TOOK PILLS FOR 30 YEARS, THEN CEREAL BROUGHT RELIEF

Mr. Forsythe Endorses ALL-BRAN for Constipation

If you suffer from headaches, loss of appetite and energy or any other of the frequent effects of constipation, read this voluntary letter: "After taking pills and tablets for about thirty years for constipation, I started to take your ALL-BRAN three times a day according to directions. Today I can eat cheese, and that is binding, and certainly feel fine."—Mr. Ed. Forsythe, Box 219, Youngstown, N. Y.

Science says ALL-BRAN provides "bulk" to exercise the intestines, and vitamin B to further aid regular habits. In addition, ALL-BRAN is rich in blood-building iron. The "bulk" in ALL-BRAN is much like that of leafy vegetables. Inside the body, it forms a soft mass which gently clears the intestines of wastes. Isn't this pleasant "cereal way" far more healthful than using patent medicines—so often habit-forming? Just eat two tablespoonfuls daily. In serious cases use with each meal. If not relieved this way, see your doctor. Get the red-and-green package at your grocer's. Made by Kellogg in Battle Creek.

baking took place early in December and she was generous with it. Eve packed a box of candy with a generous supply of the chocolate centered butter creams of which Dick was so fond. And in the sporting goods department of Bixby's she had found many articles of wearing apparel she felt would make his winter more comfortable.

The Saturday night before Christmas she boarded the west-bound train which would carry her to her parents' home, a 12-hour ride distant. She felt she could not endure Christmas alone in Lake City although she knew she should have saved the money spent for railway fare to help pay her debts.

The day before Christmas a telegram for Eve was delivered at Bixby's advertising office. Arlene signed for it. "From Pine Forest, N. Y., no doubt," she said to Mrs. Penney. "I suppose Eve's husband is wishing her an extra Merry Christmas. He certainly is the answer to a maiden's prayer—and I don't see how Eve dares be so casual about him."

Mrs. Brooks expressed the same sentiment to her oldest son Christmas morning. The Rader doorbell had been ringing incessantly for many minutes before her own sounded. She hurried to see who her caller might be and opened the door to face Dick, who stood, hat in hand, with a worried look on his face. He all but ignored her Christmas greetings in his haste to ask about Eve.

"Oh, I'm so sorry!" Mrs. Brooks hastened to explain. "Mrs. Rader left to spend Christmas with her parents. Didn't you know?" "I must have missed her letter," Eve said. "I was going." "I was away from Pine Forest and didn't get my mail for a few days." "MRS. BROOKS had a key to the apartment which she gave Dick. After he had gone she shook her head mournfully. "The poor dear!" she said. "To come all that way for Christmas and then find nobody at home. I'll ask him to dinner." Dick found himself placed next to Dorothy McElhinney at the dinner table. If he missed the companionship of his wife he suffered nothing from lack of solitude. Miss McElhinney gave him her undivided attention, engaging in a sprightly conversation and causing him to laugh frequently. When the dinner came to an end Dick lingered in the pleasant living room of Mrs. Brooks' suite. Later when Miss McElhinney noticed that he was becoming restless she suggested a walk and directed his footsteps toward the theater district. "Let's go inside," Dick suggested as they approached the building on which he had worked so long. After the matinee they followed a throng to a popular Christmas restaurant where they dined and

danced. Then it was time for Dick to take the train east. He called a taxicab. "Someone ought to see you off," Miss McElhinney said sweetly. "I'll ride to the station with you." And of this experience Dorothy McElhinney made the most. She met Eve in the hall the first evening after her return from home, and, with a maliciousness she took little pains to conceal, told of Dick's arrival and her own part in entertaining him. "The poor man!" she purred. "I felt so sorry for him. I did my best to make him forget his loneliness."

"I dare say you did," Eve retorted and closed the door abruptly. DICK'S telegram, lying on Eve's desk when she arrived at the office that morning, had been a shock. Her Christmas at home had been most unsatisfactory, due to the fact that she missed Dick so and none of her relatives seemed to sympathize with her. Women of her mother's type knew but one code after marriage—duty to husband and family.

Eve noticed the ashes in the tray next to Dick's favorite chair. Wearily she sank into the chair and tenderly stroked the arms because Dick had been there so recently. She closed her eyes and tried to picture just how he would wonder whether he were thinner, tired and sad looking or robust and happy. Miss McElhinney would know, she thought bitterly, and her resentment against Dick and the girl increased as she pondered over the latter's story of Dick's Christmas.

Of course they had planned it all. She had been blind to fail to see it before. That was why he had not notified her coming of his plans. Uncontrollable sobs broke from Eve and her body shook. At last she went to bed. It was then that she found Dick's Christmas gift. He had placed the package under her pillow. Eve drew it out and unwrapped it. Inside was a cameo pin with an old gold setting.

Of course Dick was hurt because Eve had not confided to him her plan to go home to visit her parents. She had had plenty of time to do so. It had only been the day before Christmas when he found that he could get away from work long enough to make the trip to Lake City. In Eve's next letter to Dick she berated him for neglecting to let her know that he was coming. His answer was a frank retort. After reading that letter Eve had no doubt that he considered her selfish. Eve destroyed the flippant reply she had composed. She had the grace to admit to herself that the present situation was her own fault. But something perverse in Dick this. Thus the breach widened. (To Be Continued)

MINING CENTER HEARS FAMOUS MOTHER LODE IS REDISCOVERED

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Below is the third installment of Dan Campbell's story on depression-less Hawaii.)

By DAN CAMPBELL
United Press Staff Correspondent
HONOLULU, T. H., Sept. 22 — Perhaps you see Hawaii in terms of brown-skinned Hula girls and grass huts, picturesque vistas of rolling pineapple fields and waving sugar cane against verdure clad mountains—a tourist's dream of the tropic South Seas with nearby plumbing in luxurious hotels.

You got your ideas from so-called "class" magazine advertising as you sat in a steam-heated apartment on the 14th avenue of your own home town one cold winter night. You are right and then again you are wrong. It is and it isn't.

Are Commercial
The Hula girls may be authentic, but they are just as commercial as the opium smoker you once saw in New York's Chinatown. And to you the greentopped pines and the standing cane may have been only a scene of beauty, a back-drop for an auto tour through palm-lined roads, but to Hawaii it is something else again—a billion-dollar industry as intensively developed as any model farm in Iowa.

When Sanford B. Dole, first and only president of the republic of Hawaii, stood in Capitol Square, Aug. 12, 1893, and ordered the Hawaiian flag lowered and the stars and stripes raised, he officially turned to the United States one of the most annexations it ever has achieved and for practically nothing.

The fiscal report of the governor ending the year June, 1933, found the territory of Hawaii with exports amounting to \$82,000,000 and imports of \$58,500,000, a favorable balance of trade of which many states might be proud.

Major Portion
The sugar in your coffee represents the major portion of the \$24-

100,000 which rolled into the territory. The coffee itself, if it came from the coast of Kona, also contributed. The pineapple in your salad was another factor.

Before President Roosevelt launched his national recovery program and before an agreement to stabilize the sugar industry had been formulated the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' association moved to meet the threat of depression in the islands by maintaining an employment peak through the off-season and restoring a 10 per cent turn-over bonus for workers which had been discontinued last year at the lowest ebb in sugar prices.

Back in 1897 when Hawaii was making efforts to become a part of the United States, a far-sighted policy when it is recalled that no tariff is levied on Hawaiian products, the territory shipped to the mainland 115 cases of pineapple. Since then the nation and the world has developed a taste for the fruit as evidenced by the fact that 5,063,000 cases were packed in 1933.

Favorable Sum
For the first five months of this year the Hawaiian Pineapple company earned \$17,237.91, not an outstanding sum, but favorable, for pineapple is not classed as a necessity.

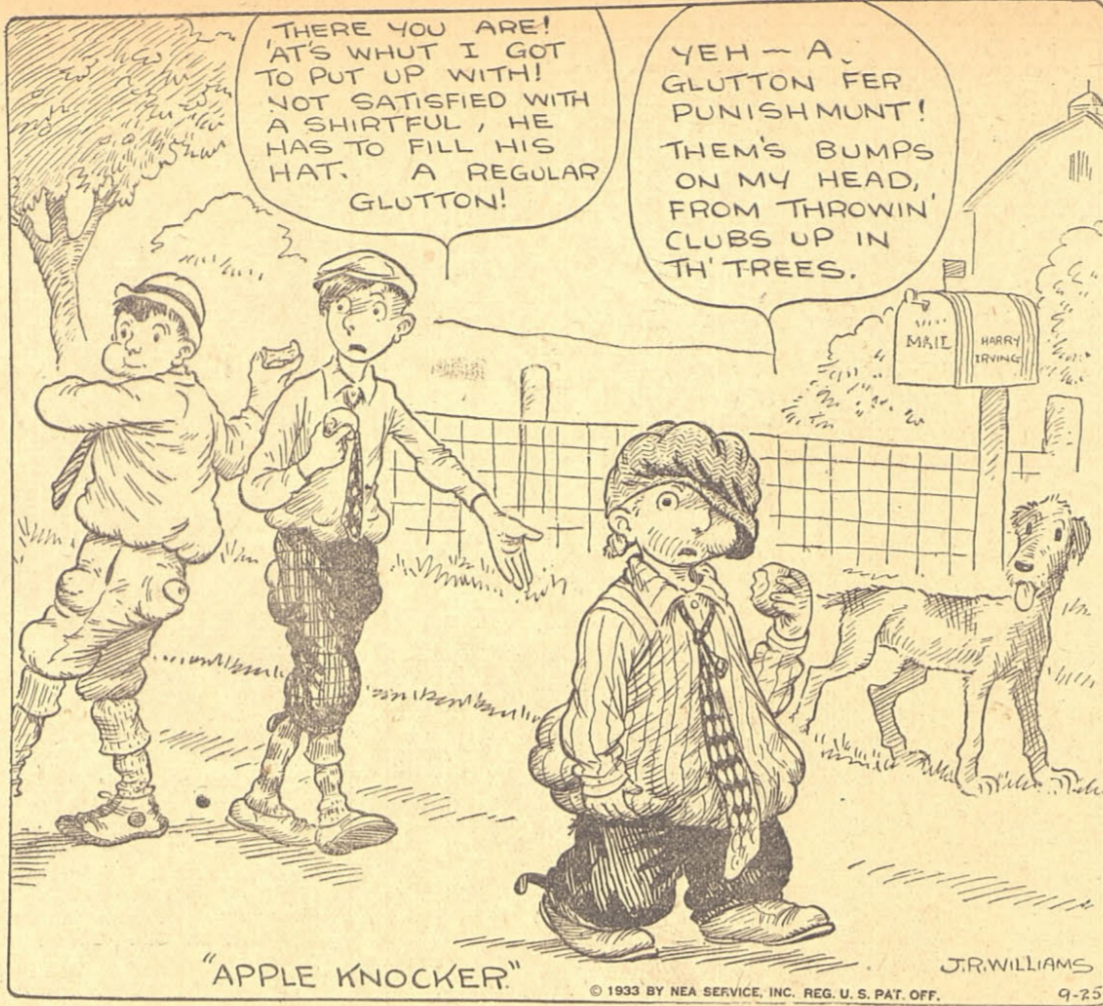
Labor from the Philippines, for the most part, tills Hawaii's soil. While labor is comparatively peaceful, now, in 1924 a strike of Filipinos brought bloodshed on the island of Kauai. Plantations have built opera houses, libraries, hospitals, reading rooms, recreation fields and club houses.

One of Hawaii's greatest problems has been the importation of agricultural labor only to see a drift from the cane fields to commerce. This is particularly true of the Japanese whose commercial strength has been steadily increasing.

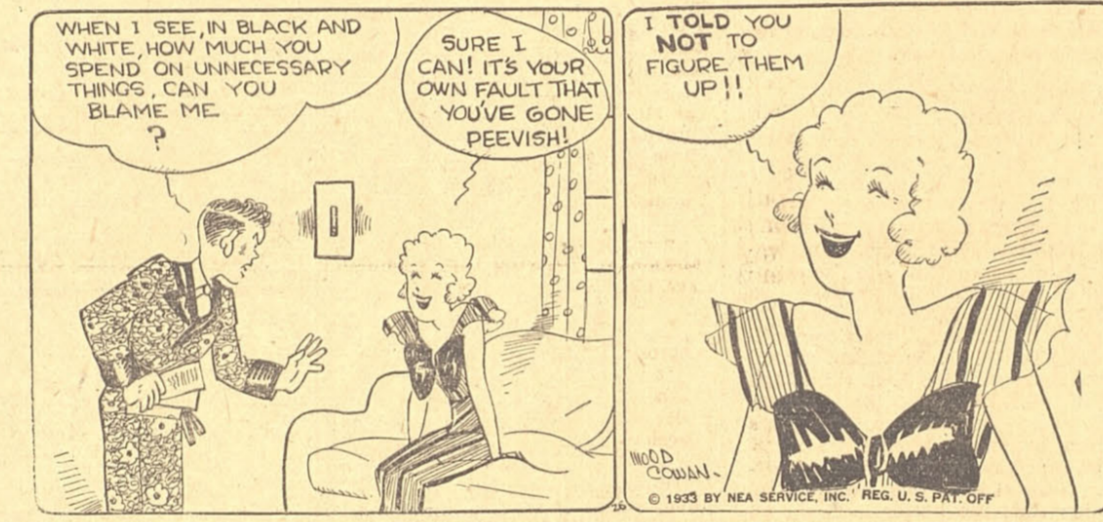
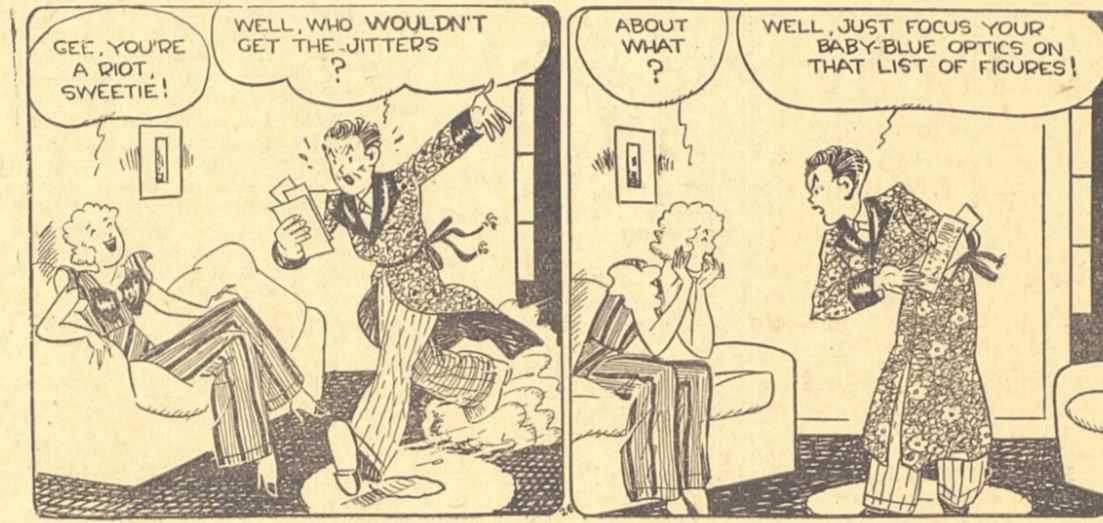
4,000 YEARS OLD
SEQUOIA NATIONAL PARK, Sept. 22 — A gavel made from a tree limb estimated to be nearly 4,000 years old is to be presented to President Roosevelt by J. L. Harrod, captain of the Los Angeles county sheriff's office night detail. Harrod made the gavel from a limb torn by storms from the world-famous General Sherman sequoia in Sequoia National park.

CHICHESTERS PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold Metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy only your Druggist's Ask for CHICHESTER'S PILLS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for 40 years known as Best, Safest, Reliable. Buy Now! SOLO BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

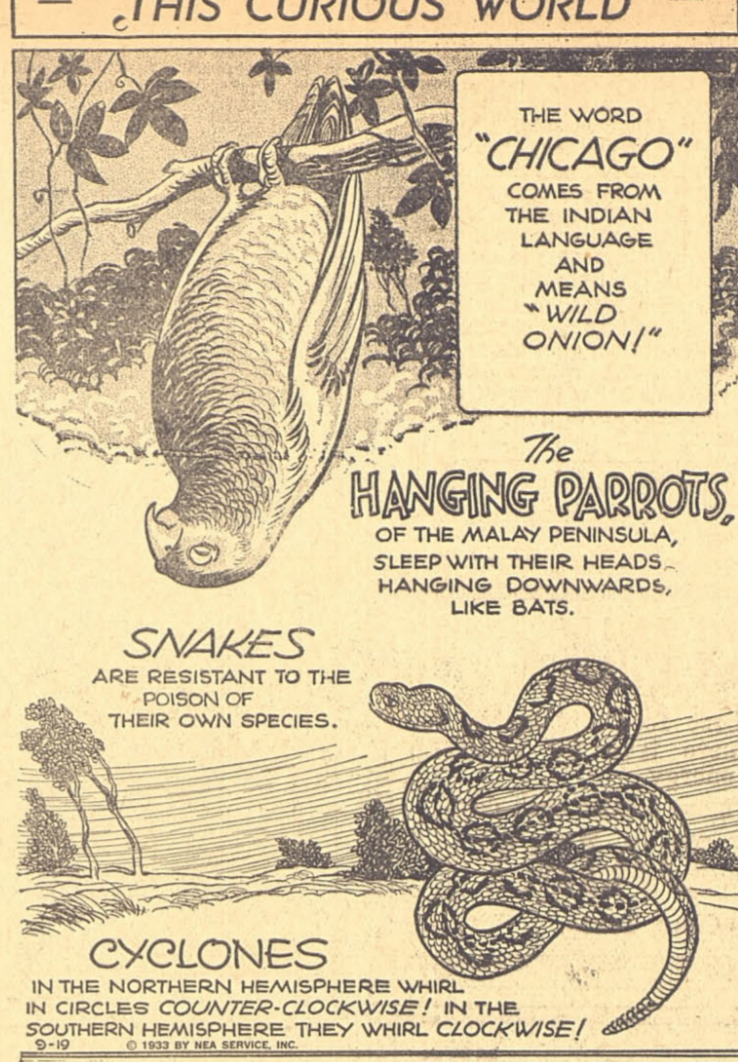
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MOM'N POP.



THIS CURIOUS WORLD



SNAKES
ARE RESISTANT TO THE POISON OF THEIR OWN SPECIES.

CYCLONES
IN THE NORTHERN HEMISPHERE WHIRL IN CIRCLES COUNTER-CLOCKWISE! IN THE SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE THEY WHIRL CLOCKWISE!

MANY instances have been recorded in which a heroic rattlesnake, on finding itself facing death at the hands of man, gallantly sank its fangs into its own side, and thus saved itself from a less glorious end. But science has found that a rattler cannot poison itself, nor another of its kind.

Haskell
Mrs. Lillie Perdue and daughter, Carrie Bell, and Doll Perdue visited J. M. Perdue and family of Wilson Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

MARRIAGES DOWN
HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 22 — Sharp decreases in the number of marriages and births in Connecticut in the first six months of 1933, compared with the corresponding period in 1932, are noted in records compiled by the vital statistics department of the state department of health.

FACES TROUBLE
BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 22 — Trying to "pick up" a date from an automobile is going to become risky business in this city. Chief of Police Charles A. Wheeler has ordered all officers to arrest all motorists bothering women, and has asked the women to note the license numbers of cars from which riders accost them.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND REGULATIONS

All CLASSIFIED advertising is payable in advance, but copy MAY be telephoned to the Cisco Daily News office and paid for as soon as collector calls.

RATES: Two cents per word for one time; four cents per word for three times; eight cents per word for six times.

CLOSING HOURS: Copy received up to 10:00 a. m. will be published the same day.

TELEPHONE 80 and place your copy with understanding that payment will be made at once, collector will call the same day or day following. Copy is received any hour from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m.

Apartments for Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments, close in, come see them, Mrs. George Langston, 306 West 8th.

FOR RENT—East side of Duplex, Apply 509 West 3rd.

Houses for Rent

MY HOME for rent furnished, 1006 west 9th street, Mrs. M. D. Paschall.

FOR RENT—5 room house unfurnished, Call 183.

For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Electric washing machine (Thor) in good shape. A real bargain. Can be seen at 309 West 16th.

FOR SALE—Philco 8-tube cabinet radio, 309 West 16th, street.

FOR SALE—A number of Cisco homes, small cash payment balance monthly, 8 per cent interest annum, Connie Davis, Phone 198.

Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome.

PHILIP PETTIT, President, J. E. SPENCER, Secretary.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15. J. A. BEARMAN, president, W. H. LA ROQUE, secretary.

CLOSING TIME FOR MAILS

Waco and Stamford train No. 30 (E. Bound) 3:30 p. m.
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 2 (E. Bound) 10:40 a. m.
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 3 (W. Bound) 11:45 a. m.
Waco and Stamford Train No. 36 (N. Bound) 10:40 a. m.
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 4 (E. Bound) 3:30 p. m.
Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 1 (W. Bound) 4 p. m.
All night mails close at 9 p. m. with exception of Sunday when night mails close at 6:45 p. m.

A. & P. Contribution to N. R. A. 10 Weeks of W. D. O. P. Sales to keep down the cost of living.

Watch for Profit by A. & P's Ten Big W. D. O. P. Sales.

PACIFIC TOILET PAPER	SPARKLE DESSERT	
3 Rolls 10c	Pkg. 5c	
Grandmother's Bread Sliced or Regular, loaf	6c	
RAISIN BREAD, Loaf, 9c; Rye	8c	
SHORTENING 48 Lbs. Verigood	FLOUR ... \$1.59	
8 Lb. Carton. .60c		
SUGAR, 10 Lbs. with order	.49c	
QUAKER MAID BEANS	IONA CORN	
3 Cans 14c	3 Cans 25c	
WHITE HOUSE MILK. Accepted by the American Medical Ass'n Committee on Foods; 3 Tall Cans or 6 Baby	16c	
PRODUCE SPECIALS		
Tokay Grapes, 3 pounds	25c	
ORANGES, large size, dozen	23c	
Cobbler Potatoes, 10 pounds	24c	
LETTUCE, head	5c	
Fresh Tomatoes, 2 pounds	15c	
A. & P. COFFEE TRIO		
8 O'CLOCK	RED CIRCLE	BOKAR
Lb. 19c	Lb. 21c	Lb. 25c
PILLSBURY'S FLOUR		
6 Pound Bag	29c	
24 Lb. Bag, \$1.04; 48 Lb. Bag	\$2.03	
Sliced Breakfast Bacon, lb.	15c	
Dressed Fryers, lb.	16c	
Picnic Shoulders, lb.	12c	
Dry Salt Bacon, lb.	10c	
Veal Stew, Rib or Brisket, lb.	6c	
BOILED HAM, pound	29c	

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1 ALWAYS the finest tobaccos

2 ALWAYS the finest workmanship

3 ALWAYS LUCKIES PLEASE

Why do we say "Always Luckies Please"? Well, one reason is that every Lucky is made of choice, ripe tobaccos—the Cream of the Crop. Another reason—Luckies are always round, firm, fully packed—with no loose ends to sputter and spark.

Careful examination and inspection by over 60 precision instruments and 17 alert scientists guarantee unfailing uniformity. That's why Luckies draw so easily, burn so evenly—always mild and smooth. And that's why—"Always Luckies Please!"

"it's toasted"
FOR BETTER TASTE—FOR THROAT PROTECTION

Textile Activity in August Declines

AUSTIN, Sept. 22 — Cotton mill activity in Texas declined during August as compared with July, but with the exception of sales and unfilled orders was well above August 1932, according to Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the University of Texas bureau of business research.

"Consumption of cotton during August of 6,423 bales was about 33

per cent greater than the 4,817 bales consumed in August last year but was almost 10 per cent less than in July of the current year," Dr. Cox said.

"Production of cotton goods amounted to 6,520,000 yards, or 6 per cent less than in July. This, however, was 42 per cent above August last year. Sales of cloth, 3,882,000 yards, were 35 per cent below those of July and 48 per cent under August, 1932. Unfiled orders, 7,690,000 yards, declined 20 per cent from July and also from August last year.

"Active spindles, numbering 162,584, declined 2.8 per cent from July but were 17 per cent above August last year, while spindle hours were 4 per cent below those of July but 21 per cent above those of August, 1932."

Daily News and American and Roundup want ads are a good investment — Phone 80

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Checks Malaria in 3 days, Colds first day, Headaches or Neuralgia in 30 minutes.
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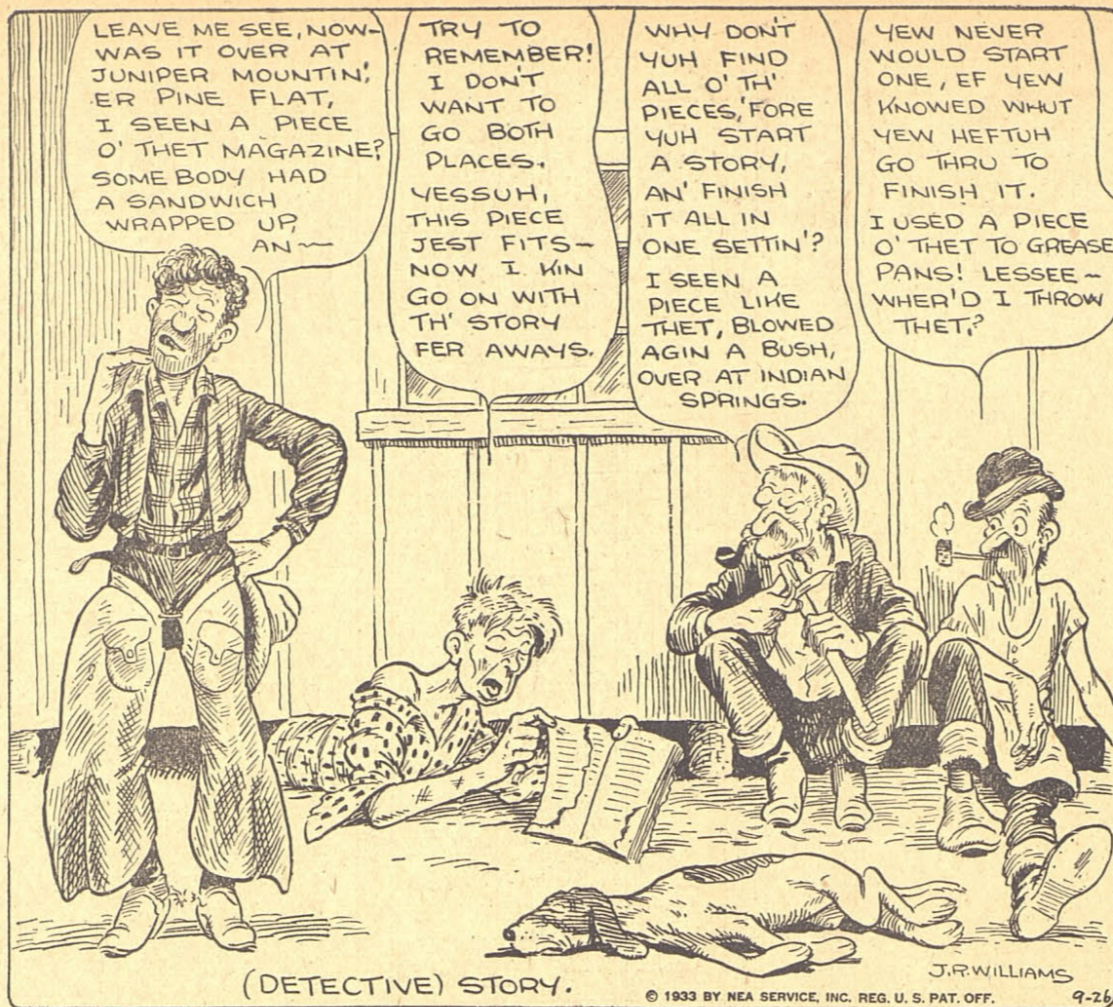
Pure, rich milk is the best food obtainable for growing children. This is more true for SCHOOL CHILDREN who need more energy.

Let us leave you one or more bottles each day.

ALSUP'S DAIRY

Telephone 14-W—Cisco, Texas.

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Next Grand Sire Of Odd Fellows



James H. Davis of Tacoma, Wash., above, is scheduled to become grand sire of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, at the fraternity's national convention in Springfield, Ill., Sept. 22. Davis has been an Odd Fellow 45 years.

Church to Observe Cradle Roll Night

Cradle Roll Night will be observed at the First Christian church here Sunday evening at 7:45. It has been announced. The Cradle Roll will have its promotion day exercises at that time and S. E. Hittson and Harry Schaefer will present musical numbers. The Rev. H. B. Johnson, of Ranger will deliver the special sermon.

Communion Service To Be Held Sunday

The regular quarterly communion service at the First Presbyterian church will be held next Sunday, instead of the first Sunday in October, Dr. J. Stuart Pearce, pastor of the church, said today.

He also announced that parents with children to be baptised should bring these to the session between Sunday school and the preaching services Sunday morning.

Piggly Wiggly

Turn to Quality and Economy.
WEEK-END SPECIALS



- GRAPES, Red Tokays, 3 lbs. 25c
- ORANGES, good and juicy, doz. 15c
- Tomatoes, fresh home grown, lb. 6c
- BEANS, fresh green beans, lb. 8c
- SPUDS, No. 1 stock, 10 lbs. 25c
- LETTUCE, head 5c
- SUGAR, 10 lbs. Pure Cane 49c
- LARD, 8 lbs. Jewell 59c
- CRACKERS, 2 lb. Saltine 29c
- Graham Crackers, 2 lb. box, 22c; 1 lb. box 12c
- SOAP, large yellow bar, 3 bars 10c
- GOLD DUST, 2 boxes 5c
- SALMON, tall can 11c
- FIGS, 3 lb. pkg. stewing figs . . . 29c
- APRICOTS, large can in syrup . 14c
- COFFEE, Zippo, pound 17c
- CRANBERRIES, Fresh Cranberries, Qt. 14c

MARKET SPECIALS

- SAUSAGE, made from home killed pork, lb. 10c
- Picnic Hams, half or whole, lb. 12c
- SLICED BACON, Best Grade Northern Sugar Cured, lb. . . . 17c
- Beef Roast or Stew, lb. 7c
- Hamburger or Chili Meat, lb. . 10c
- Dressed Fryers
- Guaranteed Country Butter, Etc.

About Cisco Today

Society Editor, Miss Marjorie Noell—Phone 80.

R. J. Lomax spent yesterday in Abilene.

Miss Jourdain Armstrong, who is a student at T. C. U., Ft. Worth, is expected home this evening for a weekend visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong.

Miss Mary Miller of Rotan was in the city shopping this morning.

Mrs. Mary E. Townsend of Moran was a Cisco visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wippen returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Chicago, Ill.

R. H. Farrell of Dallas transacted business in Cisco yesterday.

E. R. McDaniel of Abilene was a visitor here today.

Mrs. S. B. Wright visited friends in Brownwood yesterday.

ALTHEA CLASS HAS MEETING.

The Althea class of the First Baptist Sunday school met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Brecheen. During the afternoon members sewed on garments for the Lena Pope home. An election of officers resulted in the selection of Mrs. Kate Richardson as teacher, Mrs. H. J. McArdle, president, Mrs. O. G. Lawson, first vice-president, Mrs. W. D. Brecheen, second vice-president, Mrs. L. A. Harrison, third vice-president, Mrs. Robinson, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Nora Skiles, assistant secretary - treasurer, and Mrs. W. P. Walker, reporter. A social hour was enjoyed, at which time the hostess served refreshments of home-made ice cream and cake.

Present were Mesdames T. E. House, Asa Skiles, Effie Mayhew, J. C. Porter, W. F. Walker, Bob Harper, Nora Skiles, and the hostess.

Guy C. Davis of Dallas was a visitor in Cisco yesterday.

Mrs. O. T. Maxwell is leaving tomorrow for a weeks visit with her

Shaughnessy system of league baseball with both editorial feet, disclaiming all credit for its institution. Gordon Weir, Abilene fan, descended with equal force upon the eight-month rule. So did others. Weir kept the crowd in an uproar of laughter with a native wit that was incisive. He asserted 16-year-olds and 15-year-olds should not be subjected to the competition that Texas high school football demands.

School "Dairies"

There were frequent references to establishment of school dairies to supply the young hopefuls of the teams with milk. Weir resented reports that an Abilene guard would weigh 260 pounds, asserting that he had never had weighed over 252. He had heard a great deal about the boy, he said, but when he saw the Eagle prospects for the first time this year he had to ask which of the boys was he. He feared for their stamina in competition with the brutes of Cisco and other oil belt teams, he said.

Weir also remarked that the Roosevelt NRA program had been a rotten failure because it hadn't changed the district, executive committee lineup; that he intended to protest to Roosevelt against the committee's present status and its consuming more than eight hours at a session.

Tin Cup

Supt. Green, of Abilene, was another victim, when he was summoned to the fore, handed out of the concealment of a large loving urn, a rusted tin cup as the district's expression of esteem.

"Speech!" yelled the crowd.

"I know Jake Sandefer," retorted Green. "I knew what to expect when he called me up there."

Cluck Gets His

R. N. Cluck, Cisco superintendent.

came in for a major portion of the banter. He made a speech, was unfortunate in his selection of some subjects and came off a martyr to comedy. "He's a fine fellow," admitted Gordon Weir, Abilene. "We used to think he was a bad one, but we've just found out he's like the rest of us. If Cisco hadn't beaten Breckenridge in 1931 they would have been in the league last year." Roars of laughter.

Said Dewey Mayhew through his proxy: "L. E. Dudley should have been ashamed of himself for voting against Cisco last year after his team had run up five touchdowns on the Lobos in the first half of their game."

That indicated the trend of the rally. Said Jake Sandefer: "We warn you new coaches that the going will be rough tonight. But we know you can take it; we got a line on each of you before the affair started. It's all in fun. You had better smile at each other now; it will probably be the last chance you have this year."

ROBBERIES COST \$876,246

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 — Losses suffered by the nation's railways through robberies during 1932 totaled \$876,246, according to a report of the American Railway association. The highest figure ever reported was in 1920, when the carriers lost \$12,726,947.

PALACE

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RUTH CHATTERTON
in
"LILY TURNER"

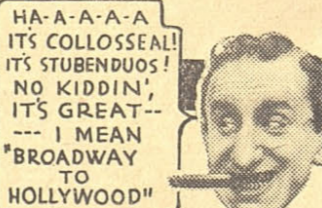
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Grid Dinner--

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we succeed in getting enough money to take care of the five home boys we have and get jobs for the six outside boys that have already moved in we'll have a good team," etc.

P. E. Shotwell, Breckenridge; Dewey Mayhew, Abilene; Red Petty Case, like Shelley a new comer, and Eck Curtis, Ranger, were similarly treated. References to professionalism, paying players, importing ineligible, and facetious revelations of the manner in which football teams are financed and coaches get rake-offs were the stock in trade of the funsters.

"Pop" Boone Honor Guest

"Pop" Boone, Fort Worth sports writer and honor guest, who spoke briefly, remarked: "I see why T. C. U. hasn't been able to get many oil belt players. We are a poor school down there." He remarked that two Abilene players once came to T. C. U. "We wondered. Even the coaches wondered," he said. "Later we found out, both were crippled."

Out of consideration for their new status both Shelley and Petty were permitted a few words in person.

Said Petty: "I heard before coming to the oil belt that the football players out here got the money and the teachers got the scrip. So far I haven't seen any scrip."

Pop Boone descended upon the

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