

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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INDEPENDENTS PROTEST U. S. CONTROL Federal Government Enters Hunt for McElroy Kidnapers

NAME OF MAN SUSPECTED IS GIVEN POLICE

BULLETIN. KANSAS CITY, May 29.—Henry F. McElroy, Jr., today told authorities the name of a man he believed to be the leader of the kidnapers of his sister, Mary McElroy, released Sunday after payment of \$30,000 ransom.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 29.—The power of the federal government was thrown today in search for kidnapers of Mary McElroy, who collected \$30,000 for her release from her father, Judge H. F. McElroy, city manager of Kansas City.

The department of justice entered the case because the abductors by crossing state lines violated the new and drastic federal kidnaping law enacted after the Lindbergh baby outrage which made abduction punishable by life imprisonment.

Grain Dealers Ask Reduced Rail Rates

AUSTIN, May 29.—A battle to force a reduction of at least one-fifth in the railroad freight rates on grain for the present season was opened here today before the Texas railroad commission.

The Texas Grain Dealers association asked for a cut of not less than 25 per cent.

Week-end Fatalities Claim Lives of Ten

Ten persons were killed in week-end fatalities in Texas.

Five died of injuries sustained in automobile accidents, two of drowning and a suicide and shooting at Hillsboro claimed the lives of two life-long residents of that city.

Senate Passes Bill To Tax "Hot Oil"

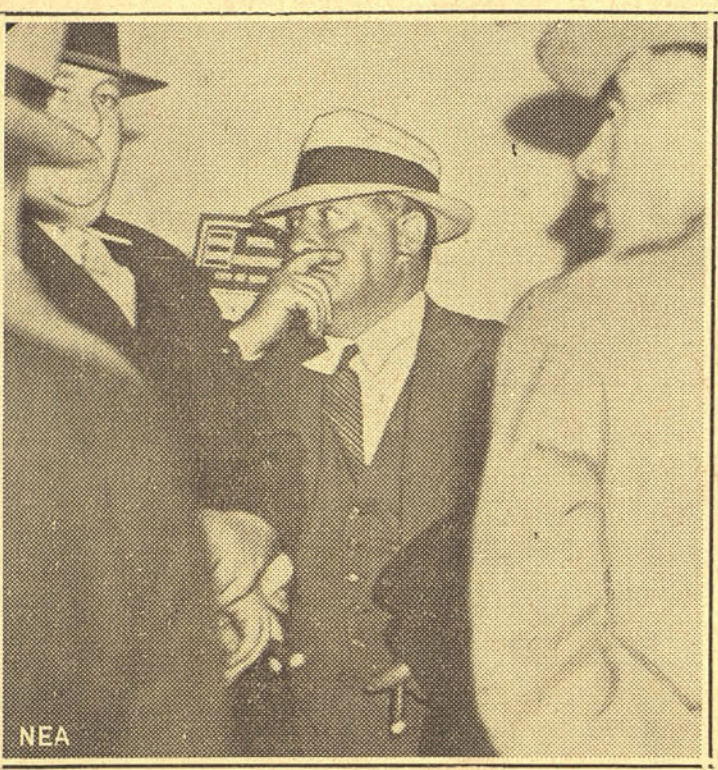
AUSTIN, May 29.—The house today passed and sent to the senate a bill taxing "hot oil" 50 cents a barrel.

The bill, hailed as a sure means of stopping oil field violations, barely has time to get through the senate before legislative adjournment next Thursday.

THREE GUESSES

Who is Henry T. Rainey? AG NAME THE METAL FOR WHICH THIS SYMBOL STANDS. How many of the nations extend north of the Arctic circle? ANSWERS ON PAGE THREE

Fugitive Racket King Captured



Lake, N. Y. Gordon is under indictment charging income tax frauds amounting to almost \$400,000. Here he is shown, hand to face, in police headquarters at New York after his capture.

Political Might of Big Gas Companies in Texas Challenged by Victoria Solon

By RAYMOND BROOKS. AUSTIN, May 29.—Sen. E. J. Blackett of Victoria has challenged the political might of the big gas companies operating in Texas, since the legislative box score shows at least 90 per cent of legislation affecting them was struck out in the house or senate.

Determined to Make Kittrell Site Park

Midway, Texas and the Texas state parks board are determined to make a park of the old Kittrell place near Midway according to information received by W. H. Kittrell, Sr., here recently.

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Reports of Hail Damage Discounted

Reports of extensive hail damage at Wayland, northeast of Cisco, last night, were discounted at the Humble company's offices here today.

"Undesirables" Train Passes Here Today

A special train, bearing about 140 "undesirables" as reported from the state of California, passed in Cisco for locomotive water shortly after noon.

BABY KILLED

FORT WORTH, May 29.—Peggy Joyce May, 13-months old, was killed this afternoon when she ran into the driveway of her home to meet her mother, who was driving an automobile.

HONOR ROLL OF GRADUATES IS ANNOUNCED

Miss Pauline McClinton will be valedictorian and Miss Betty Fee Spears salutatorian of the 1933 senior class of the Cisco high school, Principal H. Brandon announced today.

General averages of these young women were so close that they were carried to four decimal figures. Only 215 of one point separated them.

Miss Pauline Dungan was third honor girl of the class with a general average of 91.375.

The three highest honor young men were announced by Mr. Brandon as follows:

Ira Hooker, with a general average of 91.77, was third honor place in the class and first among the boys; Max Powell was second honor boy with a general average of 88.75 and Joe Bob Winston was third honor boy with 88.7.

Supt. E. N. Cluck announced today that the place for the baccalaureate sermon has been changed from the First Baptist church to the high school auditorium.

The commencement exercises, in which diplomas will be awarded 75 graduates, will be held at the high school auditorium Monday evening at 8 o'clock, with Dr. J. A. Hill, president of West Texas State Teachers college, delivering the address.

The graduating exercises for the Grammar school will be held Thursday evening at the high school. Names of the graduates have not yet been announced by Principal O. L. Stamey.

Friday evening "honor night" will be observed at the high school when certificates of merit will be awarded students throughout the system who have distinguished themselves in their work.

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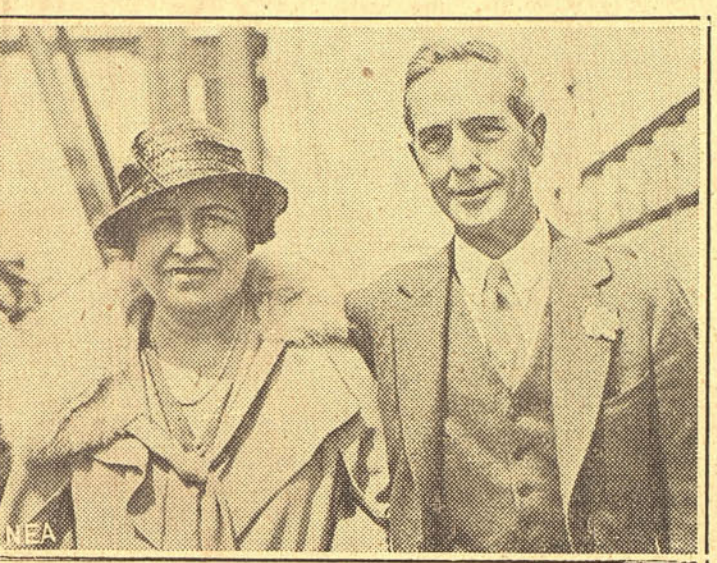
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New U. S. Ambassador Leaves for Italy



Breenkridge Long, new United States Ambassador to Italy, is pictured as he took a parting stroll with Mrs. Breenkridge aboard the S. S. President Harding in New York before sailing for Paris en route to his post in Rome. Mrs. Long will join him this summer.

Century of Progress Costs Are Priced To Accommodate Lean Pocketbooks

CHICAGO, May 29.—Chicago's 1933 world's fair has been priced to accommodate the lean pocketbooks of a populace which has passed through three years of economic depression.

Under another plan announced by several railroads "family fares" are offered to parties of three to five. The rate provides a reduction of 50 to 60 per cent in the rail fare cost.

Admission fees, railroad fares, hotel rooms, meals and every expense of the visitor have been placed on such a low-cost basis that officials estimate a visit to the 1933 exposition will cost less than any previous fair.

Admission to the fair itself will cost 50 cents. This entitles the visitor to see 90 per cent of the exhibits and buildings. It includes all of the structures erected by A Century of Progress and many of those built by independent exhibitors.

Admission prices to concessions and special features also are low priced. The fee for the Sky-Ride, the spectacular amusement feature which is expected to be the outstanding event of the fair for many visitors, will be 40 cents. Admission to the replica of the Jehol temple costs 25 cents.

Some of the outstanding attractions and the fees: Byrd's Polar ship, 25 cents; Belgian village, 25 cents; Flower show, 25 cents; dirigible ride, \$2; airplane ride, \$3; midge village, 25 cents; Streets of Paris, 25 cents; Enchanted Island, free to children, attractions a penny, five cents and a dime.

Railroads Offer Rates. Railroads have made widespread concessions. Under one plan any railroad in the country will sell a visitor a ticket covering his round trip transportation, his Chicago hotel accommodations, transportation to the hotel and to the fair, admission ticket to the fair, and a sight-seeing tour of the city.

Under this arrangement the visitor can plan the expense of his tour.

Tax Collectors Meet at Houston

HOUSTON, May 29.—County Judge W. H. Ward today welcomed delegates to the 29th annual convention of the Tax Collectors association, of Texas, which opened with a "get-acquainted" meeting.

Approximately 100 delegates were here for the opening of the 3-day convention. President C. J. Lockhart, Cleburne, presided. State Comptroller George H. Sheppard was scheduled as the principal speaker.

Third Court Upholds Ouster of Denison

AUSTIN, May 29.—The third court of civil appeals here today affirmed the decision of the 98th district court holding that Frank Denison, of Temple, is not entitled to serve as chairman of the state highway commission.

Denison was appointed by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson. The senate failed to give a two-thirds vote for his confirmation although a majority of senators voted for confirmation.

Ocie Speer, attorney for Denison, said a rehearing will be asked and if it is refused the cause will be carried to the supreme court.

Court Enjoins Truck Operator

EASTLAND, May 29.—An injunction hearing was held before Judge George L. Davenport of the 91st district court Saturday morning to prevent John Milwee of Rising Star from operating a truck without license. It was claimed that Milwee had been operating his truck for some time without the proper permit from the state railroad commission. The injunction was granted.

In this proceeding the railroad commission was represented by Victor B. Gilbert and Criminal District Attorney Grady Owen. Mr. Gilbert is a former representative of Eastland county in the state legislature, but now employed by the legal department of the commission.

IMPROVEMENT IN FINANCIAL AFFAIRS SEEN

AUSTIN, May 29.—The Thomas amendment to the farm aid bill, as the measure was finally passed, granted to the president five distinct powers looking toward price inflation. Dr. J. C. Dolley of the University of Texas pointed out in his monthly survey of the financial situation prepared for the Texas Business Review, published by the University bureau of business research.

"It has been more or less generally expected that Mr. Roosevelt would avail himself of one or more of these powers as a follow-up to the American departure from the gold standard, as such a move would certainly exert a powerful influence on the price level," Dr. Dolley said.

"However, it has become increasingly evident in the past few weeks that the administration does not now contemplate any radical tinkering with the monetary system or the price structure, and that if any further inflationary maneuvers were attempted it would be a resort to reserve bank open market purchasing."

"This would seem the more likely in view of the prospective flotation of the huge \$3,300,000,000 federal public works bond issue. It is not unlikely that some reserve bank purchasing of government bonds will be necessary in order to insure the success of this flotation. It was not surprising, therefore, to learn that the federal reserve banks on May 23, had purchased \$25,000,000 of government obligations, which purchase probably represents the opening move in an extensive open market buying campaign. If any of the five inflationary powers granted to the president is to be used, this is certainly the most conservative and least dangerous. Indeed, to the extent that open market buying merely keeps pace with new government flotations it will add nothing to existing member bank reserve balances."

Prices Have Risen. "Commodity prices, however, have risen quite definitely during the past six weeks, the Annals index of wholesale commodity prices rising from 81.7 per cent (of 1913 prices) on April 4 to 90.9 per cent on May 16. This price rise has resulted from a very marked increase in the demand for goods with a consequent increase in the velocity of currency and credit circulation. The increased demand for goods in part represents a flood of buying held back and accumulated during the prolonged banking holiday, and in part represents purchasing of inventories in anticipation of a sharp price rise, this latter of course being a species of hoarding. The velocity of currency and bank credit in circulation has undoubtedly increased during the past two months as the rise in the price level has been accomplished in the face of a great shrinkage in available bank deposits and a tremendous reduction in the volume of currency in circulation. Money in circulation has declined from \$7,269,000,000 on March 15 to \$5,852,000,000 on May 17, a net decrease of \$1,417,000,000.

"The banking situation has improved steadily throughout the month as numerous state and national banks have completed their reorganizations and have resumed normal operations. It is probably correct to say that only 5 to 8 per cent of the total bank deposits continue to be tied up in closed banks. Most of the banks not yet open are in an advanced stage of reorganization."

Data on Banks. "The federal reserve board, as of

IMPROVEMENT REFLECTED BY RFC REPORTS

WASHINGTON, May 29.—General improvement in business conditions was reflected today in declining applications by banks, insurance companies and building and loan associations for loans from the Reconstruction Finance corporation.

Application in April, the RFC reported, fell to 420 from 878 in March and 1,527 in April 1932.

The decline in loan applications was viewed by Sec'y of Treasury Woodin as pointing toward continued and steady improvement in business. "I think we are definitely on the upward path" he said at the same time emphasizing it would be a "long pull."

Quick Approval Is Given Wagner Bill

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The senate approved in five minutes today the Wagner bill to create a federal system of employment agencies in cooperation with the state.

The bill appropriates for the system \$1,500,000 for the next fiscal year and \$4,000,000 annually for four years thereafter.

Senate Approves RFC B. and L. Loans

WASHINGTON, May 29.—The senate today passed a bill authorizing \$300,000,000 of Reconstruction Finance corporation aid to closed building and loan associations.

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DIVORCEMENT OF PIPE LINES IS DEMANDED

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Representatives of independent oil producers vigorously opposed government regulation of the industry today as the senate finance committee resumed hearings on the administration industry control - public works bill.

Jack Blalock of Marshall, Texas, told the committee "there is no emergency that justifies a federal dictatorship" over the petroleum industry. Blalock contended divorcement of pipe lines from major producers would solve the problems of the industry.

"Control of pipe lines by the big companies," Blalock said, "form a strangle hold on the independent producers."

"Separate the pipe lines from the companies and you will solve the so-called emergency in the oil business."

J. B. Elliott, of Los Angeles, told the committee he came before it "with a mandate from the people of California against any federal control of the oil industry."

"GOLD CLAUSE" BILL CARRIES ON TEST VOTE

WASHINGTON, May 29.—An overwhelmingly inflationist house majority today carried the administration's bill to repeal the gold clause to victory on a vital test vote.

The action, interpreted by democratic leaders as virtually assuring final passage for the drastic new legislation, came on the adoption of a special rule for consideration of the gold resolution.

Previously the house banking committee had reported the resolution was designed to prevent hoarding and "the flight of capital."

Stolen Car Found South of Cisco

A Chevrolet 1928 model car, belonging to Mrs. C. A. Bennie and stolen about 9 last night from in front of the home of a neighbor, was recovered by Cisco officers this morning eight miles south of town. The car had been stripped, police reported.

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HONESTY IN SECURITIES.

President Roosevelt has signed the bill to require sellers of securities in the United States to publish the facts about the investments they offer. Under the terms of the bill any person or firm offering securities for sale shall list these securities with the government for a period of 20 days before they are placed on the market. That will give the government time to investigate the issues and to okch them or issue a stop order.

During the past decade approximately twenty-five billions of dollars in securities were marketed in the United States. Much of this was not worth the paper on which it was written. But the public bought because buying gilt paper was the rage. Speculation was not in dividends but in the profit anticipated in turn-overs. The buyer bought at one price in the prospect of selling at a higher price. The essential soundness of the investment was a minor matter. The giddy whirl of the speculative wheel established a gyroscopic influence that kept the false bottom on an even keel. The new law requires that investments offered the public in the future shall have true ballast.

It is not meant, the administration explained, to hamper the sale of sound investments, but to assist the sale of this character of securities, to the mutual advantage of the buyer and seller, by removing the competition of unsound securities.

JOHNSTON DECLINES.

Sen. Hiram Johnson of California declined to serve on the American delegation to the London parley. He tendered the place. As he left the White House after making his views known to the president, the very able and fiery Californian said he appreciated the honor but that it was an absolute impossibility for him to go. Hiram Johnson is an independent-republican. He followed the flag of Roosevelt last year. There is a row on in the republican camp in California. Johnson's leaders in the Golden Coast state submitted a proposal to change the primary election laws. This would have enabled democrats to vote for a republican for United States senator or republicans to vote for a democrat at all primary elections. Well, the regulars of the two major parties bludgeoned the proposal by a vote of 33 to 3.

California traveled all the way last year. Californians gave Roosevelt an overwhelming majority. Johnson republicans did the work. They elected many democrats to the house and McAdoo United States senator. They voted for the repeal of the 18th amendment. They voted for the repeal of the state pro enforcement acts. Just now Sen. Johnson is busy repairing his fences. He had no time to attend the London conference. He is not for the League of Nations—front door or back door. Through the years he has been able to find his hat. A Waterloo comes in the life of every political leader. Johnson is planning for the future. A Waterloo does not appeal to him.

COTTON GROWERS WIN BATTLE.

Bascom N. Timmons, a Washington correspondent, tells it is known that the friends of the cotton grower have won their long fight to have the postoffice department use cotton twine instead of jute twine imported from India. Sen. Tom Connally, for years a leader in the battle for the rights

BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The six-hour work day, which will be at least a partial fixture in industry, can be made to work successfully.

It has been argued—chiefly by employers—that such a working schedule would be onerous and expensive for employers and employees alike. But the first official study of the operation of the six-hour day in a large industrial plant brings encouragement to those who take an opposite view.

As a management and the employees of the Kellogg Company at Battle Creek, Mich.—the plant surveyed—reported advantages and preference for the change from three eight-hour shifts to four six-hour shifts after more than two years of its operation. The study was made by the Department of Labor through its Women's Bureau and the workers interviewed were women, although no reason appears why similar results would not have been obtained from a group of men.

The first important result was an increase of 39 per cent in the number employed. The hourly wage rate was simultaneously increased by 12½ per cent for women while men were guaranteed a \$4 a day minimum. Production bonuses were continued and within a year the company had made a second 12½ per cent increase in the hourly wage rate—a total increase of 25 per cent.

The management was able to raise wages because it achieved certain advantages from the six-hour day which are summarized as follows:

Increased daily production from the plant, due to increased production at every station and unit.

Decreased overhead, since the factory produces more goods per dollar of overhead than under the eight-hour shift.

Increased return from capital investment in plant and machinery, due to increased rate of plant operation.

Elimination of meal periods, with their waste and the expense of a large cafeteria.

Opportunity for reorganizing the working force to rectify inequalities and fit all "pegs" in appropriate "holes."

Besides the 39 per cent increase in employment, the following advantages of the six-hour shifts for workers are recorded, based on interviews with 434 employees:

Eighty-five per cent liked the six-hour shift.

Of 249 women who had worked under both the long and the short shifts, 77 per cent preferred the six-hour day.

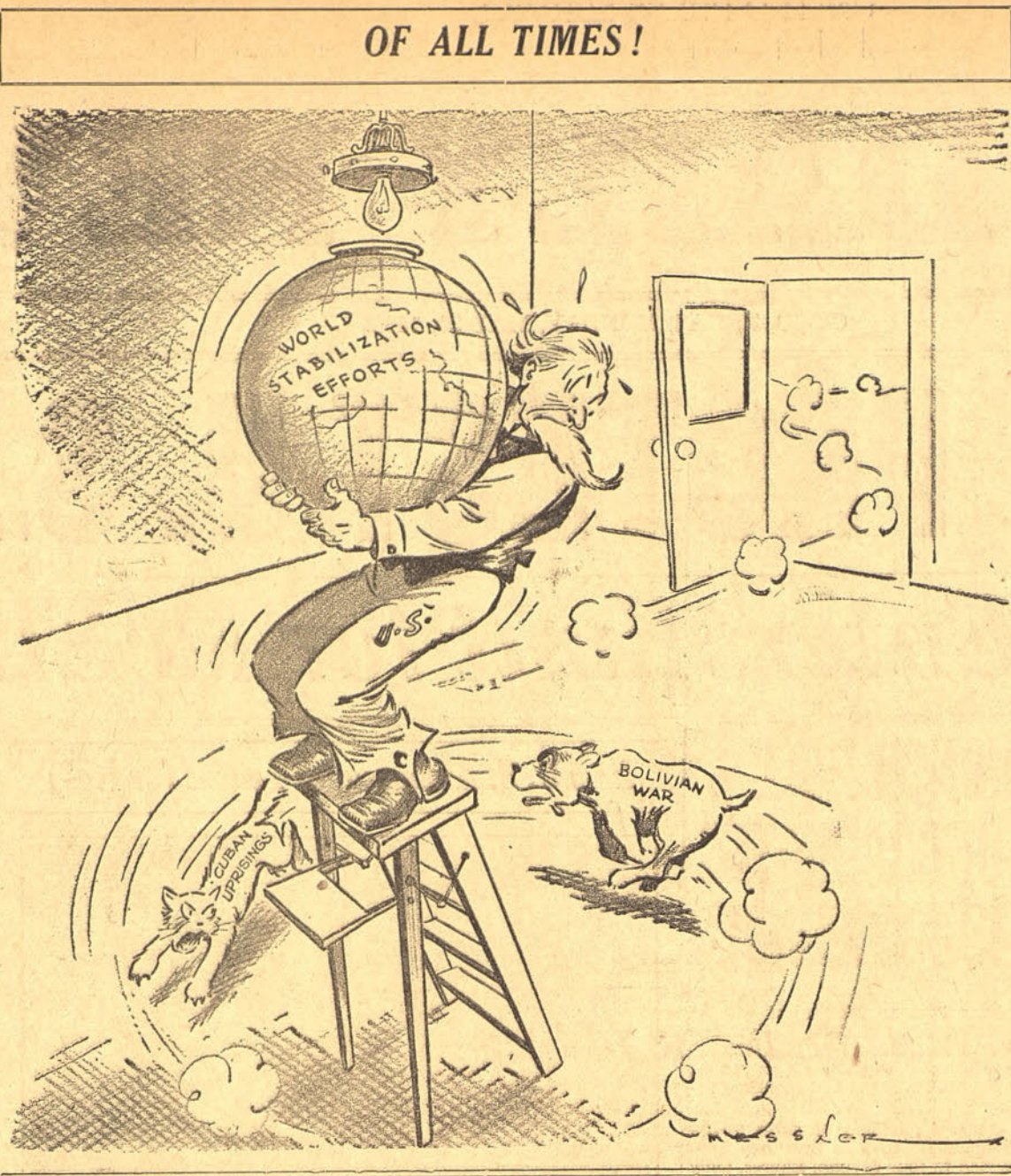
Reasons given for the preference included more time for home duties, more leisure and less fatigue. Women who preferred the eight-hour day preferred it because it had meant more pay or because they found it less fatiguing than the six-hour day, although 25 per cent had experienced less fatigue and 18 per cent more fatigue while a majority noticed no difference.

Elimination of the lunch hour annoyed a majority, who said they felt the need of food during the working period. The company has installed a milk service, but permits no eating at work.

Earnings of 77 per cent decreased under the six-hour day, while those of 23 per cent increased. The decrease was less than 10 per cent for more than a third of those affected and between 10 and 20 per cent for more than half of them.

Part of the decreased earnings were reflected by the fact that after the six-hour day was effected employees were no longer paid at a somewhat higher rate for night shift work.

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of the American cotton growers, was informed by Fourth Asst. Postmaster Gen. Silliman Evans, "in charge of the department of purchasing," that two orders for cotton twine have already been placed, totaling 47,000 pounds, and that in the near future heavy purchases will be made. Furthermore, it is stated ordinarily the department uses several million pounds of twine annually and the change of policy announced, it was pointed out, will therefore mean a new market for thousands of bales of cotton.

A third revolution, economically speaking, swept the country at the polling places in 1932. It carried a warning from all that territory west of the Alleghenies, the border states, and the South and Southwest, that the growers of things were in the saddle and in future years they were not to be made the victims of special laws enacted for the makers of things. All in all it would be well for the administration and the congressional leaders of the party in power to recall that it was a message from the heart as well as the hand of a vast majority of the American electorate.

Two Men and Two Records Compared

By HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

A Sicilian-born American has pushed his face into the national picture as well as the press headlines of the American and the foreign world. His name? Ferdinand Pecora. His profession? The law. His official title? A lawyer-investigator and cross examiner for a senate investigating committee. His salary? Two hundred and twenty-five dollars a month. His beginning?

An immigrant boy in the city of New York at the age of four. His achievements? A public school education paid for by the people and a collegiate and law equipment paid for with money earned by his own hands. How he climbed the ladder?

An independent in politics, he followed the flag of Theodore Roosevelt. Woodrow Wilson appeared on the scene. Pecora saw the light. He followed the flag of Wilson and enrolled as a member of Tammany. His first real job was assistant district attorney of New York city. He made a record that is a bright page in the history of officials who fought for the rights of all the people and the prosecution of all wrong-doers. He was refused nomination of district attorney and then embarked on a career of his own as a lawyer and champion of civil righteousness for those who believed a public office is a sacred trust.

He is at the top of the ladder now. His salary is a pittance. He loves his work. He is for the "people" as he sees it first.

He is a merciless prosecutor. Perhaps a merciless prosecutor was needed.

He has shattered many gilded idols of national and international reputation since the investigation began. How the mighty have fallen! Where will they go from here? Indeed, the most sensational literature in a news sense is the material that has been passed on to the reading public through the extraordinary ability and keenness of mind of Pecora, the Sicilian-born American who has uncovered many of the methods and the practices of the high gods of finance who rule in America as well as in the nations of Europe.

Ferdinand Pecora, 51 and taking down a salary of \$225 a month, has made his place in the national hall of fame; his pictured face has been given a lodgment on the tablet of public memory—and the end is not yet.

Blackfrosted are the records of democrats who have been high in the councils of public affairs and finances of the world. Scattered are the records of many outstanding republicans including that of a pious and frugal and ever owl-wise president of the United States. This is a most extraordinary period. In a sense in the history of the American republic. Pecora, the Sicilian-born American, has turned the burning

searchlight in the dark corners of the house of gold and many living American shrines of the populace and the press are on the rack waiting for the reaction—the verdict of the people—who while recognizing that "business is business," continue to believe and insist with Grover Cleveland, one of the greatest of democrats and most courageous and patriotic of public servants, that a public office is a public trust.

and not a private snap. Meaning of course that the golden fleece of the Napoleons of high finance and industry should not be tossed into the laps of men and women in the public service who are sworn servants of the social order and the guardians and protectors of those who are the heavyweights of wood and drawers of water as well as the backbone of a nation in peace time as well as war time.

Sicily is said to have sent to these shores Alphonse Capone who crawled out of dregs of the slums to become king of the underworld in the second American city. Capone is doing time for "flagrant evasion of the income tax laws of his adopted country." Sicily sent to these shores Ferdinand Pecora, brilliant and merciless as a prosecutor who has written into the records a fascinating tale of the distribution of the golden fleece to those who are on the "pet" list of the most gigantic house of finance ever erected under the flags of all the nations of North or South America. His name is among the mighty of the day and the period. He chose the straight road and landed at the top. Capone chose the other road and he landed behind the bars of a federal prison under the skies of Georgia.

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"The Miracle"

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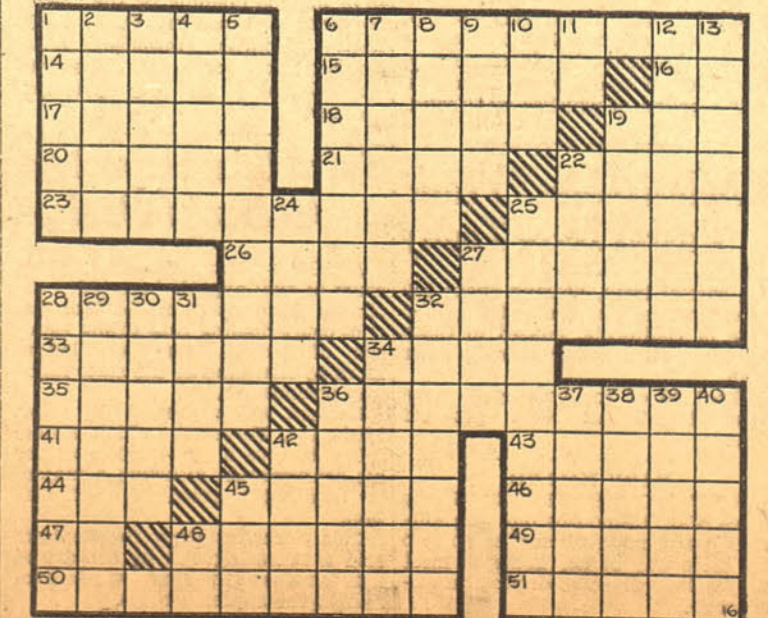
- Large front rooms.
- Who produced the play "The Miracle"?
- Glass marble.
- Trying experience.
- Suffix forming nouns.
- Gasified liquid.
- The structure on which Christ was crucified.
- Since.
- Osier bed.
- To molder away.
- Those who express indignation displeasure.
- Intricate (variant).
- Branches of learning.
- To dwell.
- Long-drawn speeches.
- Expanded.
- Delineates.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

EVERMORE URDU
SWASTIKA'S NAILS
PENT COMPACT
AREOLAR ARA LEE
PAGE PAS ORE
CRUSTED ELK GAP
HEN UTE
ANT CRY ANISEED
REP HUE RICE
AGO ANA ELYSIAN
DILATES TERNE
ENACT TRANSLATE
GREY SEROTTINE

VERTICAL

- Flavor.
- Gaping with wonder.
- Stone.
- To make amends.
- Songs sung under a lady's window.
- Close-fitting linen vestments.
- Mistakes.
- Heaven gods.
- Home of a bird.
- Possesses.
- Morindin dye.
- To humiliate.
- Celebrated in song.
- Final statement of account.
- Table-land.
- Three.
- Representatives.
- To drive.
- Nominal.
- To mimic.
- Stormed.
- Eras.
- Expunges.
- To replace.
- Fatigued.
- Pastoral.
- Common European shade.
- Crined.
- Parts of gunlocks.
- Eight incarnation of Vishnu.
- To pull.
- Common era.



Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

You don't have to go to some other city to buy good merchandise. Your local merchants carry big stocks of seasonal, up-to-date goods. Buy from your HOME MERCHANTS — it helps your city.

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It is a well established fact that for every three families living in a town or city there should be a family on a farm, devoting itself to the production of food. Don't overlook the farmer. He is an important factor in the building of your growing city.

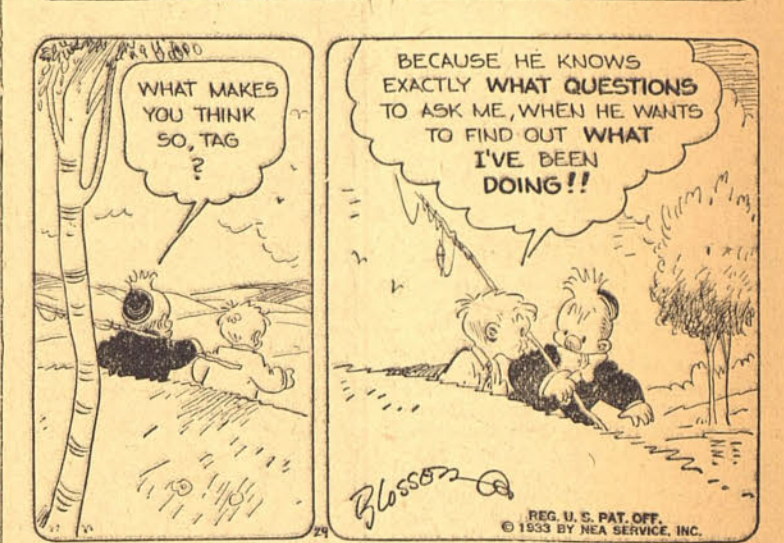
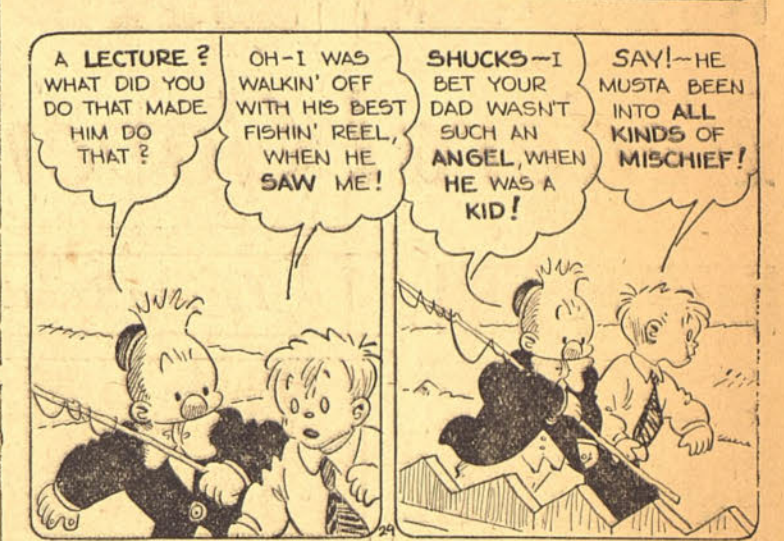
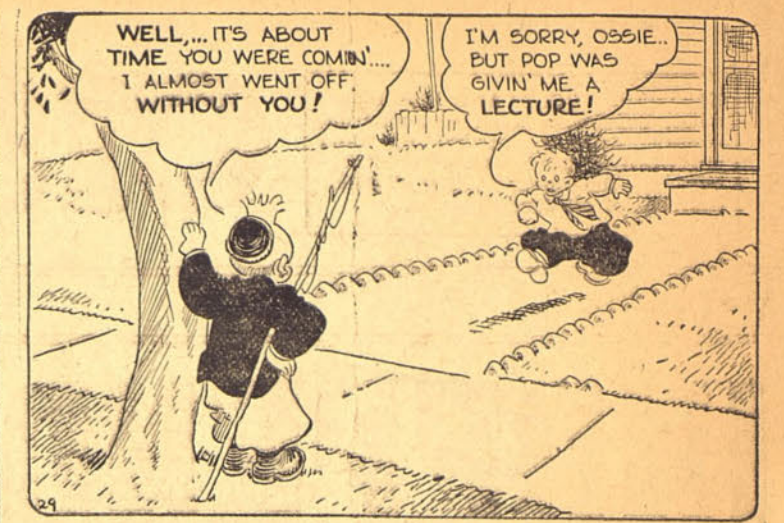
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VERNON, Ind., May 29 — Two men were cut by flying glass when a startled quail crashed through the windshield of their speeding ambulance here. The bird died.

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Houses for Rent

FIVE ROOM modern house on First Street. Call 12.

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WILL trade, used cars for horses, cattle, hogs, and saddles. Fresh milk cows for sale.

Announcements

NOTICE There will be a called meeting of Cisco Lodge No. 556 A. F. & A. M. Monday evening May 29 at 8 p. m.

NOTICE There will be a stated meeting of Cisco Chapter No. 190 Thursday evening June 1st at 8 p. m.

THE ROTARY club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15.

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Thus the importation of cement from Germany has almost ceased.

Orders are placed almost exclusively in Britain, Belgium and Denmark.

Orders for metallurgical goods on a large scale. Tools and manufactured goods now are being imported from Britain.

The state-controlled co-operative, "Lietukis," is placing almost all its orders in Britain from where it is importing large quantities of coal, coke, cement, tin plates, and other goods.

Representatives of British and French firms, who recently arrived here, largely profited from the Lithuanian merchants' unwillingness to buy German goods.

The boycott movement has given an unexpected impetus to the Scandinavian and Baltic film industry.

As the public in Scandinavian and Baltic films newly established concern the "Baltic and Scandinavian Film Company," has begun to produce films for the Baltic and Scandinavian market.

CLOSING TIME FOR MAIIS.

Waco and Stamford Train No. 24 (S. Bound) 3:50 p. m.

Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 16 (E. Bound) 9:50 a. m.

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Waco and Stamford Train No. 35 (N. Bound) 10:45 a. m.

Fort Worth and El Paso Train No. 4 (E. Bound) 4 p. m.

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No. 1650-B. STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TAYLOR. IRA L. GUFFEY vs. JOHN I. CHESLEY

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 104th District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the first day of April, A. D. 1933 in favor of said Ira L. Guffey and against the said John I. Chesley, numbered 1650-B on docket of said court, I did on the 13th day of May, 1933, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Eastland, State of Texas, a one sixth (1-6) interest thereof, belonging to said John I. Chesley, to-wit:

Property in Eastland County, Texas, as shown in schedule and affidavit for Inheritance Book 28, page 326, Probate Minutes, Eastland County, Texas, in which defendant owns a one-sixth (1-6) interest: Description: Abstract No. 232, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 160 acres, value \$60.00 acre.....\$ 900.00

Abstract No. 259, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., 390 acres, value \$6.00 acre..... 2,340.00

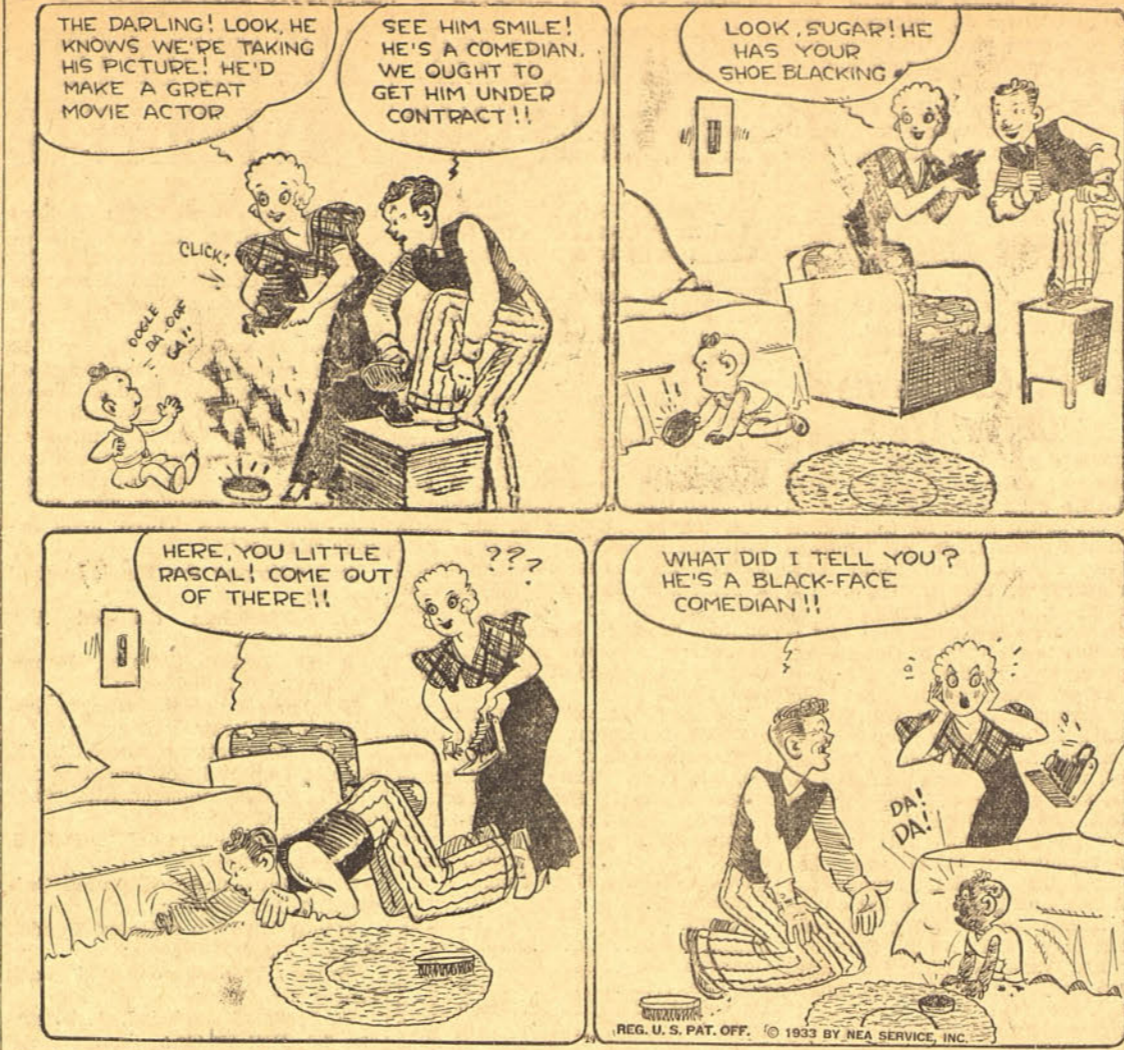
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609 8th St., 75x135, Block O, Add. 3..... 1,000.00

607 8th St., Lot 4, Bl. 95, Add. 1..... 1,500.00

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MOM'N POP.



BEHIND THE WAR SCENES IN THE FAR EAST

Editor's Note: This is the sixth installment of Frederick Whiteing's diary, written while the United Press Staff Correspondent was with the Japanese army advancing through the Chinese Province of Jehol. The difference in dates is due to the delay in mail transmission from the Far East.

By FREDERICK WHITEING United Press Staff Correspondent WITH THE JAPANESE ARMY 8TH DIVISIONAL HEADQUARTERS, JEHOI CITY, March 8 - A unique personality one of the most interesting individuals in Jehoi, is Father Oscar Conrad, priest in charge of the Belgium Roman Catholic mission.

He has lived in Mongolia, Manchuria, and Jehoi for 38 years. He is highly respected by the people, not only in this city, but throughout Jehoi.

When the governor, Tang Yulin, and his troops fled and the Japanese vanguard entered, Father Conrad accompanied the citizens' committee, at their special request, which welcomed the Japanese.

Father Conrad is short and stout, and is the only one of the old regime, forcibly on the advantages to be gained from the advent of the Japanese. The citizens constantly come to consult him on their relations with the Japanese army.

He relates with appreciation courtesies his mission already has received from the Japanese.

Father Conrad is short and stout, with the graying beard to his own tongue, he speaks the Chinese current in Jehoi with fluency and English remarkably well with the occasional admixture of a French word. He is jolly and treats me with open-hearted hospitality.

WITH THE JAPANESE ARMY BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS, KUPSIKOU, March 12 - I arrived here this evening, shortly after the Japanese vanguard, under Major-General Kawahara, had occupied the town. I came with a motor truck column from Jehoi City.

after four days' fighting. Most of the houses in the town had been abandoned, and many of those in the main street, as evidenced by notices pasted on the doors and gateways had been occupied by Chinese troops. The interiors had been wrecked.

Live hand-grenades and various sorts of ammunition are strewn all over. Numbers of Chinese uniforms, metal helmets, knapsacks, paper umbrellas, and other soldiers' equipment are scattered about.

On the way between Jehoi City and Kupeiikou, I passed through a succession of rocky defiles and mountain passes, which afforded

innumerable opportunities for resisting the advance of the Japanese forces. Some of these were taken advantage of by the Chinese especially at a pass called Chanshanko, some 25 miles southwest of Jehoi City. This pass, which was strongly entrenched along the heights, was captured March 9, after which the Japanese without stopping, advanced through the night toward Kupeiikou.

WOOD FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS CLINTONVILLE, Wis., May 29 - The Clintonville Weekly Tribune accepts dry wood for subscriptions.

OUT OUR WAY



Improvement---

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE

May 10, recommended the publication of weekly data bearing on the condition of reporting member banks. Although the data in the new series are not strictly comparable with the earlier reports, somewhat fewer banks now reporting, yet it will be of interest to compare some of the figures. Total loans of the reporting banks as of May 10 were \$3,404,000,000, as compared with \$9,627,000,000 on March 1. Total investment holdings declined from \$8,196,000,000 on March 1 to \$7,914,000,000 on May 10. Total reserves with the federal reserve banks dropped from \$1,599,000,000 to \$1,536,000,000; and total demand deposits from \$10,593,000,000 to \$10,509,000,000. Borrowings from the

federal reserve banks declined from \$488,000,000 to \$80,000,000 on May 10. The virtual liquidation of indebtedness to the federal reserve banks together with the rapid increase in demand deposits during April and May are, of course, very encouraging.

"Data supplied by the reporting banks in the eleventh district indicate substantial recessions from April, 1932, figures. Total deposits were some 8 per cent under those of a year ago and total loans showed a 15 per cent decline. The increased government bond holdings together with decreased indebtedness to the federal reserve bank and lower deposit liabilities indicate some improvement in general liquidity. Total debits to individual accounts during the month made a better than ordinary showing in comparison with 1932 figures."

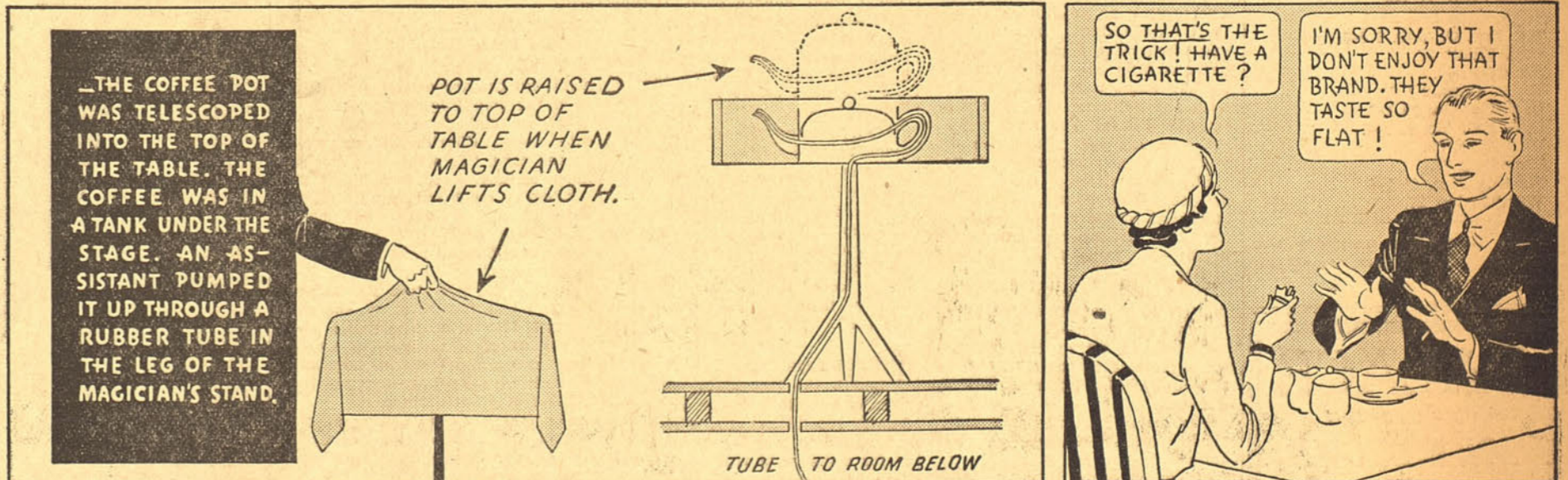
State Trapper Catches Old Wolf

State Trapper F. B. Mathews has caught an old female wolf believed to be the one that killed six turkeys belonging to Sam Yeager during the last month. This wolf has avoided traps for the last three years. Mathews said.

13 SPADE HAND DEALT

LAURINBURG, N. C. May 29 - Mrs. Ina McN. Avinger, who had been drawing the poorest hands in the game during the evening held 13 spades in a single hand here recently. She and Mary Patterson were opposing Mrs. James A. Jones and Mrs. D. C. McNeill, Jr., all of Laurinburg.

IT'S FUN TO BE FOOLED. Today's Magic Feature Coffee - Hot and Delicious - Out of Thin Air!



Advertisement for Camel cigarettes. Text includes 'DO THEY REALLY TASTE FLAT? I THOUGHT THEY WERE SUPPOSED TO BE MILD.', 'MILD? TRY A CAMEL AND YOU'LL GET MILDNESS AND BETTER TASTE, TOO.', 'OH, JACK - THIS IS WONDERFUL! WHAT IS IT THOSE ADS SAY: "IT'S MORE FUN TO KNOW"?' 'YES, IT'S THE TOBACCO THAT COUNTS, ELLIE.', 'ELLIE DIDN'T KNOW THAT SHE HAD ILLUSIONS ABOUT CIGARETTES UNTIL JACK PERSUADED HER TO TRY ONE OF HIS CAMELS. NOW SHE'S A CAMEL FAN, TOO.', 'IT'S MORE FUN TO KNOW', 'Camels are made from finer, MORE EXPENSIVE tobaccos than any other popular brand. You'll appreciate the mildness...the flavor...the added pleasure of costlier tobaccos.', 'NO TRICKS IN CAMELS - JUST COSTLIER TOBACCOS'.

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BRITISH PLAN ALL DAY FLIGHT FOR KING'S CUP

LONDON, May 29.—Airplanes of many types will race all day over the countryside, extending 200 miles north of here when the contest for the King's Cup is decided July 8.

Seven aerodromes, six of which are Royal Air Force stations, have been chosen by the Royal Aero club as turning points in the race. They are Felixstowe, Bircham Newton, Cranwell, Desford, Wittering, Henlow and Upper Heyford, Desford is the only civil aerodrome in the circuit, but Royal Aero Club officials and observers will be stationed at each of the aerodromes to see that competitors circle the turning points properly.

The Start

Starting at Hatfield Aerodrome, just outside of here, the race will be flown in four rounds, each starting and finishing at Hatfield. Each round will be flown over 200 miles and must be completed without a stop.

The courses for the four rounds are as follows:

First round: Hatfield — Felixstowe — Bircham Newton — Hatfield (220 miles).

Second round: Hatfield — Cranwell — Desford — Hatfield (206 miles).

Third round: Hatfield — Bircham Newton — Wittering — Hatfield (193 miles).

Fourth round: Two circuits non-stop Hatfield — Henlow — Upper Heyford — Hatfield (204 miles).

Only British Planes

Only British machines, entrants and pilots are allowed to compete, and all pilots, whether amateur or professional, must produce proof of having flown alone for 100 hours before the race. Almost every type of British-built plane will be seen in the race and they will be handicapped according to engine power and performance.

Closing Selected New York Stocks

- American Can 92 3-4.
- Am. P. & L. 9.
- Am. Smit 35 3-4.
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- Anaconda 15 1-2.
- Auburn Auto 58 3-4.
- Aviation Corp. Del. 12 1-2.
- Barnsdall Oil Co. 8.
- Both Steel 27 3-4.
- Byers A. M. 24.
- Canada Dry 21.
- Case J. I. 71 1-2.
- Chrysler 24.
- Curtiss Wright 2 7-8.
- Elect Au. L. 22 3-8.
- Elect St. Bat. 39 1-8.
- Foster Wheel 16.
- Fox Films 3 3-4.
- Freeport-Tex. 37.
- Gen. Elec. 21 5-8.
- Gen. Foods 33 3-4.
- Gen. Mot. 25 3-4.
- Gillette S. R. 14 1-8.
- Goodyear 35.
- Houston Oil 27 5-8.
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- Int. Harvester 38.
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- Southern Pacific 26.
- Stan. Oil N. J. 37.
- Studebaker 3 7-8.
- Texas Corp. 21 7-8.
- Texas Gulf Sul. 29 1-4.
- Tex. Pac. C. & O. 6 3-8.
- Und. Elliott 28.
- Un. Carb. 40.
- United Corp. 9 1-8.
- U. S. Gypsum 30 1-8.
- U. S. Ind. Aic. 49 3-4.
- U. S. Steel 53.
- Vanadium 22.
- Westing Elec. 44 1-4.
- Worthington 27.

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About Cisco Today

Society Editor, Miss Marjorie Noell—Phone 80.

CALENDAR

Tuesday

The circles of the W. M. S. of the First Baptist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a social meeting at the church.

The Women's auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church will have its annual birthday party Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

There will be a rehearsal of the installation service of the Cisco Chapter O. E. S. Tuesday evening at 7:45 at the Masonic hall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Borman and son, Delmar, and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kimmel visited Mrs. E. W. LeFever at Harris sanatorium in Fort Worth yesterday. Mrs. LeFever, who has been ill for the past several weeks, was reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. F. H. Patterson of Westbrook and Mrs. E. O. Elliott and daughters, Violet and Joyce, of Colorado are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Elliott and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hart were visitors at Luaders yesterday.

Mrs. Nollie Mize and children of Carlton are visiting Mrs. Laura Lamb.

Miss Frankie Lou Garrett, who has been attending Randolph college is leaving tomorrow for her home in Carbon.

Miss Maedine Johnson of Breckenridge was the guest of Miss Dutch Van Horn yesterday.

R. V. Logan of Houston spent the weekend in Cisco with his wife and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Goldberg are

expected to return today from a weekend visit in Dallas.

Mrs. J. B. Hicks, Miss Ethel Hicks and Miss Lucille Hicks were visitors in Rising Star yesterday.

Mrs. W. D. Hazel and daughter, Sylvia, have returned from Temple where Sylvia underwent a medical examination. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. G. G. Hazel and daughter, Juanita, of Sudan.

Clayde Gunn left yesterday for several days stay in Carlton.

Phil-Pe-Co Tourney Dates Are Fixed

At a meeting of Philpeco country club held this week June 29, 24 and 25 were set as the dates for the annual invitation tournament of Philpeco Country club, of Rising Star, Pioneer and Cross Plains. The club is situated on beautiful Phillips lake, six miles west of Rising Star and is accessible to all parts of this section on good paved roads.

A very attractive prize list has been arranged for and will go to: Medalist in qualifying rounds, winner of each flight, runner up in each flight, winner of each consolation flight and winner of the driving contest. Friday, June 23, will be qualification day for all visitors, while members of the club may begin their qualification rounds on June 19th and have them out of the way before the arrival of visitors. Match play will begin Saturday morning, June 24, with the final match being played Sunday afternoon, June 25th.

Friday night, June 23rd, a big barbecue dinner will be served all entrants after which the Calcutta pool will be held. Special entertainment is to be provided and there will be plenty of fun and amusement.

Philpeco course is laid out along the shores and undulating slopes of lake Phillips and is one of the sportiest and most scenic courses in West Texas. It is well kept, has excellent sand greens and is plenty tough to play. It has water and wood hazards.

SOX WIN FROM PERRIN TO TIE FOR LOOP LEAD

By FRANK LANGSTON

Led by Abbott, Red Sox catcher, Cisco drew up to a tie for the front position in the Oil Belt loop by stopping Perrin, league leaders, by a 4 to 2 count here yesterday. Abbott crossed the plate three times, after hammering out four clean hits out of four times at bat.

Cisco tallied in the second inning when Coleman drove deep into center field, scoring Abbott. Perrin took the lead in the sixth when Wade singled to score Pedon and Christen scored on Ladd's bunt.

In the second half of the sixth, with one gone, Harris singled over second. He was safe on his attempt to steal when Hay's throw was wild. Abbott singled to left, and Henson bunted, scoring Harris. Coleman doubled to left, to score Abbott. Henson was tagged at third and Ray struck out.

Cisco	R. H. E.
Van Horn, 2	0 0 0
Pippen, 8	0 1 0
Harrow, m.	0 0 0
Thornton, 1	0 0 0
Harris, 1	1 3 0
Abbott, c.	3 4 0
Henson, p.	0 1 1
Coleman, 3	0 3 0
Ray, r.	0 0 0
Dick, x.	0 0 0
Totals	4 12 3

(x)—Batted for Ray in eighth.

CISCO GOLFERS ARE DEFEATED BY PHIL-PE-CO

The Cisco Country club golfers lost one of those "It should-have-been-others" matches to the Phil-Pe-Co Country club team yesterday afternoon at the Phil-Pe-Co course near Rising Star. The locals dropped 11 two-somes for the 19 won. A mix-up in the ladder ranked one Cisco player, Dr. Paul M. Woods below his rightful position and left him among the four idle members of the Cisco party which was blamed for costing a score and the game.

Most of the matches were eight-hole affairs. Three went beyond that route.

The following are the individual results:

Cisco	R. H. E.
Bill McMahon defeated Bob Wheeler 3-2, Cisco;	
T. O. Powell defeated Homer Slicker 2 up, Phil-Pe-Co;	
Bill Tunnell defeated Chas. Shepherd 1 up 20 holes, Phil-Pe-Co;	
J. T. Hammett defeated R. L. Ponsler 1 up 19 holes, Phil-Pe-Co;	
O. L. Stamey defeated Nick Nicholson 5-6, Cisco;	
O. V. Cunningham defeated M. S. Sellers 5-3, Cisco;	
M. L. Joyce defeated Sentell Caffery 2-1, Phil-Pe-Co;	
Wayne Middleton defeated Wendell Russell 3-2, Phil-Pe-Co;	
Forbes Wallace defeated Jack Embry 2-1, Cisco;	
W. Wright defeated J. A. Robinson 2-1, Phil-Pe-Co;	
M. G. Underwood defeated P. L. Cagle 6-4, Phil-Pe-Co;	
C. R. Carrothers defeated Porter Davis 4-3, Cisco;	
H. V. Joyner defeated Fred Cook 1 up 19 holes, Cisco;	
W. R. Smith defeated W. B. Gunn 3-2, Cisco;	
Ross Newton defeated P. L. Ullom 1 up, Phil-Pe-Co;	
Fred Tunnell defeated A. L. Filler 4-3, Phil-Pe-Co;	
Byran Wright defeated J. W. Thomas, Sr. 2 up, Phil-Pe-Co;	
R. B. Gustafson defeated Jay Koonce 1 up, Cisco;	
O. E. Caudle defeated W. Milner	

8-6, Cisco; C. R. Page defeated Coe Cross 1 up, Cisco; J. N. Green defeated W. C. McDaniels 3-2, Phil-Pe-Co.

TO GET SHOVELS

BOISE, Idaho, May 29 — It appears that members of the civilian reforestation army are going to work for 50,000 shovels have been ordered by the forest service for conservation army workers in the Intermountain section.

GOT LICENSE

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 29 — Although he was against the bill, State Senator John E. Booth, Spanish Fork, Utah, druggist, holds license No. 1 under a sales tax law passed by the last legislature.

THIEF STOLE ASPIRIN

BOISE, Idaho, May 29 — No headaches for this thief. He looted the traveling case of R. A. Lane, a salesman, and stole two cartons of aspirin tablets.

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DARLING FOOL

BEGIN HERE TODAY

MONNIE O'DARE loves DAN CARDIGAN, wealthy and handsome, who is out with a party of friends, including the aren. SANDRA LAWRENCE, Sandra, pretending to be Monnie's friend, wants Dan for herself. His parents want him to marry Sandra and look down on Monnie because the O'Dares are poor. Monnie clerks in a drug store.

CHAPTER XXIX

MONNIE turned the letter over in her hands before she opened it. The thick creamy envelope, the bold black writing spoke to her eloquently of the writer. She smiled to herself, secretly, contentedly. Dan would explain now his long silence. She would know and be reassured.

She went into the house, hallooing for her mother who was in the dining room. Then she sped upstairs, eager to peruse the letter in solitude. Her heart was beating faster. It was almost as if Dan himself were in the room, waiting to speak to her—

"Dear Monnie," (he began) "I've been busy every minute of the time. This is a great country and great people and I like it. Rode 50 miles yesterday. We had a picnic up in the hills. Tonight we go to one of the dances at the next ranch. Everybody's so hospitable. Monnie, there's something I want to talk to you about when I get back. I think perhaps after all we'd better hold up our plans a bit—not go ahead with the January idea. There are reasons. I'll tell you more when I see you. Let me assure you that you are greatly missed.—Dan."

She put the letter down on the dressing table gently. She looked at herself in the mirror, taking off her hat, brushing her crest of bright hair away from the sweep of her forehead.

"Why, then," she said to herself lightly, in a conversational voice, "There's no point—"

She broke off at the sound of Kay's footstep on the stairs. Quickly she hid the letter in the top drawer.

Kay came in, whistling softly. "Hello, didn't know you were here."

"I got off early, Kay!"

"What's up?" The younger sister stared, noting Monnie's brilliant eyes, the flush on her usually pale cheeks.

"I've decided."

"Decided what? Oh, d'you mean—"

Monnie nodded. "I'm going with Miss Anstice."

If she stopped long enough to consider the situation she was overwhelmed with a sort of sick despair. She would not dwell on what might happen if any of the family fell ill while she was away. Kay's salary would help to carry them along. Bill, unusually garrulous for him, had called her aside.

"I'm glad you're going," he said. "Somebody in this family was about due for a break. Don't worry about money."

"What about Angle?" Monnie had asked. "Is that—?"

Bill's face was blank. "We're coming right along," he told her easily. "Maybe in the spring she'll be free."

"You—you're crazy about her, aren't you?"

Bill looked faintly embarrassed. "Sure. Angle's a wonderful girl." But Monnie thought she caught, in his eyes, almost a touch of bewilderment. If Bill had given his promise to Angle, she reflected, wild horses wouldn't drag it away again. She thought of the lines:

"The men of my own stock, Bitter bad they may be, But at least they feel the things I feel, They see the things I see."

She felt a surge of pride in her brother. Angle Gillen was a lucky girl.

Mrs. O'Dare said one night, "Monnie, I've a little money saved that I want you to have. I know Miss Anstice is going to pay you a small salary as a companion but you'll need a few nice things. This is a nest egg. You're to take it and buy some pretty new clothes."

She put a small roll of bills into the girl's hand. Monnie, counting them, found \$100.

"Is this the money Aunt Sybil left you?"

"Yes. I want you to have it."

"I can't. You need things more than I do—a winter coat—"

"Monnie!" There was a new note in her mother's quiet voice. "You're to have it. Do you hear? I want you to!"

Monnie's. "Angle's a good little thing," said Mrs. O'Dare loyally. "Only—well it can't be helped now!"

"It's the ones with the dash that succeed," Kay murmured. "If Gertrude would give that mousy hair of hers a henna rinse and redder her fingernails—if she'd use eye shadow and lipstick she'd look a lot better. She's not bad looking only she gets herself up to look like Jane Austen."

"You tell her that some time, Miss Smarty," said Mark, who had come in noiselessly and stood grinning in the doorway.

"You belong in bed, young man," Kay told her brother loftily. "Believe I will tell her, now that you mention it."

"Children, children!"

"Aw, we weren't fighting. Mums, only Kay thinks she knows it all." Mark put his freckled paw beside his mother's thin one.

"We'd better all get to bed," she told her brood. "We've got to get up early. Monnie's train leaves at 8:30."

THERE was a sharp ratta-tat at the door and Mark blundered to open it. He returned in a moment bearing a square white florist's box. Monnie's heart gave a great leap. Her thought, as always, was that it might be from Dan—Dan who was in far away Wyoming.

"Kid Eustace's chauffeur," grinned Mark, "brought it."

Monnie, hiding her disappointment, cut the silver tape and lifted from the crinkling paper a cluster of bronze and green orchids, delicate, exotic. Charles had scrawled on the card, "To wear on your going-away day. Good luck."

"They're much too grand for Belvedere," sighed Kay, enviously. "Keep 'em fresh till you get to New York. Charles must have wired to get them."

Monnie did not sleep much that night. When, toward dawn, she fell at last into a fitful slumber she was haunted by dreams in which Dan Cardigan, dressed in chaps and sheepskin, rode toward her, bearing a sheaf of giant orchids.

She felt someone tugging at the bed clothes and opened her eyes. "Wake up, lazybones," Kay was smiling.

Monnie came back to life. It was the day she was to leave for New York with Miss Anstice. Tomorrow they would be sailing for England. She had to pluck herself to see if she were really alive.

An hour later, flushed, starchy eyed, the orchids planned to the brown fur collar of her new hunter's green coat, she faced them all on the platform.

"Oh, I can't leave you—!" Her mother patted her shoulder. "Nonsense. We'll get along all right."

"All aboard!" The bell began to toll. Miss Anstice, nervously excited, hopped up on the platform. She saw their faces through a blur. "Good-by, good-by!" The train was moving.

"That," said Miss Anstice a moment later, "is the down train from the city. Wonder who's on it. Her curiosity excited, she peered out.

"Quite a crowd," murmured Miss Anstice. Monnie did not hear. Nor did she know that the tall young man shouldering his way along the platform they had just left was Dan Cardigan.

THREE days more. Then two. At length the last night came. In spite of herself, in spite of all her frantic resolutions, the girl found she had been waiting unconsciously for some word from Dan. Perhaps he would hear she was going away. He might see the "Belvedere News" with the account of her plans. Surely someone would tell him, mention it casually in a letter. They would say, "I see Monica O'Dare is going abroad with Miss Cory."

Dan would be affronted by the idea. He would send her a wire. But this was her last night. She had not answered his letter, nor had she heard from him.

"Got everything?" This from Kay, packing and sorting the underthings. "Wasn't it sweet of Gertrude to bring those suede gloves?"

"Yes," Mrs. O'Dare sighed. "Gertrude's an awfully nice girl. I'm so fond of her."

"Mother, you can't choose Bill's wife for him. Don't you know that?" Kay said, smiling.

"Of course she does. Hasn't she proved it?" Monnie gave Kay a warning glance. "It is too bad about Gertrude and Bill. He used to like her a lot and I know she still cares about him."

"So does Angle," said Kay, bent on mischief.

"We know that." Her mother looked up from mending a slip of

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