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LINDY TAKES OVER HUNT FOR CHILD

National Guard Is Mobilized After Detroit Rioting

GRIM-FACED GIRL LEADER IS DEFIANT

DETROIT, Mich., March 8.—Rioting of unemployed at the Ford plant yesterday, in which four men were killed and 22 were hurt, has resulted in mobilization of the national guard and arrest of 15 alleged mob leaders including the defiant girl who shouted "Come on you cowards."

The grim-faced girl, Mary Gossman, her shabby blue dress still stained with blood of her slain sweetheart who died in her arms, was in fighting mood as she faced her police accusers today.

"Yes, I was there. I'm not sorry. I did it for starving millions. Blame capitalism which is the cause of all suffering. Now don't talk to me," the peerless woman shouted.

Police charged the rioting of the 3,000 jobless men and women was planned by communists. Sticks, stones, tear gas and bullets were used by police and rioters before the disturbance was quelled.

The four killed were Joseph York, 23, Joe DeBurske, 20, Coleman Leuz, 25, and Joseph Bussel, 16, years old, a newsboy.

Police had arrested 15 alleged members of the mob, and prosecutors said they probably would be charged with manslaughter.

Police said the girl had a record in several other cities as a labor agitator.

EMPLOYEES OF STATE ANSWER QUESTIONNAIRE

AUSTIN, March 8.—Do you support your mother-in-law? How long does it take to sweep the second floor of the state capitol? Do you go to work promptly by an alarm clock? How long does it take you to eat your lunch?

In the name of the sovereign state of Texas, a state legislative committee on organization and economy is demanding answers to these and other questions of state employees. All employees, from janitors to university presidents are required to answer 45 questions on the list.

Professors skilled in mathematics have gone into long conferences with their wives in an effort to find the "contributions or payments" they have been called upon to make voluntarily or otherwise, such as payments for other funds.

The question, apparently, has caused more difficulty than any of the others. Employees find it a simple matter to compute the time required to sweep the front walk or to change the flat on car no. 78 of the State Highway department.

The questionnaire calls for a full description of the employee's duties and the amount of time he spends on each phase of his daily task. One division of questions concerns absences with pay, the amount, the average for five years, vacation periods, absence because of sickness, other reasons, and the nature of these reasons.

Suggestions for simplification of individual and group tasks are asked.

RESCUE SHIPS ARE STANDING BY FREIGHTER

NEW YORK, March 8.—Coast guard craft and the White Star liner Adriatic stood by the disabled freighter Behndeloben in distress on the Atlantic today, one of seven vessels battered by pounding waves swept before a furious storm.

Radio messages from the steamer Adriatic said she was standing by as the crew of the distressed freighter expected to abandon her as soon as feasible.

Lives of more than 150 seamen were believed endangered by the storm, which had left several of these vessel helplessly. Several other vessels first reported in danger were reported safe during the night.

Famous Father and His Baby



Col. Charles A. Lindbergh is shown above in a composite picture with his missing baby son.

CISCO ENVOYS GO TO AUSTIN FOR HEARING

Supt. R. N. Cluck, of the Cisco public schools, and Principal H. Brandon, of the high school, left today for Austin to defend the school against the action of the executive committee of district 3 in recommending its suspension from the Interscholastic league for one year for alleged infringement of league rules. The league's state executive committee will conduct a hearing on the recommendation tomorrow.

Mr. Cluck and Mr. Brandon carried with them the evidence that Cisco will submit in support of Cisco's contention that Fred Hightower was eligible for the Breckenridge-Cisco game of last year out of which the case grew. Charges which caused the district committee to award that game to Breckenridge after first deciding in favor of Cisco, and which formed the basis for the recent action in recommending suspension of the school, are that Hightower was not enrolled in Cisco high school 30 days prior to the contest on October 23.

Prior to leaving for Austin Mr. Cluck pointed out that at one point in the Daily News article of yesterday dealing with the case a misconception of the facts occurred, requesting that the article be corrected at that point. The paragraph referred to the refusal of the executive committee to reconsider the Connel case and stated that a hearing requested by Cisco for the presentation of additional evidence had been refused. On the contrary, Mr. Cluck pointed out, the hearing had been promptly granted by the chairman, who was at that time Supt. Holloway, of Ranger, but after review of the evidence, the committee decided that to take further action in the case and revise its previous decision would be to establish a precedent that might be embarrassing.

DIDN'T HALT GAME.
RIPLEY, Miss., March 8.—When a building collapsed here, officers rushed to the scene, to find 11 negroes picking themselves up and beginning a dice game that was in progress when the building fell. It was thought the shuffling of the players caused the building, which was old and deserted, to collapse.

D. C. Saddler Goes To Big Spring

D. C. Saddler, who has been with the Texas and Pacific here for many years, has been transferred to the Big Spring station, it was announced today. His place here as yard clerk has been taken by T. R. Bailey, of Ranger, who moved his family to Cisco last week.

Mrs. Saddler and their daughter will remain in Cisco indefinitely.

Mr. Saddler leaves in the morning to take up his new duties.

ATTENDS CROP LOAN MEETING AT ABILENE

J. E. Spencer, one of three Cisco men named as a committee to receive applications for new crop production loans by the federal government to farmers in the Cisco territory, is in Abilene today to attend a meeting where the procedure in granting these loans will be explained. Owen W. Sherrill, administrative officer for the southwest, was to address the meeting.

The loan will be made from a \$50,000,000 appropriation for agriculture included in the reconstruction finance corporation act.

Mr. Spencer expressed the opinion that the Cisco committee would have the necessary blanks and be ready to take applications from the farmers within the next week.

ROCK PILE FOR CRITIC.

WATERVILLE, Me., March 8.—John McClellan is serving 30 days on the rock pile in jail because he criticized a telephone operator for giving him the wrong number. He took so long telling the operator that she was terrible that the manager of the hotel where he was staying had him arrested for drunkenness.

OLD TRAIL SOUGHT.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., March 8.—Search has been started in an effort to locate the ancient trail that led south from Colorado City in the old days when the west was young. W. F. Cochran, government forest ranger, who is compiling historical data has broadcast an appeal throughout the state for aid in his hunt.

SPANISH WAR VET OFFICIALS TO VISIT HERE

SWEETWATER, March 8.—West Texas towns will be visited this week by state officials of the United Spanish War Veterans on a tour of inspection of the camps of that organization under the leadership of Department Commander Henry F. Geyer, accompanied by Post Department Commander J. B. Berden of Fort Worth and Past Commander Louis H. Degen of Eugene J. Hernandez Camp of San Antonio. The party will be in San Angelo, Thursday night, March 10; Sweetwater, Friday night and Saturday morning, March 11 and 12; Abilene, Saturday night, March 12; Breckenridge, Sunday, March 13; Stamford, Sunday, March 13; Cisco, Eastland and Ranger, Monday, March 14; Mineral Wells, Monday night, March 14; Fort Worth, March 15; Waco, March 16; Temple, March 16; Taylor, March 16.

Open meetings will be held in each of the towns where camps have been organized and all Spanish-American War Veterans are invited to meet the officers of the organization.

A banquet will be tendered the visitors at Sweetwater, where the state encampment will be held June 12-15.

Briand Eulogized In French Chamber

PARIS, March 8.—Aristide Briand France's greatest statesman, was eulogized today from the tribune of the chamber of deputies, scene of his parliamentary glory for a quarter of a century.

Tribute to the statesman who died yesterday was paid by Fernand Buisson, president of the chamber, and Premier Andre Tardieu, while the deputies stood in silent respect.

BADGES STOLEN.

BOSTON, March 8.—Two embarrassed officers, Patrolmen John J. Buckley and George F. Brassil, recently reported the theft of their police badges from their overcoats while they were eating in an Allston luncheon.

WORST COLD OF SEASON IS FELT TODAY

The bitterest cold of the winter kept Cisco shivering indoors today as the most accurate thermometers registered a low of 22 degrees at 6 o'clock this morning. Slaty gray skies that shut out the sun and a bleak north wind counteracted a normal rise in temperature during the morning and by 10:30 an advance of only two degrees had occurred, the instrument at the West Texas Utility company revealed. At 12:30 this morning the reading was 28 degrees.

The last vestige of undamaged fruit, which had budded and bloomed early in the pre-seasonal warmth of February, succumbed to the prolonged sub-freezing weather, and there was little hope that any, even in the most protected nooks, would survive its searching blight. Young grain in the fields, green shrubbery and early spring flowers likewise appeared to have suffered considerably.

STORM TAKES ONE LIFE.

ALTUS, Okla., March 8.—The belated winter storm took its first toll of life in Oklahoma today.

W. T. Eady, Borgert, Texas, died today in a hospital here from paralysis and exposure to the cold.

He was found by two passers-by at the roadside eight miles south east of here last night. His car, the lights still burning was in a ditch.

LIVESTOCK IS PERISHING.

SIoux CITY, Ia., March 8.—Livestock is perishing by the hundreds in the drouth areas of the northwest it was revealed in reports reaching here today. Zero weather has added to the hazards of insufficient feed and as a result cattle and horses are dying in droves.

Propagandists Given Blame

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., March 8.—Propagandists, as prevalent during Revolutionary days as in the World War, were credited with the attacks made upon the morals of George Washington.

Prof. Archer B. Hulbert, head of the history department at Colorado College and author of "Forty-Niners," declared here today that there was little ground to believe the nation's first president ever was guilty of charges brought against him during the Revolution.

Professor Hulbert, an authority on American history, said the attacks were inspired by British propagandists who hoped to shake the faith of the colonies in their leader, and bring about a division in the ranks of the 13 original states.

Hulbert said Washington was not a great general, but was a shrewd and canny leader, who adopted the fighting tactics of the Indians, drew the British on, and literally tied the red-coated army by forcing it to march itself to pieces in an effort to keep up with the fast moving small bodies of American troops.

Hulbert revealed that, ironically, Mount Vernon, Washington's plantation, was named after a British admiral, under whom Washington's father sailed.

NOTED TEXAS LEGIONNAIRE DIES TODAY

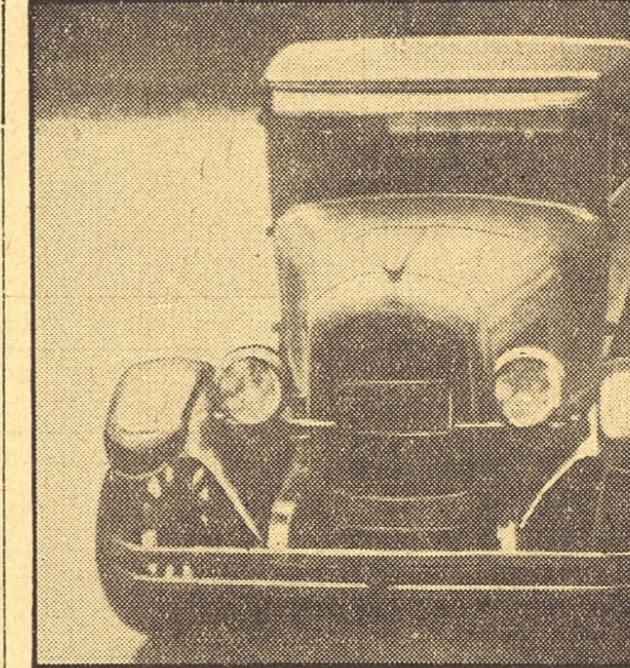
SAN ANTONIO, March 8.—Wayne Davis, prominent local attorney and former state commander of the American Legion, died at his home here early today.

He had been in ill health for some time and yesterday suffered a paralytic stroke.

Funeral services will be held at Goliad Thursday with the American Legion in charge. Flags here, at Austin and elsewhere were lowered to half-mast today when news of his death was received.

Davis was 44 years old and served in the world war in the famous 56th division. He was state commander of Legion in 1920 and was mentioned for national commander at the New Orleans national convention that year.

Auto of Nurse's Suitor Held



The green Chrysler owned by Henry (Red) Johnson, alleged suitor of the Lindbergh nurse, is shown above at the time Johnson was taken into custody in Hartford, Conn. Police said Johnson repeatedly telephoned

Betty Gow, who was taking care of Baby Lindbergh. They also sought an explanation from him of a milk bottle found in his machine. Johnson lived in Englewood, where the Morrow estate is located.

N. HAMPSHIRE DEMOS PICK PARTY LEADER

CONCORD, N. H., March 8.—New Hampshire Democrats were asked today to choose between Franklin D. Roosevelt and Alfred E. Smith as their party's candidate for the presidential nomination.

Though the present New York governor was generally conceded an edge over his predecessor in this, the nation's first presidential primary of 1932, some felt there was a possibility that Roosevelt might not win a solid New Hampshire delegation.

TWO PILOTS ARE KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., March 8.—A tri-motored Stinson monoplane of the Century Air lines carrying five pilots on a practice night flight, crashed near Curtiss-Steinberg airport before dawn today, killing two and injuring three of the occupants.

The dead: L. H. Atkinson, 35, Chicago; James Kirk, 35, Chicago.

The injured: Sidney Cleveland, 29, Goldfield, Ia.; Ira Smalling, Chicago, and Theodore Graff, Chicago.

Smalling, Kirk and Cleveland, were new employes of the air line hired after the recent strike depleted the staff of licensed pilots.

Roosevelt Sate

The Roosevelt slate included several former mayors and several former democrats who had fought for Smith in previous campaigns. Among them were: High Sheriff John T. O'Dowd, who for years won elections as a Democrat in a normally Republican district; Maurice F. Devine, New Hampshire member of the American Legion's national executive committee; and Colonel James J. Powers, sole Democratic member of Republican Governor John G. Winant's executive council.

Powers was understood to have been persuaded to desert the Roosevelt forces and swing to Smith in the closing days of the filing period through the efforts of Frank Hague of New Jersey.

The Smith forces had a struggle to complete their slate prior to the filing deadline, but during the closing days of the campaign have waged a vigorous fight for support. Heading this drive were rallies at Manchester and Nashua where Governor Joseph B. Ely of Massachusetts was principal speaker.

Dr. Hunt to Preach Here Sunday at 11

Dr. J. W. Hunt, president of McMurray college, Abilene, will preach at the morning service at the First Methodist church next Sunday, Dr. Colton H. Booth, presiding elder, announced today. Dr. Hunt, one of the ablest preachers in this section, and an orator of note, is well known to most Cisco Methodists and a large congregation for the service is anticipated.

The evening service will be in charge of the young peoples' department, who will present a pageant, directed by Mrs. W. E. Rickes.

144 YEARS OLD.

PORTLAND, Me., March 8.—One of the oldest weathercocks in America roosts atop the First National Bank building. It was first installed on the original Cumberland County Courthouse, built 144 years ago.

REITERATES DEMAND.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Hoover reiterated today his demand for further drastic economies in national expenditures in order to balance the budget.

CUT IN ON WRONG AUTO

RIDGEFIELD, Conn., March 8.—Driving along the highway here, James Shriver cut in on another car. A few minutes later he cut in on a second. The driver of the second car, Policeman Leon Merritt, gave him a summons to traffic court and told him the driver of the first car was State Police Commissioner Anthony Sunderland.

OLD TIME HORN BLAMED

SNOQUALMIE FALLS, Wash., March 8.—The old fashioned auto horns with rubber bulb attached are still a menace! J. C. Eiler reported his horse stepped on one in his back yard. Eiler's wife dropped a pan of dishes on hearing the honk and a neighbor, driving by was so startled his flivver smashed a hole through Eiler's woodshed.

REPORT THAT PARENTS GOT NOTES FALSE

By BATES RANEY.
U. S. Staff Correspondent
HOPEWELL, N. J., March 8.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh took over today almost single-handed the task of getting back his kidnapped son, Charles A., Jr.

New Jersey police, while still ready to aid the kidnappers in restoring the child to the colonel and his suffering wife, were virtually superseded by the youthful filer and his immediate associates, Col. Henry Breckenridge, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Dwight Morrow, and Mrs. Lindbergh.

Lindbergh made it plain to state police that he did not want his wires tapped or his mail read by the police and they were compelled to confine themselves to:

Patrolling the estate to keep away the curious or others with no valid business at the estate, from which last Tuesday night the baby was kidnaped, and checking over tips.

Insofar as has been revealed by Lindbergh and his associates, there still is no definite clue to the child or its abductors. A false report, not circulated by the United Press last night, claimed that two communications had been received Sunday from the kidnappers. The story proved to be incorrect and the United Press was advised by an unquestionable source that it had no basis in fact.

Notes Received.

Notes are being received, it was said, but they are from people either desirous of being helpful or from cranks.

The contact of Col. Lindbergh with the underworld through Salvatore Spitalo and Irving Bliz is being closely kept, but Spitalo advised the United Press early today that his position had not yet proved successful.

The police press conference clarified today some points that have caused speculation.

First, that the baby could have been taken out through a regular exit in the house without disturbing the Lindberghs or their dog, who were down stairs.

Second, the investigation as to members of the household is still open.

Henry Johnson, suitor of Miss Betty Gow, the Lindbergh maid, is still held for examination, but without charges at the Newark police headquarters. The proprietor of a roadside stand in Connecticut, said he had identified Johnson at Newark as the man who Tuesday night bought warm milk at the stand.

There were indications Johnson is a victim of circumstantial evidence.

MARTIAL LAW STILL RULES IN EAST TEXAS

AUSTIN, March 8.—Military rule continued in East Texas today despite action by federal court yesterday in support of civil control.

"I want to bring the soldiers home as soon as possible but it would not be wise to do anything until we see what the situation is under the new order," said Gov. Sterling today.

Asst. At.-Gen. Fred Upchurch, back today from Beaumont, announced that cross-actions with injunction applications will be filed against all firms that have sought injunctions against the railroad commission order and against all companies that may file in the future.

WEATHER

West Texas—Snow in north, cloudy south with rain or snow in southeast portion. Colder south portion except the extreme west section. Near freezing in southeast tonight. Wednesday cloudy.

East Texas—Snow west and north portions. Rain or sleet in southeast. Somewhat colder. Freezing nearly to coast tonight. Wednesday cloudy, rain and sleet in south portions with snow in interior and partly cloudy in north.

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DAILY BIBLE THOUGHT

THE LORD IS NEAR:—The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.—Psalms 34: 18.

WHY MANUFACTURERS SHOULD COME TO TEXAS.

President M. H. Cahill of the Katy railway system sees no reason why Texas should not become one of the leading manufacturing states as well as chief among the agriculture states of America. Speaking of Texas, he said: "In the firm, uninflated, and consistent growth this section has achieved, it has laid the foundation for an era of unprecedented industrial, commercial, and agricultural progress. The wealth of its widely diversified products staggers the imagination. Cheap power for industry is available, production costs are low, and both climate and labor supply are low favorable for the most satisfactory operation of manufacturing plants. The matter of satisfaction on the part of employes is one of industry's greatest assets in this section." It is true that the Southwest has more to look forward to in a business or developing sense than any other section of the American republic.

THIS HAPPENED IN OLD KENTUCKY.

Governor Ruby Lafoon of Kentucky recommended a one-cent state sales tax order to wipe out a treasury deficit. He was given the surprise of his life when 100 women invaded the executive mansion, chiseled to their hearts' content the members of the governor's family, lacerated their feelings, and did considerable damage to the draperies and other furnishings. They gave the members of the governor's family to understand that they were on the warpath against a general sales tax and that their purpose was to invade the Kentucky primaries this year and plant their ballots where they would do the most good. A lucky man is this democrat governor of Kentucky. He was not at home when the invaders threatened to play havoc with the executive mansion and its interior decorations.

Theodore Dreiser and his reformers invaded the coal mining districts of Kentucky "to feed the starving women and children of the striking miners." They escaped but Theodore is not going to return to Kentucky. He will have business elsewhere this year.

CONVICT LABOR BARRED ON FEDERAL JOB.

The senate of the United States has restored to the agricultural department appropriation bill a provision barring federal highway funds to states for projects upon which convict labor is used. Senator James J. Davis of Pennsylvania championed the substitute and put it over. He said the people of the nation would resent paying taxes to care for convicts getting work while free men are idle. A matter of record shows that the clause prohibiting convict labor was struck out of the house bill by the senate appropriations committee. Then the senate ordered the house provision reinserted, and the senator from Pennsylvania will go home and strut his stuff in the primary election campaign that is on.

Why should free labor be compelled to compete with convict labor? All this is a hint that there are 5500 convicts away down on the Texas prison farms or behind prison walls. It costs a lot of money to house and feed and clothe this army of wards of the state.

Did You Ever Stop to Think?

By EDSON R. WAITE Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Floyd B. Rigdon, editor and publisher of the Maad (Okla.) Daily Enterprise, says:

"A town has no place for the knocker; a knocker is hardly a man without a country, but his country, his town, or his community has little use for him.

"There are all kinds of knockers—as many as there are kinds of people. The thriving city is filled with knockers; knockers who outnumber the knocks that their knocking does not count for much.

"We like the boosters. Sometimes they are super-enthusiastic, or rather, over-enthusiastic is the better word. But they are always enthusiastic for their home town, or the cause in which they are interested, and they are never to be found hanging around somewhere knocking this and knocking that. No, a booster is not built that way.

"We must have these boosters; they are just as necessary to the successful enterprise as daylight is to the earth.

"Knockers are found everywhere just the same as the boosters, but let us all be thankful for it, the boosters are always far away in the lead; usually the knockers can be found in the rear, where it is safer for them, perhaps. They flock together, but even then they fail to make a crowd, as a rule.

"But the greatest booster is he who converts the knocker into a booster — makes him see the light."

—so that both play the game as team-mates ever after. "A town has no place for the knocker — it matters not whether he knocks the town, its enterprises or its citizens. Show us a man who knocks his fellow-citizens and we will show you the poorest excuse for a citizen extant."

"WHEN THE DEPRESSION WILL END."

Absolute knowledge I have none. But my Aunt's washwoman's sister's son

Heard a policeman on his beat Say to a laborer in the street That he had a letter just last week Written in the finest Greek

From a Chinese Coolie in Timbuctoo

Who said the Negroes in Cuba knew

Of a colored man in a Texas town Who got it straight from a circus clown

That a man in Klondike heard the news

From a group of South American Jews

About somebody in Borneo Who heard a man who claimed to know

Of a swell society female fake, Whose mother-in-law will undertake

To prove that her seventh husband's sister's niece

Had stated in a printed piece That she had a son who has a friend

That knows when the depression is going to end. —Contributed.

SEEK RE-EMPLOYMENT.

DETROIT, March 8. — Welfare Department officials here have started a campaign to seek the re-employment of 8,845 men, jobless now although former employes of 18 leading Detroit industrial concerns. This number, according to department officers, is one third of the total dependent upon the city.

A Game That Two Can Play



Here's Baby's Ransom --- Waiting



MEETING SEEN AS PRELUDE TO HOT CAMPAIGN

HOUSTON, March 8.—Chairman W. O. Huggins of the state democratic executive committee believes the prelude to one of the most heated political campaigns in Texas history will be played when the committee meets March 9 in Fort Worth.

"I sincerely believe," said Huggins, editor of the Houston Chronicle and a veteran political observer, "that the coming state and national campaigns will be without parallel, insofar as color and billyhoo are concerned."

"I must confess that the entry of the Fergusons into the Texas gubernatorial campaign, and that of Al Smith into the presidential campaign, prompts me to make this observation."

The principal purpose of the executive committee meeting, Huggins said will be to choose the state convention site. Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Austin and San Antonio are bidding for the convention. Huggins said the claims of each will be viewed impartially.

Discussion of whether or not the congress-man-at-large races shall be for designated positions also will engage the committee members at Fort Worth. In this connection Huggins indicated the committee will not act to certify candidates' names for numbered positions on the ballots.

In a letter to the chairman, F. O. Fuller of Houston, former speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, announced his candidacy for congress-man-at-large and applied for position No. 1 on the ballot. If his application is rejected Fuller's letter said, he intends to apply to the state supreme court for a writ of mandamus commanding the executive to so place his name on the official ballot.

Skidmore — Skidmore State bank opened for business.

Coleman — Coleman; First National bank opened for business.

Ready for instant delivery and no questions asked, \$50,000 in bills of small denomination is held in a Newark, N. J., bank awaiting word from the kidnapers of Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr. What does \$50,000 look like? Telephoto at right, posed in New York bank, shows that it is quite a pile of money.

LEGALITY OF OPTION BETS TO BE TRIED

AUSTIN, March 8. — Legality of the optional form of picking winners in a horse race will be argued in the Court of Criminal Appeals here March 16. That date has been set for the court to hear appeals in the cases of O. O. Franklin of Vernon and P. L. Coulter of Arlington. Franklin was charged with book-making and Coulter with betting at Arlington Downs, the W. T. Waggoner track between Fort Worth and Dallas, on Sept. 19, 1931.

The two were fined on an agreed statement of the transaction in order to make a test of the system under Texas law, which forbids bookmaking and betting on horse races.

Coulter for a \$5 ticket secured the option of buying a horse, Penrod Connell, for \$300 for 15 minutes after the end of the race in which the horse was entered. Lady Germain won the race and the option was not exercised. That rights to buy a horse were not a fiction, it was testified was shown by the actual exercise of such an option by Houghton Brownlee of Austin. It was testified the horses were being matched against less valuable horses in order that the races might be more evenly contested.

Owners of the horses could buy up the options against their horse paying off the holders of the options to buy. The owner of the winning horse in this race paid option holders \$30 each. Holder of ticket No. 1, had first right to exercise the option and the others in numerical order. If the owner bought all options up to the last one, the final ticket holder still could claim the horse.

It was testified the system was adopted to swell the income for operation of the race meet. The money received from the options together with admission fees and concession fees made up the total. The amount of purse in a race was determined after the income was learned.

Prior to the adoption of the option plan W. T. Waggoner, lost \$100,000 a season in operating the track. It was testified that personally he lived up to the option agreement, selling Calf Roper an option holder in a \$5,000 race, though he valued the animal at \$15,000.

Carrizo Springs — G. E. Tondre of Pearsall, purchased local bakery of Towner Dickerson.

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

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

For Sheriff: VIRGE FOSTER (Re-Election)

For District Clerk: P. L. CROSSLEY.

For County Clerk: WALTER GRAY. W. C. BEDFORD.

Commissioners, Precinct No. 4: L. H. QUALLS. ARCH BINT.

For City Commissioner (Three to be elected April 5, 1932):

J. H. STAMPS. W. R. SIMMONS. W. R. (BOB) WINSTON. H. C. HENDERSON. GEORGE D. FEE (Re-Election). W. J. DONOVAN (Re-Election). J. R. BURNETT (Re-Election).

Trace Success To Overcoats

ST. LOUIS, March 8.—The three Skouras brothers, Charles, George and Spyros, have proven it pays to help theater patrons on with their overcoats and wraps.

They started that policy back in 1912, when they bought the Olympia theater here—a nickelodeon. Today the three brothers, who once herded sheep on a Greek hillside, control a chain of 550 theaters, and have financial interests in many more.

The story of their success is one of staunch blood ties, perseverance, imagination and smiles.

Charles was the first to leave the hillside in Greece. He came to America in 1907, a youth of 18. The plan was for him to make enough money so he could bring another brother over. Then the two together were to earn enough to bring the third.

Charles started out as a bellhop, finally drifted to St. Louis in the same vocation, and then sent for Spyros and then George within two years. Their venture into the theater business, reportedly, was Charles' idea. Anyway it was a success. Friends, who remember those days, said it was because of the way the brothers smiled, made patrons feel at home, and always

helped patrons on and off with their overcoats. They gradually expanded—a theater here in this neighborhood, another there. Finally by 1924 they operated the best houses in the city. Then other fields called, and large syndicates became interested.

Coming soon, Nyal 2 for 1 Sale. Moore Drug Co.—Adv.

No Depression in Baby Adoptions

DALLAS, March 8.—Despite "alleged" hard times, more Southwest couples are seeking babies to adopt than ever before, Mrs. Emma Wylie Ballard, director of Hope Cottage, a foundling home here, reports.

Ten babies per month are being placed by the institution with families, a higher ratio than during "boom" times, she said. The same demand is true at all such places according to information reaching her.

Mrs. Ballard said the number of babies born to parents who can not or will not support them also shows no decrease. "The only way we have felt the depression is in the slackening of funds received for maintenance of our home," Mrs. Ballard declared. "The supply of babies is plentiful." Hope Cottage is one of the

agencies supported by the Dallas Community Chest.

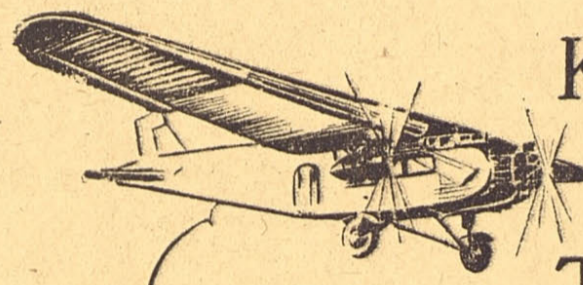
READY FOR SEASON. HARRISBURG, Pa., March 8. — Trout of legal size were distributed in many Pennsylvania streams by the State Fish Commission in anticipation of the opening of the season, April 15. Most of the trout were 22 to 24 months old, fully matured, hardy and about seven to nine inches long.

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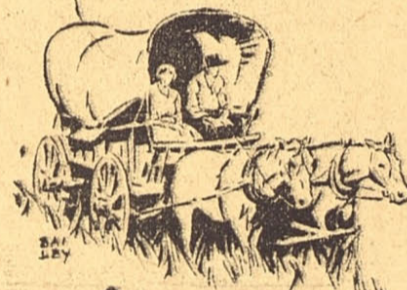
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The dime-a-dance girl

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Beautiful Ellen Rossiter, salesgirl in Barclay's Department store works at night as a dance hall hostess at Dreamland. She lives with her extravagant mother, Molly Rossiter, her elder sister, Myra and her young brother, Mike.

Steven Barclay, 57 and owner of Barclay's is in love with Ellen. Twice she refuses to marry him because she loves Larry Harrowgate, an artist. Newspapers announce Larry's engagement to Elizabeth Bowers, a debutante. For a long time Ellen hopes that Larry returns her love but when Elizabeth returns from Europe he sends a note telling Ellen he cannot see her for some time.

Heart-broken, Ellen tries to forget. Gradually she comes to think less of Larry and more of Steven Barclay. Then her brother is dangerously injured in a traffic accident. Barclay provides money for the boy's care. One evening he tells Ellen he has sent for Dr. Stengel, Vienna physician, to perform an operation on Mike's legs.

Ellen tells Barclay she wants to marry him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXVIII

Steven fell back with a surprised expression. "Do you mean this? Are you serious?"

"Ellen's eyes answered him. She paused to brush back from her forehead a lock of curling hair. "I would be safe if I married you," she went on. "I would have peace. Just now I very much want peace and safety."

"I've never heard that marriage was particularly safe," he told her. Ellen pondered. "But I—I she had begun when he interrupted.

"Ellen, my dear, I'm afraid you have conceived some mad idea of marrying me to show your gratitude. I can't let you do that."

"It's not that at all," Ellen put in, her cheeks flushing.

"You don't love me," he said wearily, not denying his statement. "I know that I think you are the kindest man in the world. I know that I trust and admire you. Isn't that enough?"

"At your age I'm inclined to think not."

"Help me, help me, Steven!" the girl whispered.

"So there is — was — someone else?"

He was watching and saw the gallant smile that did not reach her eyes. She did not answer the question but another instead.

"Would you marry me, Steven, knowing that I once thought I loved someone else very much even though I knew that love wouldn't work out, could never work out?"

He laughed mirthlessly. "I'm afraid I would. I'd think, you see, that I loved you so much that in time you could come to love me, too."

"I don't understand," she began ruefully. "Just the other day you turned to walk the scant length of the kitchen, past the piled up sink with its unwashed dishes, past the stove and porcelain table to stare through the open window into the hot night. Wheeling suddenly he came back to her and forced himself to say the words so hard to speak.

"Just the other day you did not feel under obligations to me. Now I'm afraid you do."

"There's no use pretending I'm not grateful to you," Ellen admitted. "No use pretending I wouldn't like to do everything I can to make you as happy as you've made me. But that isn't a fault, is it?"

The light from the single unshaded bulb аутоoled her tawny hair and gilded her bare arms, revealed by the thin blue frock. She stood there so fresh and confident, so young and desirable, that Barclay felt his resolution weaken.

"But how about—how about the other man?" he asked, clearing his throat.

"I hope you'll understand, Steven, when I tell you that he brought me nothing but misery and grief and heartache. I thought I'd go mad with restlessness and pain when I knew him. It was that kind of love, Steven. The love it's best to forget."

She paused, then added. "But that's all done now. I can even say I'm glad it's done."

Ellen believed the words as she spoke them. Steven believed her because he wanted to but there was no real confidence in his heart.

As Ellen raised her fresh young lips to his first kiss she determined that he should be happy. It was not the ecstatic kiss she had dreamed of but she felt at peace. She

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A little later she telephoned to Salomon to say she was giving up her job at Dreamland. He was so regretful Ellen was touched. "If you ever want the job back it's yours," he declared. "What am I to do with the money I owe you? There's about \$10 waiting for you."

"Credit it to Tony," Ellen responded. "And tell her goodbye for me."

As she returned to the apartment she did not try to analyze the sensation which swept over her with the realization that she would go no more to Dreamland. Nevertheless the sensation persisted and lingered on in her troubled dreams.

(To Be Continued)

HER POSTURE BEST.

SEATTLE, March 8.—Miss Kathryn Ragsdale, University of Washington co-ed, recently was selected as possessing the posture nearest perfection. Miss Ragsdale was chosen on the basis of alignment, ease and her poise in walking.

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Sympathy For Japan Is Lost

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 8.—Japan, always a loyal member of the League of Nations, should realize the danger precedent she is creating in regard to the fulfillment of international relations and obligations, Dame Rachel Crowley, noted league worker and supporter, said here.

"I feel that Japan has gone too far in the present war situation, especially at Shanghai," she said. "But I did have sympathy over the Japanese desire to protect her South Manchurian railroad interests from bandits, and over her resentment against the Chinese economic boycott."

"But my sympathies went no farther than the Japanese did not protect their own legitimate interests. Nothing justified the present destruction of people and property in China proper. The Manchurian situation and the present Shanghai situation are different and distinct. It may be debatable as to who owns Manchuria, but there is no doubt that Shanghai belongs to China."

"It is surprising that Japan, always a loyal league member, should not fully realize the dangerous precedent she is creating in regard to the fulfillment of her international obligations. Bombing of Shanghai from the air is like pouring boiling water on an ant hill."

"BABY CONTEST"

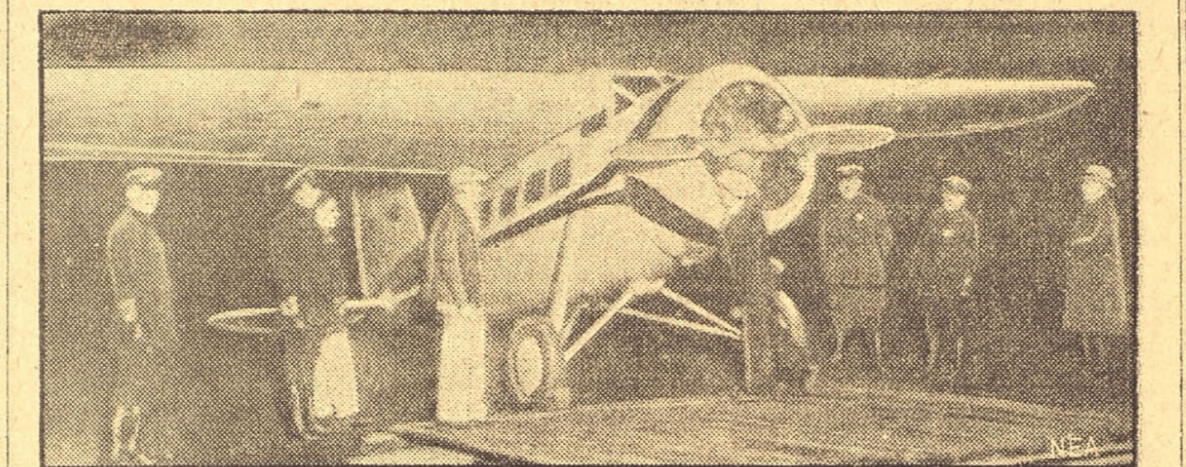
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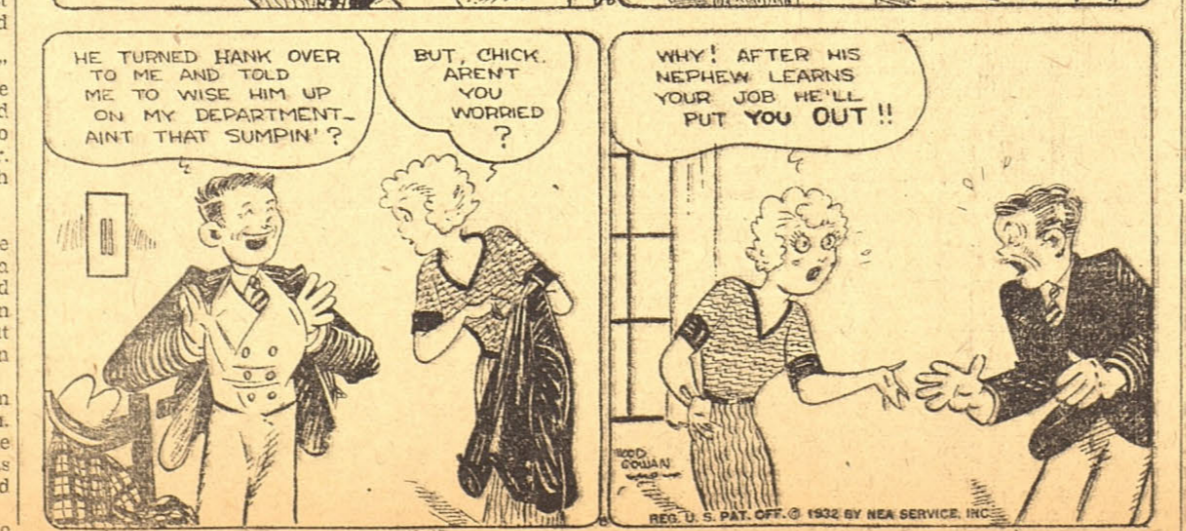
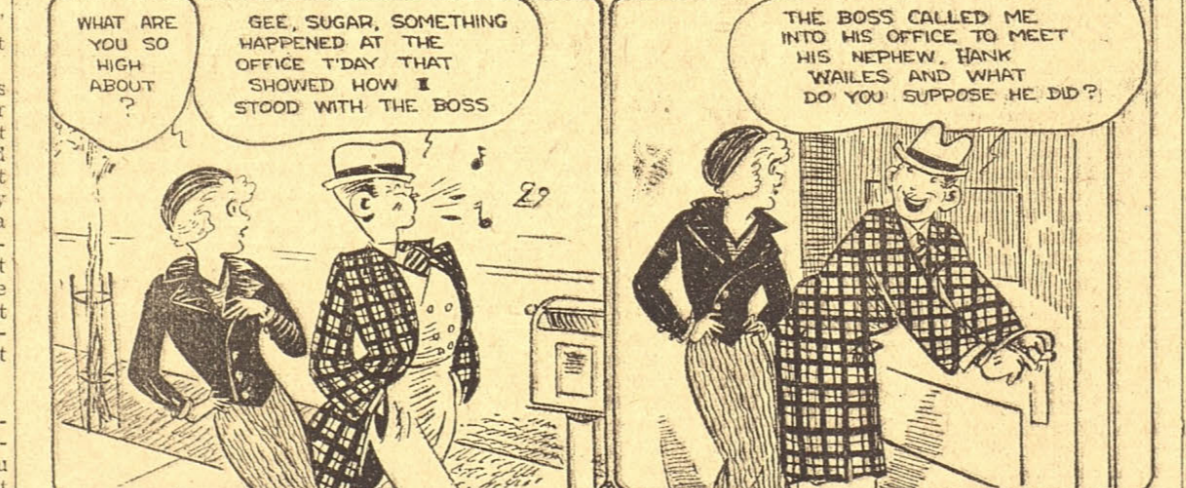


Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who flew the Atlantic to fame and glory, may take the controls of the plane shown above to fly on a more desperate mission than he ever has known before. Always ready to take the air at a moment's notice, the plane is Col. Lindbergh's personal ship and is shown in the small hangar behind his home at Hopewell, N. J. He constantly is on the alert for a message that would put him aloft to fly to the kidnapers of his baby.

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STABLE AUTO MARKET

DETROIT, March 8. — A large foreign market for American automobile parts, more stable than the foreign automobile market, is foreseen for the next decade by the Department of Michigan. More than 200 Michigan manufacturers will share in the trade, it was predicted.

DEFINES CROONING.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., March 8. — Crooning, as defined by Professor E. L. Mendenhall of the Rural Normal school is a "cross between a dying cat and a dog baying at the moon, while jazz," in his opinion, "sounds like a combination of a boss-fiddle, the caterwaul of a tom cat and the bray of a jackass."

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SPRINGFIELD, Mass., March 8. — Two days after William Body was released from jail, he was arrested, charged with stealing an overcoat at the institution on the last day of his sentence.

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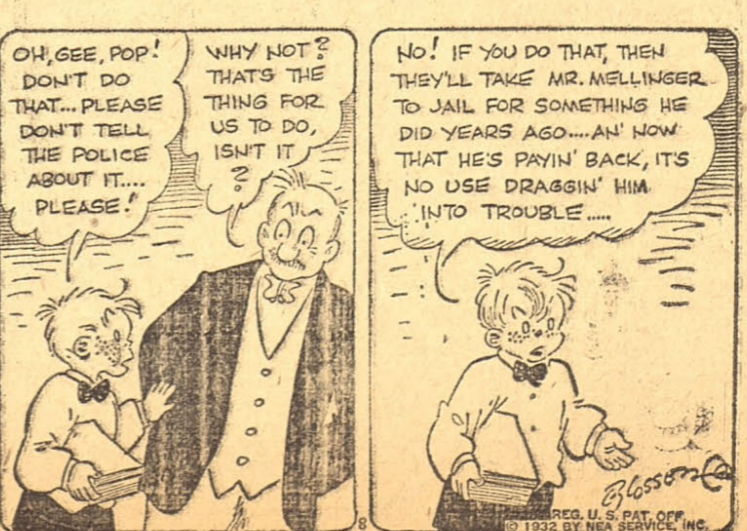
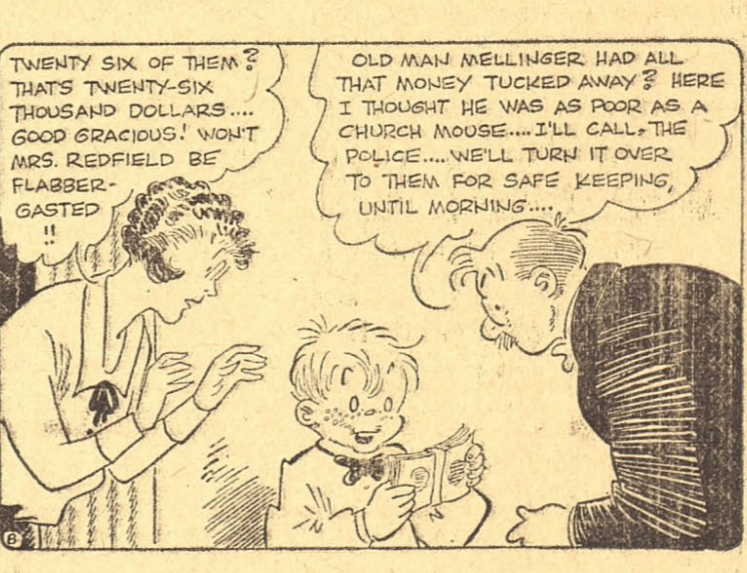
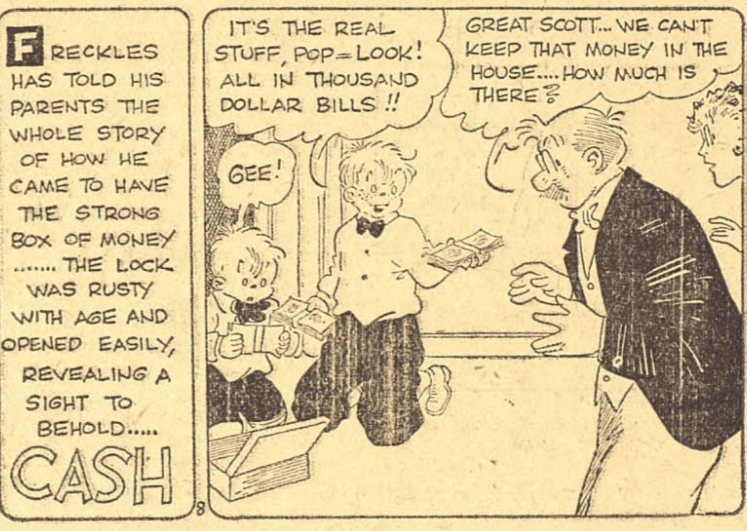
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Announcements

The Rotary club meets every Thursday at Laguna Hotel Private Dining Room at 12:15. Visiting Rotarians always welcome. President, H. S. DRUMWRIGHT; secretary, J. E. SPENCER.

Lions club meets every Wednesday at Laguna Hotel Coffee Shop at 12:15. E. O. ELLIOTT president; O. J. TUN: NELL, secretary.

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ABILENE MAN VICTIM OF GUN WOUND SUNDAY

ABILENE, March 8.—Last rites for Sam Reed, Abilenian, who died early Sunday from a self-inflicted gunshot wound in the heart, were held yesterday afternoon from the Kiker-Knight Funeral Home by Dr. M. A. Jenkins, pastor of the First Baptist church.

In accordance with instructions found in a note, interment was made at Beebe, his former home. The local Masonic lodge was in charge of the burial, conducting the full Masonic rites.

The body of Reed, 56 years of age and a resident of Abilene for more than 30 years, was found in his office, the Woodman of the World hall, South First street, a few minutes after he had telephoned the Kiker-Knight Home to "come over to my office in about 15 minutes. No hurry, but bring an ambulance."

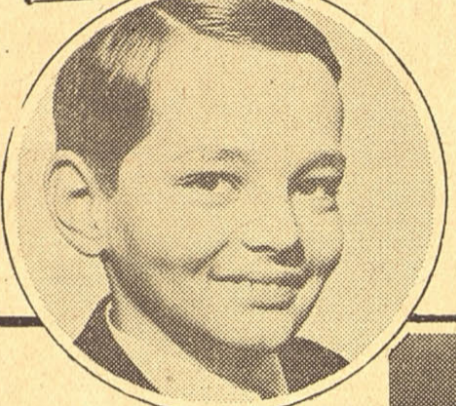
Mr. Reed was prominent in two orders—the W. O. W. and Masons. In the last-named he was a 32nd degree active, a Knight Commander of the Court of Honor, and in a short time would have been made a 33rd degree honorary, highest gift within the bestowal of Masonry and granted only in return for exceptional service.

Mr. Reed was born in Gonzalez. He came to Abilene 36 years ago, and two years later, a youth of 22, was married to Miss Lou Souls, in Corsicana. They moved to the Iberian community in Taylor county, and from there to Abilene in about 1900. He had been Woodman of the World secretary here for 22 years, and for ten years was associated with Laughter Undertaking company.

Surviving are the wife, four children and two sisters. The children are Jack Reed of Abilene, Howard Reed of Brownwood, Mrs. Woodfin Ray of Baird, and Mrs. Charles Staley of Oklahoma City; the sisters, Mrs. Jim Poston of Chilton, and Mrs. Plez Moore of Keefer.

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TRAGEDY RULES KIDNAP HISTORY



By BRUCE CATTON NEA Service Writer

CHARLIE ROSS CASE HEADS MYSTERIES.

The kidnaping of small children has made some of the most tragic stories American newspapers ever have printed.

From the days of the sensational Charlie Ross case down to the present disappearance of the Lindbergh baby, the nation's criminal history is studded with records of kidnaping.

In some cases—relatively few—the missing youngsters later have turned up alive, unharmed, and restored to their parents.

In more, only a corpse has been found.

In a few, the mystery never has been dispelled. A child vanishes, an energetic search is conducted, a myriad of clues are run down in vain—and there the matter has ended, with nothing definite ever learned about the child's fate.

Undoubtedly the most widely-known kidnaping of former years was that of Charlie Ross. This case illustrates, also, how futile sometimes are the most painstaking efforts to clear up such a mystery.

Charlie Ross was four years old, the son of a well-to-do Philadelphian. On a July day in 1874 he was playing on the lawn of his father's estate when two men drove up in a spring wagon and enticed him away. His older brother, Walter, went with him on a promise of candy.

At a drug store a few blocks away the wagon halted and Walter was given 25 cents and sent to get the candy. He went into the store, the wagon drove off—and to this day no one knows certainly what happened to Charlie Ross after that.

For years the search went on.



Five child victims in notorious American kidnapings are shown above.

Shown above, Upper left, Marion Parker, kidnaped in Los Angeles, December 1927, by William Edwards Hickman.

The girl's father, high official in a bank, received a note a few days later demanding \$1500 for the return of the child. He went to a designated spot, paid over the money—and was given the dead body of his daughter, horribly mutilated.

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Little Billy Dansey, aged three, went out to play near his home in Hammon, N. J., one afternoon in the fall of 1919—and never came back. For six weeks the boy was sought everywhere in the United States—until his body was found in a swamp near the town where he had been buried in a forest.

Adolph Hotelling, a church elder, the father of five children and a supposedly reliable and decent citizen. Hotelling was caught, confessed and was sentenced to prison for life, after a mob of 15,000 had been prevented from storming the jail and lynching him only by the presence of a company of state militia.

Similar was the murder of 6-year-old Marion McLean in Cincinnati in December of 1931. Marion had been kidnaped by Charles Bischoff, a 45-year-old shoemaker, who murdered her and hid her body in a cellar. He was caught after the greatest manhunt in Cincinnati's history, and his case is now awaiting disposition.

This crime, in turn, was like the murder of Irving Pickely, aged 5, of New York City. Irving was enticed away from home by a man, killed and left in a cellar. The murderer, a feeble-minded man, was later arrested and confessed.

Infinitely more pleasant are the kidnaping stories which have "happy endings."

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Crowe later was arrested, but since Nebraska had at that time no law to punish kidnapers of children more than 10 years old—and Edward Cudaly, Jr., was just beyond that age—he had to be tried on a charge of robbing the father of \$25,000. Public sentiment at the time was running strongly against the "meat barons," and Crowe was acquitted.

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saved from capital punishment by the eloquence of their lawyer, Clarence Darrow, and now are serving life sentences in the state prison at Joliet, Ill.

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tried to make her husband believe that it was her own. Baby Corine was none the worse for her experience.

In 1923 Albany, N. Y., was stirred by the kidnaping of Leopold Minkling, the 7-year-old son of a city judge. After three days the lad was found, alive and well, in Newburgh, N. Y. He had been kidnaped by a nursemaid who longed to have a child to care for.

In 1910 little Billy Whittla was stolen from his home in Sharon, Pa., by Jim and Helen Boyle. They took the lad to Cleveland, Ohio, and held him for ransom, but their trail was discovered, they were caught and Billy was returned to his parents. The Boyles went to prison, the husband to die there and Mrs. Boyle to remain for a 10-year term.

Women's Auto Ideas Change

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 8.—Women have changed their ideas on automobiles since they learned to drive, and beauty is no longer the first essential for a car, if the automobile men at the motor show here size up women drivers right.

Women drivers still want good-looking cars, and they are somewhat particular about the gadget, but the dealers and designers are practically unanimous in saying that "miles per gallon," ease of operation and brakes are the first things a prospective woman customer inquires about.

The innocent girl, who looks at the brakes and asks, "What's that?" and the wife, who won't have a car of a certain color because it doesn't match the home, were almost totally missing this year.

The looks of the automobile are still among the first requirements to women of wealth, who don't drive their own cars, but since practically all women like to drive occasionally, even the wealthy ones want cars that they, as well as their chauffeurs, can handle.

Most women are generally the first thing a woman asks about, according to many automobile men. Most women, when they get in a tight place, want to stop quickly.

And before the car finally is bought, the question of economical operation is almost sure to be brought up. Miles per gallon is a highly important item.

GUESTS OF HUNTS Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Hunt had for their weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Baldwin of St. Louis. Mrs. Baldwin is Mrs. Hunt's sister. Mr. Baldwin is field manager of the Western division of the National Gymnasium company of Chicago. Mrs. Laura Stern of Eva, Pa., was also the guest of Mrs. Hunt during the weekend. Mrs. Stern, who has recently returned from an around-the-world trip, was en route to California for a several months visit with relatives.

ROANOKE VISITS ROANOKE. ROANOKE, Va., March 8.—Mrs. Earl Simms went out to her backyard one night to investigate a noise and found a bear cub raiding her garbage can. The family dog intruded, and the bruin slapped him away. In one instance the cub trotted along Main Street, keeping just beyond its pursuers.

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CALENDAR Wednesday Mrs. H. A. Crosby will entertain the Happy Thimble Sewing club at her home, 309 West Thirteenth street. The Wednesday study club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the clubhouse. Mrs. Kate Hunter of Longview is here for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Miller. Miss Mona Pritchard, who attends school in Abilene, visited friends in the city Sunday. Mrs. C. M. Taylor is expected home today from a visit in Weatherford. Mrs. W. E. Gillespie is visiting relatives in Abilene. Mrs. M. E. Aycock has returned from Brownwood where she has been at the bedside of her father. Her father is reported to be improved. Miss Theo Seaman is expected home today from a visit in Mineral Wells and Fort Worth. Mrs. Chas. Smith and daughter have returned to their home in Sweetwater after a visit with relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aycock and son, Frank, spent the weekend in Brownwood. Mrs. Betty Vestal of Desdemona is visiting relatives and friends in Cisco. Mrs. P. P. Shephard left yesterday for a visit in San Antonio. Mrs. Fred Cook and daughter have returned to their home in Putnam after a short visit here. Mrs. R. Q. Lee and son, Quincy, are visiting in Fort Worth. Miss Ella Andres attended a tea in Abilene Saturday. Mrs. R. N. Cluck left today for Austin. Mrs. Alex Spears, Mrs. P. R. Warwick, Mrs. B. S. Huey, and Mrs. A. J. Olson attended a religious school of instruction at the Methodist church in Eastland last evening. G. L. Lane of east Texas is spending a few days here. Hub Kennedy of Longview was in Cisco today. Mrs. M. E. Howell of Cross Plains was in the city shopping this morning. Mrs. F. E. Higginbotham of Gordon visited friends here yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waterbury, Jr. have returned to their home in Tyler after a several days visit here. H. Gibson of Pioneer was a visitor in the city yesterday. Miss Leona Myrial Miley left yesterday for an extended visit with relatives in Kansas. L. A. White has returned to Kilgore after a short visit with his family here. Oliver Thomas is reported to be ill with influenza at his home in Humbletown. Mrs. F. D. Pierce has returned from a visit with her daughter in Kilgore. DELPHIAN CLUB HAS REGULAR SESSION Members answered roll call with "Some Characteristic of George Washington" at the regular meeting of the Delphian club Monday morning at the clubhouse. Continuing a study of "Greek Literature," Mrs. O. T. Maxwell was leader of the program with Mrs. Eugene Lanford, Mrs. S. E. Hittson, Mrs. J. E. Spencer, and Mrs. A. J. Olson taking part. It was reported that four hackberry trees had been planted by the club, and that six books had been presented to the West Ward school library. Members present were Messdames C. S. Sandler, S. W. Coplin, W. G. Powell, J. V. Heyser, A. J. Olson, C. T. Maxwell, Eugene Lanford, J. E. Spencer, and S. E. Hittson. MRS. MANER LEADER OF PROGRAM Mrs. Leon Maner was leader of a program on "Italian Music at a meeting of the Music Study club Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Spencer on West Eighth street. Those who participated on the program were Mrs. C. O. Pass, Mrs. Gerald Wren, Mrs. Ben. McClin-ton, Miss Ella Andres, and Mrs. J. E. Spencer. During the business period, which preceded the program, Mrs. Lee Clark was elected choral director. The club adjourned to meet again Monday afternoon at 2

Noted Orchestra For Lake Cisco

Dee Johnson and his Ten Texans noted colored orchestra, will play for the dance at Lake Cisco Saturday night, Albert Hunt, manager of the Lake Cisco Amusement company, announced today. This orchestra noted throughout the state for its dance music, is expected to draw one of the largest crowds seen at Lake Cisco for some time, Mr. Hunt said.

The players are coming here directly from the Loma Linda club at Houston where they have just finished a very successful engagement.

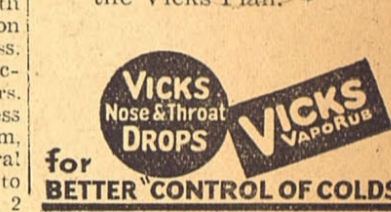
SAFE LANDING

PUEBLO, Colo., March 8.—Art Prior, local aviator, dropped a wheel from the landing gear of his airplane while in the air. He set the craft down on one wheel and jockeyed it to a safe halt, damaging the propeller slightly but saving himself and a student flier from injury.

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