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By ED WHEELAN



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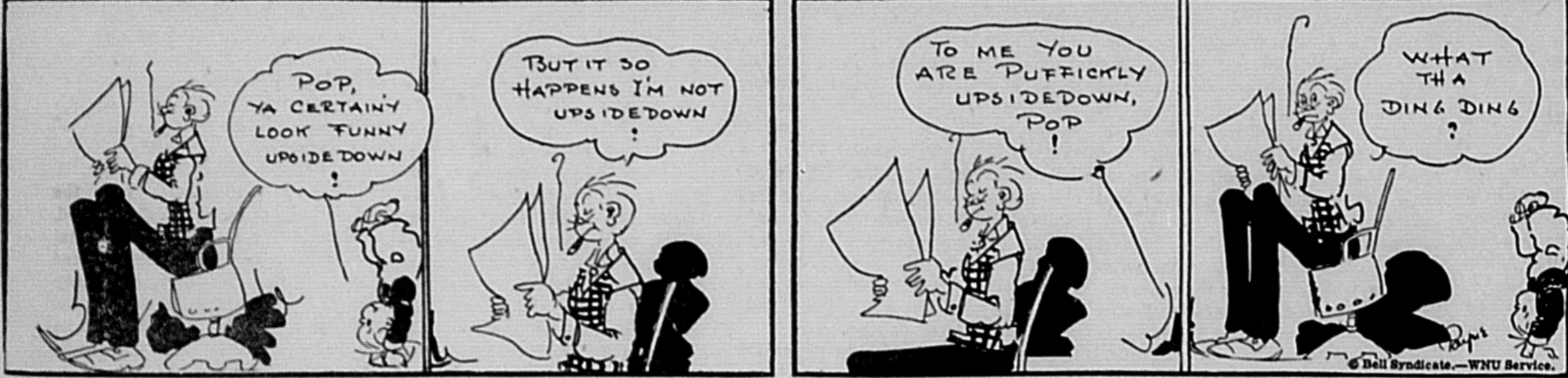
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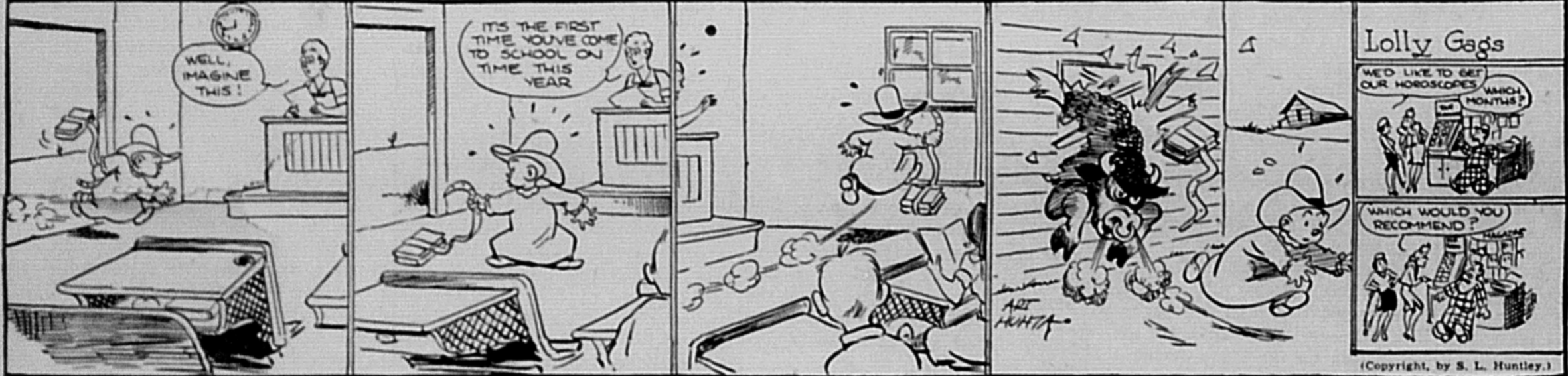
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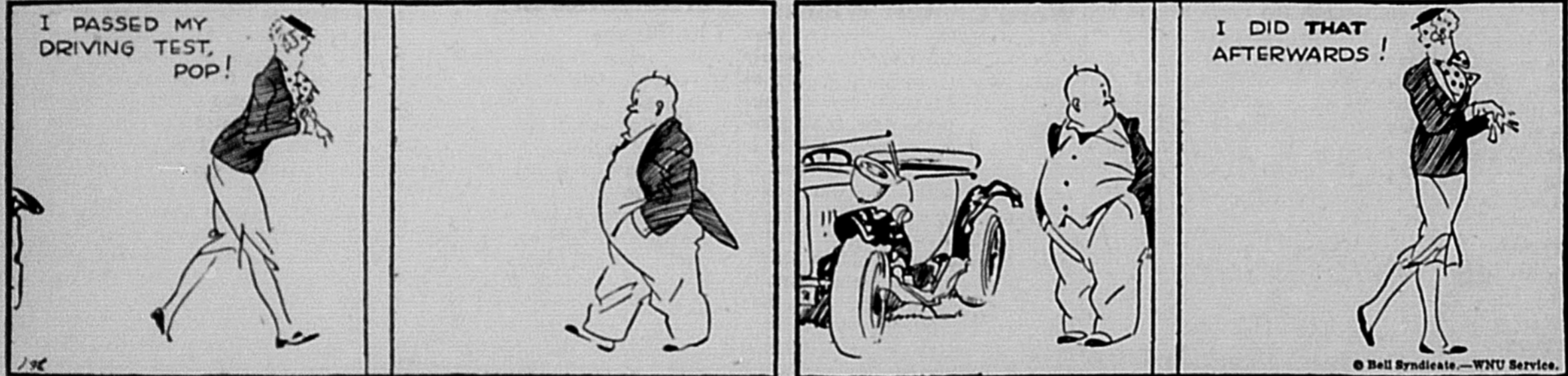
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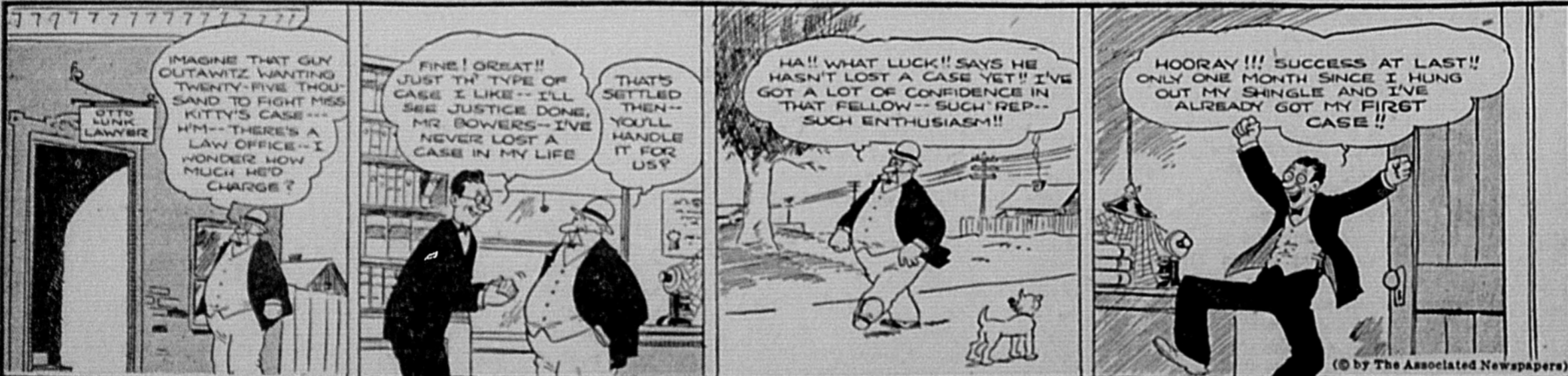
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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norris and

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Palace Theatre, Preview Sunday and Monday



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Good Spellers Wanted — Prizes payable to the persons mailing or sending to us by Tuesday noon of each week the best answers to all misspelled words on this special page (punctuation does not count—spelling only). First prize will be \$1.50 in cash — next five a ticket each to the Palace Theatre. No strings to the offer, simply list every misspelled word you can find on this page, give the name of the advertiser and the line of business he is in and mail or bring to the office of the Slaton Slatonite, Slaton, Texas.

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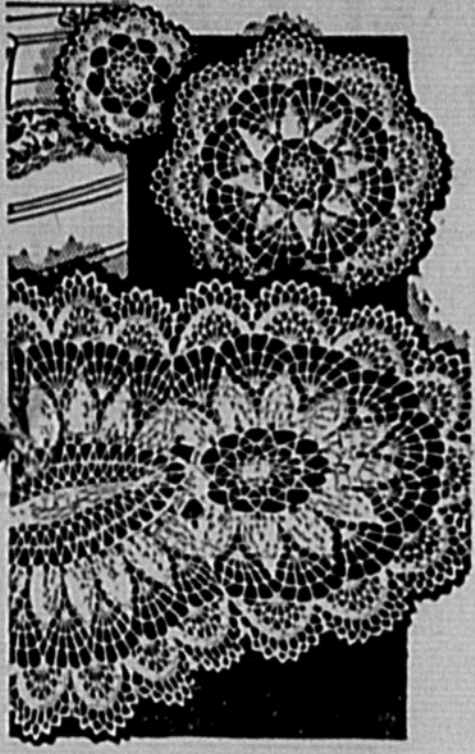
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Thought at Eventide Life's evening will take its character from the day that preceded it.—Washington Irving.

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New Wash Materials Remind It's Time for Spring Sewing

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



You can get these winsome spun rayon crepes in delectable monochromes or in prints that are so lovely mere word pictures fail to describe them.

AS A proper approach to the perennial spring sewing program that soon will be staged in countless households, we know of no gesture that will so inspire to hurry and get going as to take a day off and go fabric sight-seeing.

In this day and age when wonders are being performed in the way of textures and weaves, it becomes absolutely imperative that the woman who would sew successfully must know materials.

When you ask to see these fascinating new spun rayons take note of their marvelous colorings that are so refreshingly different from the usual run.

Rebirth of Amber



It's amber jewelry you will be wearing if you are up to the moment in style. The revival of this familiar gem is important fashion news.

Petticoat, Tiered Frocks Real News

If you see a glimpse of lacy fro-frou peeping from under her neat little afternoon dress of silk crepe, do not make the mistake of saying "Pardon me lady, your petticoat is showing."

Another sensation on the dress program is the new flounced silhouette. Fashion is flouncing everything that will gracefully yield to flouncing.

Open Toes, Heels In New Footwear

The vogue of open toes and open heels has reached such a state that it will be difficult before many weeks to find even an Oxford which supplies good foot coverage.

Protect Feet Robust weather calls for rugged footwear.

WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Offers Timely Advice on Keeping Children Well in Winter; Warns of Several Dangers

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

ONE of the ways by which her community judges a woman's success as a mother is by the health and well-being of her children.

To help her children maintain top health and vitality, a mother must constantly be alert to the various factors that help produce this ideal estate.

Winter Hazards

It has been said that in winter the body is on trial—and this is as true of children as of adults.



While cool, outdoor air is stimulating to children in normal health, some children withstand it much less successfully.

When it is very cold outdoors, it is wise to have children come in from their play periodically to warm up.

Guard Against Frostbite

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Mothers should be on guard against frostbite when the temperature is below 24 degrees Fahrenheit, however, and at all times during the winter, see that children are warmly clad.

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Don't Overheat the House

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Is Your Child Lazy?

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This, in turn, is frequently responsible for lassitude. The remedy is often a simple dietary change—the addition of a salad to the daily diet; or possibly the use of stewed dried fruits in addition to a fresh fruit or fruit juice daily.

It is also most important that children follow a daily routine that includes plenty of time for sleep.

Children Need Healthy Mothers Mothers must give attention to the children's health. But let them give some consideration to their own.

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CLUB news

Mrs. C. E. Smith, assisted by Mrs. Roy Brewster, entertained the members of the Loyal Workers Class of the Methodist Church, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 2nd.
 The Sub-Deb Club held their monthly business meeting at the home of their president, June Scott, Saturday evening, February 4th. The members enjoyed a social hour after which the hostess served delicious refreshments. They will have a social meeting Feb. 18 with Virginia Bowman, hostess.

Mrs. J. H. Teague, Jr. was hostess to twenty members of the Blue Bonnet Club Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 8.
 Mrs. Pete Halliburton was hostess to the Mid-O-Wee Bridge Club Wednesday, Feb. 8. High score went to Mrs. Pauline Crawford, while Mesdames Levi Self and George Lemon were guests. Table and plate appointments used the Valentine motif.

The Junior Girls' 4-H club met at the school Friday Feb. 3rd. Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: finance, Sara Ann Shaw; program, Pauline Kenney; and entertainment, Bonnie Childress.

The Cub Scouts met Friday night, February 3, with thirty-one members present. Linden Clack, Duane Hope and Glenn Scroggins were chosen as den chiefs. A business session and social hour was enjoyed with Mr. Reed, Cub Master, in charge.

Mrs. R. W. Ragsdale entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club Feb. 7th and had Mrs. Kirby Scudder as tea guest, and Mesdames O. D. Groshart, O. O. Crow, Tess Bruner and McKee at a guest bridge table.

Mrs. O. O. Crow was the guest of the Tres Mesa Bridge Club when it met with Mrs. J. E. Lester Thursday, Feb. 9th.

A patriotic theme was used in the decorations of the tables and in the refreshment plates.

The Junior Civic and Culture Club met with Mrs. Jack Shepard, Friday evening, Feb. 3rd, in their study of "Etiquette and Charm". Mrs. Wade Thompson reviewed "Log Cabin Days"; and Mrs. Otis Neill spoke on "Charm"; while Mrs. Dayton Eckert discussed "Table Etiquette".

A delicious refreshment plate stressing the Valentine motif, with favors, was served to 16 members.

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FOUNDER'S DAY IS OBSERVED
 On Thursday, February 2, fifteen members of Woodrow Wilson P. T. A. braved a snow storm to hear Mrs. Fred Schmidt speak on Children's Literature.

The third grade sang two songs, "February" and "Naming the Trees." Seven third grade girls assisted Mrs. Schmidt in a candle lighting ceremony in keeping with National Founder's Day.

MISS MUERER COMPLIMENTED SATURDAY AFTERNOON WITH MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Miss Betty Muerer, bride-elect of Andrew Hlavaty, was named honoree when Mrs. Alvin Bednarz and Misses Lydabel Nesbitt and Matilde Bednarz entertained at the clubhouse with a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon, Feb. 4th.

The hall was decorated with Valentines and the same theme used in the refreshment plates. Gifts were presented Miss Muerer out of a huge heart.

Cornelia Denzer, accompanied by Marian Bechtel, gave vocal selections, and Bertie Dryer and Madylen Hlavaty gave readings on the program for the entertainment of approximately 70 guests.

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MRS. ALLAN FERRELL HONORED AT PARTY

Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 8th, Mesdames Ray Ayers, K. Scudder, Dick Ragsdale, Tess Bruner, Frank Wright and Cleo Lamar entertained in honor of Mrs. Allan Ferrell. The clubhouse was the scene of the party. A short program, featuring the making of a Life Book, and a reading by Mrs. Mary Fry was climaxed by the serving of a Valentine salad plate.

"MARRIAGE" STUDIED AT CLUB AT HOME OF MISS SMITH

Monday evening Miss Naydiene Smith was hostess to the Daughters of the Pioneer Study Club. Mrs. Rogene Johnson, president, was in charge of a short business session.

Miss Myrtle Teague read an article concerning the problems of the modern married woman written by Mrs. Roosevelt; Mrs. J. P. Halliburton discussed "Detour Around Reno" and the critic's report, in keeping with the program, was "Marriage in the News," by Miss Cordelia Grantham.

A salad plate emphasizing the Valentine motif was served to about 15 members.

MISSIONARY GROUP ORGANIZED

The Young Women's circle of Missionary Society was organized Monday afternoon, February 6 at the home of Mrs. J. E. Rucker. The following officers were elected:

Chairman, Mrs. David Sanders; vice chairman, Mrs. Pete Halliburton; recording secretary, Miss Docia Tucker; study superintendent, Mrs. Otis Neil; treasurer, Mrs. Leslie Smith; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Levi Self.

Fire Chief Jack Cooper is recovering from a recent illness. He and Mrs. Cooper have as house guests for a week, the latter's uncles, C. A. and Robert Chadwell of Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. R. L. Tate of Lubbock was a house guest of Mrs. J. H. Teague last weekend.

Mrs. F. D. Stockbridge, who is an aunt of Mrs. W. L. Housour, has purchased the residence at 810 S. 8th St., formerly occupied by the Hugh Vermillion family. Dr. C. H. McIlroy and

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Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Davis, parents of W. T. Davis, spent last week in their son's home, but left Sunday for the Rio Grande Valley, accompanied by Mrs. E. R. Legg.

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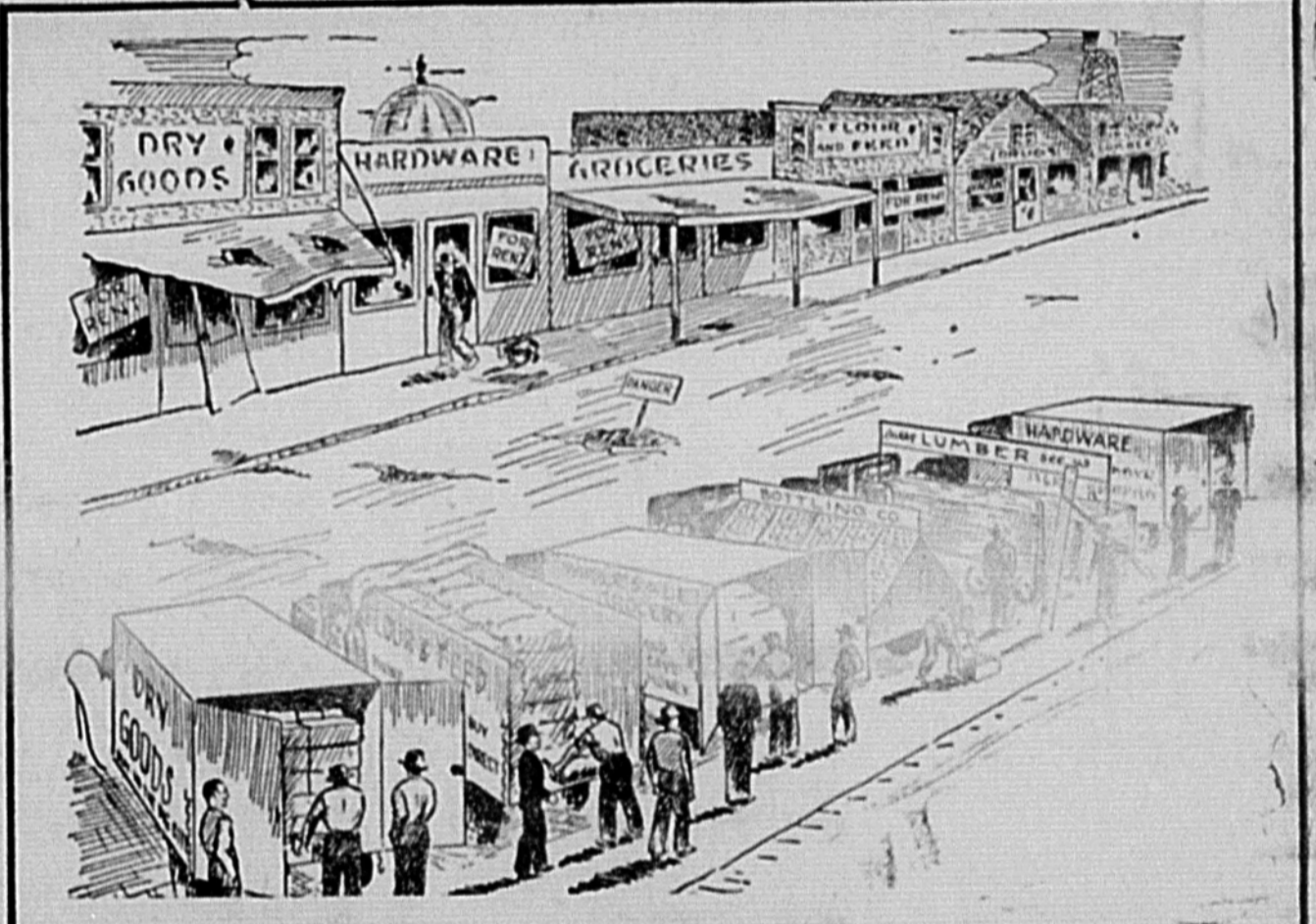
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These once busy places of community life, around which has largely grown the progressive development of Texas, are being dried up by the operation of heavy trucks over our highways. Their local business firms and enterprises, the dry goods, hardware, drug and fruit and vegetable stores, retail lumber yards, wholesale grocery houses, bottling plants, feed mills, oil mills, grain elevators and cotton compresses are unable to meet the competition of the larger business centers because of the almost unrestricted and promiscuous use of Texas highways in the delivery of goods by trucks from the larger cities holding the quantity-purchase advantage.

The absorption and manipulation, in varying degree, of the cost of transportation by highway for competitive purposes, if not restricted, will inevitably drive dealers and wholesalers in the smaller towns and communities out of business. They must succumb to the inequality of opportunity with which they are burdened and thus contribute further to our growing economic chaos. The plea now being made by certain interests to increase the load limit on trucks operating over

Texas highways will hasten the end of local enterprises in smaller Texas communities. If under the present statutes harm already has been done the small town merchant and property owner, what then must be the effect of any increase in the allowable truck load limit? Certainly the larger the load limit the greater will be the distance over which goods can be hauled from the larger distributing centers, and the greater will be the harmful effects on dealers and enterprises in the smaller towns!

The burden of taxation borne by the business interests of the smaller towns and communities throughout Texas will, as a natural result, be shifted more and more to the shoulders of the remaining property owners. Those who have invested in homes and business buildings must sacrifice their investments to what some might mistakenly call "the march of progress."

The thousands of families, for so many years dependent upon employment by these business enterprises as a means of livelihood, must be forced to the cities in quest of work, and falling in that add further to our burden of relief and unemployment!

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Miss Muerer Married Feb. 6 Ceremony At St. Joseph's Catholic Church

At St. Joseph's Catholic church, Monday morning at 8 o'clock, February 6th, Miss Betty Muerer became the bride of Mr. Andrew Hlavaty. The altar was arranged with white tapers in candelabra and pink and white sweet peas with fern.

Pre-nuptial music was played and sung by Clem Kitten, Jr. and the

Sodality Choir; and Father T. D. O'Brien read the marriage vows. Madlyne Hlavaty, flower girl and sister of the groom, was first to enter, wearing a white net Colonial gown over satin, with a matching hat trimmed with wide pink velvet ribbon and carrying a bouquet of sweet peas.

Maids of honor were Misses Lydell Nesbitt, and Tallie Bednarz, who wore twin taffeta gowns of different colors. Miss Nesbitt chose rose with dubonnet accessories and Miss Bednarz, teal blue with navy accessories. Both carried Colonial bouquets of roses and sweet peas.

The bride entered on the arm of her father, Mr. W. L. Muerer, and was gown in a white satin creation with tucked bodice, long close fitting sleeves puffed at the shoulder, and a train. Her floor length veil was caught with a halo of orange blossoms and she carried a satin prayer book with a spray of white sweet peas and fern.

Mr. Delphine Hlavaty was best man for his brother; and Mr. Allen Muerer, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. Ushers were Messres Alex Bednarz and Victor Heinrich.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Muerer, parents of the bride, after the ceremony for a host of relatives and friends.

Mr. Andrew Hlavaty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hlavaty of Lubbock and after a short honeymoon the newlyweds will reside near Cooper

Mrs. J. O. Young and son, Howard, attended the graduation exercises at Kelly Field near San Antonio, Feb. 1st, as the former's nephew, Lt. Dick

Faulkner, was a member of the graduating class.

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