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Good Afternoon

Some people want to make the dollar hard. Our problem is how hard it is to make the dollar.—Marshall Evening Messenger.

AP SERVICE

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## KIDNAP VICTIMS RETURN HOME—KIDNAPERS TO PRISON FOR LIFE



Back home after days of torturous uncertainty as to his fate while held hostage by Los Angeles kidnapers, William F. Gettle, Beverly Hills millionaire, is shown above, left as he was reunited to his four children. The children, from left to right are Bobby, Betty, Billy and Jimmy. Above, from left to right, are the three abductors who Tuesday confessed to the kidnaping and were sentenced to life imprisonment. They are Roy Williams, James F. Kirk and Larry Karrigan.

The lower pictures show June Robles, 6, victim of kidnapers who kept her imprisoned for 19 days in the blazing Arizona desert, as she drinks a cup of tea, her first nourishment at home after being rescued from a sandy grave.



## WEST WARD HAS 42 PUPILS EXEMPT

### Honor Students Not To Take Final Examinations

Forty-two pupils were exempt from taking final exams at West Ward, according to Mrs. H. B. Estes, principal.

The total exemptions are as follows:

High fifth, Patsy Hall, Travis Alexander, Hildon Lindsey, Frank Morrison and James Fultz.

Low fifth, Jess Ballew and Ethel Louise May.

High fourth, Mae Fern Rowden, Dorothy Hagemeyer, Juanita Scott, Nell Sifton, Peggy Walker, James Baldwin, Cullen Chapman, Neysanel Coursey, Joyce Duren, Rosalyn Watson, and Bobby Jones.

Low fourth, Leonard Jones.

The partial exemptions are as follows:

High fifth, L. A. Lester, Velda

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## LITTLE THEATER HAS NOVEL PLAY

### 'The First Night' Takes Part Of Action Over Footlights Into Audience

The Memphis Little theater will have three dress rehearsals, following tonight's final practice, before presenting "The First Night," a mystery, at the high school auditorium Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

There have been on the New York stage in recent years many ingenious developments of the idea of taking the play over the footlights and putting it down in the midst of the audience. An amazing example of this will be shown in "The First Night."

The stage is the stage of the Mutual Welfare League at Sing Sing penitentiary. The audience is supposed to be an audience of convicts. The ushers are dressed in the dead gray of the prison uniform.

The warden, to be played by Herbert Estes, and the governor of the state, played by Rufus Greene, sit in the fifth row and give orders about the play and the audience. The illusion is singularly successful.

"The First Night" is exciting, novel and good melodrama, interspersed with many comical situations.

Tickets, priced at 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children, were placed on sale yesterday by members of the cast.

## President Getting Ready To Conclude Legislative Plans

WASHINGTON, May 17.—President Roosevelt today was preparing to conclude his legislative program for this session with five messages, including a proposal, probably before the week-end, for silver.

The president will follow his recommendation for bimetalism with messages on war debts, munitions, coconut oil and social legislation.

It is not expected that legislation will be sought on war debts and possibly not on munitions.

## NEGRO IS ARRESTED

LAKE CHARLES, La., May 17.—John Collins, a 37-year-old negro, was under arrest today in connection with an attempt to extort \$100,000 from C. H. Austin, president of the Stevedores association here.

## Yard Fire Damage Is Being Repaired By Lumber Company

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## LEGISLATURE TO OPEN TARIFF QUESTION

### Senator Harrison Is Leader Of Speedy Reciprocal Bill

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Harrison, Mississippi, today opened the administration's drive for speedy Senate enactment of its reciprocal tariff bill with the assertion it would prove a means for recapturing a \$6,000,000,000 foreign trade loss.

"We cannot shut out imports without at the same time shutting in potential exports," Harrison asserted in starting an old-fashioned tariff struggle that leaders said would last from three days to one week.

The measure, already passed the House, would authorize the president to negotiate tariff trading treaties as other nations have been doing in order to build up some trade. Senate ratification would not be required.

## JUNE ROBLES TO RE-ENTER CLASS

### Story Of Pitiful Efforts To Amuse Herself While In Desert Hole Related

TUSCON, May 17.—June Robles is going back to school Monday to try to forget the horror of 19 days alone in a desert hole.

Carlos Robles, her uncle, stated the little victim is more affected physically and emotionally than appeared to casual observers.

The child's pitiful efforts to amuse herself with dolls fashioned from date seeds and paper, while sweltering beneath the desert sun, and her dazed condition when lifted from the hole, were related.

Spurred by relatives, authorities were extending their efforts to find the girl's abductors.

## Many Pioneers To Attend Pampa Fete

PAMPA, May 17.—Hundreds of West Texas pioneers are accepting invitations to be present May 31 and June 1 as Texas' first Pre-Centennial and Pioneers Roundup is held here under the auspices of the Junior chamber of commerce.

The quiet and roomy high school gymnasium has been set aside as registration and rest head quarters for the oldtimers. The huge floor will be furnished with lounges and chairs. Oldtime and modern music will be furnished at intervals and refreshments will be available.

Registration of these honored guests will be in charge of Mrs. De Lea Vicars and a large committee. Mrs. E. A. Shackleton will preside at an information booth. Bill Brown, in charge of the oldtimers program, has the cooperation of a large number of Pampa pioneers. There will be a square dance and oldtime fiddling. Cash prizes will be given the winners. Mrs. W. R. Ewing, wife of the district judge, will be official hostess.

The Pre-Centennial program is one that will appeal to young and old. It will officially open May 31 at 11 a. m., with high state and several national officials speaking briefly in the city auditorium.

In the afternoon the Pre-Centennial parade of floats graphically depicting great moments in Texas history will move up and down the main streets. Twelve hundred Texas flags, and in addition flags of the United States, (Continued on page 8)

## The Weather

WEST TEXAS.—Fair, warmer except in southwest section tonight; Friday partly cloudy, warmer in southwest.

EAST TEXAS.—Fair, warmer in west portion tonight; Friday partly cloudy, warmer in west and north portions.

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## ENGLAND CALLS ON WORLD TO STOP WAR

### Six Nations Approve Action In Bolivia, Paraguay Dispute

GENEVA, May 17.—England called on the world today to stop war between Paraguay and Bolivia.

A support of the British move was immediately pledged by representatives of France, Italy, Spain, Argentina, Australia, and Czechoslovakia.

All eyes were turned to the United States to see what it would do.

Captain Anthony Eden, British lord of the privy seal, asked the council of the League of Nations to cable 17 nations, asking a cessation of the shipment of arms and ammunition to Paraguay and Bolivia.

## Man Is Lynched At Same Tree Where He Took Life Of Wife

VERA CRUZE, Mexico, May 17.—Porfirio Gutierrez's neighbor lynched him today.

Gutierrez, a farmer, tied his wife to a tree at their home near Colpa and burned her to death.

The people of Colpa bound him to the same tree and killed him the same way.

It was the first lynching in the state of Vera Cruz.

## Donley County Man Makes Plane Wants To Fly

CLARENDON, May 17.—M. O. Stapp of Alanreed community has spent a whole year constructing a two-place airplane into which he placed an ordinary motor car from a popular make. Pilot Gus Irwin of Pampa tried out the ship this week for Stapp and reports it flies "perfectly." Stapp has already secured a government license for his small ship, which has a wing spread of only 28 feet and a wing inches. Stapp did all of the work on the ship and now hopes to learn to fly it himself.

## MORNING BLAZE DESTROYS HOME

Mrs. Betty Fisher Carried From Burning House Soon After Fire Starts

Fire, resulting from a small, defective wood stove, almost completely destroyed the small frame residence of Mrs. Betty Fisher at 1314 West Dover street today.

The fire broke out this morning at about 10:20. Mrs. Fisher was cutting weeds in the yard at the time, and a neighbor turned in the alarm. The roof of the house was ablaze at that time.

Mrs. Fisher ran into the house as soon as she saw the fire, attempting to save some pictures and other personal belongings. A

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## DEATHS IN MINE EXPLOSIONS REACH 57

### 14 Die Today During Search For Bodies 'After 43 Killed

BRUSSELS, May 17.—Fourteen men were killed today in the Pasturages au Fief mine by an explosion caused by fire while they were seeking the bodies of three miners killed with 40 others Tuesday.

Forty-eight miners were trapped in Tuesday's explosion. Five were rescued and 40 bodies were recovered.

## High School Commencement Exercises Will Be Tonight

Commencement exercises for the graduating class of 1934 of Memphis High school will be held tonight at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

Forty-seven seniors, the smallest class in recent years to graduate from Memphis High school, will march down the aisle and be handed their diplomas by H. A. Jackson, superintendent of the Memphis City schools.

Dr. J. O. Elsworth of Texas Technological college, will deliver the commencement address.

The program of the commencement exercise is as follows:

Processional, "Pomp and Chivalry," by the all-school orchestra; invocation, Dr. John Angus MacMillan; vocal solo, "Bird Songs at Eventide," Nell McNeely; salutatory address, "Youth Faces a New Era," Geraldine Watson.

Piano solo, "Improvisation and Melody," Rubye Hogue;

## Local Delegates Return From Meet

J. Henry Read, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, and S. T. Harrison, newly elected director to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, arrived in Memphis early this morning after attending the convention in San Angelo.

The local Chamber of Commerce representative went to the convention for the purpose of obtaining all possible knowledge concerning the Bankhead bill.

Most of their time was spent meeting with committees in order to secure information valuable to the county.

Both men report an enjoyable and worthwhile trip.

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Out Our Way

by "Cowboy" Williams

DOONNA of the BIG TOP

By EUGENE POWELL



HARRELL CHAPEL

BY MISS J. W. LONGSHIRE. Rev. Harrell Chase of Memphis filed his regular appointment for Saturday night and Sunday.

Monday in the home of Mrs. Lee Bain. Mrs. Margie Lynn, the county administrator, gave a demonstration on cross-stitching. Those present were...

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baker and Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goss and daughter and Miss Paul and...

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BY MISS J. T. NELSON. A number of young folks enjoyed a picnic at Indian Creek Friday night. Lutes and music were served.

DEEP LAKE

BY MISS LAWRENCE. The Deep Lake football team defeated the Pleasant Valley team Friday afternoon by a score of 10-4.

OUR FIRST DRESS SALE advertisement featuring a woman in a dress and a list of prices for dresses and hats.

BEHOLD HERE TODAY! DENNIS GARDNER and MADISON SIBBALD who call themselves "The Cabaret Sisters" are...



Now get on with the story! The star performers were having luncheon in the cook tent when Donna arrived at the circus...

The cage of lions and tigers was holding the center of the arena. When Donna was crazy about Donna, well, he'd show her! Big Ben Trafford would show her...

Though innocent of any love other than a normal, possessive one, he was capable of a deep, intense hatred and at that moment he hated the slender, dark-eyed girl...

TRAVEL BY LOW FARES TO ALL advertisement with travel schedule and contact information for Wichita Falls.

Vertical text on the right edge of the page, including page number 1934 and various publication details.

COOKING HOUSE

By Ahern



FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



SALISBURY

BY DELBERT McGUIRE  
T. O. Neely and several boys of this school went on a fishing trip Friday to Smith ranch.

The teachers for next year as elected are: T. O. Neely, principal; Mrs. Neely and Mary Foreman.

The Salisbury baseball team postponed a game with Pleasant Valley Sunday because of the sandstorm.

Mrs. Burl Cummings of Lodge is very ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, at 115 North Seventh street.

VINE GROWS THRU TREE

By Associated Press  
DURANT, Okla., May 17.—A three-inch wild grape vine was found growing through a 10-inch elm tree by B. J. Schlinke, who lives east of here. Seemingly the vine had found its way over a fork years ago and the tree formed over the vine.

Send to Clark's for it.

DALHART RAIN 1.51 INCHES

By Associated Press  
DALHART, May 17.—Rains of .27 of an inch in Dalhart the first week of May brought the total since Jan. 1, 1934, to 1.51 inches, according to the U. S. field station. This, the station reported, is about 40 per cent of normal. While only a quarter of an inch of moisture fell here in the last rain precipitation ranging from one-half to two inches fell in many parts of the Dalhart territory. Crop prospects are greatly improved.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS LARGE

By Associated Press  
LLANO, May 17.—Approximately 100 cars of cattle have been shipped from Llano since the spring movement began around April 15. Most of the cattle went to Oklahoma and Kansas to grass. Among the visiting cattlemen who made heavy purchases in the Llano country this spring were Jack Montgomery and Tony Menghine of Vinita, Okla.; T. H. Hartley of Parsons, Kans., and Oscar Hadden of Ponca City, Okla. The shipments from here will continue for several weeks.

REDUCE WATER RATES

By Associated Press  
BRADY, May 17.—A two-thirds reduction in the summer water rate has not deprived the Brady municipal water plant of any profit.

"People are using three times as much water under the new rate as under the old," Edward Gesslin, manager of the plant, states. The rate on the first 4,000 gallons remains unchanged at \$2.50, but all water in excess of this amount has been reduced from 15 cents to five cents per 1,000 gallons.

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BRICE

By MRS. A. P. TODD  
Singing was well attended and enjoyed Sunday afternoon. All Chamberlain, Clarendon and other visitors are invited to be at the next singing.

Oscar Barnham and family of Memphis spent Sunday here in the home of his sister, Mrs. C. J. Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stewart and Mr. Earthman and family of Clarendon were guests in the home of D. T. Smallwood Sunday.

Rev. Jones of Lakeview filled his regular appointment here at the Methodist church over the week-end.

A Mother's Day program was given at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Zack Salmon and daughters spent Saturday in the home of her parents at Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Holley spent the week-end with his parents at Ashtola.

Don Dean and family spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Dean's father, Morgan Salmon.

IF YOUR TOES ITCH

You are probably suffering with ATHLETE'S FOOT. This disease is a form of ringworm that is deeply imbedded in the inner layers of the skin, causing small blisters that spread the disease when opened by scratching. BROWN'S LOTION will stop the itching instantly and heal any case of ATHLETE'S FOOT within fourteen days or your money will be refunded. No bandage necessary after using BROWN'S LOTION. 60c and \$1.00 per bottle at Tarter's Pharmacy and all good drug stores everywhere.

shorthand to etiquette, they should, if only in off hours, teach deportment and social grace. We go blundering through the years trying to guess at what to do and say and wear and how to act. By the time we're fifty then, perhaps we're ladies and gentlemen with enough "savoir faire" to poke our noses out of doors and be sure of ourselves.

Girls need to be taught house-keeping. Of course they'll all get married sometime. This need not interfere with a "career" course. Boys need to learn something real in the way of work or a profession. Hunt a school that does these things when the old dried-up institutions find themselves empty they will fall in line. Life is too short to fritter away precious years in rambling.

FIREMEN TO MEET

By Associated Press  
McKINNEY, May 17.—McKinney will be the scene of the first official meeting of the Progressive Volunteer Firemen's association of this district May 21. Fire Chief J. S. McKinney of this city, has announced. Cities expected to send representatives include Farmersville, Royse City, Plano, Garland, and Richardson. Chief Frank Williams of Winters, Texas, state instructor for Texas firemen, will be here for the all-day session. Chief Jim Griffin of Plano is president of this district.

Sound Youths Should Have Purposeful Aims

S BARTON too often confused by the layout of mixed studies. They take a year of this and that, "major" in something they will never need and don't intend to use; children who know, too, that their parents are doing without cream to pay for it.

Colleges, I feel, are failing in their methods of pointing out clear courses of study to parents and prospective students. Our college catalogues are, as a rule, regular pigs-in-pokes. We don't know what Dick or Daisy are going to get when we put them on the train.

The situation is changing, of course, but changing too slowly. Realizing the dead wood in their systems and that the letter can never substitute for the spirit, schools are coming back to reality and life. Also they are beginning to cooperate with parents. But there is still too much confusion. Parents will have to do the best they can.

All colleges should teach shorthand and type-writing. That they have not done so sooner is ridiculous.

What Should Be Taught  
And though it is a far cry from

A Word To The Weary

Are you sick and discouraged and so weary of it all? . . . . Would you like to just relax in a place that has a friendly, restful atmosphere coupled with all the conveniences—an ultra-modern hotel? . . . . We have reserved a light, airy, comfortable room especially for you at just the place you've been looking for.

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Just take a few weeks or even a few days off from the old grind, and see what a completely new person you'll feel like when you leave here.

The mineral baths under courteous, efficient masseurs are refreshing, rebuilding. . . . Drinking all the Crazy Mineral Water you can, at the noted Crazy Bar, or served to you in your room, will give you back your old pep and "go" . . . . And the meals! If you haven't had much of an appetite for a long time, the food here, planned and prepared especially to whet lazy appetites, will surely tempt you. . . . What first attracts the attention of our guests is the comfort of the big, beautiful lobby and the drinking pavilion.

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It is anil acetate. When combined with acetone and pyroxylin it forms a liquid used in gilding.—Funk & Wagnalls, page 1750.



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# Who Is Bait for the Loan Shark

## The Unfortunate Poorman in His Eagerness to Secure Life-giving Funds Makes Tempting Bait for Greedy Sharks, Who Easily Evade



**A** LITTLE while ago there came out of New York the story of a young man who in his efforts to extricate himself from a comparatively insignificant debt, borrowed more than two millions of dollars.

For ten years he borrowed from Peter to pay Paul until he landed in jail charged with second degree forgery. Sometimes he was forced to pay as high as 300 per cent interest, his total payments under this

item sometimes reaching \$10,000 a week.

**Pyramiding Starts Easy.**

The consensus of opinion among lawyers and others who know the way of money and interest and human nature, is that pyramiding could take place in any city, and that the usurers would not necessarily have to be blood suckers either. Let us imagine a suave, imaginative young man, well versed in the fundamentals of business. He is none too well

Pennsylvania a usurer only loses the amount of his interest, but in New York and Delaware he stands ready to lose both principal and interest. Elsewhere the punishment is fines and imprisonment. The legal rate of interest in Pennsylvania is 6 per cent, although some states allow more. In Alabama, Alaska and Florida it is 8 per cent, and in New Mexico it is 10. Pawnbrokers are the only people who are legally permitted to charge a larger rate.

New Mexico, Texas and Delaware permit your uncle to take 10 per cent a month.

Today the ancient prejudice against interest no longer has root in the moral consciousness of the people, except in the case of loan sharks and those who would oppress the poor.

**When Legal Rate Is Exceeded.**

Today the law against a 6 per cent interest is broken a thousand times a day and no one complains. Banks, business houses, people of standing, do not hold fast to its rules. Would you feel any compunction were you able to get 10 per cent on your money? Indeed the conception has grown up that money is a commodity to be secured at whatever rate is possible. In ordinary instances when the usual collateral is offered, 6 per cent should suffice, but there are other times when a much larger interest may justifiably be asked.

Take the case of a business man. Because of his position he sees a possibility of making a large sum of money if he can in some way secure the necessary capital. All his available funds are tied up in stock and it looks as though he will have to pass up this opportunity. He cannot go to a bank for a loan because while he can offer splendid possibilities he has no collateral. There is only one thing to do and that is to get the money from some other source. Right here is where the professional big money lender comes in. He listens to the man's story, sees its plausibility and hands over the money. It may be that things will turn out as



principled. He knows the men who are enjoying big incomes and who are accumulating money faster than they can find suitable places to invest it.

**Laws On Usury.**

All of which introduces the subject. Everyone—even those who possess the most rudimentary conceptions of the laws of business, know that the legal rate of interest is 6 per cent. Anyone who attempts to extort more than this amount is punished according to the laws of the state in which he resides. In

## WHEN IS A MAN INTOXICATED?

**T**HE list of those who have sacrificed for science is a long and glorious one, but have you heard about the six college students who helped to settle the question: "When is a man intoxicated?"

It might seem that a piece of research of this particular sort would be a carnival affair, and that the subjects of the tests would be selected from a long list of eager volunteers, asking no pay for their services. The fact is, the experiment was a grilling experience, and the men who took part in it fully earned the salaries they drew for two weeks of scientific drinking.

Dr. H. L. Hollingworth, of Columbia University, who made a new report on this experiment at the recent meeting of the American Psychological Association, has for some years been interested in the effect of drugs and intoxicants on individuals. He noted that in police and criminal courts witnesses are usually depended upon to determine the point of whether or not a prisoner was intoxicated at the time of his alleged misconduct. He wondered just how accurate such testimony was. Would the opinion of the prisoner accused of drinking—assuming he told the truth—be more correct than the opinions of those who observed his behavior? Would scientific tests be more sensitive in detecting drunkenness than the opinions of either? And aren't there degrees and shades of intoxication anyway? Even medical experts sometimes disagree when they testify as to whether an individual had been under the influence of alcohol.

their intelligence, speed, motor control, pulse rate, accuracy, judgment and power of concentration. These tests furnished records of their abilities in normal circumstances.

When noon came luncheon was set before them. Some days they had only water or lemonade to drink. On other days they were given from one to nine bottles of 2.75 per cent beer. On still other days they drank control beer, that is, beer which contained everything except the 2.75 per cent alcohol. When large quantities of liquid were served the doses were scattered through one or two hours. Crackers and other solid food and coffee sometimes accompanied the test luncheon.

**Drank for Two Weeks.**

The men were never told what the glasses contained. They simply drank and went back to the tests—unless the drinking program of the day was too much for them. When the doses ran up to nine pint bottles several of the subjects became nauseated and were too ill to hunt for keyholes or to engage in memory games with the experimenter.

These largest doses of beer were considerably more than any individual, however thirsty, would be likely to imbibe in an afternoon for pleasure. But for the purpose of the experiment they were necessary. The 2.75 per cent beer was so much weaker than the old-fashioned 8 per cent beverage that many people doubted its ability to intoxicate. In order to be fairly sure of the possibility of getting his subjects under the influence of alcohol, the professor thought it best to have several long distance drinking bouts.

Each of the six subjects agreed not only to drink whatever was set before him, but also to keep a diary during the two weeks. At the end of a day, he recorded whether or not he thought he had had any alcohol that day, and what his physical condition had been, and how he had felt while taking the tests.

While these men were experiencing and reporting on their own intoxication, three assistants were kept busy observing the behavior of the drinkers. And all day long the tests taken by the subjects were piling up scientific evidence.

When the two weeks were over a group of judges was selected to compare the accuracy of the three methods of diagnosing drunkenness. They were not told on which days the men had been given alcohol, but they were requested to decide on the basis of the reports of the witnesses and the drinkers, whether or not the men had alcohol on each given day.

**Opinion of Witness Unreliable.**

The verdict was that the opinion of witnesses is the least reliable of the three methods. Witnesses were not able to detect the effect of medium-sized doses of alcohol—three or four bottles of the weak beer. They were sure of intoxication only in cases where at least five or six bottles had been taken. The subjects themselves did better. They felt and described the effects of three and four bottles, which led Dr. Hollingworth to conclude that "alcohol affects the feelings before it affects the grossly observable conduct." Only the technical tests registered the effect of the smallest doses. A man who had drunk even one or two bottles of weak beer made a poorer record in tests requiring mental concentration or muscular control. Dr. Hollingworth's way of putting it is that "there is impairment to a measurable degree in ratio with the amount of the dose."

**Differences Between Individuals.**

By this statement he does not mean that a given amount of alcohol would affect every one to the same measurable extent. He made some interesting observations on the differences between individuals, and in general the following conditions were found:

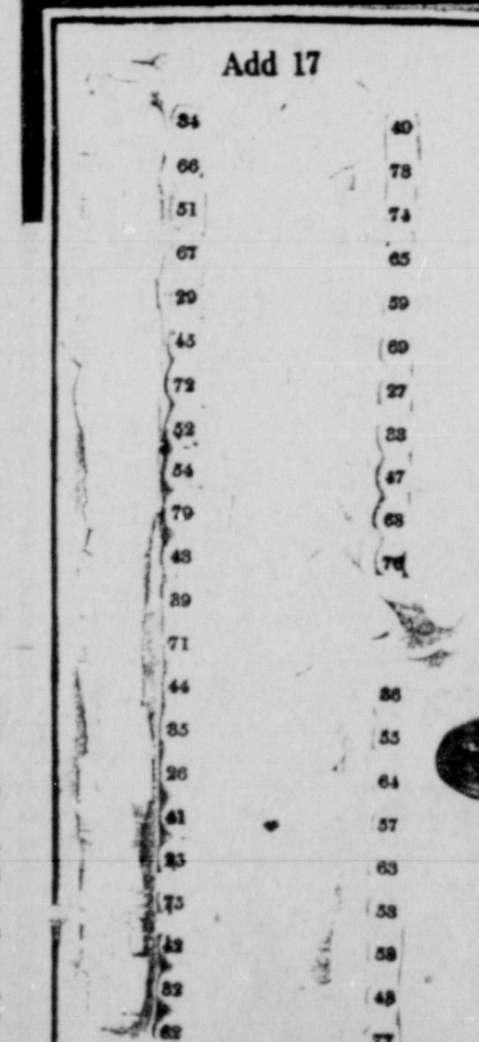
The more intelligent the person the less he is affected by alcohol.

The person who takes regular exercise is less affected by intoxicants than the one who is physically unfit.

The larger sized individual is less affected than the smaller.

To explain the last statement first, the person having greater bodily weight has more tissue to absorb the intoxicant and consequently the intensity of the effect is lower than in a small person.

It was to be expected that physical fitness would be an aid in throwing off the effects of alcohol. But that intelligence should also resist intox-



**Opposites**

past	hostile
loud	slowly
vague	foreign
wise	aristocratic
lazy	ripe
drunk	dangerous
peculiar	noisy
sickle	graceful
gay	fertile
victorious	expensive
savage	brief
public	secret
gentle	idle
cowardly	stale
innocent	defective
masculine	broad
sharp	cloudy
rash	helpless
talkative	attractive
prompt	sickly
tragic	shallow
beautiful	doubtful



Seen above is a subject trying to add 17 to the two numbers to the right, after the use of alcohol.

"Intelligence depends upon a well constituted nervous system, one that works efficiently and smoothly. The individual with a healthy nervous system can, and does, resist intoxicating influences. There is a pop-

ular idea about intelligence which is quite to the contrary. Many people think that erratic, unsteady nerves are a sure sign of mental brilliance. They can be disproved. Tests of 1,000 soldiers who were suffering

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# Go Against Pampa Roadrunners Here Tomorrow Afternoon

## NO PITCHING, EH?



**JOE CASCARELLA**

ROOKIE PITCHER WHO IS MAKING PHILADELPHIA FANS FORGET THE WINTER SALES THAT WERE EXPECTED TO WRECK THE ATHLETICS' STAFF.....

CONNIE MACK OBTAINED HIM FROM JERSEY CITY OF THE INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE...

HE WON HIS FIRST THREE STARTS IN THE MAJORS.....



## By HARRY GRAYSON

CLEVELAND.—Young American losing interest in baseball?

"No, sir!" replied Tristram Speaker, mopping his forehead. The best all-around outfielder the sport ever produced supervised the unloading of a truck load of whisky as he spoke. He is in the wholesale wine and liquor business in the city where he demonstrated that he was as fine a manager as he was a hitter and ball hawk.

"Why, it was only a year ago in Des Moines that Lee Keyser, who owns the Western League club there, was asked to recruit a team of 14-year-old boys to meet a similar and undefeated aggregation from Denver," related Speaker.

"Keyser sounded his call thru a baseball writer and at 8 o'clock the following morning his park was stormed by more than 2,000 young Hubbels, Cochranes, Gehrigs, Cronins, and Ruths. He had 700 pitchers and catchers and as many infielders and outfielders.

"You can imagine what happened. The Denver team didn't leave Des Moines unbeaten.

**Amateurs Outdraw Majors**

"As many as 125,000 persons have watched an amateur game in the natural amphitheater at Brookside park in Cleveland, New England college games outdrew the Braves and Red Sox while the two Boston outfits were being buffeted about.

"There perhaps are more youngsters playing the game than ever, particularly in the colleges. "Baseball should be as fast as it was 10 years ago, but it isn't."

"The trouble lies in the system of development, or, rather, the lack of one.

"The collapse of more than half of the smaller leagues makes it impossible for a majority of the boys to obtain steady employment in baseball, with the result that they turn to something else.

"Twenty years ago there were 40 minor leagues. There were 29 class D loops alone, or two more than all the classes combined last year.

"Major league owners were short-sighted in allowing so many of the smaller fry to fold up. A bit of financial help would have saved a number of them, in return for which the big fellows would not so frequently have had to write fancy checks for material.

"The fact that several minors are making brave efforts to resume this spring is a healthy sign.

**College Players Spoiled**

"In late years it has not been uncommon for an athlete to hop direct from college to a big league organization, where more often than not he is spoiled by being petted and pampered.

"Competition is keen, so the young man winds up with a \$5,000

## Duke Trammel To Defend His Title At Pampa May 31

**By Associated Press**

PAMPA, May 17.—A championship fight will be staged in Pampa May 31 as part of the Pre-Centennial celebration and pioneer round-up being sponsored by the Pampa Junior Chamber of Commerce May 31 and June 1. The Pampa Daily News, working with promoters and commissioners, has secured Duke Trammel, Port Worth, and Ralph Chong, Houston, for a 10-round bout with Trammel's Texas middleweight championship crown at stake.

The 32 rounds of boxing will be staged May 31 at Roadrunner park. Tickets will go on sale May 21. Admission will be \$1.65 for ringside seats, \$1.25 for box seats and \$1.10 for general admission, tax paid.

Duke Trammel, the veteran, is at the top of the rung. He is not as young as he used to be, but he has made a remarkable come-back since boxing was legalized in Texas. In earlier years, Trammel had to roam far and wide for good opponents, but now Texas has become a mecca of good boxers and Trammel can stay in his home state and meet the best in his class.

Ralph Chong, whose home town is Shanghai, China, came to this

## Baptists Defeat Methodists To Move Near Top of Softball Loop

### Baseball Scores And Standings

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Results Yesterday  
No games scheduled.

**Standings Today**

W.	L.	Pct.
New York	17	.789
Cleveland	11	.550
Philadelphia	12	.522
Detroit	12	.522
Washington	12	.480
Boston	11	.458
St. Louis	9	.429
Chicago	6	.286

**Schedule Today**  
Philadelphia at Chicago.  
Boston at St. Louis.  
New York at Detroit.  
Washington at Cleveland.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Results Yesterday  
Boston at Philadelphia, to be played at later date.  
Only game scheduled.

**Standings Today**

W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	15	.682
Chicago	18	.667
St. Louis	15	.600
New York	15	.577
Boston	12	.522
Brooklyn	9	.375
Philadelphia	7	.318
Cincinnati	5	.217

**Schedule Today**  
Chicago at Philadelphia.  
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at New York.

**TEXAS LEAGUE**  
Results Yesterday  
No games scheduled.

**Standings Today**

W.	L.	Pct.
Tulsa	17	.680
Dallas	16	.552
San Antonio	17	.567
Galveston	15	.500
Fort Worth	14	.467
Oklahoma City	12	.462
Houston	13	.448
Beaumont	13	.406

**Schedule Today**  
Dallas at San Antonio.  
Fort Worth at Galveston.  
Tulsa at Houston.  
Oklahoma City at Beaumont.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
Columbus 3, Kansas City 8.  
Louisville 3, St. Paul 6.  
Toledo 6, Milwaukee 4.  
Indianapolis 0, Minneapolis 7.

**SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION**  
Knoxville 5-3, Memphis 1-2.  
Birmingham 6, Nashville 3.  
New Orleans at Atlanta, wet grounds.  
Chattanooga at Little Rock, night game.

Playing expertly in all departments of the game, the Baptists completely and easily swamped the Methodists yesterday afternoon, 12 to two, on the West Ward diamond, and added to their chances at first position in the Sunday School Softball league.

Arthur Howard, pitcher, held the white-caps to three singles, while the Baptist defense worked smoothly and without errors. Led by Howard, Gordon Walker, and Randolph, the red-caps hit terrifically as usual, and were never in danger of being caught after the first scoreless inning.

Two doubles and two triples were the only extra-base blows. Paul Blevins was responsible for one of the two-baggers, and the other was made by Randolph, who also tripped, Clifford Bumgarner made the other three-base hit.

For the losers, Byars and Burks fielded neatly, while Blevins, Walker, and Alvin Massey led the defensive play for the victors.

A good crowd was in attendance, although the game had been scheduled originally for Friday.

Today's game will see the Methodists, determined this time, acting as hosts to the Christians. According to the Methodists themselves they are tired of "foolin'" and mean to show the boys in grey how softball is played. The game starts at 6:15 o'clock.

The box score:

**METHODISTS (2)**

AB	R	H	PO	
Hillyer, rf	4	0	1	0
Burks, 1b-3b	3	0	0	3
Byars, 3b-1b	2	0	0	7
Springer, Jr., ss	3	0	0	2
Hudgins, lf	2	0	0	0
Delaney, 2b	3	0	1	3
Alexander, cf	2	0	0	1
Guthrie, c	3	1	0	1
Beckum, p	3	1	1	1
1-Dickson	1	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>

1-batted for Alexander in 7th.

**BAPTISTS (12)**

AB	R	H	PO	
G. Gilliam, ss	5	0	1	2
Payne, c	3	1	1	1
Blevins, 1b	3	0	1	7
Massey, 3b	4	2	2	3
E. Gilliam, lf	4	1	1	1
G. Walker, 2b	4	2	3	3
Bumgarner, cf	4	2	1	2
Randolph, f	4	4	3	1
Howard, p	3	0	3	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>21</b>

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**League Standing**

TEAM	W.	L.	Pct.
Christians	3	1	.750
Baptists	4	2	.667
Presbyterians	2	3	.400
Methodists	1	4	.200

month. Later he kayoed Debs Dalby, one of the toughest middleweights in the state. Trammel is pointing for his fight in Pampa and will not box again until he meets Chong here.

The Chinese wonder has yet to lose a fight in the United States. He has been gradually climbing to the peak of the middleweight class, and to show that he is the logical contender for a chance at Trammel's crown, Chong last week defeated Don La Rue, the fighter every promoter in the

## GOLF

**WRIST SHOULD BE FULLY COCKED AT TOP OF PITCH**

As the top of the backswing is reached, the wrists should be completely cocked.

At this point, in the shot of many good golfers, the left heel has risen from the ground just enough to allow the necessary



turn of the body without restraint. However, this is not necessary if the golfer can get sufficient turn to the body without this action.

Bobby Jones and Gene Sarazen are examples of golfers who play the pitch without lifting the heel in the backswing. Never should there be a conscious life of the heel from the ground.

state has been hoping to match against Trammel. La Rue defeated Babe Kiser twice, kayoed Ace King and fought a draw with Al Salbano. Then came Chong and La Rue has to start over again.

A supporting card of well known fighters is being arranged and the full card will be announced soon.

## SEMI-FINAL IN SCOTCH PLAY TODAY

### Country Club Golf Tourney May Not End This Week

Play was expected to be continued in the Memphis Country club's Scotch golf tournament this afternoon, reaching the championship match, which may not be played before next week.

O. B. Jones and Irvin Johnsey, who have rested in an upper bracket semi-final berth for several days, go against the fast team of Ed Foxhall and C. O. Thompson in the semi-final.

The winner of this match is to battle R. S. Greene and T. M. Harrison for the title. The Greene-Harrison combination swept thru the lower bracket last week.

Although the semi-final tilt was not scheduled this morning, members of the teams thought they would get together this afternoon.

There probably will be no play tomorrow because of the baseball game here, nor Saturday or Sunday, since a number of the players return to Wichita Falls for competition in the Junior Chamber of Commerce invitation.

## Vernon Lights Park For Night Football Games Next Season

**By Associated Press**

VERNON, May 17.—Installation of a lighting system for night football at the City Park, home of the Vernon High School Lions, has been completed.

Construction of steel bleachers with wooden seats to accommodate about 2,000 spectators is well advanced.

Laborers from relief rolls are being used in the work. The Texas Relief commission recently approved an application for \$2,500 for use in employing relief labor.

The cost of the lighting and bleacher project, sponsored by the Vernon High School Athletic association, is \$5,585.

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The Republican party is pretty close to the brink and unless it has an organization free from the influences which brought us to our present plight, it will die as the old Whig party died—of sheer political cowardice.—Senator William E. Borah.

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## Political Announcements

- (The Democrat is authorized to announce the candidacies of the following, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July):
- For State Representative, 121st District:**  
BOB ALEXANDER, Childress (Re-election)
  - For District Attorney of 100th Judicial District:**  
JOHN DEAYER (Re-election)
  - For District Clerk:**  
J. N. CYPERT (Re-election)
  - For County Judge:**  
J. H. (Jim) VALLANCE (Re-election)
  - For Sheriff:**  
B. WILSON  
LINDSEY HILL  
ROY MAYES  
A. W. (Sandstorm) WILLIAMS  
J. N. (JOE) COLVIN
  - For County Attorney:**  
C. LAND (Re-election)
  - For Assessor and Collector of Taxes:**  
J. HOLT BOWNS  
JESSE JENKINS  
A. BALDWIN
  - For County Treasurer:**  
J. T. (Tommy) KINKADE (Re-election)
  - For County Superintendent:**  
J. M. PARSONS  
H. L. GIPSON  
JOE ALLEN BALLARD  
MISS CORNELIA McCANNE  
Miss Vera (Tops) Gilreath  
L. D. REES
  - For Commissioner Precinct No. 11:**  
C. H. (Cloyd) MESSER  
W. B. (Butler) MORRISON  
I. F. HUCKABY  
W. M. (Billy) WALKER  
M. C. (Conly) WARD
  - For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:**  
W. L. WHEAT
  - For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:**  
A. R. McMASTER (Re-election)  
GROVER T. MOSS  
B. H. NEAL  
T. F. McCRARY

**THIS CURIOUS WORLD** By William Ferguson

**FROGS**  
SPEND THE WINTER BURIED IN THE MUD. NEAR A BODY OF WATER!

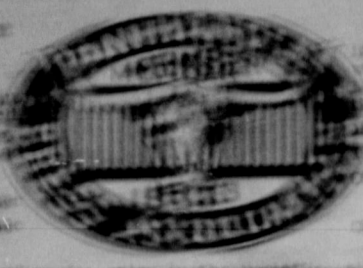
**LIGHTHOUSES**  
ARE BUILT ROUND IN ORDER TO PRESENT LESS SURFACE RESISTANCE TO WAVES AND WIND.

AS ONE GETS NEARER THE EARTH'S MAGNETIC POLES, THE PULL ON THE COMPASS NEEDLE BECOMES WEAKER.

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MEMPHIS, TENN., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1934



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SCHOOL MATTERS

MEMPHIS schools will be closed for summer vacation...

They should not be left idly in their own homes...

The outings and excursions of similar school classes...

Misses, the public library, white-seller notes and the...

RECASTING THE WAVES

ENGLAND'S income from the shipping business has...

Now, however, things have changed. British tonnage...

Let it remain, would be premature, saying a warning...

British shipping may be in a decline just now, in...

The English get into ships, but they have an uncanny...

DEED TO SAVED THE DEPTER AND EALADOTE

A YOUNG man named the Fisher went into court...

"They brought me into the world," he said, "and it was...

Now a man who is standing trial for murder is not...

And to the man it will be seen as a thoughtful person...

For while these facts are very sad, they are never the...

What does a young man owe to his parents? Why, nothing...

They brought him into the world without asking him...

And you can't delectate it like that. For parents...

They don't have to be dear, they do it because the...

This Ought To Show Out The Delinquent Lawbreakers



HEALTH

BY DR. WALTER BISHOP... attention to smoking with small...

WHO OWNS FIRST?

Was it the first American... were in the World War?

Sole Chances by George Clark



"We must show many people. It's not a very good name."

WAS L...

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The Government of Washington...

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The Government of Washington...

NEWS

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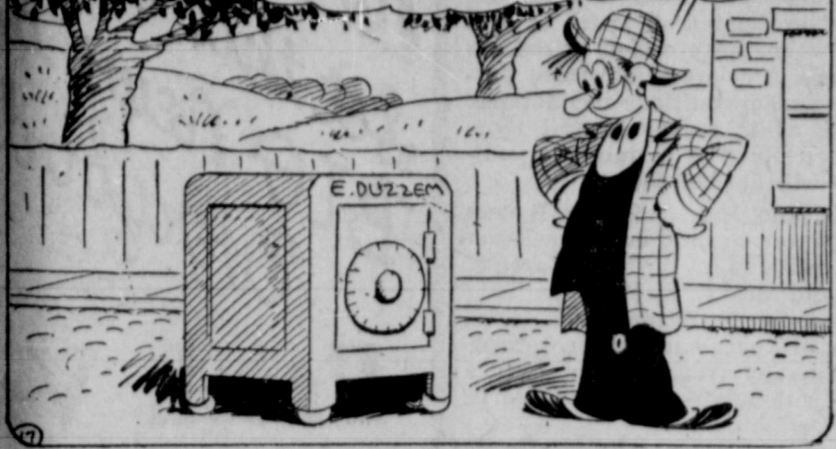


With Gen. Gandy, member of...

# The Democrat's Daily Page of All Star Comics

### SALESMAN SAM

WELL, TH' TWO SAFE ROBBERS ARE IN TH' JUG, AN' I'M SO HAPPY I COULD DANCE A JIG! AN' O' DUZZ'LL PROBL'Y DO A HIGHLAND FLUNG WHEN HE FINDS OUT I'VE RECOVERED HIS \$2,000!



GOOD OL' SAFE! I KNEW I'D RECOVER YA! ONCE A DETECTIVE, ALWAYS A SLEUTH!



GEE! I WONDER IF TH' DOUGH IS IN TH' SAFE, SAFE AND SOUND? I BETTER FIND OUT!



DOGGONE TH' LUCK! SHE WON'T COME OPEN!

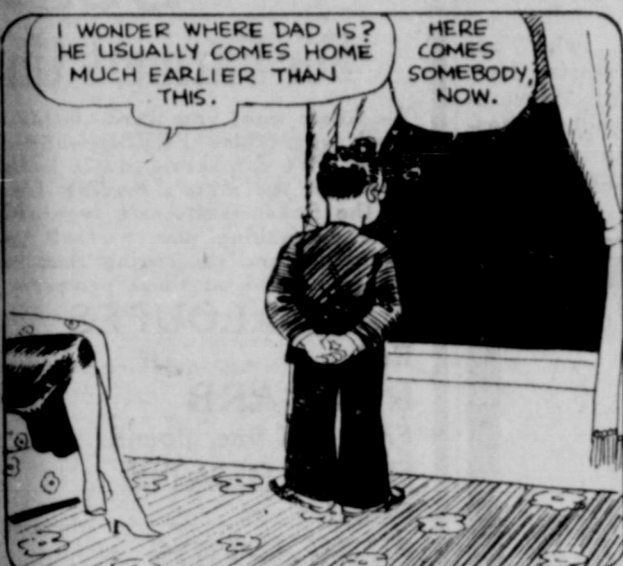


FER GOSH SAKES! I SPENT A HALF AN HOUR TRYIN' TA GET IT OPEN, AN' I JEST HAPPENED TA THINK, I DON'T KNOW TH' COMBINATION!



By Small

### WASH TUBS



I WONDER WHERE DAD IS? HE USUALLY COMES HOME MUCH EARLIER THAN THIS.



DADDY! GOOD HEAVENS! WHAT HAPPENED?  
TUT TUT, BETTY. NOTHING SERIOUS, I ASSURE YOU.



SLIGHT TRAFFIC ACCIDENT AT MAIN AND FIFTH. THE CAR IN FRONT OF ME STOPPED RATHER SUDDENLY, I BUMPED INTO IT, AND HIT MY FACE ON THE STEERING WHEEL.



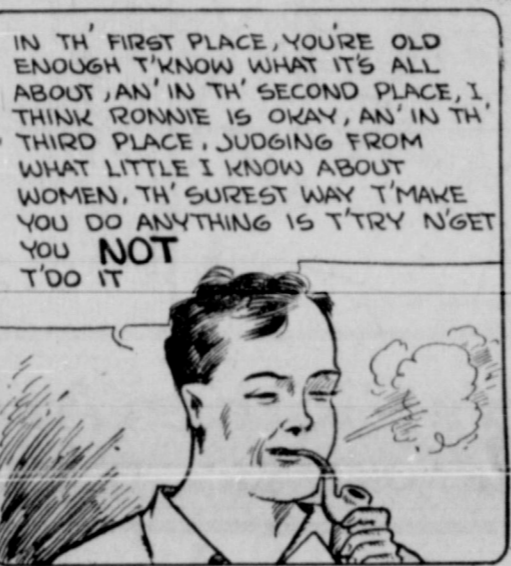
YOU BELIEVE THAT YARN, PODNER?  
NAH! I BETCHA SOMEBODY BEAT TH' TAR OUTTA HIM.

BY CRANE

### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



I DON'T GETCHA, JIMMY. YOU'RE TH' ONLY FELLA I KNOW WHO ISN'T SQUAWKIN' ABOUT MY BEAVIN' AROUND WITH RONNIE



WELL, WHY SHOULD I?  
IN TH' FIRST PLACE, YOU'RE OLD ENOUGH T'KNOW WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT, AN' IN TH' SECOND PLACE, I THINK RONNIE IS OKAY, AN' IN TH' THIRD PLACE, JUDGING FROM WHAT LITTLE I KNOW ABOUT WOMEN, TH' SUREST WAY T'MAKE YOU DO ANYTHING IS T'RY N'GET YOU NOT T'OO IT



"THEN YA DON'T WANT ME T'GO WITH 'IM? ..."



"OH-- YA WOINT TALK, EH? ...WOINT SAY NOTHIN', LIKE OL' MAN RIVER ..."

By MARTIN

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



HAVE A CIGAR, MR. DIRK... HEH HEH! I'M SORRY I HAD YOU THROWN IN JAIL... IT WAS ALL A BIG MISTAKE!



YES--AND A RATHER SERIOUS MISTAKE!  
NOW IF THERE'S ANYTHING I CAN DO TO MAKE UP FOR WHAT I'VE DONE... YOU JUST NAME IT!!  
I CAN'T NAME IT... BUT I CAN SING IT, AND IT BEGINS WITH DOUGH AND ENDS WITH DOUGH!



YOU MEAN YOU'RE GONNA SUE ME?  
I'M GOING TO SUE YOU FOR LIBEL, AND DEFAMATION OF CHARACTER--  
--AND FOR THROWING ME INTO JAIL FOR NO GOOD REASON!  
IT'S THAT KID'S FAULT! HE GOT ME INTO THIS... I NEVER WOULD HAVE SUSPECTED YOU, IF HE HADN'T MADE ME THINK YOU WERE A CROOK!

By BLOSSER

### ALLEY OOP



OOOLA, MY DEAH - IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO AWARD THIS HIGH SCORE PRIZE TO YOU--



THANK YOU, MOST GRACIOUS QUEEN-- NOW I SUPPOSE I'VE GOT TO GIVE IT TO PRINCESS WOOTIE TOOT--



OH, OOOLA, OPEN IT RIGHT UP-- I'M JUST DYING T'SEE WHAT IT IS!



I'D GIVE ANYTHING, IF I COULD GET OUT OF GIVING MY PRIZE TO THAT FEATHER-BRAIN-- HM-- I'VE AN IDEA! IF I CAN ONLY GET BEERAH TO HELP ME--  
WHY, OOOLA, YOU SCHEMER! YOU BET I WILL! WE'LL STAGE IT RIGHT NOW!  
PERFECT! NOW I'LL FIX THE PRINCESS!  
MY STARS! WHAT'S WRONG?  
EHEHEHEK! OH OH!

By COWAN

### THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)



DON'T LIE T' ME! A SICK FRIEND-- MOST LIKELY YOU WERE OVER TO CUDLEY'S GARAGE, PLAYIN' POKER



BUT, I TELL YOU--  
BY THE WAY YOU'RE FUMBLIN' AROUND WITH YER HAT, I KNOW YOU'RE LYIN'-- IF YOU WERENT AT CUDLEY'S, YOU WERE WITH THAT CROWD OF LOAFERS AT ED GILMORE'S, OR OVER AT DAN LONG'S



I WASN'T AT DAN LONG'S, ER CUDLEY'S, ER ED GILMORE'S-- I TELL YE I WAS--



WELL, WHEREVER YOU WERE, YER LYIN' ABOUT IT!

By HAMLIN

West Ward-

(Continued from page 1)

Hagemier, Bobbie D. Wood and John Clark.

Low fifth, Dorothy Bragg, Gwendolyn Ballew, and Nina Ruth Nelson.

High fourth, Jonabel Brown, Maxine Knox, Anita Meacham, Wanda Posey, Lenabel Partin, Eula Mae Seal, Harold Smith, Bobby Lindsey, Pete Clower, Frances Clark, Lucille Goffinet, Florence Henson, Mildred Tull, Wayne Lowry, and Inez Graham. Low fourth, Patty Sue White.

Morning Blaze-

(Continued from page 1)

man, arriving at the scene before firemen, carried her out of the house. The identity of the rescuer was not learned.

The blaze was extinguished, but not until after the house had been gutted and most of the roof destroyed by the fire.

No insurance was carried on the house, it was said.

None of the nearby dwellings were harmed by the flames.

Extend Denver-

(Continued from page 1)

Memphis at 5:56 a. m.

The Burlington-Rock Island train will be the fastest available railroad service between Dallas and Houston, making the south-bound trip in five hours and 55 minutes, and the north-bound run in five hours and 45 minutes. The best time at present is six hours and 30 minutes.

On the new schedule the Colorado Express will run from Memphis to Amarillo in one hour and 59 minutes.

Many Pioneers-

(Continued from page 1)

Mexico, Spain and France, and yards of bunting will be used to decorate the fronts of business places.

On the first night will be held prize fights, and the second roundup program in the gym. The latter will include old fiddlers' contests and calling games.

Navy Dirigible Is In Third Successful Flight Over Texas

EL PASO, May 17.—The Navy dirigible Macon passed over El Paso at 8 o'clock this morning, mountain time, en route to its Sunnyvale, Calif., base.

This is the third successful flight the Macon has made across Texas. It left Miami, Fla., at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

Officer Recovers Stolen Shot Gun; Man Is Arrested

A shot gun stolen about three weeks ago from the home of Mrs. Fred Swift was recovered yesterday afternoon and a man was arrested this morning and lodged in the city jail on a charge of theft, by Constable B. Wilson.

The gun was sold here yesterday. Wilson was notified. The gun was identified as the stolen article, and the arrest was made this morning.

Miss Olga Steinman of Dallas, who had been here with her sister, Miss Clara Steinman, who has been ill at the Memphis hospital, returned to her home Friday. Miss Steinman is much improved.

Reagan Bryan of Turkey was a Memphis business visitor yesterday.

PALACE BANK NIGHT TONIGHT Joe E. Brown in "SON OF A SAILOR" Friday-Saturday Spencer Tracy and Helen Twelvetrees in "NOW I'LL TELL" Wally Wales in "The Arizona Cyclone" Last Chapter of "PIRATE TREASURES"

RITZ TONIGHT BANK NIGHT Joe E. Brown in "SON OF A SAILOR" Friday-Saturday Judith Allen and Tom Brown in "The Witching Hour" Cartoon and Comedy 10-15c

'The Governor'



R. S. GREENE

R. S. Greene will always be remembered for his notable work as Bronson Lenox in "Best People." In "The First Night," presented by the Memphis Little Theater Tuesday and Wednesday nights, he will appear as The Governor, a genial, wholesome "up-from-the-side-walks" man.

Parker Relieved Of Official Duty

AUSTIN, May 17.—R. D. Parker, formerly a chief supervisor in the oil and gas division and recently chief administrative officer, today was "relieved of all duties except that of an enforcement officer in the East Texas field," by the railroad commission.

The order, dated May 15, was signed by Commissioners C. V. Terrell and Ernest O. Thompson. Thompson displayed a telegram from Lon Smith, chairman, saying he would "sign the order tomorrow without modification."

FAMILY AFFAIR

CANYON, May 16.—J. J. Bauer is the grandfather of every child attending the Johnson school in Randall county.

The entire school district might be called a family affair.

All of the 13 pupils in the school which is located near Happy, are the grandchildren of Bauer. Two of Bauer's sons, Charlie and Elmer, and a son-in-law, L. F. Spiser, make up the school board.

The pupils are distributed thru the first seven grades. The school has only one teacher, Bauer, a farmer, also is the county commissioner from his precinct.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker left this morning for Temple where Mrs. Tucker will receive medical treatment at the White and Scott sanitarium.

Miss Ruth Whaley of Childress spent Tuesday here with her mother, Mrs. T. E. Whaley.

TEXAS TODAY Mary Brian and Bruce Cabot in "Shadows of Sing-Sing" Universal News and Organologue Friday-Saturday MAN! MAN! WHAT A PROGRAM. 1. "Police Car No. 17" with Evalyn Knapp and Tim McCoy 2. KIT CARSON SERIAL 3. Charlie Chaplin in "THE IMMIGRANT" 4. "Three Little Pigs" Famous Silly Symphony

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Will you take the ROAD TO RUIN or will you see it! CONTINUOUS SUNDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

MOTHER'S DAY MAIL HEAVY

HOUSTON, May 17.—Postmaster Roy Nichols said that the volume of Mother's Day mail handled this year by the Houston post office was the heaviest in its history. Parcel post packages as well as letters showed an enormous increase, he stated.

ORGANIZE C. OF C.

MALAKOFF, May 17.—The little oil town of Cayuga, south of Malakoff, has organized a chamber of commerce with L. E. Johnson, president; H. W. Barton, vice-president, and Dr. Wm. G. Carnathan, secretary-treasurer.

CLOSE FOR BALL GAME

Pioneer Auto Parts and R. C. Lewis Tire store were overlooked yesterday when the names of business houses closing tomorrow for the Memphis-Pampa baseball game were printed. These companies are also co-operating with other concerns by closing from 3:30 until 5:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the game.

Mrs. Olin Bain of Clarendon is here to attend the graduation of her sister, Faye Baskerville, and to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Baskerville.

Mrs. J. B. Odom returned Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. C. Richie, at Quanah.

Local Markets

Following are the local market prices paid on produce, feed and grain for Thursday:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include Broilers (colored), Broilers (leghorns), Hides (green), Turkeys (No. 1), Cream (butterfat), Butter, Eggs, Hens (heavy), Hens (light), Roosters (old), Turkeys (old "toms"), Turkeys (No. 2), Maize, Maize (threshed), Corn, Peas, Peanuts, Sorghum seed, Hegari, Hegari (threshed).

Joe Chitwood makes his first appearance on any Little Theater stage as Barnes, a bent old stage-door keeper in "The First Night," but it is certain it will not be his last. In fact, those who have known Joe over a long period of time have begun to feel that he has been holding out, since witnessing rehearsals.

Miss Mamie Bokke returned this morning from a visit with her parents at Clifton. She is bookkeeper at the Texas Louisiana Power company.

Walter C. Steinman returned to his home in Dallas Sunday after a stay of several days here with his sister, Miss Clara, who has been ill in the Memphis hospital.

Mrs. Grace Duke, saleslady at the Farmers Union Supply company, went to Clarendon Monday where she will spend a two weeks vacation with her daughter, Mrs. James Cornelius.

David Fitzgerald, who will appear in "The First Night," has had roles too numerous to mention. He has had many leads and can always be counted on to fill in with bits when the occasion arises. As George, a colored uniformed porter with superstitious inclinations, David again enjoys himself thoroughly and it is certain the audience will do likewise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emory Barton of Denton spent last week-end here with Mrs. Barton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Webster.

Mrs. W. F. Sitton and sons, Richard Royce and Robert, returned Tuesday from a three weeks visit with relatives at Fort Worth and Denison.

Ingram Walker, who is attending Fort Worth business college, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. R. C. Walker.

Mrs. J. H. Roberts, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Womack, here, for several weeks, went to Clarendon Tuesday for a visit with her son, Sam Roberts, en route to her home at Amarillo.



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