

### Lee's 'Demotion'



A new battle of stamps has arisen in Washington, this time over the "demotion" of Gen. Robert E. Lee on the new 4-cent army stamp showing the Confederate commander and Gen. "Stonewall" Jackson. Only two stars of a Civil War lieutenant general, instead of three of a full-fledged general, appear on Lee's collar, as this picture of a part of the new stamp reveals. It's a rank outrage, say admirers of Lee, to "break" the great general on a stamp that's supposed to honor him.

### TUBB PAY TEST TO BE DRILLED SOON IN NORTHERN WARD

Fullerton Oil Closes Deal on DeVito Block

BY FRANK GARDNER

D. C. DeVito, Midland operator, and associates announced yesterday that they had closed a deal with Fullerton Oil Company of Los Angeles to drill a well two miles and a half east of the O'Brien pool in northern Ward county that may be carried down for a test of the "Tubb pay" in which large production is found 2,000 feet in the Permian lime 20 miles to the south-east in western Crane county.

Location for the well, which will be known as Fullerton Oil Company No. 1 Sealey Estate, has been tentatively placed 330 feet from the north and 2,310 feet from the east line of section 82, block A, G & M. M. B. & A. survey. It is scheduled to start on or before May 1, and a combination rotary and cable tool rig will probably be employed. The contract signed yesterday calls for drilling to 4,100 feet or production, with provision for a new deal to carry the well to 5,200 feet or the Tubb pay should upper zones prove barren. According to operator, the O'Brien pay horizon should be encountered between 2,400 and 2,500, the Sealey pay near 3,000, the Keystone pay near 4,000 and the Tubb pay near 5,100.

The test will be drilled on the largest of three blocks recently acquired by DeVito from the John Sealey Estate through the City Bank Farmers' Trust of New York City. This particular block is ten sections, in a solid group two miles wide and five miles long flanking the O'Brien pool on the east. For drilling the well, DeVito assigned to Fullerton 2,560 acres, consisting of the northwest of section 76, the west half of 77, the southwest of 79, the southeast and northwest of 80, the north half of 81, the north half of 82, the north half of 83, the north half of 84, and the north half of 85, all in block A.

Geophysical information is said to support geological evidence of a structure underlying the block. That, coupled with its location on a northwest trend from the Tubb pool in Crane is expected to attract much attention to the well. Geology was worked out by DeVito, who was a co-discoverer of the prolific Henderson pool in Winkler county.

### Slaughter Test

Extent of the showing in the Texas Company No. 1 Bob Slaughter, southwest Hockley county wildcat, had not been learned today, as it was shut down while rigging up control head (4) connecting (5) tank. The well struck a puff of gas at 4,968, show of oil from 4,980-85, and an increase in oil from 4,985-93, the present depth. Balter was run four times, and was full of oil each run. Gas volume was estimated at 500,000 cubic feet. Operators had not been back in to check the level to which oil had risen. Location of the prospect is in labour 83, league 38, Zavalla county school land, 11 miles southeast of the Honolulu, Cascade and Devonian No. 1 Dug- (See OIL NEWS, Page 4)

### EFFORT TO LOWER PROPOSED TAX ON GAS IS DEFEATED

Speaker Calvert Has Deciding Vote On Question

### SUSPEND RULES

House Passes to The Senate Bill On Trucks

AUSTIN, March 30. (AP)—The first effort today to lower the proposed increase in natural gas tax was defeated in the house when speaker Robert Calvert broke a 67-67 tie.

The vote was on an amendment to make the tax three and one-half percent of the value. The present levy is three percent but pending proposals would double this.

The house suspended rules and passed to the senate a bill to permit companies owning motor vehicles to register them in any county in which they operate.

The senate accepted an invitation to attend the New Braunfels race meet opening Friday, passed a bill re-enacting the highway bond assumption law.

Night sessions are planned by both houses.

### Ginners Assn. Will Hold Convention

DALLAS, Tex., Mar. 30.—Electing improved business conditions and with an array of strong speakers to discuss matters of vital importance to the industry, it is anticipated that the 28th annual convention of the Texas Cotton Ginners Association, at Dallas April 7-9, will draw possibly 5,000 members and visitors and will be one of the largest in the history of the Association.

Sessions will be held in the colorful Hall of Agriculture in the heart of the grounds of the Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition. Ginners and their families are invited to tour the 180-acre plant being whipped into shape for its opening in June.

"How the Social Security Act applies to the Ginning Industry" will be learned from Ernest L. Tull, District Manager of the Social Security Board, who will speak Wednesday afternoon, April 7, following the call to order by President Aubrey L. Lockett of Wichita Falls and the presentation of his annual report and that of Secretary John C. Thompson.

"The importance to Ginners of Correct Weights" is the subject Thursday morning of W. S. Bussey, Chief of the Division of Weights and Measures of the State Department, and Dr. A. B. A. survey. It is scheduled to start on or before May 1, and a combination rotary and cable tool rig will probably be employed. The contract signed yesterday calls for drilling to 4,100 feet or production, with provision for a new deal to carry the well to 5,200 feet or the Tubb pay should upper zones prove barren. According to operator, the O'Brien pay horizon should be encountered between 2,400 and 2,500, the Sealey pay near 3,000, the Keystone pay near 4,000 and the Tubb pay near 5,100.

One of the most important subjects before the convention, "What Can Be Done to Improve the Quality of Texas Cotton," will be handled Friday morning by W. F. Pendleton of Dallas, President of the National Cottonseed Products Association. "Need for Continued Co-operation Between Ginners and Cotton Merchants" will be discussed by L. T. Murray of Waco, Secretary-Manager of the Texas Cotton Association.

While the subjects of the above listed and other speakers are keenly interesting, and entertainment also is interlarded with the business program, there will in addition be a drawing for attendance prizes both on Thursday and Friday. Richard Houghton, general chairman of the Exhibitors Association, has promised the best entertainment ever offered the ginners. This includes dancing in the Convention Hall on Wednesday night, luncheon Thursday and Friday, entertainment at various intervals during the three days, climaxed by "The Pan American Review" Thursday night consisting of 27 acts on a huge 60-foot stage erected in the Coliseum.

Already every foot of available exhibit space has been taken and exhibitors from throughout the nation will show the latest in ginning and cotton handling equipment. The only time that the Exhibit Hall will be open to the general public will be Wednesday night, but ginners and their wives will find "Open Sesame" awaiting them at all times. The convention is formally opened at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday with an invocation by Dr. W. Har-

### Out on a Limb in a Holdup



It took a lot of figure stretching to budget this balance, but the circus performers who did it in training quarters at Sarasota, Fla., figured the stunt would multiply fun when the season opened. At least, it promised plenty of suspense while spectators figured out how many persons were involved in the mid-air hold up.

### EXECUTIONS OF MANY REBELS ARE REPORTED TODAY

Victories on Three Fronts Claimed By The Reds

By Associated Press  
Widespread executions within the army because of plots directed against Italian influence in Spain were reported today simultaneously with government claims of advance on three fronts.

The insurgents said the claims were "fantastic."  
**BRITISH TO PROTECT THEIR OWN SHIPPING**  
LONDON, March 30. (AP)—Official British sources said today that no interference with British shipping would be tolerated, replying to insurgent complaints that the Spanish government ships were disguising as English.

### REDISTRICTING OF STATE IS FAVORED

Four Counties Omitted, One Is Added in This District

AUSTIN, Mar. 30. (AP)—A bill redistricting the House of Representatives on the basis of the 1930 census received a favorable report Monday from the house legislative districts committee.

The bill was drafted by a subcommittee. If enacted, it would be the first legislative redistricting in 14 years.

Four counties, Andrews, Martin, Jeff Davis, Presidio, would be dropped from the 88th district as it now stands and one other, Pecos would be added.  
Proposed districts each of which would have one representative unless otherwise specified, include:  
64—Starr, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kennedy, Kleburg, 65—Cameron, 66—Cameron and Willacy, 67—Hidalgo, two representatives, 68—Webb and Zapata, 69—Atascosa, Frio, LaSalle, McMullen and Live Oak, 70—Uvalde, Medina, Zavalla and Dimmitt.  
75—Travis, two representatives, 76—Williamson, 77—Gillespie, Llano, Blanco, Kendall and Burnet, 78—Kimble, Crockett, Schleicher, Menard, Mason, Sutton, Edwards, Kerr, Real and Bandera, 79—Val Verde, Kinney, Maverick, Terrell and Brewster, 80—El Paso, three representatives.

81—El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Jeff Davis and Presidio, 82—Ward, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Reeves, Crane, Upton and Pecos, 83—Howard, Mitchell, Glasscock and See (REDISTRICTING) Page 4

### ABSENTEE VOTES BEING CAST FOR SCHOOL ELECTION

Tomorrow Midnight Is Deadline For Balloting

With only one day remaining in which to cast absentee ballots for the election of school board members in precinct one remaining, several persons today cast their ballots at the office of the county clerk. To date 22 ballots have been cast and approximately that many more are expected to be cast before the deadline tomorrow night at midnight. All ballots in the mail must reach the office before the deadline county clerk Susie G. Noble said today.

### LUBBOCK MAN IS TO FACE CHARGES

Bank Employee Is Held In Connection With Loss Of \$9,200

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 30. (AP)—Chapman Fletcher, agent in charge of the federal bureau of investigation office here, said Monday night deputy U. S. marshals had been sent to McGehee to take custody of Burns Kittrell, Lubbock, Texas, bank employee, on a charge of embezzlement.

Police at McGehee said they were informed by federal authorities that Kittrell would be arraigned before the U. S. commissioner at Pine Bluff tomorrow morning.  
City Marshal Varnell Lee arrested Kittrell Saturday and said the man told him he took a large sum of money from the Lubbock National bank of Lubbock where he was employed as bookkeeper. Lee said the president of the bank informed him the amount taken was \$9,200. McGehee officers found \$4,700 on Kittrell at the time of his arrest.  
Lee said Kittrell told him he took the money about three weeks ago and came to McGehee "because he didn't know where to go."

WICHITA FALLS, March 30. (AP)—Two thousand dollars in bank notes taken in an alleged embezzlement of a Lubbock national bank on March 2 was recovered at Post, Texas, Monday afternoon by Sheriff Jim Powers of Garza county thru information furnished him by Clyde Eastus, United States district attorney, it was announced here.  
N. R. Crawford, Tulsa, Okla., is a business visitor here.

### COURT REVISION OPPONENTS GET HEARINGS TODAY

Harvard Professor Opposes Change In System

### 'DICTATORSHIP'

'Barriers That Save Court Would Be Removed'

WASHINGTON, March 30. (AP)—The opening of the second week of opposition testimony to the president's court plan started before the senate judiciary committee today with professor Edwin N. Griswold of the Harvard law school on the stand.

The professor said that the act would break down barriers which have protected the supreme court and open the way for a would-be dictator—whatever his name.

Senator Carter Glass (Dem.) of Virginia said Monday night President Roosevelt's court legislation is an abominable attempt to replace representative government with an autocracy.

In his first major radio address since he urged Mr. Roosevelt's election in 1932, Glass said: "No threat to representative democracy since the foundation of the Republic has exceeded in its evil portents this attempt to pack the Supreme Court of the United States and thus destroy the purity and independence of this tribunal of last resort."

The Democrat, 79, who was Secretary of the Treasury under Woodrow Wilson, contended no question of party loyalty is involved.

"The talk about party loyalty being involved in the opposition to this extraordinary scheme is familiar species of coercion," he continued. "It is sheer poppycock. No political party since the establishment of the Government ever dared make an issue of packing the Supreme Court."

### Lovington Man Opens New Bakery in City

T. R. Barnhill has moved to this city from Lovington, New Mexico, to open a bakery in the brick building across the street from the high school. It will be operated as the T. R. Barnhill Bakery.

### 'DUST BOWL AREA' ASKED SET ASIDE BY OKLAHOMA REP.

Administrator For District Would Be Named

WASHINGTON, March 30. (AP)—Representative Phil Ferguson of Woodward, Okla., submitted to the house Monday a bill proposing a separate "dust bowl area" under the agricultural adjustment administration in parts of five states.

A separate administrator would be placed at the head of the area and committees composed of dust bowl residents would be selected. States affected would be Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma.

Ferguson also asked congress to appropriate \$10,000 for grass breeding experiments in the dust bowl and submitted another bill seeking \$25,000 for an army engineers' survey of a proposed irrigation and reclamation project near Kenton, Okla.

His secretary said Ferguson plans to introduce a bill asking appropriation of \$100,000,000 for construction of small reservoirs on private and public property.

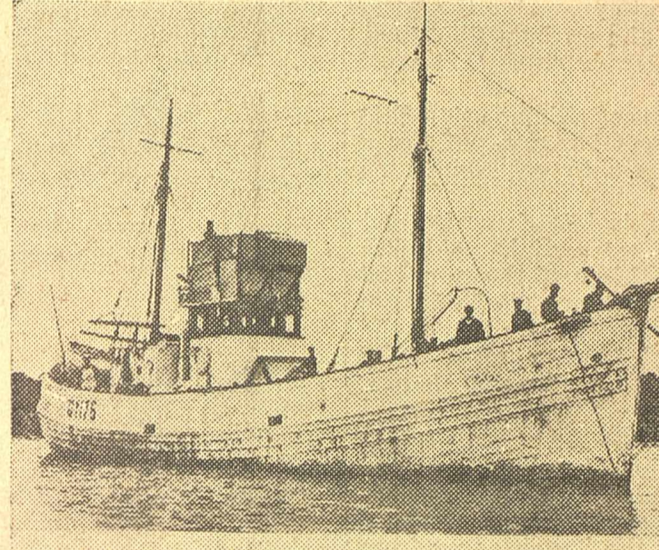
Under Ferguson's AAA dust bowl area plan the following counties would be included:  
Texas—Andrews, Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Donley, Ector, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Glasscock, Gray, Hale, Hereford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hockley, Howard, Hutchinson, Kent, Lamb, Lipscomb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Midland, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Swisher, Terry, Wheeler, Yoakum.

### Girl Demands \$10,000 For Loss of Her Smile

GARY, Ind., Mar. 30. (UP)—The value of a woman's smile will be determined by Judge B. C. Jenkins of Gary Superior court, when he rules upon a suit filed by Miss Katherine Saymanki.  
Miss Saymanki values her smile at \$10,000.  
She charged that she lost control of her facial muscles and has been deprived permanently of "her normal smile" as result of an automobile accident.  
Whereupon she filed the suit for \$10,000 damages against an Indianapolis transportation company whose truck collided with the automobile in which she was riding.

### Settlement "In Sight" As New Conference Started

### U. S. Escort in Mystery Boat Quiz



Mysteriously vague and romantic is the odyssey of the "Girl Pat," above, 70-foot trawler whose journeys all over the maritime world have aroused the curiosity of several nations. Her escapades reached a new climax when the little world traveler was stopped by a Coast Guard cutter and conveyed into Philadelphia the other day. Lower photo shows her master, Commander R. W. Lawrence, distinguished retired British naval officer, with pipe, and Steward Tom Copely, in cap. Inspected, the "Girl Pat" was allowed to leave, as mysterious as ever.

### SEVENTH DAY OF MEETINGS OPEN WITH PEACE NEAR

'Sole Bargaining' Idea Said 'Out' From Talks

### UNION ADAMANT Maintain Positions Until Agreement Is Signed

LANSING, Mar. 30. (AP)—Conference members seeking a settlement of Chrysler strikes assembled today for the seventh day of negotiations with a report from informed sources that an agreement was "in sight."

On the report was words that "sole bargaining" for the union was stricken out, with unionists assured their strategic position would be maintained.

Another report said the agreement would be delayed and that the conferences would be delayed for the return of Lewis to Lansing Thursday.

Representatives considered new proposals Monday for an agreement that would reopen the strike-closed Chrysler plants and send approximately 80,000 idle workers back to their benches.

They were proposals which Gov. Frank Murphy asserted might provide a formula for settling not only the Chrysler dispute "but the whole labor situation in Michigan," and "most of the difficulties in the motor industry."

At least half a dozen different forms of agreement already are understood to have been presented to the opposing sides, but all have failed of acceptance.

Governor Murphy, in whose offices the conferences have been held, has said that a "very few words" separate the two sides. These words have to do with the degree of recognition.

Claiming to represent 59,000 of the corporation's 67,000 employees, the union demanded sole bargaining recognition, but receded slightly from that stipulation during the six days in which the conferences here have been in progress. A revised proposal submitted by the union sought some measure of control over and dealing with non-union employees.

### SUSPECT HELD IN KIDNAPING CASE

Tucumcari Police Hold Man For Questioning In Mattson Case

WASHINGTON, March 30. (AP)—A justice department official said today there would be no announcement of the questioning of Vern Charlton, Mattson kidnap suspect, would be made until there is a "definite break in the case."

Charlton, arrested in Tucumcari, N. M., Monday, is being held for questioning in connection with the abduction and killing of a ten-year-old Tacoma, Washington, boy.

TUCUMCARI, N. M., Mar. 30. (AP)—Alex Street of department of justice questioned last night a man whom Sheriff Fred White of Quay county said answered the description of the Mattson kidnap suspect "to the dimple on his chin."

The man, who gave his name as Vern Charlton, and his address as Seattle, Wash., was arrested by Sheriff White Saturday night.

Street declined to comment on the case, although it was known he conferred with the department of justice in Washington by telephone this morning.

The car, which excited Sheriff White's suspicion, was identified by authorities as a blue coach of popular make which had been purchased at Dallas, Texas, a year ago. It carried a 1937 Washington license plate issued January 11.

Sheriff White said Charlton told him he left Tacoma, Wash., January 7.

Investigation showed, White said, that Charlton arrived here eight days ago and took a room in a rooming house.

"During that time," said White, "Charlton left his room only to get his meals. The blinds were constantly drawn."

"When I saw a flat tire on the machine had been fixed. I went up to investigate. Charlton was all packed and ready to pull out."

Sheriff White said the man fit the artist's drawing of the Mattson suspect, as supplied law enforcement agencies by the department of justice.

Charlton declined to tell the sheriff where he had been between the time he left Tacoma and his arrival here.

Neither Street or White would confirm a reliable report a plane with other department of justice operatives was due here tomorrow.

### COOPERATION OF CITIZENS URGED IN CLEAN-UP PROGRAM

Intensive Schedule Mapped Out By Officials

Individual cooperation as well as the cooperation of clubs and organizations of the city is urged in the annual spring clean-up campaign which will be waged here April 4 to 11 during which time it is hoped that the city will receive a thorough cleaning and will as a result thereof become an even more desirable place in which to live.

Efforts will be made during the campaign to clean up all vacant lots and to rid the city of loose paper which, as a result of recent high winds, has given the city a very unsightly appearance. Individuals are requested and urged to clean up their premises including back yards and alleys and any vacant lots owned by them.

Many vacant lots and alleys in the downtown section and along the Broadway of America Highway are very unsightly at this time due to the accumulation of loose papers, weeds and trash of every description. The city is cooperating in the clean up campaign and will haul away all piles of trash in all parts of the city.

Following are some of the things a successful clean-up campaign accomplishes: develops community spirit; makes clean streets; reduces fire losses; improves vacant grounds makes a more healthful city; beautifies homes; improves morale; advertises the city; helps business.

Plan now to do your share in Midland's Spring clean-up campaign.

### SCHOOL CENSUS AT NEW LONDON TO DETERMINE DEAD

Classes May Reopen Tomorrow; Plans Completed

NEW LONDON, March 30. (AP)—New London school officials said today that a scholastic census would be taken in about two weeks to accurately determine the number of dead in the March 18 explosion.

Classes may be resumed tomorrow following reorganization and enrollment Monday and today.

Secretary Wallace told Governor Allred Monday that ignition of combustible gases by a sanding machine caused the explosion.

Wallace made public a report of Dr. David J. Price, explosion expert of the bureau of chemistry and soils, which said the blast was due to "ignition of an accumulation of combustible gases in an open area underneath the first floor of the building by a flash from electrical equipment in connection with the operation of a sanding machine located in the manual training shop."

### THINK 'SPY PLOT' FOUND BY POLICE

Arrested Pair Discovered In Possession of Maps, Fortification Plans

LOS ANGELES, Mar. 30. (AP)—Police said today that after arresting two Japanese following a knife fight they had found a radio set, maps of the Hawaiian fortifications and plans of the Los Angeles water system in a rooming house.

They said they were convinced of a "spy plot."

RETURNS HOME  
Miss Kathleen Eiland returned this morning from Downing, Calif., where her brother, Lowry Eiland, has been seriously ill for several weeks. She reported him slowly improving.

GOES TO EL PASO  
E. E. Parris, AAA representative here for the past few years, has been transferred to the El Paso district. He moved there last week.

### RUSSIAN 5-YEAR PLAN ENDANGERED

Industry, Agriculture Are Lagging Behind On Production

MOSCOW, March 30. (AP)—The Russian government disclosed today that industry and agriculture were lagging behind in production, raising fears that the second five-year plan would not be completed as designed this year to celebrate the 20th year of soviet rule.

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### NOVEL STUNT

The gentleman in the soldiers' home at Los Angeles who has written a 50,000 word novel, complete with plot, characters, and conversation, without once using the letter "e", may not have added much to the world's literature, but he has at least performed a literary stunt that must have looked almost impossible.

Try to write one ordinary sentence without using that letter, and see how hard it is. Then imagine writing a whole book that way, and you begin to get some idea of the difficulties involved.

And if someone objects that this bit of work must have been more stunt than novel, it can only be said that the same thing is true of about two-thirds of the so-called novels that get published these days. Since most of them are written for almost any reason under the sun except the desire to create something of real literary merit, why isn't this Los Angeles man's motive as good as any?

### STUMBLING BLOCK

It is reported in London that the 27 nations involved in the "hands off Spain" policy would like to poll outside nations such as the United States to see if they, too, would like to join in the move to keep the Spanish war from developing into a world conflict.

The motive is worthy enough, heaven knows—but it all looks very much like another case of locking the stable door after the horse has been stolen.

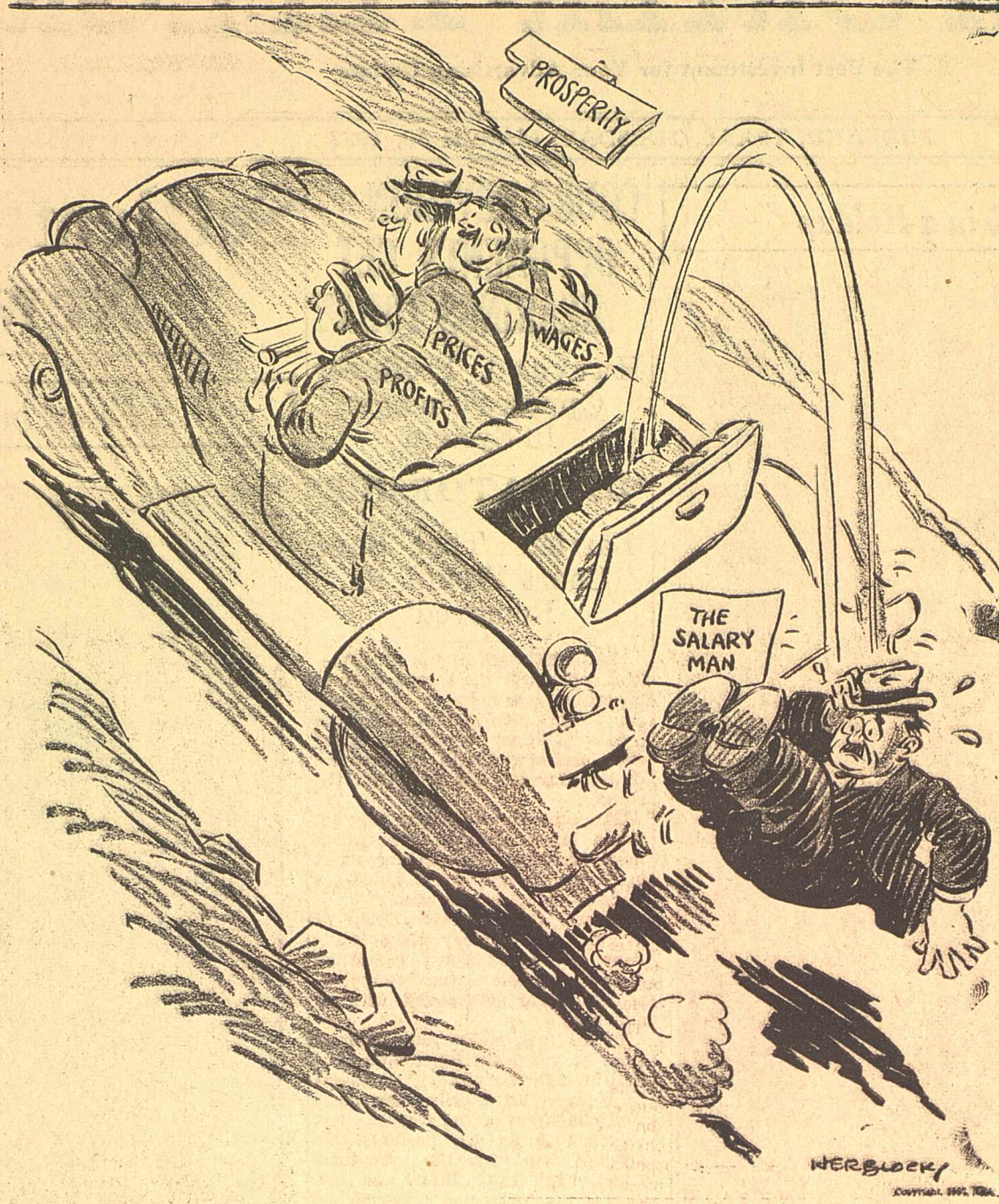
Every war dispatch from Spain tells of foreign troops fighting for one side or the other, and of foreign guns, planes, tanks, and shells being used.

Unless some way can be found of extracting from Spanish soil the foreigners who are already there, it will be hard to work up much enthusiasm for the move to continue the conflict to Spain.

An industrialist expects an inflationary boom and subsequent collapse during the next three years. Is there to be another army corps stratosphere flight?

A local statistician says he enjoys the work of that film actress, Simone Ditto.

## Don't Look Now, but Something Just Fell Out



## BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

By **RODNEY DUTCHER**  
Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Mar. 30—Smart boys here aren't laying any bets that the administration won't ask for new taxes at this session of congress.

Roosevelt's cautious "hope" that new taxes will not be necessary can only be taken as a warning that he may decide later they are needed.

Indicated failure of the income tax yield to come up to expectations—with the discrepancy estimated at somewhere around \$150,000,000—has not done anything to encourage those who want no new taxes.

The most powerful factor figuring in the possibility of increased levies, however, is the growing feeling in high places here that the only simple weapon by which the economic system can be kept in balance is the taxing power. This isn't merely a visionary or sentimental notion about "sharing the wealth."

The theory simply is that mass purchasing power must be kept at a fairly constant level if the country is to avoid a spiral into depression; that the best way to achieve that is to put taxes up to a certain level and siphon off sur-

plus income and profits so they can be poured back to lower-income or no-income groups which are without purchasing power.

Other methods of meeting the threat of price inflation and collapse have been brought forward. But taxes have become increasingly a favorite method among New Dealers who are most articulate, and sometimes most influential behind the scenes.

### DRAIN POCKETS OF POOR

The recent statement of Federal Reserve Board Governor Marriner Eccles, made after discussion with Roosevelt, has come to show up clearly as a victory for those who oppose budget-balancing through cuts in relief expenditures and those who oppose revival of NRA with its old monopolistic and price-fixing features.

David Cushman Coyle, author, economist and close friend of Eccles, elaborates by declaring that "high prices to organized labor, organized capital and organized farmers are draining the pockets of the poor."

Heavy income taxes, according to the Coyle viewpoint—which has come to be widely shared here—would draw off "surplus income" and keep it from stock speculation while throwing it to the poorest classes and thus sustaining mass purchasing power. They would enable the government to keep on spending for relief, balance the budget and start reducing the national debt.

Coyle and others say that's the only way you can avoid inflation and subsequent crash.

### HIGHER WAGES, HIGHER PRICES

The administration's friendship for organized labor and its desire for higher wage levels are complicated by the fact that widespread strikes cause decreased purchasing power, as well as the fact that corporations further cut down real purchasing power when they pyramid the costs of wage increases into higher prices. Most workers have little if any purchasing power while they are on strike, although any wage increases they get increase their purchasing power thereafter—if that isn't offset by rising prices.

Administration emphasis, however, will be placed primarily on the need for keeping price levels within bounds and for discouraging inevitable tendencies toward concentration of wealth.

Roosevelt's decision to meet with leaders of congress and discuss the strike situation was a direct result of urgent communications from conservative congressional leaders who were becoming panicky about various aspects of the sitdown strikes, especially in Michigan. Vice President Garner and Majority Leader Joe Robinson are said to have telegraphed to him. There is no evidence either on the surface or below the surface—as far as can be ascertained—that the president himself was especially alarmed, either by actual developments or by the many letters and telegrams he received. The missives demanded that he take some action or make some public statement.

The president is fairly quick to sense important trends of public sentiment, according to his advisers, and could be expected to act or speak in an effort to preserve his prestige at any time he felt it was

## RANDOM THOUGHTS

By **W. I. PRATT**

American business advertises as that of no other nation. Ever alert to the advantages that invention brings, its methods are constantly on the change. Printers ink still plays a major part but the field of radio steadily grows. Sometimes we get a little vexed at having to listen to the extolling of some tooth paste or sodium salicylate, but so long as the sponsor reciprocates by putting on a program that is better than I have at times paid a dollar or two or three to hear, I am going to string along with them. I even tune in Fred Allen sometimes.

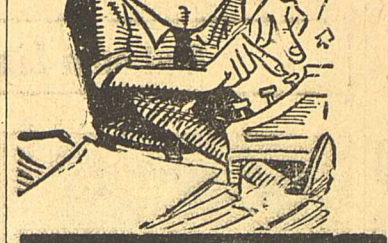
Since the movies have grown to where they take such a major place in the recreational and entertainment side of life, we are certainly fortunate in having such a beautiful and commodious theatre as the Yucca. Some men who at one time are called "dreamers", have lived to see the day when they could rightly say, "I told you so." However, you don't find that type of men concerned with the petty things of life. They are interested in the growth and development. Of times posterity has to prove their wisdom. Columbus died without knowledge he had discovered a new world.

Can you think of anything that really does you more good than when you make some little child happy? Think what it must mean to some little one with a club foot or a twisted and deformed body to be restored to physical normalcy, so he can run and play and not have to suffer the handicaps that such brings. Support the Crippled Children's Movement for which funds will soon be solicited in our town. It is a worthy cause.

It makes a nature lover just a wee bit sad to see a little peach tree all blossomed out in spring attire yesterday, and today to note it's blackened and withered look. But that is the toll of a stronger force of Nature, and the little peach tree is helpless. It makes a lover of character and uprightness in budding young manhood, sad at heart to see some bright promising youth a victim of some evil influence that blights and blackens both the inner and outer life. The difference in man and the tree is that he has the power of choice. But, maybe you didn't see what I did, that causes this thought. I hope you didn't.

threatened, at the same time being careful not to alienate his organized labor support.

# The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.)

Either the readers of this column are not humorous, they don't need a dollar or the mails are slowed up again. But for some reason my joke contest is getting off to a slow start. Maybe that bespeaks a live wire ending.

Anyway, I have posted prizes of FIRST \$100, SECOND 50 cents and THIRD 25 cents for the best jokes turned in between today and next Tuesday, April 6. That will be the last day for publishing the jokes, and all not received in the early morning's mail Tuesday will be too late. The judges are "Little George" McEntire, the Rev. W. J. Coleman and J. R. (Bob) Martin.

Little George says somebody had better be making some arrangements if they want his vote for first prize. My idea is that George would furnish the joke and vote for first prize, just for fifty cents of the purse.

I thought once about barring all

## Recreational Work Causing Juvenile Delinquency Drop

SAN ANTONIO, Mar. 29—A decrease of from nine to seventy-five per cent in juvenile delinquency has followed the maintenance of WPA recreational centers in Texas cities, it has been reported by municipal authorities to Walter S. Knox, state supervisor of WPA recreation projects.

Probation officers and other civic officials supervising juvenile activities in a number of Texas cities declare that depredations of young gangs on street lights, playground equipment, and other public property are served by recreation leaders. For more than a year thousands of youngsters have organized under the guidance of WPA playground supervisors to participate in athletic events, musical groups, dramatic clubs, handicraft classes, and in other useful and beneficial leisure time activities.

Now operating in fourteen Texas localities, the WPA recreational program employs 550 persons. Such recreation centers are maintained at Dallas, Fort Arthur, Coleman, Cleburne, Fort Worth, El Paso, San Angelo, Houston, Waco, Texarkana, Marshall, San Antonio, Galveston, and Beaumont.

WPA recreation projects may supplement normal established municipal programs but do not replace such activities, Knox declared. Procedure for establishing such projects is the same as that for obtaining approval for any other WPA project he explained.

State WPA officials place emphasis upon the securing of trained and competent supervisors as an essential requirement before granting approval for the operation of recreational projects. All appointments to supervisory positions must be approved in the state office and applicants are examined for character, training, education, and experience before being employed on the program, Knox said.



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658 hours, constructed an instrument and case with matches, celluloid and the one piece of Arkansas wood.

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Davis has constructed other violins, and in 1929 he took his first one to the National Museum in Washington, where an official told him it was the only one ever constructed almost entirely of matches.

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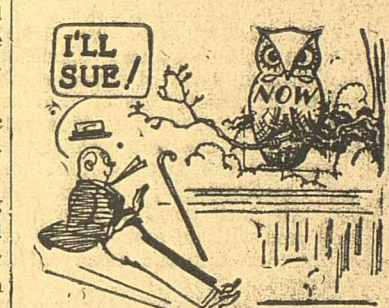


Sooner OR Later

## Matches Only Wood Used in Odd Violin

SPRINGFIELD, O. (U.P.)—James A. Davis, 70, wanted to make a violin composed of wood from every state in the union but Sen. Joseph T. Robinson of Arkansas was the only one to contribute.

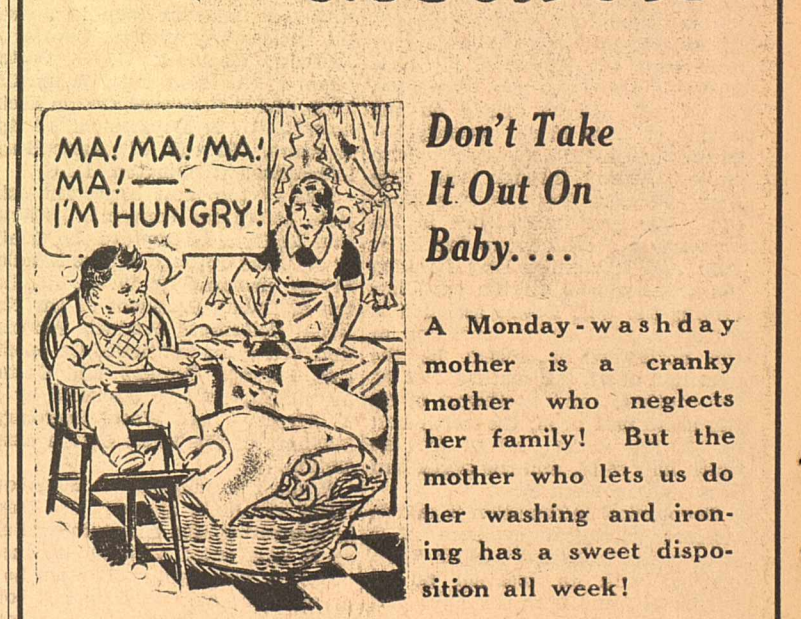
Not discouraged by lack of contributions, Davis, after spending 1-



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**BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON**  
By **RODNEY DUTCHER**  
Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 30—Smart boys here aren't laying any bets that the administration won't ask for new taxes at this session of congress. Roosevelt's cautious "hope" that new taxes will not be necessary can only be taken as a warning that he may decide later they are needed. Indicated failure of the income tax yield to come up to expectations—with the discrepancy estimated at somewhere around \$150,000,000—has not done anything to encourage those who want no new taxes. The most powerful factor figuring in the possibility of increased levies, however, is the growing feeling in high places here that the only simple weapon by which the economic system can be kept in balance is the taxing power. This isn't merely a visionary or sentimental notion about "sharing the wealth." The theory simply is that mass purchasing power must be kept at a fairly constant level if the country is to avoid a spiral into depression; that the best way to achieve that is to put taxes up to a certain level and siphon off surplus income and profits so they can be poured back to lower-income or no-income groups which are without purchasing power. Other methods of meeting the threat of price inflation and collapse have been brought forward. But taxes have become increasingly a favorite method among New Dealers who are most articulate, and sometimes most influential behind the scenes. DRAIN POCKETS OF POOR The recent statement of Federal Reserve Board Governor Marriner Eccles, made after discussion with Roosevelt, has come to show up clearly as a victory for those who oppose budget-balancing through cuts in relief expenditures and those who oppose revival of NRA with its old monopolistic and price-fixing features. David Cushman Coyle, author, economist and close friend of Eccles, elaborates by declaring that "high prices to organized labor, organized capital and organized farmers are draining the pockets of the poor." Heavy income taxes, according to the Coyle viewpoint—which has come to be widely shared here—would draw off "surplus income" and keep it from stock speculation while throwing it to the poorest classes and thus sustaining mass purchasing power. They would enable the government to keep on spending for relief, balance the budget and start reducing the national debt. Coyle and others say that's the only way you can avoid inflation and subsequent crash. HIGHER WAGES, HIGHER PRICES The administration's friendship for organized labor and its desire for higher wage levels are complicated by the fact that widespread strikes cause decreased purchasing power, as well as the fact that corporations further cut down real purchasing power when they pyramid the costs of wage increases into higher prices. Most workers have little if any purchasing power while they are on strike, although any wage increases they get increase their purchasing power thereafter—if that isn't offset by rising prices. Administration emphasis, however, will be placed primarily on the need for keeping price levels within bounds and for discouraging inevitable tendencies toward concentration of wealth. Roosevelt's decision to meet with leaders of congress and discuss the strike situation was a direct result of urgent communications from conservative congressional leaders who were becoming panicky about various aspects of the sitdown strikes, especially in Michigan. Vice President Garner and Majority Leader Joe Robinson are said to have telegraphed to him. There is no evidence either on the surface or below the surface—as far as can be ascertained—that the president himself was especially alarmed, either by actual developments or by the many letters and telegrams he received. The missives demanded that he take some action or make some public statement. The president is fairly quick to sense important trends of public sentiment, according to his advisers, and could be expected to act or speak in an effort to preserve his prestige at any time he felt it was

# SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

## Mrs. Chapman To Read 'Scarlet Fever' Paper

Mrs. W. B. Chapman will read a paper on "Scarlet Fever" on the Health program tomorrow, broadcast over KRLH from 10:00 until 10:15. There will be a transcribed musical program, "Moonlight and Shadows" and "When My Dream Boat Comes Home" will be numbers.

Mrs. Chapman will announce, in the absence of Rev. Edward P. Harrison, O. M. I.

This program is presented weekly by the Midland County Health Board, through the co-operation of the Humble Oil & Refining Company.

## THE SAFE, SENSIBLE WAY TO RELIEVE CONSTIPATION

Every one knows the dangers of constipation. Pills and drugs usually bring only temporary relief. That's because common constipation is due to meals low in "bulk."

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Eat two tablespoonfuls daily with milk or cream—three times a day in severe cases. Or use it in making bran muffins, breads, in salads or soups. Guaranteed by Kellogg in Battle Creek.

## Announcements

**WEDNESDAY**  
Weekly Health program, sponsored by the Midland County health board, will be broadcast from 10:00—10:15 a. m.

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse.

Mrs. Walter Cowden, 111 N. F street, will entertain the Sans Souci club at 2:30.

**THURSDAY**  
Visit the Midland County Museum. It will be open from 2:30 until 5:00.

Mrs. C. A. Ponder, 306 W. Calif., will be hostess to the Thursday Sewing Club.

**FRIDAY**  
Belmont Bible class will meet at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. C. O. Fredregill.

Ladies' Golf Association will meet at the Midland Country Club at 10:00 a. m.

**SATURDAY**  
Let your child attend the Children's Story Hour from 10:00—11:00 a. m. in the Children's Library at the courthouse.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5:00.

## Mrs. Denham Leads Y. W. A. Lesson

At a meeting of the Baptist Y. W. A. Monday night in the Ruth Sunday school room of the Annex, Mrs. Dick Denham led the lesson. There have been a series of lessons on the study course, "Taking Christ Seriously."

Those attending were Miss Dorothy Hines, Miss Peggy Jo House, Miss Marcella Strawn, Miss Sybil Elzell, Miss Lucille Scarborough, Miss Marjorie Ward, Mrs. Joe House, Mrs. Eddie Frank Conner, and Mrs. Denham.

## All-America Bridge Champions



Jacoby tops the list again, but for the first time it's featured by six women

With the close of the official contract bridge tournaments, the year's rankings have just been announced in Collier's, which every year selects the All-America champs. Jacoby, above center, was No. 1 for the third time running. Around him are grouped the six young ladies who also made the team, setting a record for feminine representation. Several other men also were ranked, but the distaff side was the feature. Those pictured are, top row (l. to r.) Mrs. R. B. Fuller, New York; Miss Barbara Collyer, New York; Mrs. J. A. Faulkner, Belleville, Ont.; bottom row (l. to r.) Miss Allene Paris, Chicago; Mrs. Ralph C. Young, Philadelphia; and Mrs. W. M. Anderson, Toronto.

## Catholic Ladies Entertain At Midland Country Club

### Mrs. Chapple, Miss Duley Give Program

Ladies of the St. George's church entertained members of all the missionary societies and auxiliaries of the city, Monday afternoon at the Midland Country Club. Miss Helen Duley of Big Spring, who gave two piano selections, and Mrs. James H. Chapple, president of the St. Anne's Altar Society who gave a talk on Panama, were the guest artists for the union meeting.

Mrs. Chapple told of the years that she had lived in Panama. "I still remember when I was a little girl that my father took me to see the actual opening of the canal," Mrs. Chapple said. She told of the narrow strip of land which was dynamited to let the two oceans become united, of the confusion and

commotion as the people talked of the danger of the town being flooded.

"The city is made up of all races, complexions varying with all the shades of human possibilities; yet it does not lose its half Spanish, half native characteristics. A cosmopolitan atmosphere is felt everywhere. The oriental bazaars with their rare perfumes, their Manila shawls, their perfumed woods, their incense, their grotesque idols, shops displaying skins of tigers, crocodile, squirrel, etc. Picturesque clothes woven by San Blas Indians of Panama; Panama hat stores; some hats so fine that they can be passed through a finger ring; cabarets, movies, modern ice cream parlors, the ancient and the modern give the impression of a happy carefree city."

## About Flowers For Sick Room

That color has varying effects upon people, has recently become known. So important are the results of color experimentation, there are experts who hire their services as color advisors to decorators of business offices, hospitals and factories.

The subject of color is especially important when selecting flowers for a sick person. If a deep red or magenta flower will produce undue excitement in a very sick person, obviously it should not be used. On the other hand a soft pink is a soothing color, and yellow is the most cheerful one, particularly suitable for a convalescing patient.

Suggestions for flowers and plants immediately follow. There is a wide range among the tulips, for instance, so we need not select the bright red ones. The same is true of the hyacinths, where the white, yellow and pale pinks are soft, warm and soothing colors. Daffodils, with their gay pale tints of yellow and brown,

most sick persons in the spring.

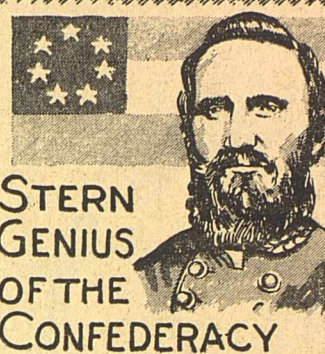
The rose is probably most often received as a gift, and while often we select the dark red ones, there are as many yellow and pale pink varieties, which are equally beautiful. And the pale tints of the freesia should also be considered.

Plants or arrangements of plants in a box should be considered with this thought in mind. The box or pot can be trimmed in paper or other material of a soothing color. Don't forget that a plant will last throughout a long stay in the hospital and probably be brought home, while flowers may not be seen after a few days of haphazard care. In any event, try to make your gift be a continuous one; you can substitute several small and economical bouquets of cut flowers for one large expensive one.

### RETURNS FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Blakeney have returned from a trip to Dallas and Mineral Wells.

## STORIES IN STAMPS



### STERN GENIUS OF THE CONFEDERACY

LIKE a stone wall, it was said, stood the Confederate brigade under Gen. Thomas Jonathan Jackson, at the battle of Bull Run in the early part of the Civil War, and since then this great military genius has been known as "Stonewall" Jackson. In the two years that he served under General Lee, Jackson displayed an uncanny ability to appear with an army where the enemy least expected him. His fast marches and sudden maneuvers resulted in several surprise victories.

Jackson, left an orphan when a boy, went to West Point, saw service in the Mexican War, and taught at the Virginia Military Institute. When the war began, he organized a brigade and became the South's second greatest commander. At Chancellorsville, in the excitement of victory, he was mortally wounded, and died eight days later, at the age of 39.

His portrait appears with that of Gen. Robert E. Lee, on the new 4-cent army stamp.

U. S.—1937  
Army series  
Generals Lee  
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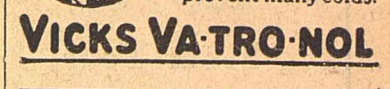
## B. T. U. MEETING TONIGHT

There will be a business and social meeting of the B. T. U. tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Baptist Annex, upstairs. All members are urged to be present.

The Cherokees are the only Indians to have literature recorded in an Indian alphabet. Sequoyah, a Cherokee inventor, worked out this alphabet in 1821.

## CATCHING COLD?

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## OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Cherry, Austin, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cherry, 711 W. Kansas. They will return to Austin tomorrow.

Mrs. W. J. Cooper entered a local hospital yesterday. She has pneumonia.

Mrs. E. E. Logan of Dallas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wadley, is in a local hospital for medical attention.

## Fly Family Are Due In The State Soon

AUSTIN, Mar. 30—Word has just been received by the State Department of Health that Mr. and Mrs. Mosquito and Mr. and Mrs. Fly, with their kinfolks, are on their way to Texas for the summer season. They state that, although many had died since last summer, they would soon have large families. Mrs. Mosquito raises from fifty to three hundred children at one time and only takes around two weeks to have full grown children. Mrs. Fly admitted that she and her husband could be ancestors to a million flies in one season.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, stated that Texas hospitality could be refused the fly and mosquito families if Annual Clean-Up Week from April 4 to 11 is used to begin a thorough campaign to eliminate the breeding spots of these pests.

Mosquitoes are responsible for the spread of malaria, dengue, and yellow fever. Malaria is spread by the bite of the anopheles or malaria mosquito. Dengue fever and yellow fever are transmitted by the Aedes Aegypti or Tiger mosquito. The best way to prevent these diseases is to destroy breeding places of the mosquito. They breed in standing water, therefore, you should drain, ditch or fill such places.

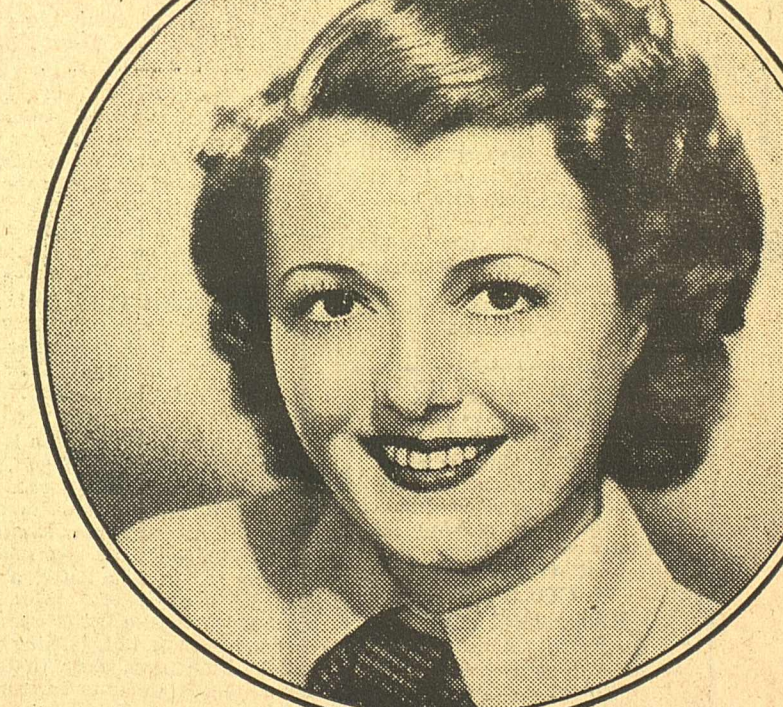
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# Janet Gaynor says: "Leading artists of the screen prefer Luckies"



"I live at the beach most of the year and there is hardly a weekend that a number of friends don't drop in. Naturally, I keep several brands of cigarettes on hand for guests, but the Luckies are always the first to disappear. I suppose it's just natural that Luckies would be the favorite brand because most of my friends in pictures have discovered that the long hours of rehearsing and shooting at the studio place a severe tax on the throat. Leading artists of the screen prefer Luckies because they are a light smoke that sympathizes with tender throats."

*Janet Gaynor*

FEMINE STAR OF DAVID O. SELZNICK'S  
TECHNICOLOR PRODUCTION OF "A STAR IS BORN"

An independent survey was made recently among professional men and women—lawyers, doctors, lecturers, scientists, etc. Of those who said they smoke cigarettes, more than 87% stated they personally prefer a light smoke.

Miss Gaynor verifies the wisdom of this preference, and so do other leading artists of the radio, stage, screen and opera. Their voices are their fortunes. That's why so many of them smoke Luckies. You, too, can have the throat protection of Luckies—a light smoke, free of certain harsh irritants removed by the exclusive process "It's Toasted". Luckies are gentle on the throat.



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Oil News--

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gan, discovery well in southeast Cochran. Bond & Harrison et al. No. 1 Cameron, eastern Cochran wildcat, is drilling anhydrite below 3,652; Landreth No. 1 Cobb in Gaines is drilling lime and anhydrite at 4,890; Shell No. 1 Mann, also in Gaines, is drilling at 2,461 in anhydrite and redbeds.

Hanagan No. 1 Lotus Oil Company, wildcat, nine miles northwest

Leaps to Conquer



Al Todd

of the Deeprock pool in Andrews, is coring lime at 4,555, unchanged since coring saturated sand from 4,475-90. Humble No. 1-B Means, test southeast of the pool, is drilling at 5,034 in gray lime, no shows reported.

Bahan & Rhodes and Fitzpatrick No. 1 L. B. Shook Estate, Yoakum wildcat, spudded to 50 feet with water-well machine and is preparing to drill ahead with rotary.

Use the Classifieds

Air Travel Isn't Unsafe, Survey Reveals When Full Record From 1927 Is Studied

Causes of Mishaps Gradually Being Eliminated

By NEA Service

In a revision of horror at a spectacular plane crash like that of the TWA plane near Pittsburgh, March 25, people jump to two conclusions: first, that the pilot is the unique source of danger, and that the air is unsafe.

Yet neither conclusion is justified, Fortune magazine finds after analysis of a careful compilation of all the commercial air accidents that have ever taken place in the United States.

The magazine, summing up its findings on air travel in its April issue, finds that:

Commercial air travel in its best years is safer than the private automobile in its worst years. The bus is safer than either.

And all forms of transportation are vainly shooting at the safety marks achieved by the railroads.

THE SCORE— From January 1, 1927, when the record of commercial scheduled air line travel begins, up to but not including the crash of March 25, 1937, U. S. commercial air lines have suffered 846 accidents on scheduled domestic operations.

Of these 846 accidents, there were 674 in which no one was seriously injured.

Only 107 accidents killed someone in the plane. And of these, 49 occurred on non-passenger trips.

The total death toll is 325, and of these 131 were members of crews. Thus in 10 years, 58 fatal crashes have killed 194 passengers. That averages between five and six crashes a year, and slightly more than three passenger deaths per crash.

The most complete figures, however, are from 1930-1936. In that period the air lines flew, 1,428,250,000 passenger miles. (If a plane flies 100 miles with 10 passengers, that is 1000 passenger miles.)

Of the total passengers carried, 604 per cent were killed. Exactly one passenger was killed for every 2,000,000 miles of flight. And the 1936 mortality was one passenger for every 9,350,000 passenger miles.

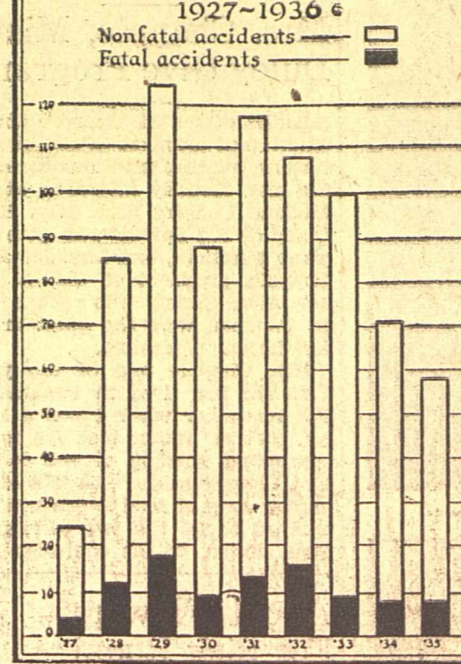
1932 RECORD BEST— Fatal plane accidents, reaching a peak of 18 in 1929, declined to eight in 1934 and have stayed there. But passenger fatalities have been rising because planes are larger and more passengers are carried on each flight. Each major accident kills more people.

The result was the deadly year for passenger plane accidents. In 1936 with a new high record of 61 deaths (44 of them passengers) was set. In 1933 the air lines set a new all-time high of 21,700,000 passenger miles for each passenger death, but in 1936 the figure had been cut down to 9,900,000, though there were no more bad crashes.

The railroads, even in their worst days back in 1907, with wooden cars and high-speed competitive schedules, killed 647 passengers. But they rolled up the same year 27,700,000,000 passenger miles. This made a rate of 42,800,000 passenger miles for each passenger death, which is twice as good as the best the air lines have been able to achieve.

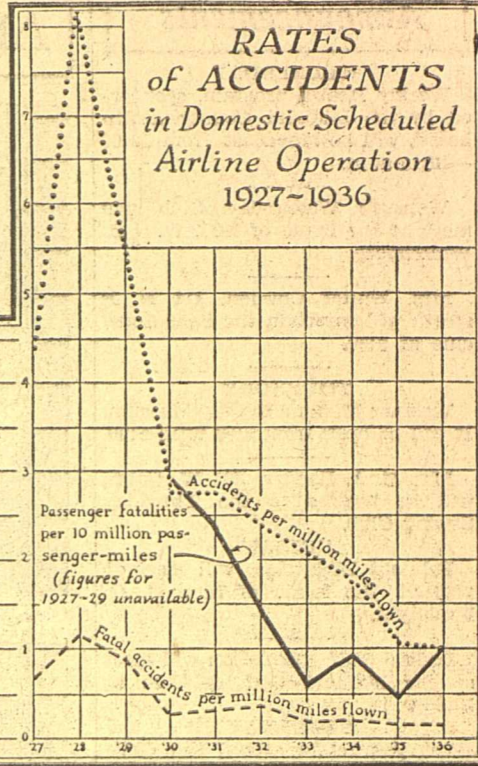
In the year ending June 30, 1935, the railroads killed only 18 passengers. The rate of 1,027,000,000 passenger miles for each passenger

ACCIDENTS on Domestic Scheduled Airlines 1927-1936

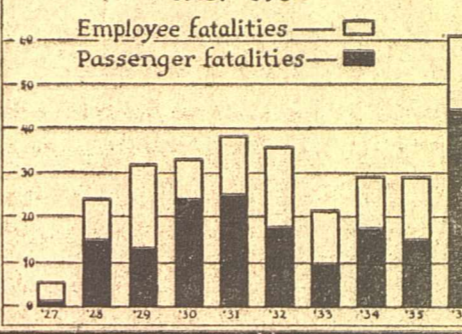


The whole story of commercial plane fatalities is quickly told by these Fortune magazine graphs. Note how accidents (graph at left) have been practically the same for four years, but how deaths (second graph) suddenly rose in 1936, because planes carry more passengers now, and hence crashes are more deadly. Your mathematical chances in flying are shown in the third graph, at right. By Courtesy Fortune Magazine.

RATES of ACCIDENTS in Domestic Scheduled Airline Operation 1927-1936



FATALITIES from Accidents on Domestic Scheduled Airlines 1927-1936



death is the all-time record for all transportation.

On the record of the last four years (the period of strictly modern flight) you could have traveled 16,000,000 miles on air lines without getting killed, which is just about as far as you can figure on traveling in your own car before you get killed.

CRASH CAUSES—

Fortune has analyzed, one by one, all the principal air crashes since that in which Senator Bronson Cutting was killed near Atlanta, Mo., May 6, 1935.

So far as is known, it concludes structural failure of the aircraft itself has not caused a single modern fatal accident, which reflects plenty of credit on U. S. manufacturers and maintenance shops. If

plane line operators have in the past urged pilots to make risky flights, they are not doing so any longer, the survey concludes.

Pilot error contributed to 10 of the major crashes of the past two years, the survey found. Faulty radio reception appears to have entered into six of them. Lack of gas has figured in several.

Faulty or insufficient weather forecasts were factors in four of the crashes. In several cases the operators have blamed the government radio beams, as being weak or having failed, but this has not been established definitely.

Part of the responsibility rests on the government, the survey finds. "Since 1932, the government's tangible contribution to improving the airways has been only \$3,200,000. That does not include

money spent on improving airports, for this is not much of a safety factor.

SUGGESTED REMEDIES—

Commercial operators have for several years been asking for new airways equipment totaling \$10,500,000. Fortune points out, including new radio ranges or beams, hundreds of new non-directional markers, extended teletype service. The number of spot-weather reporting services should be doubled the magazine suggests, and the entire Weather Bureau modernized and improved.

Flying equipment, the ships themselves, furnished by the operators are the best in the world. But the airways facilities maintained by the government are mediocre. Fortune finds, and the imbalance between the effectiveness of these two ele-

ments in flying is the basic factor in the air-safety equation today.

Better co-operation among airlines in research, especially in the radio field and in blind-flying technique and equipment, is suggested. Better pay and training of pilots might help.

"The evidence shows clearly," Fortune concludes, "that accidents become obsolete, which means that their causes are being progressively eliminated; and so long as this healthy situation exists it is certain that accident prevention will some day catch up with that advance in performance that has been constantly creating new safety problems."

"At the present rate of progress, most of the nonhuman causes of today's accidents will have been eliminated in three or four years."

The PAYOFF

BY RICHARD McCANN NEA Service Sports Writer

It's high time, don't you think, that Kathryn Hemphill was getting some of the credit that's due her?

The fresh young First Lady of Columbia, S. C., has been beating everything but the income tax on the Florida winter golf circuit this year, and yet all the stories that have been written about her could be squeezed into one 10-cent bottle of ink.

Patty Berg, Patty Berg, Patty Berg—that's all you read in the dispatches from Florida. Patty is getting more publicity than a sidown striker and, to put it boldly, she has been accomplishing just about as much. The Minneapolis tomboy hasn't been having a very successful visit to Florida.

And, yet, when Patty is beaten the news seems to be that Patty has lost, and not that the other girl has won. The other girl, incidentally, has usually been Miss Hemphill.

Now, of course, Patty, who is sort of the Shirley Temple of golf, is a nice little girl and, to be sure, a nice little golfer, too, and she deserves all the adjectives the boys can pluck from Mr. N. Webster's best seller.

But so is Karolina Kitty, a nice girl, and a nice little golfer, and quite deserving of a better break in the headlines. In fact, judging from what's taking place down that way, Miss Hemphill seems to be a better golfer than Patty. This season anyway.

Has Won Three Tourneys Didn't she for instance, beat Patty just the other day in the Florida East Coast golf championship? She did. And wasn't it her third major victory in Florida? It was.

By winning the East Coast tourney, Miss Hemphill, it seems to us, is entitled to sport the title, "Woman's Winter Champion," because in addition to this Ormond championship, she has also triumphed in the Punta Gorda and South Atlantic. She hopes to tuck a fourth Florida title into her hope chest when she competes in the Bellair, Fla., tourney. She won this event last year—her only victory in 1936, incidentally.

Her South Atlantic victory may be significant. It seems that it is just a masher shot from the national championship. Some of the past winners who went on to cop the duke, as the boys out our way say, in the big national are Mrs. Maureen Orcutt Crews, Glenna Collett Vare, Virginia Van Wie, and Helen Hicks, which is right good company.

One of them, Miss Van Wie, thinks that Kathryn will join their little championship sorority ere long. "She's a good golfer, and is getting better all the time," said Miss Van Wie after following one of Kathryn's recent rounds. "I think she's got the champion's spark."

Left-Handed Brother Taught Her Kathryn has been playing golf for seven years—since she was 16. Her brother, Melvin, taught her the

game. He is a left-handed professional, and his success with Kathryn is quite a boost for left-handed instructors.

One year after she swung her first club, Kathryn went out for the boys' golf team at Columbia High School and promptly ousted a veteran member from his place on the team. Old Man Par, as you can see, was her sweetiepie right from the start.

Kathryn bangs the ball straight and far from the tee and her second shots are as good as most any man's. But she has been having a little difficulty of late with her pitches. She practices long hours daily trying to correct this fault.

Columbia's gem of the fairways is an even-tempered young lady, not given to outbursts of temperament like so many of our golfers, both men and women.

For example, during the South Atlantic tourney, Miss Hemphill reached the 17th green in three, lying 15 feet from the hole. She committed a pitiful putt and the ball trickled only a few feet toward the hole. The gallery went ah-h-h, as only golf galleries can, and Miss Hemphill started to hurl her putter up to the 18th green.

But she bit her lip and promptly stepped up and tapped the ball almost carefully with her putter. It rolled in the cup.

"Didn't you care if it went in,

ARLINGTON DOWNS READY FOR OPENING OF 28-DAY RACE MEETING WEDNESDAY

ARLINGTON DOWNS, Texas, March 30. —Arlington Downs is ready.

Spic and span from every angle, augmented barns filled with the cream of the nation's thoroughbreds, crack jockeys already here or en route, noted owners and trainers supervising plans connected with their equine charges, all members of the Texas Jockey Club ready and waiting for the first bugle, giant de luxe totalisator complete, high speed camera and crew ready for filming each and every race on the daily program, everything is ready for the start of the Spring meeting Wednesday at 2:15. For 28 thrill-filled days, turf patrons will converge on Arlington Downs, and, no matter what has gone before, all signs indicate that this Spring meeting will set a new high standard, not only for racing but for attendance.

Sunday Arlington Downs was en fete for Open House. Scores of famous racers, well known jockeys and nationally famed owners and trainers, mingled for the workouts, which attracted one of the largest crowds ever seen at Open House. From daylight on, there was something doing and a highlight of the afternoon's program was the dedication of a bronze plaque honoring the memory of the late Col. W. T. Waggoner, whose untiring efforts resulted in the return of racing to the Lone Star State. The plaque, executed by Mrs. Electra Waggoner Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Hemphill" she was asked. "Of course, I cared," she said. "Of course, I did." But I was so nervous and disgusted I would have missed a mile if I played the shot carefully."

Redistricting--

Sterling, 84—Tom Green, Irion and Reagan, 85—Concho, Runnels and Coke, 86—Coleman and McCulloch, 87—San Saba and Brown, 88—Eastland, 89—Mills, Comanche and Lampasas, 90—Coryell and Hamilton, 99—Parker and Palo Pinto.

105—Haskell, Knox and Foard, 106—Callahan, Shackelford and Stephens, 107—Jones and Stonewall, 108—Taylor, 109—Fisher, Scurry and Nolan, 110—Dickens, Motley, Crosby, Kent, Garza and King.

111—Terry, Lynn, Gaines, Dawson, Martin, Andrews and Borden, 112—Lubbock, 113—Bailey, Lamb, Cochran, Hockley and Yoakum, 114—Hale, Floyd and Swisher.

E. Paul Waggoner, and grand daughter of the late founder of Arlington Downs, shows a realistic impression of the late sportsman, and across the bottom is shown the finish of a race. Lettered on the plaque is the inspiring thought, "In Everlasting Memory of W. T. Waggoner, creator of Arlington Downs, Texas of Texas, whose great interest contributed largely to the oil, thoroughbred cattle and racing interest of his native State, this tablet is erected." Judge J. H. Barwise, Fort Worth jurist, and one of the late capitalist's closest friends, delivered a brief eulogy before unveiling the plaque.

With a purse distribution of more than \$175,000.00, topped by the \$15,000.00 Texas Derby, to be run off Saturday, April 17, seven standard stakes, including the Spring renewals of the Fort Worth and Dallas Handicaps, Juvenile Stakes and Three D's Handicap, the meeting promises much in the way of real racing. The Inaugural Handicap, for three year-olds and up, tops the opening program on Wednesday, and the Three D's Handicap is slated for the first Saturday, April 3. Eight races daily, with post-time at 2:15, have been announced.

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### Farmers Urged To Join AAA Program

COLLEGE STATION, Mar. 30—The prospect of a material increase in cotton acreage in 1937 is one of the factors which make it advisable for every Texas farmer to join the AAA agricultural conservation program, members of the state agricultural conservation committee say.

"I am afraid advancing prices for some of our commodities, especially cotton, have caused southern farmers to forget the situation which brought about 5 cent cotton and \$8 a ton cottonseed," Geo.

Slaughter, chairman of the committee, said in quoting C. A. Cobb, director of the southern division of the Triple A. "A material increase in cotton acreage this season could very easily place cotton producers in a position similar to that in which they found themselves in 1933. Despite the fact that the surplus of American cotton has been reduced, our carry-over of approximately seven million bales is still two million above normal."

The committee urged that every farmer in the state sign a work sheet in the 1937 Agricultural Conservation Program. Slaughter pointed out that participation in the program not only would help cut down the threatened overproduction of cotton, but that the program encourages farmers to build up the fertility on a portion of their farms and provides payments that furnish insurance which farmers might use to guarantee the payment of taxes, interest, and other current farm expenses.

"The program also presents to the farmer the chance to produce sufficient food and feed for home use, if he does not already do this, and still secure benefit payments," Slaughter said.

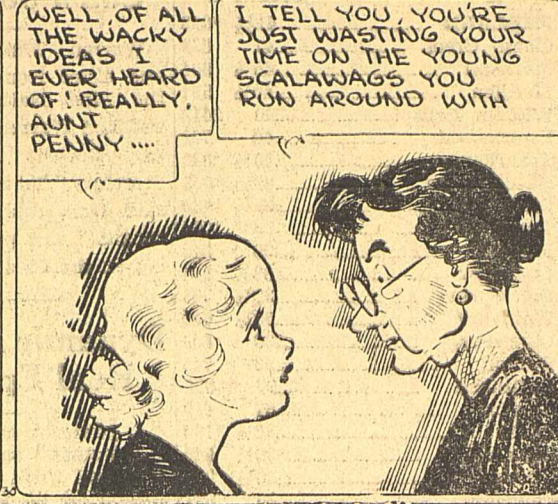
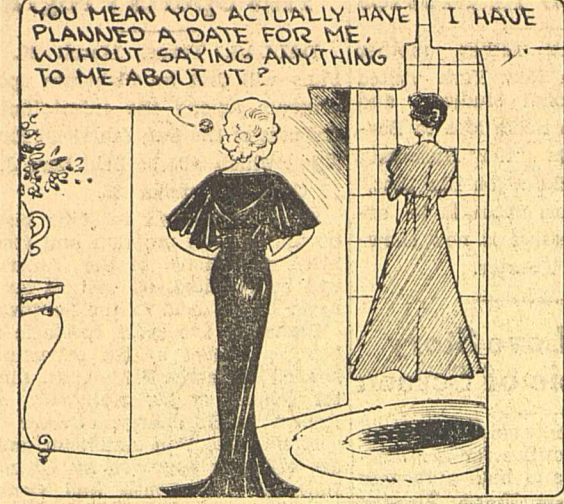
### New Barley Variety Yields Bumper Crop

AMES, Ia., Mar. 30 (UP)—A new, unnamed variety of barley which outyielded every other common variety by more than seven bushels over a five year period, has been shipped to Iowa farmers by the state experiment station for further tests.

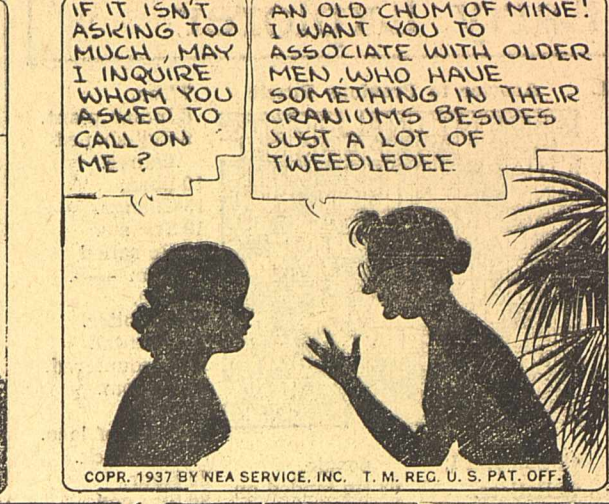
Development by L. C. Burnett, research expert of the Iowa Agricultural Station, the new barley averaged 53.77 bushels per acre in seven tests.

Velvet, the most common variety of barley, averaged 44.03 bushels per acre under the same conditions.

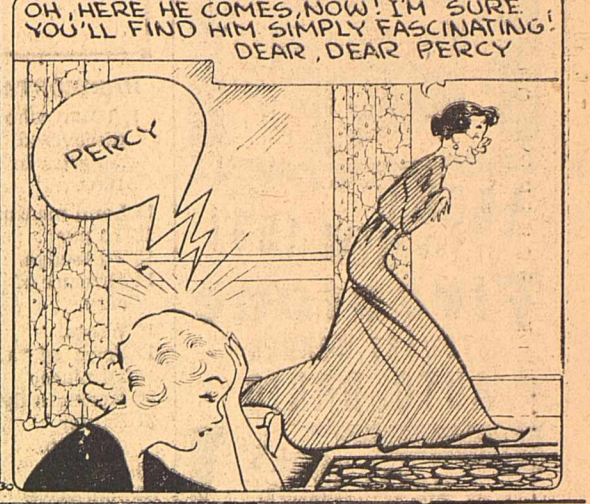
### BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



### The Irresistible Force



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### FOR SALE

GOOD light 2-wheel trailer; A-1 condition. R. L. Buck, Kerr Nursery, 801 West Wall. (18-6)

TRAILOR house, 8 by 18 feet. Call one block north Reed's West End Filling Station. (18-2)

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### KERR NURSERY CO.

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### LOTS! LOTS! LOTS!

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TWO sections; fenced sheep proof; plenty water; 50 acres cultivation; home and orchard; carries federal loan; located in Midland county; priced to sell this week. See Barney Grafa, Midland, Texas. (16-3)

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Three lots West Highway and J street; three lots Garrett and J street. Sell all six for \$2100.00. Or will sell in parcels of three lots. Write us or see your agent, Fisher & Fisher, 510 Magnolia Bldg., Dallas. (17-3)

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### FRAME house completely furnished;

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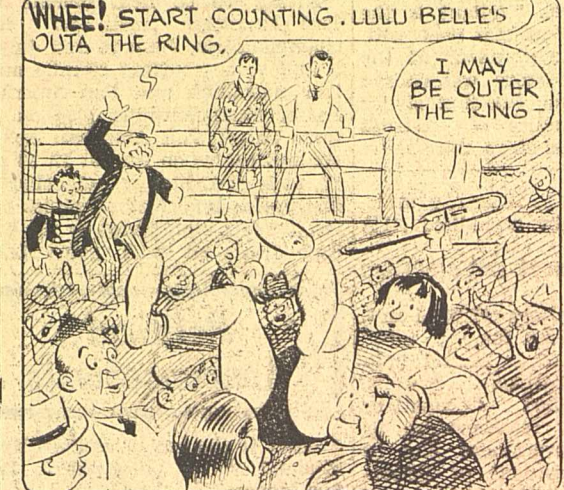
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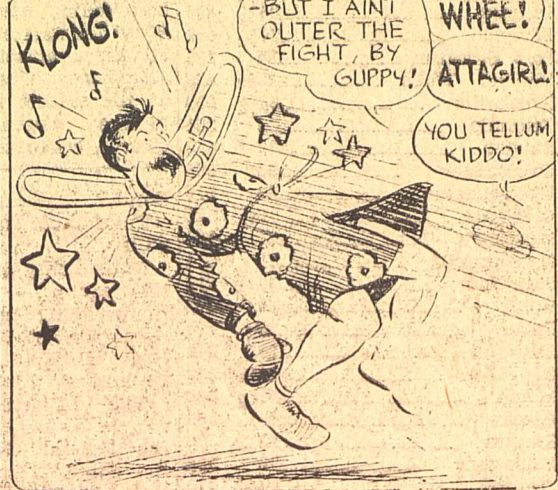
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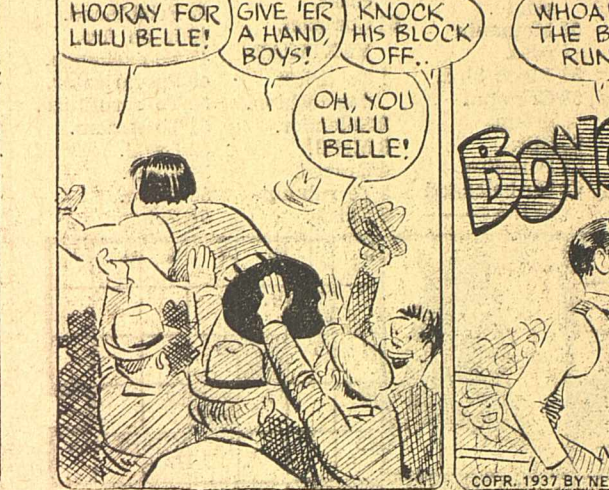
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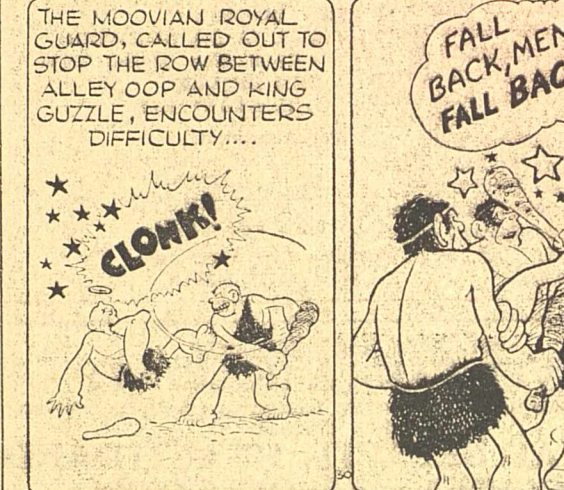


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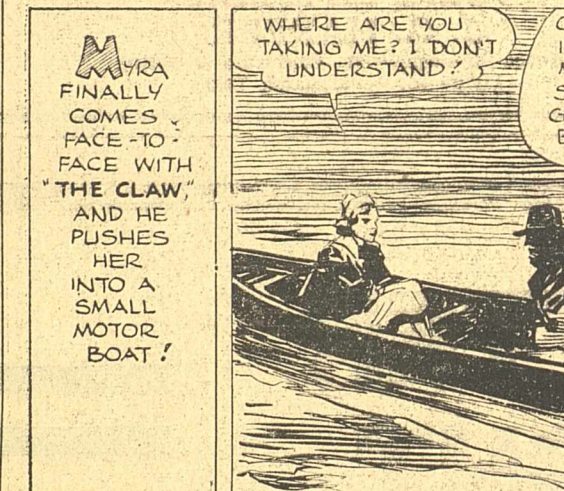


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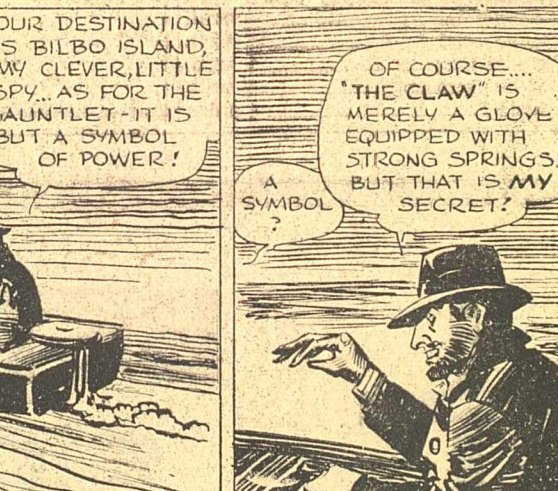


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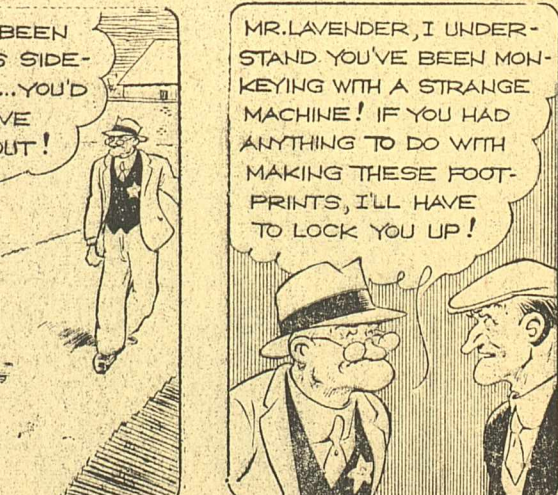
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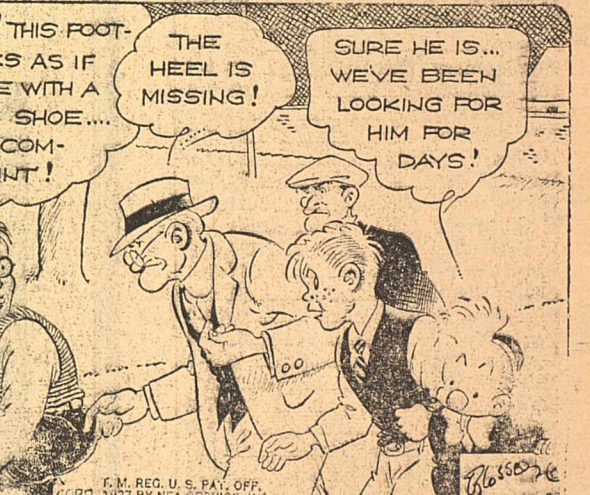
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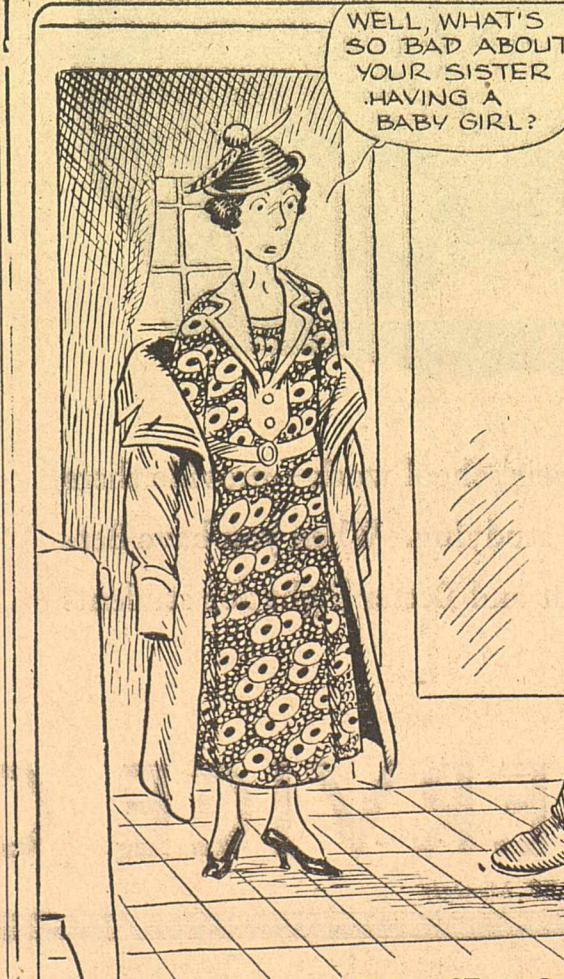
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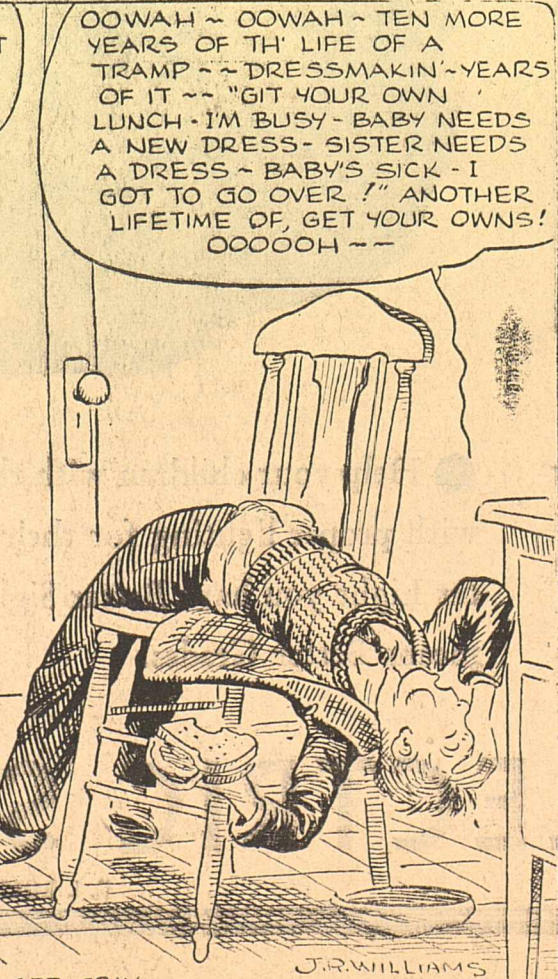
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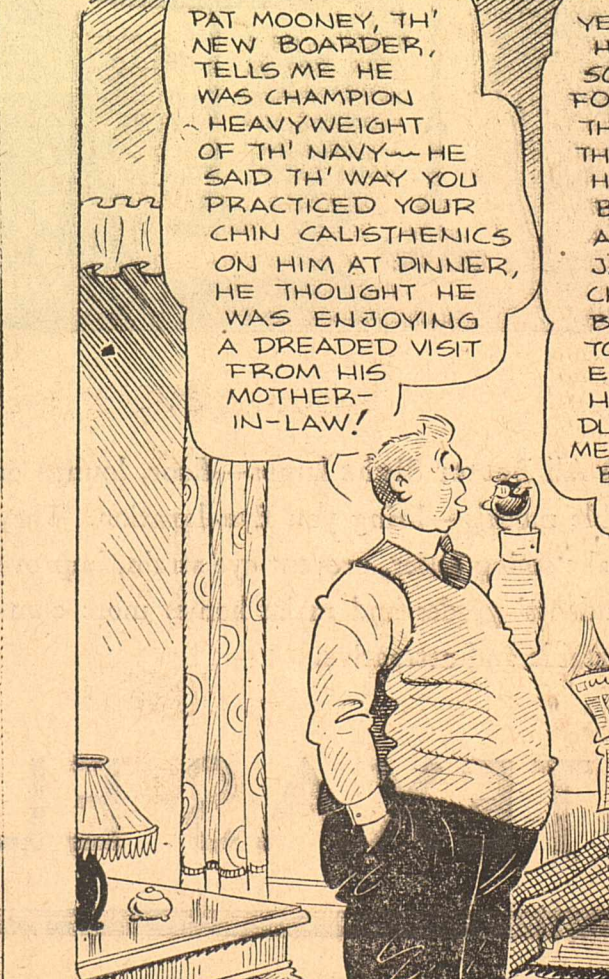
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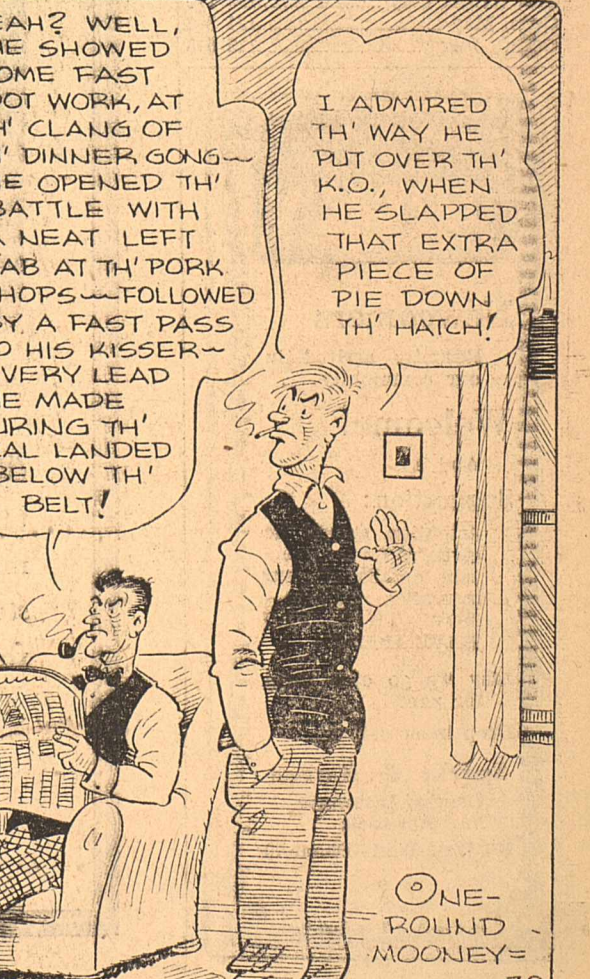
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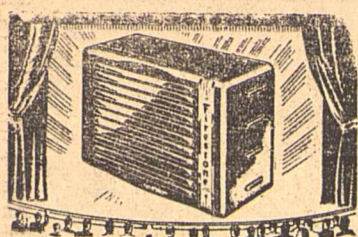


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Advertisement for Sparks & Barron General Insurance Abstracts, 107 West Wall—Phone 79

Early Explorer

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for words like ARGENTINA, JUSTO, etc.

Answers to crossword puzzle clues, including '7 Tea', '8 Indian plant', etc.

Large crossword puzzle grid with a picture of a Native American in the center.

Survey Reveals Midland High Ranks High In State Scholastic Standing

Comparison with representative high schools of the state reveals remarkable scholastic rating for the Midland institution...

Table listing school credits for various subjects like English, History, Science, etc., for Midland High School.

Daddy Hull Envis Son's Job in Movies

Warren Hull's father, mother and sister from New York visited the First National studios and watched Warren make love to Beverly Roberts in 'Her Husband's Secretary'...

Dynamic Love Story Real Epic of Screen

A powerful and compelling story of a woman's sacrifice for her children will thrill and hold audiences spellbound at the Yucca Theater...

Pan American Show Has Sports Program

DALLAS, Texas, March 30. — Fans will find an elaborate sports program among the entertainment features of the Pan American Exposition...

Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the City of Midland voters on April 6, 1937. For Mayor: J. V. STOKES SR., M. C. ULMER...

Flame atop the huge Triumphal Arch will be only a part of the ceremonies planned in the friendship link of the Americas.

Advertisement for RITZ theater featuring 'Her Husband's Secretary' and 'The Green Light'.

Advertisement for CITY CLEANERS, 'Your Appearance MEANS MUCH'.

Large advertisement for Texas Electric Service Company, 'BETTER LIGHT + BETTER SIGHT = BETTER GRADES'.