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SURVIVAL OF THE MYTHS

Once more it is reported that a toad has survived an incredible number of years in an airless, foodless, waterless prison—this time in the interior of an empty Civil war cannon ball at Franklin, Pa.—and once more experts on such matters have hastened to assure us that all of such stories are patently impossible, and that a toad has no better powers of survival in such circumstances than a human being would have.

The experts, very likely, are quite correct. Yet these odd little stories, constantly recurring like hardy perennials, in spite of all of the denials, somehow fall into the class of anecdotes which ought to be true even if they aren't.

For some reason it is pleasant to suppose that there are living creatures which can defy all laws of respiration and nutrition and get away with it. It makes life more interesting, and it makes the world seem a shade more miraculous. In spite of the experts, these stories will continue to get printed.

Side Glances By Clark



"Now, mind you, I don't say you'll look like this in two or three days."

Mighty Niagara

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

1 Weights.
6 Small sale, manders!
11 Those that raise.
14 Joseph V. McKee is mayor of —?
16 Terminations of beings.
17 To add.
19 At the outlet of what lake is Niagara Falls?
20 Sorrowful.
21 To knock.
22 Simpleton.
23 Lair of a beast.
25 Eye tumors.
27 Measure of length.
28 The pineapple.
30 Cuts hair with a razor.
32 Spigot.
33 English coin.
34 Calamitous.
37 To attribute to.
40 To be ill.

VERTICAL

1 Types of metallic rocks.
2 The most important export market of the U. S. A.
3 Secreted.
4 Donkey-like beast.
5 Southeast.
6 Northwest.
7 Organ of sight.
8 Part of a die.
9 Experiments.
10 Twisted to one side.
12 Right.
13 Classifies.
14 Backs of necks.
15 Deity.
16 Japanese fish.
24 Native.
25 Possessing flavor.
26 Clipped.
27 To elucidate.
29 To scold constantly.
31 Verb.
34 Fit of a wail.
35 Religious, ceremonial.
36 Felt anxious.
37 Tailed heaven-ly bod.
38 Satir.
39 Tripl.
41 Oniste.
42 Door nu.
44 Mark left an injury.
47 Cots.
49 Age.
50 Myself.
51 To accomplish.
52 Poem.
54 Pronoun.
56 Like.

Swapping Yarns with Col. True

Col. True maintains a standing invitation to others to write to him and tell of their own extraordinary experiences. No holds barred. Address Col. True, in care of The Reporter-Telegram.

Dear Colonel True:

I read a story in a newspaper once about the clearness of the atmosphere in Arizona. According to the fellow who was writing, the air out there is so clear you can see over a hill. I had doubts about this when I read it and the more I think about it, the more firmly convinced I am that it was all a mistake. What do you think?

POLLY WOLCOTT.

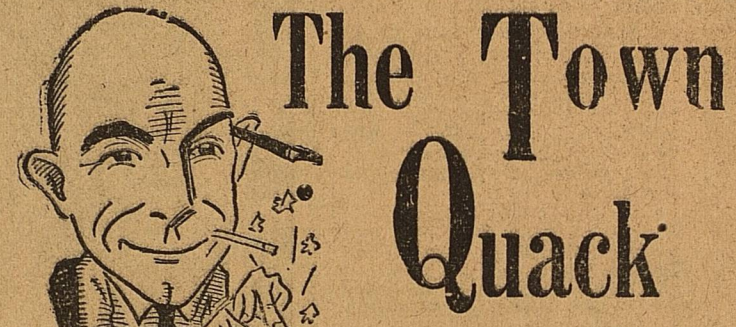
Miss: Always believe anything you read in a newspaper. If it's right you will probably never know the difference, and when you are always doubting something or somebody you lose faith in human nature. Anyway, that story about the Arizona air was just about right. I remember when I was at Phoenix one summer, the air was so clear you could see through a four-brick wall at midnight.

Sound carries well in this atmosphere, too. A man and his wife living on a ranch near mine, a hundred and fifty miles from town, had a big argument one morning. The woman left him, driving into town in a deliver. It took her nearly all day, but when she got there, her divorce was ready. The judge had heard their argument that morning, and had it fixed up before noon.

Folks out there used to have to put in telephone so they could talk across the dining table without the neighbors hearing. It was a great location for spreading tales, but not so good for the spreader. I was out-plotting one morning. I yelled "Woah" at my team and stopped every horse in Arizona.

Automobiles and the like have changed things, though. Gasoline fumes have thickened up the air a great deal. There are, however, a few places back in the mountains where the old clear atmosphere is to be found. I remember wandering into a little valley, a couple of years ago, where the air was so clear you could hear a man fall before he stumbled.

Occasionally they would have a really clear day, bright and inviting. On these exceptionally clear days, you could read a man's thoughts two or three hundred yards. That's why I had to leave Arizona.



The Town Quack

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

A cow, evidently wanting only a roll for breakfast, ate a farmer's pocketbook which contained \$760.

These classified columns continue to be mailed in, with comments. Some friend of Fred Wemple, or maybe it was Fred himself, read-ated for the references to the fact that his block on North Lorraine had enough kids already, mailing in a copy of the ad from 405 North Lorraine wherein a boy's overcoat is for sale. The comment was as follows: "400 block. Appears to be T. P. Barron res. Too bad this block isn't full of kids so clothes might be handed down from brother to little brother."

It's funny how many people think that game is going to be Friday. According to the schedule I have, it's the fifteenth, and that is on Saturday in 1932.

There may be some terrible surprises in this Sweetwater game, and the Mustangs may be the worst surprised people of all. However, after the way they got stopped here last year, Sorrel-Top Sheridan included, they shouldn't be surprised at anything coming from Midland. I predict that the score will be closer than that of the Sweetwater-Lubbock game last Saturday, 24 to 7, in spite of the fact that the Ponies played Lubbock on Lubbock's home lot and we will have to meet 'em on the Sweetwater grid.

You know I said I was too high tempered to get into football discussions, but I can't keep out when the Bull Dogs have a hot game coming up with a team that has state championship hopes, especially when I think we have a chance to throw a kink into the Mustang machinery.

Note: If you see a personal to the effect that Joe Pyron and his wife are back from "Dallas and north-east Texas points," the inside dope is that they have been to Blossom. You have to go through Dallas to get there, and Blossom is in north-east Texas, so that's a high powered way these news writers have of giving Joe and wife a big trip. Anyway, some other big men and ball players have been turned out at that flag-station.

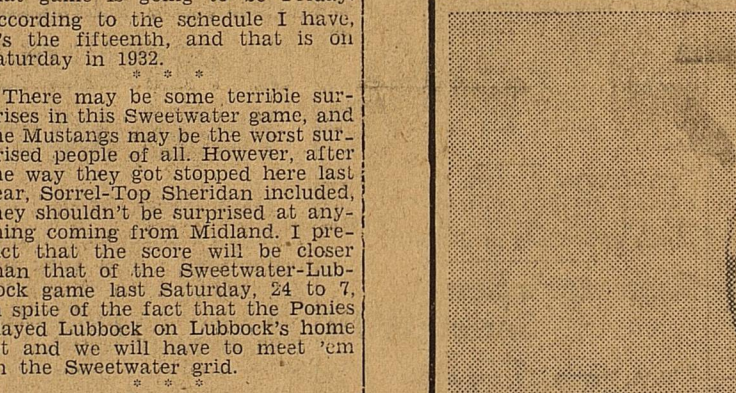
It is said that the reason the football spirit runs so high on penitentiary teams is because there are plenty of fourth year men playing.

And then there was the tramp who called at the back door. I peeked for food and said he was too weak to cut any wood, but could the housewife please give him pudding instead of bread.

A columnist asks: What has become of the old-fashioned mother who began to worry at 9 o'clock if her son or daughter hadn't come home?

Answer: She hasn't come in yet herself, so why should she worry so early?

A Kansas paper peps up its news with optimism, as follows: "The Blankville fair was a success in spite of the depression. One man was killed and several were injured."



THREE GUESSES

WHERE WAS THE FIRST SUCCESSFUL AIRPLANE FLIGHT MADE?

WITH WHAT DO YOU ASSOCIATE THIS SIGN?

WHO WAS THE AUTHOR OF THIS BOOK?

Personals

Mrs. Ralph Barron and daughters, Marjorie and Dorothy, left this morning for Dallas where they will visit with her mother. She was accompanied by her brother, James Carter, who has been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Nettleton left this morning for Fort Worth, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pyron returned yesterday afternoon from a two weeks visit in Dallas, Blossom and Fort Worth. They saw the T. C. U. vs. Arkansas football game in Fort Worth last Saturday.

C. Y. Barron has returned from a business trip to Ponca City, Oklahoma, and Fort Worth.

Ed Veach sustained a badly lacerated hand this week when a joint of casing fell while he was working on a windmill.

Sheriff Bob Beverly of Lovington and Clay Neal of Portales were in Midland this morning. Both are former Midland residents.

J. E. Gardner, Fort Worth business man, has returned to his home after a business stay here.

Mrs. A. W. Marshall and children, Tom and Margaret Ann, of Deming, N. M., arrived Sunday afternoon for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Caldwell.

W. L. Palmer of Abilene was a business visitor in Midland today.

W. G. Riddle made a business trip to Odessa today.

H. M. Nabors of Sweetwater is in Midland transacting business.

Paul Hudson has returned to his home in Amarillo after a business trip here.

E. R. Tieberman of Wichita Falls spent Monday night in Midland en route to El Paso.

Odessa people in Midland Monday were Mmes. V. C. Wiggins, Ellen Bounds, Joe Reuchs and Rubie Reid.

TREES ALONG RAILS

MOSCOW, Idaho.—Fruit growers who ride the train between Juliette and Troy have unknowingly planned the right-of-way alongside the tracks with flourishing fruit trees.

The right-of-way winding through the Big Polatch and Bear Creek valleys is lined with trees that have sprung up from seeds thrown out of the windows of speeding trains.

In early spring, peach, plum, cherry, apple, pear and other trees burst forth in blossom, scenting the air for miles around.

Germany has 4,703 daily newspapers, 976 of which are party organs. The largest circulation is 500,000, and the smallest is 55.

SOCIETY

Members of Circle Subscribe to Union Magazine

Nine subscriptions to the Royal Service, a woman's union magazine, were taken Monday afternoon at the Evangelical circle meeting at the home of Mrs. D. E. Scott, 801 North D.

Mrs. George Haltom, chairman, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. H. S. Collins presented the devotional. Mrs. H. A. Palmer spoke on "Personal Service" and Mrs. A. W. Wyatt on "Benevolence."

Members attending were Mmes. Wyatt, Palmer, Haltom, Collins, J. C. Hudman, Claude Crane, R. E. Witty, Ronald Morgan, H. E. Skipper, C. E. Strawn, G. B. Brock, Liray Hiett, W. S. Steele, C. P. Pope and the hostess.

Twenty-two Attend Circle B Meeting

Twenty-two members attended the circle meeting of Circle B of the Presbyterian auxiliary Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. J. Black, 310 North Carrizo. Mrs. Black and her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, were co-hostesses.

Mrs. R. C. Crabb, chairman, presided and Mrs. J. L. Greene directed the program on the subject of "Home Missions." She was assisted by Mmes. C. A. McClintic, F. E. Neel, R. E. Kinsey, J. M. DeArmond, Frank Wolcott and Miss Edna Hanna.

Two visitors were present.

Announcements

Wednesday

The Mid-Week club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Green at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. George Glass will be hostess to members of the Fine Arts club at her home, 911 West Texas. Mrs. T. C. Bobo will be co-hostess.

Thursday

North Ward P. T. A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the North Ward building.

The Thursday club will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. C. L. Jackson, 907-A West College.

Friday

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Roy McKee, 1508 South Lorraine, at 3:30.

Story hour in the reading rooms of the county library.

Members of the Althean class will sew for the welfare association Friday afternoon. They are asked to bring scissors and thimbles.

Dr. Boris Sokoloff, Russian scientist, says any girl can marry any man in the world by repeating often to him the four words, "You are so wonderful!"

Happy Birthday!

TODAY
Mrs. W. P. Knight
TOMORROW
Nell Wayne Carlisle
Marjorie Barron

Mrs. E. C. Adams Hostess to Rijnhart Circle

Mrs. E. C. Adams, 221 North Colorado, was hostess to members of the Rijnhart circle of the Christian church Monday afternoon.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mrs. Dunn Reiger. After a brief business session, Mrs. Rawlins Clark taught the lesson.

Members attending were Mmes. Hillary Bedford, L. B. Pemberton, Dunn Reiger, Clyde Ingham, L. C. Rea, Charles Klapproth, R. L. Clark, Carl Reeves, Guy Brannaman, F. F. Elkin, W. G. Riddle, Evelyn Melear and D. B. Snider.

Mrs. George Abell Again Directs Story Hour

Mrs. George T. Abell resumed charge of the children's story hour Saturday afternoon after an absence of several weeks. She told the stories: "Introducing Mother Goose," "Mother Goose Adopts a Gander," "Mother Cat and Two Kittens," "An Indian Plays Traction," "Alphabet Park" and "Ted and Dick Play Football."

Numerous selections were given by the children.

The 33 children present were: Jeanne Hines, Virginia Harding, Gladys Sadler, Cletas Hines, Evelyn Hines, Ruth Richmond, Willie Mae Siddle, Doris Lynn Pemberton, H. I. Ruth Merrill, Emma Blake, Inez Choate, Mildred Choate, Annie Dorris Choate, Sibyl Richmond, Loretha Garrison, Bertha Lee, Garrison, Bessie Lou Parker, Mary Nila Hannaford, Bernice Hannaford, Laverne Patton, Mary Patton, Patsy Ruth Pope, Mildred Connor, Helen Connor, Edith Fay Dublin, Eusier Dublin, Minnie Frances Merrill, Audie Merrill, James Merrill, Mary Ann Snider, Laverne Patton, Mary Patton, Mary Lee Snider.

Class to Have Party

The Naomi class will be entertained Thursday evening with a masquerade party in the home demonstration room of the court house. Invitations are being sent and all members are expected to attend.

Isadora Harmon Circle Meets, Elects Officers

The Isadora Harmon circle of the Baptist women's missionary society reorganized Monday afternoon when it met at the home of Mrs. John W. Hix, 202 South G, for a business meeting.

Officers elected were Mrs. N. W. Bigham, chairman; Mrs. A. C. Francis, co-chairman; Mrs. Hix, secretary; Mrs. George Phillips, benevolence chairman; Mrs. M. R. Hill, mission study chairman; Mrs. Hal-loway, stewardship chairman; Mrs. Filson, personal service chairman; Mrs. John Nobles, periodical chairman, and Mrs. A. W. Wyatt, reporter.

Ten members were present.

Circles Methodist Auxiliary Study Foreign Course

Circles of the Methodist auxiliary met Monday afternoon at 2:30 for the regular circle meetings. At 3 o'clock the Mary Scharbauer circle, which met at the home of Mrs. J. R. Martin, 1410 West Texas, adjourned to join the Belle Bennett circle at the home of Mrs. Fred Wemple, 504 North Lorraine.

The foreign mission study course, "Living Issues in China," was taught by Mrs. Edwin C. Cathoun. This was the second lesson of the series. Particular stress was laid on "The Trend of Education in China," and contributions Christian schools are making.

At the close of the meeting, Mrs. T. S. Nettleton, who leaves today to make her home in Fort Worth, was presented a gift, and tea was served by the Belle Bennett circle.

Vocal selections were given by Mrs. Johnnie Ratliff, accompanied by Miss Leona McCormick. Thirty-two members were present.

The tusks of an African elephant may weigh more than 200 pounds each.

COMING

BACK STREET
by Fannie Hurst

Millions are welcoming it as no play or picture was ever welcomed.



—and raw tobaccos have no place in cigarettes

They are *not* present in Luckies . . . the mildest cigarette you ever smoked

WE buy the finest, the very finest tobaccos in all the world—but that does not explain why folks everywhere regard Lucky Strike as the mildest cigarette. The fact is, we never overlook the truth that "Nature in the Raw is Seldom Mild"—so these fine tobaccos, after proper aging and mellowing, are then given the benefit of that Lucky Strike purifying process, described by the words—"It's toasted". That's why folks in every city, town and hamlet say that Luckies are such mild cigarettes.

"It's toasted"
That package of mild Luckies

"If a man write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mouse-trap than his neighbor, tho he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door."—RALPH WALDO EMERSON.

Does not this explain the world-wide acceptance and approval of Lucky Strike?

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES AND INFORMATION

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0. Wanted

WOULD like to buy about a dozen Cornish Game pullets about three or four months old. Inquire this office.

1. Lost and Found

FOUND: Hereford cow and calf. Owner apply at Reporter-Telegram. 183-32

2. For Sale or Trade

GREEN TOMATOES for sale, 75c bushel. J. T. Harris, last house North Main. 182-62

CHICKENS and rabbits for sale. 705 South Big Spring. 185-32

BOY'S wool overcoat, size 3, good as new, \$2.50. Cost \$8.75 new. Phone 128 or apply 405 N. Lorraine. 183-62

3. Apartments

NICELY furnished apartment in duplex; reasonable. Apply 407 North Marienfield. 184-32

5. Houses

FOUR-ROOM house, 4-room apartment in duplex. Apply 806 South Pecos. 183-3p

6. Houses

FIVE-ROOM unfurnished house, \$10 month. Wm. Cameron Co., Inc. 183-62

15. Miscellaneous

RADIO repairing, satisfaction guaranteed. Tubes tested 50c. Phone 782J. Frank Smith. 168-Oct. 21-2

IF YOU have costumes to rent, call Lucille McMullan at 92. 185-32

INTENTIONS WERE GOOD KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—You could not blame the hiker, for he was only washing his only shirt in a creek to keep clean. But someone called police and Officers Carr and Adcock found the Michigan to California hiker with his chest exposed. The woman who called complained about the state of nudity the man was in.

The prickly pear, which is a curse in Australia, is to be fought by means of insects imported from Texas. Several thousand acres have already been cleared by a beetle-like insect.

Midland Lodge
No. 145
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Meets every Monday night at Castle Hall over Hokus-Pokus Store.
H. W. Moutrey, C. C.
R. D. Lee, K. R. S.

Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the general election Nov. 8, 1932.

For State Senator (29th Senatorial District of Texas):
K. M. REGAN, Pecos.

For State Representative (88th Rep. District):
B. FRANK HAAG, Midland

For District Attorney:
W. R. SMITH, JR.

For District Clerk:
NETTIE C. ROMER

For County Judge:
ELLIOTT H. BARRON

For Sheriff:
A. C. FRANCIS

For County Treasurer:
MARY L. QUINN

For County Clerk:
SUSIE GRAVES NOBLE

For County Tax Assessor:
J. H. FINE

For County Attorney:
WALTER K. WILSON

For Justice of the Peace (Precinct No. 1):
B. C. GIRDLEY

For Constable (Precinct No. 1):
C. B. PONDER

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 1):
H. G. BEDFORD

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 3):
D. L. HUTT

INDIAN "FIREWATER"

EL PASO.—A more powerful "fire water" than the white man ever sold them was made by a strange race of American "cud chewing" cave men, evidence of which has been found by a Smithsonian Institution expedition near Pecos.

The method these Indians used to make liquor is novel. According to reports the Indians chewed up the cactus plants. The squatted around an old horsehide and deposited the sweet cactus juice in the hide as it was extracted by chewing.

After the hide was full, it was placed in the blazing desert sun and allowed to ferment.

This story of ancient liquor making is told by old Indians living in the valley.

WHAT! THE DUCE!

ROME.—Traffic policemen in Italy don't feel the influence of politics as is shown in a recent instance here. Fired with civic zeal, a traffic policeman stepped boldly into the middle of the Via Flaminia and halted the driver of a car to a stop. To his dismay Signor Mussolini climbed out of the car. Instead of admonishing the policeman, Il Duce congratulated him on carrying out his job.

Ninety-nine per cent of the calcium of the human body is contained in the bones and teeth.

COMING
BACK STREET
by Fannie Hurst
Millions are welcoming it as no play or picture was ever welcomed.

MIDLAND LODGE
No. 623 A. F. & A. M.
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

GOLLY, SIS—LIFE IS WORTH LIVING AGAIN, NOW THAT WE'VE FOUND YOU! YOU SURE HAD US WORRIED

OH, BILLY—YOU DON'T KNOW—IT'S HEAVENLY, Y'BE SAFE AN' SANE AGAIN

NOW, ALL I WANNA DO IS SLEEP—SLEEP FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE! OO OHHH HO HO BOY

POOR KID! THE CHEF IS FIXING YOU SOMETHING HOT TO EAT—THEN YOU CAN SLEEP—AND FORGET IT ALL

SAY, THAT'S SOME OUTFIT YOU HAVE ON! IS IT A NEW STYLE OR—AM I WRONG?

OH, GEE—

I FORGOT I'BE EMBARRASSED

WASH TUBBS

WELL, BABY, EVERYTHING'S HUNKY-DORY, JES STICK TO YER STORY 'N' THAT BLASTED SOTTIE'S BUZZARD MEAT.

LISTEN, BUDDIE, I'LL GIVE YOU 60 PESOS—SIXTY GOLD PESOS—IF YOU'LL—

AH, NO, SENOR, EL GENERAL SAY EEF I ALLOW YOU ESCAPE HE SHOOT ME.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WHEN IT LOOKED AS IF RILEY WOULD HAVE TO SURRENDER THE SHIPMENT OF DIAMONDS TO THE BANDIT, FRECKLES MADE A DISCOVERY

LOOK AT THOSE BUSHES OVER THERE—SOMETHING'S COMING FOR US!!

WHY, IT'S YOUR DOG, POODLE!!

WHERE?

AND THEN THE UNEXPECTED HAPPENED—OUT OF THE BUSHES LEAPED POODLE, LANDING SQUARE ON THE BANDIT'S BACK, KNOCKING HIS GUN FROM HIS HAND AND SPRAWLING HIM FLAT—

ARRRUFF

THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

IS LIFE SWEET? A MILLIONAIRE!—WE'RE WORTH MILLIONS!—GOSH, MILLIONS!!

SAY, BUDDY, COULD YOU HELP A GUY WHO HASN'T EATEN FOR TWO DAYS?

HERE, TAKE IT ALL! MONEY IS NO WORRY TO ME—I'LL ALWAYS EAT!!

TANKS, PAL!!

SALESMAN SAM

GOSH, I NEVER THOUGHT YOU'D SHOW UP, SAM—MEET MY SECOND, BRUTE BRONSON!

AN' MEET MINE, HOWE! HANK SHANKS, TH' BUTCHER—I FINALLY GOT HIM TO SERVE ME.

NOW, BOYS, LET'S GO OVER TO FRISBIE'S FIELD—THASS WHERE WE'RE GONNA SHOOT IT OUT, SAMMY!

HOW BIG IS TH' FIELD? AN' SAY—HOW MANY BULLETS DO WE USE?

JES ONE APIECE—THASS ALL I'M GONNA NEED!

OUT OUR WAY

WHY—UH—I THOUGHT YUH ASKED FER A KNIFE.

YES, BUT, A-A—I UH—WELL, I JUST REMEMBERED READING SOMEWHERE THAT APPLE SKINS ARE GOOD FOR A PERSON, SO I'LL—THANKS, THO.

TO BE TRUTHFUL, WES SHOULD'A SAID—I JEST REMEMBERED ALL TH' THINGS A COWPUNCHER'S KNIFE IS USED FER, SO WILL ONE O' YOU OTHER GENTS LOAN ME YORE KNIFE?

WES HAS BEEN OUT HEAR JES LONG ENOUGH TO BE ONE THIRD TOUGH AN' ONE THIRD TENDER—AN' IT KEEPS TH' OTHER THIN' BUSY KEEPIN' TH' OTHER TWO OUT O' TROUBLE.

THE SOFT SPOT.

For Goodness Sake!

SAY, THAT'S SOME OUTFIT YOU HAVE ON! IS IT A NEW STYLE OR—AM I WRONG?

OH, GEE—

I FORGOT I'BE EMBARRASSED

Looks Bad for Easy!

BUT AT LEAST YOU CAN SEND WORD TO MY BUDDIE. TELL 'IM I—

NO, NO! HE SAY HE SHOOT ME FOR THAT, TOO

BOOM! BOOM! BOOM! RATT-TA-TAT-TAT

ATTABOY! KNOCK 'EM DOWN.

MEANWHILE, THE BATTLE WAGES HOTTER AND HOTTER, AND WASH NEVER DREAMS THAT HIS PAL IS ANYWHERE BUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE FIGHT.

Poodle Finds Them!

RILEY LOSES NO TIME TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITY THROWN OPEN TO HIM

HOW ON EARTH DID YOU KNOW WE WERE OUT HERE? GOSH!!

NOW, WISE GUY—I'M NOT ONLY TAKING THOSE DIAMONDS TO KING CITY, BUT YOU'RE GOING TOO—SOON AS I GET SOME WIRE TO TIE YOU UP!!

A Poor Rich Guy!

HANK, I GAVE EVERY NICKEL I HAD WITH ME TO A DOWN-AND-OUTER. LET ME HAVE A LITTLE MONEY FOR LUNCH

NOT A CHANCE! YOU'RE TALKING TO ANOTHER DOWN-AND-OUTER, RIGHT NOW

Howie Must Be Good!

WOTE FOR DEEZ FALLS

HA HA HA WOTE FOR DEEZ FALLS

By WILLIAMS OUR BOARDING HOUSE

WHY SURE YOU HAD SOME MONEY! DON'T YOU REMEMBER? YOU HAD A BALE OF ABOUT \$400 AN' YOU HID IT, SOMEPLACE HERE IN TH' HOUSE, BEFORE YOU GOT THAT BUMP ON TH' HEAD! IT LOOKS LIKE THAT TAP ON TH' OL' BELL HAS KNOTTED UP YOUR MEMORY!—WHERE DID YOU HIDE IT? THINK HARD!

MONEY? MONEY?? I HAVE A SORT OF HAZY RECOLLECTION ABOUT SOME MONEY, BUT IT IS SO VAGUE! HM-M—UM-M—ODD, BUT I CAN'T RECALL ANYTHING, SINCE THE ACCIDENT TO MY HEAD!

W! WHAT A FIX HE'S IN

By MARTIN

By CRANE

By BLOSSER

By COWAN

By SMALL

By AHERN

FOOTBALL SKETCHES

What Sweetwater's sports editor says of Midland:

Midland's easy victory over Odessa places the Bulldogs in the forefront to battle for the district flag. According to reports from Sweetwater fans who saw the game, the team that wins the district will have to beat Midland first. The Bulldogs second string was used quite a bit during the game in an effort to hold down the score. G. Jones was the Bulldog star, according to reports.

Sweetwater returns from Lubbock to face a great big job—that of downing the Midland entry on Oct. 15, the Mustangs' first district game. They had a hard job beating Conway's charges last year, scoring in the last quarter, and it is rumored that bigger and better football players are residing in the Bulldog city this season. Pory cockiness and confidence almost lost them the game last year and they'd better realize right now that it'll be a hill to climb if the Midland entry is taken under again.

A young man named Cotton Robbins has this remark in The McCamey News: "You know Midland, Colorado and Big Spring are supposed to be the best teams in the conference this year." That was written before McCamey lost by a heavy score to Colorado last week. The wreckage of the McCamey team is something to wonder at, and we can't keep from remembering a conversation we had with Clyde Parks, Badger mentor, on the eve of the game. Quoth this department: "You are supposed to win handily." Parks: "You are pretty far off, this time." And were we!

Bill Collins, the Bond street representative of the McCamey paper, writer of sports and weaver of predictions hopped on his typewriter and gave us a story for the front page that will knock you over. It seems football has turned McCamey topsy-turvy and that the whole town is rapidly growing dizzy. So much so, indeed, that Supt. C. V. Compton, the dullest of the dizzies, is not likely to find his way back to his position next year, if what we read is correct. Incidentally, this dwarfs the row kicked up between Big Spring and Sweetwater a few days past. And that's an order in

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

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SEASON'S SENSATIONAL MUSICAL COMEDY

Adapted from the Musical Comedy success, "Sunshine Susie." With Renate Miller, the entrancing new star, Miss Miller, as Susie, is good to look at and can sing to the satisfaction of any audience. The numbers used throughout the picture will have the entire audience humming as they leave the theatre.



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SANITARY JERSEY DAIRY

We had a letter this morning from Chas. Green, in which he says "District 3 is furnishing three or four of the best teams in West Texas this year in Midland, San Angelo and Sweetwater, and probably Big Spring." Our sportswriting contemporary asked for the full roster of the Bulldogs and said he would send that of Sweetwater tomorrow.

Incidentally, with what the others are saying, it is now incumbent because of outside pressure for also to make some sort of prediction on the outcome of the game. We won't do so, inasmuch as we have no more idea than Gandhi how it will come out. But we are glad to assess Midland is going to look good in defeat—or we miss our guess. We don't look for so much scoring from Sweetwater as some of the others—but again, we do not expect Midland to score at all, unless through an intercepted pass, fumble or safety. There you have it, and Midland will be playing a whale of a good game. The game will be close, and it is not to be expected that a green team can waste into regulars that have defeated Abilene and Lubbock and slip it much of a knock out drop.

Varying opinions: McCamey showed plenty of beef at tackle and that was about all. The grain, the defensive, was allotted the district berth last year, seems to have slowed considerably. He will have to fight if he gains the same berth at the end of this season.

Smalley, McCamey back, is fairly fast and would show customers some nice ball-toting were he on a football team—Chas. Green, Sweetwater Reporter.

There are ten berths open on the all-district three team this season. There will be some argument about the eleventh, but the discussion will be over whether Homer Barnett will be classed as an end or a tackle. The tall McCamey captain is better this year than last, and in 1931 he was the best tackle in the district.

This season Barnett has become his club's whole offensive show as well as the defensive. From his end position he dominates the McCamey attack, catching passes to the right, left, over, and under him. Friday afternoon he staged a demonstration of pass receiving that was about as unusual a performance as we have ever seen. McCamey had the ball on her own 26 yard line with not more than six yards to play. It required thirteen or fourteen downs to make a touchdown. Three successive passes were snared by Barnett. A running play made it first down. Three more consecutive passes were gathered in by this cool-headed, reckless giant. Two running plays brought the ball to the Colorado 8 yard line. A running play lost four yards. A pass was intercepted. Then Barnett caught another forward. He sent a basket pass to Reid, running at his side, and the Badger score resulted.

The pass was not bulletlike, accurate shots directed at his outstretched arms. They were poorly-executed throws in his general direction, and the McCamey captain twice fell directly backwards to catch them. The entire Colorado backfield was clustered around him near the goal line, but he could not be covered.

Exact statistics of his work on the defense cannot be correctly tabulated. He did, however, secure nine of eleven tackles after punts, and not once did the safety man elude him. We noted seven clean tackles on running plays, three of them behind the line of scrimmage.—Curtis Bishop, Big Spring Herald.

Demos--
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counter-offensive which they hope will start the tide the other way. President Hoover himself has led the attack by penetrating the disaffected West for a speech at Des Moines, Ia., and hundreds of republican orators, led by Secretary of the Treasury Ogden Mills, are being turned loose all along the line. The Hoover address at Des Moines has sounded the keynote for the lesser campaigners. Many republican leaders found cause for renewed optimism in the generally favorable and enthusiastic reception which lo-

Other Sport Scribes

By **BLONDY CROSS**
San Angelo Standard

SAN ANGELO—Sweetwater has not won the district 3 championship yet.

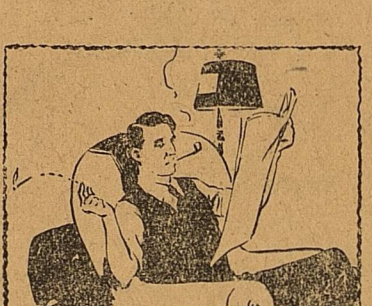
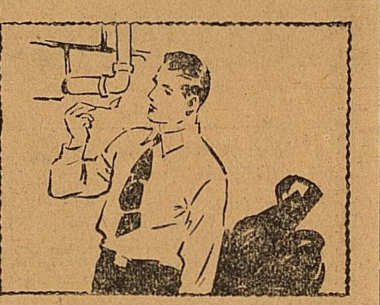
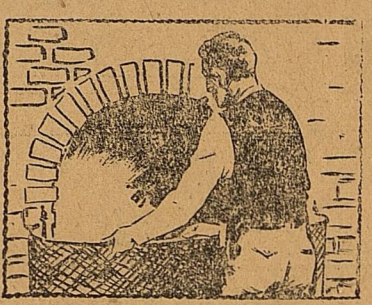
The score, 9 to 7, with Abilene on the top side, isn't sweet music to San Angelo ears, but the host of Concho sportsmen who made the trek to the Taylor county center learned a lot of pleasing things about Coach Harry Taylor's boys. By the manner in which the Bobcats fought back the bulkier adversary in three quarters and by the manner in which they made that last goal line stand, the San Angelo lads gave evidence that with more experience and better physical condition they are going to be difficult indeed to get along with. The boys also displayed that if they had realized just one or two lucky breaks instead of being scowled at all afternoon by Dame Fortune, they more than likely would have finished far ahead of the desisting champions. There was the little fumble by an over-anxious back when the club was right at the goal in the initial round. There was the host of penalties plastered on them. There were those numerous long passes by Hays that barely flicked off the fingers for incompletions. Had any one of the tosses connected the score would have been the other way. The breaks are bound to start coming

the other way eventually. There was almost a convention of coaches at the game. Among those present was a gentleman named Henderson. He is connected with the Midland coaching corps. The gentleman gently advised that his team will take the Bobcats down still further here Oct. 29.

Several of the hotel lobby quarter-backs expressed displeasure over the manner in which the Bobcat field general called the game. It was the noted Grantland Rice who wrote. Remember when you pan some kid for failure under stress. For calling plays that failed to give the goal line its caress—No dumb-bell ever yet has missed. The good old second guess.

The feature game of this week in district 3 is the Midland-Sweetwater game. Midland, ranked as the outsider two weeks ago, has surprised the experts, so-called, by its fine performance in non-conference tilts. The Bulldogs bait the Mustangs on the latter's field Saturday. The San Angelo team has a warm-up here Saturday with Clyde (Schoolboy) Pratt's class B Winters eleven. Colorado romps with Roscoe in a warm up Friday at Coleman. Big Spring plays Stanton Friday in a non-district game at Big Spring.

Here Are Ten Rules for Fire Prevention



1. Do not use gasoline or naphtha for cleaning indoors.
2. Destroy oily rags after using, or else keep them in a closed metal container.
3. Provide a good screen for all fireplaces, and see that the screen is in place when you have a fire.
4. Never throw away a lighted match, cigarette or cigar, and make sure pipe ashes are dead before you leave them.
5. Never look for a suspected gas

6. Never use an open flame around an automobile.
7. Never hang clothing near a stove, smoke pipe or open fire.
8. Use iron pipe, not rubber hose, in making gas connections around your stove.
9. Do not tamper with your electric wiring.
10. When leaving an electric iron or other household appliance, be sure the current has been turned off.

wans accorded to the president.

Coolidge Enlisted

Former President Calvin Coolidge, one of the party's greatest drawing cards, has at last been billed for a campaign speech at New York's Madison Square Garden, and Mr. Hoover at a White House reception has made an unprecedented bid for the negro vote which for the first time has seemed to be hostile. The Hoover ticket continues to be handicapped by the continued absence of any substantial improvement in business and by the previous failure of its managers to plan and execute an intelligent, vigorous program of attack. Roosevelt, meanwhile, turns his attention to the East. Thanks to the conservatism of that section and the enmity of many of Al Smith's admirers—even though that enmity may have been lessened by the recent public reunion of the two leaders at Albany—he faces a situation which may yet defeat him through the loss of such states as New York, Massachusetts and New Jersey. He is now expected to stress the issues of prohibition and unemployment relief. It is no longer argued that a dem-

ocratic candidate can't be elected without carrying New York's 46 electoral votes, but Roosevelt's failure to carry his home state would make it impossible for him to win. New York is now regarded as doubtful. If they can't win New York, the democrats expect to offset that loss by taking Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, with a total of 69 electoral votes. They talk, not unreasonably judging from other reports, of carrying Illinois by 500,000 votes, Ohio by 200,000 or 300,000 and Indiana by 100,000.

47 Votes Might Win
Most prognosticators give Roosevelt a minimum of 160 certain electoral votes to start with. Those of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia add Illinois, Ohio and Indiana, and Roosevelt would have 219, needing only 47 more to win. If there is anything to the almost unanimous reports of great Roosevelt strength in the West, New would have no trouble picking up those 47. Among the states reported leaning toward him at this time and according to some impartial predictions, almost certain to go for him, are Nebraska with 7 electoral votes, Washington 8, Montana 4, Maryland 8, Oregon 5, Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico with 3 each, Kentucky 11 and Minnesota 11. He is said to have a real chance at such normally republican states as Kansas, Iowa, California, Idaho, North and South Dakota, Wisconsin, Colorado, Utah and Wyoming, with a combined electoral vote of 79. And as things stand now, he ought to be able to break into one or more of the "straw" votes in Iowa and California, for instance, show him running well ahead. There are 140 votes in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New England—an area which is fighting ground with the exception of Pennsylvania and Vermont.

Hoover Needs Breaks
Just a glance at that electoral vote picture shows why there is now

M'TGOMERY WARD PRESIDENT'S HEIR IS ASPHYXIATED

CHICAGO, Oct. 11. (UP)—Sewell L. Avery, Jr., son of the president of Montgomery Ward Co., was overcome by gas this morning in the family apartment here, and died while an inhalator squad was trying to revive him. Police Lieutenant John Gary, who interviewed the family, said he believed Avery committed suicide while despondent. He was 31 years of age and was manager of the United States Gypsum company.

"Age of Consent" Is Daring Drama

Grandmother's moral code, it's pretty generally agreed, by now is almost confined to illustrated calculating the old Third Reader and tradition.

In contrast, the problems, the philosophies, the pitfalls and the pleasures of modern youth are radically different. Just how different is dramatically emphasized in the new RKO-Radio Picture, "The Age of Consent," which is coming to the Yucca theatre for today and Wednesday.

A boy and a girl on a college campus face the question of whether to marry or finish their education. Two teachers, a man and a woman, counsel against them throwing up their degrees. But the youngsters see that, in waiting, this love couple has lost happiness. Love has passed them by while they wait. College sheepskins decorate their walls, but no marriage license. The boy is impulsive, the girl hesitant. Meanwhile both are caught up in the social whirl of the campus life. A mid-air thinking bout leads the boy into complications with another girl. A stern parent declares it can only be straightened out by wedding service. And here the film raises a question of importance to parents and to philandering youth at the same time.

That should be the age of consent? When does parental authority cease and the normal impulses of youth become their own responsibilities? Gregory La Cava, who directed "The Age of Consent," has handled this theme with great sympathy and great drama. With a group of appealing youngsters as his materials, he has wrought a vivid romance of modern youth that theatre goers of all ages will find convincing and, in some cases, startling. Dorothy Wilson, the little "Cinderella" of the RKO studio, heads the large cast which includes Richard Cromwell, Eric Linden, Arline Judge, Allen Pringle, John Halliday and Reginald Barlow.

London's oldest bank is the Hoare's of the age of which cannot be certainly stated; but there is in existence a receipt dated 1633 for money deposited there in that year with Lawrence Hoare, who was in business as a goldsmith.

such a widespread belief that Roosevelt will win. It seems to most of those who have been studying the states and computing their own figures that Hoover will have to get just about all the breaks from now on if he is to upset the dope. Nothing more significant has appeared during the campaign than the figures in the Literary Digest poll which show 40 per cent of Roosevelt's straw vote to be derived from persons who voted republican in 1928, while only six per cent of Hoover's come from 1928 democrats. This represents the most concrete evidence to date of the widespread disposition among voters to blame Hoover for the depression or for his methods of combating it. Politicians are watching the poll closely to see whether later figures continue to indicate a switch.

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For Sixth Year Chevrolet Wins

NEW YORK.—For the sixth consecutive year the Chevrolet Motor company has won first place at the annual automobile shows sponsored by the National Automobile chamber of commerce, according to the drawings made here last week. This honor, one eagerly sought by the industry, carries with it the right to first choice of exhibition space at the two automobile shows to be sponsored by the N. A. C. C. at New York and Chicago early next year.

Relative positions are awarded by the chamber on the basis of dollar volume of member companies in the twelve months ended June 30. In this period, Chevrolet led all member companies of the N. A. C. C., having built and sold more cars than any other manufacturer in the association.

First place at the N. A. C. C. drawings was taken by Chevrolet originally in 1927 when the company was building a four cylinder car, and every year since then the award has gone to this largest producing division of General Motors by a constantly widening margin year after year.

Melodious Screen Hit Comes to Ritz

Gay, witty, tuneful and utterly delightful is "The Office Girl," which is adapted from the musical comedy success, "Sunshine Susie," which opens at the Ritz Wednesday. Susie in this romance of two nations has a will of her own and determines to make a way all her own—with a smile always on her face. No matter what her heart feels or her head plans, she promises herself to keep happy. With her unusual personality, Susie gets in where other girls fear to tread. Susie rules her own career and romance. Life doesn't sweep her along in its tide. The beautiful Renate Miller, compatriot of Marlene Dietrich and hailed as another sensation from across the sea, plays the title role in "The Office Girl." Jack Hubert in the part of the comedian not only provides continual laughter but skillfully creates situations that carry the plot along at a swift pace. Owen Nares and Morris Harvey also are featured.

Every once in a while throughout the picture the stars introduce some of his heard for the first time in "The Office Girl." "Today I Feel So Happy" and "Just Because I Lost My Heart to You" are typical Viennese melodies.

TO TRY RECORD

This evening at Station "WOR," New York, a telegraphic message will be sent around the world addressed to Miss Leila Livingston Morse. This will be in connection with the one hundredth anniversary of the telegraph. Miss Morse is a grand daughter of the inventor of the telegraph, Clarence Mackay, president of Postal Telegraph, will make an address. It is hoped to beat the 1890 record of five and one-half minutes transmission time of a telegram around the world, at this attempt.

Columbus set sail on Friday, left the Canaries on Friday, first sighted land on Friday, and began his return voyage on Friday.

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Perversion of Truth
"I denounce the statement as a willful perversion of the truth," said Reed. "Governor Roosevelt has never said that he favors a reduction of tariffs on farm products which can be shipped into the United States." He interpreted the views of the democratic party as expressed in its platform and the statements of Governor Roosevelt as holding the Grundy tariff bill is too high, that it has destroyed the country's markets abroad for both farm and manufactured products and has brought retaliatory tariffs.

"That is a very different thing from saying that the tariff against the importation of farm products should be taken off, a fact which Mr. Hoover and his advisers well knew when they prepared his false statement to be delivered in the agricultural belt of the country," Reed told his audience.

He said the democratic party in both houses of congress had supported measures to bar competitive farm products and their substitutes, and expressed his personal belief that the farmer should have protection equivalent with that enjoyed by manufacturers on things he must buy.

"Pork Barrel"

Referring to what President Hoover termed "pork barrel" legislation and contended committed the democratic party to a policy of creating an unsound currency and unstable financial condition, Reed declared "it is enough to say that if the Garner bill is a 'pork barrel' bill then Mr. Hoover is in lard up to his eyes."

"Indeed he is the responsible author for that kind of legislation," he asserted, recalling that "at a conference of governors in New Orleans in 1922 the president vetoed the adoption of a \$3,000,000 public works program."

Senator Reed said the Garner bill "simply puts this proposal of Mr. Hoover into effect." "For the man who was the author of these very schemes to now denounce those who carry them into effect is as unjustifiable as for a man to deny the paternity of his own child and turn against one who gave it protection."

The former senator said the president in his Des Moines speech and elsewhere has told the people that he has plans to restore prosperity and that these plans will certainly work. "It will be observed, however," Reed said, "that none of them can be demonstrated until after the election. We are asked to accept, therefore, is Mr. Hoover's prophecies."

PEAS CAUSE STRIKE

LONDON.—The size of peas has caused a strike here. The peas were so small that pea shellers struck for more money, complaining that it takes longer to shell a quart of small peas than it does a quart of large ones.

JUST STARTING OUT

KNOXVILLE.—Fifty-four and sixty-three, in the persons of Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner and William P. Wampler, were wed here after a whirlwind courtship that lasted three months. Mrs. Wagner has two sons.

SPECIAL PLANE AIDS STUDY OF AIR BACTERIA

BOSTON, Oct. 11. (UP)—Bacteria, which make their abode some five miles above the earth, are being studied in a specially designed airplane owned by Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The plane, adapted for scientific research by members of the staff of meteorology at the Institute, is larger than a ship used by Technology in meteorological studies during the past year.

Its cabin is a complete laboratory. Instruments record temperature, humidity, and atmospheric pressure. A section near the pilot's seat is completely enclosed in glass giving virtually unobstructed vision in every direction. A specially designed hatch in the top of the fuselage permits an observer to stand up for an unobstructed view above the ship.

Five Miles Above Earth

Daily flights to a height of five miles above New England are planned.

The ship carries every instrument of navigation known to aviation. Research already begun, and to be continued this winter, includes observation of cloud formations and the motion of air currents in the strata of turbulence encountered up to a few thousand feet above the earth. Better understanding of the vertical structure of the atmosphere is expected to result.

Study Air Life

In co-operation with members of the staff of the department of biology and public health a study of insects, bacteria and the spores of fungus plant diseases in the upper levels of the atmosphere already has started and further work is planned.

Preliminary studies revealed that some bacteria and molds are to be found at altitudes as high as 15,000 feet above the earth, their natural habitat. A gypsy moth was captured 3,000 feet above the forests of southeastern New England during a flight in co-operation with scientists who are studying gypsy moth control.

INK, INK

TOLEDO.—Pigs are pigs, and rumble seats are rumble seats, but when the name of a piggy in distress comes from a rumble seat, it's high time to investigate. Deputy Sheriff James Farley of Berkey, Ohio, believes. He has found thieves are stealing pigs here and hauling them away in the rumble seats of their cars. Squeals coming from rumble seats excited the suspicion of farmers.

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ANSWERS TO TODAY'S THREE GUESSES

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