

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Fair tonight, Saturday partly cloudy.

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When they're prejudiced against you, you've got no chance.—Al Capone.

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POSSIBILITY MORE ETEX TROOPS

Japanese Advance Slowly; Air Armada Takes Big Toll

NATIONS SEND NEW WARNING

Soviet Testy at Jap Interference on Frontiers

TOKYO, Feb. 26. (UP)—British, United States, French and Italian ambassadors have asked Japanese not to land reinforcements at the international settlement in Shanghai, thereby causing Chinese shelling to endanger foreigners.

SHANGHAI, Feb. 26. (UP)—The Japanese sent an armada of 23 bombing planes accompanied by fast pursuit ships against the Chinese air base at Hangchow, destroying 14 enemy planes, the Japanese claimed.

Three Chinese planes were shot down and 11 destroyed on the field. One Japanese plane was forced to land in the Hangchow bay. Its occupants were rescued by a destroyer.

While the aerial victory was claimed, the Japanese infantry and artillery were having a more difficult time beating back Chinese before Tansang.

The Japanese advance was resumed at 11 o'clock this morning after an artillery barrage appeared to be gaining a few yards at a time.

The Chinese were making frequent counter attacks in the face of blistering Japanese fire.

Soviet Government Is Dissatisfied

MOSCOW, Feb. 26. (UP)—The Soviet government expressed sharp dissatisfaction with Japanese plans to transport troops to points on the Soviet-Manchurian frontier and with the alleged Japanese support of anti-Soviet White Russian activities, it was revealed today.

Assistant Commissar of Foreign Affairs Karakhan asked Japanese Ambassador Hirota for confirmation and explanation of the report. The Soviet army is ready to spring a defense at all frontiers against an attempt at intervention by czarist Russians or foreign powers, General Blucher, commander in chief of a special far eastern army, told a mass meeting of government leaders.

TOM RIDGELL IS INDICTED; ARSON CHARGED TO HIM

An indictment charging attempted arson was returned yesterday at Breckenridge, by the grand jury of the 90th district court, against Judge Tom B. Ridgell, former associate justice of the 11th (Eastland) court of appeals, and former mayor of Breckenridge.

Ridgell is well known in Midland, having been in numerous district court cases here. Return of the bill was a stunning surprise as Judge Ridgell enjoys high standing in Breckenridge. He was placed under \$1000 bond, released immediately and then—overcome, it was reported, by news of the grand jury's action—went into seclusion in his quarters in the Burch hotel. It was reported he had voluntarily appeared before the grand jury earlier in the week.

Ben J. Dean, district attorney, told the Abilene Morning News the trial will be set for Monday, March 21. Date named in the indictment is December 19, 1931, and two counts are contained, one alleging that the defendant "aided" and the other that he "counseled another party" to burn a building owned by the Burch Investment company.

The east part of the building is two stories in height and the west part one story. On the date named employees of the Hassen Dry Goods company, reporting for work, found that a window had been removed during the night from a skylight above the Hassen store, in the Burch building, that gasoline or some other inflammable liquid had been poured on a number of coats hanging on a rack; and that a saturated cloth ball hanging on a saturated wick extended from the rack through the window and out on the roof. The wick had not been ignited.

Officers found that in the two-story section a hole had been chiseled out of the wall and gasoline poured in.

The district attorney would not say how the state will attempt to connect Ridgell with the transaction.

Statement by Lawyers Judge Ridgell has engaged L. H. Welch and Judge V. L. Shurtliff as (See TOM RIDGELL page 6)

Calls Soviet Troops



Soviet military forces numbering more than 5,000,000 have been warned in a manifesto signed by Commissar of War Klementi Voroshilov, above, to prepare to defend their territory against seizure plots by czarist Russians in the Far East. Troop movement toward the Manchurian border was reported today.

POTASH MINING TO START SOON, LANDOWNER SAYS

AMARILLO, Feb. 26.—The Amarillo Daily News said in its morning edition that the Texas Potash corporation will begin sinking a shaft for the mining of potash on the Jones ranch near Midland "not later than May 1."

The story will quote O. P. Jones, Amarillo cattleman, as saying that 23,500 acres of his ranch is a proven potash field and that University of Texas geologists have estimated the deposit to be in excess of 57,000,000 tons. The deposit was discovered while an oil test was being sunk, he said.

Jones said his royalty had been estimated at \$28,000,000. He acquired the land in 1908, paying \$2.50 an acre for the school land and \$5 an acre for railroad land.

Improvements Are Made by Baptists

Enlargement of the rostrum of the First Baptist church, installation of an indirect lighting system through use of rheostatic control, equipment of new railing and other improvements have been announced.

The rostrum change will allow the choir and the orchestra more room on an octagon-shaped stage, and the minister, the Rev. Winston F. Borum, will speak from a position between the two pianos used in the musical service. A new railing, covered with dark blue fabric trimmed in gold, orchestra stands in the same covering, will enhance the beauty of the church. Clint Dunagan is planning these improvements.

New shades over the lights will be put in before long, the minister believes. "We will also have a spotlight," he said. "The church service of today must vie in a conservative way with the factors used elsewhere to attract the public—and what is nicer than a church made as beautiful as our funds will allow?"

HOUSTON WOMAN IS MURDERED

Body Found in Ditch And a Struggle Indicated

HOUSTON, Feb. 26. (UP)—The body of Mrs. Pauline Caporina, 25, badly beaten about the head, was found in a ditch beside the Chocolate bayou road eight miles from here today.

A passerby discovered the body face down in shallow water.

It is believed that she had been dead 12 hours. Her fine clothing was torn and disordered, indicating a violent struggle.

Officers believe she was thrown from an automobile. No clues could be found.

Former Midlander Dies at Age of 101

Last rites for H. D. Boswell, centenarian, former Midland resident, who died Wednesday at Albany, were held in Dallas Thursday afternoon.

Boswell operated a lumber business in Midland several years before 1900. He would have been 102 years old next July.

Boswell, who often asserted that he reached his 100th milestone "by never using intoxicants" was born in Batesville, Ark., July 18, 1830. He was a Confederate veteran, a lieutenant in Trigg's artillery. He conducted grocery stores, lumber yards and other enterprises at Austin, Georgetown, Waco, Dallas, Midland, Liberty Hill, Jefferson and Round Rock, and in 1900 purchased farm property in the Albany section, Sam Bass, noted outlaw, visited Boswell's store at Round Rock the day the desperado met his death.

He was reared by his grandfather, Dr. Matthew Cunningham of Little Rock, Arkansas, his parents having died when he was a small boy.

Born in 1830, he has been described as "contemptuous of a cane and superior to eyeglasses except for reading." When he was 100 years of age, he worked six days a week in his son's grocery store, and on Sunday morning would board a street car to ride two miles to the Bible school of the Gaston Avenue Baptist church, where he ascended a long flight of steps as spryly as a youth. His habit was to rise at 5 o'clock every morning and each year he made four or five trips to see his son in Waco, or his daughter in Albany, usually traveling alone.

Last year Boswell attended the Texas Baptist convention at Waco and was given a seat of honor as the oldest Baptist in attendance.

Survivors are the 75-year-old widow, five sons, two daughters and three stepchildren. The daughters are Mrs. Dodson and Mrs. Lillie Alma Bradfield, Dallas; and the sons, Rev. W. D. Boswell, Baptist minister of Waco; Ed Boswell of Estancia, New Mexico; H. D. Boswell of Dallas; Lee Boswell of El Paso; and Dick Boswell of Montana.

School Gets Invite To Sweetwater Meet

Invitation to provide a musical number before the Oil Belt Teachers association in Sweetwater on March 12 has been made to the Midland high school.

Three organizations could accept, the 50-piece band, glee club composed of 50 boys and the choral club made up of 60 girls.

Due to the date of the Fat Stock show track and field meet being the same as the teachers association meeting, however, it is likely that the band and the boys glee club will not be able to accept the invitation. Several boys in these organizations will be in Fort Worth that day.

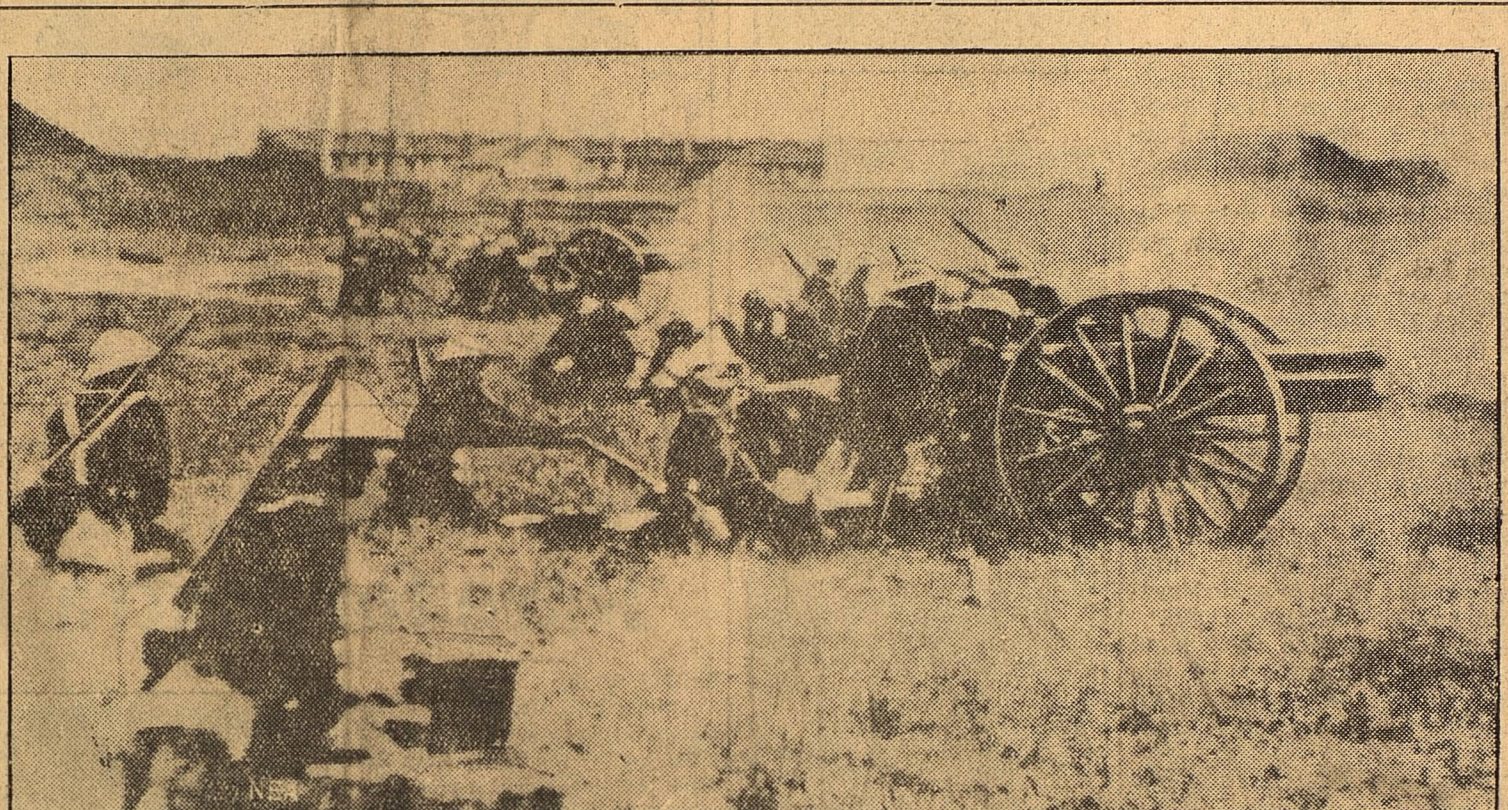
The choral club may be on the Sweetwater program, Supt. W. W. Lackey intimated.

The high school has two accredited units in music, the second of which was granted without application, and the third unit is expected to be received this year.

THEY PICK ON LEE

FORT WORTH.—A. J. Lee is beginning to think he is a tried and true friend of every robber in the city. Lee is a store proprietor here, having been in business since 1919. Burglars recently broke into his store for the twelfth time and added \$30 to Lee's mounting theft losses. He estimates he has lost between \$4,000 and \$5,000 to robbers.

Japs Rain Shells into Chinese Defense Lines



Backing up the thrusts of Japanese Marines in their battle to drive the Chinese 19th Route army out of the trenches around Chapei, the Nipponese artillerymen shown above are sending a barrage of shells in the battle zone. Hundreds of Japanese field pieces marshalled along the war front around the International Settlement poured a terrific fire into the so-called "Chinese City" of Shanghai. This picture was taken during the stubborn fighting that took place during the advance from the Japanese landing point not far from the Woosung forts. Japanese gunners shown above are firing over an angle of the International Settlement into the Chapei area and the Chinese lines beyond. Picture rushed to San Francisco by Pacific ocean liner and thence by telephoto to The Reporter-Telegram.

NO AGREEMENT REACHED, JURY IS DISMISSED

The Jack Darling jury was dismissed this afternoon at 2:15.

The last poll showed six jurors voting for conviction, six for acquittal. From the first to the last poll the count was the same, it was learned.

Given the case at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the jury deliberated until late last night and resumed deliberations early today.

The trial marks the fourth for the defendant. The first, third and fourth trials resulted in hung juries, the second in a penitentiary sentence which was subsequently reversed and remanded by the appeals court.

No date for another trial has been set.

45 Men to Toll Bell on Sunday

As the first occasion in many months, the Methodist Sunday school will assemble at the church auditorium for the opening exercises at 4:45 a. m. Sunday morning instead of meeting at the usual class meeting places, according to announcement made by George Phillipus, superintendent.

The belfry of the church will be pressed into service to assist in announcing this fact as it will be rung continuously from 9 a. m. until 9:45 Sunday morning. Laymen, Sunday school members and church officials will assist in the 45 minute belfry appeal as follows:

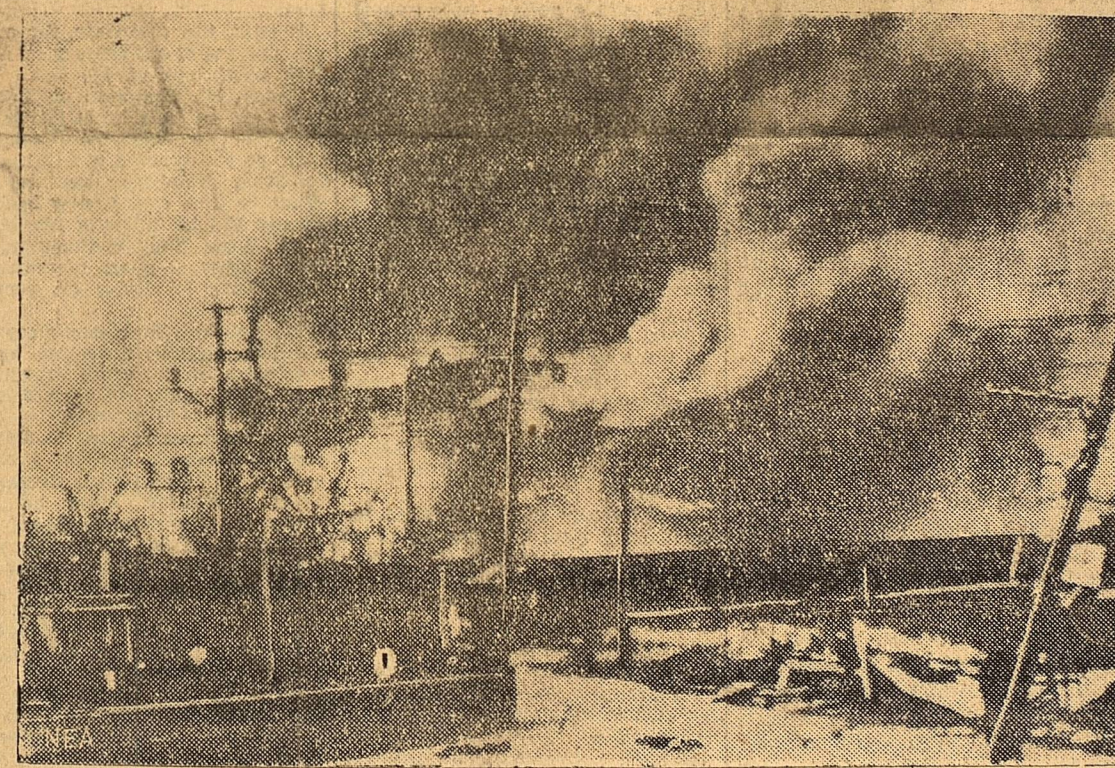
- 9:00 a. m., T. W. Long; 9:01, Fred Wemple; 9:02, E. G. Graff; 9:03, Charles Klapphorst; 9:04, James S. Noland; 9:05, Addison Wadley; 9:06, Marvin C. Ulmer; 9:07, John M. Edwards; 9:08, B. Frank Haag; 9:09, A. B. Cooksey; 9:10, Arthur Yeager; 9:11, O. B. Holt, Jr.; 9:12, J. S. Allen; 9:13, W. Ily Pratt; 9:14, E. W. Tiekner; 9:15, N. G. Oats; 9:16, A. P. Baker; 9:17, Ed Richardson; 9:18, Drue A. Dunn; 9:19, J. M. Flanigan; 9:20, C. E. Nolan; 9:21, Marion F. Peters; 9:22, J. V. Gow; 9:23, James M. Flanigan, Jr.; 9:24, Ray Gwyn; 9:25, L. C. Stephenson; 9:26, J. C. Miles; 9:27, M. W. Whitmore; 9:28, R. E. Shrader; 9:29, M. M. Seymour; 9:30, B. F. Taylor; 9:31, George H. Phillipus; 9:32, W. D. Ward; 9:33, C. W. Crowley; 9:34, W. C. Shull; 9:35, E. O. Conner; 9:36, George Glass; 9:37, J. D. Chism; 9:38, S. H. Gwyn; 9:39, Dr. J. P. Haley; 9:40, Jess Barber; 9:41, J. F. Nixon; 9:42, George W. Moore; 9:43, George Armstrong; 9:44, S. E. Greenhill; 9:45, Edwin C. Calhoun.

FLOUR DONATED

Six dozen six-pound sacks of flour have been donated to the Welfare association by Andy Norwood, according to H. M. Becherer, administrator.

IS IMPROVING

Mrs. A. A. Seydler, who was taken to a hospital for treatment Thursday, was improved today.



Chapei in flames under the raking shells of Japanese warships and artillery fire! The telephoto picture above, fresh from the Shanghai war zone, shows a general view of the devastated Chinese city at the edge of the International Settlement in which thousands of Americans are sheltered. Note bodies in the street shown in the foreground, killed during the fierce attacks of the Japanese Marines.

MIDLAND MAN DISCOVERS BY-PASS IN EAST TEXAS; SIX MEN ARE CHARGED

Six of 10 Gladewater men charged with conspiracy to defraud and with theft of over \$50 in connection with the discovery of a "by-pass" running from a negro school yard well to the Wright refinery, were released today under \$3,000 bonds.

The grand jury will investigate. The by-pass was discovered Wednesday night by a Midland man, Major Harry Johnson, who took up the investigation after school board members became suspicious of operations of the well.

General Jacob Wolters, in charge of proration enforcement in the East Texas field, brought national guardsmen from Kilgore to further the investigation.

TWINS' LANGUAGE

LONDON.—At a recent session of the Educational association here, Dr. William Moodin, of the Child Guidance Clinic, told of a strange language developed by twins. The two children were shut off from other children and, as a result, developed a language of their own that could not be understood by anyone else.

ONE MORE ESTIMATE

COLUMBIA, Mo.—And now we have another estimated age of Old Mother Earth. Dr. Herman Schindt of the University of Missouri and O. B. Muench, of New Mexico University, estimate the old dame's age at more than 570,000,000 years. They base their conclusions on the disintegration of eryolite, a mineral found in Hybla, Ontario.

Truck Driving Contest Saturday

A truck driving contest, originally announced for Feb. 17, will be held Saturday morning, Feb. 27, at 8 o'clock at the Willis Truck & Tractor company, sponsor of the race.

The contest is for truck drivers to determine who can drive the longest distance on one quart of gasoline in an International truck furnished by the company.

WHAT'S A RABBIT?

TULSA.—There are birds and eagles in golf, but Ray Pike, local golfer, wants to know what a rabbit in golf is. Recently he tried an iron shot from the fairway of a local course. His drive hit a tree, bounded away and hit a rabbit square between the eyes, killing the bunny.

BRILLE FROM TYPE

PARIS.—A new aid for the blind has been announced which will enable them to read in Braille from an ordinary newspaper or book type. The aid is a machine equipped with a special light. Printed matter is fixed under the light while the blind reader turns a crank. As the crank turns each letter passes under the light and it automatically searches out the duplicate in Braille type and places it where the index finger of the blind person can "read" it.

MRS. BARRON ILL

Mrs. T. Paul Barron is suffering today from an attack of the flu.

STERLING IRED AT REPORTS

Emphasizes He Gives Orders to Troops, Not Courts

AUSTIN, Feb. 26. (UP)—More troops may be sent to the East Texas oil fields, Governor Sterling said today.

"The railroad commission cannot cope with the situation and unless conditions change it will be necessary to reinforce General Wolters' forces. Soldiers in the field are enforcing 'my' orders," he said, emphasizing the "my."

The governor's production allowable coincides with the commission's order, 75 barrels per day.

"The authority is going to stay with the military in anything necessary to control the field and maintain order. The military will have nothing to do with the production of wells of plaintiffs securing the injunction except to protect their property. These wells will be treated separately from the rest of the field. Troops will do nothing about them unless requested by the railroad commission," he said.

The governor challenged the statement that the railroad commission had resumed control of the rest of the field. "Does the commission make that claim?" he asked.

A proclamation for the field prepared by the governor will be issued as soon as he is officially notified by a court decree enjoining military interference of the Constantine and Wrather wells.

Formal Decree Is Filed Today

TYLER, Feb. 26. (UP)—A formal decree of a three-judge federal court declaring martial law in East Texas including and exempting the properties of Constantine and J. D. Wrather was filed here today.

The decree provides for issuance of writs restraining the governor, adjutant general and Wolters as soon as plaintiffs post \$1,000 bond required for such injunction cases.

As the railroad commission assumed charge of East Texas yesterday it is not restrained. The ruling will have no practical effect.

E. Smith, attorney for Sterling and Wolters, obtained certified copies of documents to take to Washington for an appeal to the supreme court.

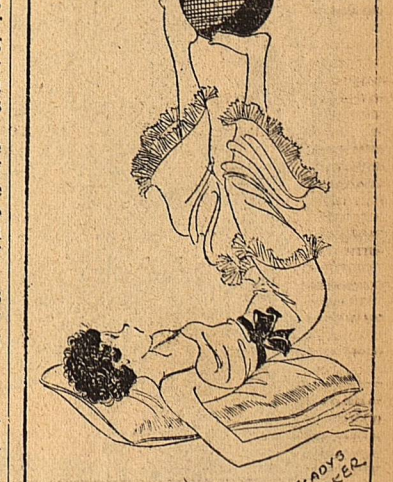
DEDICATION IS EXPECTED TO BE WELL ATTENDED

With a perfect afternoon indicated, a large crowd is expected to witness at 5 o'clock the public dedication ceremony at the John Haley park, located one block south of the Allan Hargrave home.

Homer Epley, chairman of the chamber of commerce parks committee, will preside at the meeting. Mayor Leon Goodman will make a five-minute talk of acceptance in behalf of the city. Mrs. J. D. Young will speak in behalf of the women's federated clubs. Merwin Haag in behalf of the youths of the city and A. S. Legg in behalf of the citizens. (See DEDICATION page 6)

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS

REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



The person who exercises regularly is exercising judgement.

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THE SINO-JAP SITUATION

Trying to understand the ins and outs of the military situation around Shanghai is a bit difficult for Americans whose nearest approach to China has been a dish of chop-suey in some Chinese-American restaurant.

It's a lot easier to get things straight if we transpose the whole thing to the United States.

Imagine that Shanghai is New York City, and that some European power—England, say, just for the sake of illustration—occupies the position of Japan, while America plays the part of China.

All along the wharves of New York's waterfront lie hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of British goods which New York merchants won't accept and New York customers wouldn't buy if they did. Angered at this boycott, the British have sent a powerful fleet which lies in New York harbor ready to act.

All of New England, meanwhile, has been seized by a British army, and mayors and governors have been put into office who will support the British power.

Manhattan Island is a foreign concession, ruled jointly by French, English, Italian and Russian consuls, each backed by a capable military force. The English cannot well operate there, but they can seize Brooklyn and Jersey City and thus get control of the New York area. So they shell these two points and land marines and sailors to "mop up" in Brooklyn. Unexpectedly, strong New York national guard detachments, aided by troops from Washington, stand them off.

While all of this happens, a flotilla of British destroyers steam up the Hudson and shell Albany; and English proposes that European powers unite to seize Providence, Norfolk and Charleston and demilitarize them.

To make the picture complete, imagine that most of the state governors and many of the mayors of the larger cities are practically independent, each maintaining his own army and running things with little control from Washington.

Get that picture in your mind, and you have a fair idea of what is happening in China.

NEW FOOTBALL RULES

The new football rules promulgated recently indicate that the rules committee has given its best thought to the problem of making the game safer without robbing it of its distinctive features. It will take a couple of playing seasons to show whether or not they have actually succeeded; meanwhile, it is evident that these changes would never have been necessary if the proper spirit had always been observed in the playing of the game.

The urge to win at all costs, apparently, has been largely responsible for many of the injuries that have given football such a black mark.

Rules depriving linesmen of the right to use the rabbit punch, and prohibiting players from "piling up" on a ball carrier would not be necessary if coaches had uniformly taught their boys to play the game as sportsmen. The fact that these changes were needed is a direct reflection on the coaches as a group.

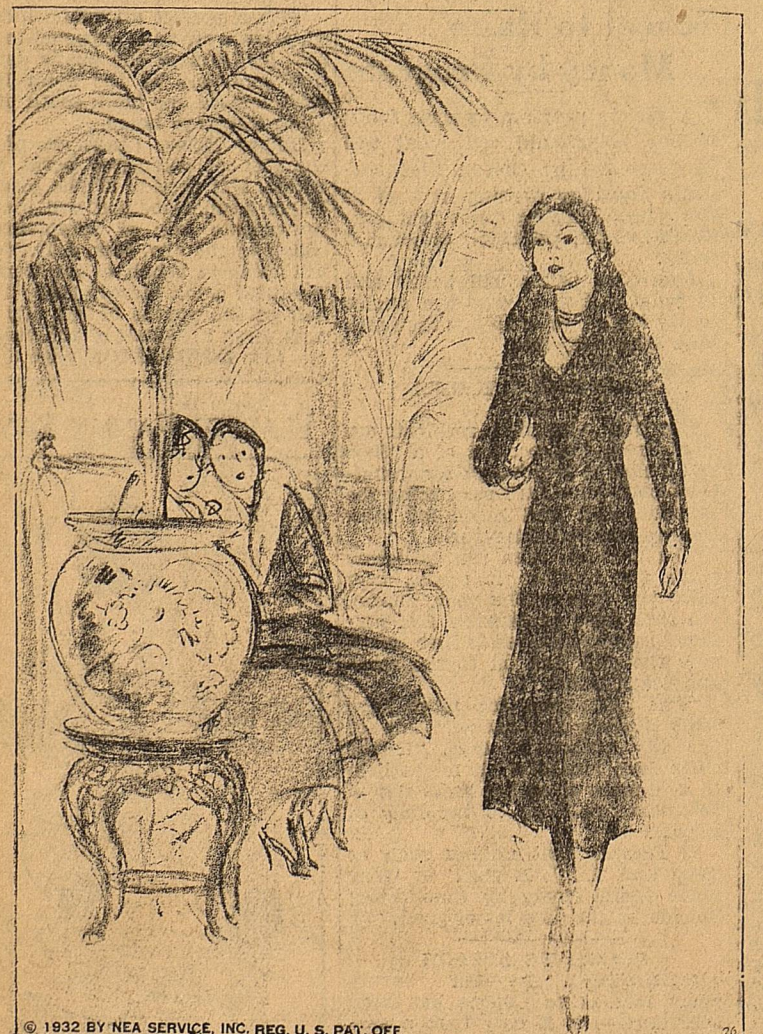
ROSENWALD'S WISDOM

One of the finest things the late Julius Rosenwald did for the nation was to preach and act against the establishment of perpetual trusts.

Himself one of the greatest givers the nation has ever had, he had the wisdom to see that times change from generation to generation, and that it can be highly risky to tie up a huge sum of money for all time to be devoted to one specific cause. He felt that a charitable bequest should not exist from generation to generation, under the rule of a dead hand; instead, he preferred to see such a fund spend its money and do its work with comparative rapidity, leaving to future givers the problems of future times.

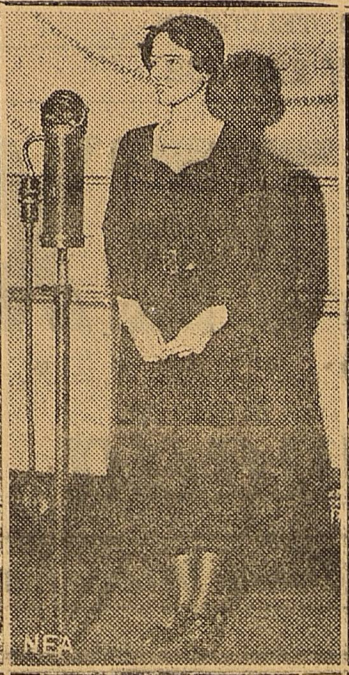
Mr. Rosenwald thus not only gave lavishly, but gave wisely as well. The nation has suffered a profound loss in his death.

Side Glances . . . . . by Clark



"I wonder if it's going to be all right to be so tall this spring?"

Missed 'Em?— Here Are Anne and Lindy Again



The cameraman made the most of his opportunity when Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh, rarely photographed in recent months, appeared (as shown here) at a New York broadcasting studio the other day. Mrs. Lindbergh, pictured above, was making her radio debut with a nation-wide appeal for relief for the Chinese flood sufferers. Col. Lindbergh, whose brisk stride failed to carry him out of range of the camera's eye, accompanied her.

"Stepping Sisters" Has 1,000 Laughs

Described as the picture with a thousand laughs, "Stepping Sisters," the Fox comedy based on Howard Warren Comstock's stage farce of the same name, comes to the Ritz theatre today. The principal roles are enacted by Louise Dresser, Minnie Combell and Jobyna Rowland, a trio of comedienne whose talents are said to make a peerless combination.

Miss Dresser will be recalled for her talking roles in "Lightnin'" in "Bad Girl," and "Sob Sister" before she was assigned to her role in "Stepping Sisters," and Miss Rowland is famed for her role of "Mabel" in "The Gold Diggers" on the stage and for her performances in such pictures as "Hook, Line and Sinker," "The Cuckoos" and "The Virtuous Sin."

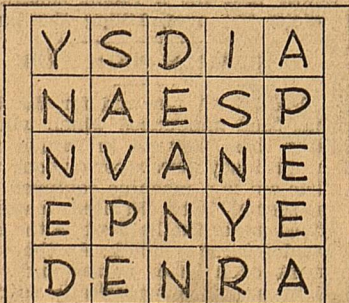
William Collier, Sr., who portrays an important role, is one of the outstanding comedians of the stage and has been successful in many screen productions, including "The Brat," "Ammabelle's Affairs," and "Up the River." Others of prominence in the cast are Howard Phillips, whose performance in "The Spider," won him wide acclaim; Ferdinand Munier, who scored in "Ambassador Bill"; Stanley Smith of musical comedy fame; Barbara Weeks, Mary Forbes and Robert Greig, a 330-pound comedian of unusual talents.

The plot concerns the accidental meeting of three former members of the chorus of a burlesque show. This takes part at the lavish Long Island home of one of the trio who has become a prominent member of society.

"Stepping Sisters" is declared to be refreshingly new and extremely diverting. The dialogue, too, is said to be of high witty calibre. The play was prepared for the screen by William Conselman, and Seymour Felix, celebrated as a director of dance ensembles for the big revues and musical shows in New York, directed it.

The art of casting bronze was known in 700 B. C.

STICKERS



Without entering any square more than once, can you trace a continuous line through the 25 squares so the letters will spell a well-known proverb?



Fireman, Save My Child!

Leap Year Birthday Cakes Rare for Extra Day Babies

By NEA Service According to Mr. Stork's official statistics there will be 6000 or more babies on the one day in Leap Year when birthdays are at a premium.

More than 6,000 babies born on Feb. 29 will not have a birthday for the next four years and everybody knows that the first four years, what with teething and all, are the toughest.

Some of the boys and girls, however, consider that they have had a break. But this was in their last year. The birthdays come so seldom.

Rossini, the composer, for example, was one of the famous men who took advantage of his Leap Year birthday. He was born on Feb. 29, 1792, and he called his friends together on Feb. 29, 1864, to celebrate what he was pleased to call his 18th birthday, declaring that he was about to turn over a new leaf and discard the frivolities of his teens.

The Leap Year birthday mix-up is just another phase of man's futile efforts to devise an accurate calendar.

The ancient Chaldeans discovered the true year as measured by the revolution of the earth around the sun, which takes 365 days, 5 hours, 48 minutes, 45.1 seconds. The Chaldeans failed to frame a correct calendar system, however, and in 46 B. C. Julius Caesar decided something must be done about it. He created Leap Year with its extra day every four years.

But Caesar's average year was 365 1/4 days long, while the sun's revolution is 11 minutes less than that. So the calendar continued to creep ahead until in 1582 it was leading by 10 days.

Pope Gregory decided to stop such an error. He found it was equivalent to an excess of about three days in four centuries, so he decreed that of the last years of centuries only those divisible by 400 are Leap Year. Thus, 1600 was a Leap Year, but 1700, 1800 and 1900 were not.

But there is still an error of 44 minutes per century. So an extra Leap Year day will have to be omitted in 4844—if the calendar is to be correct.

And somebody will lose another birthday.

Maybe the babies born today will be those somebody.

No Homicides in Goree or Munday

MUNDAY. (UP)—Munday and Goree, adjoining towns, refute the belief that "Wild West" shootings take a heavy toll of life.

The two towns, whose populations total 2,000, are well into the second quarter of a century of their existence with the record of never having had a homicide in which a white person had been the victim. Making the record even more impressive is the fact that each town came into existence when this territory was in its transition between the old West and the new—when ranches were being cut up into farms and farms into town lots.

Despite the fact that the combined negro population of the two communities probably has never exceeded 100, there have been seven homicides among members of that race.

Both Munday and Goree were founded in anticipation of the building of the Wichita Valley railroad which links Wichita Falls and Abilene. The first train to be operated into Munday pulled in over the newly completed Wichita Valley tracks on June 1, 1906, and into Goree not long after.

With a temperature of 6300 degrees Fahrenheit, the oxy-acetylene flame is the hottest open flame known.

In general, there are 12 pairs of cranial nerves which, with their branches, supply the whole body.



Leap Year's extra day, Feb. 29, makes birthdays a rarity for about 6000 U. S. babies. Above are two men who have celebrated only 22 times. Left is Rear Admiral Cady M. Chester, U. S. N., retired, who is 88 years old, but has only had one-fourth of his birthdays. Right is John W. Claspill of Rock Island, Ill., who is 92. He even lost out on another birthday because 1900 wasn't a leap year.

A Young Member of National Capital's Official Family



That camera on the skinny wooden legs—with Mr. Photographer crouching behind it—must have looked funny to little Mary Hope Hurley. Anyhow, the daughter of the Secretary of War displayed her most engaging smile when this picture was taken of her in her perambulator in Washington.

The Town Quack

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

That needle beer was invented to sew wild oats with. Constable Raleigh D. Lee told me of the most effective carbon remover. A negro man, he said, chased his wife's dusky boy friend out of the house post haste.

And then there was the old maid who listened with a visible quiver of excitement when her personal maid told her the vice squad was hammering at her door.

The only thing that remains for the Japanese to claim at Shanghai is that they sent troops in to insure an orderly ejection.

In modern politics, the ideal candidate is the man who is such an agile fence-sitter that he disagrees with nobody.

If a slap on the wrist by the League of Nations can make Japan hesitate, just think what a kick in the pants would do.

Japan can't conquer China, a politician says. The Japs might answer, "and neither can the Chinese."

One reason Europe can't stand another war is that they haven't decided yet who won the last one.

Now they tell us that the word gigolo used to mean a small musical instrument. Whatever it used to mean, this depression is still a pain in the neck.

Our marrying judge told me that many a couple nowadays gets along without a hitch.

Oh, yeah? Herbert is accredited with another wisecrack. He told me

Average Cost for Yard Beautification Only \$1.05, Miss Inez Derryberry Says

The satisfaction of living in a home set amidst trees and shrubs and flowers, and against a background of green lawn, far exceeded the small sum it cost to develop such surroundings, say the 11,970 farm women and girls who beautified farm yards in Texas last year. An average investment of \$1.05 in cash made life pleasanter and in many cases added to the sale value of the farm. It is revealed in hundreds of stories written by them and submitted in annual reports by home demonstration agents in 99 counties to the extensive service of Texas A. & M. college.

"East or west or north or south," declares Miss Inez Derryberry, extension specialist in landscape art, and a sister of Miss Genevieve Derryberry of Midland, "farm people have discovered that there is no need of living in ugly surroundings as long as the woods and prairies are full of native trees and shrubs to be had for the transplanting. They have found also that merely moving back a few fences, repairing gates, underpinning houses, leveling yards or clearing rubbish out of yards makes a big difference in the feeling toward home.

"Of the 222,653 trees and shrubs planted by cooperating women and girls who kept records, 58 per cent came from woods and fields at no cost except the labor of transplanting," Miss Derryberry says. "This is one reason why home demonstration agents are able to show so much improvement in yard beautification work at such low cost. In the eastern half of Texas some of the native plants that are worth transplanting at this time of the year are red bud, dog wood, coral berry, buck eye, sumac, retama, winter berry, red haw, youpon, cherry laurel, and wild myrtle.

"In West Texas native plants suitable for use in yards include salt cedar, bear grass, agarita, mesquite, native cedar and wild plum."

FOENQUINOS' plans construction of such an island—when he gets the money—as a station for air liners crossing the ocean. He has found a place only 200 feet deep and proposes to sink there a ring of 36 huge caissons. These would be the foundation of the island.

Today's Variety Bazaar

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Clues include: Head of Federal Reconstruction Corporation, Ex-governor general of the Philippines, Little devil, Asylum, Wand, Contended, Platform in a theater, Measures of cloth, Mexican pine, Not closed, To percolate, Bar used to stir fire, Pronoun, Foretaken, Sea mile, Bill of fare, Verbs, Trees, Cow-headed goddess, Pointed, Tumultuous, Yesterdays answer, Disturbance, Titles, Scabies, Short cask, Pleasing sound, The tip, Falling in duty, In poorer health, To come in, To build, Before, To harden, Pattern block, Tanning vessels, Within, Chessarts, Dark-colored spot on the skin, Corvine bird, Molding, To refute, To betroth, Walks un-

SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

California Visitors Are Honor Guests At Thursday Club Party Given by Mrs. Jack Hazeltine; Spring Shades Used

Entertaining to honor members of the Thursday club and her mother, Mrs. C. Wellington Kolner and her sister, Miss Virginia Kolner of Pasadena, California, Mrs. Jack Hazeltine was hostess at one of the most attractive and colorful entertainments of the week.

Decorations for the bridge tables were in Dutch blue and apricot tints with clever Dutch girls holding the tallies of the tulip design.

Attractively covered packages went to the honorees, to Mrs. M. R. Jackson, high club, and to Mrs. Elliott Cowden, high guest.

At tea time lovely blue tapers tied with blue and apricot tulle bows and standing in silver holders were used as centerpieces. Corsages tied in the same colors were on the party plates.

Club members attending were Mrs. W. A. Yeager, M. R. Jackson, C. E. Patteson, C. L. Jackson, H. W. Mathews, and Joe Hemphill.

The guests included Mrs. B. T. Smith, George Klingaman, Harvey Conger, Allen Hargrave, Elliott Cowden, Al Lockamp, Harvey Sloan, T. C. Bobo, Miss Georgia Goss of Pawhuska, Oklahoma, and the honoree.

Service for Everyone

Not only members of the Co-Workers' club but the entire public has been invited to the twilight service to be conducted at the class room this evening at 7:30.

A committee has arranged a program including songs, scripture prayers, and special musical numbers.

The program will last only 45 minutes.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McKinney of Odessa were in Midland visiting Thursday afternoon.

A. E. Horst and L. H. Tiffin left this morning on a business trip to Fort Stockton and McCamey.

J. J. Armstrong and L. S. Coone of Fort Worth, who have been in Midland several days, left this morning for Lubbock.

Raymond Arnold made a business trip to Pecos this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Leeper of Sweetwater are visitors in Midland today.

Jerry Chestnut of San Angelo is in Midland on business today.

Miss Katherine Hagquist left this morning for Austin after spending several days in Midland.

H. C. Enas, who has been located in the Texas Electric Service company office several weeks, has returned to Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wharton Burleigh and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lancaster have returned to Alpine after spending several days in Midland at the home of the Lancasters' daughter, Mrs. George Abell.

A cracked egg can be safely boiled if wrapped in a piece of greased or waxed paper.

Greatest Modern Dramatists Listed At Play Readers

Editor's Note: The following completes the discussion of modern drama given by Mrs. Earl Powell at a recent meeting of the Play Readers' club.

By MRS. EARL POWELL

In France, Zola, Becque, Portofino, Riche, Curot and the over-rated Brieux followed the new drama inaugurated by the Scandinavians.

Official and commercial theatres were closed to the new drama. In 1887 Antoine established the epoch making Theatre Libre. Private performances were given for subscribers only.

In 1889 Free Stage societies were organized in Berlin and in 1891 the Independent Theatre was opened in England showing Ibsen.

The German drama broke more completely with the past than any other body of contemporary literature. Hauptmann is the naturalistic artist. He uses no artifices to help his plots and all dialogue is perfectly natural. His chief plays are "The Weavers," "Lonely Lives," and "The Beaver Coat."

Budermann makes a great bid for popularity. He is the idealist who blunderingly is untrue to his ideals. He rises to heights and falls to lowest depths.

Schnitzler possesses a simplicity of technique and a complete fidelity to truth. His plays are tinged with sadness since he demands that one cling to and honor one's illusions of love, beauty and fame.

At this period the English stage was in a deplorable state. Lytton was showing "The Lady of Lyons," and Tennyson, the master of poetry, was writing trite drama. Jones and Pinero are the transitionists. Jones attempts much but does little. "Michael and His Lost Angel" and "The Cast of Rebellious Susan" are typical of his efforts at portraying real life problems. Pinero wrote with his eye on the balcony and his best drama is "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray."

Oscar Wilde is a charming and unexpected interlude. His comedies are brilliant and radiate the master touch. Shaw is the writer of comedy with a tragic cry in his soul. He is the prophet crying in the wilderness. He attacks the emotional basis on which western civilization is founded. He concerns himself with three subjects: war, love and poverty.

Barker follows closely in the footsteps of Hauptmann and Schnitzler. His chief work is "Madras House." Each idea is the broken rhythm of life. In construction, technique and sincerity he ranks with the greatest dramatist of modern times; Galsworthy.

Galsworthy attempts to set men down exactly as they are. Of his eight plays, six are masterpieces: "The Silver Box," "Strife," "The Eldest Son," "Justice," "Pigeon," and "The Fugitive." His work is wonderfully clear, keen, sober, never showy and never violent and includes the best dramatic dialogue in the country.

English drama differs from the French and German in the lack of an adequate audience. Inheritors of the greatest literature since antiquity, and of statesmen who have turned the current of world thought, yet the great mass is still imprisoned in the iron vise of moral inflexibility and intellectual prejudice. It is necessary to cultivate a class of people who will not be shocked by plain speaking, nor insulted by art, nor outraged by the radiant face of truth.

The naturalistic drama has been opposed by a counter movement called the Neo-Romanticists. They have risen in Ireland led by Yeats, Synge and Lacy Gregory. They are disciples of Maeterlinck, Zola and Rostand.

In the last ten years the Pulitzer prize has been awarded to eight

Mmes. Fasken and Anderson Favor Mrs. W. B. Morison

As a favor to Mrs. W. B. Morison of Crawford, Neb., who is a house guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Adams, Mrs. Andrew Fasken and Mrs. A. Harry Anderson were hostesses at bridge at the Fasken home Thursday afternoon.

In the games Mrs. W. P. Knight scored high and Mrs. Duke Kimbrough won the cut trophy. The honoree also received a gift.

Spring flowers centered the tables at tea time.

Bridge guests were Mmes. John E. Adams, Harry Adams, Ralph Bucy, J. L. Greene, Kimbrough, C. C. Watson, R. C. Crabb, W. P. Knight, J. M. DeArmond, Frank Wolcott, W. G. Whitehouse and Morison.

Calling for tea were Mmes. W. J. Coleman, Smith of Livingston, Ala., Snelson, Arthur Stout, Charlie McClintic, J. G. Gossett, T. R. Wilson, McClure, Paul Young and Miss Laura Hitchcock.

Mrs. Chapman Gives Parties for Club And Sister

Two bridge affairs, one to compliment members of the Laf-a-Lot club and the other for Miss Grettel Mathews of Fort Worth, were given by Mrs. Fred Chapman during Friday afternoon and evening hours.

Miss Mathews is a house guest of Mrs. Chapman, who is her sister. On both occasions suggestions of Washington were used in the table appointments, prize packages and cuisine. Floral decorations were violets.

At the Laf-a-Lot party given in the afternoon, Mrs. J. A. Tuttle was high scorer, and Mrs. B. C. Girdley, high cut. Table cuts were awarded to Mrs. W. M. Schrock, Mrs. N. W. Bigham, and Mrs. E. N. Snodgrass.

Other afternoon guests were Mmes. C. N. Swanson, Addison Wadley, John T. Gay, H. B. Dunagan, A. C. Francis, Miss Mathews and Mrs. D. M. Ellis.

Mrs. Fred Girdley scored high at the evening affair and Mrs. T. C. Bobo received high cut. Miss Mathews was presented with a gift.

Guests included Mmes. Girdley, Schrock, Snodgrass, Tuttle, Bigham, Francis, Fred Girdley, David Wright, Ellis, Bobo and Miss Mathews.

Mrs. Horst Is Hostess to Wo Ho Mis Club

Mrs. A. E. Horst was at home Thursday afternoon to members of the Wo Ho Mis club and several friends who called to practice contract bridge.

A cut prize was awarded at the close of the games to Mrs. A. P. Baker.

Tea and cake were later served to Mmes. H. H. Watson, S. M. Warren, Bill Van Huss, Joe D. Chambers, Baker, and Miss Hazel Van Huss of Washington, D. C.

Announcements

FRIDAY

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. J. C. Hudman, 104 South Pecos, at 3 o'clock.

Twilight prayer service will be held by members of the Co-Workers' class at 7:30 at the classroom.

SATURDAY

Children's story hour at the library at 2:30.

Minuet club will entertain in the ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

Young American playwrights, chief of whom is Eugene O'Neil.

Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Edwin C. Calhoun, Pastor Sunday school—9:45.

Sermons by the pastor at the morning and evening hours. Music by the vested choir directed by Miss Lena Solomon. Epworth league programs will begin at 6:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. A. McCall, Pastor Bible study—9:45 a. m. Preaching and communion at 11 a. m. Young people's class—6:30 a. m. Preaching and communion at 7:30 p. m.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Mass on Sunday morning at 8 o'clock and Thursday at 7:30 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH Christian Science services are held in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer. Sunday services at 11 a. m. and Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A loving welcome is extended to all to attend the services.

LUTHERAN CHURCH Rev. W. G. Buchschacher, Pastor. Big Spring Service every second Sunday and fourth Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock in Trinity Chapel, corner Colorado and Wall. Sunday school at 2:30.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS O. W. Roberts, Pastor Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Evening preaching at 7:15. Weekly prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Howard Peters, Pastor 9:45 a. m.—Bible school. 11:00 a. m.—Communion and sermon. 6:30 p. m.—Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p. m.—Sermon.

W. J. Coleman, pastor The worship services Sunday will be dedicated to the home, of especially to parents and lovers of children. Each message of the day will reveal some vital truths, facts to all who are in any way interested in children.

At the eleven o'clock service we will give a five minute object talk to children—if you have been blessed with children please come with them. The sermon, which follows, will be developed around the theme, "The Loss of Children."

At 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening the worship theme will be, "In My Father's House." This service will merely supplement the morning message and will likewise be especially applicable to parents. The evening choir will be composed of our young people.

Church school Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. You had better form the habit of coming to Sunday school.

Children's hour, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Christian Endeavor society, or young people's meeting, Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Winston Borum, Pastor The pastor will reverse the customary route of sermonizing at the service Sunday morning. Instead of preaching "from" a text as is customary, he will preach "to" a text.

with a Leap Year dance at 9 o'clock. Circle B bake and chill sale will be held at a downtown store.

Boys' and Girls' World club will meet at the First Methodist church at 3:30.

Workers' council of Home Demonstration clubs will hold open house from 2:30 to 5 o'clock in the assembly room on the third floor of the court house in honor of Miss Genavieve Derryberry.

Choice Cooks Corner

SPINACH SOUFFLE

Spinach souffle served with creamed mushrooms is ideal for a Lenten luncheon. 2 tablespoons butter 3 tablespoons flour

He will not announce the place of the text until the close of the sermon; but it is a brief word-painting from the pen of the Psalmist, David. It is a strange picture until the final touch is given. Hear this message at 11 o'clock on "The Value of a Zero."

The evening service begins at 7:30 with orchestra concert. The subject of the message by the pastor will be "Spiritual Necessities." Special music will be featured at both these services; two pianos, orchestra, and full chorus choir. Men's chorus at the morning service, and anthem by the choir at night.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. and Training Service at 6:15 p. m. The Wednesday evening service featured the studies of "The Romance and Mechanics of the Bible." This week the special theme will be "The Great Triumvirate of the United Kingdom." Service begins at 7:30 with prayer and praise.

CHOCOLATE SOUFFLE 2 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons flour 1 cup milk 2 squares bitter chocolate 6 tablespoons granulated sugar 2 tablespoons hot water 1/2 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon vanilla 4 eggs

Melt butter and stir in flour. Slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Cook and stir until mixture boils. Melt chocolate over hot water, add sugar and hot water and stir until smooth. Add to first mixture and add yolks of eggs beaten until thick and jellam colored. Beat until cool. Add salt to whites of eggs and beat until stiff. Add vanilla to cooked mixture and fold in whites of eggs. Turn into a buttered baking dish

and bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with vanilla or a drop of oil of peppermint.

Appleauce Cake 1 egg well beaten 1 3/4 cups sifted Swan's Down flour 1 teaspoon baking powder 1/2 teaspoon soda 1/4 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon cinnamon 1/2 teaspoon cloves 1 cup hot thick applesauce strained 1/2 cup butter or other shortening 1 cup sugar 1 cup raisins finely chopped and floured 1 cup nut meats chopped Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, soda, salt, spices, and sift thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg, raisins and nuts. Add flour mixture alternately with applesauce a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Bake in greased loaf pan in moderate oven about one hour.

In winter the staple food for the Eskimo is boiled seal and walrus meat.

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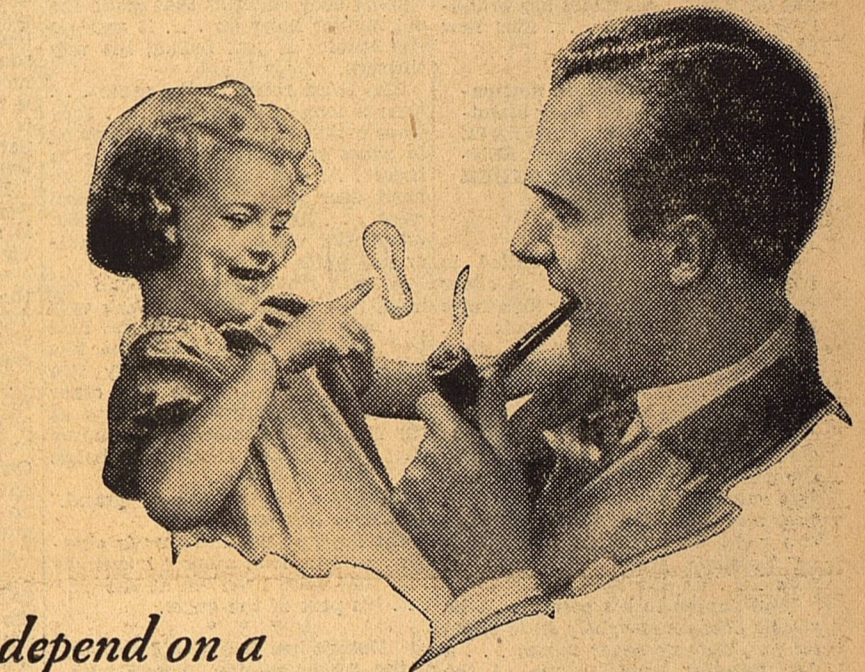
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# SECOND GAME IN INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE PLAYOFF THIS EVENING

## SOUTHERN ICE TO MAKE DESPERATE OFFENSIVE

The second game in the championship series of the men's industrial cage league will begin at 8 o'clock this evening when Southern Ice makes a desperate attempt to grab the decision over Clinic in order to pull its trophy chain out of the fire.

## Hooks and Slides

Two Pictures  
Hundreds of boys... two rings... an elimination tournament leading to the national amateur championships... short, swarthy boys with bulging muscles... skinny lads with long muscles... crowds about the rings ready to cheer... or laugh.

Here comes Tommy somebody-or-other... a nicely built young man with curly hair meticulously parted... he climbs into his corner... across the way is a wedge-shaped youth they call Paul... Tommy and Paul sit and glare.

Tommy is impressive... he has brand new black trunks... his initials are embroidered on them in red letters... his shoes are brand-new... unscuffed... nice new gloves, too.

Among the headlines newspapers might as well keep standing are: AGUA CALIENTE TRACK SUSPENDS and SENATORS SEEK ANOTHER HURLER.

Here They Go!  
Tommy and Paul are called to the center of the ring... a cheer goes up... the two young men raise their hands above their heads... a reply to their friends... they listen soberly to the referee's instructions... they return to their corners... the bell rings.

Tommy is awkward... Paul is skilful... you can almost tell by the way they take their stances that this one is in the bag for Paul... they spar... suddenly Paul brings one right up from the floor, flush on Tommy's chin... down he goes... on his face... he stands doing a sprightly little shuffle... Tommy never moves... a few minutes later in one of the dressing rooms... he gasps, "I guess I ran into one."

On the way home that night the ringiders comment: "Did you see the wallop that Paul what's-his-name fastened on Tommy somebody-or-other?"... they laugh... it's part of the game.

## JOB OF PICKING AN ALL-CONFERENCE CAGE TEAM IN SOUTHWEST DIFFICULT

By STANDARD LAMBERT  
PORT WORTH, Feb. 26.—The job of picking an all-conference team this year may be the direct cause of several sports writers either losing their minds or being shot at or before sunrise by fans of so-and-so whom they know could not have been left off by any sensible scribe.

Regardless of personal bias or prejudice the two teams will almost have to be picked from the following stars: Centers, Dietzel, T. C. U.; Strickland, Baylor; Sexton, Arkansas; forwards, Sumner, T. C. U.; Alford, Baylor; Hess and Dixon, Rice; Beard, A. & M.; Tullis, Texas; guards, Braman, T. C. U.; Murphy, Arkansas; Barnett and Wells, Baylor; McLaughlin, S. M. U.; Koch, Rice; and Veltman, A. & M. Those represent the cream of the Southwest's 1932 basketball crop.

Probably the center position, with Dietzel and Strickland running neck-in-neck, is the center of most of the controversy. Too, nearly all critics agree that Sexton of Arkansas is due some place on the team. Few will dispute the fact that both Dietzel and Strickland are due first string honors, and if Sexton were placed on the first team at either guard or forward, it would leave the second string center position to fall to one who is not in the class with any of the above as outstanding cagers.

That might he asks Ellen to marry him and she refuses. Unwittingly she leaves him with the hope of winning her. Gossip circulates at the store and Ellen asks to be transferred to another department. Barclay gives her a job as assistant buyer at an increase in salary.

Now Go On With The Story  
CHAPTER XXI  
Lorene Elliott proved to be a smart thin woman who carried a longnet and had never quite learned to manage it. After several questions nervously asked and nervously answered she pronounced herself satisfied.

On the way out the crowds chatter... they have been "in at the kill"... it's part of the game. Detroit has five candidates for the job of catcher. Young men these days know a soft job when they see it.

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position will be fought out between Braman, Barnett, McLaughlin, and perhaps others. Probably local prejudices will play a larger part than anything else in this selection because in reality there is little to choose between them.

Entirely reassured, Ellen ran to telephone her mother. Molly was in the seventh heaven. Everything was marvelous. When the girl returned to the basement to remove her belongings she was so light-hearted she felt almost giddy.

Turning away from the counter, her arms full of small possessions, Ellen walked straight into someone. "I beg your pardon!" she said quickly.

"Aren't you even going to give me a glance?" Larry Harrowgate exclaimed. "You're hanging around for 15 minutes," he was saying excitedly.

"I thought you'd never come. Here, lemme help!" He attempted to relieve her of the jumbled assortment in her arms. Conscious of Jenny's open mouth and equally open curiosity, Ellen flushed and shook her head.

"I hope \$50 a week will be satisfactory." "Satisfactory? Oh!" Ellen stammered. "That's not the word at all. It's simply perfect. You can't know how perfect it is. Just wait till my mother hears this!"

Then and then only a sudden doubt smote her. She flushed furiously. "Is there something else you want to ask?" Lorene said.

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Midland Lodge No. 145 or KNIGHTS PYTHIAS Meets every Monday night at Castle Hall over Hokus - Pokus Store. G. N. Donovan, C. C. R. D. Lee, K. R. S.

Magic Carpet to Drift to Havana  
Walter Winchell is grooming his magic carpet for a hasty trip down the Gulf Stream Sunday evening, Feb. 20, to pick up the romantic music of Manolo Castro's La Corona orchestra playing at the Nationale hotel in Havana, Cuba.

NO LOVE FOR HER  
LONDON—One of the most charming girls in England must not fall in love. To do so, she would have to give up her career. She is Helen Walunda, tight-rope walker.

Don't Fuss Over Desserts  
When it's so easy to serve one of My Bakery's de luxe pastries. Made by master bakers from the finest ingredients obtainable!

IF YOU HAD A THOUSAND MESSENGERS could you gather this news?  
If you had a thousand fleet men at your command and you called them in and said, "Go forth into the world, in all directions, and bring back news of things which will fill my life with more pleasure and more comfort—"

MIDLAND LODGE No. 623 A. F. & A. M. Stated communications 2nd and 4th Thursday night in each month at 7:30 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons invited. Henry Butler, W. M. Claude O. Crane, Secy.

YES, WE REPAIR WATCHES CLOCKS and Jewelry Right  
We overhaul your old jewelry and make it new. We remount your diamonds and buy old gold. INMAN'S

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TWO ROOMS and kitchenette; nicely furnished; garage; close in; \$15 month. 121 North Big Spring. 303-1p

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**TOMORROW**  
Your Things May Go Up in Smoke . . .  
You can't beat fire forever. Be Safe!  
**INSURE**  
in a reliable old line company. We will be glad to assist you in your insurance plans.

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For County Judge: SAM K. WASAFF C. B. DUNAGAN ELLIOTT H. BARRON

For Sheriff: A. C. FRANCIS (Re-election) S. R. PRESTON.

For County Attorney: JOSEPH A. SEYMOUR

For County Treasurer: MARY L. QUINN (Re-election) J. V. GOWL

For County Clerk: SUSIE GRAVES NOBLE (Re-election.)

For County Tax Assessor: J. H. FINE NEAL D. STATON (Re-election.)

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

ANDREWS COUNTY  
For County Clerk: DORSIE M. PINNELL, JR.

## Hoover, Coolidge Charged by Paper

The man who manufactured the adulterated Jamaica ginger extract, which killed and paralyzed many citizens of this state, will be brought to justice if Plain Talk magazine has to print his name and the names of those government officials who are shielding him.

This is the startling text of an article by Howard W. Ambruster, New York chemical engineer, which appears in the current issue of this national magazine. The Plain Talk article intimates that the arch-fiend who killed by the wholesale for a few extra dollars profit on his product made a large contribution to the administration war chest in 1928.

It charges officials of the department of agriculture and of the department of justice with neglect of duty and of persecuting innocent wholesalers and retailers of the deadly "Ginger Jake" when they could put the real culprit in jail any time they wanted to.

It directly charges that Walter G. Campbell, chief of the food and drugs bureau of the agriculture department, was "asleep at the switch" or this deadly product could never have been labeled "U. S. P.", a label which means to all druggists and physicians that the product is safe and as represented.

The article also reproduces a letter from Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, dated Nov. 11, 1928, predicting that something deadly would happen under the kind of political politics which were rampant under the Coolidge-Hoover administrations. This letter, now a public document, charges Coolidge with "compounding a felony" and predicts that Hoover would do likewise with respect to the food and drugs act, of which Dr. Wiley was the father.

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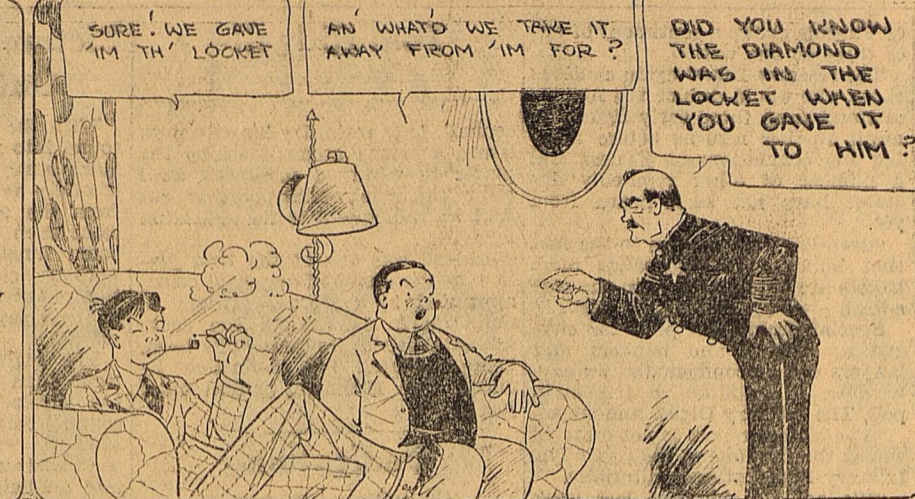
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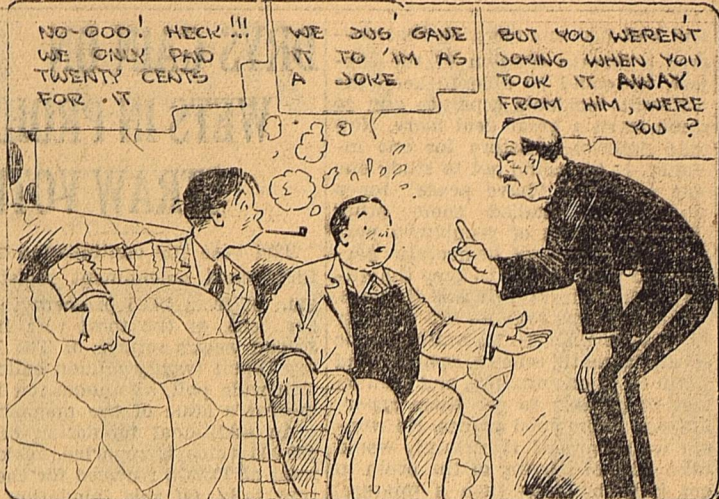
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## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

WHY DID WILLIE REMIND THE POLICE THAT IT WAS HORACE AND FERDY WHO GAVE SPENCE THE LOCKET, WITH THE DIAMOND IN IT, IN THE FIRST PLACE?



Aw!



By MARTIN

## WASH TUBBS

HURRY—PLEASE! YOU FRIGHTEN ME TO DEATH!

OBOY! LOOK! AN IRON BOX! IT'S TH' TREASURE!

THAT'S THE STUFF SPORT. ATTABOY!

HERE IT IS, FRIEDA, AN' I WISH YOU THE VERY BEST OF LUCK.

YOU DARNING! OH, HOW CAN I EVER THANK YOU BOYS?

NOW LET'S GET OUT OF THIS DREAFFUL PLACE.

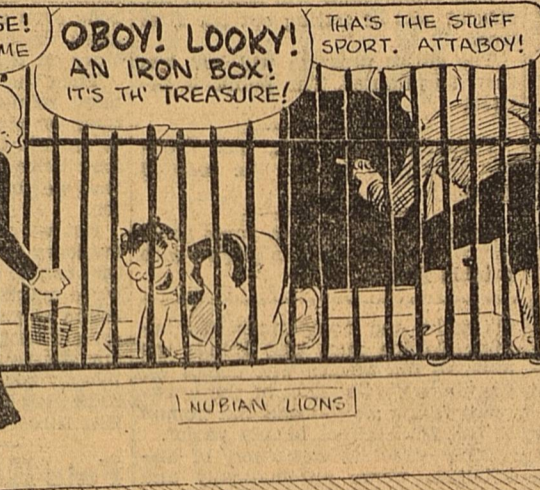
WUZ IT GOLD, TUBBSY?

I DUNNO. TH' BOX WAS LOCKED. I THINK IT'S DIAMONDS, MAYBE.

NEVERMIND, WE CAN OPEN IT LATER.

WELL, I'LL BE BLISTERED! HEY—WHERE'S THE DOOR?

AT'S FUNNY. I'D'A SWORN WE CAME IN RIGHT BY THESE POSTS.



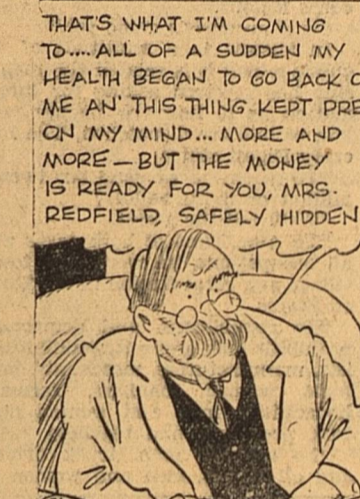
## The Door Is Gone!



By CRANE

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

OLD MAN MELLINGER, OR BORSER, AS HIS REAL NAME HAPPENS TO BE, IS UNFOLDING A STARTLING STORY TO MRS. REDFIELD.



## The Cash!



By BLOSSER

## THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

OH, SUGAR HONEY, HERE'S A LETTER FOR YOU !!



MY HEAVENS! WHO COULD HAVE WRITTEN ME SUCH A SKIMPY LETTER? IT LOOKS LIKE A BILL.



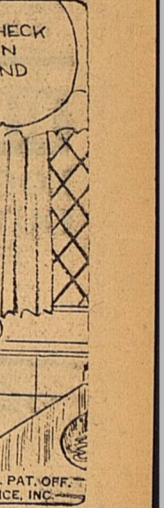
MAYBE IT'S FROM AUNT HANNAH.



NO, IT ISN'T HER HAND-WRITING—

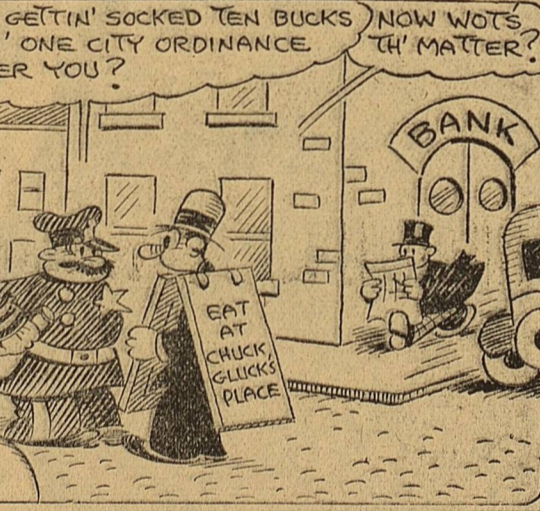


—AND I'M SURE IT ISN'T FROM ANY OF THE GIRLS I KNOW—



## SALESMAN SAM

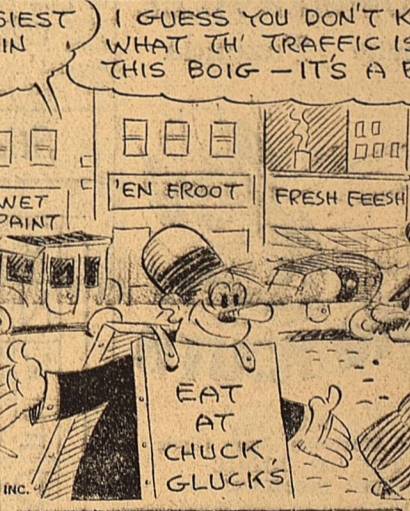
SAY, WASN'T GETTIN' SOCKED TEN BUCKS FER BREAKIN' ONE CITY ORDINANCE ENOUGH FER YOU?



NOW WOTS TH' MATTER?



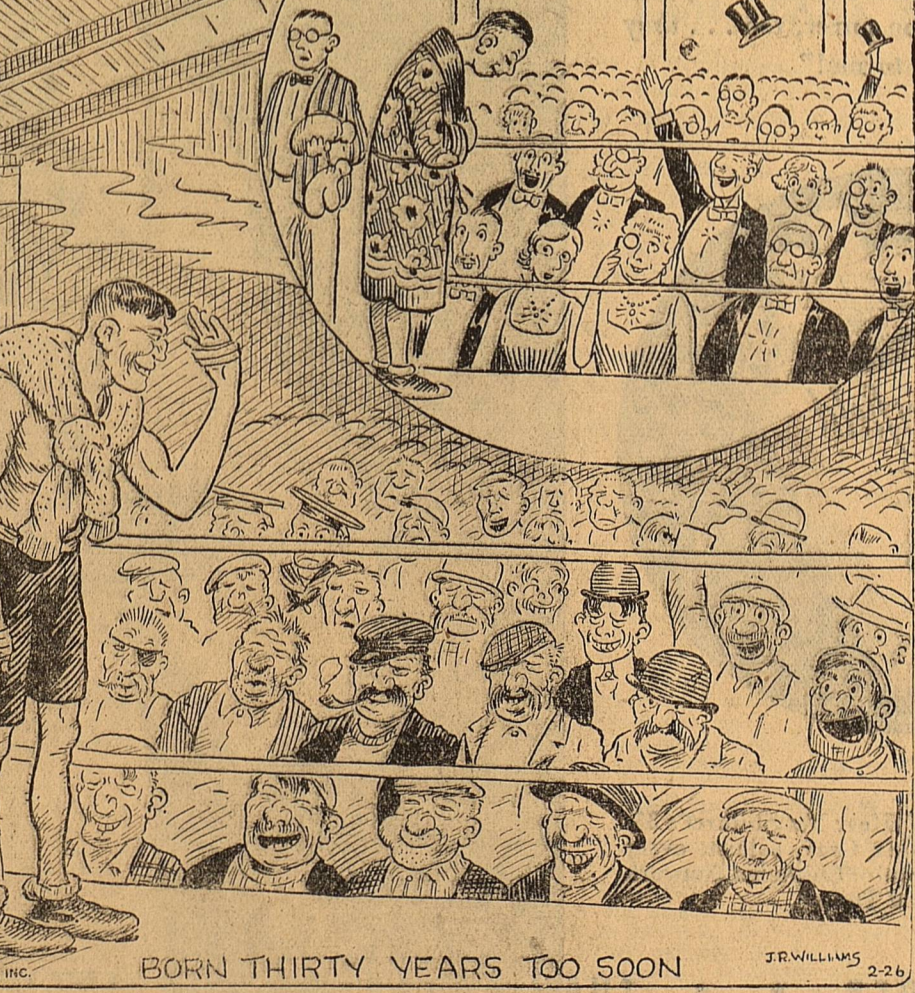
JAYWALKIN'! WHADDA YA WANNA DO—GET BOWLED OVER BY AN AUTO?



DON'T KID ME! I'LL BETCHA THE TEN TH' JUDGE FINED ME I CAN STAND RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF TH' STREET AN' NEVER GET TOUCHED!

## OUT OUR WAY

A FRIEND OF MINE HAS TURNED THIS SPLENDID DOG OF HIS OVER TO ME FOR TRAINING!—BEING AN EXPERT IN THE TRAINING OF POLICE AND SHEPHERD DOGS, I'LL HAVE THIS CANINE DEVELOPED TO SUCH A DEGREE, IN ABOUT TWO MONTHS, IT WILL HAVE ALMOST HUMAN INTELLIGENCE!—JUST FANCY, I WILL—ONLY HAVE TO THINK OF AN ORDER—AND THE DOG WILL CARRY IT OUT!



## By WILLIAMSBOR BOARDING HOUSE

By AHERN

AN' AT TH' BUSIEST INTERSECTION IN TOWN, TOO!

I GUESS YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT TH' TRAFFIC IS IN THIS BOIG—IT'S A BET!

BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

JRWILLIAMS

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School Notes

The Midland high news failed to appear last week due to the fact that the editor-in-chief has been absent from school for several days on account of the flu. There are a great number of students having to miss school and the six weeks tests on account of being ill with flu. The other students and also faculty members are becoming more careful to prevent taking the disease themselves. Many are attending school when they really are not able. It is with the greatest efforts that everyone at school is working to keep from spreading the disease into a great epidemic.

EDITORIAL

This is a week of six weeks tests. As we stated in a previous issue of the High News many are going to rekindle the fires of ambition just after the six weeks test. We are in hopes that something of interest will kindle or sparkle big about the building. Many are seen with their books in some secluded corner, trying to pack in dates, general, proofs, problems, corollaries, translations, and the like only to be sadly disappointed when they reach the room of their destination. Usually when we have studied our feeble brains tight with the different little incidents that we should have learned long ago, we go to the room to take the test only to find that the questions we reviewed most thoroughly were omitted from the list and many other "far distant" ones are upon the board. Then and there we begin to look around with puzzled faces to see if our neighbor looks intelligent. If so, we do breathe deeply, 'cause there's a saying that is appropriate to a sometimes, and that is "Where there is no vision the people perish."

It has also been heard in the halls as a general statement, "Save the questions." What good does that do? The teachers are smarter than we are, for they up and make out a new set of questions for every class and so the question saving did us no good! The tests wouldn't be so hard if we were not thinking of the grade we are going to get. If we took tests and were told that they were not to have a recorded grade, but that we were just taking them to test our knowledge, there'd be a lot on those papers that are not there now. We get all excited when we are taking exams and who could put down anything with common sense when he had only forty-five minutes to answer five or more questions with several parts in each one?

In fact, if we had a test every day

and had just one question that covered a certain division of the subject, we could be able to keep the different incidents separate and so could learn a great deal more. Now take American History for one instance. If we would get to study one while and then "have peace" for a while as we studied some other things, like rise of republican party, and dividing of democratic party, then we'd be able to keep the different divisions in different divisions. But, it seems that we are to study history, English, H. E. music, public speaking, math, science, Spanish and Latin all in one mixture, and then on test to be able to get them separate and make good grades. No wonder we all groan! It certainly would take a lot of stirring of the brain to get it to boil out such a mixture. Well, anyway, we take exams, whether or not we make good grades on them.

PICTURES MADE

There has been a great deal of picture making for the annual. Members of the pep-squad are having their pictures made for the annual. There have been a few pictures which have been taken before characters of different plays that have been presented by the faculty and student body, but the first pictures were too dim to reprint, and so they have been remade.

The annual staff has been close on the heels of the students to bring snapshots and pictures for the couple page of the annual. Posters have been printed and posted in the study halls to remind the students that they need to put their pictures in the annual. The student body should co-operate with the annual staff and bring our snapshots immediately so they can begin work on other divisions of the annual.

ANNUAL QUEEN

The contest for the annual queen which opened several days ago closed at eight thirty Wednesday morning. There had been a race of thirteen very charming young girls chosen from the high school student body. Ballot boxes had been placed at the high school library and ballot boxes and pictures of the nominees had been placed in several of the down town places by the persons who nominated the candidates. The votes were determined by the number of cents; each cent counting one vote. A report of the contest was given each morning in chapeau by Mr. B. C. Henderson who with the aid of Mr. Russell E. Shrader, kept an account of the proceedings of the contest. The contest did not show much progress until late Tuesday afternoon and before chapel time Wednesday morning. The following is the list of the contestants: Pauline Ashmore, Virginia Boone, Beulah Mae Brunson, Eddie Blanche Cowden, Annie Fay Dunagan, Leonore Goodman, Ernestine Holder, Viola Ingham, Lucille McMullan, Margaret Miles, Margaret Parks, Harriett Ticknor, Jean Wolcott.

When the contest closed Wednesday morning, we were glad to see that Jean Wolcott of 11B had risen from about fourth place Tuesday at noon to win the contest by a vote of a little over 2,000. We wish to congratulate Jean and wish to say, in behalf of the entire Junior class, that we are proud to have as beautiful girl to be our annual queen. We, as Seniors of next year and sponsors of the year book, shall have a very hard time trying to get a queen for our annual as beautiful as the one for the year just preceding us.

Sticker Solution

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Starting with the "A" in the center square and tracing as shown, the letters will spell out "A penny saved is a penny earned."

DRYS GAIN ON WETS IN PROHIBITION STRAW VOTING

The vote for continuance of the Eighteenth amendment registers a gain of from 15.85 per cent to 19.28 per cent, of the total vote in the second week's returns of The Literary Digest twenty million ballot nation wide poll, as announced in tomorrow's issue of the magazine.

An additional tabulation of over 450,000 votes is reported, making a total of 703,935 received for the current tally. Of this tabulation, 149,526 votes, or 19.28 per cent, favor continuance of the prohibition amendment and 625,806, or 80.72 per cent, favor repeal.

Nine states, the initial returns of which are tabulated in this second published report of the poll include: Connecticut, Maine, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont and West Virginia.

Additional returns are also reported from Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, and Virginia. All of the states so far reported show a majority sentiment in favor of repeal.

North Carolina still leads as the driest state reported with a percentage of 42.21 for continuance, a slight increase over the previous week's returns.

The wettest state in the current returns is New York, from which 87.02 per cent of the ballots counted are for repeal, which is a slight decrease in its wet sentiment over the prior returns.

West Virginia and Indiana are second and third in dryness with percentages for continuance of prohibition of 35.95 and 35.42, respectively.

Second and third in wetness of the states now reported are New Jersey and Connecticut, where the vote to date shows 87.57 and 84.89 per cent, respectively, for repeal.

Maine, which has long been slated as a dry state, shows a sentiment of 67.73 per cent for repeal.

Rhode Island and Connecticut, the only two states which have never ratified the prohibition amendment, are both voting over five to one for repeal in the current tabulation.

Governor Ritchie's home state of Maryland gives a current vote of approximately four to one for repeal and its neighboring southern state

of Virginia shows a sentiment of over three to one wet.

The Literary Digest again cautions those who would deduce the national trend from these early figures to await further returns before making any conclusions as Kansas and a number of other reputedly dry states have not been heard from yet.

Attention is called also to the fact that hundreds of thousands more ballots are anticipated from the seventeen states reported this week.

Special prohibition polls for clergymen, doctors and bankers and lawyers will be conducted at an early date, in addition to the main poll, The Literary Digest announces.

"The second report is not quite as wet as the first one of the poll," The Literary Digest stated editorially. "We advised the drys last week not to be down-cast, and already our advice is justified by the event.

"To be sure the wets are still away in the lead with their new total of 625,806 ballots for repeal of the prohibition amendment as against 149,526 for its continuance.

"But if you figure out the percentages and compare them with those of last week, you will find that the faithful drys have forged ahead from 15.85 per cent to something like 19.28 per cent.

"It is not surprising to find New York just a shade less wet and North Carolina just a shade more dry.

"Of the states not recorded in last week's issue, the biggest is Pennsylvania, which bounces into the line-up with 43,831 votes for continuance of the Eighteenth amendment and 147,000 for its repeal.

"But again we must warn our readers that the time is not yet ripe for accurate conclusions to be drawn from the poll figures.

"Wait until unfettered Kansas horns into the tally with her camel-corps legions.

"It is anybody's game yet."

In answer to a multitude of requests which it is related the magazine has received asking for information as to how the twenty million ballots are dispatched, The Literary Digest states:

"To whom do we send our twenty million or more ballots?"

"We'll tell the secret.

"To Americans of both sexes and all occupations, in every city, town, village and rural section in the United States.

"To republicans, and democrats, prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists, manufacturers, merchants, business women, bankers, farmers, housewives, men and women doctors, preachers and teachers.

"To railroad men, truck drivers and all others, men and women of

Tom Ridgell--

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counsel. Late yesterday his attorneys issued a brief statement asking the public to withhold judgment until after the trial, and pointing out that an indictment is no indication of guilt.

Ridgell was one of the first justices of the Eastland appellate court, appointed by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson in 1925 when the court was established. He served one term, being defeated for re-election by Judge J. E. Hickman, present chief justice.

Dedication--

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Mrs. John Haley will perform the official acts of setting out the first tree. The entire program will last less than 30 minutes. The public is invited.

Pyramid Lake, Nev., has dropped nearly 55 feet in the past 60 years.

In parts of Ireland a game similar to mumblety-peg is played with a table fork.

All ranks and occupations and beliefs. To the man who brings the milk, to the woman who comes for the wash, to the man of the cross-roads filling station and the woman of the Main street beauty parlor.

"Our elaborate machinery of distribution works automatically and makes no distinctions.

"The result is as so many observers have remarked, a veritable slice of American life. And a very big slice, too.

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The second report of The Literary Digest prohibition poll taken two years ago at approximately the same time of the year, asking three questions instead of two, showed a poll of 703,935 votes, of which 191,999 were for enforcement; 224,141 for modification; and 287,895 for repeal of the prohibition amendment.

Pictures Moving Out of Doors Now

With the coming of dialogue and sound into motion pictures, the formerly hardy camera, which had successfully weathered sun and storm from the equator to the Pole, became such a sensitive plant that it could function only in a concrete hothouse called a sound stage. Motion pictures went indoors and stayed there, says Phil Rosen, famous director.

The night club cycle came and went, then the gangster cycle, then the gigolo cycle. Those delicate sound effects couldn't be gotten outside the studio, so pictures dealt with a strange race of indoor men, and audiences wondered what had become of the mountains, the plains and the sunsets. Cameraman automatically faded out whenever anybody even approached a door. They knew there wasn't going to be any story on the other side.

Then the sound engineers gave us more robust mechanisms. We put them on big trucks, and started out to see what we could get. It was so long since we had been out at all that we got sun-burned in mid-winter.

But we came back with the great outdoors and the element of action that can be gotten nowhere else. Now we're making Western pictures with sound as good as any from the concrete conservatories. And once again our stories are real motion pictures, like my current Hoot Gibson special, "The Gay Buckaroo," playing at the Ritz theatre Saturday.

Fate Kind to the Film Principals

A strange thing is fate. Four of the principals in "Racing Youth," at the Ritz theatre today, started in the moving picture field as extras. Three of them moved to California when they were less than nine years old, and thus were in a preferred position to enter the films. Just fate.

Slim Summerville, who was never fatter than he is in "Racing Youth," was taken by a prize-fighter friend to the old Keystone lot to make his first picture. His pathetic appearance secured the first prominent extra job the films ever offered. Louise Fazenda also came up from the ranks of extras in the old Crystal company, which was part of the Universal organization, back in 1912. Frank Albertson sought for movie extra parts to eke out the small pittance he was get-

ting in the laboratory department of Famous Players. Eddie Phillips was picked out of the extra mob by Carl Laemmle Jr., to play the principal villain in "The Collegians." It was the good fortune of Louise Fazenda, Frank Albertson and June Clyde to have parents who moved to California when they were very young, thus enabling them to take advantage of an opportunity to go on the screen. All of these players together with Forrest Stanley, Otis Harlan and Arthur Stuart Hull, are concerned in the cast of this fast-moving comedy, "Racing Youth."

The United States produced more than 253,000,000 pairs of boots and shoes during the first nine months of 1931. This is an increase of 5.3 per cent over the production of the same period in 1930.

The Lee Brothers of Virginia, Richard Henry and Francis Lightfoot, were the only two brothers to sign the Declaration of Independence.

Brunk's Presents Feature at Grand

"Cheating Husbands," the feature play of the Brunk's Comedians, will play this evening at the Grand theatre.

The play is described as "telling the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth—and all in a most humorous way."

Bob Rat and Cecil Renyon will be seen in the roles of husbands who cheat, and Marguerite Clark and Delpha Kent in the roles of the wives who are foxy enough to catch them.

The Saturday matinee and night



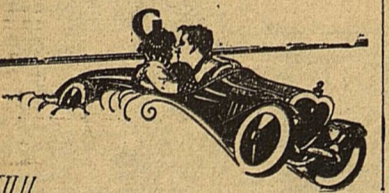
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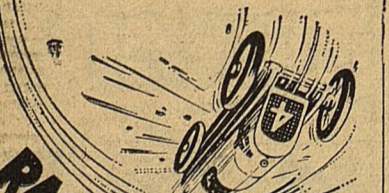
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Added "WEDDING NIGHTMARE" SATURDAY W-H-O-O-P-E-E!

The Champion of the West Hoot GIBSON in THE GAY BUCKAROO Hey Kids! Bring Dad and Mother on down. STARTING SUNDAY

SALLY EILERS DUNN JAMES DUNN SWEETHEARTS OF "BAD GIRL" Dance Team FOX PICTURE PREVIEW SAT. NITE 11:15

GRAND TONIGHT BEST SOUND IN TOWN BRUNK'S COMEDIANS Present Feature Play of the Week "HUSBANDS" "CHEATING" Every married person and every single person and everyone who knows anyone who is married should see this picture. DOUBLE SHOW ALL DAY SATURDAY Matinee & Night BRUNK'S On the Stage "THE HUMBAG" on the Screen TOM TYLER "WEST OF CHEYENNE" BRUNK'S SPECIAL OWL SHOW 11 p. m. Sat. Nite

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