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'Security' for Farmers Asked by FDR

Common Man's Right Is Imperiled by Revision Of Court, Lawyer Says

Fill Out and Send in This Ballot

Supreme Court Poll Editor:
Reporter-Telegram
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President Roosevelt has asked Congress to pass a law providing that when a federal judge who has been a judge 10 years or more reaches the age of 70 and does not retire within six months thereafter, the president shall appoint an additional judge to his court. This law, under present conditions, would require the president to add six justices to the United States Supreme Court.

My vote on this proposal is registered here:

I am in favor of the plan ☐ I am against the plan ☐

NOTE: MARK IN ONLY ONE SQUARE, ABOVE

Name .....

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To determine the sentiment of Reporter-Telegram readers on President Roosevelt's proposal to revamp the supreme court, The Reporter-Telegram, in co-operation with 700 other U. S. newspapers served by NEA Service, Inc., is taking a poll on the question. Use the ballot at the right to cast your vote. Yesterday, Robert H. Jackson, assistant United States attorney general, presented arguments favoring the Roosevelt proposal, in an article in these columns. In the accompanying article, Frederick H. Stinchfield, president of the American Bar Association, presents arguments against the president's proposal.

By F. H. STINCHFIELD
President, American Bar Association

You have noted the proposal. Be sure you are clear on it. For you are one of the 130,000,000 Americans whose rights congress is told to give away.

You and Americans before you have had these rights for 150 years. Your ancestors didn't give them up; if your children haven't them, it will be because you have surrendered them.



Stinchfield

This is what is to be done, from your standpoint; the court is to be changed by the proposed law. How? Let's see if it isn't perfectly plain.

There are nine members of the supreme court. Six more men will be chosen by the president. When asked to decide, at least three of the present nine justices have, almost every time, upheld these new laws. Add the six justices to be chosen. You have nine, more than a majority.

Some of the present nine might resign if the law is passed; they would feel that the court's power had forever gone, surrendered to the president.

For the court to act merely as the mouthpiece of the executive would destroy every chance to perform its duties independently, the only way in which patriotic, sincere judges could act. The new supreme court building had as well be made a new wing of the White House. The third branch of our government would have disappeared.

You vote on this ballot. You also vote at elections. You have faith in your vote. You don't wish to give up the right to vote on any issue where your voice ought to be heard. Very well. Let's see what is now proposed.

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A SAFEGUARD TO RIGHTS

NRA was said by the supreme court to be unconstitutional; that is, NRA wasn't a law at all because it violated certain of your rights; that you and the state where you live hadn't given congress the power to pass any such law.

The rights destroyed by that act are still yours; yours, personally, and your state's. Congress was ready to, and tried to surrender your rights, reserved in the constitution.

The supreme court forbade the destruction of your rights. Only you could do that, and you hadn't been given a chance to agree.

Regarding perhaps a dozen more laws, congress was again told to repair its way and not to be so free with your rights. Your protection on each occasion was the supreme court, sometimes by a bare majority.

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URGES VOTERS TO SPEAK

Now, what is said to congress? This:

"What you've tried to do these many times, you can do after this with complete freedom—if you will pass a law giving the president the power by appointment of additional judges. These new judges will change a minority of the supreme court to a majority. Presto! The constitution isn't what it used to be, and you, congress, can cease thinking about it. The teacher who told you to be quiet will now say, 'Let's go!'"

You, the voter, may want it so. No one knows. We have no way of finding out whether or not you like the constitution, and the rights under it which you didn't give up.

But we would rather you told us than have congress tell you what you would say, if you had a chance to speak. Some of us don't like gossip or hearsay, anyhow. We want to hear you tell us your story. The word of congress about you doesn't satisfy us.

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AMENDMENT, NATURAL PROCESS

Now the strange thing about all this is that you aren't asked to speak. Why not? I'm inclined to believe it's because you'll say "No"; that you guess government is powerful enough already, and that what powers you have kept to date you think you'd better keep a while longer.

But it is odd, isn't it, that you aren't asked? The constitution is clear enough on that matter. It provides, in a separate article all its own, how it can be amended, what should be done when a government, greedy for more power, wants you to surrender the rights you didn't choose to give up when you agreed to the constitution.

The constitution says with reference, perhaps a score of times, that to amend the constitution both branches of congress must make the exact proposal by a two-thirds vote and then have three-fourths of the states ratify what congress did.

You might have said originally that you wouldn't give up any more of your rights under any circumstances; that you agreed to surrender part of your personal rights only because it seemed necessary in order to establish the federal government, and that you'd never yield any further rights. But you did in fact say that you would give up more rights if two-thirds of congress and three-fourths of the states agreed.

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NO TIME FOR "VENTRILOQUIST"

Well, shouldn't you now be heard when what you kept is to be taken from you? Are you willing that congress, without consulting the states, and by a mere majority, accomplish just the same thing that would happen if the constitution were amended in the regular way? Do you like a man, or a set of men, to talk for you on a matter that's your own personal business, perhaps involving your very liberty?

I shouldn't think you'd wish anyone to tell you to keep still, that he knows better than you do what's good for you. You can even change the constitution, if enough of you wish, so that hereafter congress can speak for you in everything, absolutely everything. But you're the one to say that first, in the manner you declare you choose to speak.

We'll all take a chance with you after you have said that, but let's hear the sound of your voice, not that of a congressional ventriloquist speaking for you. We prefer to look at you, too, when you are not as

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Resumes Fight



Norman C. Norman, above, New York jeweler, again is contesting a New Deal law. This time, as a stockholder of the Consolidated Edison Co., he is challenging the constitutionality of the old age benefit provision of the Social Security Atc. Norman unsuccessfully fought the gold devaluation case, defied the NRA jewelry code, challenged the RFC, and bought potatoes illegally to test the AAA. "I am opposed to anything that tends to take away liberties. . .", says Norman.

Poll Here Stands
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6 for, 13 Against
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Revision of Court

Opposition to President Roosevelt's plan to increase membership of the United States supreme court and to ask retirement of the judges at the age of 70 developed steadily today in ballots of the Reporter-Telegram readers taking part in the newspaper's poll of the question.

At noon today the poll stood like this:

For the proposal..... 6
Against the proposal 13

The first three ballots received Monday showed 100 per cent for the plan but the tide turned with later voting, 13 against the measure and only three for it being recorded.

Few of the ballots received bore any written comment.

With the ballots submitted by Caroline C. Dewey and Robert S. Dewey was appended the following:

"We desire to protest against tampering with the supreme court and vote against the plan."

Any comment made when mailing or bringing in the ballots will be welcomed by the Reporter-Telegram. The ballot is appearing daily on the front page. Clip and mail in your decision.

GETTY 1 LINDLEY IS CLEANING OUT

Deeprock Extension Has 1,000 Feet of Oil In Hole

BY FRANK GARDNER

George F. Getty, Inc. No. 1 Dr. R .M. Lindley, possible northwest extension to the Deeprock pool in Andrews county, is cleaning out at 4,624 feet with 1,000 feet of oil in the hole. It had 400 feet before shooting with 210 quarts of nitro from 4,612 to 4,642, the total depth, and oil rose to the 1,000-foot level in 24 hours afterward. The well is showing an estimated 100,000 cubic feet of gas.

On a short test of natural production made last week, the No. 1 Lindley swabbed two and a half barrels of oil per hour. It topped the main pay at 4,612 and had increases from there to total depth. Location is 660 feet from the south and west lines of section 8, block A-46, public school land, a mile and a half northwest of Kuykendall production in the Deeprock pool and two miles

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NON-INTERVENTION COMMITTEE ASKED TO RATIFY RULES

Sub-Committee For United Stand On Isolation

PLANS APPROVED

Portugal Against Any Patrolling Of Borders

(By Associated Press)

The international non-intervention committee was called today to confirm sub-committee recommendations to isolate the Spanish war.

The proposals, approved with only Portugal dissenting, provide each nation to ban voluntary aid to either Spanish faction by February 2; the committee to complete a plan to stop men and gun shipments to Spain, supervisory plan by March 6 to establish over 1,000 neutral observers along the Franco-Spanish and Gibraltar-Spanish frontiers to report violations; a naval blockade of the entire peninsula.

One hundred volunteers tropped across France today, presumably bound for enrollment at Madrid before the deadline is reached.

The naval patrol program resulted from the refusal of both the Valencia Government and the insurgent administration to permit neutral observers to be station on their territory to stop and search suspected vessels, would report their movements to the international committee and Governments would be asked to penalize the owners.

French Premier Leon Blum's suddenly belligerent stand regarding Italian aid to the Spanish insurgents was believed to have influenced the subcommittee to take serious action.

Blum, in Paris, warned Italy that France will no tolerate the open invasion of Spain, asserting French patience is being taxed near the point of independence of action.

MIDLAND PROJECT ON ALLRED LIST

Governor In Washington To Ask for Texas Allotments

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16 (AP)—Governor Allred of Texas came to Washington Monday to ask President Roosevelt for Public Works Administration allocations of $9,359,000 for state projects for which 91 communities have voted bonds.

He planned to give the president a brief, listing not only the projects but showing Texas' per capita for PWA allotments was $18.70, placing it twenty-fourth from the top of the state list, and that 59,719 persons were on rolls of the State Employment Service Dec. 19. He also had information showing that sponsors of projects had approved bond issues of about $15,000,000.

Accompanying Allred from Texas in a special car were E. O. Thompson of the State Railroad Commission; Robert Lee Bobbitt, State way Commission chairman; Myron Blalock, state democratic executive chairman; Ed Clark, secretary of state; W. M. Massie, state planning board chairman; Beeman Strong, Beaumont; Wright Morrow, Houston; Carl Hinton, Amarillo; Ira Butler, state democratic committee vice chairman; Everett Looney, committee member; Lawrence Hagey, Amarillo, and Frank McNeny, Dallas.

All planned to attend tonight's testimonial dinner for Postmaster General Farley.

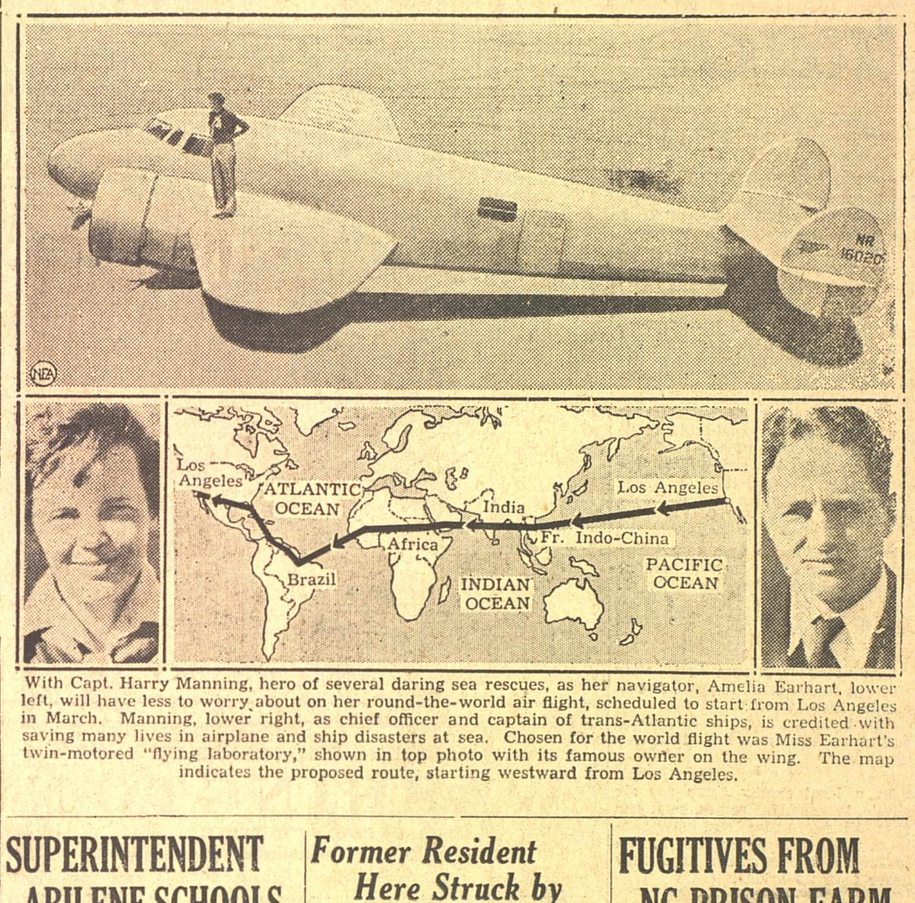
Information to Midland school board members from Austin has indicated that the governor's list of Texas projects includes the proposed high school gymnasium here. The project applied for is coupled with a bond issue of $75,000 for a north elementary school building. An additional $25,000 cash was offered by the school district, with request for a grant of $81,000 on the two projects. Approval has been received here from every department, depending solely on the allocation of funds to Texas.

Old Clothes Sent Flood Sufferers

Persons wishing to give clothing and other useful articles to flood sufferers have been requested to contact Roy V. Whaley, chairman of the disaster relief committee of the American Legion here, at the Magazine Exchange at the Palace theater building or place articles in the chamber of commerce office.

Whaley announced one large shipment of wearing apparel that had been donated by Midland residents had been shipped to the flooded areas, and that another would be mailed out later this week.

Heroes Teamed in Daring World Flight



With Capt. Harry Manning, hero of several daring sea rescues, as her navigator, Amelia Earhart, lower left, will have less to worry about on her round-the-world air flight, scheduled to start from Los Angeles in March. Manning, lower right, as chief officer and captain of trans-Atlantic ships, is credited with saving many lives in airplane and ship disasters at sea. Chosen for the world flight was Miss Earhart's twin-motored "flying laboratory," shown in top photo with its famous owner on the wing. The map indicates the proposed route, starting westward from Los Angeles.

SUPERINTENDENT ABILENE SCHOOLS VICTIM OF DEATH

R. D. Green Formerly School Head In Midland

ABILENE, Feb. 16. —R. D. Green, superintendent of Abilene schools, died unexpectedly last night.

He succumbed to a heart attack two days after he had been re-elected to serve another year in the position which he has held since 1917.

The veteran school man died about 11:30 o'clock at his home.

He had suffered two heart attacks in the past year, the first in Forth Worth while he was attending a convention of the Texas State Teachers association of which he was a former president, and the second as he walked on Cypress street near the Wooten hotel a few months ago. He apparently had recuperated completely.

Mr. Green, with members of his family, had returned at 9 o'clock from a week-end visit in Austin with a son, W. M. Green.

He went to bed, and at about 11 o'clock he rang for Mrs. Green, complaining of feeling ill. Death came a few minutes later, with Mrs. Green, her aunt, Miss Ida Bright, and Mrs. A. B. Ruff of Los Angeles, a daughter of the Greens, at the bedside.

"I'm gone. Goodbye to all of you," he was able to say before dying.

Mr. Green was 62 years old. Born at Elizabethtown, near Roanoke in Denton county, Nov. 21. 1874, he had spent all of his life since reaching maturity as an educator.

He came to Abilene twenty years ago from Cisco, where he had been city school superintendent. Prior to that time he had been Midland county superintendent, and earlier had taught at several places.

In 1927, he was president of the Texas State Teachers association, elected at the annual convention at El Paso, in November, 1926.

TUCC HEAD QUITS; CARPENTER NAMED AS HIS SUCCESSOR

Anderson Resigns To Enter Into Law Practice

AUSTIN, Feb. 16. (AP)— R. B. Anderson resigned today as chairman of the state unemployment compensation commission and the name of Orville S. Carpenter, director of old age assistance in the state, was submitted to the senate as his successor.

The board of control said that Jack Little, Carpenter's assistant, would act as pension director until a permanent administrator is named.

Anderson resigned to enter law practice.

Former Resident Here Struck by Hit-Run Driver

WINK, Feb. 16. —Mrs. Joe De Iora suffered broken arms and legs when struck by a hit-and-run driver Sunday night as she walked across the street from a cafe to the picture show operated by her husband. Jimmy Hogue, in a new car followed a man suspected of hitting her, raced his car to 101 miles an hour and overtook a suspect, J. C. Clary, five miles out of town on the Monahans road.

Charges of failure to stop and render aid have been filed against Clary and Bill Kerr, district attorney, said the man had told officers that he tried to dodge the woman, but hit her, "lost his head" and then went on. Mrs. De Iora is in a serious condition.

Joe De Iora and family formerly lived in Midland, having left here about three years ago upon his appointment as manager of the theaters there. He was assistant manager of the Midland theaters.

FUGITIVES FROM NC PRISON FARM MANAGE ESCAPE

Automobile Used By Prisoners Found Early Today

RALEIGH, N. C. Feb. 16. (AP)—High Point police today found the automobile used by seven convicts fleeing the Caledonia prison farm yesterday, the first clue as to the whereabouts of the fugitives since they freed three hostages near Vass, southeast of High Point, last night.

The trail was lost after they released Captain I. D. Hinton, steward W. L. Roberts of the prison farm and Walter Willard, a civilian.

Mrs. George Ratliff is visiting in Odessa.

Tons of Man-Power Unleashed in Songs, Dances and Histrionics as Womanless Cast Fills 2-Night Stand

BY T. PAUL BARRON

Ten tons of man power cavorted, careened and caromed about the stage of Midland high for the glory of old F. W. C. (Federation of Women's Clubs) last night; setting a fast pace for a two night stand in that stalwart, stellar production, "The Dream of a Clown." The same cast, in the same costumes, will appear again this evening at 8:30.

Charles Vertress, the clown, took the stage in one bounce, yawned and stretched, delicately referred to his night out with Mae West, took off his shoes and exposed his toe-less socks, then fell asleep in an easy chair. Throughout the entire show, which represented the clown's dream, Vertrees did not flick a muscle, nor did he bat an eye. Some thought that perhaps he had seen so much of the play in rehearsal that he preferred to sleep through it.

There was nothing amateurish about the next act, when Joe Seymour as Mr. Fish and Vann B. Mitchell as Miss Tartar threw a torrid "cocktail" act and proved that they could act. Songs and dances featured their number, the dance featuring Vann in a backless evening gown which gave full play to his back muscles.

Next came the ballet girls, six ladies' in red who, had they been transported on the highway in a Rocky Ford truck, would have been picked up as over weight. (The law allows only 7,000 pounds.) In the chorus were Rocky Ford, Lloyd Mackey, John E. Adams, H. S. Forgeron, Cub Wheeler and Ed Richardson.

In scene 3, Lee Cornelius, whom nobody thought could sing, proved that he could; and Dick Gile, whom everybody knew could sing, proved that he couldn't sing soprano.

Happy Home Act

Bob Tucker, as the gentleman, and J. E. Simmons, as the lady, put on a skit to show married life (1) as a young married couple imagine it, (2) as a young girl imagines it an (3) as it really is. The actors barely escaped the third portion without black eyes.

Claude Crane, gentleman, and Johnn Butler, lady, from down around the tracks, were the "bowery birdies." They sang in broken English and danced in broken harmony.

Cub Wheeler as the husband, Johnny Mills as the wife and George Glass as the boy friend, or snake in the grass, staged an eternal triangle scene entitled "Tea for Three" in which the husband nonchalantly asked the viper hiding under the table if he preferred cream or lemon in his tea.

In the Darktown Strutters' act, Bernie Haugen set a new high for Cab Calloway, and Truman Garrett was a typical "Minnie the Moocher" as he played the part of the dusky lady. As Pianist McAlister played the "Darktown Strutters' Ball," Haugen and Garrett sang it, danced it and shook it.

Then came the intermission. When the next act started, the spectators, to a man and woman, were back in their seats.

Many Characters

"A clown's dream of his own wedding" was the title of the act which was a veritable mob scene of unusual characters.

Claude Crane, the page, led all the rest like he might have been Abou Ben Adhem.

The flappers, Bill Collyns and Vernard Owen, sent the thermometer scurrying upward as they marched down the aisle. Collyns, usually suave, dignified and tactful, completely "let himself go" as he embraced dignitaries seated near the aisle. When he reached the spa-

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ACTION IS CALLED 'IMPERATIVE' BY PRESIDENT TODAY

Offers Report From Committee On Tenancy

ASKS NEW TAXES 'Windfall' Measure Recommended To The Senate

WASHINGTON. Feb. 16. (AP) — President Roosevelt today told congrass "action to provide security for the nation's farmer population is imperative" in submitting a report from his special committee on tenancy.

The committee recommended establishment of a federal "windfall" tax on profits from land speculation, and broad activities on both federal and state divisions in tenancy reform.

The president suggested a "farm security administration" to direct a program under the Secretary of Agriculture and a "farm security corporation" to handle legal tansactions growing from ownership changes.

Hhe further emphasized action opening the door of ownership to tenants, providing small loans to prevent owners from slipping into tenancy, and retirement of land provided unsuited for farming and cooperation with local and state government agencies to improve the general leasing system.

SUMNERS BILL IS GIVEN SUPPORT OF JUDICIARY COMM.

Would Allow Federal Judges to Resign At Age of 70

WASHINGTON. Feb. 16. (AP)—The senate judiciary committee today approved the Sumners bill to permit retirement of federal judges at full pay on reaching 70 years of age.

Te measure was endorsed by President Roosevelt as a part of his reorganization plan.

Some senators regard the bill as a possible means of alleviating judicial controversy which has split the democratic ranks, expressing belief one or two justices on the supreme court over 70 might voluntarily retire.

PLANE CRASH IS FATAL TO THREE

Monoplane Crashes Into Plowed Field Near Corpus Christi

CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 16. (AP)—One man was killed instantly and two others were fataly injured last night when their small low-winged monoplane crashed in a plowed field near the Corpus Christi municipal airport.

J. L. Dimostis, 50, local cafe operator, was dead when airport attendants arrived at the wreck and Louie Pitezsch, electrical shop employee, and Clyde A. G. Crabtree, pilot, formerly of Oklahoma City, died later in hospitals.

The pilot apparently was coming into the flying field and banked too close to the ground, the ship sideslipping, according to witnesses. The plane bounced across plowed ground for about 30 feet.

M. E. Johnson, airport manager, wired M. F. Clark, inspector for the department of commerce, and the official was expected to investigate the crash tomorrow.

The plane was owned by William Powell, formerly of Marshall, Mo., and had been here for several months.

Crabtree held a transport license and had lived here about four months. He was making plans for t tour around the edge of the United States but had not completed the sponsorship.

Firemen Extinguish Garage Blaze Today

Firemen were called out shortly after noon today to extinguish a blaze in a garage at 706 N. Main, the home of Walter Cremin. Only small damage resulted before the blaze was put out.

Parrots will pick up simple sentences, without training, if they hear them often enough in household conversation.

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The Town Quack

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

Old J. (Prickly Pear) Travelstead of the Del Rio Evening News has a funny sense of humor. or of having a good time. A few days ago he wrote:

"If you want to have a little fun without going to a show, try this. First time you are in a strange town put on a big white hat, buy a vile smelling cigar, walk through some of the illegal saloons in Texas, look mean and gaze at everybody and everything you see, buy nothing and do not speak to anyone. In about half a minute bottles and glasses will rattle and the customers will scatter. We tried it in San Antonio and Corpus Christi recently and it worked like a charm in both places."

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I can see why not everyone would want to have fun the way Prickly Pear does. In the first place, they have lost all chances to buy a drink. In the second place, not everyone can look mean enough to scare the bar-keep and his customers, even with the white hat and the smelly hemp. In the third place, many of us don't get out of town often enough to prowl around over the state visiting illegal saloons.

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Prickly Pear has his fun while away from home. The people of Del Rio are accustomed to his big hat and his putrid cigar, and they looked at his face until they don't think he is mean looking. In fact they regard him as a very jovial and friendly citizen, in spite of the fact that he is personally opposed to home talent plays, University of Texas journalism graduates and a lot of other institutions.

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Next time we go to a convention with Prickly Pear, we will do our roaming about before he visits all the joints, because we don't want the bar-keep to think we are about to make a raid.

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The preacher Borum had better stay out of Atchison, Kansas. A columnist there wrote:

"We bought a revolver today and will shoot the man we hear say 'Yowsuh'."

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In a local family there are six adults. When night comes, each one goes to his own room and plays solitaire. They have never been known to have a quarrel. Let's hope they never take up bridge.



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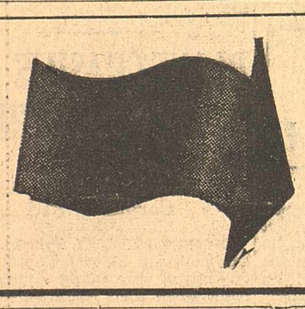
a dummy perched on a congressman's knee.

You understand I have no official standing, of either government or any association, in talking to you. I speak only for myself. I trust that you will still listen without looking for an official badge. Sometimes officials aren't so friendly to you as the people you see every day near home or at work.

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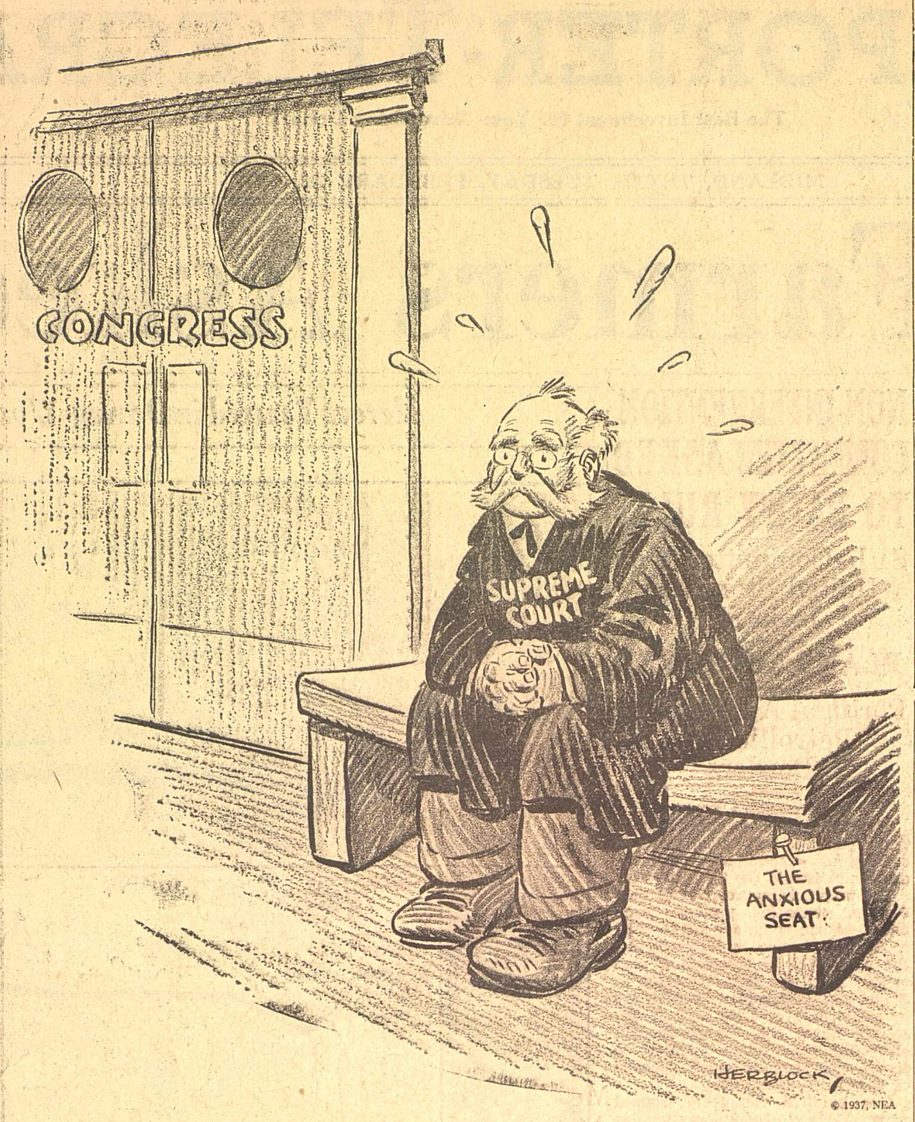
More than 515,000 finger prints are recorded in the fingerprint library of Scotland Yard.

The larva of the drangonfly is a savage enemy to young fish. It lies in wait until a victim comes into reach and then snares it with a vicious, pincer-like organ.

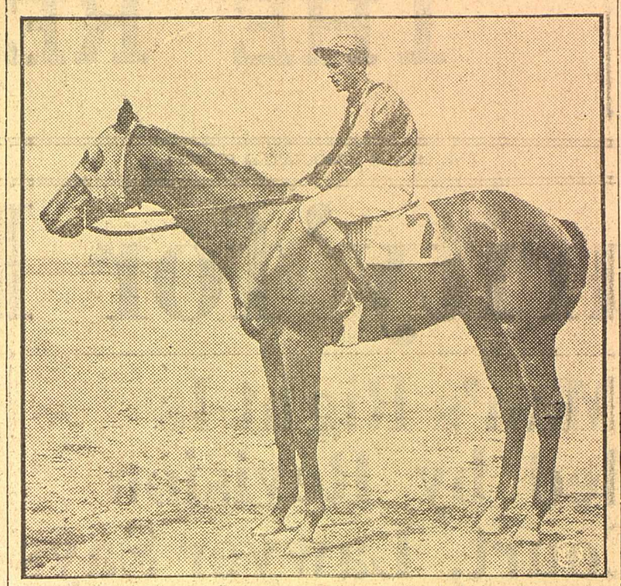


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FASTEST ON RECORD



Snark, above, 4-year-old son of Boojum, lowered the world record for six and a half furlongs over a circular course to 1:15 4/5 at Hialeah Park in winning the Kendall purse for the Wheatley Stable. The dark bay carried 109 pounds. Jockey Hilton Dabney was up. Gallant Knight held the former record, 1:16⅖, established under 114 pounds at Churchill Downs the afternoon that Twenty Grand won the Kentucky Derby of 1931. Pompoon holds the straight course record of 1:16 2/5, which the Pompey juvenile recorded in bagging the 1936 Belmont Futurity.

Movie studios are able to save $120,000 annually by recovering silver from the film-fixing baths.

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BEHIND THE SCENES IN

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By RODNEY DUTCHER
Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.— A recent decision of the eighth circuit court of appeals and the events and factors surrounding it provide at least partial answer to several current questions, among them:

Why didn't the National Labor Relations Board function in the General Motors strike?

What did Roosevelt mean by "government injunction" in his recent message to Congress?

What is the significance of the Wagner act is now spectacularly before the supreme court?

Why has the administration failed to take a stern attitude toward sitdown strikes?

The decision of the three judges in the circuit court of appeals (only one of whom is over 70) was a refusal to vacate a stay which since last july has prevented the NLRB from investigating and holding hearings on complaints that General Motors had discharged numerous employes for union activity, employed industrial spies and dominated employe organizations at the St. Louis Chevrolet-Fisher Body assembly plant. The complaints involved alleged violations of the Wagner Labor Relations act and the board complained that under the stay it was "prevented from discharging its duties under the laws of the United States."

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Would Create Strife

The circuit courts of the second, fifth, sixth, seventh and ninth circuits have refused to grant injunctions preventing the board from holding hearings.

In its injunction suit last June the company alleged the investigation would create strife and dissatisfaction among its employes, that a hearing would interfere with operation of the assembly plant and would take from the plant various employes necessary to its continued operation.

The NLRB, on the other hand, claimed it was seeking to prevent industrial strife arising from grave violations of law, which would create a stoppage in the flow of interstate commerce. The court decided for the company.

After that time, strikes of 3900 workers at the St. Louis plant and 2500 in General Motors plants at Kansas City, Mo., also under jurisdiction of the eighth circuit court, closed those plants. While the strike was on, NLRB petitioned the court to vacate the stay, urging that "the situation has greatly changed and a present emergency exists in respect thereto. The industrial disputes which the National Labor Relations Board sought to prevent, and of which it warned in its June complaint have now occurred . . . Every consideration of equity, as well as of the paramount public interest, indicates that the stay herein should be vacated and the National Labor Relations Board allowed to administer the applicable law of the United States."

The court denied the request to vacate the stay.

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Brought to Stop

Roosevelt, in his message, said, "We find the processes of government itself brought to a complete stop from time to time by injunctions issued almost automatically, sometimes even without notice to the government, and not infrequently in clear violation of the principle of equity that injunctions should be granted only in those rare cases of manifest illegality and irreparable damage against which the ordinary course of the law offers no protection."

The administration unofficially holds that sitdown strikes are no more unlawful than the threatening, coercion and discharge of employes in violation of the Wagner act.

Its attitude is stiffened by evidence that employes are placed at an unfair advantage by employers who hire private detectives and industrial spies to corrupt their leaders and betray them. It has been testified that a Pinkerton detective spied on Assistant Secretary of Labor Ed McGrady while he sought to mediate the 1935 Chevrolet strike at Toledo, that there were 40 or 50 spies operating in Toledo at the time of that evidence of union activity unearthed by private detectives led employers to close down plants and throw workers out in retaliation. The LaFollette committee has disclosed how employer-hired thugs have beaten up union leaders, how G. M. paid the Pinkertons $167,500 for work in 1935, how spies have precipitated strike violence and "framed" union men, how underworld criminals are hired to break strikes, how union men are blacklisted over wide areas.

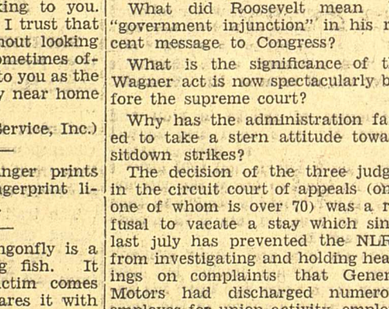
The Wagner act was intended by the administration as a mild blow agains this sort of thing.

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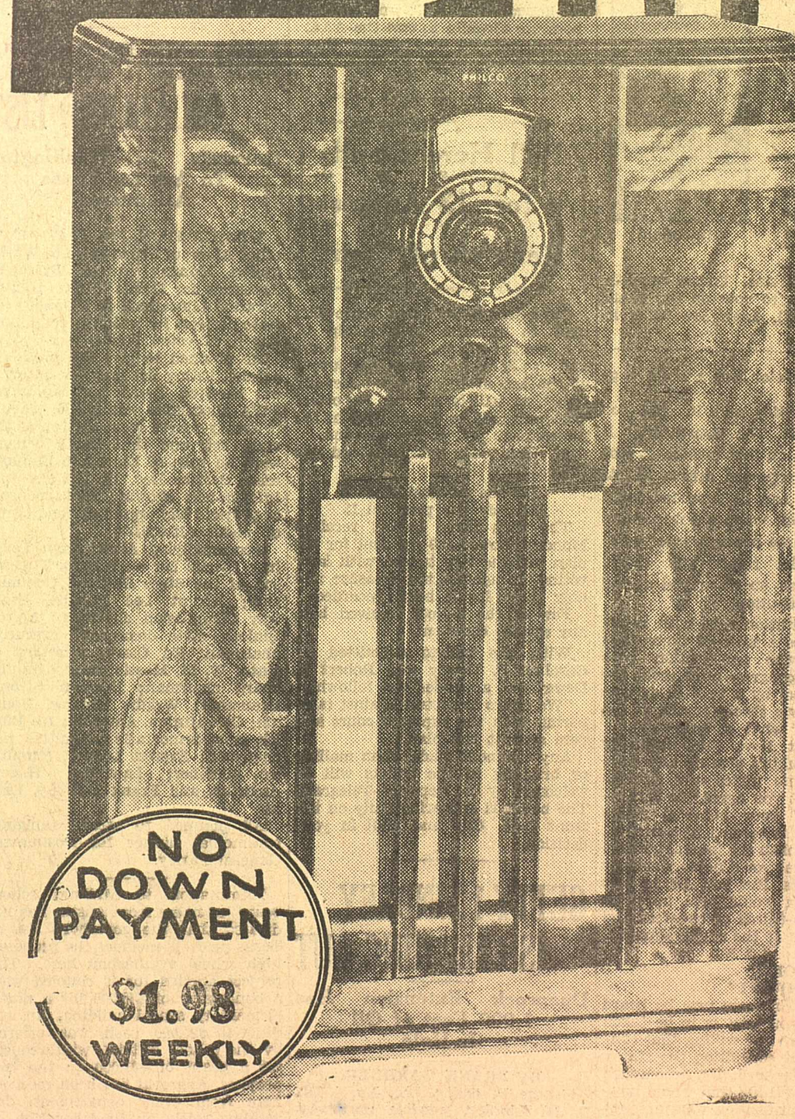
Try this recipe which makes 6 waffles: 2 cups of pastry flour; 4 teaspoons of baking powder; ¼ teaspoon of salt; 2 tablespoons of sugar; 2 eggs; 1¼ cups of milk; 6 tablespoons of melted butter. Sift the dry ingredients together. Beat the egg yolks and add milk to the dry ingredients. Beat until the batter is smooth. Add melted butter and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites.



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SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

Baptist W. M. S. Honors Y. W. A. Girls At Banquet

George Washington Motif Carried Out

Large red hatchets and cherry trees decorated the county court room Monday night when the Baptist Y. W. A. was entertained with their annual banquet. Mrs. Ernest Neill was in charge of the decorations and menu. Red and white were used as table appointments, and each nut cup contained a tiny hatchet bearing the name of the guest.

After the guests had assembled in the hall, Miss Dorothy Hines gave a welcome; with response by Elton Hinze.

The menu was served buffet style.

The remainder of the program was as follows: Piano solo, Miss Frances Mahoney; Reading, Mrs. L. T. Harris; Toast to Sponsor, Miss Dorothy Hines; Response, Mrs. Joe House; A Skit, "Cousin Agatha," by Mrs. Eddie Frank Conner and Mrs. Ernest Neill. The remainder of the evening was spent playing "Bunco", with the George Washington theme being carried out in the tallies and other table appointments.

Guests were Miss Frances Mahoney, Miss Peggy Jo House, Miss Dorothy Hines, Miss Kitty Jean Ellis, Miss Bessie Dale, Miss Edith Bizzell, Miss Sybil Bizzell, Miss Marcell Strawn, Miss Doris Dunagan, Miss Lucille Scarborough, Miss Alta Murrell, Miss Jane Bounds, Miss Coretta Everetts, Miss Madge Higgins, Miss Marjorie Ward, Miss Ella B. Hobbs, Miss Maxine Hays, Miss Olga Edwards.

Elton Hinze, Duane Wolf, Martin Neill, Buck Blackburn, Orville Gee, George Neill, Hayden Craig, Pete Burkett.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pace, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Denham, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Neill, Mrs. L. T. Harris, Mrs. Eddie Frank Conner, Mrs. L. T. Harris, and the Y. W. A. sponsor, Mrs. Joe House.

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1. Does it show a lack of good taste for a birde to display her wedding gifts?
2. Should one congratulate a bride?
3. Does the person for whom a toast is proposed rise?
4. Is it necessary that a newcomer to a community return every first call?
5. Is it all right for a bride to exchange a gift when she has received duplicates?

What would you do if—

You were the mother of a son who has just become engaged; you have met his fiancee, who lives out-of-town, but do not know her parents—

(a) Wait for her mother to make the first move in writing and extending an invitation.
(b) Write to the girl's parents immediately and ask them to visit you.
(c) Wait to get acquainted until the wedding brings you and her parents together.

ANSWERS

1. No.
2. No; the groom is the one to be commended!
3. No; after the toast he may rise to acknowledge it with a few words.
4. Yes, and within two weeks.
5. Yes.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—(a).

Jo Ann Blair Was Hostess to B. T. U.

Jo Ann Blair, 809 Michigan, was hostess Saturday night to the Junior B. T. U.

Valentine games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, with valentines as favors.

Those attending were Margaret Mims, Pauline Wingo, Hazel King, Frances Palmer, Lena Faye Shelburn, M. L. Alexander, Allen D. Crane, Lewis Wingo, Algernon Cross, Bobby Hyatt, Garrett Arnett, and Mrs. R. V. Hyatt.

Baptist W. M. S. Has Business Meeting

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon in the Annex. Mrs. J. M. White led the devotional on "Service." Mrs. S. L. Alexander presided at the business meeting, after which the meeting was dismissed for visitation.

Those attending were Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. White, Mrs. R. V. Hyatt, Mrs. N. W. Bigham, Mrs. David M. Ellis, Mrs. Cecil Pope, Mrs. J. V. Hobbs, and a visitor, Mrs. Moore.

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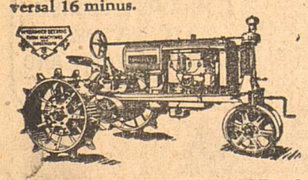
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Five of the Best-Dressed—President to Pugilist



Five of the nation's 16 best-dressed men, according to the Merchant Tailors Designers' Association, are pictured above and they range from president to prize fighter. Roosevelt, the designers placed at the head of the list, citing him happily for originating the one-fabric cutaway in which he is shown here. Left to right from the president are: Angier Biddle Duke, society man, resplendent in wedding cravat and spray of flowers; Fred (White Tie and Top Hat) Astaire of the films; Maryland's Senator Millard F. Tydings, formally in morning attire. Below is the prize ring's fashionable Enzo Fiermonte.

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Captain C. W. Bennett and Major J. H. Dornblazer, of Fort Reno, Okla., are spending a few days here visiting ranches on which the government thoroughbred stallions are located. They have been buying horses for army use but reported upon arrival here that their appropriation is exhausted. They are reported to have bought about 100 head in the vicinity of Brady.

Rock wool insulation is being installed today in the store building of Addison Wadley Co. The store later may be air conditioned, Wadley said, but with the use of large circulating fans he believes the temperature will be kept lower this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Blakeney have returned from a month's vacation trip in Mexico City. They reported enjoyable weather throughout the visit. Blakeney said reports indicate there will be a general labor strike in Mexico about April 1, and that conditions are unsettled.

The Midland area has been getting the "hang over" of a dust storm for two days. Points north and east report advanced stages of the "duster."

Homer W. Rowe is here on a business trip from the Lower Rio Grande valley.

Barbara Ann Stice Honored at Party

Mrs. O. L. Stice, 311 N. Carrizo, entertained Saturday afternoon for her daughter, Barbara Ann, who celebrated her fourth birthday.

The birthday cake, ice cream, and chocolate were served to the guests: Norma Jean Stice, Orville Stice, Jacquelline Fryer, Dorothy Jean Roderick, Mary Ann Wilson, Mary Frank Smith, Helen Louise Freeman, James Ervin Wallace, Edith Ray and Patsy Ann Collins, and Norma Jean Hubbard.

Mrs. Whitehouse Teaches Lesson

The Presbyterian Auxiliary Bible class met at the church Monday afternoon. Bible class was taught by Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse.

Those present were:

Mesdames, Lem Peters, Tom Sealy, Paul Young, Ruby Braden, Leo Hendricks, Andrew Fasken, O. L. Wood, R. L. Miller, Fred Turner, Otis Kelly, Jack Hawkins, Tom Wilson, J. L. Greene, Frank Stubbeman, Ora Holzgraf, C. F. Wheeler.

Methodist Circles Met At Haygood Home

All circles of the Methodist W. M. S. met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Haygood, 1305 W. Illinois.

"Hearth Work in the Wesley Houses" was the theme of the lesson. Mrs. Tidwell, Mrs. M. J. Allen, Mrs. Porter Lancaster, and Mrs. T. A. Nelson gave the lesson. Mrs. Tidwell led the devotional.

The Mary Scharbauer circle served a refreshment plate to thirty members.

Col. Perkins Teaches Naomi Class Sunday

Col. John Perkins taught the lesson of the Naomi Class an interdenomination class for women, Sunday morning because of the absence of the regular teacher, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge.

Miss Johnson Drotha gave the lesson reading; Mrs. T. D. Larson, the devotional; Mrs. Ruth Ramsell, two vocal solos, accompanied by Mrs. Lee Cornelius; and the benediction by Mrs. Butler Hurley.

The Naomi Class meets every Sunday morning in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

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Announcements

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. De Lo Douglas will be hostess to the Play Readers club at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. E. M. Miller, 1303 W. Illinois. Mrs. Wade Heath will read "High Tor" by Maxwell Anderson.

Sans Souci club meets with Mrs. Jess Cole at 2:30.

Mrs. John Butler will be hostess to the Woman's Wednesday club in room 248 Hotel Scharbauer, at 3:00.

Don't forget to listen to the Health program from 10:00—10:15 a. m. over K R L H.

Modern Study Club meets at 3:00 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Hill, 904 W. Mo.

THURSDAY

Midland county mueum is open from 2:30 until 5:00.

Hardin-Simmons Cowboy Band will play at high school auditorium at 1:30. Admission ten and twenty-five cents.

Girl Scouts meet at 3:30 in the Baptist Annex.

Home Arts Club meets with Mrs. Iris N. Bounds, 716 W. Louisiana, at 3:30 o'clock.

1928 Club meets with Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer at 2:30.

FRIDAY

Midland County Club Ladies' Golf Association will play at the club at 10 o'clock. Free instructions will be given by Mr. Howe.

CORRECTION: The book review by Mrs. Paula Finch is to be given Friday night, February 26, instead of this week.

Belmont Bible Class meets at 3:30 with Mrs. W. P. Collins, 710 S. Weatherford.

SATURDAY

County teachers meeting at court house.

Midland county museum will be open from 2:30-5:00 p. m.

Story Hour in Children's Library from 10-11 a. m. Mrs. J. R. Ashley in charge.

Mrs. Hendricks to Sing on Health Program

The Wednesday morning Health program, over K R L H at 10:00 a. m. will continue the series of program on "Safety First and First Aid." Mrs. W. B. Chapman will read a paper on "Poisons."

A special feataure of the program will be two vocal selections by Mrs. Leo Hendricks, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. W. J. Coleman. Mrs. Hendricks will sing "Villa" by Franz Lober and "Somewhere a Voice Is Calling," by Parker Pate.

Father Harrison O. M. I. will announce the program, which is being given through the co-operation of the Humble Oil Company.

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Dust Extends to Gulf As Entire State Gets Share

(By Associated Press)

Strong north winds brought a dust blanket over Texas today, extending as far as the gulf.

The weather bureau reported a dust area from Dallas to Columbus, New Mexico; and from Oklahoma and Kansas to Brownsville. Visibility was as low as a half-mile at some Texas points.

The mercury started falling in Midland yesterday morning as if it meant to go to the bottom but after a 23-degree drop in three hours stopped, 46 being the minimum figure recorded last night.

Dust which hovered over the city from noon on yesterday continued today, a light breeze failing to rid the skies of it.

The forecast for tonight is partly cloudy. No relief from the dust is promised.

BRUCE, S. D., Feb. 16 (U.P.)—Friends of Spencer Taken (that's his real name) believe he is the matrimonial catch of the decade. Taken has a complete hope chest, including six-piece quilts, table and bed linens with crocheted borders, tatting, embroidering, doilied towels, cushions and buffet sets.

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Hollywood Glamour Gals

BY PAUL HARRISON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD. Feb. 12. —On the stage, Doris Nolan was compared to Tallulah Bankhead. That was when she played heavy emotional roles.

In Hollywood, Miss Nolan is likened to Carole Lombard. That has happened since her hair and roles have been lightened.

In any branch of show business, even the most favorable comparisons are odious. Doris Nolan would rather be a First Nolan than a Second Bernhardt. But there is no dodging her resemblance to Miss Lombard. They look a good deal alike and share a characteristic ebullience.

Of course, that isn't saying that Miss Nolan lacks plenty of individuality. She had enough to land the leading part in her first picture and now to be starred in universal's mammoth musical, "Top of the Town."

The role is comedy and it is Lombardesque. Yet Miss Nolan is ranked by the screen colony as probably the foremost of proven dramatic discoveries of the season. Rival stu- definitely one of the new glamor girls.

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So She Signed Anyway

She is only 20 years old. That's hard to believe when you meet her and are impressed by her complete assurance and mature personality. Yet it was to attain poise and overcome shyness that she started out in high school dramatics back in New Rochelle, N. Y.

Her name really is Doris Nolan. Her father is Frank J. Nolan, a woolen goods importer. There was no objection from her parents when, upon graduation from high school, she joined the Provincetown players under Reginald Good. She knew typewriting and shorthand, and earned her tuition by serving as the director's secretary.

That was during the summer of 1933. In the summer of 1934 she switched allegiance to the Clinton Hollow Theater at Poughkeepsie. One of her roles there was the feminine lead in "The Late Christopher Bean." A talent scout for Fox Studios are trying to borrow her. She is a screen test. She did, and won a contract.

"But it wasn't quite as simple as that," Miss Nolan recalled. "I was scared to death. I was paralyzed. My makeup was bad and my performance was worse. I saw the test and ran out of the projection room shrieking that I'd never go to Hollywood even if they wanted me.

"Funny part of it was, they did want me. Or thought they did. I needed the money and $150 a week looked mighty good. So I signed a seven-year contract—with options—and came to Hollywood. They gave me about six tests here and I was almost as badly frightened as I had been in New York. But my panic left me suddenly and they said I was doing fine. I though I was doing all right, too."

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The Worm Turns

Then the studio couldn't find anything for Miss Nolan to do. She waited, and fretted, and played a couple of walk-on bits which were cut out of the films before release. When option-time came at the end of six months Miss Nolan was told that her services wouldn't be needed.

Just before leaving Hollywood she played the lead in "Daughter of Cain," at a local community theater. Al Woods, Broadway producer, saw a performance and offered her a part in his "Night of January 16th" When the play opened in New York, Miss Nolan had the top spot—a difficult, highly-emotional role which made her an overnight sensation.



Doris Nolan

The clamorously successful premiere, however, wasn't her biggest thrill. That came when Fox Studios decided it could use her after all, and how would she like to work for $1000 a week?

She said no thanks and signed with Universal. The agreement allows her to spend six months each year on the Broadway stage. Next year, though, she expects to sign a straight contract and remain in Hollywood.

Her first film here was a modest offering called "The Man I Marry" with Michael Whalen as the man. "Top of the Town," soon to be released is a million-dollar production. Soon she starts work in "As Good as Married," with John Boles. "It isn't all comedy," said Miss Nolan. "Thank God."

She's a "Whooper"

She never has been engaged and declares there'll be no romance in her life for a few years yet. "No man could stand living with me, anyway."

She goes about almost exclusively in the company of suave, polished Director Gregory La Cava, who is 44. Sometimes she makes a threesome at parties with Lloyd Nolan (no relation) and his wife.

Miss Nolan and an elder sister live in an apartment formerly occupied by Mary Astor. "I can cook if I have to," said the actress. "Also I'm a neat duster. I read a lot, write a bit. What do I read? Well, I've got a scrap book full of little essays—the way things strike me, and stuff. No, I'll never do anything with them."

In New Rochelle her nickname was "Skeeter" because she never was still. Out here she is lazy about sports but rides some. Doesn't like games, except double solitaire, which she says is called "Hell" even in the politest circles. She likes that because it gives her a chance to scream.

Screaming is one of the best things Miss Nolan does. She also has an explosive laugh that can be heard all over the lot. "It's an inherited handicap," she said ruefully. "We're all a family of whoopers. They won't let me laugh on the screen. I blow out the tubes in the sound-recording machine.

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Throws Hair Brushes

She is on a diet and hates it. When I lunched with her she nibbled at two raw carrots and some lettuce and looked at my steak with such ineffable yearning that I could scarcely choke it down. She is 5 feet 5 inches tall and weighs 118 pounds. She weighed 130 when she came to Hollywood, "but that was before the glamor business began."

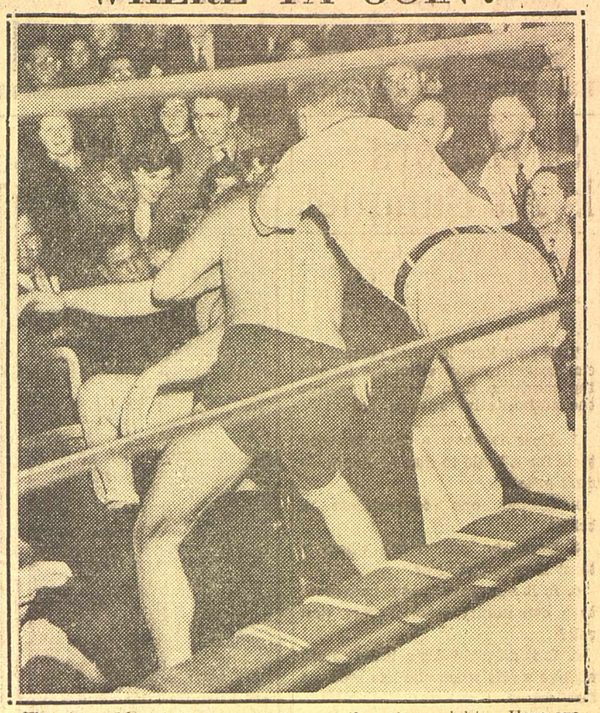
Was there any role she'd especially like to play? "I've never set my mind on a part since the time I was determined to do Cleopatra," she said. "That was at a summer theater. I got myself up in a gold barriere and some spangles and went at it. The natives ran for miles."

Temperament? "Only once," she admitted. "In New York I threw a chair at a man. And I missed him, dammit!

"Since then I have learned a good way to blow off steam. I've got some solid little wooden-backed brushes in my dressing room, and I throw them. I buy 'em by the dozen especially for throwing. No, I don't heave them at anybody. Sometimes at home I break ashtrys. But I think I am always nice to people on the set. I can take direction."

It also is a matter of record that Miss Nolan snatched the toupee from a troublesome Lothrio at a very formal Hollywood party. She struck a pose and handed it back to him, saying: "Sir—you lost youth youth!"

WHERE YA GOIN'?



The ring seldom is big enough for wrestlers these nights. Here are Vincent Lopez, not the musician, and Al Bisignano slugging amid the ringside customers in Los Angeles, while Referee Dick Rutherford attempts to restore peace and at the same time get them back on the platform. Lopez won.

Babe Says Helen Hicks Tops of All Feminine Golfers

MIAMI, Fla. Feb. 16.—Babe Didrikson, the Dallas girl who turned golfer, is convinced that Patty Berg, who retained the Grace Doherty trophy in the recent Miami Biltmore women's tournament, is tops among American's feminine stars—"She could beat most of the top-notchers anytime she wanted to," says Babe—Johnny Risko, the old Cleveland rubber man, has announced between horse races that he will fight Joe Louis next summer—Edward V. Babcock, the former mayor of Pittsburgh, and his guests watched the start of the 180-mile Miami-to-Nassau yacht race from the vantage point of his suite in the Roney Plaza, which overlooks the Atlantic—Wintering here is Tom Mercer Jr., who was manager of the world champion Germans, of Buffalo, N. Y., a basketball team which posted a record 134-0 victory over Hobart College—Tom is 67 years old and his basketball experience dates back to the early 1900's one of his teams having chalked up a winning streak of 113 straight games—Chic Meehan, Manhattan College grid chief, whose team played in the first Miami Orange Bowl game, says the annual pigskin classic will attain even greater prominence when Miamians start pouring into their new stadium—Ralph Flanagan, the Miamian who has been an important member of the U. S. squad in the last two Olympic games as a free style swimmer, is looking toward the 1940 games in Tokio—At the present time he is competing in the Sunday aquatic shows at the Miami Biltmore pool while pointing for the national outdoors meet next summer—Paul Berlenbach, the former heavyweight fighter, is running a driving range here which pays 1000-to-1, or $110, for every golf ball dropped in the bucket at 150 yards—So far he has paid off only once—Paul Wan-

Benefit Payments Are Not Extended

A letter from L. Thurmond Krueger, field representative of the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission who spent last Wednesday in Midland conferring with local employers relative to the compensation act, was received by the Midland chamber of commerce Tuesday morning, Mr. Krueger stating that he had perhaps misinformed several local persons in regard to the January payments of the Federal old age benefits under title eight. Mr. Krueger's letter, in part, was as follows:

"I stated to several of the employers who came to me at the court house for information that I was not sure, but that I understood that the federal government had given a thirty day extension for January payments of old age benefits under title eight. I have since learned that such is not the case. If anyone understood my statement to be authentic, I would appreciate very much your giving them the correct information."

er, National League batting champion, and winner of the recent Miami Left-Handers' golf tournament, said: "I reckon I kept Lefty Walker of the Cardinals in the big show for three or four years, for I was the guy he could fool. Then, all at once, I started hittin' him."—Leslie Mann, secretary of the International Baseball Congress, with headquarters here, has warned amateurs competing in semi-pro or commercial sponsored tournaments that they will be declared ineligible for amateur competition and Olympic baseball—Two years ago Helen Hicks and Ellsworth Vines enjoyed a series of friendly golf matches in the Chicago area, with the woman star spotting the professional tennis ace six strokes—Meeting again recently Helen confessed that Vines' golf has improved to such a point that it is she who now needs the handicap—George Zaharais, Greek wrestler appearing in Miami, is said to pay a larger income tax than any other matman in the world.

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By watching the steps of other couples whose hearing is normal, deaf and dumb people can dance in time to music.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR DISTRICT 31 CAGE TOURNEY IN RANKIN FEB. 19-20

RANKIN. Feb. 16 (Spl.)—Plans for the District No. 31 Basket ball Meet to be held on the Rankin court Friday and Saturday, February 19-20, are complete and teams of the ten county area will go into their elimination finals this week to decide just who the county champions will be for the District competitors.

McCamey will represent Upton county by beating out Rankin in two straight matches Wednesday and Thursday. McCamey goes into the District Meet this year with one of its strongest teams in a good many years under the direction of Coach Carll.

Wink, Midland, Big Lake, as well as Odessa, are other strong contenders for the district honors and will give the Upton quints plenty of trouble on the local floor in the eliminations.

The district trophy, sponsored by the Journal has arrived and is on display in the First State Bank. It must be won two years in succession in order for it to ever permanently reach a trophy case.

Coach John Prude, meet director is making final preparations for entertaining one of the largest crowds of basketball fans ever gathered in a local gym.

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Blond Singer

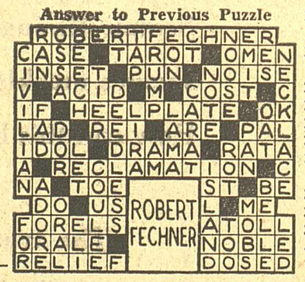
HORIZONTAL

2, 6 Pictured singer.
11 Bitter drug.
13 Female deer.
15 Strength.
17 Related.
18 Hazes.
20 Lunar orb.
21 Thick shrub.
22 Superiors.
24 Male child.
25 Transposed.
26 Musical note.
28 She is an —— prima donna.
31 Cherub.
34 Last word of a prayer.
35 Roll of film.
36 Twisted about
37 Migrations.
39 Southeast.
40 And.
41 Grain.
44 To have no hope.
50 By.
52 Monster.
54 Dirties.
55 Final cause.
56 Coronet.
58 Meadow.
59 Exposes.
60 She has a —— voice.
61 She is a huge —— in motion pictures.

VERTICAL

1 Indelible mark on the skin.
2 Yellow metal.
3 Scarlet.
4 Like.
5 To prepare for publication.
6 To apportion.
7 Preposition.
8 Gipsy.
9 God of love.
10 House for dogs.
12 Card game.
14 Hops kiln.
16 Dove's cry.
18 Myself.
19 Senior.
22 Marked with a hot iron.
23 Starting device.
25 Oaks.
27 Sluggish.
29 Chum.
30 Mooley apple.
32 Driving command.
33 Deer.
36 Fires a gun.
38 To accent.
42 Money changing.
43 Snare.
45 Electrical term.
46 Composition for one voice.
47 Pastry.
48 Exclamation of sorrow.
49 Exists.
50 To peel.
51 Pieces out.
53 To sin.
55 Membranous bag.
57 Lava.
59 Before Christ

Answer to Previous Puzzle





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Due to some not knowing about our Opening Special, we are extending it for ONE MORE WEEK—

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C. H. VAUGHAN (*right*) speaks from 20 years' experience in rolling Prince Albert: "It's the 'no-bite' process that takes any harshness out of P.A."

BEING A TEXAS COW PUNCHER, Rusty McGinty (*above*) is hard to fool when it comes to the right "makin's." "Finest I ever did run across is Prince Albert," he says.

LOADS UP HIS TRUCK—then lights up a P. A. roll-your-own. "Prince Albert rolls into a swell cigarette quicker'n a fellow can roll off a log!" says Tony Grimes (*above*).

Join Prince Albert Fans—Here's No-Risk Offer

Roll yourself 30 swell cigarettes from Prince Albert. If you don't find them the finest, tastiest roll-your-own cigarettes you ever smoked, return the pocket tin with the rest of the tobacco in it to us at any time within a month from this date, and we will refund full purchase price, plus postage.
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70 fine roll-your-own cigarettes in every 2-ounce tin of Prince Albert

Hungary to Revive Bear Hunting Sport

BUDAPEST, Feb. 16 (U.P.)—The ancient sport of bear hunting is to be revived in Hungary under government supervision. For centuries the bear chase was the favorite sport of noblemen, especially in the vast forests of Transylvania.

Since the world war, bears virtually have disappeared. To restore the historic sport, the forestry department of the ministry of agriculture will import bears, turning them loose in the royal forest of Szini, where they will be allowed to breed under strict government protection.

The first catsiron plow in America was patented by Charles Newbold of Burlington- Vt., in 1797.

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1 LOST AND FOUND 1

LOST: Black Scottie puppy, almost four months old; reward. Phone 455-J (293-3)

LOST: Male bob-tail Fox Terrier; ten months old; white with black spots. Reward. Call Geo. R. Bennett. Phone 762. (294-3)

2 FOR SALE 2

FOR SALE: At a bargain; used nine tube Atwater-Kent cabinet radio. See J. C. Brewer Jr., Wes-Tex Food Market (293-3)

SIX-YEAR-OLD shetland pony; L. E. Jones at Piggly Wiggly; phone 205. (294-6)

MONTGOMERY WARD now has some real values on 1936 new refrigerators; also greatly reduced prices on used 1936 refrigerators. Trade in your old ice box. Representative A. C. Woods, address 309 North D. Phone 1091-W. (293-3)

NURSERY SALE
Spring sale of Evergreens and Shrubs. Fruit and shade trees; two-year roses 20¢; experienced landscaping free. 410 West Wall, at Big Ed's Sandwich Shop. R. O. Walker, proprietor. (9 years in Midland).
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2-a FOR TRADE 2-a

GET SET now! For farm, city property trades. See Ira Lord, phone 695-M. (294-1)

3 FURNISHED APTS. 3

ONE room furnished apartment; suitable for men; reasonable rent. 301 North Carrizo. (294-1)

7 HOUSES FOR SALE 7

MODERN 5-room hollow tile stucco house; outside walls plastered inside; double garage; practically new; fence; attic insulated against heat and cold; located near junior and senior high schools at 803 West Michigan. If interested and have cash, see Harrison at Reporter-Telegram office. (294-6)

MIDLAND HATCHERY

Open at new location, corner building north of depot on Main Street.

CUSTOM HATCHING

First Hatch Feb. 22

SEE US FIRST

Formerly known as the Midland Hatchery, we are now operating as the Midland County Hatchery at the same location in southwest Midland; custom hatch $2.00 per tray, or shared. See us. Owner, A. B. Pou.
3-15-37

8 POULTRY 8

9 — AUTOMOBILES — 9

USED CARS

Here are some real bargains in late models that look and run like new:

1936 Plymouth Sedan Trunk model.
1936 Dodge Coupe, radio and heater.
1936 Ford Coupe, practically new.
1936 Olds Coach, new tires, good as new.
2—1935 Dodge 4-Door Sedans, trunks.
2—1933 Chevrolet 4-door Sedans.
1932 Chevrolet Sedan.
1931 Chevrolet Coupe, new tires.
1933 Sport Plymouth Coupe, extra clean.
1934 Airflow Chrysler, overdrive transmission.

SCRUGGS MOTOR COMPANY
114 East Wall Phone 644
2-28-37

1929 Ford roadster for sale; good rubber; little work will make fairly good car; $50.00 cash gets it; no terms. See Harrison at Reporter-Telegram. (292-3)

10 BEDROOMS 10

NEWLY furnished bedroom, two blocks of depot;; two gentlemen. Call Mackey Motor Co., or 311 South Weatherford. (294-1)

Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the City of Midland voters on April 6, 1937.

For Mayor:
J. V. STOKES SR.
M. C. ULMER

City Marshal:
A. J. (Andy) NORWOOD
Re-election Second Term
BEN DRIVER
J. H. STANFIELD

For Alderman:
(3 to be elected)
R. M. BARRON
D. H. ROETTGER
FOY PROCTOR

For City Secretary:
J. C. HUDMAN

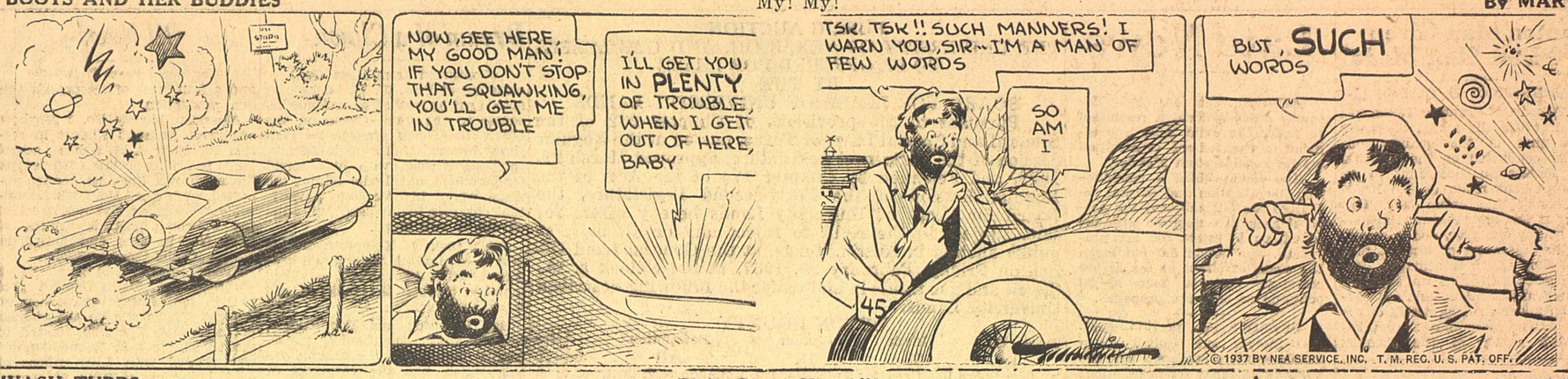
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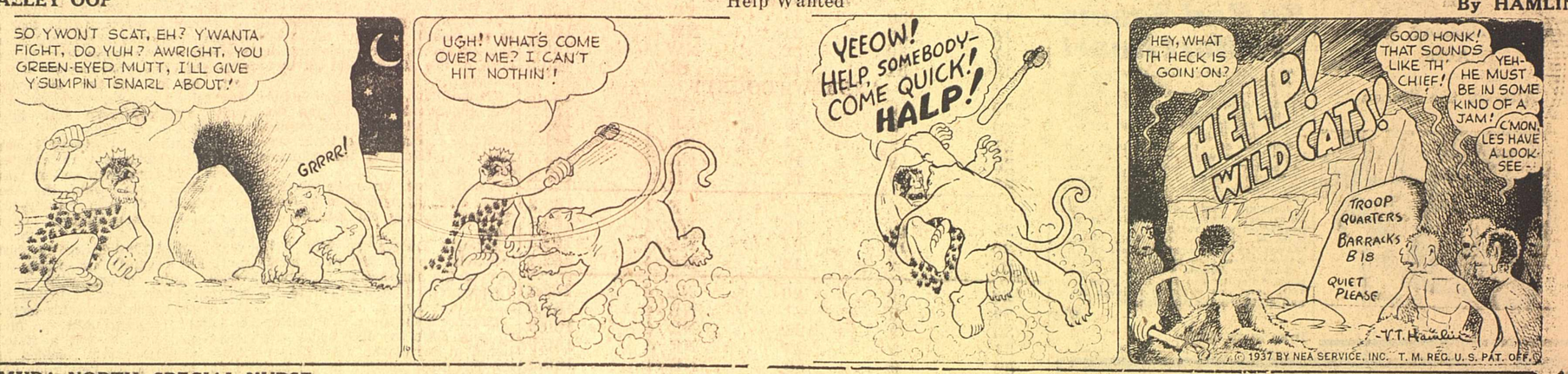
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES — My! My! — By MARTIN



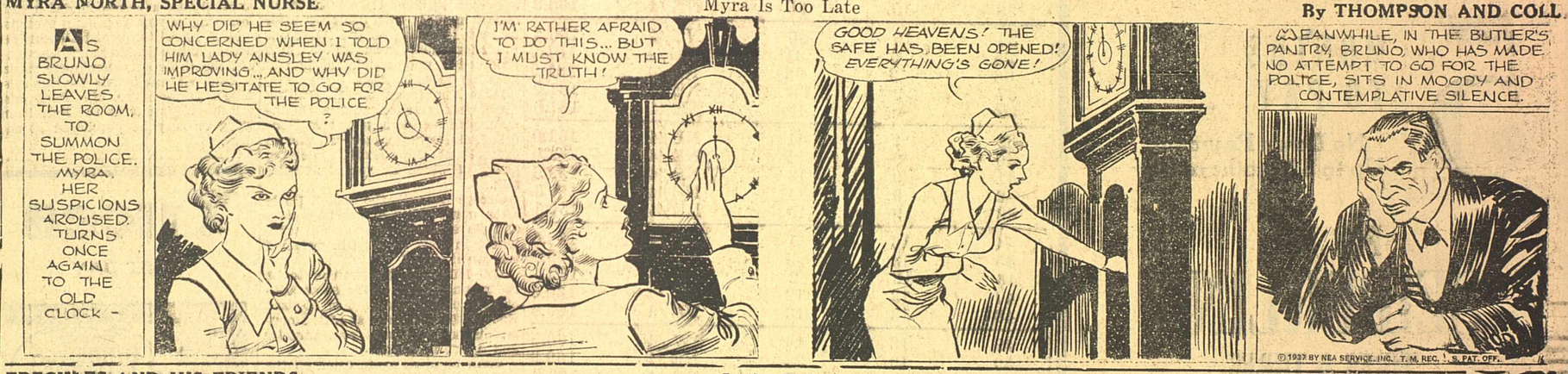
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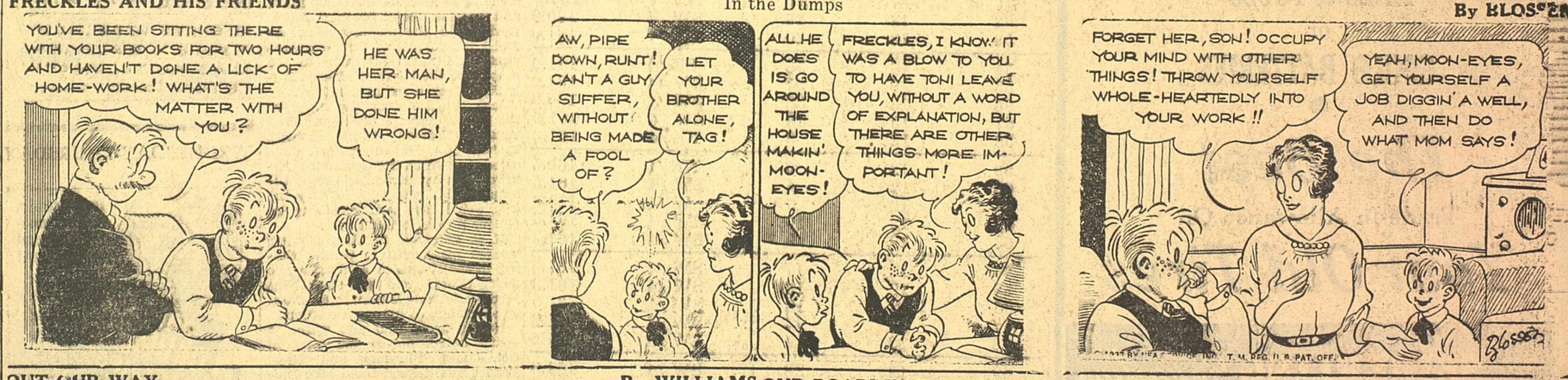
ALLEY OOP — Help Wanted — By HAMLIN



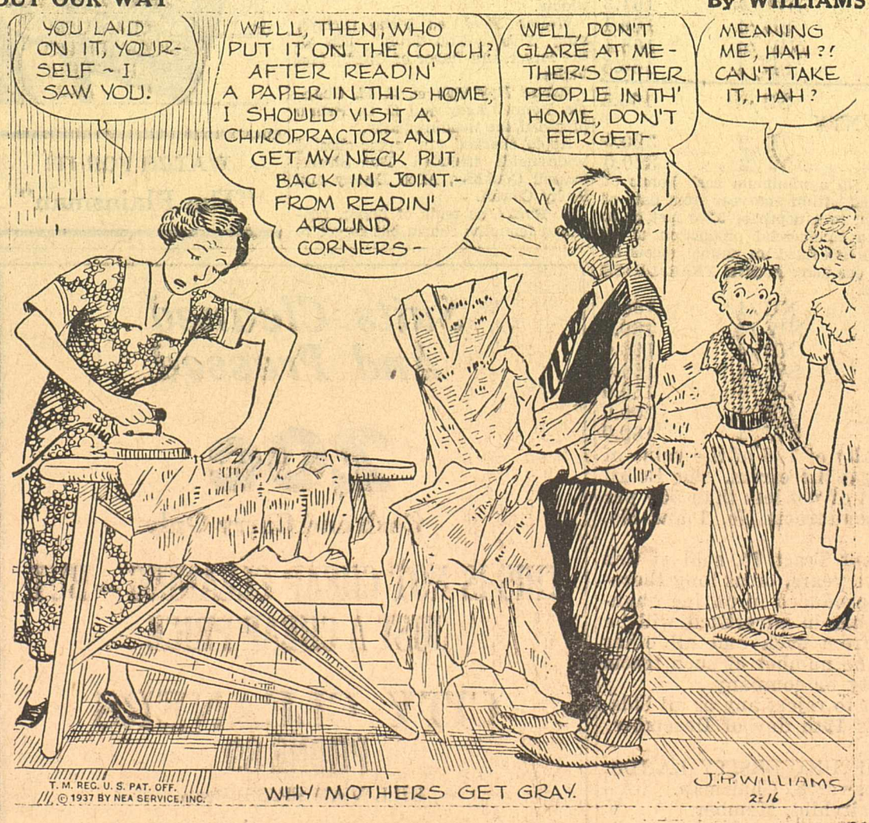
MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE — Myra Is Too Late — By THOMPSON AND COLL



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — In the Dumps — By BLOSSER



OUT OUR WAY — By WILLIAMS — **OUR BOARDING HOUSE** — By HEARN



Stanton Man Given Pistol Shot Medal

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16—J. N. Woody, of Stanton, Texas, has been awarded the medal of expert pistol shot in the qualifications courses conducted by the National Rife Association, according to an announcement made at the headquarters of that group here. This rating is the highest award attainable in any one year, and is second only to the rating of distinguished pistol shot, which is achieved after three years rating as an expert.

These qualification tests are carried on under the supervision of the N. R. A. as a measure of the marksmanship ability of the shooters throughout the country. The firing is done on an outdoor range over a specified course of fire consisting of both timed and rapid fire at a distance of 25 yards, and slow fire at a distance of 50 yards.

By qualifying as an expert with a score of 281, Woody demonstrated an ability for consistent shooting which entitles him to a position among the best shots in the country.

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On the Stage

8:30 p. m.

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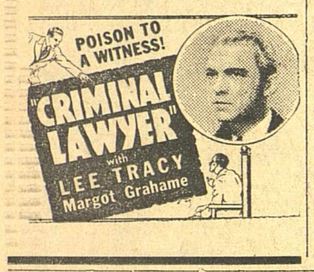
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Also on the Screen



Late News

AUSTIN. Feb. 16. (AP)— The senate today ordered a resolution to ratify the child labor amendment to the federal constitution set for consideration Monday.

The house killed a combination liberalization and natural resources tax bill and sent the proposal back to committee with instructions to delete the tax provisions. The action did not mean the death of either of the higher resources taxes or more liberal pensions as separate proposals.

DETROIT. Feb. 16. (AP)— General Motors and United Automobile workers conferees laid the groundwork today for negotiations they expect will settle the final point at issue in the recent automotive strikes.

The first actual negotiations will be on setting up machinery for handling grievance brought to the corporation's attention by union representatives.

Stomach Gas So Bad Seems To Hurt Heart

"The gas on my stomach was so bad I could not eat or sleep. Even my heart seemed to hurt. A friend suggested Adlerika. The first dose I took brought me relief. Now I eat as I wish, sleep fine and never felt better." —Mrs. Jas. Filler.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS LEASES TO BE OFFERED FOR LEASE BY THE BOARD FOR LEASE OF UNIVERSITY LANDS

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 282 of the General and Special Laws of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-first Legislature, approved March 29, 1929, and amended by Chapter 174 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, the Board for Lease of University Lands hereby offers for sale, subject to the right to reject any or all bids, at public auction in Austin, Texas, at the General Land Office on Friday, February 26, 1937, at ten o'clock a. m., the oil and gas rights in and under the following described University Lands.

UPTON COUNTY

Tract No.	Block	Section	Description	Acres
1	58	13	All	647.7

The Board has fixed for Tract No. 1 a minimum cash bonus of $1.00 per acre AND a well to be started within 60 days from execution of lease. Said well to be drilled with due diligence to depth of 3,800 feet, or to sulphur water in the "Big Lime," or to commercial production of oil and/or gas at a lesser depth. The annual rental on Tract No. 1 has been fixed at ten cents per acre for the first year and fifty cents per acre per year thereafter.

2	3	5	NE/4	164.9
3	3	5	SE/4	164.9
4	3	5	SW/4	164.9
5	3	4	SE/4	164.9
6	3	4	SW/4	164.9
7	3	4	NE/4	164.9
8	58	12	NE/4	161.9
9	58	12	SW/4	161.9
	UPTON-REAGAN COUNTY			
10	58	14	SW/4	162.0
	ECTOR COUNTY			
11	35	9	NW/4	161.0
12	35	7	SE/4	165.1
13	35	5	SE/4	160.9
14	35	4	NW/4	164.1
	CRANE COUNTY			
15	30	17	NW/4	160.0
16	30	21	NW/4	160.0
17	30	22	NW/4	160.0
18	31	12	SE/4	160.0
	ANDREWS COUNTY			
19	9	8	NE/4	164.3
20	9	9	NE/4	164.3
21	9	4	NE/4	151.5
22	9	16	NE/4	163.8
23	9	17	NE/4	163.8
24	9	18	NE/4	163.8
25	10	13	NE/4	168.1
26	10	24	NE/4	168.1
27	9	19	NE/4	162.2
28	9	20	NE/4	162.2
29	9	21	NE/4	162.2
30	9	28	NE/4	160.9
31	9	29	NE/4	160.9
32	9	30	NE/4	160.9
33	10	25	NE/4	165.2
34	10	36	NE/4	165.4
35	9	31	NE/4	161.0
36	9	32	NE/4	161.0
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38	9	40	NE/4	161.0
39	9	41	NE/4	161.0
40	9	42	NE/4	161.0
41	9	43	NE/4	159.5
42	9	44	NE/4	159.1
43	9	45	NE/4	159.1
44	13	1	NW/4	160.6
45	13	3	NE/4	160.5
46	13	2	SW/4	160.5
47	13	12	SW/4	160.6
48	13	13	NE/4	160.6
49	13	14	SW/4	160.5
50	13	22	NE/4	160.9
51	13	27	NE/4	160.9
52	13	26	SW/4	160.9
53	13	25	NE/4	161.0
54	13	36	SE/4	161.0
55	13	37	SW/4	161.0
56	13	38	SW/4	160.9
57	13	48	SW/4	161.0
58	12	3	NE/4	161.3
59	12	6	NE/4	160.5
60	12	4	SW/4	161.3
61	12	3	SW/4	161.3
62	12	10	SW/4	161.3
63	12	9	SW/4	161.3
64	12	17	SW/4	161.3
65	12	16	SW/4	161.3
66	12	15	SW/4	161.3
67	12	14	SW/4	161.3
68	12	21	SW/4	161.5
69	12	28	SW/4	161.3
70	12	33	SW/4	161.3
71	11	17	SE/4	168.1
72	11	14	NW/4	168.1
73	11	20	SE/4	166.5
74	11	22	SE/4	166.5
	PECOS COUNTY			
75	24	31	E/2	320.0
	24	32	W/2	320.0

The Board has fixed for Tract No. 75 a minimum cash bonus of $1.00 per acre AND a well to be completed within one year from date of execution of lease. Said well to be drilled to a depth of 3,300 feet or to sulphur water in the "Big Lime" or to commercial production of oil and/or gas at a lesser depth. The Board has fixed an annual rental on Tract No. 75 of not less than ten cents per acre. A ONE YEAR LEASE ONLY will be awarded on Tract No. 75.

76	24	32	NE/4	160.0
77	24	29	NW/4	160.0
78	24	30	NE/4	160.0
79	24	31	SW/4	160.0
80	26	8	SW/4	160.0
81	26	8	SE/4	160.0
82	26	7	SW/4	160.0

All leases shall carry a royalty of 1/8 of the value of the gross production of oil and gas therefrom. The Board has fixed an annual delay rental of not less than 50¢ per acre on each tract offered, except tracts No. 1 and No. 75.

All oil and gas leases, except Tract 75, sold at this auction will be for a term of five years, or as long thereafter as oil and/or gas is being produced in paying quantities therefrom. Each tract as herein advertised will be a separate and distinct lease from each and all other tracts. There is no limit as to the number of such tracts that may be bid in by any party or company.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated at Austin, Texas, this 19th day of December, A. D. 1936

BOARD FOR LEASE OF UNIVERSITY LANDS.
By: K. H. Aynesworth, Chairman.
Mrs. I. D. Fairchild, Member.
W. H. McDonald, Land Commissioner

Dream of a Clown

(Continued from Page One)

cious lap of Prof. W. W. Lackey, he acted as if he loathed to continue his course to the stage. Owen, on the other side, threw himself, he even flung himself at his male friends, smothering them with his torrid temperament and finally gaining the stage where his feminine pulchritude charmed the audience up to the advent of Pola Negri.

Judge Chas. L. Klapproth did his best to comfort his wailing and hysterical wife, John Howe, as they marched through the audience and on to the stage.

Bob Hamilton and Bob Tucker, bad boys of the family, played pranks throughout the solemn affair which had the earmarks of both a wedding and a funeral.

Cap Lyman played the part of Abraham Goldberg and was one of the really big shots of the show. Those who had thought a dollar was high admission decided that Lyman himself was worth 98 cents as he talked part of the time with his mouth and all the time with his hands.

Tommy Thompson, as Grandfather McCarthy, and Fred Middleton as the grandmother were good, with Thompson singing a basso solo which kept his goat-like beard moving as natural as life.

Dr. W. E. Ryan as the slick, smooth and corpulent Paul Whiteman gracefully bowed his way through the crowd and on to the stage, giving a few melodious strains with his saophone, much to the surprise of his audience. Bob Hamilton, the mischief maker, also played the instrument. Cap Lyman played a number, got a round of applause and then, before he placed the saxophone to his mouth, its sweet music began the encore, thereby blasting the faith of the audience in all three musicians.

Marion Flynt, as President Roosevelt, and Frank Sshouten, as Mrs. Roosevelt, received a great ovation, as if the executive had never suggested a change in the supreme court set-up.

Robert Howe, an apple cheeked "Miss 1840", brought tears to many eyes as he sang an old fashioned refrain.

Kenneth Dodson, as Miss 1937, demurely "got to" the male members of the audience and Grandpa Thompson had to be held to his seat by Cap Lyman.

Clarence Scharbauer, as Pola Negri, came down the aisle boldly costumed in one of the hotel draperies. The dress, cut low in the back and high in the front of the skirt, stayed in place with difficulty after he seated himself on the stage, due to his forty years in the saddle which rendered it immpossible for him to keep his knees together.

Duke Kimbrough, as Mr. Hendrik Stein, jerkily represented a Dutchman, with Bog Scruggs as Mrs. Hendrik Stein. Scruggs, however, was an example of the smooth, floating power of which he speaks in sales talk.

George Bennett, the Scotch Uncle after many years of sobriety, sang and played the part of an old soak, telling in song of his fun "when I was twenty-one."

Bob Hill, who had wanted to be the meanest man in the show, adequately played the part of Herbert Hoover. Ellis Conner, as Mrs. Hoover, displayed elegant arm muscles and a strong back.

Vann Mitchell again came on the scene as Sally Finn, the nurse maid, and wheeled "Baby Brother" Edwin Garland to the wedding scene. Amidst the folding of three-cornered pants and much attention to the baby from the Mischief Makers, Sally Finn sang a soothing lullaby.

Jack Harrison took the stage as the nimble and spindle-legged Fred Astaire. Teamed with Kenneth Dodson, Miss 1937, he danced, spun, dived and sang. He resembled Astaire in every particular except the sound of his toes. Miss 1937, by the way, would have been something for Ginger Rogers to think over.

H. S. Forgeron, as Mary Garden, worked his mouth in perfect timing to the strains of a soprano solo which floated from back-stage. Nine yards of dazzling material were draped about him as his opera costume.

Ned Watson, who also wore a goat's beard, played the part of Col. James Dinwiddie and Hugh Barnes was the sad-faced Mrs. Dinwiddie.

Walter Fleet, as Fiske O'Hara, sang "I Love You Truly" with all the fervor and flavor of Crosby and Vallee.

Ushers Ray Upham, J. H. Chapple, Bonner Lacy and E. O. Nelson preceded the wedding party.

Apple cheeked and apple-chested bridesmaids included Don Sivalls, Russell Conkling, Allen Dorsey and Pinky Cowan.

B. Hanks, as maid of honor, possessed feminine charm but forgot to shave his chest. L. B. Sipes, as matron of honor, was dignified and austere.

"Little David" Wafford, accustomed to running a broken field, took a compass course as he marched down the aisle as ring bearer, three inches taller than any other member of the cast, his leg muscles displaying their sharp corners through his white stockings worn with knee breeches.

Clint Lackey and Edward Lamar, in cherubic costumes, were "cute" as flower girls, apparently getting keen satisfaction from dashing the faces of their friends with confetti-like rose petals as they marched down the aisle.

Judge Ed M. Whitaker as the blushing bride, elegantly transported the white satin gown, with Train Bearer Martin George bringing up the caboose. The groom, his identity kept in secrecy until the final scene, was Foy Proctor, a stately figure who resonantly sounded his "I do" to the many perplexing and unusual questions propounded by the marrying parson, Col. John Perkins.

R. B. McAlister played the musical accompaniments and scores throughout the three act, womanless farce.

Reserved seat tickets for this evening's performance, the final one, are on sale today at the Petroleum Drug or may be purchased at the door.

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and a half west of Deeprock's Ogden production.

American Liberty No. 1 Mayhew, southwest Andrews wildcat in section 23, block A-51, public school land, is drilling below 4,740 feet in broken brown lime, no change reported, while Shell No. 1 King, semi-wildcat extension test northwest of the Fuhrman pool, is drilling at 3,844 feet in lime and anhydrite.

Crane-Cowden Well

Fields, Finley & Cherry No. 3 Anna Gibbs, Crane-Cowden pool well in southeastern Crane county, pumped 713 barrels on the 24-hour potential test. The well, located in section 93, block F, Rooney survey, was treated with 1,100 gallons of acid, bottomed at 2,250. It topped pay at 2,240.

Recent order of the Railroad Commission changed 26 producing wells hitherto classed in the McCamey pool to the Crane-Cowden pool. They include producers on Continental Oil Company's Anna Gibbs lease, Hughes-Gibbs lease, Ed S Hughes "C" lease and Ed S. Hughes "D" lease; E. P. Cravens' Hughes-Gibbs lease; Fields et al's Gibbs lease; Rush's Hughes-Gibbs lease; Storey, Friebelle and Duffey's Hughes lease; and the Texas Company's H. M. King lease.

A wildcat in northern crane south of the Penn pool, Clark & Cooper and Smith no. 1 Jordan, 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 12, block B-22, public school land, is drilling below 3,658 feet in lime. At that depth, it tested two-thirds of a bailer of oil after standing for two hours. The test had logged several oil shows, the last of which was from 3,590 to 3,600.

Showing Water

Two thousand feet of fluid, mostly water, was reported this morning in Stanolind No. 1 J. A. Morrow, Gaines wildcat, as it cleaned out at 4,627. Reports yesterday from the well were that fluid was all oil. It was shot last week with 490 quarts from 4,619 to 4,710, bridging afterward. Bottom is 4,720, plugged back from 4,856 to shut off sulphur water.

The Stanolind well is four miles west and slightly north of the Landreth No. 1 Kirk. A mile south of the Kirk, Amerada No. 1 Robbins is cleaning out at 4,860. When swabbed down to bottom of casing yesterday ata 4,508, it showed yield of five barrels of oil and 16 barrels of water.

W. L. Pickens et al No. 1 Lewright, southeast Terry wildcat in section 1, block C-37, public school land, is rigging up standard tools and is expected to be bailing tomorrow. Depth of 4,590 in lime was reached with rotary; and 7-inch casing was cemented at 4,573. Operators will probably be drilling plug Friday or Saturday.

Insulation Starts On Wadley Building

Work was started this morning to insulate the Addison Wadley Co. building, with engineers of the Home Insulators of Dallas doing the work. The entire ceiling of the building will be "blown" with Eagle rock wool and will give added comfort to customers and employees both during the summer months and winter.

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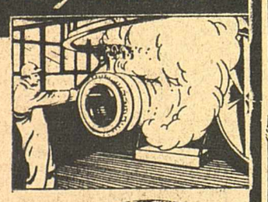
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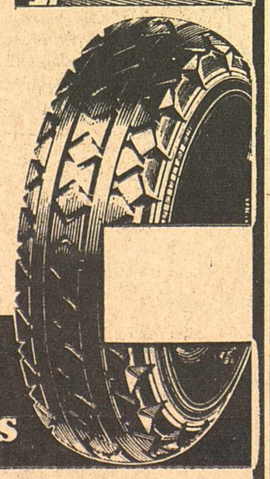
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