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THE FORECAST
WEST TEXAS: Mostly
cloudy tonight and Saturday.

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HAUPTMANN DEFENSE RESTS

Railroad Commission Calls Hearing at Midland Tuesday

**DAILY POTENTIAL
OF THIRTY POOLS
TO BE ACTED ON**
Operators, Company
Officials Here
For Meet

Considering conservation and prevention of waste of crude petroleum and natural gas in the West Texas district, a hearing of the Railroad Commission has been called at Midland for Tuesday, February 12, at 10 o'clock a. m. W. R. Bowden, district supervisor, advised this morning.

Thirty producing pools will be represented at the hearing, it was announced, bringing to Midland a large group of company officials and independent operators.

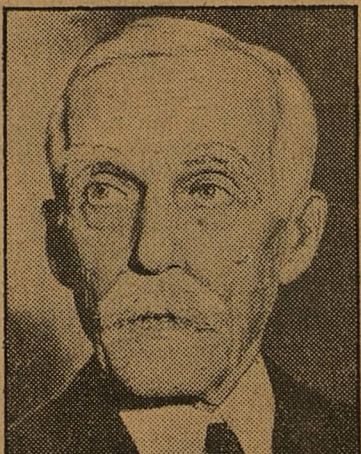
Determining the manner in which 24 hour potentials for the various fields affected, and "consideration of any other matters pertaining to the drilling or operation of wells in said fields that may be brought before the Commission" was announced as the purpose of the hearing.

The order was signed by Ernest O. Thompson, chairman, and C. V. Terrell and Lou A. Smith, commissioners.

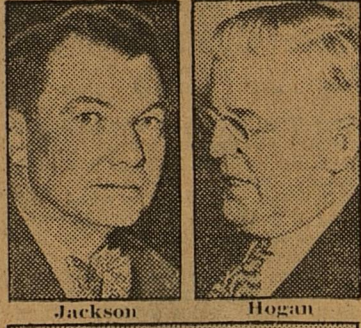
Fields coming under jurisdiction of the hearing were announced as follows:

Church and Fields; Cowden, North; Cowden, South; Crane-Cowden, Crane-Waddell, Deep Rock, Ector-Harper, Ector-Parker, Fuhrmans, Guit-McElroy, Halley, Howard-Glasscock, Jatan-East Howard, Leek, Loving, McCamey, McClintic, Means, Pecos Valley, Sayre, Scarborough, Sealey, Shipe, Skelly-Grayson, Taylor-Link, Todd, To-barg, Ward, North; Ward, South; World.

Fight Over Taxes



Andrew W. Mellon



Jackson



Ernest H. Van Fossan

**GARZA SHERIFF
UNDER TECHNICAL
ARREST AT POST**

POST, Feb. 8. (AP)—Sheriff W. F. Garza of Garza county was under technical arrest today, charged with murder for the machine-gun slaying of Spencer Stafford, federal narcotic agent.

At an inquest today, it was determined that Stafford died of gunshot wounds "at the hands of Cato". What caused the sheriff to open fire was not disclosed.

**FEDERAL MURDER WARRANT
ISSUED FOR SHERIFF**

DALLAS, Feb. 8. (AP)—A federal murder warrant for the arrest of Sheriff W. F. Garza of Garza county was issued here Thursday by a federal agent's report of the slaying of his fellow officer, Spencer Stafford, 40, of Fort Worth.

Joe Hardy Jones, assistant district attorney, R. W. Wright, United States marshal, hurried to Post to take charge of the investigation. They carried the warrant, V. C. McCullough, Dallas agent, telephoned a report of the slaying to Clyde O. Eastus, district attorney. He said Stafford was cut down by machine gun fire as he stepped from the office of Post veterinarian. He requested that federal officers be rushed to Post.

Eastus said his investigation would center on the applicability of the new federal law on the slaying of a federal officer in performance of his duty, passed after the Kansas City U. S. Station massacre. The law never has been invoked in Texas, he said.

"Stafford was one of the best of officers I ever knew," said Eastus. "He was in Post carrying out instructions from his office."

LUBBOCK, Feb. 8. (AP)—An inquest into the machine-gun slaying of Spencer Stafford, 40, of Fort Worth, a federal narcotics agent, by Sheriff W. F. Cato Thursday morning in Post, Garza county, was being held today.

Mistaken Identity
Stafford, in Post in line of duty, was killed by machine gun fire as he emerged from a veterinary hospital where he had been checking narcotic records. Cause of the shooting apparently was mistaken identity although neither Sheriff Cato, nor Stafford's companion, V. C. McCullough, of Dallas, said a federal agent, would make any statement. Cato, however, did say he had fired in self defense.

The sheriff, observers believed, had gone to investigate the reported presence of armed men, strangers to him, at the veterinarian's place. The shooting occurred in the confusion of the meeting, it was said.

Stafford was struck by four bullets from a sub-machine gun and died instantly, one of the slugs going through his heart in front of Dr. L. W. Wither's veterinary hospital.

A reliable informant who gave the information only upon the condition that his name not be disclosed said that Stafford and McCullough, accompanied by a man and a woman, entered Post in an automobile Thursday morning.

Soon afterward they went to the veterinary hospital, a red, barlike structure on dusty flats two blocks south of the main street, and the agents went inside. There, with Kitchen, they were examining his narcotic records, finding nothing.

(See GARZA SHERIFF, page 4)

**MAXINE SILL IN
LEAD TODAY FOR
CATOICO QUEEN**

Maxine Sill had moved from third to first place in the race for annual queen, when bonus votes were computed and an audit was made this morning.

With two more reporting days, the contest closes Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, it was announced. Monday is the last day for bonus votes, with two per cent given on each 5,000 or more paid votes. The tabulation this morning was as follows:

Candidates	Votes	Votes	Votes
Maxine Sill	1675	390	2065
Virginia Boone	1410	406	1816
Melba Lee	1375	355	1730
Mary Elizabeth Newman	1270	313	1583
Willie Merle Caffey	1190	357	1547
Jesse Lou Armstrong	365	0	365
Marcelline Wyatt	205	0	205
Harriett Ticknor	150	0	150
Edna Mae Eiken	30	0	30
Total paid votes and cash received			\$75.95
Total bonus votes given			2321
Total all votes cast to date			9416

Notice: There are two more reporting days. The contest closes Tuesday morning at 8:30. Monday is the last day for receiving bonus votes. The rate is 2% on 5000 or more paid votes.

**Representatives of
Counties Gathering**

Representatives from Winkler and Dawson counties were first arrivals at a meeting opening here this afternoon wherein PWA projects for eight counties were up for discussion.

The meeting was held at the county house here. Results of the conference will be forwarded to the office of Julian Montgomery, state PWA engineer, at Fort Worth to be considered in making allotments of relief funds to the counties affected.

NAVY SHIP LANDS

Only one ship was reported as having landed at the airport up until 1:25 p. m. today. The plane was a navy ship in flight from San Diego to Philadelphia.

B. E. Grow was pilot.

WOULD RETRACT MEXICO RECOGNITION

**DANIELS' STAND
IS CRITICIZED
IN HOUSE SPEECH**
Congressman Charges
Mexico Violated
U. S. Pact

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. (AP)—Ambassador Josephus Daniels was accused today by Rep. Conner, Democrat, Mass., of "cooperating with tyrants of Mexico to enslave the people of Mexico" in a speech on the house floor.

Conner, chairman of the labor committee, demanded that the United States withdraw recognition from the Mexican government. He charged that Mexico had violated the agreement by which the United States, in the Wilson administration, recognized the Mexican government with the specific reservation that all Mexicans be granted freedom of worship.

He said Ambassador Daniels should be recalled and forced to tell the truth about conditions existing in Mexico now.

**HEALTH BOARD'S
ANNUAL REPORT
SHOWS PROGRESS**

Editor's Note: This is the concluding installment of the report made by Mrs. Addison Young at the annual meeting of the county Public Health board Monday night. The first portion of the report was published in Thursday's Reporter-Telegram.

To The Reporter-Telegram staff we want to give our special thanks. This staff saw to it that all publicity materials were played up to the best advantage. In the words of the executive secretary of the Texas Tuberculosis association: "It is not a coincidence, we think, that the tuberculosis associations which showed the highest per capita returns in the seal sale last year are getting into print every day with some interesting story about the campaign in their territory."

Reports to the health board go to Midland, Beaumont, Port Arthur—and other cities were mentioned. This quotation is from a circular letter sent out to local associations over the state and enclosed in the letter was a copy of a news article appearing in The Reporter-Telegram.

Throughout the year the newspaper has given us a total of 20 full columns of space, a total of 100 copies of the book-mark to use in their advisory work.

Besides a newspaper publicity, health talks, the use of the special book-mark by the library, a float representing early diagnosis and treatment of tuberculosis was furnished by the health board in the P. T. A. Halloween parade. In connection with the library book-marks, it might be of interest to you that both Miss Hany Nichols of the Texas Tuberculosis association, and Miss Kathleen Davis of the N. O. P. H. N., congratulated us on this piece of publicity, and asked for copies of the book-mark to use in their advisory work.

The clerical work of the sale has been very well managed this year. Reports to the Texas Tuberculosis association went in on time at stated intervals, and as a reward, Miss Nichols, executive secretary of the state association, sent us the autobiography of Dr. Edward Livingston Trudeau, founder of the little red cottage sanatorium which appears on the 1934 Christmas seals. This book is in the health library in the nurse's office.

Educational Committee
Outstanding among the education programs at the board meetings this year was the visit of Dr. S. W. Bohls, director of the state laboratories, in November. He gave a most interesting lecture, and in addition two movies were shown. One on rabies was made at the Texas laboratories. The movie on the development of diphtheria anti-toxin, and toxin-anti-toxin for treatment and prevention of the disease, was a Metropolitan Life Insurance production. Dr. Bohls also spoke at the High School auditorium to the students.

For another instructive program Miss Pansy Nichols reviewed the history of the organization of the National Tuberculosis association and its thirty years of service. In May Dr. O. W. Orson spoke on the dairy and meat market situation in Midland county. He stated that the county is 100% free from bovine tuberculosis, but that the meat butchered locally is not inspected. A detailed report of the findings of the child welfare survey was given by two board members who worked on the survey. Mrs. Addison Young and Mrs. H. N. Phillips. The findings of this survey will be used in guiding the nurse's work of 1935 to a great extent.

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Mexico's Church-State War Stirs Plea for U. S. Inquiry



Desperate struggle between church and state in Mexico has drawn attention of the U. S. Senate, with request of Senator William E. Borah for investigation of "persecution of all faiths" in the south-

ern republic. Enrolled to war on religion, capital, drinking, smoking, and all social evils, the Mexican "red shirts" are playing a prominent role in the strife. At left is shown the first official re-

view of this Revolutionary Youth Corps in Mexico City. This corps has had several bloody clashes with church groups. At right, Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, ex-president of Mexico, assailed by Roman

Catholics as leader of the campaign against them, is shown in Los Angeles where he is convalescing after an operation.

Blast of 30-30 Halts Stolen Machine

**14 COMMODITIES
REACH LEVEL OF
PRE-WAR PRICES**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. (AP)—Fourteen basic agricultural commodities have advanced to pre-war parity due to the drought and bentonit payments of the Agricultural Adjustment administration, Louis E. Dorn, economic advisor to Secretary Wallace, reported today.

The commodities include wheat, cotton, field corn and hogs, all under crop control programs for this year; also barley, grain sorghum, cattle, milk and its products.

**Belgian Geologist
Visits Midland**

Prof. Arm. Haquet, of the University of Ghent, Belgium, arrived in Midland last night, and left today with E. Russell Lloyd for a trip through the Carlsbad Cavern and the Guadalupe Mountain region.

Prof. Haquet is a student of limestones and their deposition, and came to the Permian Basin to study the classic examples of coral reef growth displayed in this region.

**Opens Meeting at
Church of Christ**

Evangelist Claude McClung of Fort Worth last night opened a week's meeting at the Church of Christ. Services will be held at 10 o'clock in the morning and at 7:30 o'clock in the evening during the week. The regular women's Bible class meeting on Tuesday afternoon and prayer service on Wednesday evening will be continued.

Very good attendance and good interest at the services last night and this morning, were reported by W. P. Hill who invited the public to attend the meeting.

**H. E. Supervisor
Visits Midland**

Miss Kate Adele Hill, district supervisor of home demonstration work, arrived in Midland Thursday. She is supervisor for district three which includes Midland county. Miss Hill is visiting various clubs with Miss Myrtle Miller home demonstration agent. She was accompanied here by her aunt, Mrs. H. P. Malloy.

**Arrests Made in
Alleged Smuggling**

GALVESTON, Feb. 8. (AP)—Five men had been arrested today in connection with what Garland H. Williams, special customs agent, indicated was an extensive alcohol smuggling conspiracy along the Texas and Louisiana coasts.

**Officers Here Bring
Brief Flight to
Quick Stop**

One blast from a 30-30 calibre rifle fired by City Marshal Lee Haynes into the rear tire of a stolen automobile ended the brief flight of a man who gave his name as Newman Bowman, alleged to have commandeered an automobile at Odessa this morning.

According to Odessa officers, the man stood at the curb as an Odessa citizen named Dowdy stopped in front of a drug store. Dowdy was asked by the man for the price of a "feed," but refused. He went into the store, stayed only a few minutes, came out and missed his car.

Notifying the sheriff's office, a call was placed to the sheriff's office here. Deputy Fisher Pollard and Marshal Haynes drove to the western edge of the city, recognizing the car, from the description given, as it sped by El Campo. They gave chase, overtaking the small coupe as it came through the business section of Midland.

Upon refusal of the driver to halt, Haynes fired upon a tire at the speeding car reached the eastern edge of the city, bringing the machine to a stop.

Bowman, the officers said, merely asked for a "drink" upon alighting from the automobile. He was lodged in jail until Sheriff Reeder Webb, with Dowdy, reached here a few minutes later, then was taken to jail at Odessa where charges were to be filed in connection with the car theft. Bowman was unharmed. He told officers he arrived at Odessa this morning on a freight train.

**Home Dem Work
Examples Given**

Two examples of the work being done by wardrobe demonstrators, under the instruction of Miss Myrtle Miller, home demonstration agent, are given herewith by Miss Miller:

Five children's dresses valued at \$8.80 were made by Mrs. Henry Locklar, first year wardrobe demonstrator, of the Cotton Flat Home Demonstration Club, at a cost of sixty cents each.

A six months report of wardrobe work in the Busy Bee Club is being made by Mrs. A. L. Hallman, first year wardrobe demonstrator.

Wardrobes were planned for 1934-35 with the expenditure estimated. The expenditure for clothing since July 1, 1934, the number of garments made, cost and value and help given others will be included.

A county clothing contest will complete 1934-35 wardrobe demonstrations.

SCOUT MEETING POSTPONED

The parents' meeting which was scheduled to be held at the Boy Scout hall tonight has been postponed, Claude O. Crane, announced today.

Every eleven-year-old boy in town is asked to be the guest of the Boy Scouts at the union service to be held at the Baptist church Sunday night," he said.

**MEMPHIS SHERIFF DISCOUNTS RUMOR
RAY HAMILTON FORCED STUDENT TO
DRIVE PAIR ACROSS MISSISSIPPI**

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 8. (AP)—An automobile in which a Georgetown university student was taken on a ride through Mississippi by two men yesterday was found abandoned on a highway near here today. One of the men had been described by the student as Raymond Hamilton.

Recovery of the automobile was announced by Sheriff W. J. Bacon who communicated with Edward Hewitt Davis, the owner. The sheriff said he did not believe Hamilton participated in the affair.

Edward Hewitt Davis, 20-year old audit clerk for the agricultural adjustment administration, Washington, and residing at Clarendon, Va., was a prisoner in his own automobile for 30 hours, yielding to the orders of Hamilton and a companion, the fugitive addressed as "Al." Davis told a department of justice agent and county officers here late Thursday.

Davis said he was en route to Austin, Texas, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davis, and that he stopped his new 1935 coupe (Ford V-8) in front of a transient bureau at Gulfport, Miss., about 10:10 o'clock the night before, to inquire directions.

"Two men who addressed each other as 'Jack' and 'Al,' forced me into my car at the point of a gun," Davis said. "Then, 'Jack' told me he was Raymond Hamilton."

At the sheriff's office last night, Davis identified a picture of Hamilton as "Jack."

**Charges Lawyers
Contracted Pardons**

AUSTIN, Feb. 8. (AP)—Governor Allred said today that an investigation disclosed that certain lawyers had contracted with convicts on a contingent basis to obtain clemency.

MIDLAND WOMAN INJURED

Mrs. E. A. Boch was injured in a car wreck while en route to Wellington, Kansas, with her father and mother several days ago, it has been learned here. The details of the accident and the extent of Mrs. Boch's injuries are not known here, but they are believed not to be dangerous.

Boch left Tuesday morning to join his wife after receipt of news of the wreck.

DAUGHTER BORN TO DRAKES

Mrs. and Mrs. Dave Drake are the parents of a daughter born today at a Midland hospital. Mrs. Drake and the child are reported doing well.

Reports on the condition of Mayor M. C. Ulmer, Mrs. E. E. Stevens, and the little Thompson girl, all of whom underwent operations several days ago, show that the three patients are doing well.

**STATE REBUTTAL
TESTIMONY OPENS
SOON AFTERWARD**

**Witness Says He Saw
Ladder 20 Hours
Before Crime**

FLEMINGTON, N. J., Feb. 8. (AP)—Bruno Richard Hauptmann today rested his defense against the charges that would send him to the electric chair for the kidnap and murder of Charles A. Lindbergh Jr.

The defense case ended at 12:10 p. m., after sensational testimony designed to place the kidnap ladder in possession of a man other than Hauptmann twenty hours before the crime.

The defense also used two practical lumbermen to dispute the testimony of a state wood expert that a part of the kidnap ladder came from Hauptmann's attic.

Edward J. Reilly, chief defense counsel, waited for the polling of the jury after a brief recess, then announced: "The defense rests."

The state began its rebuttal with Joseph J. Farber, New York insurance man, seeking to refute the testimony of a defense witness who said he saw the dead Isador Fisch leap over the Bronx cemetery wall where and when the Lindbergh ransom was paid.

Brevort Bolmer, filling station owner and graduate civil engineer, who said on cross examination that he did not report his story to the police because he could not be sure from pictures of the ladder, testified that he saw and examined the ladder at 1:15 a. m., March 1, 1932, on the back of an automobile driven by a man who was not Hauptmann.

**NAT'L TB WORKER
IN TOWN TONIGHT**

Mrs. Florence Breed, National Tuberculosis association field worker, or will be in Midland this evening and will hold an informal conference with those interested in tuberculosis work, in the county, it was announced this morning.

Mrs. Breed is accompanied by Miss Pansy Nichols, executive secretary of the Texas Tuberculosis association.

All persons interested are asked to attend the conference which will be held in the county nurses' office on the second floor of the courthouse tonight, at 7:30 o'clock, according to Mrs. W. H. Sloan, chairman of the county Public Health board.

Mrs. Breed spends her time in traveling over the United States, contacting tuberculosis workers and aiding them in planning year-round anti-tuberculosis programs.

**Malaria Plague
Invades Hospital**

KURUNEGALA, Ceylon, Feb. 8. (AP)—A malaria plague which cost the lives of about 30,000 persons in the last three months was overwhelming the entire staff of the only hospital here today.

Doctors and nurses had contracted malaria and were unable to continue on duty. Reports from Kurunegala said all available space in the Kegalla cemetery was filled.

**Repulse Amendments
To a 4-Billion Bill**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. (AP)—Referred against strong bi-partisan opposition, administration forces in the senate appropriations committee today repulsed a series of amendments to the \$4,800,000,000 work relief bill, including a proposal to pay for the four billion dollar work expenditures in new currency.

The committee failed to reach a final vote.

**Week Dull in Oil
Over the Nation**

TULSA, Feb. 8. (AP)—The past week was another dull period for the oil industry.

There was a full eighth of a cent drop in group three tank car prices due to the "inroads of 'hot' oil" produced from East Texas.

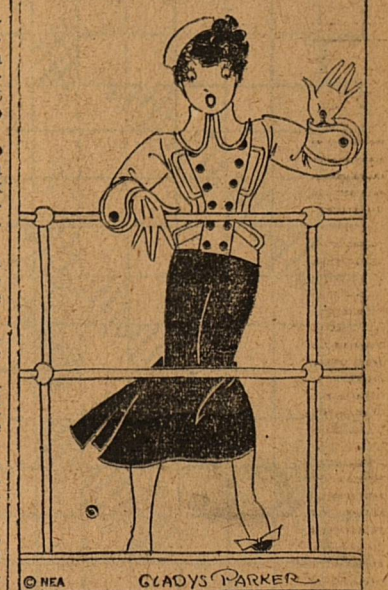
The gesture made by Texas toward an oil states compact, the first move from the area that holds the balance of control in the industry, was looked upon as virtually meaningless by many oil men.

A similar clause is expected to cause the greatest debate in Austin when the legislature begins work on a new proration law to supersede the present statute, which expects in 1935 at the instance of Gov. E. W. Marland of Oklahoma, will be harmonious or result favorably.

In Chicago an effort was being made to clear up the softest tank car market with the weakness more pronounced in Oklahoma and Kansas than elsewhere in the area. The weakness was attributed to the more or less unrestrained flow of illegally produced gasoline in East Texas.

Unofficial observations in that area indicated approximately 40,000 barrels of "hot" oil production a day, which has eaten into the legitimate market of much of the legal production of the states to the north.

When you're going to sea, you like to be seen.



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AUSTERITY BREAKS DOWN

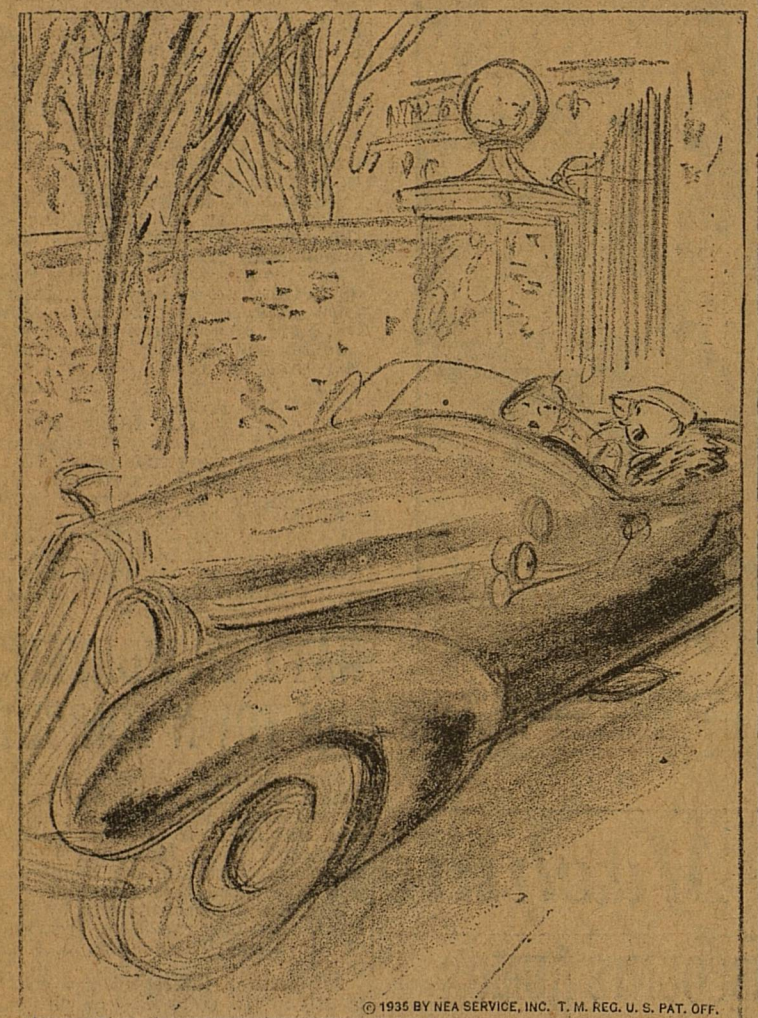
We generally take it for granted that the British Parliament is the very home of parliamentary dignity. Other nations, including our own, may send sons of the wild jackass to represent them at their capitol; Britain has an old tradition under which statesmen, not politicians, are elected, and the House of Commons does not witness those wild and uncouth scenes which make exciting reading in other seats of government.

This conception, however, is rudely upset by a reading of the recent flurry which took place in the House of Commons when a Labor member rose to relieve his mind on the subject of Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald. Here are some of the things the man said:

"He is a mountebank. He should be flogged and horse-whipped from public life. He would double-cross his own aunt. He attained power on the pennies and half pennies of the people and now he is robbing them. When he dies, he will be cursed by millions."

Undignified and ill-considered as some of our own congressional outbursts may be, it is a long time since any congressman has attacked the head of his government in terms as wild as these.

Side Glances by Clark



"I'm always kidding my old man about not knowing anything except how to make money."

A King of Serbia

HORIZONTAL

1 Exile who became king of Serbia in 1903.
8 His defiance of Austria touched off the war.
12 Opines.
13 Wattle tree.
14 On the lee.
15 Plural of "this."
18 Sacks.
20 Guided.
21 Supernatural sprites.
23 Chum.
24 Corpse.
25 Value.
26 Behold.
28 Box.
29 Expert.
30 Beer.
32 Second note.
33 Neat cattle.
34 Three united.
35 Upon.
36 Owning.
37 Made of oatmeal.
38 Sloth.

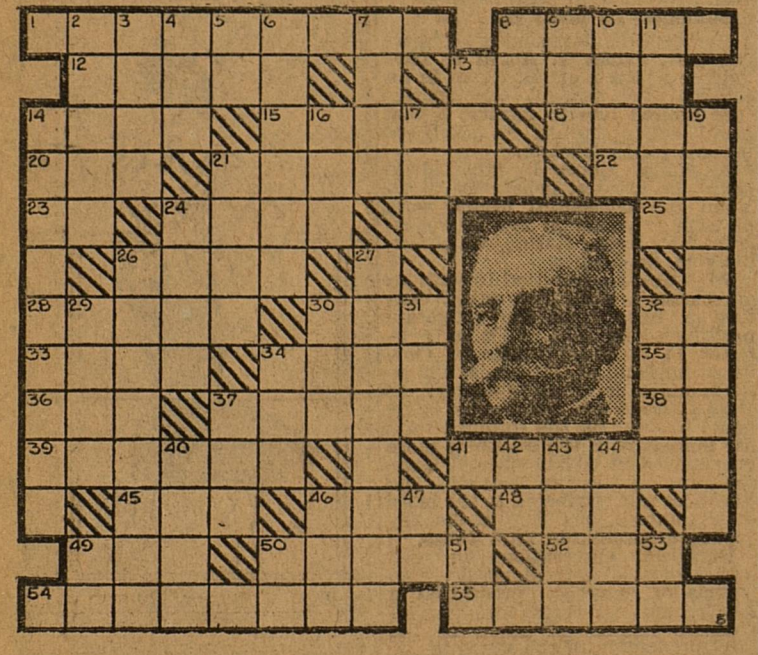
Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 He made his son, —, regent in 1914.
16 To hasten.
17 To perch.
19 The Croats and —, Yugo-Slavia.
21 Swift.
24 Tense.
26 Variety of celery.
27 To estrange.
29 Sour in aspect.
30 Work of skill.
31 Epoch.
32 To hallow.
34 To make lace.
37 Unit.
40 Mischievous.
42 Lava.
43 Flour factory.
44 Nervous illness.
46 Tree.
47 Sun god.
49 Senior.
50 Chaos.
51 Pound.
53 Father.

VERTICAL

2 Wastes time.
3 Requirement.
4 Driving command.
5 Afternoon.
6 Fortune.
7 Always.
8 Grief.
9 Bye.
10 To harvest.
11 Lawful.
13 Honey gathering.

33 Wandering.
41 Maple fruit.
45 Anger.
46 Rowing device.
48 Intention.
49 Membranous bag.
50 Native.
52 To hew.
54 The Austrian —, Franz Ferdinand, was murdered in his country during the —.



The Town Quack

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

terday and said he would waive back rent if they would move out at once.

The lady of the family spoke up in this manner:

"We've been here just long enough to become acquainted with the neighbors, and we find they are delightful people, and so we refuse to move."

Down in another town a lady refused to attend a funeral because the deceased owed her a call.

They tell us this happened in Midland:

A strange young man called at a home, told the lady of the house that he worked for a cleaning establishment, and that her husband had instructed him to call at the home for a suit of clothes that needed cleaning.

"Did my husband appear to be feeling well?" the lady asked.

"He appeared very well," said the young man.

"Well, I'm delighted to hear you say that, because my husband died eighteen years ago," said the lady.

"I did not know he was in town, but as far as that is concerned, I never knew where he was when he wasn't at home."

You owe it to yourself to hear this teaching.

We will have no Sunday evening service this week, being more than glad to dispense with this hour in order to join with the other churches in our annual union service which is dedicated to our Boy Scouts. This year the service will be held at the Baptist Church, the Reverend Mr. Pickering delivering the message.

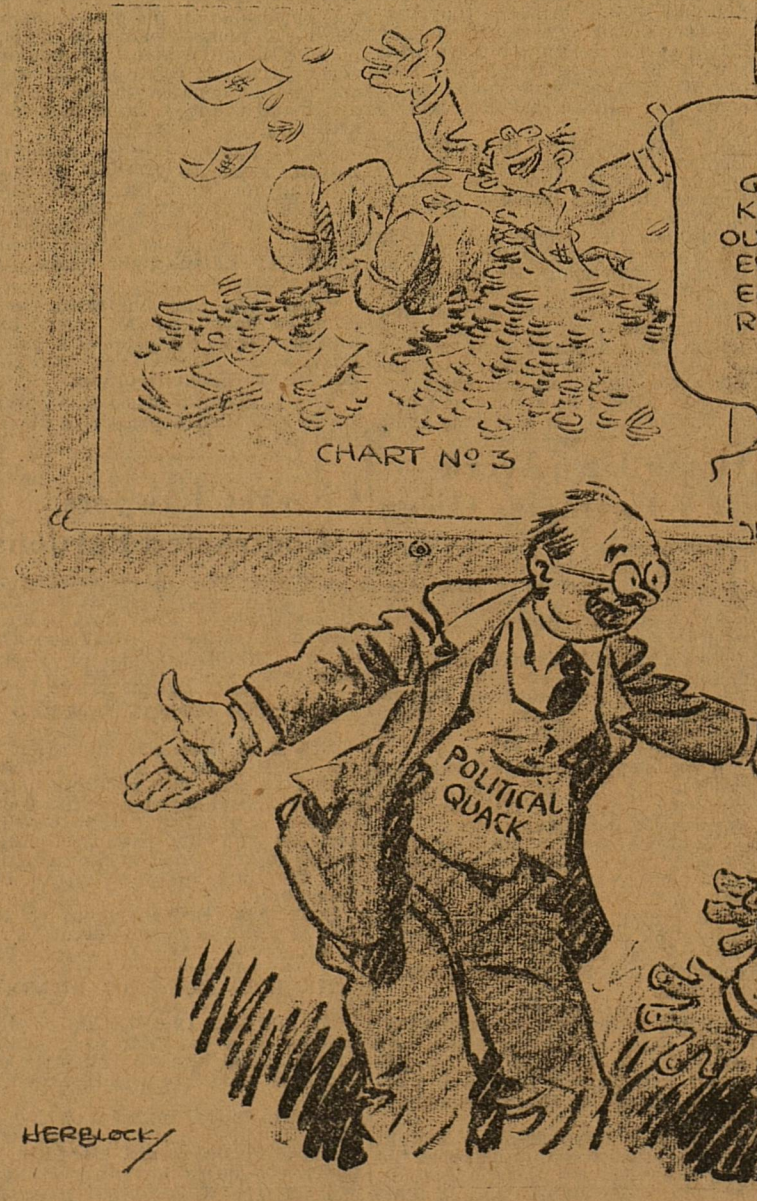
Churches

- TRINITY CHAPEL**
E. B. Soper, Supt.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Lay leader service.
- CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH**
Services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. A cordial welcome to attend is extended to all.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST**
10:00 a. m.—Bible study.
11:00 a. m.—Communion and preaching.
7:45 p. m.—Communion and preaching.
Preaching will be done by Evangelist Claude McClung.
Services will be held at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day during the week.
The public is invited to attend.
- LUTHERAN CHURCH**
W. G. Buschbacher
Services every second Sunday and fourth Sunday afternoon in every month at 2:30 o'clock at Trinity chapel, corner Colorado and Wall.
- PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH**
600 South Colorado
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
8:00 p. m.—Evening service.
- ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**
The Rev. Edw. P. Harrison, O. M. I.
Sunday morning mass for English speaking people at 10 o'clock and for Mexicans at 8 o'clock.
Daily mass will be held at 7:30.
- GOSPEL HALL**
402 East Kentucky
J. D. Jackson, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching.
8:30 p. m.—Evening service.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
W. J. Coleman, Minister
J. L. Kendrick, Church School Supt.
9:45 a. m.—Church school. Lesson: "Peter Preaches at Pentecost."—Acts 2.
11:00 a. m.—Divine worship. Sermon subject: "Do We Really Worship?" This message will be a comprehensive teaching relative to the average worship service based upon the Biblical themes of "What worship really is—how to worship—what worship can do for a man," etc.
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**
Kenneth C. Minter, Pastor
Mrs. De Lo Douglas, Choir Dir.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Man Who Came by Night."
5:30 p. m.—World Friendship club meets at the church under direction of Mrs. Frank Prothro.
6:15 p. m.—Intermediate group meetings.
There will be no evening service because of the union service for Boy Scouts being held at the Baptist church.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**
Winston Burum, pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Preaching by the pastor.
6:30 p. m.—Training service.
7:30 p. m.—Union Scout service, message to be brought by Rev. J. E. Pickering. Special music by the church orchestra; also by the combined choir of the city under the direction of Supt. W. W. Lackey.
- THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
J. E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Brand, Supt. of Bible School
Crump, Director of Music
9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
10:45 a. m.—Holy communion.
11:00 a. m.—Worship. Sermon subject: "The Volunteer. Text: 'Here am I Lord, Send Me.'"
4:30 p. m.—Junior Endeavor.
7:30 p. m.—Union service for city at Baptist church.
7:30 p. m.—Tuesday, workers' counsel.
7:30 p. m.—Wednesday, prayer services.
7:30 p. m.—Thursday, choir rehearsal.

To Experiment with Tailless Airplane

Plans for purchasing a tailless airplane and testing it to determine suitability of the design for a private-owned aircraft were announced today by Eugene L. Vidal, director

Yes—Isn't It



SOCIETY

Valentine Motif Is Apparent in 1928 Club Bridge Party

Valentine taffies and red-and-white wrappings for prize packages emphasized the arrival of the Valentine season at the meeting of the 1928 club with Mrs. Jno. B. Thomas at her home, 102 S Colorado, Thursday afternoon.

Guests for the affair included Mmes. Waldo Leggett, Jno. Dublin, and Fred Wright.

Bridge occupied the afternoon with Mrs. Wright scoring high for guests and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer for club members.

At the tea hour, refreshments were served to guests and the following club members: Mmes. J. M. Caldwell, Elliott Cowden, Frank Cowden, Clarence Scharbauer, William Simpson, Don Sivalls, Harvey Sloan, E. B. Soper, M. C. Ulmer, and the hostess.

James Sharn Honored With Party on His Tenth Birthday

Honoring her son, James Hilton Sharp, on his tenth birthday, Mrs. T. H. Sharp entertained with a Valentine birthday party at her home, 501 N Pecos street, Thursday afternoon from four o'clock until six.

Indoor games occupied the guests during the play hours.

At the close of the play period, a birthday cake with pink candles was cut and refreshments were served. Valentine favors were distributed to those present.

Attending were: Laure Belle Stewart, George J. Wein, Lewis Ray Bewley, Gerald Nobles, Joe Whitmire, Jack Noyes, Jack Thompson, Glenna Louise Jones, Willine Pace, Theresa Jane Stringer, Eugene Jones, Gene Estes, Thomas McMillan, Junior Hoffman, Jack Reid, Forrest Mack Hunter, Donald Jolly, and the honoree.

Mrs. Lige Brothers assisted the hostess during the afternoon.

Personals

Mrs. W. I. Breedlove and son, Billy Sam, of Memphis and niece, Miss Ernestine Brasher of Quanah, arrived in Midland Tuesday. Mrs. Breedlove and son will make their home here where Breedlove is employed in the mechanical department of The Reporter-Telegram.

Mrs. E. N. Snodgrass is improved after an attack of the flu of some duration.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Stinson of Rochester, Ind., are guests in the home of his cousin, S. S. Stinson.

Mrs. Ben Golladay of the Junior High School faculty has been unable to attend school for some days on account of an attack of flu.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Cooper transacted business in Abilene Thursday.

of air commerce, department of commerce.

One of a number of different designs with which the Bureau will carry on experimental and service tests, the tailless airplane was brought forward by Waldo D. Waterman of Los Angeles, Calif. The Bureau has contracted with Waterman to construct one airplane in accordance with plans and specifications which he submitted several months ago.

"Tailless airplanes have received considerable attention in England, France and Germany," John H. Geisse, chief of the Bureau's development section, said, "but little has been done along that line in the United States. The tailless airplane may or may not represent the general outline of the airplane which will be in widespread use a few years hence, but it does show sufficient promise to merit a fair trial."

A volume of more than 1200 pages would be required to list the number of chemical substances which can be extracted from petroleum.

Five Are Hostesses To Friendly Builders Class Thursday

Entertaining at the home of Mrs. Oates, Mmes. N. G. Oates, J. M. Prothro, A. B. Stuckney, W. F. Prothro, and C. E. Smith were hostesses to the Friendly Builders class at a business and social meeting Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. A. J. Norwood opened the meeting with prayer, after which Mrs. W. F. Prothro led the devotional.

Following a short business session, games were played.

At the close of the afternoon, refreshments were served to: Mmes. Walter Beecham, J. E. Bridges, Fred Barber, P. P. Barber, Jess Barber, J. W. Day, S. H. Gwyn, E. V. Guffy, D. E. Holster, A. W. Lester, A. F. McKee, Roy McKee, Iva Noyes, A. J. Norwood, Horace Newton, Ira Proctor, C. B. Ponder, Lloyd Pittman, J. H. Smith, J. B. Terry, Luther Tidwell, C. W. Williams, E. J. Voliva, and the hostesses.

Chas. Goldsmiths Hosts to Pioneer Club Thursday

Another party carrying out the Valentine theme in traditional hearts and red-wrapped packages, was given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goldsmith at their home, Thursday night, for the Pioneer club.

Club guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haygood, Mrs. Guy Cowden, and Mr. Homer Rowe.

Mrs. Haygood won high score prize for guests in the evening's bridge games. Mrs. Frank Cowden high for women and Mrs. Joe Youngblood high for men among club members.

At the conclusion of play refreshments were served to: Mmes. and Messrs. Elliott Cowden, Frank Cowden, O. B. Holt, Joe Youngblood, Clarence Scharbauer, Harry Tolbert, C. C. Duffy, Joe Haygood, Dr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Thomas, Mrs. Guy Cowden, Mr. Homer Rowe, and the host and hostess.

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Petroleum Barber Shop
First Floor Pet. Bldg.
Norman Woody, First Chair
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Ethel Robinson
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Permanent Waves
\$1.50 to \$6.50
Shampoo & Set 50¢

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FEMININE FANCIES

BY KATHLEEN EILAND

Box office receipts proclaim "David Copperfield" a success in Midland we are informed. We hope that such success may be repeated in a sufficient number of places to encourage producers to make other pictures of as high standard.

The new linen suits are already in—and already being sold, we are informed.

We ate a good salad the other day whose basic ingredients were bananas and peanuts (and were there or were there not apples included?) Anyway, it was the other two things which gave the dish its flavor—and quite a good flavor it was.

Another effective touch to a home—book cases that are shaped like the niches that hold church statues, with round-arched tops and are built deeply enough into the wall to allow ample room for books and knickknacks.

Some people mourn the joys of departed childhood. Personally we much prefer being grownup for children have too many troubles. When a human has lived a number of years he decides, if he is wise, that there are few mishaps worth worrying about. It is a part of our belief that no one is beaten so long as he can laugh. Childhood has joys but also it has much more suffering than the average adult is willing to admit.

CCC University Is Temple Experiment

TEMPLE, (AP)—Temple has a university, unlike any other in the nation. It is being conducted as an experiment by Fred G. Eberhart, educational director of CCC work in this section.

The teaching staff comprising camp officers and others, has as its aim the training of CCC enrollees in various trades, professions and crafts, and in building a higher type of citizenship.

Medicated!
Ingredients of Vicks
VapoRub in Convenient Candy Form
VICKS COUGH DROP

Have Your
PRESCRIPTIONS
Filled at
Palace Drugs
and
Save Money

A MONEY SAVING OPPORTUNITY TO YOU:

Mr. Property Owner, if you could save money in your business you would be interested.

Here's an opportunity to save your County money, thereby saving yourself money as a citizen.

If you will come to the Court House and render your taxes at the office of the Assessor, either when you pay your taxes or before February 1st, 1935, you will enable the County Officials to carry on their program of economy and to hold down the tax rate.

The forms are ready and it will take only a few minutes time to make your rendition.

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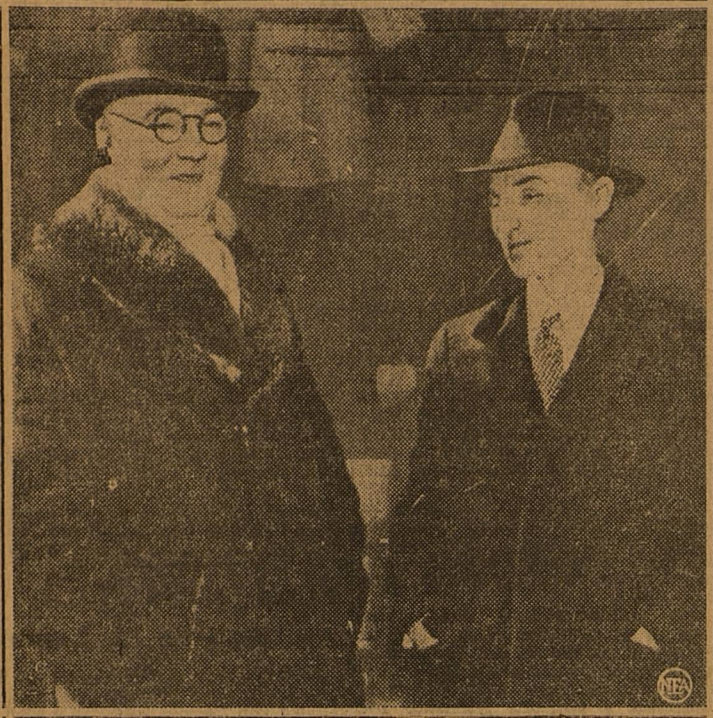
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It's Across the Street
Across the Tracks
Across the State
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LET ME MOVE YOU!

J. B. (ROCKY) FORD
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Reilly Riled by Aledged Tampering



Attempts to frame him and to intimidate defense witnesses are charged by Edward J. Reilly (left), chief defense counsel for Bruno Hauptmann, following an alleged effort to induce Louis Kiss (right), to retract testimony placing the Lindbergh kidnaping suspect in Bronx, N. Y., the night of the crime.

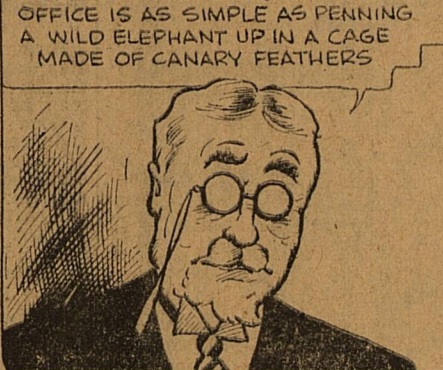
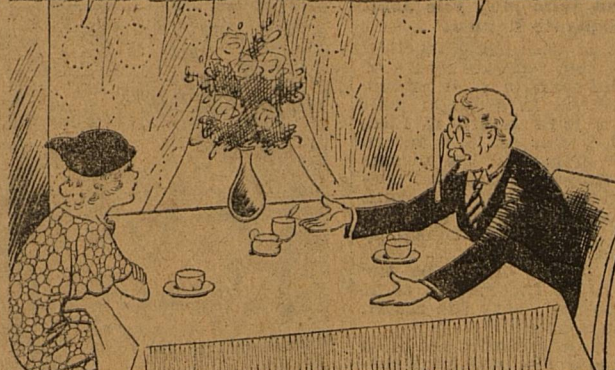
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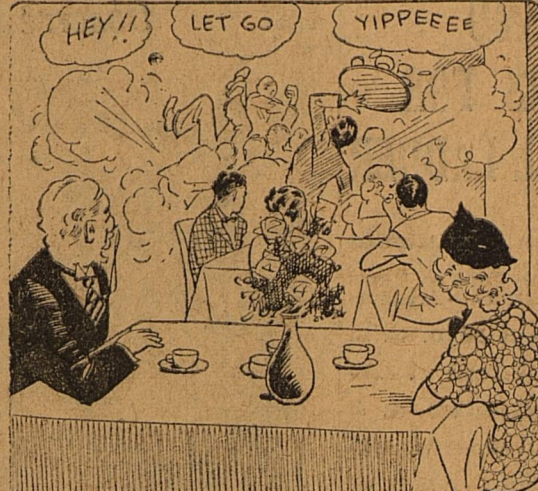
NOW, DON'T YOU WORRY ANY MORE ABOUT YOUR SON, MR. LEE! HE'LL SNAP OUT OF IT!

THE WORST OF IT IS, I NEED HIM! I'M NO LONGER ABLE TO GIVE MY BUSINESS THE ATTENTION IT NEEDS...

IF HE'D ONLY HELP ME OUT! I'VE TRIED, AND TRIED TO PERSUADE HIM TO GET DOWN TO WORK... TO STEP INTO MY SHOES, BUT IT'S NO GO KEEPING THE YOUNG WHELP IN AN OFFICE IS AS SIMPLE AS PENNING A WILD ELEPHANT UP IN A CAGE MADE OF CANARY FEATHERS



Oh, Mr. Lee!!!!

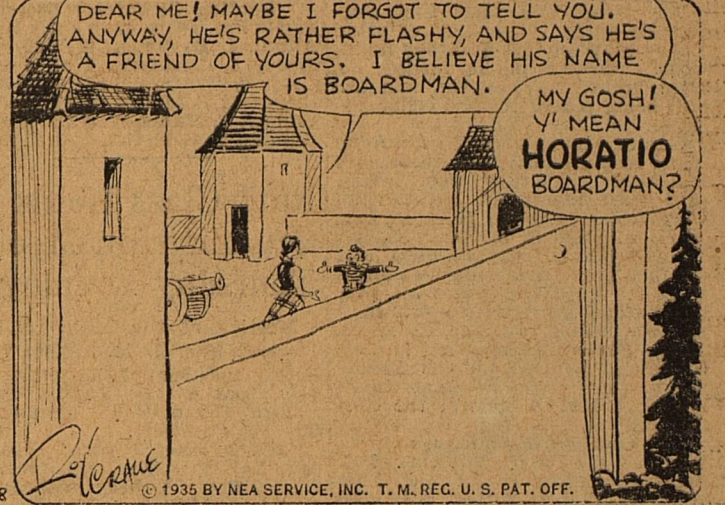


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WASH TUBBS



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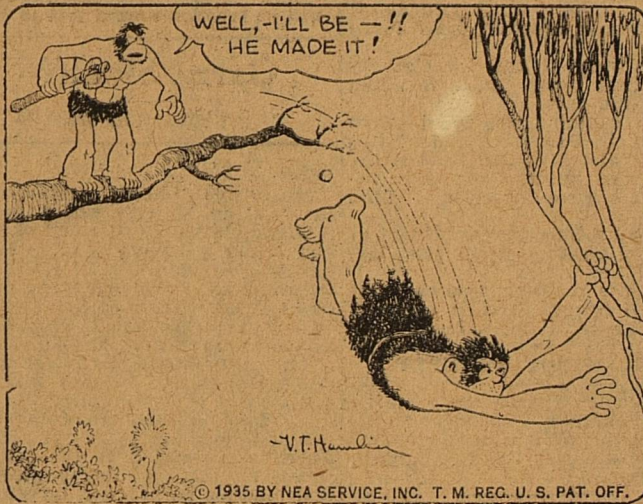


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ALLEY OOP



Good Nerve but Bad Judgment!

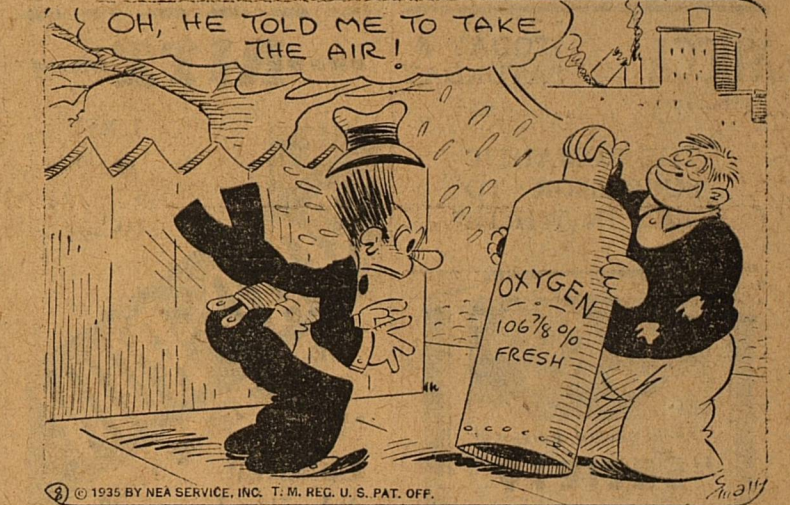
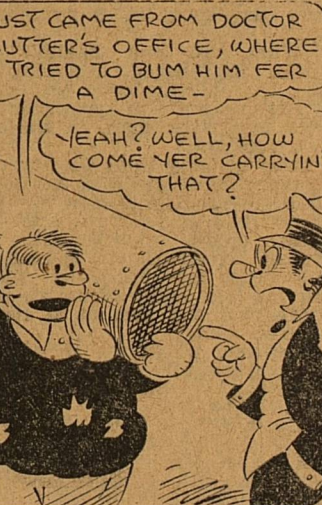


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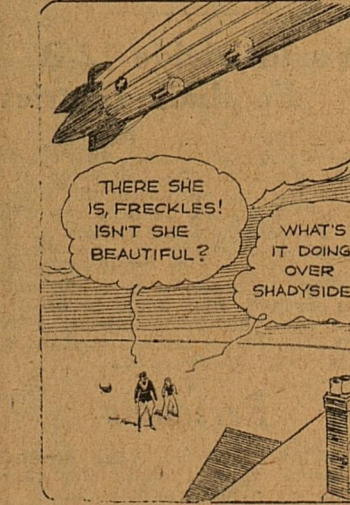


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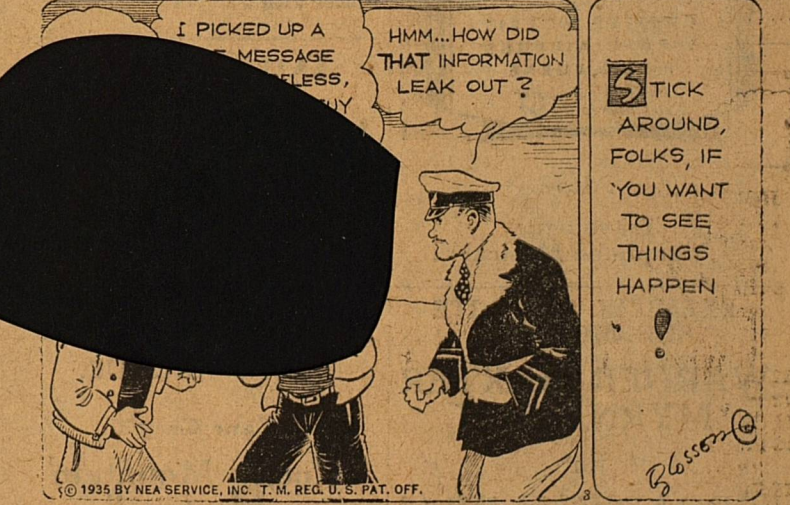
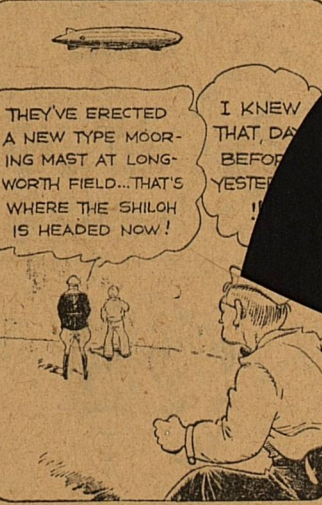


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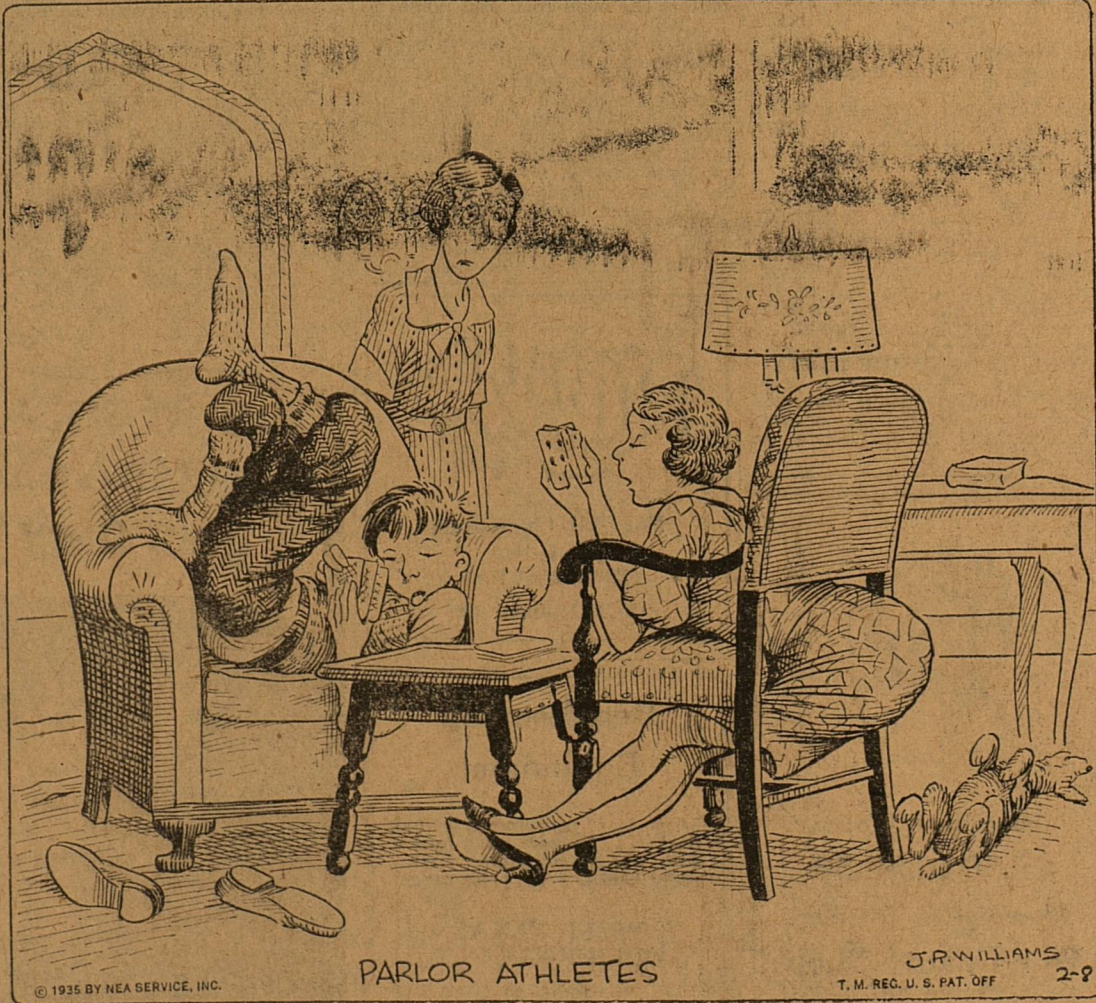


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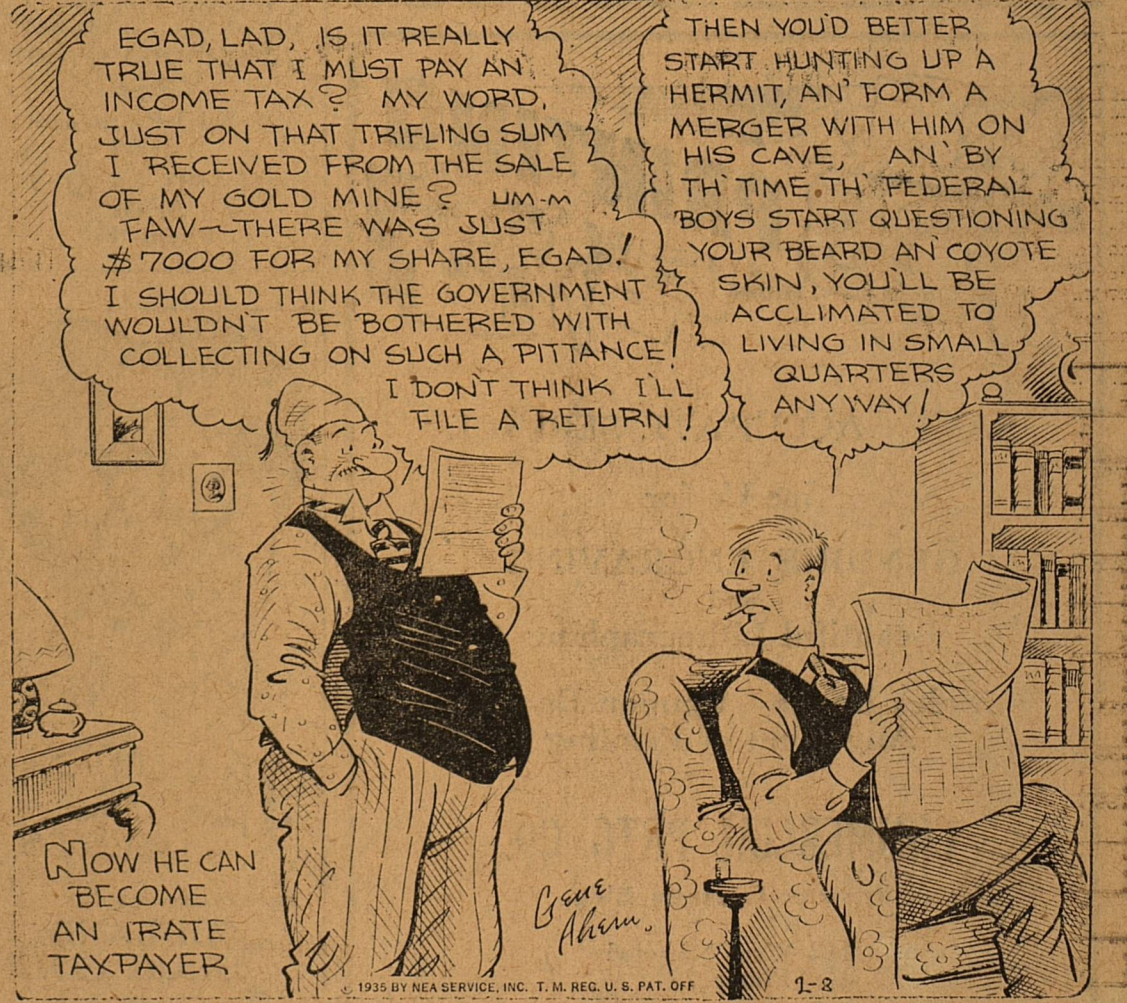
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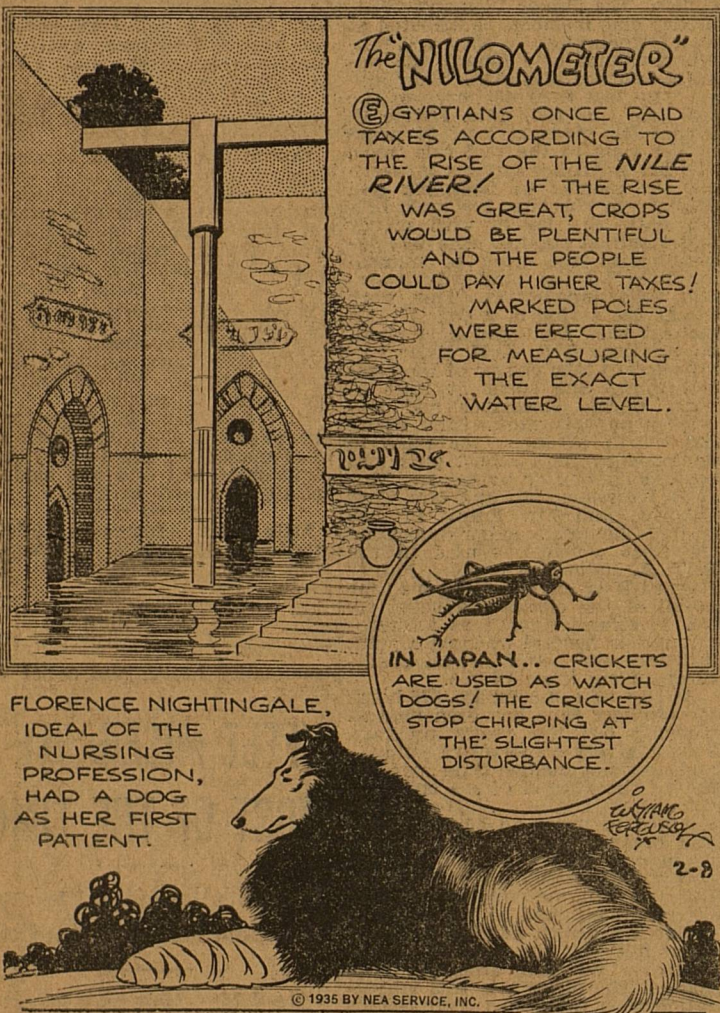
OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By AHERN

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



The NILOMETER
EGYPTIANS ONCE PAID TAXES ACCORDING TO THE RISE OF THE NILE RIVER. IF THE RISE WAS GREAT, CROPS WOULD BE PLENTIFUL AND THE PEOPLE COULD PAY HIGHER TAXES! MARKED POLES WERE ERECTED FOR MEASURING THE EXACT WATER LEVEL.

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7-Houses for Sale

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14-Personal

MADAM LAVVONE, reader, noted psychologist and numerologist; accurate advice given. Room 238, Hotel Scharbauer. 283-6

15-Miscellaneous

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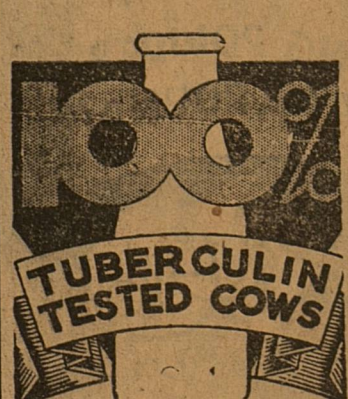
Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the City election April 2, 1935.

For City Marshal:

W. P. (BUD) ESTES
LEE HAYNES (Second Term)
PERRY WYRICK
A. J. (ANDY) NORWOOD
BEN DRIVER

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Milk From



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SCRUGGS DAIRY

PARLOR ATHLETES

J. N. WILLIAMS
T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF. 2-9

Gene Ahern

1-2

ARKANSAS HOLDS LEAD BUT SMU CLIMBS UP TO TIE STEERS FOR SECOND RUNG OF B-BALL LADDER

FORT WORTH, Feb. 8.—Principal developments in the Southwest Conference basketball race during the last few days have been the climb of S. M. U. into a tie with Texas for second place in the standings, and T. C. U.'s break into the victory column, at the expense of the Baylor Bears.

The Mustangs now have three victories and two defeats. They take on the Farmers from A. & M. in Dallas Saturday night in a game that may settle whether or not the Mustangs are the Farmers are to continue to climb.

The Frogs won their first conference game when they defeated Baylor in Waco last Saturday night. Coach Meyer's pupils looked far from impressive, however, and are still being picked for the cellar position.

Games tonight and Saturday night may reshuffle the conference standings. Arkansas and Baylor play both nights, in Fayetteville; Rice meets Texas in Houston, and A. & M. plays S. M. U. in Dallas. The Longhorns, the Farmers and the Mustangs all have but two losses to date. When the games are over at least one—perhaps two—will have to be credited with three losses.

If the Baylor Bears should be able to take a game from the Razorbacks, there would be great cheering in certain sections of the conference.

Conference Standings

Team	W.	L.	Pts.	Ops.	Pct.
Arkansas	4	0	151	93	1.000
Texas	3	2	174	153	.600
S. M. U.	3	2	162	132	.600
Rice	3	3	193	187	.500
A. & M.	2	2	148	144	.500
Baylor	2	4	159	213	.333
T. C. U.	1	5	134	199	.166

Recent Scores

Feb. 2 (Waco)—T. C. U. 25, Baylor 20

Feb. 5 (Dallas)—S. M. U. 36, T. C. U. 20

Coming Games

Feb. 8 (Fort Worth)—T. C. U. vs. Baylor

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Observe Boy Scout Week



A National broadcast from President Roosevelt February 8 will open our Boy Scout Week observance. This anniversary message will be broadcast from 7:45 to 8:00 p. m. our time over both the National Broadcasting and the Columbia Broadcasting systems. I know you will be happy to receive this information.

Garza Sheriff— (Continued from page 1)

Meanwhile Sheriff Cato and a farmer, Tom Morgan, whom he had deputized, drew up in front of Kitchener's place, nearly alongside the agent's automobile, in which the two informers were seated. Another parked car, questioned by the agents, was parked diagonally.

The sheriff and the unidentified automobile faced the east and the government car the west.

Had Sub-Machine Gun

The sub-machine gun in hand, Sheriff Cato walked to the government car, and standing between it and the car parked next to it, he questioned the occupants. They said they told him they were accompanying two federal agents, who were inside, and that they were in a government car.

"What are you hauling?" the sheriff first asked, according to this, the only available version.

"Nothing but this typewriter and brief case," the man in the rear seat replied.

After quizzing them further, the sheriff ordered the man out of the automobile. The woman remained undisturbed in the front seat. The muzzle of the sub-machine gun against his abdomen, the man got out of the car while the sheriff ran his free hand about his prisoner's side and arm as if feeling for a weapon.

The man whom the sheriff had forced from the automobile called McCullough. Stafford emerged from the building.

"Don't do that, were officers," he was quoted as advising the sheriff.

What happened thereafter was not clear in the minds of those who saw the homicide.

Seizing the barrel of the sub-machine gun with his left hand, Stafford reached for his small caliber pistol, which evidently was in his right hip pocket. He drew it out, according to this version, but before he had raised it, the pistol was wrested from him. Disarmed, Stafford ran between the government car and the one parked next to it.

McCullough, called by Stafford, while had come out of the building.

"God, man, don't do that," the officers," McCullough was reported.

Phillip Prager of the Popular store has returned from a shoe convention and markets at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Reed of Odessa were in town this morning.

Tom Mashburn of Stanton was a visitor to Midland this morning.

TO PLAY FOR DANCE

The Lloyd Wells orchestra will play for a dance at the Settles Hotel, Big Spring, Saturday night, it was announced here today. This orchestra, featuring Doris Donovan, vocalist, played a long run at the Benjamin Franklin, Philadelphia, and was in the O. C. A. circuit.

WORLD FRIENDSHIP PARTY

The World Friendship club will have a party at the home of Mrs. Horace Newton, 110 E. Dakota, tonight.

Special

MONDAY-TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
Shampoo & Set
35¢
Special Permanent
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PANGBURN'S
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THE REGULAR PRICE OF
CALUMET BAKING POWDER
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AND THE NEW CAN IS
SO EASY TO OPEN!

Your Income Tax (CLIP THIS DAILY)

No. 7

Husband and Wife May File Joint or Separate Returns

Husband and wife living together may each make a separate return of the income of each, or their income may be included in a single joint return. If a joint return is filed, such return is treated as a return of a taxable unit, and the income disclosed is subject to both the normal tax and the surtax. If a joint return is not made by an agent of the taxpayers it must be signed by both husband and wife and sworn to before a proper officer by the spouse preparing the return, or if neither or both prepare the return then by both spouses.

Where separate returns are filed by husband and wife, the joint personal exemption of \$2,500 may be taken by either or divided between them in any proportion as agreed upon. In certain cases it would be to the advantage of the couple if they should file separate returns and each spouse claim the total joint personal exemption. In the following examples, which illustrate this point, the husband has a net income of \$4,700, all of which represents earned net income, and the wife has a separate net income of \$2,500, not earned net income.

Computations—Separate Returns

Net income, husband.....\$4,700.00
Less personal exemption.....2,500.00
Balance (surtax net income).....\$2,200.00

(No surtax applicable since amount is less than \$4,000)
Earned income credit.....470.00

Net income subject to normal tax.....\$1,730.00

Husband's normal tax at 4 per cent.....\$ 69.20

Net income, wife.....\$2,500.00
Less personal exemption.....None
Less earned income credit.....250.00

Net income subject to normal tax.....\$2,250.00

Wife's normal tax at 4 per cent.....\$ 90.00

Total tax of husband and wife.....\$ 159.20

Computations—Joint Return

Net income, husband.....\$4,700.00
Net income, wife.....2,500.00
Less personal exemption.....2,500.00

Balance (surtax net income).....\$4,700.00

Earned income credit 10 per cent of earned income of husband, \$4,700.....\$ 470.00

*10 per cent of net income of wife, \$2,500.....250.00

Net income subject to normal tax.....\$3,980.00

Normal tax, 4 per cent on \$3,980.....\$ 159.20

Surtax at 4 per cent on amount in excess of \$4,000, but not over \$6,000, 4 per cent on \$2,000.....28.00

Total tax, joint return of husband and wife.....\$ 187.20

It will be noted that the saving in tax resulting from the filing of separate returns amounts to \$28 in the above computations.

Note: If taxpayer's net income, husband and wife compute the earned income credit in the same manner as in filing separate returns. If taxpayer's net income is not more than \$3,000 the entire net income is considered to be earned net income.

Genius of Capra Apparent in New Baxter-Loy Film

Described as one of the most beautiful romances to come to the screen, "Broadway Bill," Frank Capra's first directorial effort since "It Happened One Night," comes to the Yucca Theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Saturday night.

Advance reports on the picture indicate that it will surpass in entertainment value even the motion picture champion of last season.

"Broadway Bill" is the story of a man, at heart a roustabout, who prefers the open road and horses to a selfish, conventional wife and the smug security of an executive job held through the doubtful generosity of a financial minded father-in-law.

Into this situation is thrust a girl of the identical temperament of this man. That she is the youngest sister of his wife makes a complicated problem that is solved only after the three—man, wife and sister—in-law—go through an ordeal of drama, pathos and comedy.

But as in all Frank Capra productions, the actual story just forms the framework of the film. It is the genius of Capra to inject those incidental touches which are the really important parts of his pictures.

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But you can measure the amount of success attained by the board in promoting health education in the community by the amount of cooperation we have from all civic bodies. The officers of this organization wish to express their thanks for the time and thought that each individual has given to this work, and we believe that it is work which will earn rich dividends in the future.

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Woman Dist. Judge



An attractive blond of 38, Mrs. Sarah T. Hughes, above, first woman ever to be appointed a district judge in Texas, has assumed her duties, despite the flight of the state senator from her district against the choice, based on his belief that "a married woman should be at home washing dishes." Mrs. Hughes, law partner of her husband in Dallas, had served three terms in the Texas House.

'Road to Ruin'



The new, all talking "Road to Ruin," sensational film now being shown at the Yucca Theatre, showing today only, "Road to Ruin," starring Helen Foster, is the thrilling photoplay dealing with the romantic experiences in the life of a young, and innocent girl, who through sinning in ignorance, had to pay the price. The picture is a sweeping denunciation of the neglect and misunderstanding of adolescent youth on the part of parents of today.

Annual Report—

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As best we can estimate, 676 hours of volunteer time has been used in carrying out the program.

This is a very conservative estimate and does not include time spent by any of the officers of the board, or committee chairmen.

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Today's Market

Courtesy H. O. Bedford & Co.

Stocks	Open	Close
Amer. Rad. & SS.	14 1/8	13 3/8
Amer. Smelt. & Ref.	34	35
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	103 7/8	104
Bank of Ind.	14 7/8	15 1/8
Beth. Steel	29 1/2	29 3/4
Chrysler	37 3/4	38 7/8
Commercial Solvents	20	20 3/8
Consolidated Oil	17 5/8	18
Cont. Oil	17 1/2	17 3/4
Gen. Electric	23	23 3/8
Gen. Motors	30 5/8	31 3/8
Gulf Oil	56	56
Humble Oil	46	46 5/8
Lib. McNeill & Lib.	7	7 3/8
Montgomery Ward	25 5/8	26 5/8
North American Av.	37 7/8	38 1/8
Ohio Oil	9 7/8	10
Penn. R. R.	20 7/8	21 3/4
Phillips Petroleum	14 3/4	15 1/4
Pure Oil	63 1/4	63 3/4
Radio Corp.	5	5 1/8
Standard Petroleum	15 5/8	15 3/4
Standard of Ind.	23 3/4	23 7/8
Studebaker Corp.	1	1 7/8
Texas Company	19 1/4	20
Tex. Pac. Coal & Oil	37 7/8	37 3/8
U. S. Steel	36	36 3/8
Warner Bros. Pic.	37 1/8	38 1/2
Westinghouse Elec.	31 1/8	31 3/4
Wesson Oil	34 1/4	35

Fumigation Plant Active at Laredo

LAREDO, (P.)—The Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the world, is located in the southwestern part of Laredo, near the Rio Grande, where products from Mexico undergo fumigation to prevent introduction of the pink boll worm and fruit fly into the United States.

The "fumigation plant," as it is commonly called, was established in Laredo in 1917. The original plant was destroyed by fire in 1922 and the present large and modern plant then was constructed. The plant is handling about 200 carloads per week. It is constructed of brick and iron, has four stalls 235 feet long, each accommodating five cars at one time. Cars containing products that may prove carriers of the pink boll worm undergo the cyanide gas fumigation. Cars sent from the American side to the Mexican side to load goods that are pink boll-worm-proof are not subjected to fumigation on the United States side except those containing cotton seed.

The cyanide gas, measured at two pounds per car, is forced into the stalls under air pressure.

Cotton samples from Mexico are sent here for analysis. Such fruits as aguacates (avocados), oranges, manzanas, guayabas, sweet limes, apples, plums, mangoes, pears, quinces, papayas, tangerines, sapotes and peaches are barred from entry and when attempt is made to smuggle them they are seized and destroyed at the plant or sent back. Bananas, coconuts, grapes, sour limes, cantaloupes and water