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Girls are Studie Maxwell of Salt Fork and Florence Pepper of S. O. S., who are clothing contest representatives to compete in the state appropriate dress contest; Esther Fae Allen and Essie Smith who were winners in the district team demonstration contest and who will repeat their demonstration at the short course; Alma Mabel Clement who is sent by the Coca-Cola Bottling company, Essie Needham of Salt Fork, Mattie D. Jolly of Lutie, Opal Clement of Pleasant Point and Florence Morrow of Pleasant Point.

Saturday with Mrs. J. B. Stevenson and Mrs. Pink Sullivan acting as judges, the complete exhibits of the Pleasant Point club were scored. Pleasant Point club received the most votes at the registration opening of the Coca-Cola plant July 13 and was consequently entitled to send a delegate. Hazel McClure ranked highest with Alma Mabel Clement second and Opal Clement third. Hazel having been sent to the short course last year by her club, did not wish to take the trip again since others in her club had not had a chance to go, so she presented her trip to Alma Mabel Clement who had won second.

Transfer Company In New Location

Miller and Hopkins have moved their business location to the D. C. D. garage, where they are located at the present time, according to Lee Miller and Joe Hopkins who have been operating this business for a long while. This transfer business was formerly operated under the name of Miller Brothers.

Beer Thieves Get Gyped With Vinegar

Beer thieves in Wellington were gyped last week, and here's how. Deputy Sheriff W. H. Stuart arrested a negro whom he had been told was making beer. He seized the negro and the "beer" and brought them to Wellington, where it was discovered that the brew was nothing more or less than vinegar. Consequently the negro was released, and since Mr. Stuart was busy at that time, he left the concoction of vinegar in his car. Thirty thieves thinking it was beer, stole it from his automobile. The joke, however, isn't on the negro, nor on the sheriff's department, either.

Action Mounting In Whippet Race Sponsored Here

Contestants Are Working Harder; More Prizes Added To List

Much interesting information to people taking part in the Merchant's Whippet contest will be found in a double-page advertisement which appears in this edition of The Leader. In this space will be found the complete standing of the contestants, and a number of special and extra votes offered by the merchants who are sponsoring the free Whippet campaign.

New prizes have been added to insure extra interest during the last weeks of the campaign. The prize list is no was follows: First prize, Whippet roadster valued at \$773. Second prize, Atwater Kent radio set, valued at \$100. Third prize, \$20 wrist watch. Fourth prize, tennis racket. Sixth prize, pair of \$3 roller skates. The total value of all prizes amounts to \$911.

A special prize will be offered to the highest contestant on Saturday night, August 3. The count will be taken at noon that day and the prize will be presented to the winner at the Ritz theatre on Saturday night at 9 o'clock, August 3. The prize will be announced in The Leader next week.

Contestants who are now leading in the race are Burl Haynie of Quail, Etta Mae Allred of Quail, Kathleen Holley, Clyde Plemons, Laverne Hayhurst, Lester Campbell, Harold Boston, Ila Sasser, June Marian Alley, L. B. Smith, Marie Berryman, Genevieve Strickland and Frank Murray.

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These young men are fine evangelists, Rev. Smith says, and he adds that they are real preachers, as well. "They will give the people some good sermons. I expect them to please the people here, and especially the young folk. I have known them for the past ten years and I am confident of their ability," Rev. Smith says.

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Revival Services Will Open At Methodist Church August 4

Bill and Jack Thompson will be in charge of the revival meeting which will open at the First Methodist church in Wellington Sunday, August 4 at the morning service, according to I. A. Smith, pastor.

Both are Methodist pastors. Bill is located in the Lubbock district and Jack is pastor in the Stamford district. They have held numerous meetings together very successfully.

Jack will do most of the preaching at the morning services, and Bill will be in charge of the preaching during the majority of the evening services. Both are song directors, and when one preaches the other directs the singing.

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Work Starts Soon

Construction Work Will Be Started Within Next 30 Days

Wellington will have a modern funeral home which will be erected in the near future at a cost of \$15,000 by Ray Goodson, proprietor of the Goodson Funeral Parlor.

Earlier in the year Mr. Goodson purchased three lots on West Avenue, south of the Marland filling station, and the new structure will be erected on this site.

Plans and specifications are now being prepared, Mr. Goodson states. The building will be constructed of dark red brick and will be one of the most beautiful structures in Wellington and by far the most complete and modern funeral home to be found in this section of the state.

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Wichita Falls Men Stop In Wellington During Recent Tour

Orville Bullington, president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, and Herbert Harrison, manager of that organization, were in Wellington for a short time this week while on a good will tour through the Panhandle territory.

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Leo Smith died sometime during the night last Tuesday at his home here. He retired to his bed Monday night in apparently good health, but was found dead in his bed the next morning by his family.

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Club women who will make the trip are: Mrs. Taylor of Marella, Mrs. O. A. Kiker of Houselog, Mrs. A. B. Hicks of Pleasant Point who is sent by the county council to enter the state butter judging contest, Mrs. C. H. Caperton of Dozier, Mrs. Travis Clement of Pleasant Point-Fresno, Mrs. C. C. Graham of Lillie, Mrs. W. A. Morrow of Pleasant Point-Fresno, Mrs. Claude Whitfield of Plymouth who is winner in the county and district living room contest and who is being sent by the county council; Mrs. Hattie Neely of Plymouth.

Girls are Sude Maxwell of Salt Fork and Florence Pepper of S. O. S., who are doing contest representatives to compete in the state appropriate dress contest; Esther Fae Allen and Essie Smith who were winners in the district team demonstration contest and who will repeat their demonstration at the short course; Alma Mabel Clement who is sent by the Coca-Cola Bottling company, Essie Needham of Salt Fork, Mattie D. Jolly of Lutie, Opal Clement of Pleasant Point and Florence Morrow of Pleasant Point.

Saturday with Mrs. J. B. Stevenson and Mrs. Pink Sullivan acting as judges, the complete exhibits of the Pleasant Point club were scored. Pleasant Point club received the most votes at the registration opening of the Coca-Cola plant July 13 and was consequently entitled to send a delegate. Hazel McClure ranked highest with Alma Mabel Clement second and Opal Clement third. Hazel having been sent to the short course last year by her club, did not wish to take the trip again since others in her club had not had a chance to go, so she presented her trip to Alma Mabel Clement who had won second.

Transfer Company In New Location

Miller and Hopkins have moved their business location to the D. C. D. garage, where they are located at the present time, according to Lee Miller and Joe Hopkins who have been operating this business for a long while. This transfer business was formerly operated under the name of Miller Brothers.

Bear Thieves Get Gyped With Vinegar

Bear thieves in Wellington were gyped last week, and here's how. Deputy Sheriff W. H. Stuart arrested a negro whom he had been told was making beer. He seized the negro and the "beer" and brought them to Wellington, where it was discovered that the brew was nothing more or less than vinegar. Consequently the negro was released, and since Mr. Stuart was busy at that time, he left the concoction of vinegar in his car. Thirty thieves thinking it was beer, stole it from his automobile. The joke, however, isn't on the negro, nor on the sheriff's department, either.

Twins To Conduct Revival Meeting

Revival Services Will Open At Methodist Church August 4

Bill and Jack Thompson will be in charge of the revival meeting which will open at the First Methodist church in Wellington Sunday, August 4 at the morning service, according to I. A. Smith, pastor. Bill and Jack are twins, and this fact adds even greater interest to their meetings, Rev. Smith states. Both are Methodist pastors. Bill is located in the Lubbock district and Jack is pastor in the Stamford district. They have held numerous meetings together very successfully.

Jack will do most of the preaching at the morning services, and Bill will be in charge of the preaching during the majority of the evening services. Both are song directors, and when one preaches the other directs the singing. Bill and Jack come from a family of preachers, Rev. Smith explains. Their father is pastor at Rule at this time. A younger brother is in college studying for the ministry.

Bill and Jack will be assisted by their wives who will serve as personal workers during the extent of



Action Mounting In Whippet Race Sponsored Here

Contestants Are Working Harder; More Prizes Added to List

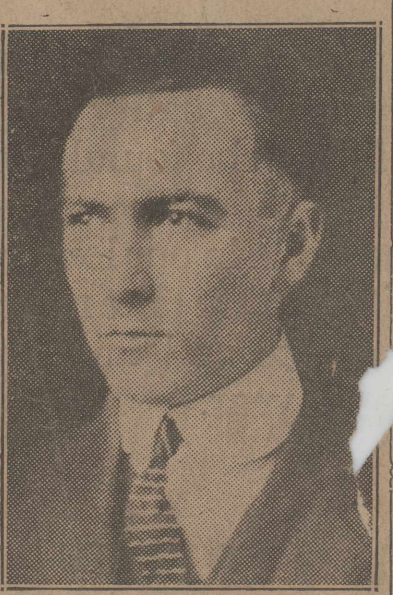
Much interesting information to people taking part in the Merchant's Whippet contest will be found in a double-page advertisement which appears in this edition of The Leader. In this space will be found the complete standing of the contestants, and a number of special and extra votes offered by the merchants who are sponsoring the free Whippet campaign. New prizes have been added to insure extra interest during the last weeks of the campaign. The prize list is no was follows: First prize, Whippet roaster valued at \$773. Second prize, Atwater Kent radio set, valued at \$100. Third prize, \$20 wrist watch. Fourth prize, tennis racket. Sixth prize, pair of \$3 roller skates. The total value prize, \$10 camera. Fifth prize, \$5 of all prizes amounts to \$911. A special prize will be offered to the highest contestant on Saturday night, August 3. The count will be taken at noon that day and the prize will be presented to the winner at the Ritz theatre on Saturday night at 9 o'clock, August 3. The prize will be announced in The Leader next week.

Contestants who are now leading in the race are Burl Haynie of Quail, Etta Mae Alford of Quail, Kathleen Holley, Clyde Plemons, Laverne Hayhurst, Lester Campbell, Harold Boston, Ila Sasser, June Marian Alley, L. B. Smith, Marie Berryman, Genevieve Strickland and Frank Murray.

All other information regarding the contest will be found in the double page advertisement this week.

These young men are fine evangelists, Rev. Smith says, and he adds that they are real preachers, as well. "They will give the people some good sermons. I expect them to please the people here, and especially the young folk. I have known them for the past ten years an old am confident of their ability," Rev. Smith says.

Will Conduct Revival Meeting



Above are shown Bill and Jack Thompson, evangelists, who will conduct a revival meeting at the First Methodist church in Wellington, beginning August 4. The Thompson brothers are twins, and considered one of the best gospel teams in the entire state.

Goodson Will Build \$15,000 Funeral Home

Will Be Located On West Avenue South Of Marland Station

Work Starts Soon

Construction Work Will Be Started Within Next 30 Days

Wellington will have a modern funeral home which will be erected in the near future at a cost of \$15,000 by Ray Goodson, proprietor of the Goodson Funeral Parlor.

Earlier in the year Mr. Goodson purchased three lots on West Avenue, south of the Marland filling station, and the new structure will be erected on this site.

Plans and specifications are now being prepared, Mr. Goodson states. The building will be constructed of dark red brick and will be one of the most beautiful structures in Wellington and by far the most complete and modern funeral home to be found in this section of state.

The building will be 48 feet wide and 38 feet long, and connected with a four-car garage 24 feet and 40 feet long. Above the car garage will be 2 bedrooms, a bath arranged for living quarters.

The display room for caskets will be located in the basement of the building, where a large space will be especially arranged and designed for this purpose.

Mr. Goodson states that when the funeral home is completed that he will have one of the finest, most complete and convenient structures of this nature which can be built.

Wichita Falls Men Stop in Wellington During Recent Tour

Orville Bullington, president of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, and Herbert Harrison, manager of that organization, were in Wellington for a short time this week while on a good will tour through the Panhandle territory.

Mr. Bullington and Mr. Harrison were enroute to Shamrock and Pampa from Wellington. While in this city they commented upon the progress this city has made in the more recent years, and stated that Wellington was located in one of the richest sections of Texas. They stressed the fact that development in this section of Texas benefitted their own territory and that each part of Texas was helped by every other part.

The Wichita Falls officials further stated that the people of Wichita Falls were rejoicing over the fact that Wellington was soon to have another railroad, and stated that Wellington's growth and development would be practically unlimited when adequate facilities were available.

Wellington Dies Suddenly

Leo Smith died sometime during the night last Tuesday at his home here. He retired to his bed Monday night in apparently good health, but was found dead in his bed the next morning by his family.

Mr. Smith had been working with the crew erecting the new Nazarene church in Wellington. He had been working in the basement on Monday, which was an unusually hot day, and his death might have been caused by sunstroke.

Mr. Smith was sixty years of age, having been born October 20, 1860. He was born in Kentucky and had resided in Wellington for the past four years.

Funeral services were held from the Pentacostal church Wednesday, with Jack Thomas officiating. Burial was made in the Wellington cemetery with Ray Goodson in charge.

Relatives surviving are his wife and three sons, O. T. Roland and Harley Smith, all of whom reside in Wellington.

Texas Producing Crops Valued at Billion Dollars

Panhandle and Northern Counties Show Heavy Production

DALLAS, July 17.—One of the most comprehensive crop reports ever compiled by the department of public relations of the Southland Life Insurance company indicates that, with even fair cotton, Texas again will produce crops valued at more than a billion dollars.

The Panhandle and North Texas counties are in the midst of a plentiful grain production. Central and East Texas reports that practically all of the grain harvest has been completed. With the fact in mind that crop damage further north has boosted wheat prices from the low level of eighty-five cents per bushel in June it is estimated that the Texas wheat crop will bring from thirty to forty million dollars.

Approximately 75 percent of all counties reporting on cotton indicate that crops are normal, good or excellent. More than 25 percent excellent. Insects are reported present in many localities particularly in South and Central Texas. However, less than 10 percent of these counties report any considerable damage.

East Texas reports the tomato crop entirely gathered with ideal conditions both as to prices and quality of fruit. Growers received an average of five cents a pound, according to reports.

Business conditions are reported as unusually good. More than 60 percent report trade conditions as normal or above normal. About 30 percent rate conditions from 75 percent and only 10 percent below normal.

One of the brightest aspects of the entire situation is the unquestionably growing sentiment for diversification, this sentiment finding expression in the increase of dairy products activity.

A watch weighing 200 pounds used for advertising purposes was recently finished after some three years of labor.

They're Reducing Your Bankroll



These young ladies above are doing something no one particularly likes in its literal meaning. They're reducing your bankroll! That is to say, they're employes of the "cutting division" of the Bureau for Printing and Engraving at Washington and they're working on the smaller sized paper currency which soon will replace the current paper money. The new bills are two-thirds the size of the present bills—and if that isn't reducing your bankroll, what is?

Enlargements at State Fair Park

DALLAS, Texas, July 17.—One new building and two with larger space will be ready in time for the opening of the State Fair, October 12, it has been announced by T. E. Jackson, president of the state exposition. A new Livestock Coliseum with an arena 100 by 168 feet and a seating capacity of 6,000 is now under construction.

Work has also started on the balcony in the Agriculture building. The balcony will add one-third more space to this building. Greater floor space will be arranged for the Poultry Show.

Talk isn't so cheap these days. At least, not for the advertisers over radio.

Before the World War only six countries bought \$1,000,000 or more of American leather each year, now there are 17.

Any City Saves Many Millions By Early Plans

Progressive Street Widening Creates Space for Motorists

Millions of dollars will be saved American cities through the expedient of planning city improvements early. This is evidenced by the experience of Akron, Ohio, which through carefully contemplated and progressive street widening has already saved nearly \$2,000,000.

Ten years ago Akron adopted a street widening plan calling for the eventful widening of nearly 20 miles of streets. To have widened these thoroughfares outright would have been impossible,

for the total cost would have been some \$20,000,000. The plan was adopted of establishing new setback building lines so that as buildings became obsolete and were replaced, the new structures were erected ten feet or more back from the former building line.

The two million dollar saving made by Akron includes money saved through the avoidance of condemnation charges. Having saved this amount in ten years, the city now is going to spend roughly that amount in widening four and one half miles of an important artery.

E. A. Kemmler, chief engineer, bureau of highways, of Akron, points out that the fifty-year plan will be completed at a total cost less than half of the original estimate.

If motoring comfort is ever to be attained, planning must be done early. Motor car needs will certainly be no less ten years from now. The saturation point of automobile ownership is not yet in sight—and if it were there is not a single town or city in the country that has anything like adequate facilities for the cars now within its gates.

As is shown in the case of Akron, the creation of automobile facilities can be made without straining the communities' resources.

Oldest O. U. Summer Student Born In 1871 And Youngest 1913

NORMAN, July 17 (Special)—Forty-two years separate the age of the youngest summer sessioner at the University of Oklahoma from the age of the oldest student enrolled. Mrs. Lucy F. Hawkins of Oklahoma City, who was born in 1871, is the oldest student, according to enrollment cards in the office of the registrar, and Mollie Wanda Wright, also of Oklahoma City, who was born in 1913, is the youngest.

University high school students and pupils in the elementary demonstration school conducted by the university during the summer are still younger.

Texas State Fair Will Hold First Baby Beef Sale

DALLAS, Texas, July 17.—Creating a new market for the West Texas rancher, and encouraging the feeding of beef cattle on black land farms of Texas, the State Fair will hold its first "Feeder Show" and auction sale during the 1929 Exposition, it has been announced by Frank P. Holland, director in charge.

More than 1,000 prize calves from West Texas ranches will be shown at the State Fair and sold to black land farmers and others to be fed for market.

"The Feeder Show" will not only open a new market for feeder stock in Texas, but is expected to encourage the growing of grain and feedstuffs on impoverished cotton lands of the state.

Disease germs rarely travel through the air alone, but travel as "passengers" on particles of dust, declares an European scientist.

ECIVRES

That's "service" backwards. Exactly what you get sometimes—backward service.

But one thing is certain. When you stop here, at the sign of "Phillips 66," you get no backward service. You get the sort of service that has made our station unanimously popular, although our location isn't central.

People are glad to drive a block or two out of the way to get service that isn't backward.

We keep our service up to a high standard by giving you exactly what you want exactly when you want it.

And when you trade here—you get PHILLIPS GAS AND OILS—the market affords no better or we wouldn't be offering it to our customers.

When you are in trouble on the road, phone 72 and the Whippet will be there in record time, extending this unsurpassed service to you no matter where you may need it.

It's a good thing to get the habit of trading at Sugg Brothers.

Sugg Bros. Service

BIL SUGG



CAL SUGG

Constant Growth has been our record!

During the many years we have been in business in Wellington, our policy at all times has been to render our patrons a distinct merchandising service at nominal prices.

Attesting to the approval with which this policy has met among the people of Collingsworth county, we point to the continuous growth the A. Bailey store has enjoyed.

Year after year, our exclusive merchandise has won new friends and new customers for this store. Now, more than ever, we are prepared to meet your needs in smart ready-to-wear. You'll find every garment in our house to be of finest materials, correct styles and smart patterns.

A. BAILEY

Chain Dress Shops

N. L. Jones, Mgr.

The Wellington Leader Serves
Every Section of The County

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Reach Impasse In Adjustment For Boundary

Land Claimants Keeping
Texas-Oklahoma Com-
mittee Apart

Agrees As To Cash

Senator Small Of Well-
ington Enters Counter
Proposal

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., July 20.—After a series of executive caucuses the joint committees of the Texas and Oklahoma Legislature reached an impasse in an attempt to adjust the boundary between Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle.

What kept the committees apart virtually was the claim of the John L. Wortham heirs. Texas wanted Oklahoma to assume the burden of Wortham or other claimants to any of the 28,500 acres lying between the long recognized boundary and the recently resurveyed 100th meridian. Oklahoma refused to do so.

After preliminary conversation between the committees, Oklahoma made an offer of \$1.25 per acre for the entire area in dispute, together with an interest rate dating from such time as might be agreed upon, the same as the land had been sold originally by Texas. Oklahoma would undertake to satisfy the claimants.

After the Texas committee held an executive session Senator Walter C. Woodward of Coleman, named chairman of the joint conference, announced that the Texas committee had no authority to bind the State but only to make a report, however, the Texas committee would not submit that proposal to the Texas Legislature. The sentiment in the Texas committee is said to have been that the price was too small to merit consideration.

Trout Builds New Brick Building

A new brick building has been completed this year by C. L. Trout, and is now occupied by Trout's garage. This is located in the same site where the old frame building stood, and is one of the most attractive of Wellington's new buildings. C. L. Edgar, and Loren Trout are in charge of the garage business, and carry a complete line of automobile accessories.

W. H. McClellan is proprietor of the machines shop which is located in this building, and has spent many years in this work. He was formerly employed at the Wellington Machine shop. Mr. McClellan is a specialty of acetylene work.

Wellington Has Modern Hotel

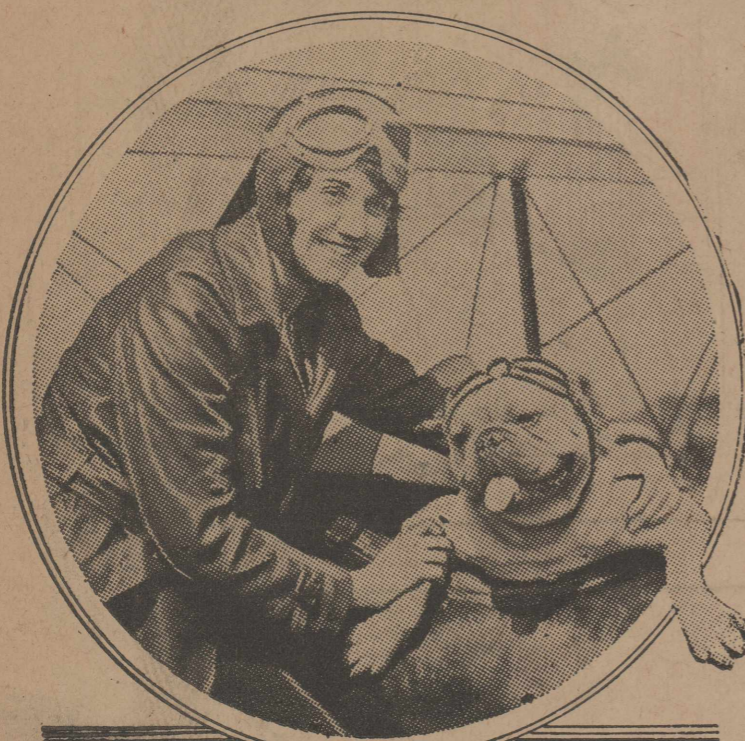
Wellington is fortunate in that it has a modern three story brick hotel that is well in keeping with the city's growth. The structure contains fifty rooms, all equipped with steam heat and private telephones. A large clean dining room joins the commodious lobby space. All the rooms in the third floor are connected with private baths. The hotel is being operated under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hearn. The hotel is owned by the Wellington Hotel Association, of which Mrs. Lucy B. Wells owns the controlling interest.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Porter and daughters, Vivian and Zula V., returned Sunday from Leon, Oklahoma, where they had been visiting Mr. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Porter for several weeks.

M. H. Sewell of St. Jo is the guest this week of his brother, M. Sewell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ward and son, B., and daughter, Marcella of Ellis, were visitors in Wellington Monday.

'Happy' Rides In National Air Race



"Happy," prize pet bulldog of Mrs. Dewey Noyes, Cleveland aviator, entered in the women's air derby from Santa Monica, Calif., to Cleveland during the national air races in late August, will ride as a passenger in Mrs. Noyes' plane. And if she wins, Mrs. Noyes will insist on a pound of choice meat for "Happy" as a prize. They are pictured here.

President To Be Active In Coming Battle

Hoover Evidently To Take
Active Role In Tariff
Battle

WASHINGTON, July 19.—President Hoover has called for information on the tariff from the United States Tariff Commission, the Commerce Department and other governmental agencies, it was disclosed at the White House Friday. His purpose, it is understood, is to "brush up" thoroughly on the issues involved in numerous controversies so he will be prepared for the coming tariff battle in the Senate.

This action on the part of the President seems to indicate that he expects to take a real part in the tariff fight. He has been represented at various times as dissatisfied with some increases of the House tariff bill, but has not committed himself publicly.

Boverie Shop Is Young Business

The radio and electric shop owned by Gus Boverie and located on the south side of the square is one of Wellington's newer businesses, having been established within the past few months. Mr. Boverie is an experienced electrician and has spent many years in this and similar work.

At his radio shop he carries several makes of radios and an assortment of electrical appliances.

Ritz Theatre Opens Here In Spring of 1929

Wellington not only has one of the largest and most beautiful theatres to be found in West Texas, but the Ritz theatre in this city is operated under a policy offering the public only the better class of entertainment at all times.

The Ritz, which is a three story structure, is elaborately furnished throughout and has been accorded a liberal patronage by people from all surrounding towns as well as residents of Wellington. This theatre which is owned by the Griffith Amusement company, opened in Wellington in April of this year, and two months later purchased the Rialto and Gem theatres from Henry and E. W. Cocks. The Ritz is equipped with Western Electric sound equipment and presents Vitaphone and Movietone pictures almost daily. The sound equipment here is the best that can be bought.

Cecil Callahan is manager of the local theatres, coming here from Panhandle to hold the formal opening of the Ritz.

Federal Board Will Not Visit Ports On Gulf

No Personal Inspection Of
Grain Congestion Is
Planned

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Members of the Federal Farm Board will not make a personal inspection of the grain congestion situation at Gulf ports, but instead will return to Washington immediately after attending the meeting of the American Co-operative Institute later this month at Baton Rouge, La. This was definitely ascertained Saturday when Chris L. Christensen, secretary of the board, declined for the board members an invitation from New Orleans business men to make a personal inspection of their port after the Baton Rouge meeting.

Mr. Christensen explained that board members were not accepting any invitations to make personal inspections because too many such invitations had been tendered and the members were too busy in Washington to further prolong their absence from the city.

Beauty Shoppe of Miss Cummings Is In New Building

The beauty shop owned by Miss Otha Cummings and Mrs. M. P. Watkins and which is operated under the name of Miss Cummings' Beauty Shop moved into a new building which was built especially for this shop early in 1929.

Miss Cummings and Mrs. Watkins have been engaged in this line of work for a long while, and have secured a great amount of equipment for this work. Miss Cummings' beauty shoppe is the first in Wellington to occupy an entire building.

Durant Agency Is New Firm Here

The local agency for Durant automobiles is one of Wellington's newer business concerns, having been established here only a few months ago by J. F. Holley, who later sold the business to W. A. Cook and W. A. Cook, jr.

Court of Honor for Scouts Meets

Twenty-two Boy Scouts from Wellington troops met at the First Methodist church in this city July 18 for the court of honor, at which I. A. Smith, J. B. Castleberry, E. W. Jones, John Parker and Scout Executive Jolly presided.

Elmer Knox Jones received 12 merit badges which included campfire, first aid, safety, public

Local Band May Enter Contest At Texas Fair

Prizes Totaling \$10,000 To
Be Distributed At
State Fair

Plans Discussed

Possibility Band May Accompany
Delegation
From City

Wellington's municipal band may compete for prizes at the Texas State Fair this year, although no definite arrangements to that effect have been completed. The annual chamber of commerce convention for West Texas which will be held in October at El Paso may attract a fairly large delegation from Wellington, and in that event the local band will probably make the El Paso convention, it is believed.

In the event, however, that the band is not sent to El Paso, Wellington will probably be represented by the band in the musical contests at Dallas, since the distance to Dallas is so much less than that between here and El Paso and would require less funds.

Rules and regulations, list of prize money offered and dates for which each of the bands play are contained in the State Fair band contest catalogue which is being printed, it was announced here on Saturday by Earl D. Irons of Arlington, chairman of the contest committee of the State Band Teachers' Association, under whose auspices the State-wide contest will be held during the coming Fair.

C. D. Shamburger Lumber Yard Was Opened Here 1909

The first Shamburger yard was opened in Vernon in 1907, starting in an old wagon yard. The second yard was placed at Cordell which was discontinued and the Wellington yard opened.

S. R. Pinkston, manager, worked for this company in Graham and in Vernon before moving here in 1921 to take charge of the Wellington yard. He has been with C. D. Shamburger 11 years.

The policy of this company has always been to build homes for salaried men so that they could pay for them like rent, and as homebuilders the C. D. Shamburger company has paid only slight attention to other kinds of building.

After C. D. Shamburger lumber yard opened for business in Wellington in 1909, the first sale was a bois d'ar post to Uncle Rex Blessing.

Goodson Operates New Music Store

One of the most attractive business houses in Wellington is that of the Goodson music store, which is located in the new postoffice building, and which is operated by Ray Goodson and Leonard Marritt. The Goodson store specializes in Columbia phonographs and Majestic radios, and carries a complete stock of phonograph records.

The Speedway radio shop, owned by Carl Langmack, is located in a space adjoining Goodson's music store, which makes the location exceptionally convenient. Mrs. George McCullough also has a space for one of her magazine and news stands adjoining the Goodson music room.

May McAvoy And Her Husband



May McAvoy, famous screen actress, is shown here with her husband as they filed their intentions to wed in Los Angeles at the hall of records. The husband is Maurice Cleary, Los Angeles investment broker. The wedding came as a surprise to Hollywood.

Tilley Holds College Loans Statute Valid

Opinion Discusses Acts
Applicable To Educa-
tional Institutions

AUSTIN, Texas, July 20.—An opinion by Assistant Attorney General R. M. Tilley sustains the validity of the several recent legislative acts authorizing the higher institutions of learning to erect dormitories with borrowed funds and repay them out of the room rentals. This also specifically upholds the validity of the \$265,000 of bonds issued by the A. & M. College in payment for its athletic stadium to be repaid out of the income from athletics.

The new acts apply to the A. & M. college as to dormitories and athletic improvements and also to the University of Texas, all the State teachers' colleges, Texas Tech and C. I. A., permitting the latter to build dormitories with borrowed funds and return the loan out of room rentals. Included in the permission is the State Teachers' College at Kingsville, which has had its name changed to Texas College of Arts and Industries.

Sam Harle In Drug Business Past 50 Years

Sam Harle, Sr., owner of the Harle Drug company, has been in the drug business in Texas for the past 50 years, having started his occupation in Savoy when he was less than 20 years old. Shortly afterwards he entered this business at Ladonia where he continued his store until he moved to Memphis 33 years ago where he operated the Harle Drug company until a few years before moving to Wellington.

Mr. Harle is one of the oldest druggists in Texas, and is the thirteenth pharmacist in the entire state to be granted a certificate of registration. He is also registered in California where he resided for a time prior to moving to Wellington.

Paul Harle assists Mr. Harle in the management of the drug store which was established here four years ago, succeeding the Mayflower confectionery which had been established a year before by Sam Harle, Jr.

Connally Asks Consideration Cotton Prices

Texas Senator Urges Ac-
tion From National
Farm Board

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Senator Connally (Dem.), Texas, appealed to the Federal Farm Board Friday to give early consideration to the cotton situation.

The Texas Senator urged the board to set up a statistical bureau as the first step in pointing the way to a consideration of cotton conditions.

Carl Williams of Oklahoma, the cotton representative on the board, assured Senator Connally that as soon as the board had determined its policies the cotton situation would receive consideration. He received with interest the suggestion for the establishment of a statistical bureau which would keep the board in touch at all times with cotton crop conditions.

Reports have been received here of the adoption of the Texas and Georgia Legislatures of resolutions asking consideration of the cotton situation, but the board has not yet been able to give consideration to specific commodities.

Ed Riley Shop Is Built in 1914

The blacksmith and welding shop owned by Ed Riley was built in 1914, and is one of the best found in this section. The large building gives workmen ample space, and the building and all machinery is well arranged.

Mr. Riley is well known to all farmers of this section, and makes a specialty of wagon and truck beds and has built scores of them for farmers.

Baker-Hanna Is Oldest Chain in State of Texas

Established at Grandbury in 1865 by J. D. Baker, the Baker-Hanna chain of stores is the oldest of this kind in the state of Texas. The Grandbury store was moved to Weatherford and the business then began to branch out.

The Wellington branch was established in 1925, opening for business September 16. H. A. Phillips opened this store for the company and has been manager since its inception. Mr. Phillips has been in the dry goods business since he was 15 years of age, starting to work in Crockett when he was that age. He was in the employ of the Richardson dry goods company of St. Jo., Missouri, for a number of years, and quit this company to take over the management of the Wellington branch of the Baker-Hanna chain.

Starting with only one store this company now has almost fifty stores in the principal cities of the southwest.

The Leader Now Completing Its Twentieth Year

July 31 Will Mark Twen-
tieth Anniversary Of
Wellington Leader

Is Serving County

Paramount Policy Of
Leader Has Been To
Render Service

The Wellington Leader is now completing its twentieth year in the service of Wellington and Collingsworth county. On July 31, 1909, Collingsworth's most enduring newspaper was established by Thomas Durham. For twenty years this newspaper has been a builder in this community, and during this long period of time the destinies of this publication have been directed by only four different editors. They are Thomas Durham, L. L. Ladd, J. Claude Wells, and the present editor, Deskins Wells.

For 13 of these 20 years, The Leader was the only newspaper in Collingsworth county. Eight of these years passed with this paper under the direction of J. Claude Wells.

With reference to the work J. Claude Wells has accomplished here in the capacity of editor of The Leader, Deskins Wells wrote the following in his "History of Collingsworth County."

"The eight years spent with The Leader by J. Claude Wells is the longest term of service that one man has ever given to newspaper work in Collingsworth county and was undoubtedly the most useful not only from the standpoint of length of service but from the earnestness with which the work was done. He piloted The Leader through the war days and with the assistance of his wife, kept the paper going single-handed at a time when it was impossible to make a profit from a weekly newspaper. Although former editors served the county well, to Claude Wells must be given a large part of the credit of building up The Leader into a splendid weekly publication."

For five years Deskins Wells has been serving as editor and manager of The Leader. The remainder of the staff at this time is composed of Budge Harle, managing editor; Mrs. Deskins Wells, society editor; Mrs. Laura Campbell, local reporter; Fred Kyser, foreman; A. L. Willie, operator; Frank Richards, floorman and Herschel Combs, pressman.

In 35 years, Collingsworth county has had 13 newspapers. Ten of them have ceased publication because of lack of financial support and possibly because the early editors did not advertise the merits of their publications sufficiently. Their efforts have not been a failure in that they paved the way for the present publications.

The first newspaper published in Collingsworth county was the Collingsworth Rustler, edited by J. B. Lawson, and made its first appearance in 1891. The second paper in this community was the Collingsworth Echo, edited by E. E. McCollister. It was first published in 1892.

In 1898 G. N. Arnold started the Collingsworth Review. This publication resembled a weekly newspaper much more than its predecessors, but ceased publication in 1900.

The fourth newspaper for this county was the Collingsworth Citizen, started in 1900 by A. Buerger. For three years it was printed in Mr. Buerger's home in Wellington. Until comparatively recent investigations uncovered copies of The Rustler, The Echo and The Review, many people believed that The Citizen was the first paper published in the county.

In 1900 the Collingsworth Courier was established by Alvie Gates in a frame building where the First National bank now stands where it was printed on a George Washington hand press. It was continued five or six years.

In 1902 the Wellington Times was started by W. A. Dunn and Wade Arnold. Shortly afterward it was bought by M. A. Forgy but Mr. Arnold was retained as editor. This was probably the best paper

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The Wellington Leader

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OUR GREATEST ACHIEVEMENT

Greatest of all the achievements of our modern industrial age has been the social and economic progress made by the "common man," the average worker.

It has not been long since labor was regarded more or less as an inanimate commodity, subject to the law of supply and demand, and purchased in much the same way as wheat or cattle or groceries.

Capital and Labor, once the cat and dog of the economic battle, now exist together with a fine friendliness and common regard. They have the same objective and they realize that it can be reached only by cooperation. The progressive employer pays good wages for good work, he is interested in improving the living conditions of his employes and he becomes a partner in their progress.

Tyranny and poverty and misery make agitators and incendiaries. High wage and pleasant living and working conditions make good citizens.—Shamrock Texan.

A FRIEND OF THE NATION

"A friend of the farmer" is the name that has been applied to Alexander H. Legge who has been taken by President Hoover away from the presidency of the International Harvester Company and made chairman of the new Federal Farm Board; but any man who will give up a \$100,000 a year position for a \$12,000 a year Federal post under the circumstances that Mr. Legge has done this is not only a friend of the farmer but he is a friend of the nation.

It is easy for one to say that he has "made his pile" and that there is no real financial sacrifice involved in devoting his time now to his country's service. In a sense that may be true but it is a truth uttered only by the cynical-minded. Yet, in a great sense it is not true. It is a sacrifice on the part of the International Harvester Company to sever relations with its able president. It is sacrifice on his part to give up a task that has been his life's work and his foolish to say that a reduction of \$88,000 a year in one's salary does not involve sacrificial effort.

It is the opinion of President Hoover that the acceptance of Mr. Legge has entailed probably the greatest sacrifice a citizen ever has made to render his government a public service, and Cyrus H. McCormick, chairman of the company, accepted Mr. Legge's resignation in "the spirit of self-sacrifice for the country's general welfare and for the special benefit of agriculture."

During the war Mr. Legge was a \$1 a year man. He knows world problems; he is a business executive of outstanding ability and there is no doubt that as chairman of the board he will go far toward putting agriculture back on a basis of economic prosperity. By doing so he will have served the entire nation.—Amarillo News.

INSURING SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The plight of the Independent School District of Cuba, in Johnson county, whose school building recently was destroyed by a storm, has precipitated a somewhat larger disturbance in the Legislature than that which was literally raised the roof of the school building itself. Representative Veatch of Johnson county, veteran legislator, presented a bill appropriating \$2,500 to rebuild the school. It passed, despite the fears of many that the precedent thus established would return to dog future legislative years. If the State is to go into the business of insuring school buildings against loss by natural calamities, it was also asserted, the State should receive the premiums which are called for by ordinary insurance against such calamities. This line of thought resulted in a proposal that the State undertake the insurance of all school buildings.

The advantage of such an arrangement might or might not outweigh the disadvantages which always attend extension of bureaucracy. Through the ability to place such a large amount of insurance business, lumping all the school buildings together in one policy, the State might obtain a considerable reduction in premium over the total now paid by the various school districts on their own policies. In addition, such a procedure would assure that all school buildings would be insured, and not only those so situated that premiums are very low. Then, if the State prorated the premium cost on a per capita basis as a charge against each school district, the effect could not be greatly disadvantageous, if it did not result in increasing the amounts which the more populous districts, including those of cities, were required to pay for insurance.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

TEXAS & TEXANS

By W. H. Stupp

Pulling For Texas

In announcing the beginning of the publication of this column in the Mission Enterprise, Editor Moulton Cobb makes a statement that should appeal to every editor in Texas. Among other things he says: "Though we are 300 miles from the center of population in this State, we are just as much Texans as are the people of McLennan or Dallas counties, and events of this State, should be of vital interest to all."

For many years this columnist has been trying to impress Texas publishers that all Texas newspapers should pull together for the general good of the whole state. The immense size of the state tends to create division of interests and efforts, with each section pulling hard for its own locality and often knocking other parts of the State. This rivalry extends to the cities and smaller communities until most Texans come to regard the real Texas as confined to their immediate horizons. No community can ever progress as it should whose citizens do not look beyond the community boundary; no state can develop who people are not kept acquainted with its progress.

The newspaper that fails to keep its readers advised as to what is going on in a constructive way throughout the state, thereby encouraging its own people to undertake greater things is missing the most valuable means for stimulating local enterprise. Most lessons of value are taught by example and comparison rather than by editorial precept.

"Texas and Texans" is a weekly column of comparative study of Texas progress, and if a few hundred Texas editors could but have the broad vision of Editor Cobb and the others who use it as a regular feature illustrating the worth-while undertakings going on over all Texas, a Texas spirit would soon be inculcated that would redound to the good of all the State.

Pardon what may seem to be "boastfulness," but these statements are prompted by the desire of a lifetime to render a more valuable service to all Texas than can be done without the hearty co-operation of the press.

Political Rest Needed

Dabney White, veteran Tyler newspaper man, who loves his Texas better than he loves its politicians, says that he has recently completed a 20,000 mile trip through Texas and that the people everywhere are tired of the strife and discord that is being stirred up and kept at fever heat by politicians and are asking: "Can't we find some mature, conservative and practical leader somewhere in Texas who will permit the right thinking people of Texas to conscript him or her to fill the governor's chair for at least one season?"

Donley Wants Junior College

Donley county has started a movement to secure a junior college under the law recently passed by the legislature and hopes to be the first to comply with the requirements. Before many years there will be many such colleges in Texas and most college students will take their freshman and sophomore courses near their homes, leaving the large state schools the work of advanced and graduate teaching.

Texas and Texans are wasting vast sums on education, and there is no greater problem confronting the state than the adjustment and unification of its educational system.

Arlington's Practical Method

The North Texas Agricultural College last fall established part-time co-operative commercial courses in which the student of "limited means" receives business training with some business firm while taking college courses. Just why this experiment is confined, it is, to students of "limited means" is not made clear nor is it stated why it is being tried only in commercial courses. The name of the school indicates that its major efforts should be in agriculture, and certainly agriculture affords a fine field for co-ordinating instruction with practical work.

Education that fails to combine instruction with practical life, whether in the elementary grades or in the universities, is about nine-tenths waste. The great reason why this is not general is that so few educators know anything at all about the practical side of life. Most of them are visionary theorists as helpless as babes when detached from their books.

Youth Makes Record

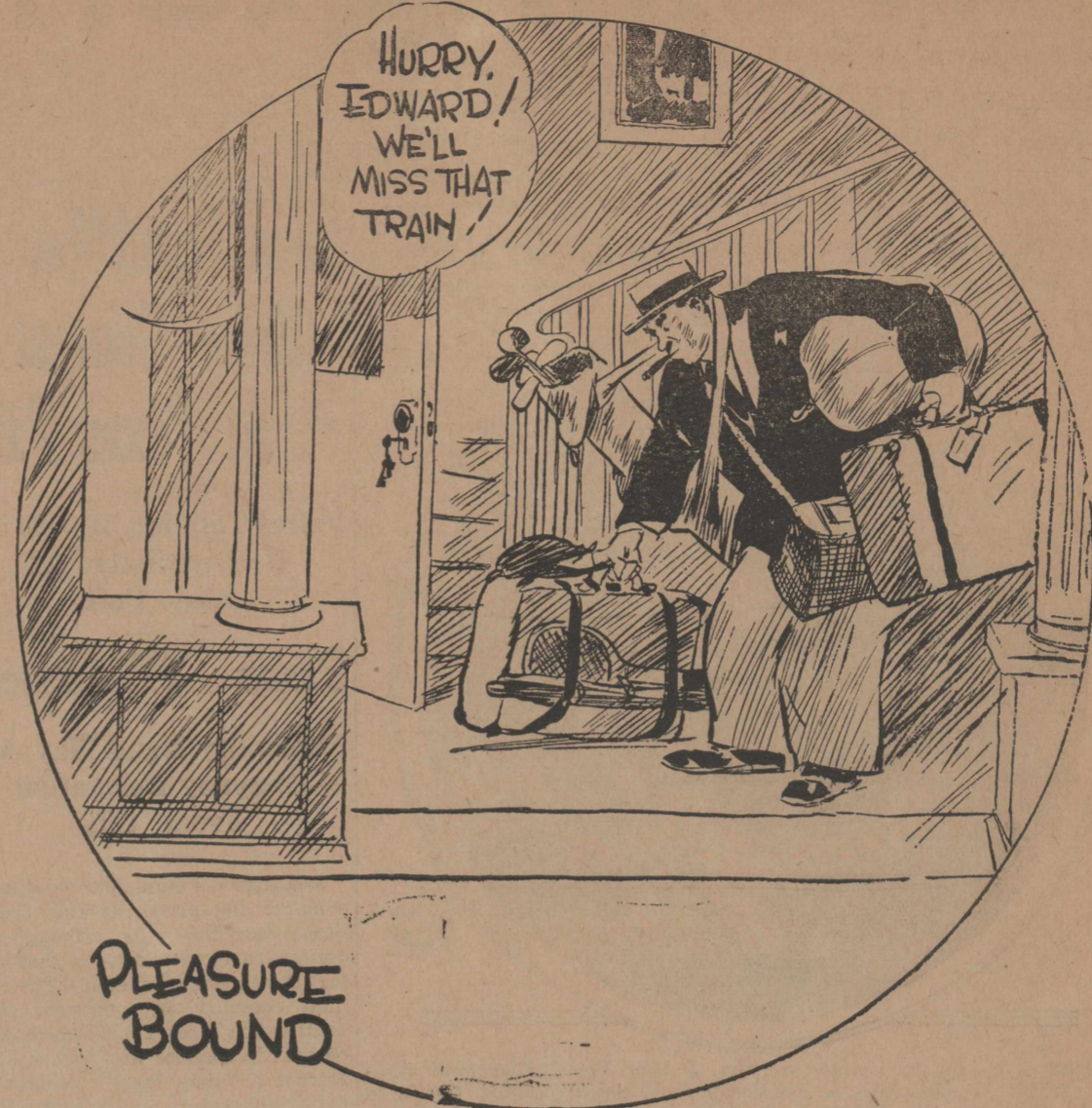
Here is something better than a tennis championship. A. M. Carter, Jr., of Plainview, a 21-year-old youth, who graduated last year from the University of Texas, is harvesting a 195,000 bushel wheat crop from 6,500 acres near Amarillo. When he graduated, his father, a well-to-do merchant of Plainview, offered to set him up in business. He leased the land for a period of eight years and broke the sod last summer in preparation for the first crop. The average yield, now being harvested with 15 combines, is estimated at 30 bushels to the acre. Right behind the harvester 20 plows are turning under the stubble in preparation for another crop. Of course, there are not many boys in Texas whose fathers can finance them on such a large scale, but the Texas youth who has it in him to succeed can usually find a way to get started toward success.

Heavy Vegetable Shipments

More than 25,000 car loads of vegetable shipments is the record for the Lower Rio Grande Valley for the season just closed. Weslaco proudly leads the other towns in shipments with 2,872 cars, with Mercedes following with 2,201 and Donna third, with 1,827 cars.

Despite these figures that are furnished by the railroads, there are multiplied thousands of Texas people who still think that the reports of the Magic Valley vegetable and citrus crops are purely mythical and intended only for gullible outsiders. Know YOUR Texas.

The Great American Home



Press Clips

Information is being circulated in Memphis that I am to be married to a Wellington girl this fall. This really must be news. It is to me. I know it sounds silly, but somehow I've always preferred to know who I am to marry before the ceremony takes place. I guess I'm funny that way. I hate to go in opposition to current gossip, but I'm very much afraid whoever started this wild marriage tale on me is due for disappointment. Why should I get married? I have a phonograph, a parrot, and a radio that raise the dickens all the time.—Lyman Robbins in Memphis Democrat.

The idea of running a column seems to be to print stuff that is otherwise unfit to print. We run rotten stuff often to show our readers nobody tells us what we can and what we cannot print.—Albert Cooper in Shamrock Texan.

Obviously, individual and collective business enterprises prosper most when the economic environment in which it works is most favorable. Therefore a community which has done much to create a favorable opportunity for industry a commerce and profitable endeavor generally, attracts new enterprises while a community which does nothing to encourage profitable endeavor repels new enterprises.—Fred Story in Childress Index.

Not in recent years has the loyalty and staunch friendship of

West Texas been so clearly demonstrated as in the Robinson case down at Austin a few weeks back. Tradition of man's friendship for man is a part of the West and no people were truer to that tradition than the ranchmen and the cattlemen of this territory. Those who had an idea that the necessary bustle of modern life had driven this admirable trait from the hearts of citizens of West Texas saw a spectacle that controverted that idea once and for all.—Sam Braswell in Clarendon News.

One thing we have to be thankful for in this country is that all the paper money is of the same size, while in Europe the denomination of the bill determines the size of it. Paper money over there ranges in size from two by three inches to newspaper dimensions, from ten cents to five hundred dollars and more.—Hutton Bellah in Altus Times-Democrat.

After sticking a little over three weeks to the wedded state, we can see a few advantages. The disadvantages are not to be published. Greatest of these is that our husband is a good cook. Bachelor girls if you are going to give up your freedom, at least select a good cook, preferably 30 years old or over, then he won't balk.—Hermione Briscoe in Harmon County Democrat.

For the past year or two there has been a demand for offices in Mangum which could not be supplied in the present office buildings. The need for a modern office building has been clearly recognized of late and the announcement of plans to provide a building with modern offices and suites

of offices is meeting with general commendation.—Davis Vandivier in Mangum Star.

It seems to be nearing the point that the safest place for a sane automobile driver is off the highways.—Graham Leader.

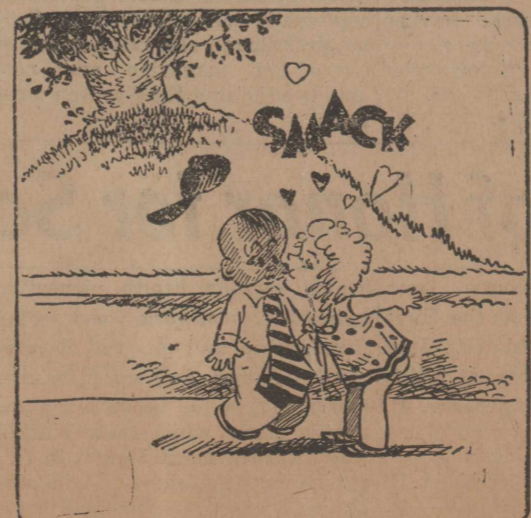
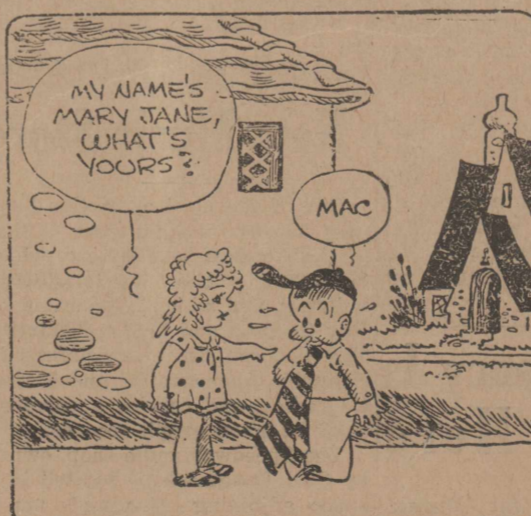
A village is where a man hates to buy a new hat from a merchant for fear another merchant will see it and get mad about it.—John L. McCarty in Dalhart Texan.

It has been thought a considerable advance toward establishing the principles of freedom to say that the government is a compact between those who govern and those who are governed; but this cannot be true because it is putting the effect before the cause; for as man must have existed before government existed, there necessarily was a time when governments did not exist, and consequently there could originally exist no governors to form such a compact with.—Sterley Saturday Post.

A colt gets more than half its full growth during the first year, so it should be kept growing well. The mare needs plenty of pasture grass and grain to stimulate a good supply of milk for the foal. When the colt is from three to four weeks old, it should be given some grain. A good mixture is 4 parts of crushed corn, 3 parts bran, and 1 part linseed meal. As soon as it will eat hay, some good legume hay should be provided. The colt should be weaned at from 5 to 6 months, when it is eating plenty of grain and hay.

Mac

By Irving



DECK'S Didactics

By H. D. W.

(BUDGE SUBSTITUTING)

LAST WEEK I remember * * * YOU READERS were told * * * ABOUT DECK'S vacation trip * * * AND HOW GLAD we were * * * THAT HE was gone, leaving * * * THE REST of us here at home * * * WITH LITTLE or nothing to do. * * * WE THOUGHT then that we would * * * HAVE AN easy time at this sh. * * * BUT MAN! How things changed. * * * IT ISN'T as easy as we supposed * * * AND WE have found for ourselves * * * THAT THE boss is worth his pay * * * AND HAVE decided to keep him * * * AT THE same salary another year, * * * FOR HE is worth the money * * * EVEN IF he did nothing more * * * THAN LEND an attentive ear * * * TO THE hard luck stories * * * ABOUT BUSINESS depressions * * * THAT ARE so numerous just now. * * * THE REST of us had no idea * * * HOW HARD times were until * * * WE TRIED to take Deck's place * * * OUT ON the streets and heard * * * THE PEOPLE all declaring * * * THAT TIMES were hard— * * * OH YES! We are convinced * * * THAT TIMES are hard and that * * * PEOPLE HAVE little money * * * AND ARE wondering where * * * THEIR NEXT dime is coming from * * * OR HOW they'll eat another day. * * * IN FACT, the panic's on * * * AND UNLESS it rains * * * TO COOL things off * * * WE'LL ALL be forced to quit * * * OUR JOBS and leave the town * * * AND JOIN our boss in * * * FAR-OFF Mexico * * * FOR IT won't take many weeks * * * LIKE THE two just past * * * TO SPOIL our serene outlook * * * AND WE'LL believe ourselves * * * THAT THE devil has moved * * * HIS CAMP to Collingsworth * * * AND THAT these hard times * * * LIKE TENNYSON'S famous brook * * * ARE GOING on and on forever * * * UNTIL WE perish! * * * OH SUCH a plight! * * * WE ARE in tears and our * * * HARD HEARTS are melted * * * AND WE are actually glad * * * THE BOSS is so far away * * * THAT HE can enjoy life * * * BY NOT knowing the heartaches * * * THAT WE must endure! * * * BUT MAYBE if a heavy rain * * * WOULD FALL upon us * * * IN THE next few days * * * WE'D ALL feel better, * * * BUT MOST of us are prone * * * TO BELIEVE it would take * * * MORE THAN a rain to help * * * SUCH TIGHT conditions * * * SO LET us cast our eyes * * * TOWARD THE hot heavens * * * AND SPEAK an earnest prayer * * * FOR AN OLD fashioned flood.

First National Is Oldest Bank In Collingsworth

Established Here 27 Years Ago in 12x18 Frame Building

Collingsworth county's oldest bank, the First National, was established in Wellington 27 years ago in a 12x18 frame building on the ground where the present brick structure now stands. The bank was then called the Bank of Wellington and was organized by Major W. M. Davenport, D. M. Hendard and C. J. Glenn. Major Davenport was president while Mr. Hendard and Mr. Glenn were vice-president and cashier, respectively. They were the only three stockholders at that time and consequently there were no directors.

March 1, 1906, it was converted into a national bank, and was moved in 1907 to a large concrete block building located on the present site of the M System store. This building was burned to the ground April 13, 1912, and the building where the bank is now situated was constructed shortly afterwards. In 1914, C. J. Glenn became president and held this position until the latter part of 1928, which time the bank was reorganized.

This has been a national bank for the past 23 years with a net earning of more than 20 per cent per annum.

Other officers at the time of the reorganization were M. F. Hunter, vice president; A. E. Smallwood, cashier; E. M. Hunter, assistant cashier. Directors were E. M. Hunter, E. N. Lewis, W. H. Andrews, Bob Glenn and C. J. Glenn. Present officers are G. W. Deahl, president; M. M. Kern, vice president; J. G. Nisbett, vice president; A. A. Holcomb, vice president; E. M. Hunter, cashier; John D. Glenn, assistant cashier. Directors are G. W. Deahl, M. M. Kern, J. G. Nisbett, J. M. Crews and C. Crews.

Joe Hardy Here Past 18 Years

Joe Hardy has been engaged in the operation of his drug store in Wellington for the past 18 years, having opened for business in this city April 14, 1912, which was the Sunday after the old theatre and First National bank burned on the previous Saturday.

Mr. Hardy purchased the F. O. Hamm drug store from Mr. Hamm who had been engaged in this store for about a year before it was acquired by the former. Mr. Hardy came here from Clarendon where he had been running a general merchandise store.

Lee O'Neil purchased an interest in this store shortly after Mr. Hardy came to Wellington and remained a partner with him until 1917 when Mr. O'Neil joined the army.

Mr. Hardy specializes in his prescription department and this is the local Rexall store.

J. C. Wooldridge Here Since 1907

J. C. Wooldridge lumber company has been located in Wellington since 1907, at which time the yard was opened here with D. S. Baker as manager. Other managers to succeed him have been Jim Moore, C. G. Wilson, C. T. Field, W. W. Neeley, S. T. Scott, J. E. Wilson and F. L. Emanuel.

The first J. C. Wooldridge yard was built in Petty, in Lamar county, and is still in operation. Wooldridge yards are now located at more than a score of West Texas cities.

F. L. Emanuel has been with the company for four years, working with the yards at Shamrock and Gainsville. W. N. Neeley, bookkeeper, has been at the yard for the past eleven years.

John French Is In Business Here Past Eight Years

John French, proprietor of French Tailors, put in his first shop in Wellington in 1921 moving his shop to its present location in 1923.

Mr. French came to Wellington in 1914, but he did not enter the tailoring business until seven years later. He worked for A. Bailey a number of years during this time. Mr. French moved to Wellington from Jacksonville.

Wellington Has First Store In Stone Co. Chain

Established in Wellington Nineteen Years Ago By C. E. Stone

Nineteen years ago the first store in the present chain of more than fifty C. E. Stone stores was established in Wellington by C. E. Stone, and since that time this company has grown from one store in Wellington to a business which now has holdings in the principal towns of West Texas and southwestern Oklahoma.

The first Stone store was located in one-half of the building now occupied by LeDerer hardware, and six years ago was moved to the present location. Mr. Jones, who only recently was transferred from the Wellington store to the Stone store at Abilene, was employed by C. E. Stone when he first opened for business in Wellington and has been employed by the company through all these years.

Mr. Stone himself was manager of the store when it first opened in Wellington. Other managers succeeding him have been Cliff Crawford, O. B. Crawford, P. A. Jones, E. G. Allen and Guy Pantier. Joe Tompkins is present manager, with Joe Fuller assistant manager.

No dry goods business of the Southwest has ever experienced a more rapid or widespread growth than the C. E. Stone stores, and Wellington people point with pride to the fact that Wellington's store is the mother of the vast chain.

LeDerer Store Here Many Years

The LeDerer Hardware store, owned and operated by Fred C. LeDerer, is one of Wellington's oldest concerns, having been established here January 1, 1912 by C. P. Hamilton and Fred C. LeDerer of Mangum and was known as the Hamilton Hardware and Implement company. In 1924 Mr. LeDerer purchased the half interest owned by Mr. Hamilton and since that time has been the sole owner of the business.

A second story, containing beautiful display quarters for household furnishings, was completed last September, making the LeDerer building the largest in Wellington.

The first floor is occupied by shelf and implement hardware, and two large warehouses are located across the alley from the main building.

Warrick Owns Large Grainery

J. E. Warrick is owner of a splendid grainery in Wellington. His holdings include a large warehouse, a new office and supply house located north of the warehouse and an elevator north of the M-K-T depot.

The Warrick feed store was moved to its present location in the brick building last year. Mr. Warrick handles several lines of well known and advertised stock and poultry feeds, and takes an active interest in the proper care and feeding of livestock.

C. C. Bell Owns Modern Bakery

Wellington's sanitary and modern bakeshop which has been in operation in Wellington about 21 years is now owned and managed by C. C. Bell.

A. F. McDonald operated the City Bakery for 17 years and during a part of this time the bakery was in connection with the City Cafe which was also owned by Mr. McDonald.

Mr. Bell purchased the bakery April 17, 1928 from Mr. McDonald who had to retire because of ill health. Mr. Bell was reared in Bowie county but moved to Hollis several years ago and later went to Clarendon where he resided until 1919 when he moved to Wellington. He has farmed in this county and has also been in the grocery and in the oil business before buying the bakery.

Hale Center had shipped 800 cars of wheat and other grain by both elevators and independent shippers up to a little over a week ago. It is estimated that over 80 per cent of the wheat has already been harvested. The 1929 crop promises to be one of the largest from the standpoint of yield in many years.

Clothing Store of J. N. Wallace Is Starting 5th Year

Enjoys Splendid Patronage in Wellington For Past Four Years

Only four years ago the J. N. Wallace mens' store, dealing in men's and boys clothing exclusively, was located in this city. At that time it was known as the Army and Navy store and operated under that name until this year.

This store was established in 1925 in the building which is now occupied by the Moore and Langford grocery. John Wallace, Carl Armstrong and Cecil McCandless, all of Mangum, established the store here, but Mr. Wallace bought the interests owned by the others in 1926 and since that date has operated the store as sole proprietor.

Mr. Wallace was employed at the Dixie Store in Mangum for five years before moving to Wellington and has had wide experience in this line of business.

Since locating in this city, the J. N. Wallace store has enjoyed a splendid growth, and necessary alterations have been made from time to time in order to maintain adequate quarters for the patronage which the store is accorded. The store was moved to its present location in March 1925.

In beginning his fifth year in Wellington, Mr. Wallace states that he is grateful for the friends and customers which have enabled his business to enjoy increasingly large patronage, and that he will make every attempt to merit a continuation of wearing apparel for men and boys.

Barnes & Hastings Here Five Years

August 1, 1924, Barnes and Hastings grocery was opened in Wellington at its present location in the E. W. Cocks building. It was established by J. L. Barnes of Memphis and C. F. Hastings of Bovina with W. M. Thompson as manager. Mr. Thompson later purchased Mr. Hastings' interest in the business but the firm name has not been changed.

Mr. Thompson came to Wellington from Estelline. He has been in the grocery business since 1910. For nine years he delivered groceries in Memphis for the Highland Mercantile company, staying there five and a half years. Since that time he has been in Wellington in his present business.

The Toggery Is Here 12 Years

Twelve years ago Ira Self established the tailor shop which is now known as The Toggery. It was then a small shop and was located on the south side of the square. In 1919 Mr. Self sold the shop to Pat Robinson and Homer Randall who ran it for about a year and sold it to John O'Hearn. It was later purchased by Morris Wells and Ira Self and Mr. Self continued in the business alone for about three years at the end of which time Roy M. Horn, the present proprietor, became owner.

Mr. Horn held a position in the First National bank prior to joining the army, and after returning from the army he took up the tailoring business.

J. L. Burt Is Photographer Here Since 1917

J. L. Burt has been Wellington's photographer since 1917, when he purchased the studio which was then operated by J. W. and J. E. Payne. Mr. Burt came to Wellington from Mangum in 1915 and worked in the studio for two years before purchasing the business.

The studio has been located in the present quarters ever since the City Drug store building was constructed.

Mr. Burt has been a photographer for 23 years, entering this business in Mangum where he was engaged in the work before moving to Wellington.

The common toad should be welcomed as a guest on the farm, since it is an enemy of many injurious insects, including the plum and apple cuculois, potato beetle, tent caterpillar, canker worm, and gipsy and browntail moth caterpillars. About 98 per cent of the toad's food is of animal origin, and more than 60 per cent consists of harmful insects, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The toad feeds during the evening and night, and in 24 hours consumes insect food equal to four times its stomach capacity.



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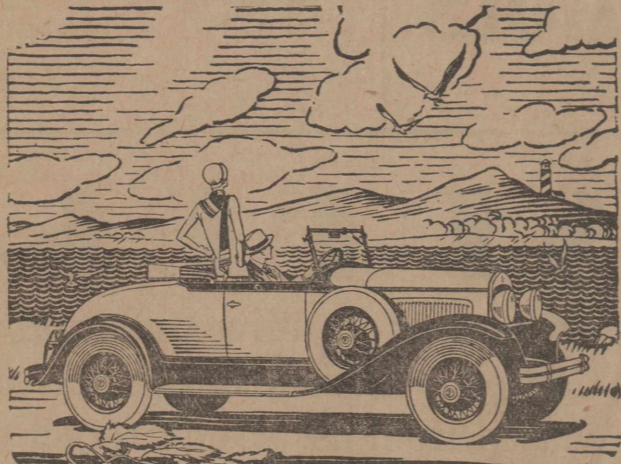
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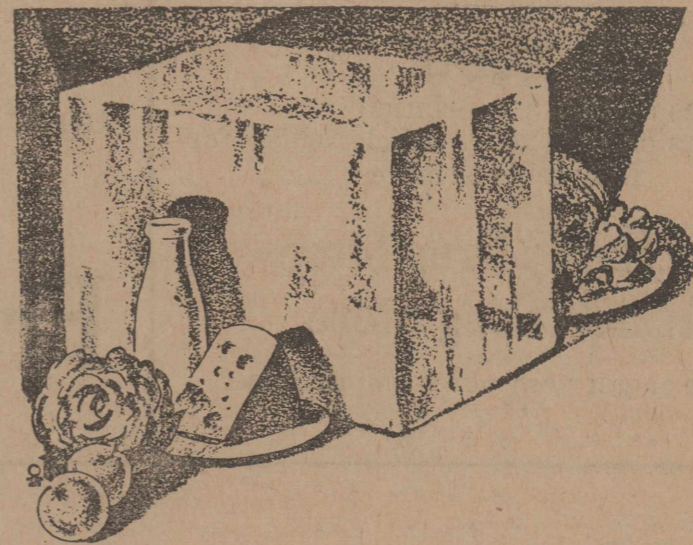
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Goforth, Firman .70,395	Wilson, Annab
Miller, Mabel .61,072	Tarnell, Sara
McQueen, Christine .58,520	Price, Phila
Slough, Mildred .54,000	Crowley, Effi
Land, Eunice .53,700	Sullivan, Hen
Jackson, Minta .52,490	Polk, WeAdo
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- Whippet Knight Co.
- Wellington Leader
- Ritz Confectionery
- Wellington Coca-Cola Co.
- The French Tailors
- Ritz Theatre
- J. C. Wooldridge Lumber Co.
- Sugg Brothers Service
- Goodyear Shoe Shop
- Snell's Cash Store
- Joe Hardy Drug Co.
- The City Cafe
- Wellington Mach. Shop and Garage

LIST OF PRIZES FOUND E

Think of it—More than Nine Hundred Dollars
Contestants are now soliciting the support
one has not already called on you, pick so
votes for them. Remember, it costs no mo
Boy or Girl

Headquarters
For The Contest
Headquarters for your
Drug Needs

SPECIAL

5,000 votes on each prescription
1,000 votes on each toilet article selling for
fifty cents or more

Joe Hardy Drug Store
Arcade Drug Store

Be sure to get your votes on purchases

Lookit-Lookit

5,000 Votes Free
—on—

Each Cleaning Job

Brought in to our Shop

up to, and including Sat., Aug. 3

French Tailors

25,000
Votes

On each refrigerator sold at reduced prices dur
ing the next 10 days. Votes will be given on pur
chase price of refrigerators

FRANKS
Furniture Store

SPECIAL

For the next 15 days five thousand votes on Whip
pet Contest with each one gallon of Lincoln paint
purchased from us. Don't forget to call for your
votes on any and all purchases

QUALITY AND SERVICE

J. C. Wooldridge Lbr. Co.

Phon 53

DEAR CONTESTANTS:

Up to and including Saturday, August the third,
we will give a bonus of 20,000 votes on any job
brought in to our shop. Step on this, Boys and
Girls. One job will go a long way toward winning
this car for you

Yours truly,

LAUGHTER & McDONALD

Car Painting, Body and Fender Work

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THE CITY

will give 10,000 Votes
Tickets good for \$5.00

Here's your chance to go over th
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ters. They are good any time.
and Christmas Dinner v

Merchants' Whippet

win with us

FRIDAY NIGHT THIS WEEK
WE HAVE SIX WEEKS TO GO
DO OUR BEST WORK NOW

Entered In The Contest

BE CAREFULLY—BE ON THE
LOOK FOR SPECIALS

Friday night, September 7th.
beginning Monday Morning.
Party are working hard toward
to be you who will be the lucky

NOTICE

worth only 10 votes
Bread and Roll wrappers,
Golden Light Coffee can, etc.,
for votes

OF THOSE WHO HAVE OVER LAST SATURDAY NIGHT

43,930	Keller, Aubert	11,795
36,560	Taylor, Laurie	10,720
35,850	Scheu, Ralph	8,635
31,470	Parker, Woodrow	7,345
30,605	Purveyer, E. C.	7,150
30,185	Jackson, Sammy	6,355
29,609	Leach, Harold	5,710
28,705	Painter, Arlie Fay	5,410
28,500	Burton, Wandean	6,105
28,310	Saied, Victor	5,905
26,830	Dorn, Howard	5,000
26,385	Watson, Jannita	4,700
25,915	Arnold, A. W.	3,860
25,285	Burton, Essie Mae	3,555
25,025	Russell, Lula	2,550
25,000	Holland, Anna Lee	2,505
25,000	Genty, Claud	2,450
25,000	Simon, Clyde	2,370
22,805	Wattenburger, Opal	2,225
19,380	Elmore, Gordon	2,225
18,750	Wilks, Louise	2,125
18,005	Simpson, Marlin	2,100
16,585	Hester, Robert	2,100
15,095	Morris, Lewis	2,095
14,930	Morris, Lewis	2,095
13,475	Tinson, Velma	2,050

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are offering votes on all cash
ts, also on labels, cartons, etc.

- Arcade Drug Store
- Miss Cummings' Beauty Shoppe
- Little Mercantile Co.
- Laughter & McDonald Top Shop
- The City Babery
- Service Barber Shop
- Franks Furniture Co.
- Quail Mercantile Co. (Quail)
- Magnolia Service Station (Quail)
- M. P. Scott Hardware, Dodsonville
- Malone Drug Store, Dodsonville
- McCero Smith Lbr. Co., Dodsonville

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e Cafe or at contest Headquar-
You can buy your Thanksgiving
with them if you wish.

BETTER SERVICE AND BETTER PRODUCTS

You not only get better service
and better products when you
stop at Sugg Brothers Service, but
you get the added inducement of
Free Whippet Votes.

These are only a few of the rea-
sons why it is pleasant and profi-
table to stop with Sugg Brothers
—At the sign of Phillips '66'.

SUGG BROTHERS SERVICE

Bil Sugg Cal Sugg

MAGNOLIA Service Station QUAIL, TEXAS

Come in to see us
We will hep you win

Don't forget your votes
on each purchase

Xtra Special

For one week only—To Saturday, Aug. 1.
We will give our regular \$10.00 Permanent
Wave for only \$5.00. Save \$5.00 and re-
ceive 10,000 votes Free on the Whippet car.
We have prepared tickets of \$5.00 and \$2.50
value. Contestants sell these to your friends
and pile up votes for yourself.

10,000 Votes for \$5.00 Ticket.
5,000 Votes for \$2.50 Ticket.

Get Your Permanent Now On This
Special Offer

Miss Cummings Beauty Shop

Attention..!

Contestants
and
Friends

Watch for our Special
Circulars Announcing

Special Prices

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Special Votes

Don't overlook this opportu-
nity to Save

Don't pass up this Chance
for Votes

Win With Us

LITTLE Mercantile

A WORD To The Thirsty

DRINK COCA-COLA In Bottles

Save The Crowns

They are good for 10 VOTES each in the Merchant's Auto Contest
Redeem them at Contest Headquarters

COCA-COLA

Bottling Company

W. Y. Burden, Prop.

Wellington—Shamrock

20,000 VOTES

Boys, Girls, bring in your prospects for either new
or used cars. Up to and including August 4th we
will give each boy or girl bringing us a purchaser
a bonus of 20,000 votes. Also a bonus on shop work

RICKETTS

WHIPPET-KNIGHT CO.

J. W. Ricketts, Owner

C. G. Bower Is Successor To Old A. and W.

Established in 1907, Is Oldest Dry Goods Store in Wellington

The oldest dry goods store in Wellington is that owned by C. G. Bower which was established in 1907 by Anderson and Womach and which until a little more than a year ago continued under the name of the A. and W. store.

In 1912 R. L. Gulley bought an interest in the store, and it was owned by Anderson, Gulley and company but the name of the firm was not changed from A. and W. The store was bought by C. G. Bower and company in 1922 but the old firm name was still retained until February 1928 when the "A. and W." was dropped and the business styled C. G. Bower Dry Goods.

Mr. Bower was also in business at Wheeler until February of last year when he sold his interests there.

The Bower store is not only the oldest store of its kind in Wellington, but it has kept well in line with the modern trend in merchandising and today is enjoying the greatest patronage in the history of the store. As many as eight employees are engaged here regularly. The business is under the personal supervision of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bower.

Fain Stores Are Only 5 Years Old

Fain department stores are a comparatively new organization of this type, having been established only six years ago by J. A. Fain and J. A. Dixon. The first store was in Memphis and the company now has almost a dozen similar stores in this part of Texas and in southwestern Oklahoma.

The local store was instituted four years ago. Mr. Fain was the first manager of this store, but W. W. Fletcher was placed in charge about six months after the store opened. Mr. Fletcher was transferred to Mangum six or eight months ago, and Jess Hancock has been in charge of the Wellington store since that time.

J. A. Dixon of Vernon is the original founder of the Fain stores. He has a dry goods store in Vernon at the present time and has been in the dry goods business more than 21 years. J. A. Fain was in Mr. Dixon's employ as a bookkeeper for 12 years before the chain department stores were organized.

Insurance Firm Is Long Founded

Several years ago the insurance firm of Wells & O'Neil was first started by Mr. O'Connell who operated this firm for a time before it was sold to Grover C. Cunningham who later sold to Herbert Dysart. Mr. Dysart sold a half interest in the business to A. C. Nicholson. In the meantime, Mr. Dysart had bought out the office of R. R. Sherwood and the agencies had been consolidated.

Mr. Nicholson sold his interest to M. M. Kern and the firm of Dysart and Kern operated this business until it was purchased by E. A. Wells and H. A. Holcomb, who sold to the present owners, Morris Wells and Lee O'Neil. Four years ago Wells and O'Neil bought the abstract business of Coker and Gribble and in January 1926 bought the insurance business of J. M. Strong.

Cochran Buys Store in 1924

A. L. Cochran purchased the Bob Scott drug store September 8, 1924 and the drug store at that time was located in the building where the Percy Wells department store is now located. The drug store was moved to its present location January 5, 1926.

Mr. Cochran has been in the drug business for the past 18 years, having been in this business at Dodsonville, Madill and Paul's Valley before locating in Wellington. He lived on a farm between Wellington and Dodsonville for eight years before entering the drug business.

The Cochran drug store also owns the Rialto confectionery which is located in the Rialto theatre building.

W. T. U. Co. Operating In Hundred Towns

Wellington Is Served By Efficient Utilities Companies

Only twelve years ago the West Texas Utilities company started this industrial business at Abilene, and since that time it has expanded to such an extent that the West Texas Utilities company now has holdings in more than a hundred of the better cities of West Texas.

The company has made its growth in buying out other plants and by establishing plants outright in many other places. To render a flawless electrical service has been the policy of this company, and in this short time it has grown from one to more than a hundred plants—showing how well that policy has been rewarded.

This company bought the Wellington unit October 1, 1927, from Central Power and light company. S. P. Buster has been local manager since that time. He had been in charge of a plant at Shamrock before then but moved to Wellington when the W. T. U. company took over this plant. Wellington's electrical service is thoroughly satisfactory.

Wellington's water supply is municipally owned, and controlled by the city council of Wellington. Under this management the water service has not only been adequate for the demands of Wellington, but the water works has shown a nice margin of profit for the city funds during the past two or three years.

Wellington is served by the Northern Texas Utilities company, with headquarters at Wichita Falls. Wellington's gas supply comes from the vast Shamrock fields and is sufficient to serve a city a hundred times the size of Wellington.

The city's telephone service is supplied by the State Telephone company, with headquarters at Lubbock. The telephone company has recently erected a new building in Wellington, located across the street from the new post office building.

Jitney-Jungle Here Two Years

Although the local Jitney-Jungle store, of which I. E. Fox is manager, has been in operation only two years, the birth of Jitney-Jungle dates to April 1919. Its success is an achievement in the development of superior methods of buying and selling groceries.

Jitney-Jungle's growth is the result of making the chart before the start. The objective was to secure a volume of business by reducing selling costs to a minimum; to secure a minimum buying power and to present to the public a patent fixture system that would provide the privilege of personal shopping in ease and comfort and guarantee satisfied customers.

With the knowledge that speed without lasting power would be futile, improvements have been made until the management became positive that the store could take a place in the national chain store leaders.

In January 1923, Jitney-Jungle received national recognition and today these stores are found in more than 11 states.

Palace Drug Is One of Town's Oldest Concerns

The Palace drug store, one of Wellington's oldest and principal businesses, was established by Ernest Scott and Leroy Davis who sold to J. O. Fisher. Mr. Fisher, in turn, was proprietor of the store until it was sold to M. M. Kern, L. C. Jones and John West.

In 1921, T. E. Bengé bought the interest of M. M. Kern and L. C. Jones, and he and John West continued to run the business until W. H. Andrews bought the interest owned by Mr. West in 1923. Mr. Andrews remained a partner in this business until his death this year.

Mr. Bengé moved to Wellington 26 years ago from Hunt county. He farmed for a time and also was a part owner of the Pioneer Hardware company. He had been in the drug business in Wellington prior to purchasing an interest in the Palace and has a wealth of experience in this line of work.

Completion of new motor roads in Africa now make it possible to go from Port Sudan, on the Red Sea to Hatadi, at the mouth of the Congo, in 40 days.

Sugg Brothers Build Popular Filling Station

Popular Station Is Opened Slightly More Than Year Ago

One of the most popular filling stations in Wellington is that operated by Bill and Cal Sugg, located across the street from the high school building. This station was opened for business January 1, 1928 and is a thoroughly modern and attractive plant.

General tires, Phillips gas and oils, and all other well known and guaranteed products are sold here. Every detail for flawless service is given attention at this station, with even a water-softener being maintained so that soft water is used in radiators and for washing purposes.

The owners maintain a department for the sale of tobaccos, candies, soda water and ice cream, and during the school year, a sandwich department is operated.

This station is one of the most complete in the city, having a large hydraulic jack capable of handling any automobile, and many other facilities which are found at only the better class service stations.

Sugg Brothers specialize in a type of service that has been winning new friends and customers for them every day.

Snell Locates In Wellington February 1923

In February, 1923, the Snell Cash Stores located in Wellington in their present business, and the Wellington store is one of the best in the chain of associated stores which are now found in Hollis, Cordell, Hobart, Sentinel, Carnegie, Mountain View, Memphis, Mangum and Altus.

The Snell stores were established 13 years ago by B. F. Snell and sons, George and Dewitt Snell. The first store was located at Sayre at that time.

The Wellington store is accorded a wide patronage and is considered one of the best stores in this line in Wellington. B. F. Snell is actively engaged in the operation and management of the Wellington store.

Repair Department For Buick Company Important Factor

Much of the success of the outstanding sale of Buick automobiles in Wellington is attributed by the owners to the fact that the Manzer Motor company maintains a complete repair department in Wellington, and the duty of this repair department is to keep Buicks purchased in Wellington in perfect condition. The Buick agency in Wellington is owned by L. A. Manzer and E. W. Blain, with L. C. Jones in charge of sales.

One of the greatest helps in making sales, according to Mr. Jones, is to have your old customers satisfied with Buick performance, for they will become salesmen for you when this condition exists, as it does in Wellington. The repair department of the Manzer Motor company is fully fifty percent of the business for no job is ever slighted and the Buick owners of this territory are able to keep their machines in perfect running order at all times. The local repair department of the Buick agency works only on Buicks and this is another reason for their thorough methods.

The local agency has a complete repair shop and over \$5,000 worth of repairs and supplies are kept on hand at all times so that Buick owners will not have to wait when adjustments are needed.

The Manzer Motor company also hold the agency for Buicks at Shamrock. Their methods have placed Buick and Marquette in popular favor among the people of Collingsworth and Wheeler counties.

Shop Owned By Ramon Stafford Well Equipped

Located in Wellington and owned by Ramon Stafford is the best equipped tire shop between Amarillo and Wichita Falls. This is the O. T. Vulcanizing shop which was owned until recently by Jeff Harrison. It was started a number of years ago and was the called the Leeg shop.

This shop has tire-mending equipment valued at \$3,000 and more equipment is being added.

Pioneer Oldest Hardware Store In Collingsworth

Established In Wellington In 1909 By Harrison Headrick

The Pioneer, Collingsworth county's oldest hardware store, was established in Wellington in 1909 by Harrison Headrick, with Sid Jones as manager. The store was later purchased by Gibbs Glenn and Ed Blain, this firm selling out in 1911 to F. H. Royal, D. D. McDowell, Webb Moore and T. E. Bengé.

At the present time the business is owned by F. H. Royal, Ralph Royal, Pink Sullivan and D. D. McDowell. Ralph Royal purchased an interest in 1920 and Pink Sullivan became interested in 1917.

The Pioneer has always been operated under that name since it was first established in 1909 and during most of this time it has been owned by practically the same people.

F. H. Royal who came here 39 years ago from Fannin county is truly one of Collingsworth's pioneers and has played a big part in the organization of Collingsworth county.

Taylor Creamery Has Modern Plant Valued at \$15,000

Starting nine years ago with a dairy business, W. G. Taylor and Fred Taylor have established a creamery in Wellington which is a credit to the community and the machinery alone in this present plant is valued at \$15,000.

Seven years ago the Taylors began their creamery business was operated in connection with the dairy business which had been started two years prior to that time and which was located west of Wellington. Three years later the creamery was moved to Wellington and located in the building which is now occupied by the Ricketts Motor company. Almost three years ago the plant was moved to its present location in the brick building across the street from the post office.

This is Wellington's only creamery and does a large volume of business in ice cream and butter as well as milk. Practically all of the ice cream which is sold in Collingsworth county is "Taylor-Made" ice cream, manufactured in Wellington.

Percy Wells Has Much Experience In Merchandising

Having spent 21 years working in dry goods stores in Wellington, Percy Wells, owner of the Percy Wells department store, has had wide experience in this business. He has spent many years in the employ of the Famous, A. & W. and other local stores.

This department store was established in its present location in March 1926, following the vacation of this building by the Cochran drug store. Other businesses which have been in this building since its erection were the Wellington Hardware company and Bob Scott drug store.

Mrs. Percy Wells who assists in the business has had 16 years similar experience.

A modern beauty shoppe is maintained in connection with this department store.

J. W. Chapman in Present Business During 16 Years

Purchasing their confectionery 16 years ago from Mr. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman have been engaged in this business long enough to know that in constantly rendering a good service will make a business institution independent.

Mr. Chapman acquired his confectionery August 1913. Mr. McMinn had run the business for two or three years, having purchased it from Trigg Brothers who established it.

Mr. Chapman has lived in Collingsworth county since 1906 but has lived in Texas since 1900 when he moved here from Georgia. Mr. Chapman is a native of South Carolina.

After coming to Collingsworth he farmed for seven years before entering the confectionery business. He operates a splendid tion, handling practically all the magazine and newstand in connecting magazines and five daily newspapers.

Chicago has a larger population than the state of Wisconsin.

City National Organized Here 19 Years Ago

J. C. Doneghy, First President, Still Holds This Office in Bank

June 4, 1910, the City National bank of Wellington was organized by J. C. Doneghy, H. C. Creath, Sam D. Rude, J. A. Leach, S. A. Street and P. P. Langford. The bank opened for business July 11, 1910, with a capital stock of \$25,000. Then in September of that same year the capital was increased to \$50,000.

First directors of this bank were J. C. Doneghy, Sam D. Rude, H. D. Creath, J. A. Leach, and S. A. Street. The first officers were J. C. Doneghy, president; Sam D. Rude, vice president; H. D. Creath, cashier; J. R. Benson, bookkeeper. Later in the year E. E. McCollister was elected bookkeeper and J. R. Benson elected teller.

In 1921 the capital was increased to \$100,000 and at the present time the capital, surplus and profits of this bank amount to \$300,000.00.

Present officers and directors of the City National Bank are J. C. Doneghy, president; W. H. Lynn, vice president; J. A. Lucas, cashier; C. B. Anderson, assistant cashier; Walter Campbell, James Doneghy and J. A. Leach directors.

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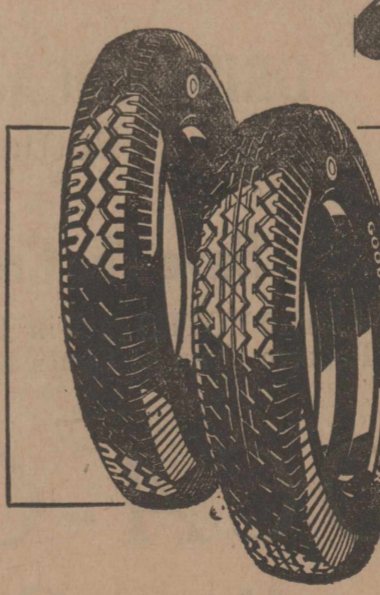
You get the greatest tire value money can buy in Goodyear Pathfinders, All-Weathers or Double Eagles.

Goodyear enjoys lowest costs by building nearly twice as many tires as any other company. Let us give you the benefit here, along with our friendly, interested, year-round service.

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All sizes in high pressure and balloon types are priced uniformly low



We mount tires the right way — we clean, buff and straighten rims. We leave no rusty spots to ruin flaps or tubes.

Wellington Motor Co.

M. M. KERN

J. B. CASTLEBERRY

Strickland Shop Succeeds Talley

E. M. Strickland who a few weeks ago purchased the tailoring business of Ewing Talley has lived in Wellington for many years, during the most of the time has followed the barber trade. He was proprietor of the shop now owned by Bill Sims until slightly more than a year ago.

This tailor shop was established by Frank Shields about five years ago although this building has housed tailor shops much longer than that. Ira Self, Morris Rymer, and Bill Langford have owned tailor shops located here, but the present shop was established by Mr. Shields.

Ewing Talley purchased the business from Mr. Shields in March 1927, which he operated until this summer when Mr. Strickland took charge.

Piggly Wiggly Is Established Here By Dorn and Huff

The Piggly Wiggly company was established in this city in 1925, opening for business March 23 with J. S. Dorn and T. B. Huff as owners and managers. In February 1926 Mr. Dorn purchased the interest owned by Mr. Huff and since that time has been sole owner of the store.

Mr. Dorn moved to Wellington in February 1925 from Childress. This was his first venture in the grocery business, having been in the plumbing business as well as the abstract business before that time. The Piggly Wiggly store here has enjoyed a splendid patronage since the store was first established. There are more than 3,500 Piggly Wiggly stores throughout the United States. The chain has doubled in the past four years, and the local store is Number 1818.

Piggly Wiggly stores are operated under a franchise purchased from the corporation, and all stores are classed as either a unit system, owned entirely by one individual who has complete control of the business done by this store. After the Piggly Wiggly corporation sells the franchise in any county, the purchaser becomes the complete owner of the store and is responsible to the Piggly Wiggly organization in only a few minor details, such as in the matter of keeping the store clean and attractive and handling only the better class of merchandise.

Dixie Store Is Successor Here To Webb Moore

Less than a year ago the Dixie Store was established in Wellington the successor to the Webb Moore dry goods which had been earned and had not been reopened until E. C. Cayton and his associates took charge of the business.

Mr. Cayton has been associate in several lines of business before coming to Wellington. He has lived in Claude for a number of years and also resided at Amarillo for a time. He has built up a splendid patronage for the Dixie store during the time it has been in business here.

Leader Store Is Moved Here From Healdton, Okla.

In 1915 the Leader Store which was moved to Wellington almost two years ago from Healdton, Oklahoma, was established in Wirt, Oklahoma, by Mack Saied, the present owner. After remaining in business in Wirt for two years, Mr. Saied built his own store building at Healdton and moved there where he remained until 1927 when he moved to Wellington.

He says that he has found business in Wellington more than pleasing, and last year he secured an additional lease of five years on the building he is now occupying. When he came to Wellington Mr. Saied purchased the R. V. McDavid stock and sub-leased this building from him.

If the weather prevents making good hay crops from the sweet-clover, it may be saved by putting it in the silo. Cut the crop with a binder just as it is coming into full bloom. Let the bundles lie upon the stubble until they are thoroughly wilted; then put the crop into the silo like corn. If sweet clover is cut too early it is sappy and the silage is likely to spoil. After sweet clover has passed the blooming stage, it is too hard and woody to make good silage unless it is chopped fine, thoroughly tramped and wet down with a hose. Sweet clover yields from 5 to 10 tons of silage per acre.

John Coolidge and Fiancee Attend Regretta



One of these days, in the not so distant future, the charming young lady at the left will become the bride of the handsome young man at the right. And their marriage, as their romance has been from the start, will get nation-wide attention. Pictured here are Miss Florence Trumbull, Mrs. Trumbull, Governor John Trumbull of Connecticut, and John Coolidge, son of Ex-President Coolidge, as they watched the annual Yale-Harvard regatta on the Thames river.

The Leader—

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that had been published here until that time. In 1904 The Times was bought by J. M. Smith who ran it until 1907 when it was bought by R. H. Templeton, under whose direction The Times became an active and influential publication. It worked unceasingly to bring a railroad to Wellington. In 1910 this dream was realized. In 1912 the paper was sold to T. E. Campbell who in turn sold it to Thomas Durham, editor of The Wellington Leader which had been established in 1909.

In 1924 the Collingsworth Standard was established here by Aubrey Dobbs, who is still editor and manager of the publication.

In 1910 Wade Arnold started the only paper Quail has ever had. It was run for eight months after which Editor Arnold gave the paper to W. L. Langford to finish the contracts on the subscriptions.

In 1911 Dodsonville's first paper, the Dodsonville News, was established with Roy D. Ramage as editor and continued for about six months. In the latter part of 1912 the second newspaper, with the first name the same as the first, was started at Dodsonville. J. W. Broschier was editor and the paper continued for almost two years. The third paper for Dodsonville, again called the Dodsonville News, was started in 1915 by Judge Ward, but was discontinued after six months. The Dodsonville Messenger, the present publication for that city, was started three months ago by Miss Floy Winn and still being continued at this time with Miss Winn as editor.

Pullman Cafe Is Opened Recently

The Pullman cafe is the newest business of this kind located in Wellington. It occupies the space formerly held by T. B. Starkey feed store, and was opened this summer by Tom Bryant.

Mr. Bryant has spent a long while in the cafe business, coming here from Mangum two years ago and during the most of the time since he has been engaged at the Welcome cafe.

All fixtures for this cafe were purchased new, and it is one of the cleanest and attractive eating places in town.

Jack Gibson Has Present Business Since June 1926

Jack Gibson, proprietor of the Magnolia Station Number 2, built this business in 1926, opening to the public June of that year. He first began this filling station business in Wellington when he purchased a half interest in Magnolia No. 1 from W. R. Hall.

Jack came to Wellington from Fort Worth where he traveled for a supply house. Since opening his business in this city he has built a large trade and has one of the most popular stations in Wellington. He is assisted in the operation of this station by Green Parsons.

Pecon building permits amounting to \$40,000 were granted for structures down town and along the highway recently. Construction of a \$40,000 building by the American Telegraph and Telephone Company is expected to begin shortly. Plans for a new courthouse are being rushed.

Wellington State Bank In Business During 23 Years

Twenty-three years ago the Wellington State bank was organized by H. C. Wells and a group of other citizens who were pioneers of Collingsworth county. The bank opened for business in the building now occupied by the McClellan store. The first officers of the bank were R. L. Ellison, president; L. H. Stall, vice president, and H. C. Wells, cashier. The first directors were R. L. Ellison, L. H. Stall, A. W. Blain, C. A. Gray, E. A. Wells, H. C. Wells and Chas. Drake.

In 1911 the bank moved from its first location to the building where it now stands. The officers at that time were W. M. Deavenport, president; E. A. Wells, vice president; L. W. Gribble, vice president and H. C. Wells, cashier.

Present officers of the Wellington state bank are D. D. McDowell, president; F. H. Royal, vice president; A. Y. Bell, vice president; L. A. Manzer, cashier; J. C. Terry, assistant cashier and E. G. Finley, bookkeeper.

L. A. Manzer, present cashier, has held this position for the past four and one half years, coming to Wellington from Childress where he was assistant cashier of the City National bank of that city for a period of six years.

Present directors are D. D. McDowell, F. H. Royal, E. W. Blain, C. C. Terry, Paul Starr, and L. A. Manzer.

Ray Goodson Is Experienced In Present Business

Ray Goodson who came to Wellington March 13, 1926, has had wide experience in the undertaking business, having been engaged in this business three years before he was old enough to secure a license. Mr. Goodson received his license the day he was 21 years old. He came to Wellington to establish the Goodson funeral parlor after having spent five years in this business at Memphis for the King company and three years at Dalhart for the Peoples mortuary.

Mrs. Ray Goodson, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Merritt are assisting Mr. Goodson in his work. Leonard is also a licensed embalmer.

Wellington's First Lumber Yard Built By Cicero Smith

Twenty-two years ago, in 1907, the local branch of the Cicero Smith lumber company was built by C. A. Crozier of Memphis. This lumber company was organized 39 years ago with three yards, which were located at DeCatur, Ft. Worth and San Angelo.

A. M. Duvall, present manager of the Wellington yard, took charge August 1, 1926, succeeding W. A. Stall. Mr. Duvall who came here from Bledsoe started a lumber yard there for the Cicero Smith company, but that yard has since been sold. Mr. Duvall has been connected with the Cicero Smith company for eight years, and has proved to be an exceptionally competent in this line of business.

The Cicero Smith company is building new yards continually, and is now in its thirty-ninth year in Texas. J. L. Johnson of Fort Worth is president and general manager of the concern.

The Methodist Episcopal church has invested more than \$6,000,000 in schools for negroes.

Growing Business For Conoco Dealer

Judge Holton, distributor of Conoco gas and oil, has been in this line of business in Wellington for the past five years and in that length of time he has increased four to twenty, and the healthy condition of his business can be judged by the fact that in the past twelve months there has been a 20 per cent increase in volume.

Judge Holton also runs a filling station in Wellington which was recently remodeled and which is one of the best equipped in the city. He has dealer stations located in practically every part of Collingsworth county.

City Drug Store Established By L. L. Ladd in '16

L. L. Ladd established the business which is now known as the city drug store in 1916 in the building which was constructed in that year by Rock Lowrie. Two years later the business was purchased by W. A. Renner and L. C. Jones. In 1920 W. A. Cook became the owner and continued to run this business for two years when it was sold to John Richards who ran it for six months and sold it to John West. Mr. West owned the store for a year and sold it to Bob Scott who was owner for two years before selling to Reynolds Brothers. Four months later Mr. Scott acquired the business again and in April 1927 R. E. Morrow became owner.

Mr. Morrow has been in the drug business for 20 years and most of that time has been spent in Wellington.

Wellington Has Ice Company Of Large Capacity

Wellington's ice plant is one of the town's assets inasmuch as the plant is capable of furnishing ice sufficient to meet more than twice Wellington's present requirements. The company sells a large part of its output from the dock, this ice being hauled to the rural sections of the county.

Stanley Larson is at present managing the local ice plant. Mr. Larson succeeded Judson Corn as manager about a year ago.

Ross Wilkerson Buys Grocery From Sullivan

Ross Wilkerson secured his present grocery business from Luther Sullivan in 1927. This grocery was established by R. L. Gillentine in 1919, and was sold to Ross Wilkerson and Webb Moore in 1921 who operated the store for four years before they sold it to Luther Sullivan.

Mr. Wilkerson came to Wellington in 1911 from Altus and began working in the Bailey grocery which was located in the building now occupied by Barnes & Hastings. Mr. Wilkerson established the Marland Filling station which he operated for quite a while before selling.

Van Horn was visited by WTCC motorecade on July 13, and the Big Bend district convention held there. Mayor R. E. Thomason, of El Paso, Col. R. Durill, Col. Perkins of Alpine, Dr. H. W. Morelock, of Sull Ross Teachers College, Hunter Motcalfe of Marfa, and President Bourland of the WTCC were speakers on the program.

Pigg-Alley Buys Agency in 1925

The Ford agency in Wellington was purchased by the Pigg-Alley Motor company in 1925 when E. W. Alley of Hedley and E. H. Pigg of Vernon acquired the interest of J. B. Castleberry and M. M. Kern who were Ford dealers in Wellington at that time.

The business was established by Jack Pittman in 1913. Castleberry and Carpenter purchased the agency from Mr. Carpenter in 1922 and Mr. Kern bought the interest owned by Mr. Carpenter in 1922. Castleberry and Kern then operated this agency until 1925 when it was sold to the present owners.

The Pigg-Alley is one of the largest and best equipped business houses of this nature in Wellington, and a splendid organization for Ford sales and service is maintained.

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- New Non-Glare Windshield
- New Valve-in-Head Engine
- New Steering Shock Eliminator
- New Controlled Servo Brakes
- New Low Prices

AT BUICK DEALERS

SATURDAY

July 27th

A. Bailey Owner Of Dress Shop In Wellington

Deals in Shop Handling Exclusive Wearing Apparel

A. Bailey of Dallas has been in business in Wellington for a long while, but only six years ago established a dry goods store in Wellington. This concern was converted into an exclusive ladies' ready-to-wear store March 1 of last year at which time Joe Fuller was named manager.

N. L. Jones succeeded Mr. Fuller as manager of the Bailey store in May of this year. Mr. Fuller managed the Bailey business when it was a general dry goods store, but left Wellington about two years ago and returned only this year. In the meanwhile he was associated with C. E. Stone stores in Quannah and Chillicothe.

A. Bailey owns other dress shops in Texas and Oklahoma. His main offices are located in Dallas. All of the Bailey stores carry only the better brands exclusive ready-to-wear for ladies, and this store is one of the most attractive in Wellington, maintaining exceptionally attractive display windows at all times.

B. & M. Grocery Succeeds Bills

In November 1924, the B. & M. grocery which is owned by C. R. Brooks and Frank Mitchell, succeeded the W. G. Bills grocery which was in business in this location before the present firm took charge.

The present owners came to Wellington from Leedy, Oklahoma, where Mr. Brooks had been engaged in a business of this nature and where Mr. Mitchell had been cashier of a bank.

Their business has always enjoyed a good patronage and has shown a steady growth.

City Laundry Is Splendid Plant

Established only a little more than two years ago by John T. Payne, Morris Wells and Lee O'Neil, the City Laundry which is now owned by A. G. Hargrave and E. C. Perryman, is one which has done a thriving business and one which is in every way in keeping with Wellington's demands. The plant is valued at more than \$12,000 and is adequate to care for Wellington's needs for many years to come.

This is Wellington's only laundry, the Potts plant having been absorbed by the City Laundry when this other was established.

Until two months ago, John T. Payne was engaged in the management of the laundry. At that time, he and the other owners of the local plant sold to the Hargrave concern from Childress, and Mr. Perryman has been looking after the duties of the management since that time. Mr. Perryman came to Wellington from Childress.

Those people who have never visited the laundry are impressed with the amount of equipment and with the speed and thoroughness with which the work is handled.

Wellington's New Bottling Plant Is Modern Equipped

One of the best equipped and most modern bottling plants in the Panhandle is maintained in Wellington by W. Y. Burden, proprietor of the Coca-Cola company operating in Wellington and Shamrock.

The machinery housed in the local plant is valued at \$12,000 and this figure does not include the large two-story brick building and the four trucks which are used in the delivery of the manufactured products.

Mr. Burden purchased the local plant ten years ago from C. M. Mims, and seven years ago acquired the right to bottle Coca-Cola. He has enjoyed a most profitable business, having the bottling rights for Collingsworth and Wheeler counties. A new plant was opened in Shamrock only a short while before the new plant opened here this month. Machinery valued at \$10,000 is in use at the plant at Shamrock, with the brick building additional.

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Wellington Motor Has Large Plant For Chevrolets

Castleberry and Kern Secure Agency for This Car in 1926

One of the best arranged and most attractive automobile businesses in this city is the Wellington Motor company, owned by J. B. Castleberry and M. M. Kern. The first Chevrolet agency in Wellington was maintained by Frad Watkins who was succeeded by A. F. and Archie Copeland who held the agency here until the present owners bought it in 1926.

Mr. Castleberry and Mr. Kern were formerly Ford dealers here, selling their interest to the Pigg-Alley company in 1926. Mr. Kern came here in 1921 from Hollis and Mr. Castleberry moved to Wellington in 1911 from Dodsonville.

Large repair and service departments are maintained in connection with the agency, and at least ten men are employed by the company aside from the proprietors.

Machine Shop Is Built By Leggitt

In 1918 the Wellington Machine Shop was built by J. E. Leggitt. It was built for a mill and grain business and this line of business was conducted here for four years by Mr. Leggitt before it was converted into the present business.

The Wellington Machine Shop is adequately equipped, the plant being valued at approximately \$25,000. When the machine shop was first started, Mr. Leggitt bought the equipment which had been formerly used by Handley Brothers and which was then owned by A. L. Wildman.

At times this machine shop employs as many as ten men to handle the work which is brought here. Mr. Leggitt is engaged in the management of the plant, assisted by his sons, Cecil Leggitt and R. J. Leggitt.

A new method of cooking in which electric current directly through the food is being tried.

Famous Store Among First In Wellington

Organized Under Present Name Years Ago By George McCauley

The Famous is one of the very few stores in Wellington which has been established for a long period of time and which maintains the same name that was used when the business was organized. This store was started more than 21 years ago by Geo. W. McCauley who ran it until it was bought by R. A. Williams, who in turn sold to R. L. and J. C. Gully in 1920. C. G. Bower bought in with Gully in 1926 and the store now is owned by W. V. Whitley.

Mr. Whitley who came to Wellington in 1922 has been at the Famous since that time and has been manager since 1926. Before coming here he was with the Dixie store in Frederick and with Regent's shoe store in Amarillo.

Welcome Cafe Is Seven Years Old

G. F. Anders, proprietor of the Welcome cafe and hotel, has been in business in Wellington for the past seven years. Mr. Anders first opened his cafe on the corner of the square where the O'Neil building now stands. He later moved to the old post office building in the rear of Snell's store and from there the cafe was moved to the building now occupied by Spear's barber shop. It was later moved to the building which now houses the Piggly Wiggly store and then Mr. Anders built his own brick building where the location has been made permanent.

Mr. Anders came to Wellington from Hatfield, Arkansas, and had no experience in the cafe business when he located here. He had clerked for twenty years in a general merchandise store.

Lewis Lumber Is Town's Youngest

Wellington's youngest lumber concern, Lewis Lumber company, was built in 1925 by E. N. and E. F. Lewis, and is manager by E. N. Lewis. During the years this yard has been in operation it has built a splendid patronage and has done a large volume of business. This yard is well built and all lumber is protected by proper housing.

Ralph Lewis, Lloyd Powell and E. N. Lewis are employed at this yard at the present time.

Johnson Grocery Is Old Concern

The grocery business which is now operated under the name of the Johnson grocery has been established for many years. It was first owned by Pete Pritchard, and later was sold to Chas. Boles.

For a while the store was owned by L. H. Stall and O. L. Couch.

In 1916 the business was purchased by R. C. Johnson and Henry Tice of Hollis. Mr. Tice assumed the management at that time. O. B. Raburn, Henry Tice and R. C. Johnson are the present owners and Henry Tice is the present manager.

City Market in Business Here During 21 Years

Ruffian Cocks, owner of the City Meat Market, has been engaged in this business in Wellington for the past 21 years. The market was moved to its present location six years ago, having been built by Mr. Cocks in May 1923. Before then it had been located in the building which was until recently occupied by Thomas and McInnis. The City Market is a modern and up-to-date plant, and maintains its own slaughter house located west of the town section.

Lawrence Gillespie has been employed at the City Meat Market for the past 19 years.

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Since its establishment as a private bank in 1902 through its change to a National Bank in 1906, this firm has been interested in helping develop this county by helping the men who were producing its food and creating its wealth—the farmers.

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- J. D. Glenn, Assist. Cashier

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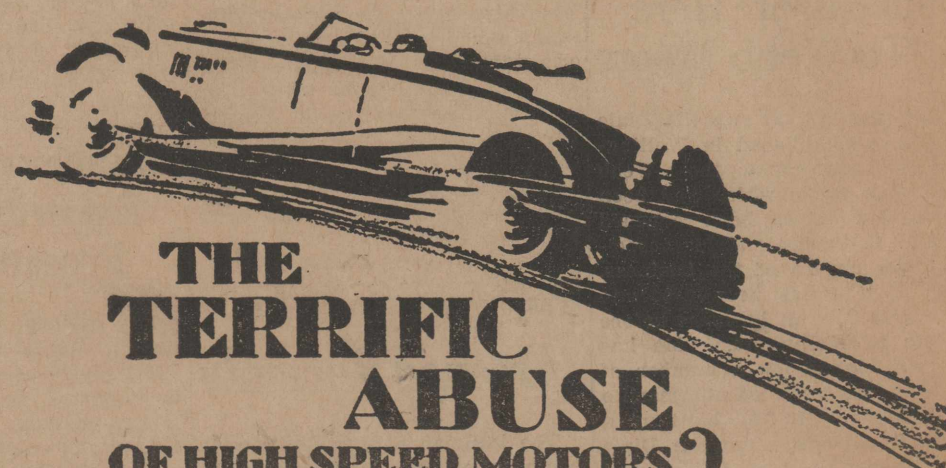
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City National Bank

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C. G. Bower Is Successor To Old A. and W.

Established in 1907, Is Oldest Dry Goods Store in Wellington

The oldest dry goods store in Wellington is that owned by C. G. Bower which was established in 1907 by Anderson and Womach and which until a little more than a year ago continued under the name of the A. and W. store.

In 1912 R. L. Gulley bought an interest in the store, and it was owned by Anderson, Gulley and company but the name of the firm was not changed from A. and W.

The store was bought by C. G. Bower and company in 1922 but the old firm name was still retained until February 1928 when the "A. and W." was dropped and the business styled C. G. Bower Dry Goods.

Mr. Bower was also in business at Wheeler until February of last year when he sold his interests there.

The Bower store is not only the oldest store of its kind in Wellington, but it has kept well in line with the modern trend in merchandising and today is enjoying the greatest patronage in the history of the store. As many as eight employees are engaged here regularly. The business is under the personal supervision of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bower.

Fain Stores Are Only 5 Years Old

Fain department stores are a comparatively new organization of this type, having been established only six years ago by J. A. Fain and J. A. Dixon. The first store was in Memphis and the company now has almost a dozen similar stores in this part of Texas and in southwestern Oklahoma.

The local store was instituted four years ago. Mr. Fain was the first manager of this store, but W. W. Fletcher was placed in charge about six months after the store opened. Mr. Fletcher was transferred to Mangum six or eight months ago, and Jess Hancock has been in charge of the Wellington store since that time.

J. A. Dixon of Vernon is the original founder of the Fain stores. He has a dry goods store in Vernon at the present time and has been in the dry goods business more than 21 years. J. A. Fain was in Mr. Dixon's employ as a bookkeeper for 12 years before the chain department stores were organized.

Insurance Firm Is Long Founded

Several years ago the insurance firm of Wells & O'Neil was first started by Mr. O'Connell who operated this firm for a time before it was sold to Grover C. Cunningham who later sold to Herbert Dysart. Mr. Dysart sold a half interest in the business to A. C. Nicholson. In the meantime, Mr. Dysart had bought out the office of R. R. Sherwood and the agencies had been consolidated.

Mr. Nicholson sold his interest to M. M. Kern and the firm of Dysart and Kern operated this business until it was purchased by E. A. Wells and H. A. Holcomb, who sold to the present owners, Morris Wells and Lee O'Neil. Four years ago Wells and O'Neil bought the abstract business of Coker and Gribble and in January 1926 bought the insurance business of J. M. Strong.

Cochran Buys Store in 1924

A. L. Cochran purchased the Bob Scott drug store September 8, 1924 and the drug store at that time was located in the building where the Percy Wells department store is now located. The drug store was moved to its present location January 5, 1926.

Mr. Cochran has been in the drug business for the past 18 years, having been in this business at Dodsonville, Madill and Paul's Valley before locating in Wellington. He lived on a farm between Wellington and Dodsonville for eight years before entering the drug business.

The Cochran drug store also owns the Rialto confectionery which is located in the Rialto theatre building.

W. T. U. Co. Operating In Hundred Towns

Wellington Is Served By Efficient Utilities Companies

Only twelve years ago the West Texas Utilities company started this industrial business at Abilene, and since that time it has expanded to such an extent that the West Texas Utilities company now has holdings in more than a hundred of the better cities of West Texas.

The company has made its growth in buying out other plants and by establishing plants outright in many other places. To render a flawless electrical service has been the policy of this company, and in this short time it has grown from one to more than a hundred plants—showing how well that policy has been rewarded.

This company bought the Wellington unit October 1, 1927, from Central Power and light company. S. P. Buster has been local manager since that time. He had been in charge of a plant at Shamrock before then but moved to Wellington when the W. T. U. company took over this plant. Wellington's electrical service is thoroughly satisfactory.

Wellington's water supply is municipally owned, and controlled by the city council of Wellington. Under this management the water service has not only been adequate for the demands of Wellington, but the water works has shown a nice margin of profit for the city funds during the past two or three years.

Wellington is served by the Northern Texas Utilities company, with headquarters at Wichita Falls. Wellington's gas supply comes from the vast Shamrock fields and is sufficient to serve a city a hundred times the size of Wellington. The city's telephone service is supplied by the State Telephone company, with headquarters at Lubbock. The telephone company has recently erected a new building in Wellington, located across the street from the new post office building.

Jitney-Jungle Here Two Years

Although the local Jitney-Jungle store, of which I. E. Fox is manager, has been in operation only two years, the birth of Jitney-Jungle dates to April 1919. Its success is an achievement in the development of superior methods of buying and selling groceries.

Jitney-Jungle's growth is the result of making the chart before the start. The objective was to secure a volume of business by reducing selling costs to a minimum; to secure a minimum buying power and to present to the public a patent fixture system that would provide the privilege of personal shopping in ease and comfort and guarantee satisfied customers.

With the knowledge that speed without lasting power would be futile, improvements have been made until the management became positive that the store could take a place in the national chain store leaders. In January 1923, Jitney-Jungle received national recognition and today these stores are found in more than 11 states.

Palace Drug Is One of Town's Oldest Concerns

The Palace drug store, one of Wellington's oldest and principal businesses, was established by Ernest Scott and Leroy Davis who sold to J. O. Fisher. Mr. Fisher, in turn, was proprietor of the store until it was sold to M. M. Kern, L. C. Jones and John West.

In 1921, T. E. Bengé bought the interest of M. M. Kern and L. C. Jones, and he and John West continued to run the business until W. H. Andrews bought the interest owned by Mr. West in 1923. Mr. Andrews remained a partner in this business until his death this year.

Mr. Bengé moved to Wellington 26 years ago from Hunt county. He farmed for a time and also was a part owner of the Pioneer Hardware company. He had been in the drug business in Wellington prior to purchasing an interest in the Palace and has a wealth of experience in this line of work.

Completion of new motor roads in Africa now make it possible to go from Port Sudan, on the Red Sea to Hatadi, at the mouth of the Congo, in 40 days.

Sugg Brothers Build Popular Filling Station

Popular Station Is Opened Slightly More Than Year Ago

One of the most popular filling stations in Wellington is that operated by Bill and Cal Sugg, located across the street from the high school building. This station was opened for business January 1, 1928 and is a thoroughly modern and attractive plant.

General tires, Phillips gas and oils, and all other well known and guaranteed products are sold here. Every detail for flawless service is given attention at this station, with even a water-softener being maintained so that soft water is used in radiators and for washing purposes.

The owners maintain a department for the sale of tobaccos, candies, soda water and ice cream, and during the school year, a sandwich department is operated.

This station is one of the most complete in the city, having a large hydraulic jack capable of handling any automobile, and many other facilities which are found at only the better class service stations.

Sugg Brothers specialize in a type of service that has been winning new friends and customers for them every day.

Snell Locates In Wellington February 1923

In February, 1923, the Snell Cash Stores located in Wellington in their present business, and the Wellington store is one of the best in the chain of associated stores which are now found in Hollis, Cordell, Hobart, Sentinel, Carnegie, Mountain View, Memphis, Mangum and Altus.

The Snell stores were established 13 years ago by B. F. Snell and sons, George and Dewitt Snell. The first store was located at Sayre at that time.

The Wellington store is accorded a wide patronage and is considered one of the best stores in this line in Wellington. B. F. Snell is actively engaged in the operation and management of the Wellington store.

Repair Department For Buick Company Important Factor

Much of the success of the outstanding sale of Buick automobiles in Wellington is attributed by the owners to the fact that the Manzer Motor company maintains a complete repair department in Wellington, and the duty of this repair department is to keep Buicks purchased in Wellington in perfect condition. The Buick agency in Wellington is owned by L. A. Manzer and E. W. Blain, with L. C. Jones in charge of sales.

One of the greatest helps in making sales, according to Mr. Jones, is to have your old customers satisfied with Buick performance, for they will become salesmen for you when this condition exists, as it does in Wellington. The repair department of the Manzer Motor company is fully fifty percent of the business for no job is ever slighted and the Buick owners of this territory are able to keep their machines in perfect running order at all times. The local repair department of the Buick agency works only on Buicks and this is another reason for their thorough methods.

The local agency has a complete repair shop and over \$5,000 worth of repairs and supplies are kept on hand at all times so that Buick owners will not have to wait when adjustments are needed.

The Manzer Motor company also hold the agency for Buicks at Shamrock. Their methods have placed Buick and Marquette in popular favor among the people of Collingsworth and Wheeler counties.

Shop Owned By Ramon Stafford Well Equipped

Located in Wellington and owned by Ramon Stafford is the best equipped tire shop between Amarillo and Wichita Falls. This is the O. T. Vulcanizing shop which was owned until recently by Jeff Harrison. It was started a number of years ago and was called the Leeg shop.

This shop has tire-mending equipment valued at \$3,000 and more equipment is being added.

Pioneer Oldest Hardware Store In Collingsworth

Established In Wellington In 1909 By Harrison Headrick

The Pioneer, Collingsworth county's oldest hardware store, was established in Wellington in 1909 by Harrison Headrick, with Sid Jones as manager. The store was later purchased by Gibbs Glenn and Ed Blain, this firm selling out in 1911 to F. H. Royal, D. D. McDowell, Webb Moore and T. E. Bengé.

At the present time the business is owned by F. H. Royal, Ralph Royal, Pink Sullivan and D. D. McDowell. Ralph Royal purchased an interest in 1920 and Pink Sullivan became interested in 1917.

The Pioneer has always been operated under that name since it was first established in 1909 and during most of this time it has been owned by practically the same people.

F. H. Royal who came here 39 years ago from Fannin county is truly one of Collingsworth's pioneers and has played a big part in the organization of Collingsworth county.

Taylor Creamery Has Modern Plant Valued at \$15,000

Starting nine years ago with a dairy business, W. G. Taylor and Fred Taylor have established a creamery in Wellington which is a credit to the community and the machinery alone in this present plant is valued at \$15,000.

Seven years ago the Taylors began their creamery business was operated in connection with the dairy business which had been started two years prior to that time and which was located west of Wellington. Three years later the creamery was moved to Wellington and located in the building which is now occupied by the Ricketts Motor company. Almost three years ago the plant was moved to its present location in the brick building across the street from the post office.

This is Wellington's only creamery and does a large volume of business in ice cream and butter as well as milk. Practically all of the ice cream which is sold in Collingsworth county is "Taylor-Made" ice cream, manufactured in Wellington.

Percy Wells Has Much Experience In Merchandising

Having spent 21 years working in dry goods stores in Wellington, Percy Wells, owner of the Percy Wells department store, has had wide experience in this business. He has spent many years in the employ of the Famous, A. & W. and other local stores.

This department store was established in its present location in March 1926, following the vacation of this building by the Cochran drug store. Other businesses which have been in this building since its erection were the Wellington Hardware company and Bob Scott drug store.

Mrs. Percy Wells who assists in the business has had 16 years similar experience.

A modern beauty shoppe is maintained in connection with this department store.

J. W. Chapman in Present Business During 16 Years

Purchasing their confectionery 16 years ago from Mr. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman have been engaged in this business long enough to know that in constantly rendering a good service will make a business institution independent.

Mr. Chapman acquired his confectionery August 1913. Mr. McMinn had run the business for two or three years, having purchased it from Trigg Brothers who established it.

Mr. Chapman has lived in Collingsworth county since 1906 but has lived in Texas since 1900 when he moved here from Georgia. Mr. Chapman is a native of South Carolina.

After coming to Collingsworth he farmed for seven years before entering the confectionery business. He operates a splendid tin, handling practically all the magazine and newstand in connecting magazines and five daily newspapers.

Chicago has a larger population than the state of Wisconsin.

City National Organized Here 19 Years Ago

J. C. Doneghy, First President, Still Holds This Office in Bank

June 4, 1910, the City National bank of Wellington was organized by J. C. Doneghy, H. C. Creath, Sam D. Rude, J. A. Leach, S. A. Street and P. P. Langford. The bank opened for business July 11, 1910, with a capital stock of \$25,000. Then in September of that same year the capital was increased to \$50,000.

First directors of this bank were J. C. Doneghy, Sam D. Rude, H. D. Creath, J. A. Leach, and S. A. Street. The first officers were J. C. Doneghy, president; Sam D. Rude, vice president; H. D. Creath, cashier; J. R. Benson, bookkeeper. Later in the year E. E. McCollister was elected bookkeeper and J. R. Benson elected teller.

In 1921 the capital was increased to \$100,000 and at the present time the capital, surplus and profits of this bank amount to \$300,000.00.

Present officers and directors of the City National Bank are J. C. Doneghy, president; W. H. Lynn, vice president; J. A. Lucas, cashier; C. B. Anderson, assistant cashier; Walter Campbell, James Doneghy and J. A. Leach directors.

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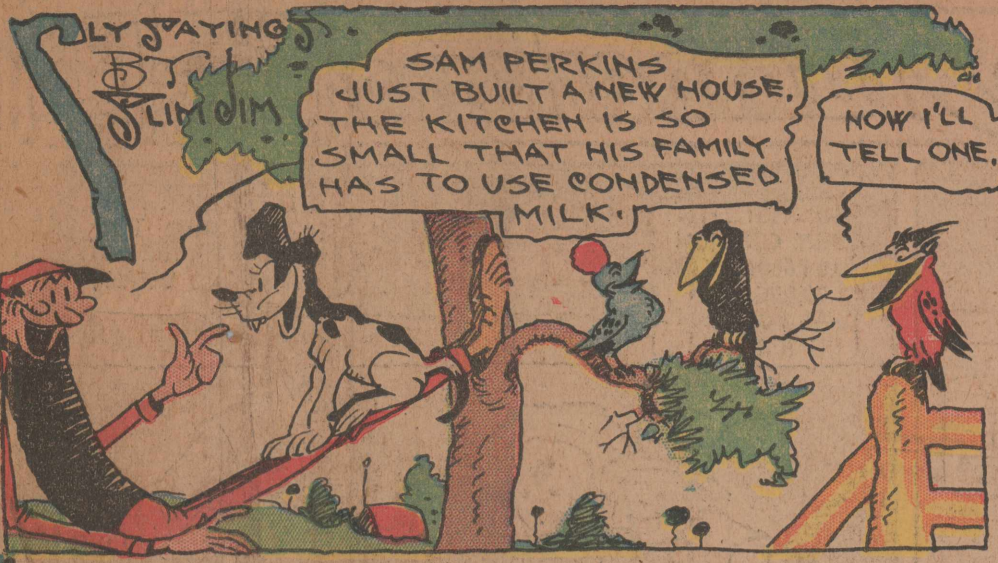
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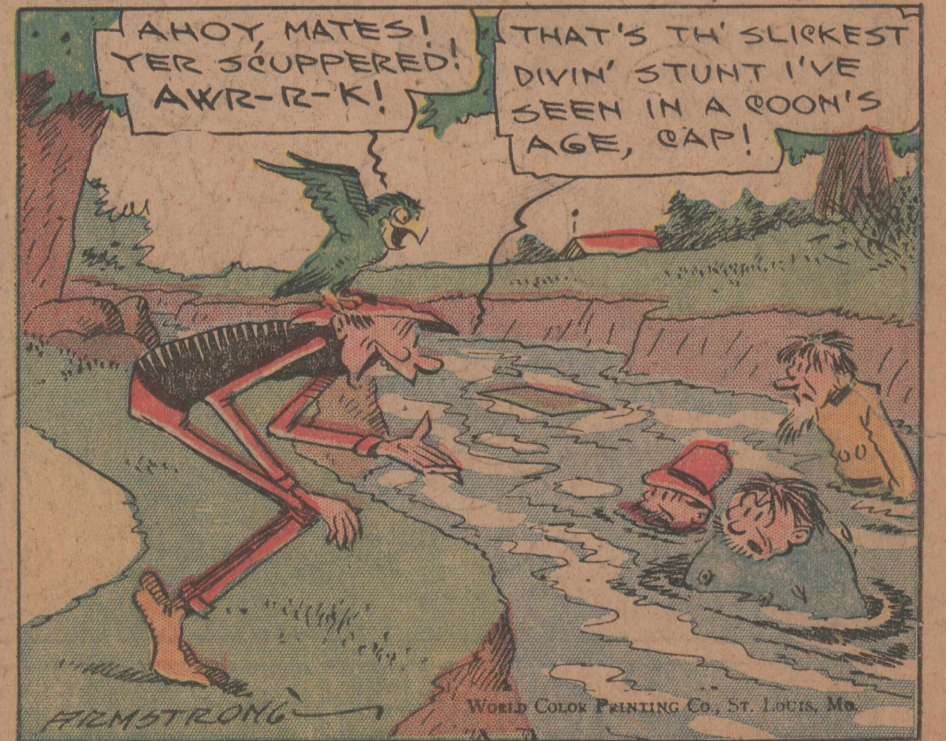
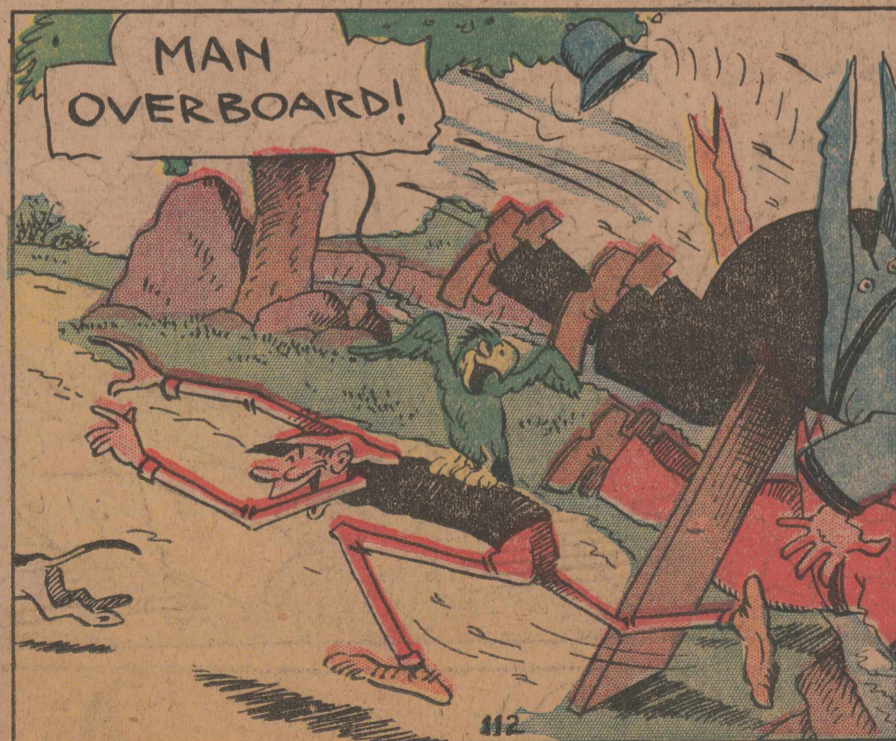
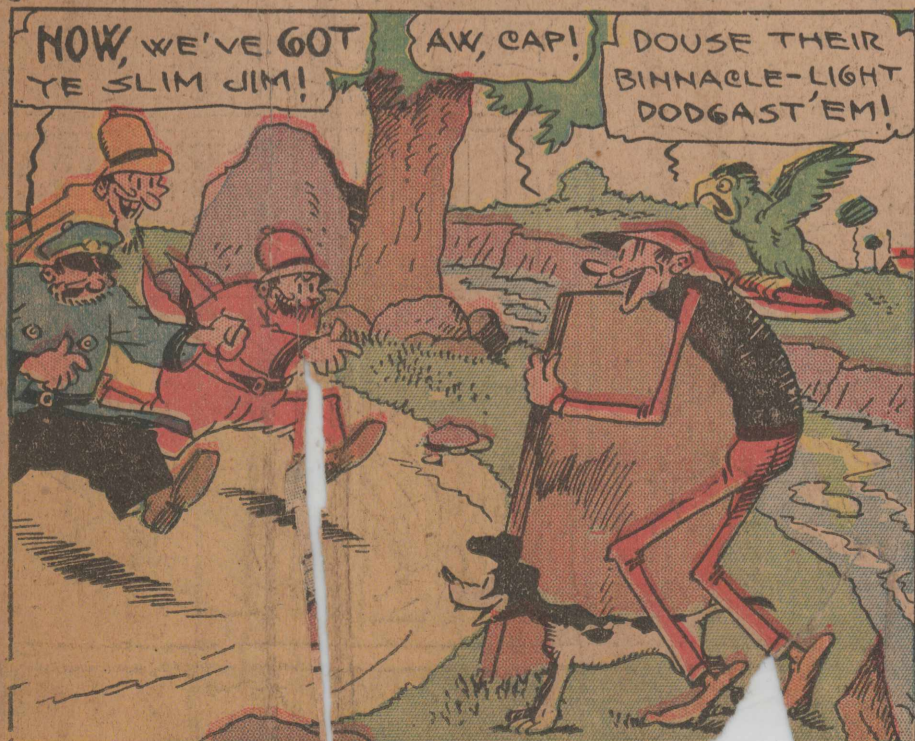
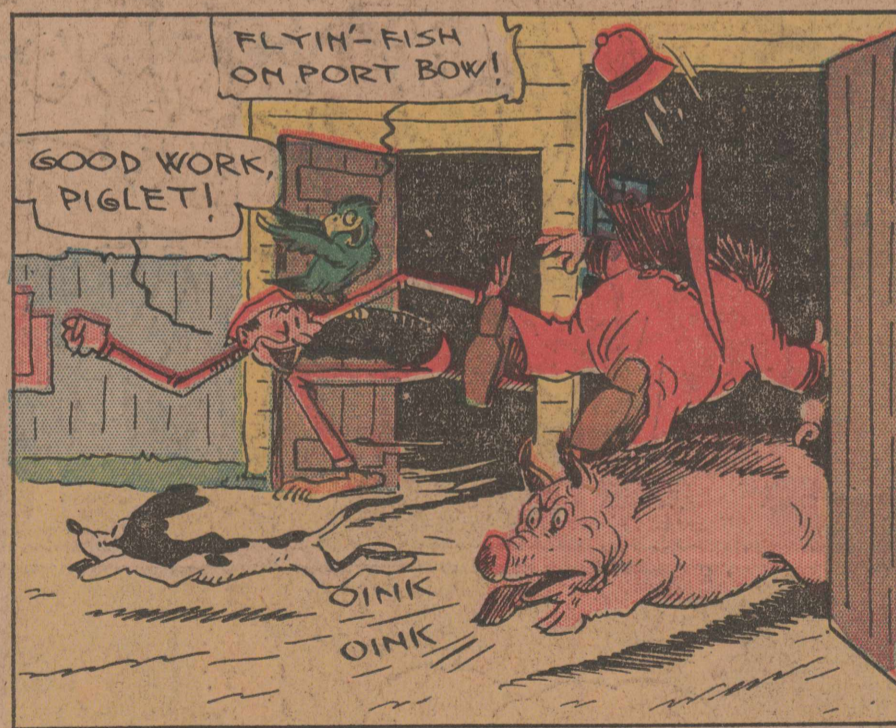
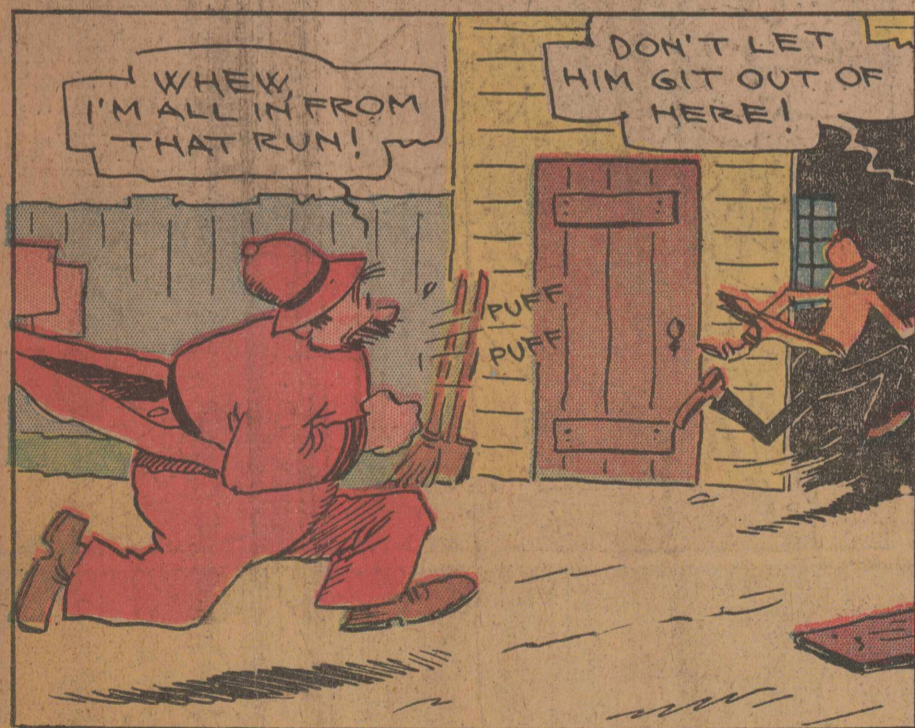
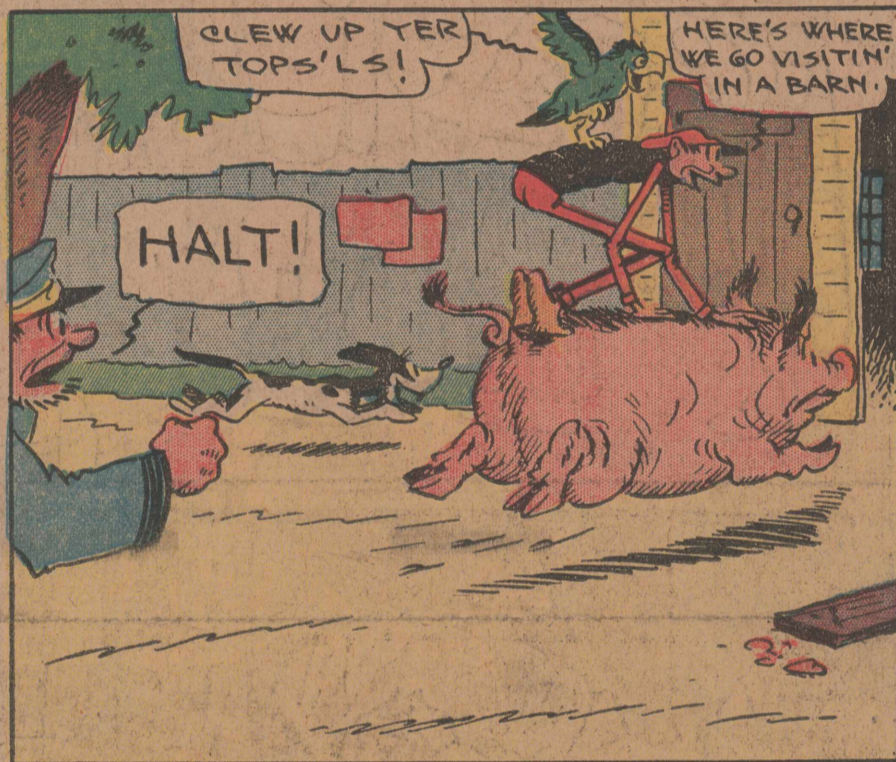
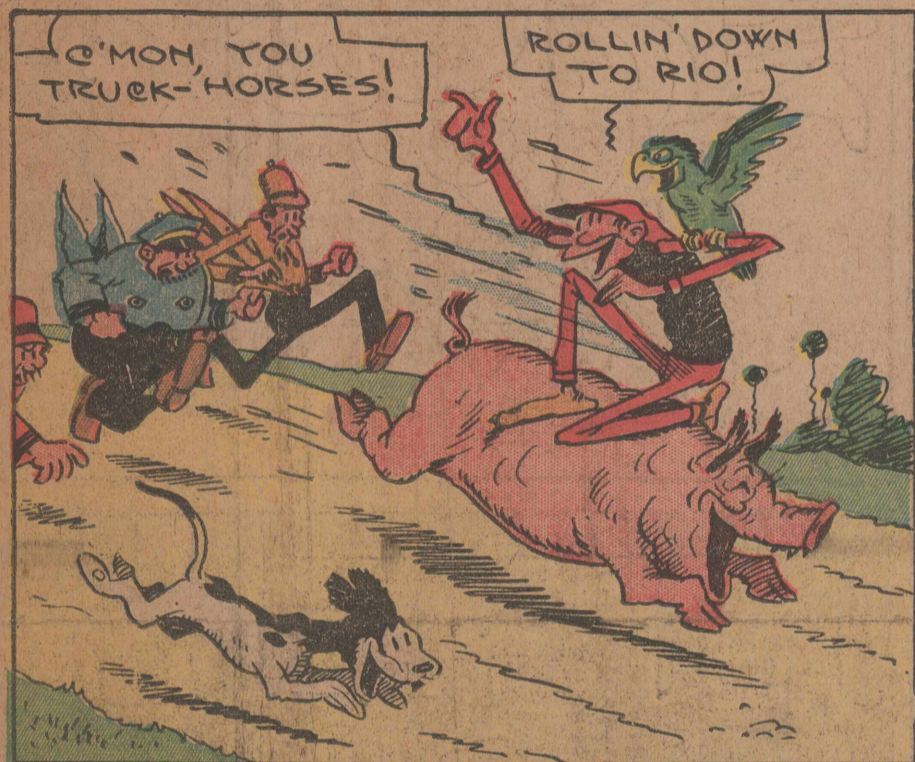
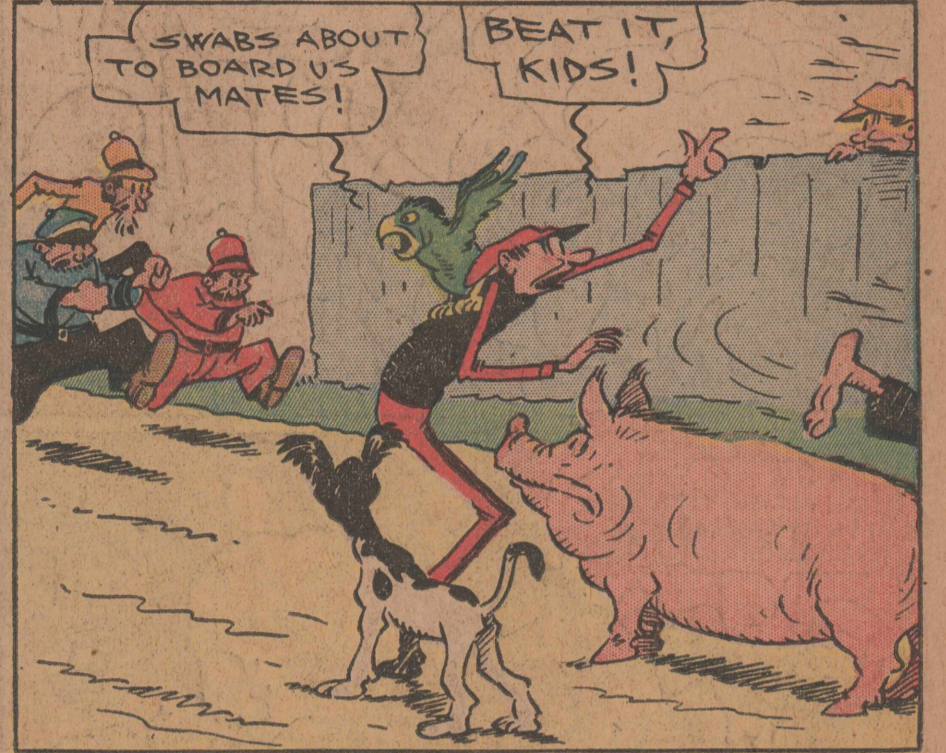
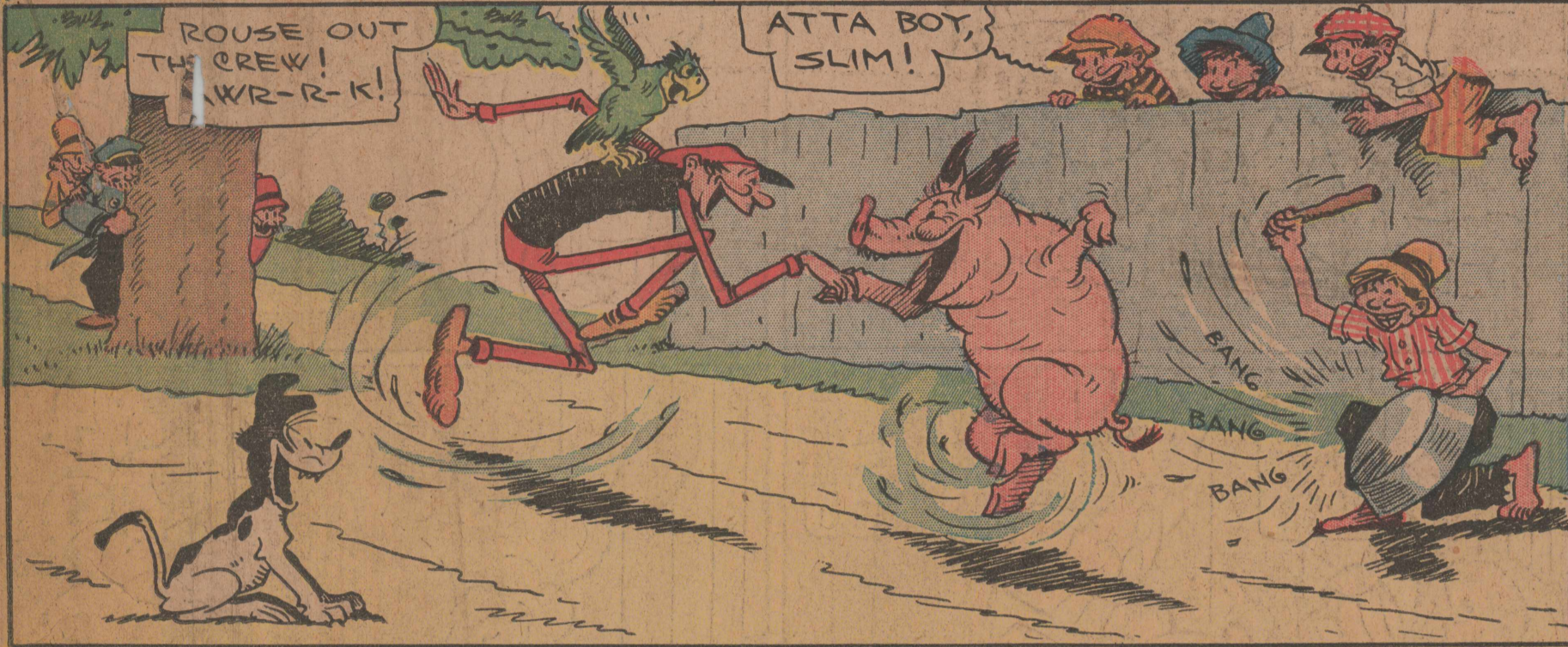


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Wellington, Texas,

July 25, 1929

Slim Jim AND THE FORCE



AN OLD TOKE IN A NEW DRESS-
BLINK

JOHN, I CLEANED OUT YOUR CHIFFONIER DRAWERS TODAY - KEEP THEM TIDY AFTER THIS -

WAY THE USELESS INCLUDING THOSE L RUSTY HORSESHOES

WHAT! YOU GAVE AWAY MY TWO CUTE LITTLE HORSE SHOES?

YES I DID - WHAT GOOD WERE THEY?

OH, I PRIZED THEM HIGHLY - THOSE TWO LITTLE HORSESHOES

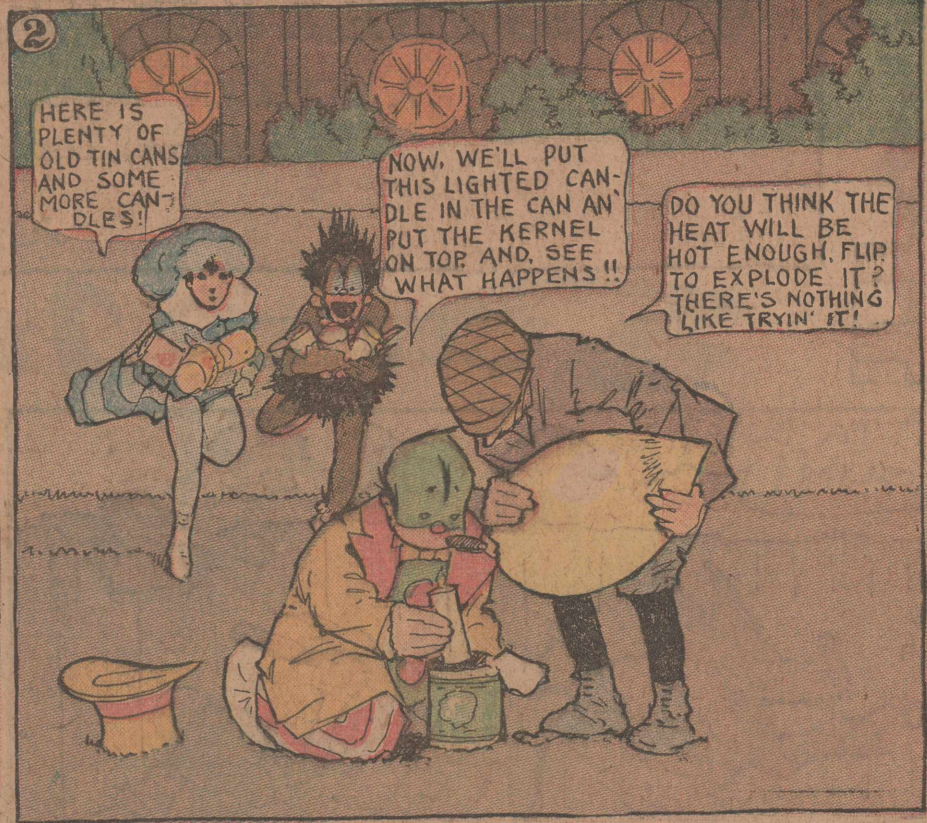
I WORE THEM WHEN I WAS A LITTLE HOARSE.

LITTLE NEMO IN *Slumberland* **BY WINSOR MCCAY**



IF THIS IS WHAT I THINK IT IS WE ARE GOING TO HAVE SOME FUN, I WILL TELL THE WORLD.

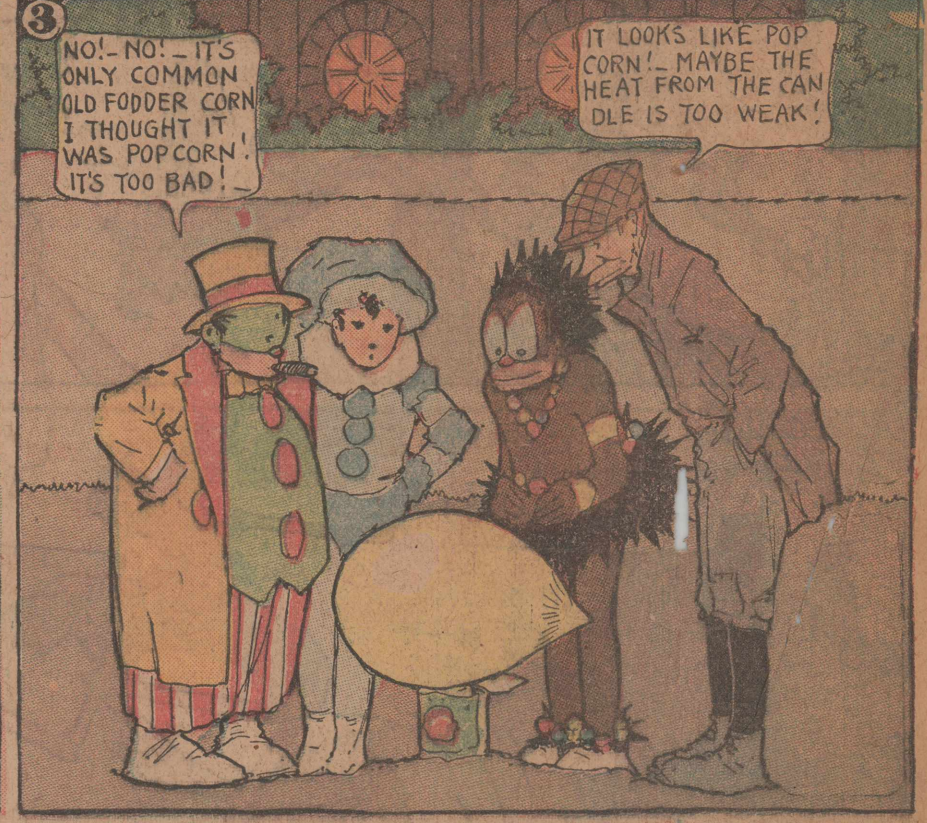
WHAT DO YOU THINK IT IS BUT CORN?



HERE IS PLENTY OF OLD TIN CANS AND SOME MORE CANDLE'S!

NOW, WE'LL PUT THIS LIGHTED CANDLE IN THE CAN AND PUT THE KERNEL ON TOP AND, SEE WHAT HAPPENS!!

DO YOU THINK THE HEAT WILL BE HOT ENOUGH, FLIP TO EXPLODE IT? THERE'S NOTHING LIKE TRYIN' IT!



NO!- NO!- IT'S ONLY COMMON OLD FODDER CORN I THOUGHT IT WAS POPCORN. IT'S TOO BAD!

IT LOOKS LIKE POP CORN!- MAYBE THE HEAT FROM THE CANDLE IS TOO WEAK!

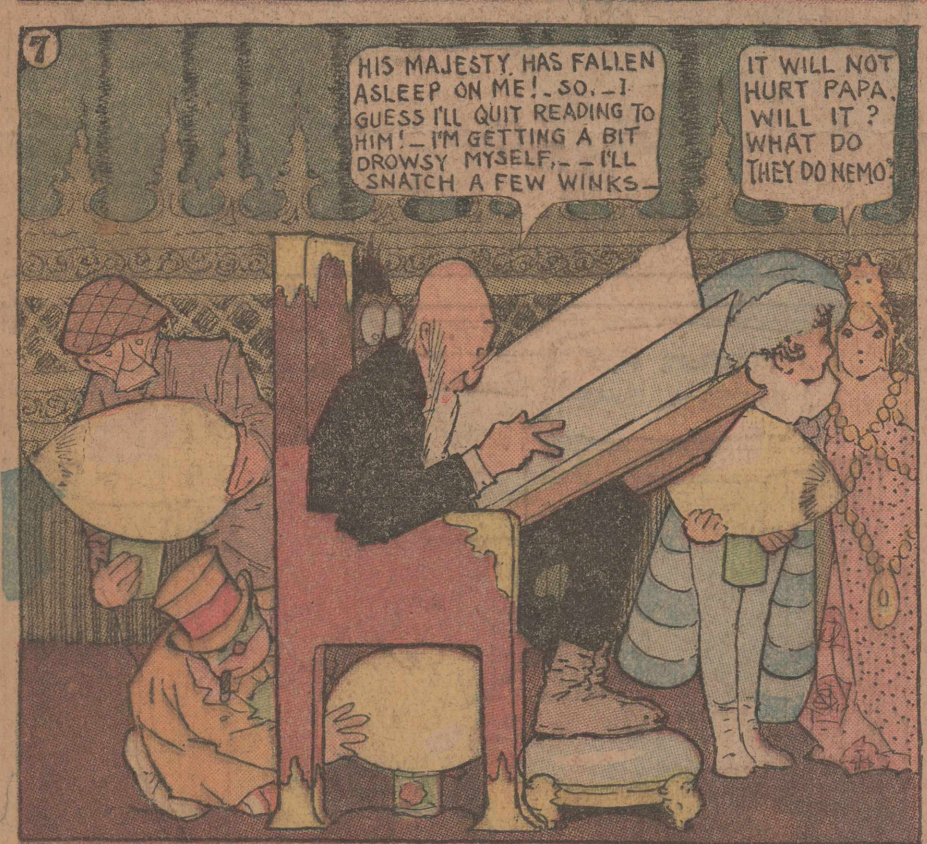
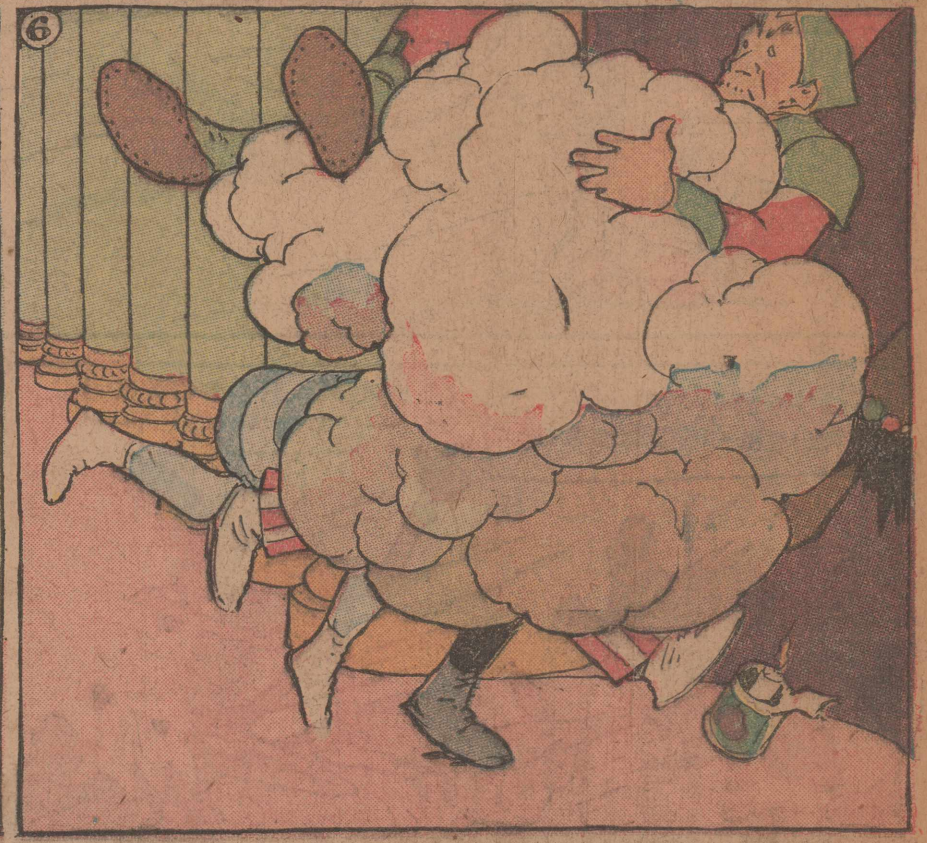


YEP! IT'S POP CORN. ALRIGHTY! NOW, I'M GOIN' TO START SOMETHING.



SO YOU WONT LET US IN THE PALACE EH? YOU SAY NO, EH? NO- EH?

YES, NO, AN' IF YOU DONT UNDERSTAND ENGLISH TELL ME WHAT OTHER LANGUAGE YOU WANT ME TO SAY IT IN!- I SPEAK THEM ALL!



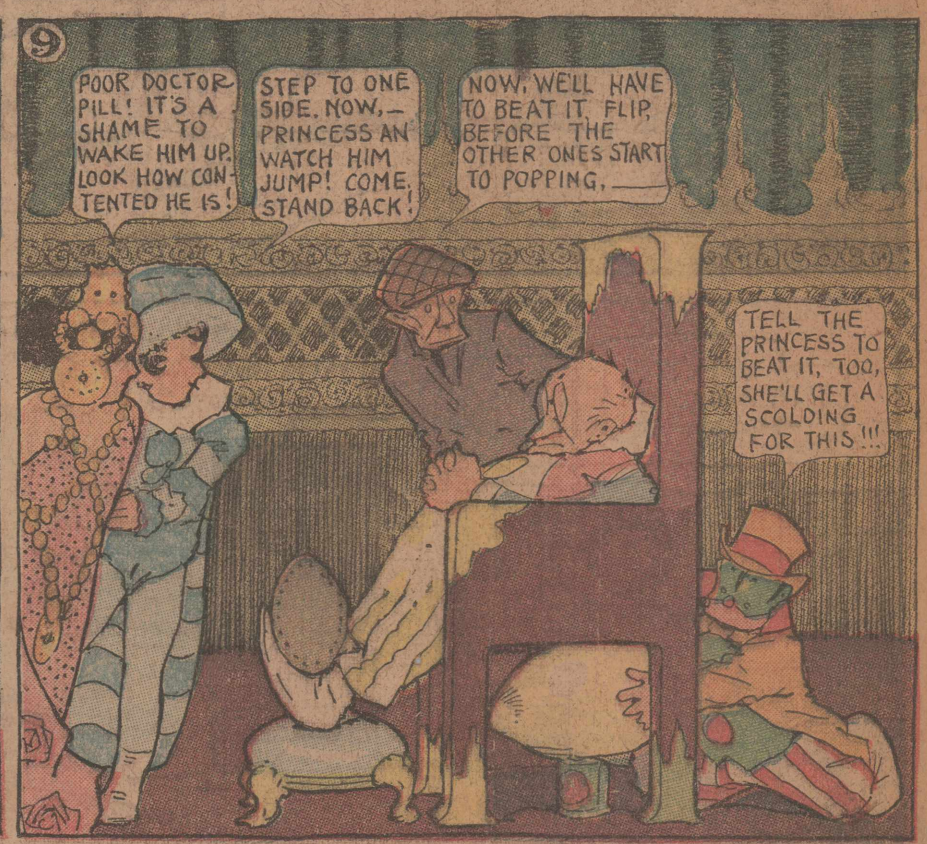
HIS MAJESTY HAS FALLEN ASLEEP ON ME!- SO, -I GUESS I'LL QUIT READING TO HIM!- I'M GETTING A BIT DROWSY MYSELF, - I'LL SNATCH A FEW WINKS.

IT WILL NOT HURT PAPA, WILL IT? WHAT DO THEY DO NEMO?



POP CORN? AW THAT WONT DO ANY HARM, WILL IT?

NO, BUT YOU BETTER STAND BACK A LITTLE!



POOR DOCTOR PILL! IT'S A SHAME TO WAKE HIM UP, LOOK HOW CONTENTED HE IS!

STEP TO ONE SIDE, NOW, - PRINCESS AN WATCH HIM JUMP! COME, STAND BACK!

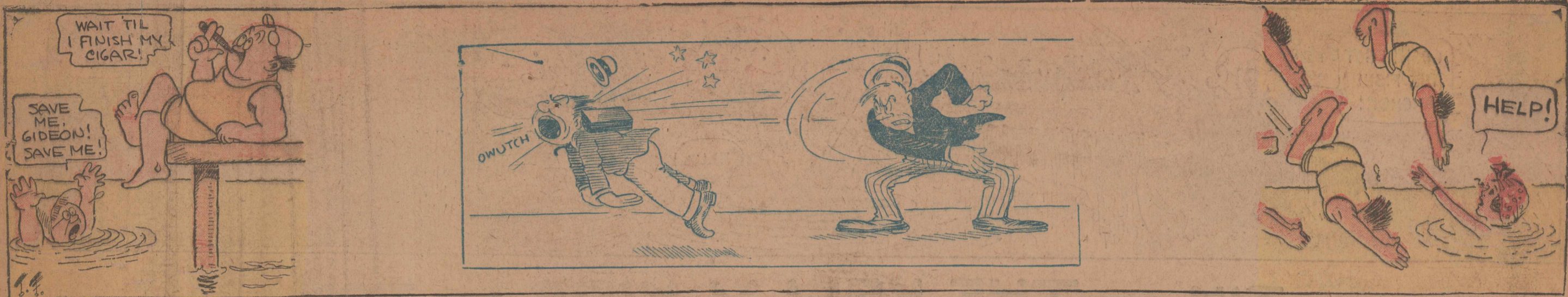
NOW, WE'LL HAVE TO BEAT IT, FLIP BEFORE THE OTHER ONES START TO POPPING, -

TELL THE PRINCESS TO BEAT IT, TOO, SHE'LL GET A SCOLDING FOR THIS!!!

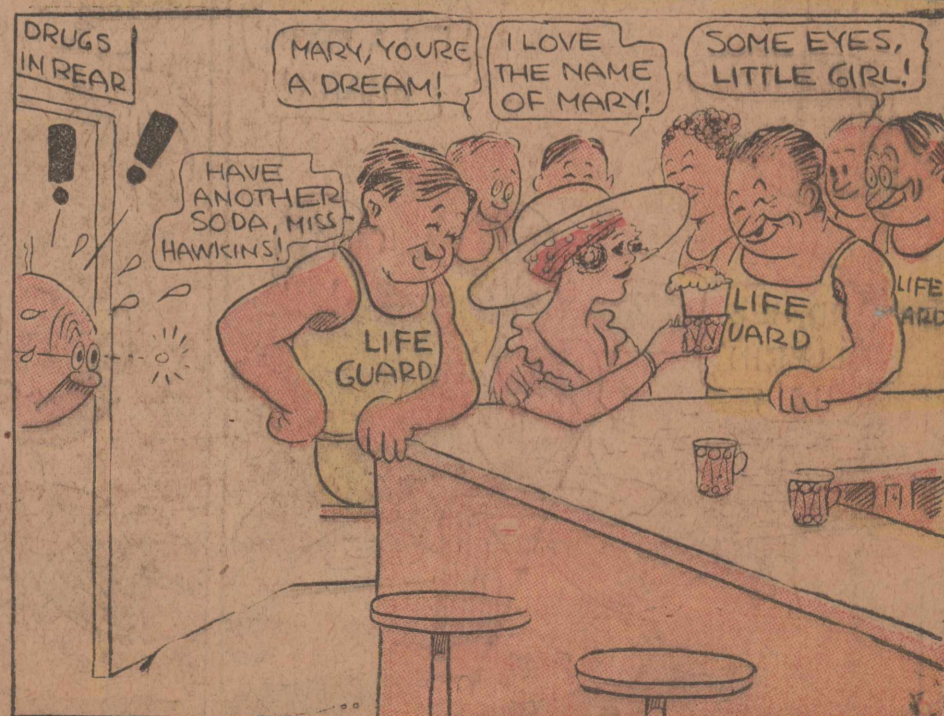
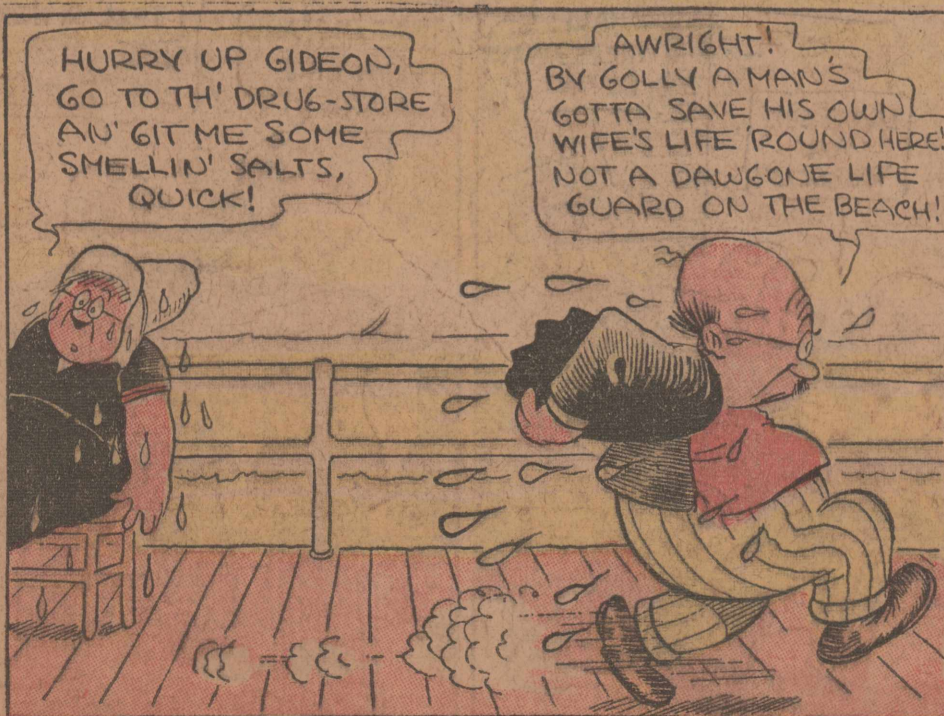
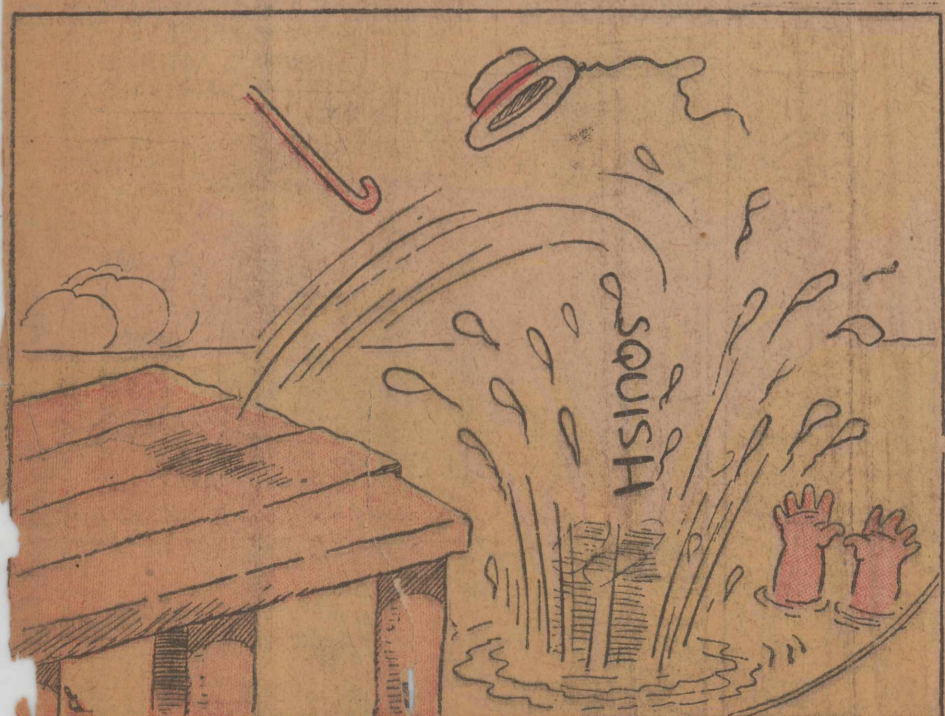
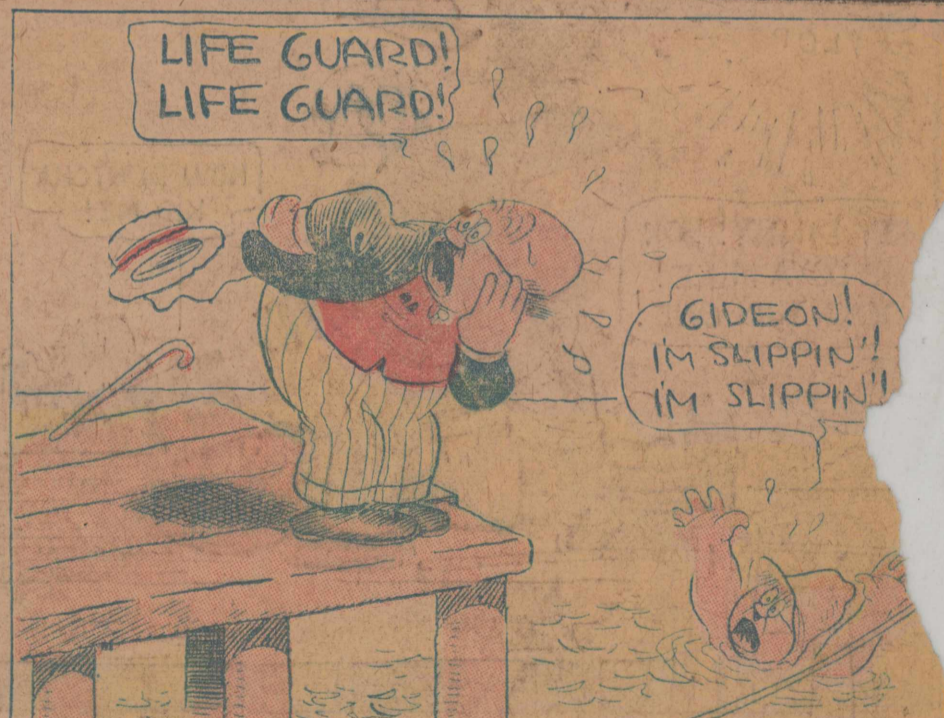
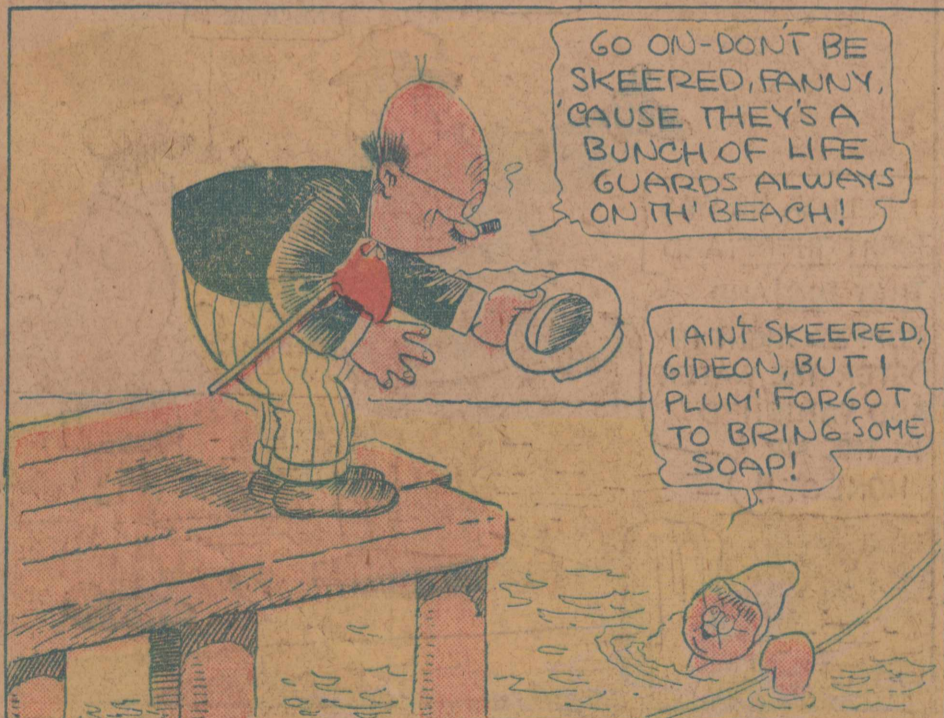
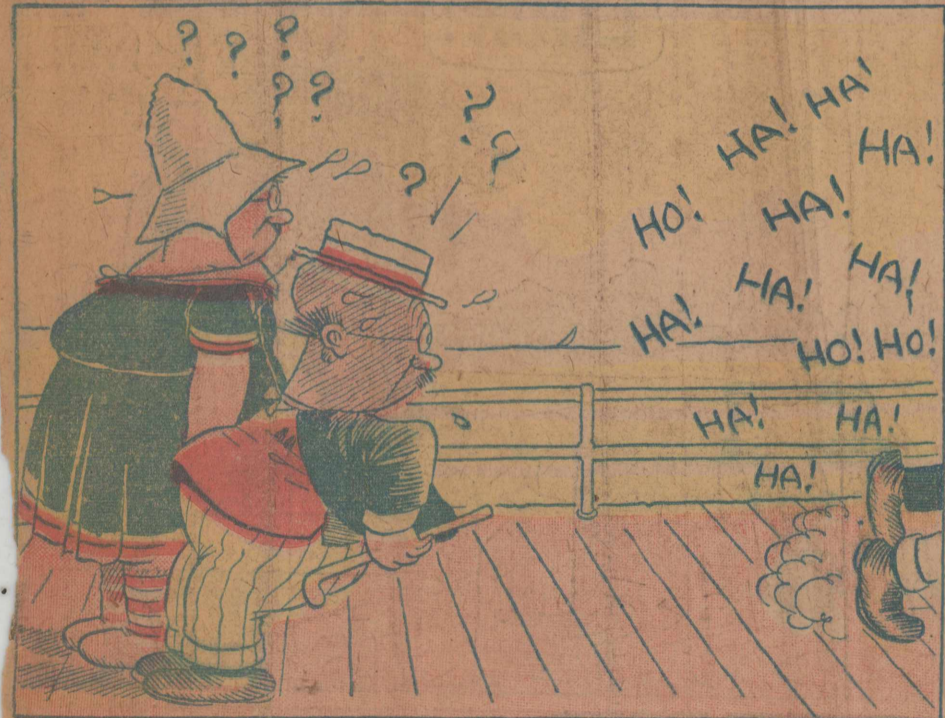
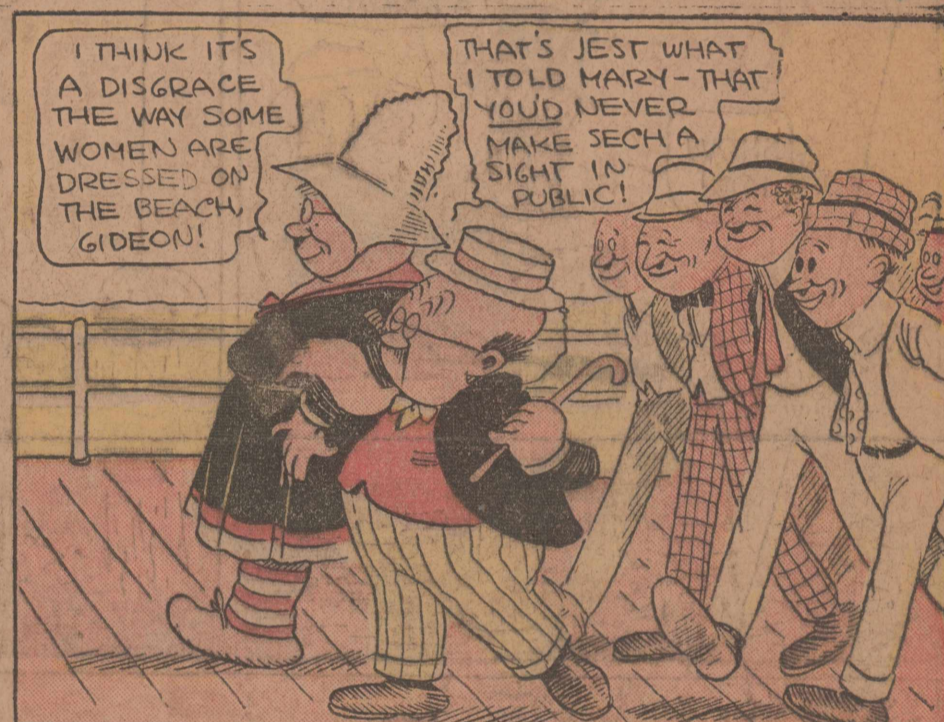
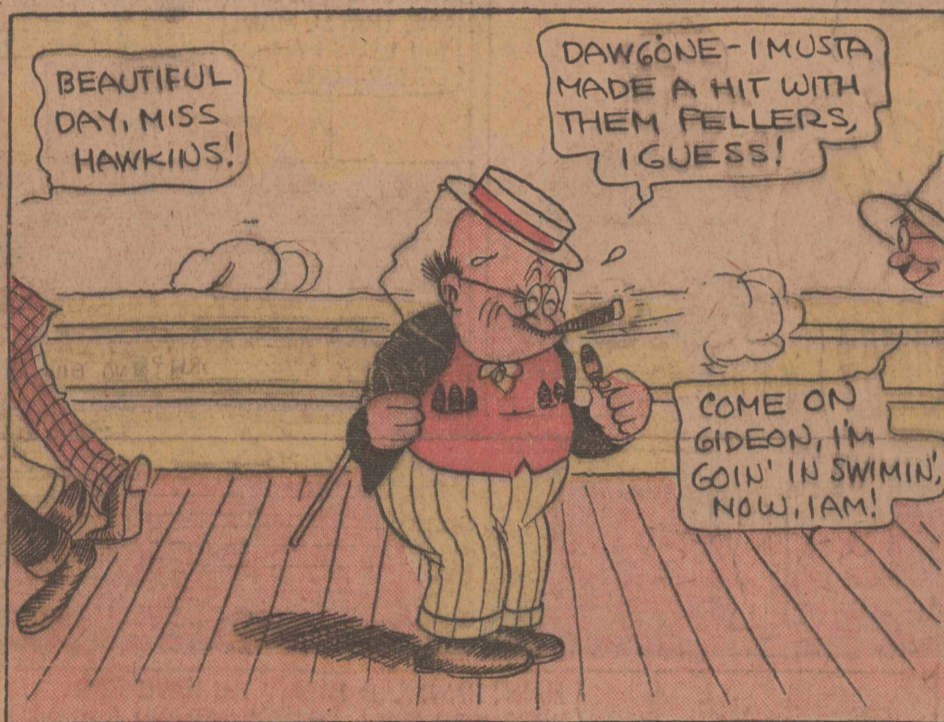
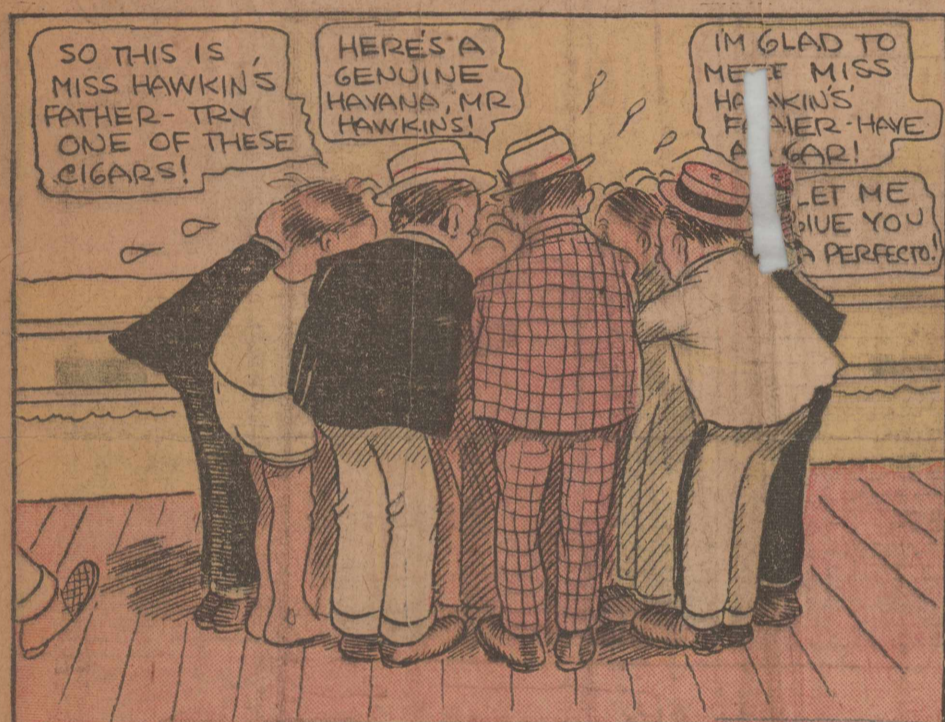
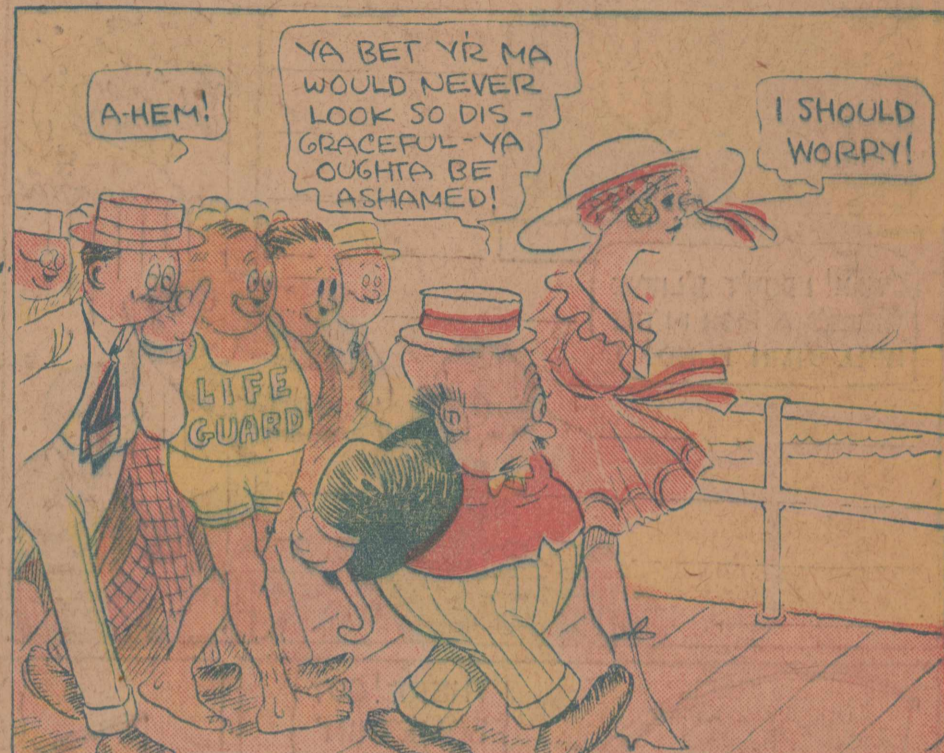
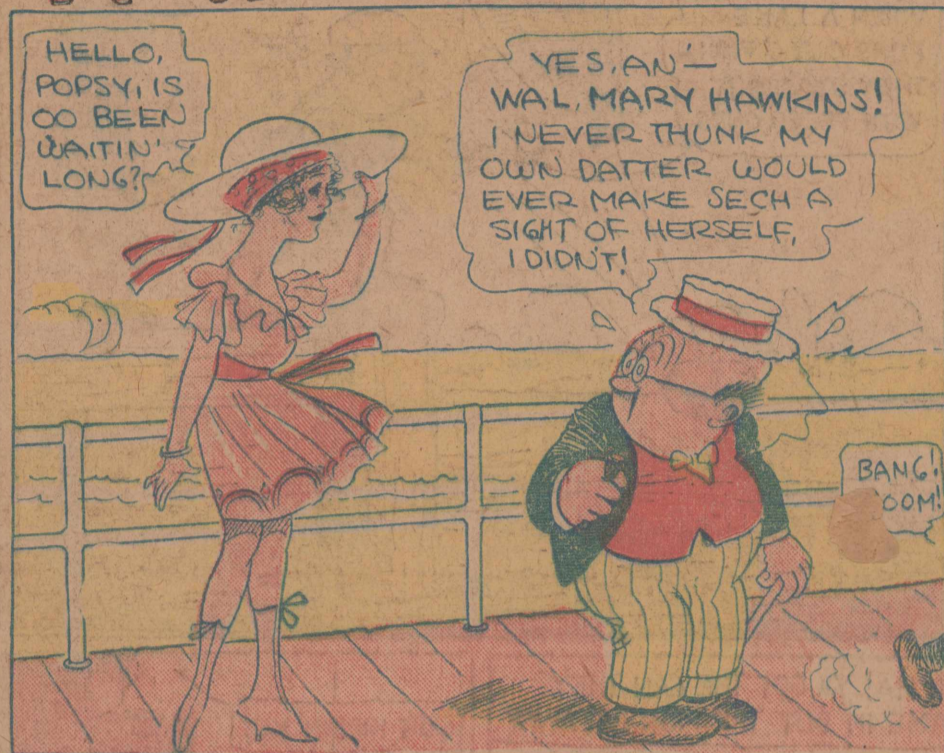
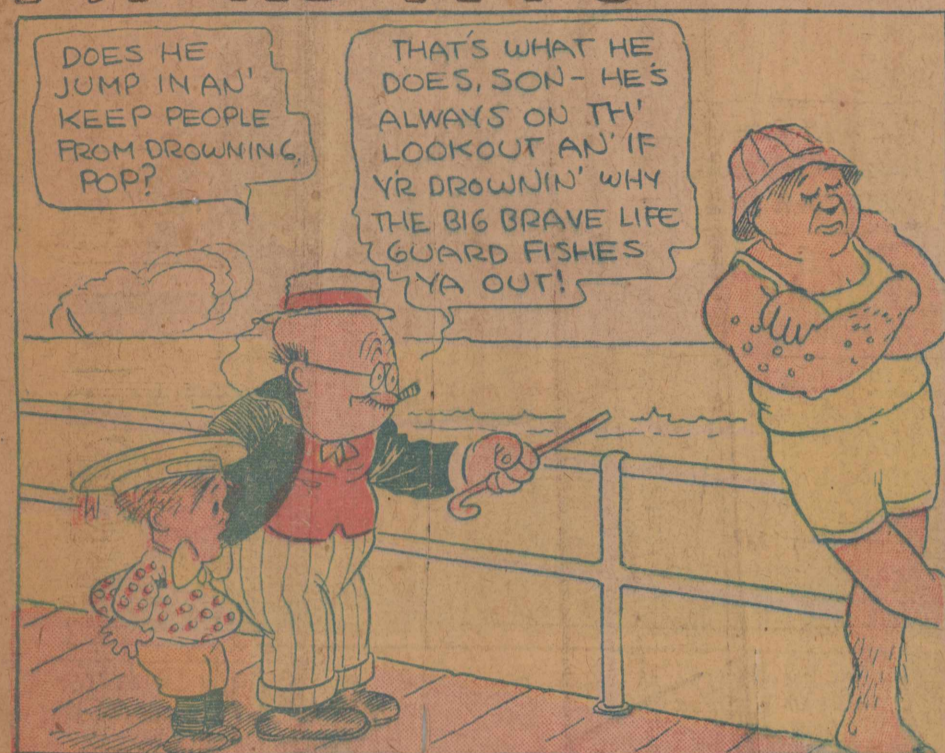


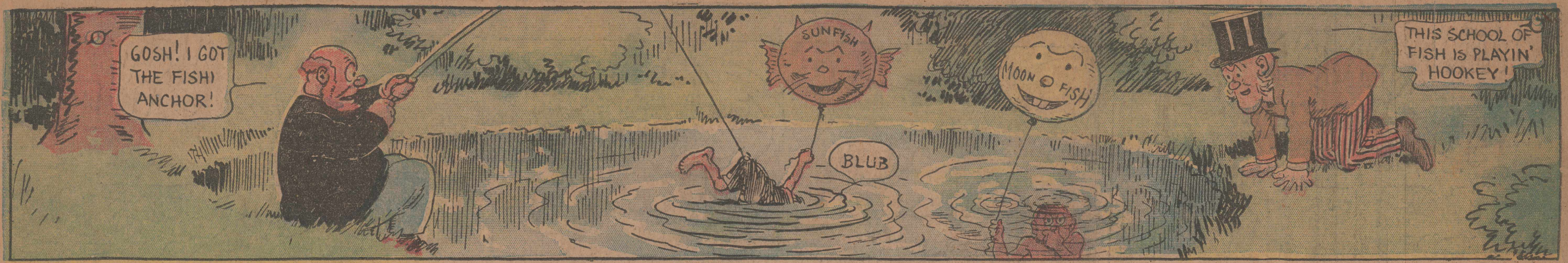
THERE HE GOES! - OUT OF BED AGAIN!- I NEVER HEARD OF ANYONE SLEEPING LIKE THAT KID DOES!



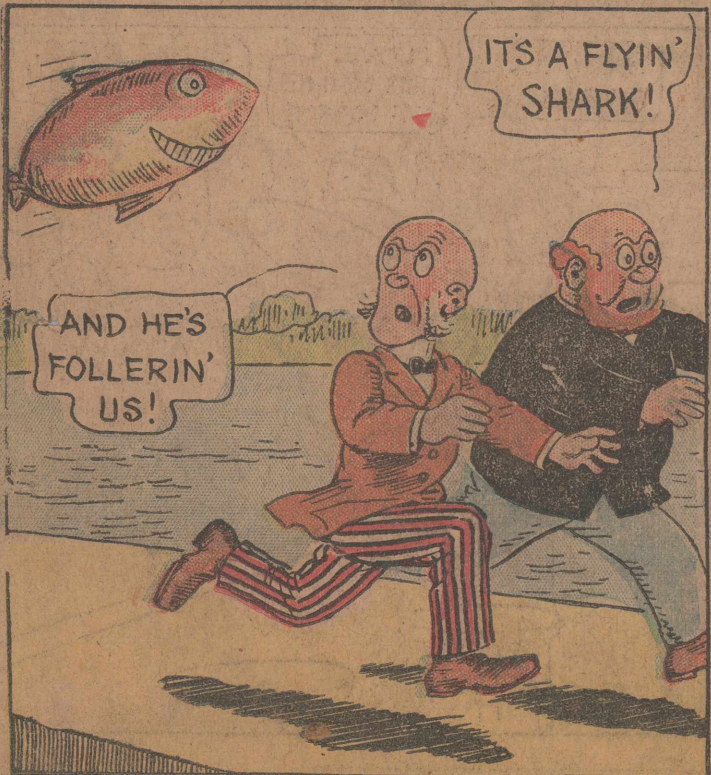
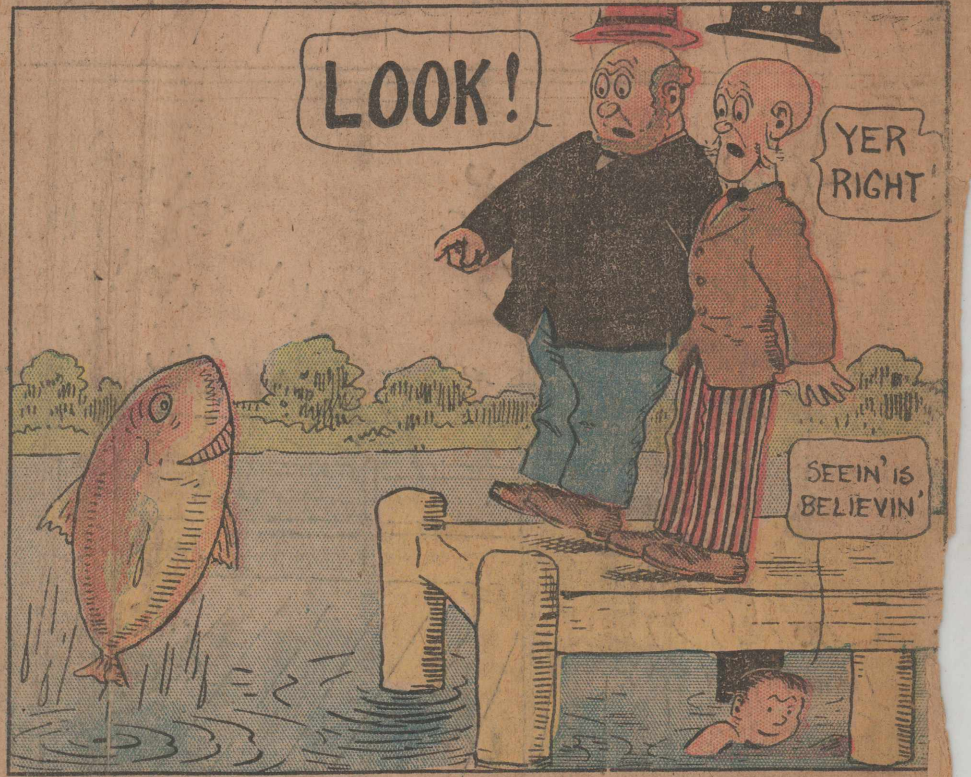
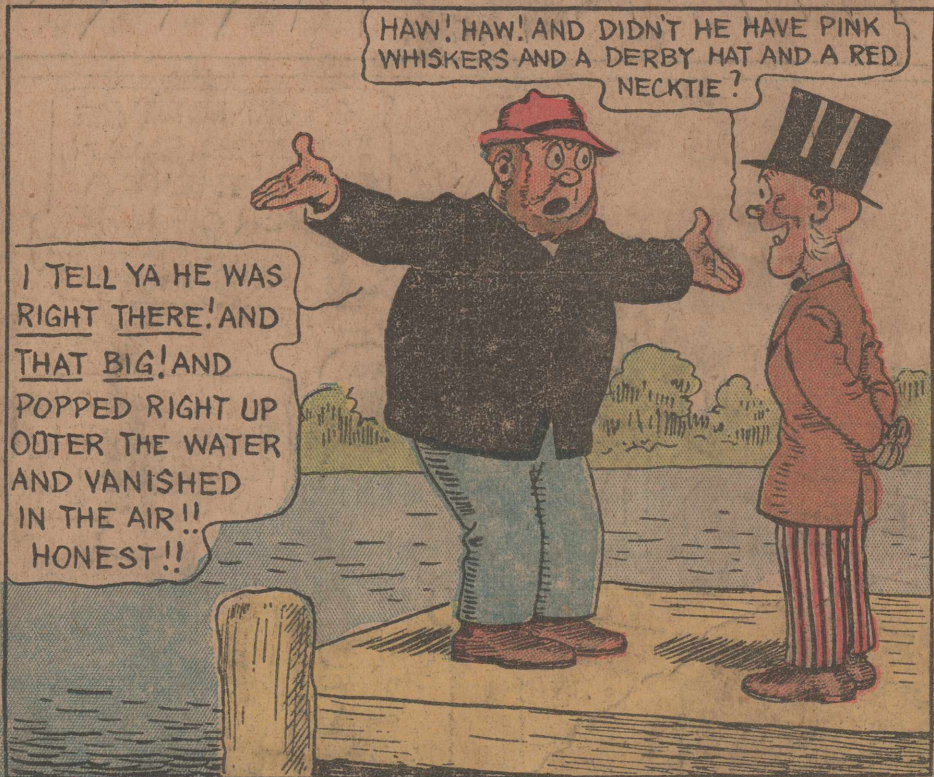
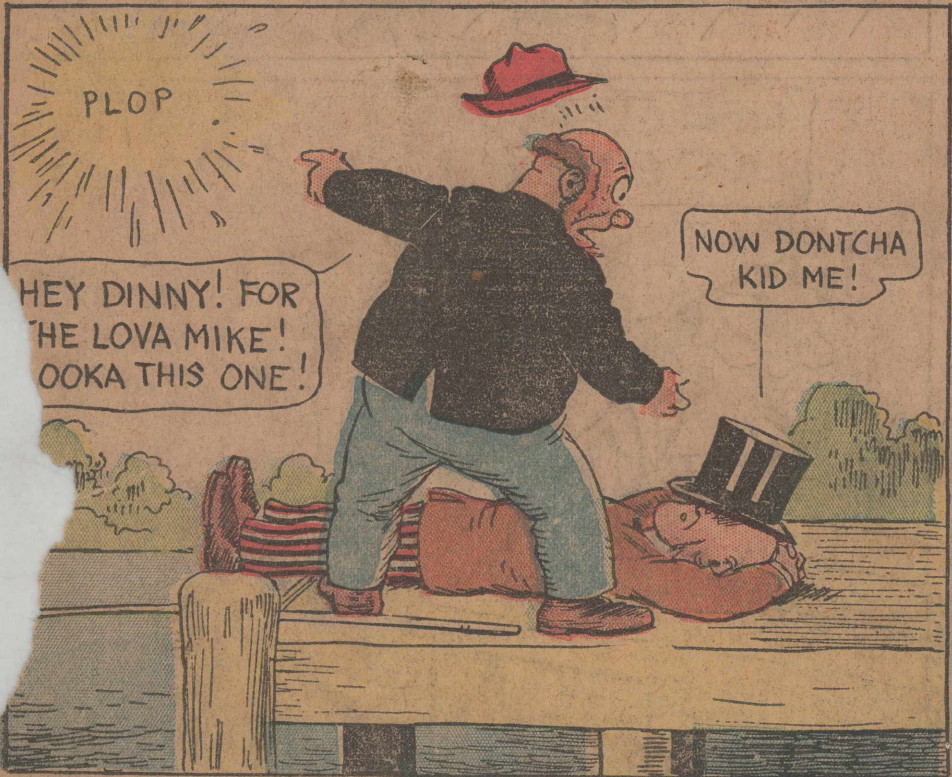
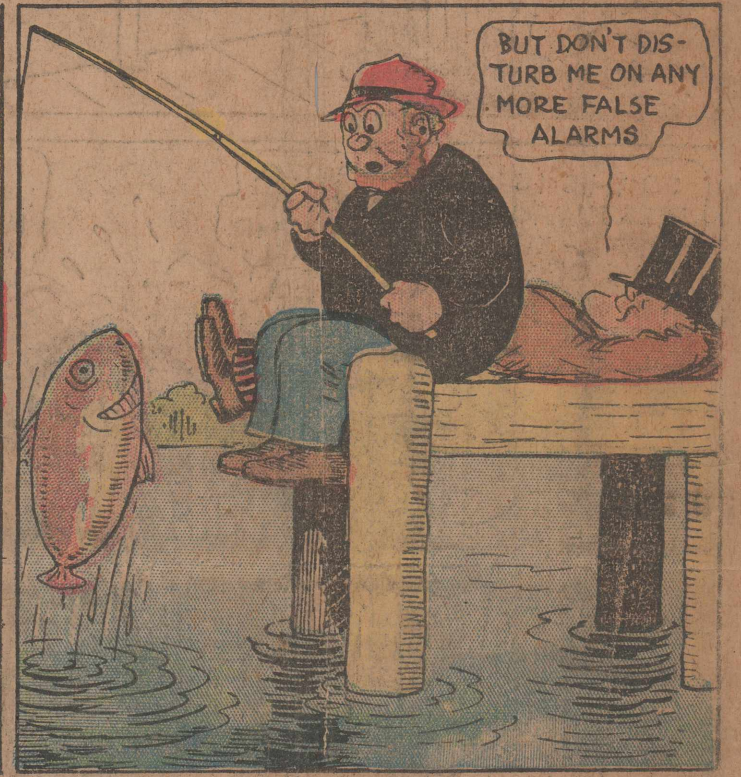
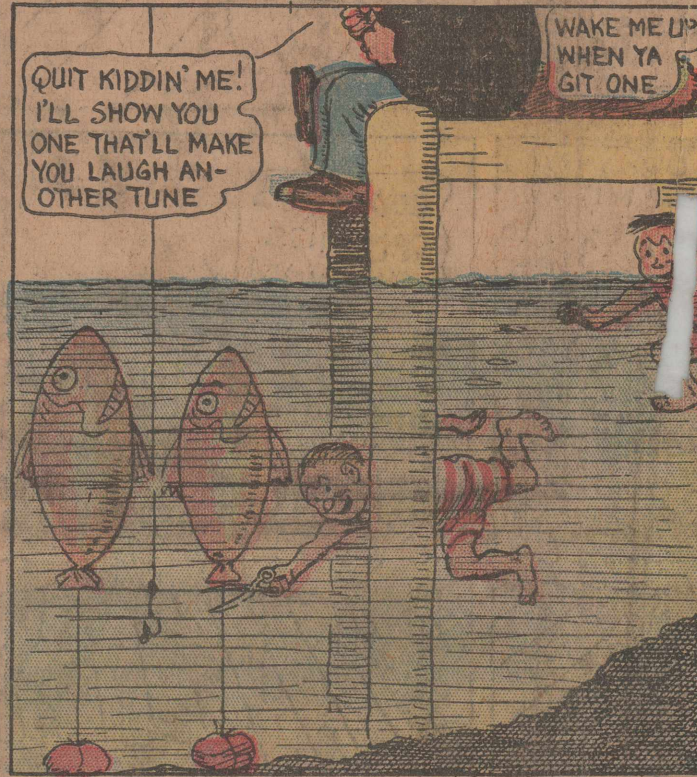
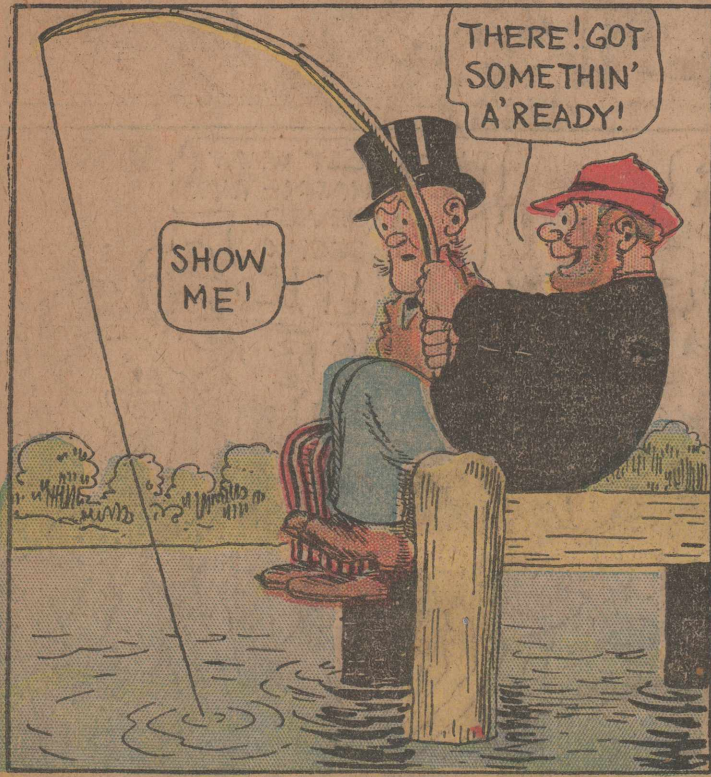
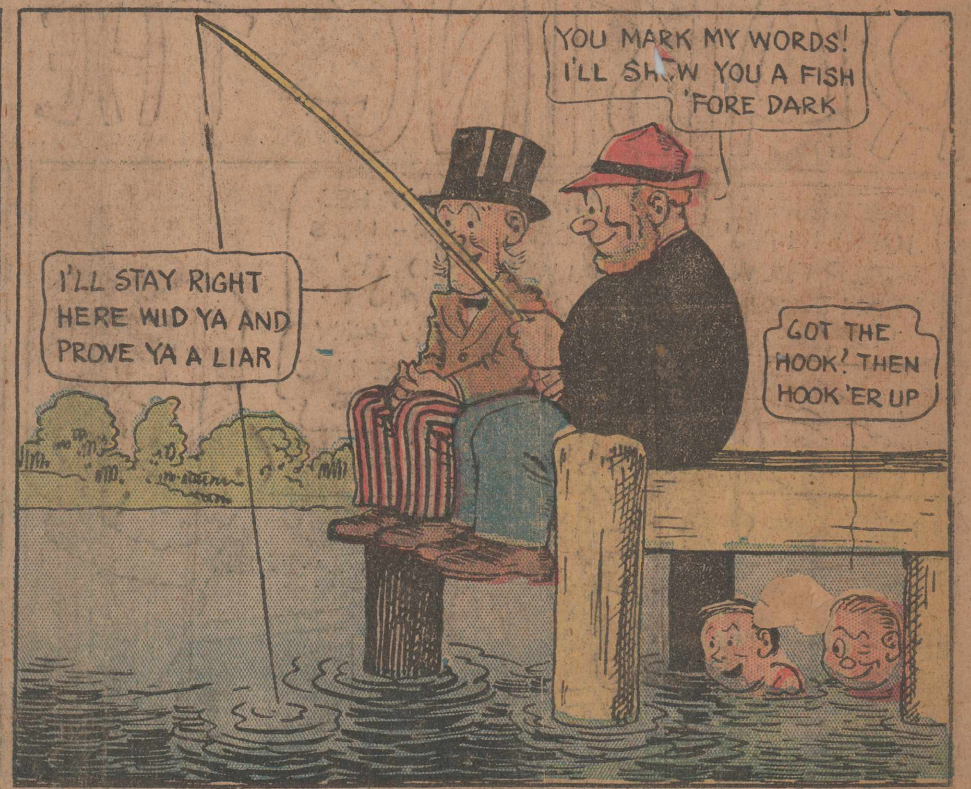
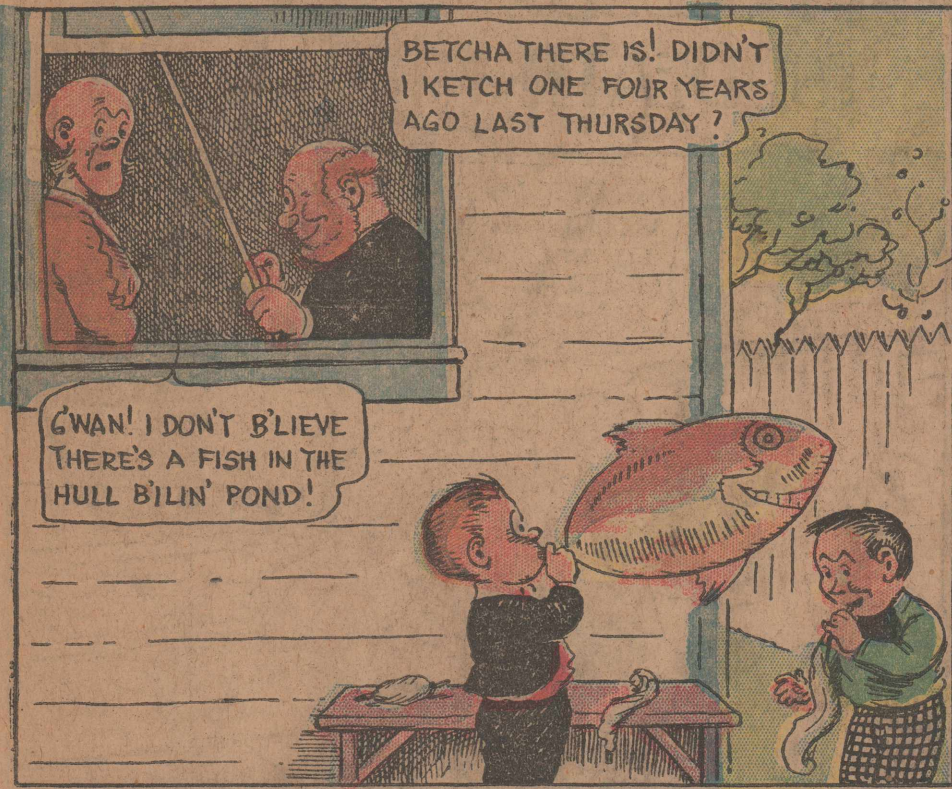


RAISING THE FAMILY MARY NEARLY CAUSED HER PARENTS' DEATH





TIM --- THE KELLY KIDS --- TOM



Photoplay Star Buys New Viking When Broken-in

Unusual Agreement Made Between Salesman and Nils Asther

"If you will go to the Oldsmobile Viking factories in Lansing, Mich., take delivery on a new Viking and drive it back to Los Angeles for me, I will buy the car."

That was the unusual stipulation made by Nils Asther, M.G.M. moving picture star to Harry A. Bisantz, salesman for L. A. Jackson, Inc., Oldsmobile-Viking dealer in Los Angeles. And as a result Bisantz is driving the Viking back to the coast for Asther.

The unusual request was not the result of a temperamental idea of the movie star but predicted on his dislike for the task of breaking in a new car—a dislike, incidentally, that is shared by many automobilists.

Asther is of Viking ancestry and deeply interested in the lives of those adventurous early-Norsemen," said Bisantz while here. "Because of this background he was especially interested in the automobile which bears the name of his forefathers, and he assisted in the introduction of the Viking when it made its debut in Los Angeles.

"At that time Asther was driving a much higher priced automobile and was skeptical of the performance of an automobile selling at so reasonable a price as the new Viking. A few demonstration rides convinced him, however, that the new Viking had the same power, stamina, and spirit as had his ancestors of the same name. The only obstacle to an immediate sale was breaking in a new car, something Asther did not have time or inclination to do, working, as he is, long hours at the moving picture studios."

Bisantz had planned a vacation trip to the east. Learning of this Asther made his unusual request. Bisantz agreed and now is keeping his part of the contract. He will have driven the Viking slightly more than 3,000 miles over the route he is taking by the time he arrives on the west coast. The Viking then will be in prime condition for Asther to take the wheel

Endurance Flight Ends in Tragedy



Above is pictured the tragic ending of the refueling endurance flight of Miss Viola Gentry and Jack Ashcraft, daredevil pilot, at Roosevelt Field, N. Y. The plane ran out of gas and, attempting to land in a fog, crashed into a tree. Ashcraft was killed and Miss Gentry severely injured, and the plane—named "The Answer," symbolic of the flyers' intentions to smash the record in a field pioneered by the army's Question Mark, was wrecked. The insert shows Miss Gentry.

and drive topspeed over the Hollywood boulevards and the steep roads which lead over the foothills and up the mountains that form the eastern background of the capital of the moving picture world.

Texas Jerseys Are Now Qualified For Production Medals

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, July 17.—Four purebred Jersey cows, one from the herd of P. I. Nixon, San Antonio, and three from the herd of R. C. Nicholls, Tulla, recently joined the list of Texas milkers that have qualified for American Jersey Cattle Club high production medals, according to report by A. L. Darnell of the dairy husbandry department, A. & M. college of Texas, who is superintendent of official testing for Texas.

The cow, Pogis' Alcalde's Plume, owned by Mr. Nixon, qualified for

both gold and silver medals with production of 715.75 pounds of butterfat and 11,437 pounds of milk in 35 days. For three months test this purebred Jersey yielded more than 72 pounds of butterfat a month, leading the honor roll for three consecutive months.

Cows entering the silver medal class from the herd of Mr. Nicholls include Rochette's Charlotte Queen, King's Little Spot and Gaborge's King's Sybil, all young cows. Rochette's Charlotte's Queen annexed the senior 2-year old Jersey championship of Texas with her record while King's Little Spot won the Texas Jersey yearling championship.

Rochette's Charlotte's Queen's production record was 596.66 pounds of butterfat and 10,133 pounds of milk in 305 days.

Although the Cenotaph of London stands in the center of Whitehall, a crowded thoroughfare, it has never been touched by a passing vehicle.

University Geology Classes Mixes Study And Travel on Trip

NORMAN, July 17 (Special)—The popularity of traveling universities and education tripping students received another boost recently when a dozen students enrolled in a summer geology course under Dr. V. F. Monnett director of the school of geology at the University of Oklahoma, returned from a field trip that combined road romancing and study of geology structures.

In pursuing an itinerary that included the Texas panhandle country, the painted desert and petrified forests of Arizona, the Carlsbad cavern of New Mexico and the Grand Canyon of the Colorado, the camping party spent four weeks.

Visiting a turquoise mine at Santa Fe, the Sayre and west Texas oil fields and one of the country's largest zinc mines, located at Magdalena, N. M., were among the highlights of the trip.

As guests of several state schools

on the route, members of the party were able to investigate the departments of the various schools and survey their equipment. Schools visited by the trippers were the University of New Mexico, the New Mexico School of Mines, the New Mexico Military Institute, Texas Christian university, Fort Worth, and the West Texas State Teachers' college, at Canyon, Texas.

Numerous pictures were made and a large collection of specimens was gathered on the way. Special arrangement for the shipment of several large sections of trees from the petrified forest area was effected.

Students who made the trip were Paul Stevens, McAlester; L. C. Kirby, Baton Rouge, La.; Carl Buerbaum, Dallas, Texas; George Bell, Shawnee; Donald Winfrey, Norman; Ed Watts, Norman; Frank Penn, Cordell; H. E. Reigle, Fort Worth, Texas; Frank Weimer, McAlester; Buford Miller, Norman and C. M. Cade, Dale.

The Carasson's Old Bridge is a thirteenth structure of eight arches.

Hereford's chamber of commerce officials traveled 1400 miles in five days and visited seventeen towns and 15 counties, in securing \$4,500 for the Panhandle Plains which will be used to advertise the opportunities that exist in the vast Panhandle Plains area for the farmer, homeseeker and investor.

Big Springs Petroleum building was accepted by the Director recently and a formal opening held shortly following. The building was constructed by a stock company composed of local citizens. A \$10,000 bonus to be used for the purchase of the site was given by the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce.

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The International line of farm implements for which we are exclusive dealers in Wellington is recognized as the greatest and most useful line of farm machinery sold in America today.

Likewise the furniture, and shelf hardware that we sell is recognized for its quality and value and this is true of every item to be found in our store.

We do take some pride in our long years of service to this community, but we take more interest in the effective continuance and improvement of this service from year to year.

Pioneer Hardware Co.

Short Course To Consider Every Phase of Farming

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, July 17.—Virtually every phase of agricultural thought and activity will come in for discussion at the twentieth annual Farmers Short Course to be held at the A. and M. college of Texas July 29 to August 3, announcement of the general program by H. H. Williamson, vice director and state agent of the Extension Service under the auspices of which the short course is held, discloses. Group sessions for men and boys and women and girls will be held and sectional meetings will be devoted to specialized field of farming and farm operations.

Indications are that attendance this year will exceed that of nearly 5,000 registered last year, officials have announced, and arrangements are being made for a record crowd. Special rates of one cent a mile each way have been granted by the railways.

Topics of general agricultural interest will be discussed by outstanding educators and specialists at the forenoon and evening sessions for men and boys while subject matter lectures and demonstrations will be held during the afternoons. Special programs have also been arranged for women and girls, featuring topics of particular interest to the farmer's wife and daughter.

A central theme will dominate the general lectures each forenoon. The program for Tuesday will be devoted to "The Agricultural Trend," for Wednesday to "Dairying in Texas," for Thursday to "Land Utilization and Conservation," and for Friday to "The Cattle Industry." Monday morning will be given over to the formal opening ceremonies when President T. O. Walton of the college will deliver an address in welcoming the short course visitors.

In addition to the special home-making programs for women and girls, sectional meetings will be held every afternoon for detailed attention to such subjects as agronomy, horticulture, poultry raising, dairying, swine and sheep and goat raising.

Annual judging contests for 4-H Club boys will be held as in former years in the following divisions: Livestock, dairy, poultry and grain judging, and terracing. Trophy cups and medals will be awarded winning teams. The winning team in dairy judging, including the county agent coach and alternate member, will be awarded trip to the National Dairy show in St. Louis in October as guests of the M. K. and T. railroad. R. Reese, Dallas, agricultural agent for the M. K. and T. in Texas, has announced. Forty or more teams are expected to enter the dairy judging event with correspondingly large number of entries in the other events.

Speakers on general agricultural topics for the forenoon sessions will include: Col. Clarence Ousley, Tact Texas chamber of commerce, "Agricultural Legislation;" Harry Williams, Farm Bureau Cotton association, "The Trend in Co-operative Marketing;" H. G. Swafform, Texas Cotton Association, "The Cotton Industry and Its Future;" C. N. Sheppardson, dairy husbandry department, A. and M. college, "Factors Affecting Dairy Development."

The favorite dish of cats, it has just been demonstrated in London, is asparagus. The test was made as a result of an argument as to what a cat likes best.

CHICAGO.—Robert Holwyn had his mother-in-law arrested for knocking out two of his front teeth when he swore at his wife.

Widening Appeal Is Accorded New Chevrolet Six Car

DETROIT, July 17.—Reflecting the ever-widening appeal of the low priced six cylinder automobile, the Chrysler Motor company, on July first, had produced 845,469 six cylinder cars. June was a heavy contributor to the achievement. Output for the month was 151,297 cars and trucks—nearly 20,000 units greater than the best previous June on record.

Commenting on the succession of records that Chevrolet has been establishing since the introduction of the new six January first, W. S. Kundsens, president and general manager, explained that from a manufacturing standpoint Chevrolet was not constantly aiming at new records—that production is governed at all times by demand. "Record public acceptance of the new six," he said, "has made necessary record performance on the part of our sixteen factories. The automobile buying public has been the dictator of our manufacturing pace."

"Naturally, we are gratified to see the steadily increasing demand for the product. It is a tribute to the vision of our engineering staff that worked for four years to design and perfect the new six cylinder valve-in-head motor."

"Great credit is due the manufacturing division which has worked unceasingly to accommodate the demand and in so doing has been responsible for achievements that have made industrial history in the production of the new Chevrolet six."

"This is all the more remarkable when it is considered that volume production on Chevrolet's scale must be accompanied by exact precision manufacturing so that waste will be eliminated and so that production lines will not be held up as a result of having to replace a part because of defective material or workmanship."

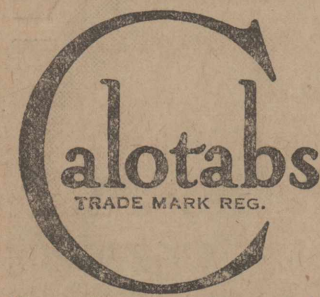
Mr. Kundsens declared that the summer production level will be considerably higher than in former years. He called attention to the fact that in practically every section of the country dealers are still behind orders and that demand in other sections continues to absorb the dealer supply almost as rapidly as cars are received from the factory.

Heavier Traffic Demands More of Automobiles Now

Increasing traffic on streets and highways of America offers a unique challenge to automobile manufacturers who are seeking to adapt their cars to the multiple complexities of modern transportation, according to Jim Richards of Allen-Figh Motor Co., local Dodge Brothers dealers.

"To meet the demands of present day motoring, new standards of performance and safety have

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Coated tongue, dry mouth, bad breath, muddy skin, groggy nerves and sour stomach suggest its use.

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been developed by engineers," said Mr. Richards. "Typical of this, is the fact that the New Dodge Brothers Six was built to specifications designed to cope with all conditions encountered in heavy traffic. In this model, engineering skill has produced a car with:

"Maximum flexibility and acceleration, in traffic or away from signal lights.

"A turning circle of small diameter for easy parking.

"Four wheel, hydraulic, internal-expanding brakes that afford positive control.

"Convenient controls requiring the minimum of effort in driving.

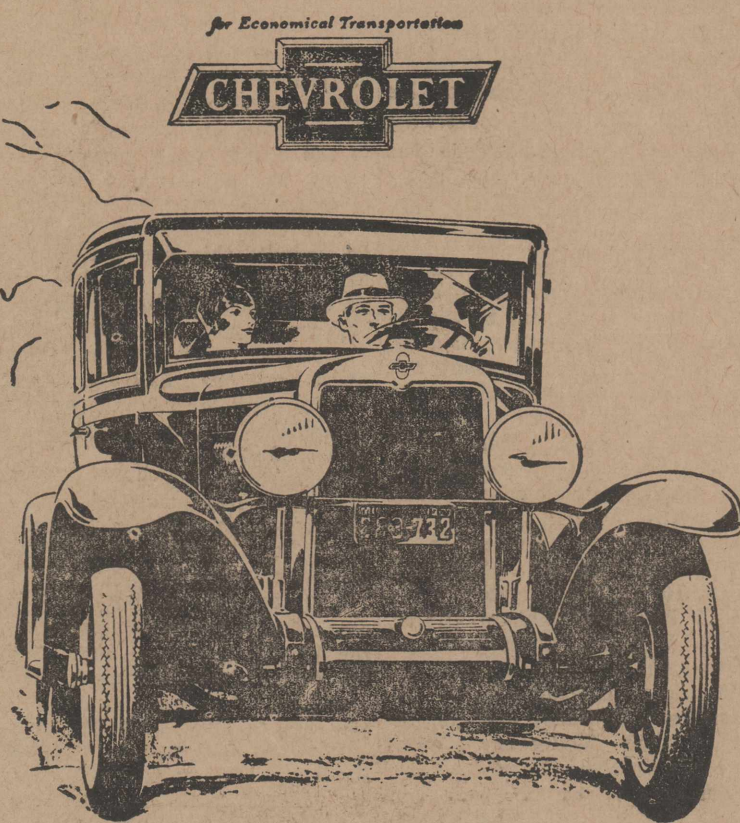
"Mono-Piece body free from annoying squeaks and rattles.

"Fuel economy that provides the greatest mileage possible when the engine is idling in traffic.

"It is only a matter of a few seconds to accelerate from a standing start through gears to 25 miles an hour or from five to 45 miles an hour in high, with the New Dodge Brothers Six. Such power and flexibility when protected with positive braking facilities insure the greatest degree of safety. State and municipal officials have recognized these features by taking the mechanical condition of cars into consideration when handling traffic cases.

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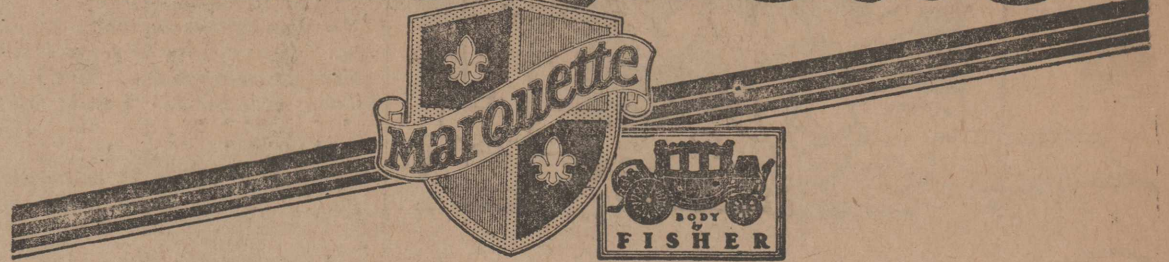
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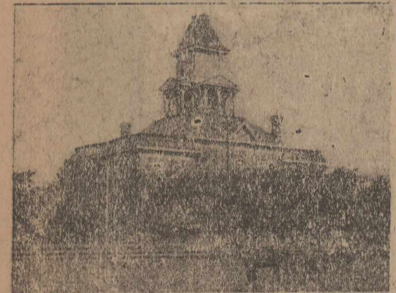
By BUDGE

Ladies and gentlemen! We take great pleasure in announcing that when you read these lines, if ever, the Old Man in the Graveyard will be on his way to California. The Old Man has been away from the golden state so long that he just wants to make at least one more trip out there and get the salty waters of the Pacific mixed in with his whiskers.

The Old Man in the Graveyard hasn't had a vacation in a long while—not what the most of us call a real vacation, so he has picked this time to leave. Since the boss of this newspaper is down in Old Mexico, the caretaker of the Graveyard is taking advantage of the opportunity and running away. He hopes to be back among you on or about September 1.

All of us look forward to vacations, for getting out a weekly paper is no picnic. If we print jokes, folks say we are silly. If we don't, they say we are too serious. If we publish only original stuff, they say we lack variety. If we clip from other papers they say we are too lazy to write. If we stay at the office, we ought to be out hunting news. If we hunt up news, we are not tending to business in the office. If we wear old clothes, we're stingy. If we wear new ones, they're not paid for. Like as not, some one will say we swiped this paragraph from another newspaper. We did.

Here we present a miniature photograph, suitable for framing. Or, if you like, you can cut it from the paper with scissors and stick it on the wall with library paste. This picture, as you might think, is not a Chinese pagoda, nor a circus tent. It is a picture of our own courthouse in Wellington, taken 40 years ago.



This shows the courthouse as it appeared in 1890. Four decades have wrought few changes. Some of the trees have died with old age and are not in evidence at the present time as shown in the picture. The fence has also been torn away so that dogs could gain easier access to the lawn. And the horse and buggy, as shown in the picture, has been replaced by Claude McKinney's Milk-white charger. But for these few changes our temple of justice stands in our midst today just as was. Standing as a monument to the pioneers who erected it forty years ago—who are we to hint that it should be torn away? Most of us appreciate individuality, and by keeping this courthouse for another half-century Wellington can remain in a class by itself.

Judge Templeton has an eye for the future. When he was rning a newspaper in Wellington twenty years ago, he printed a batch of abstract forms for his own use, and he printed a sufficient quantity, I might add. He is still using these forms in his office today that he printed with his own hands twenty years ago, and the supply isn't anything like exhausted even yet!

Druggists are forsaking Wellington. They have all been leaving during the past few days for their vacations, and Monday of this week Arthur Cochran, Bud Morrow, Paul Harle, and Tom Bengue were all out of town. Joe Hardy however, was holding down the fortress.

Bill Sims should try eating fish oftener. Last week a friend brought Bill a mess of fish, and Bill dived into them with such gusto that he swallowed a bone which stuck in his tonsil, and both tonsils had to

Tables Turn After 15 Years Troubles

"Sargon turned the tables for me after I had tried for 15 years to get well of stomach trouble. Now I am gaining every day. I went from 119 to 130 pounds, a gain of 11 pounds in three weeks on just three bottles. That's pretty good for a man 62 years old.

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Fire Prevention Needs Stressing

By BURA HANDLEY, Chief W. F. D.

You can read this in one minute. By the time you reach the last line, property worth \$950,000 will have been destroyed by fire somewhere in the United States. The city of Wellington, Texas, is contributing her full share to this huge figure.

Minute after minute, day after day, on the average, this appalling pace keeps up to a grand total of \$500,000,000.00 a year. That at least has been the record for the past several years. What the showing will be this year and in the years to come depends in a large measure on our attitude toward a community fire prevention campaign.

Eighty percent of all the fires we have are preventable—they are due to carelessness. Insurance marks the difference between protection and destitution, but every American home has its treasured possessions whose worth cannot be computed in terms of money and cannot be replaced. A minute's thought now saves patient accumulations of a lifetime from the ravages of fire.

After all, it is a matter of protecting your own dwelling and those whose presence makes it home. Isn't it worth trying?

Claude Savage and Maude Burton Are Married on May 29

Claude Savage and Miss Maude Burton were married in Childress May 29, it has been learned in Wellington this week. Claude has firmly denied all current rumors to that effect, but it has been authentically reported to The Leader that his marriage was solemnized in Childress at that time.

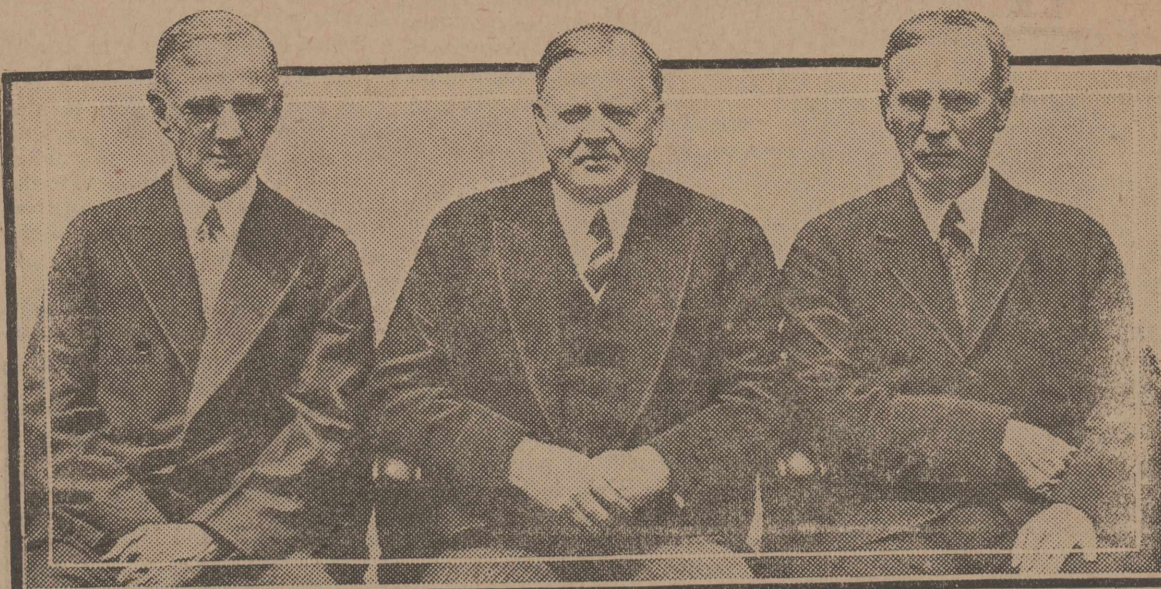
Miss Burton has lived in the Fresno community for the past ten or twelve years. Her father, L. E. Burton, resides there, where his family is well and favorably known. Miss Burton attended school at Fresno and is widely known among the people of that community.

Claude is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Savage who reside in Wellington. Claude was graduated from the Wellington high school in 1925. In July of that year he accepted a position as postal clerk in the Wellington post office and has worked at this job continuously since that time, with the exception of five months from February 1 to July 1, 1927, at which time he was employed at the Pampa post office. Claude is most efficient in his line of work and has made hundreds of friends while he has been in this public service.

Mr. and Mrs. Savage left Tuesday of this week for a trip to Plainview and Lubbock and they will also visit in East Texas. They plan to be away a week.

Sweet corn loses its sugar content rapidly after being removed from the stalk, and to have the best flavor should be picked only a few hours, or better, a few minutes, before being cooked.

Hoover Starts Farm Relief Machinery to Work



Unprecedented "Responsibility, authority, and resources" to bring relief to the farmers' ills were given the new Federal Farm Board by President Hoover when it met with the chief executive at Washington for the first time. Pictured here are Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde, President Hoover and Alexander H. Legge, chairman of the new board, at the Washington conference.

Wellington Team Now At Tourney

Wellington's baseball team is now in Amarillo participating in the baseball tournament sponsored by the Amarillo News-Globe in which eleven teams from all parts of this section of Texas are competing. Wellington's first game there was played Monday, in which the locals defeated Lubbock 9-3. Jack Knight is managing the team while they are in Amarillo. They are making the tournament "on their own" hook and were not sent by the directors of the Wellington Baseball association. The tournament will end Sunday of this week after which they will return to take up their O-T schedule. Two double-header games will be necessary to make up the games missed while they are in Amarillo.

Players who were taken to Amarillo are Knight, McDuffey, Bunte, Holland, Livingston, Newman, McKenna, McMahon, Andree, Brown, Wilson, Harper and two utility men.

Wellington did not play in the tournament Tuesday, and the result of their Wednesday game there had not been learned as The Leader goes to press.

Last Wednesday, Cordell defeated Wellington 12-11 in a schedule game. McDuffey and Schmidt were batteries for Wellington, while Heil and Gregory were Cordell's batteries with Biggers relieving Heil in the sixth inning.

Last Sunday Wellington won from Cordell 10-2, with McDuffey on the mound until the seventh when Livingston went in. Holland caught the game. Biggers and Schmit were batteries for Cordell, with Biggers being relieved by Heil in the fourth.

According to reports, Wellington has an excellent chance to win the tournament at Amarillo. Several fans from Wellington are in Amarillo to attend the games.

Buster Worley May Win Club Trip To Washington, D. C.

John R. Edmonds, district agent in the extension service of Texas A. & M. college who was in this county last week, visited Buster Worley of Lutie while in this county. Buster is working for a club trip to Washington, D. C., and according to the county agent and district agent, he has a most favorable chance to be awarded the trip.

Two club boys from Texas will be awarded this trip, according to Mr. Stinson. They will be selected on a basis of service in their club work and because of outstanding records in this work. They must have been actively engaged in club work for as many as three consecutive years and must be over 15 years of age.

Buster is secretary of the United Club Boys Organization of Texas, and is president of the Collingsworth County Club Council and leader of the Lutie club.

Mr. Edmonds said he was impressed with the reports from Buster Worley last year, and visited his farm to see his stock, crops, methods of farming, etc. Mr. Stinson says in all probability Buster will be selected for the Washington trip.

Brady's newest building and loan association, the Central Texas, with headquarters at Brady was perfected recently with an authorized capital of \$15,000,000. This is the second building loan association at Brady and was organized as an evidence of faith in the growth of the community.

Trains in England carrying express exclusively now make non-stop runs of 140 miles at almost passenger service speed.

Plan Refueling Distance Flight



Next on the program for refueling endurance flyers is a proposed non-stop twice across the continent flight from Chicago to San Francisco to New York and back to Chicago. Here are Captain Roy W. Amnell, above, and Captain C. E. Nelson, former army aviators who soon will attempt to make this 7000 mile flight with refueling at central points in 72 hours.

They Grow 'Em Big in Texas



One wonders how often Papa Ellrich of Mamma Ellrich of El Paso, Texas, turn their baby boy, Jake, over for spanking. Not so often, probably, when one considers what a big boy Jake is. He's pictured here with his parents while attending the Elks' convention in Los Angeles. Of course, he's the tallest Elk and also one of the tallest men in world. He weighs 325 pounds.

SOCIETY

Excelsior Club Swimming Party At Country Club

Miss Veda Swafford and Miss Lula Masten entertained the Excelsior club with a swimming party at the Rivercrest Country Club last Thursday. After the swim, a delicious luncheon was served picnic style after which an interesting program in "Character" was given. Those who enjoyed the outing were Ruth Boyman, Effie Lee Richards, Jessie Fuson, May Wess Bell, Leah Smith, Mrs. Perl Clark, Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Callie Curtner, members of the club. Guests were Hilma Clark of Bowie, Della Park of Fort Worth, Mrs. Homer Hindman of Clayton, Gladys Smith, Lora B. Boardman, Beulah Bess Bell, Mary Lou Fuller and hostess.

Missionary Society Meets Monday Here

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon with Mrs. M. G. Anderson as Devotional leader. Mrs. Anderson also made a very interesting talk on prayer. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Pink Sullivan and Mrs. C. C. Small. The Missionary Society meets every Monday except fifth Mondays at 3:30 p. m. A splendid attendance was reported at the last meeting.

Baptists Hold Missionary Meeting

The Missionary meeting at the Baptist church Monday was well attended. Rev. Joyner led the Bible study and delivered an interesting talk. The subject was taken from the second chapter of Philippians. Eight members volunteered to attend the all day Mission study class at Shamrock Tuesday. After a short business session the Society was dismissed until next Monday.

Mrs. Sewell Is Hostess At Entertainment

Mrs. M. A. Sewell very delightfully entertained her Sunday school class of girls with a party at her home in the west part of town one evening last week. Games were played throughout the evening and refreshments served to the following members and guests: Ina Hugh Longino, Ineva Cudd, Elizabeth Helbert, Gertrude Laney, Mary Ruth King, Ruth Jackson, Frances Wells and Charlie Mae King of Childress.

Country Club Sunrise Party Delightful Affair

A very delightful affair was the early morning party given at the Country Club last Thursday morning with Mrs. Fred Watkins as hostess. The party met at 7:00 o'clock after having a swim breakfast was served at 9 o'clock. Bridge was then played until about 11:00 o'clock. Mrs. Bedford Harrison won high score and Mrs. Davis won low. All present expressed their appreciation as being delightfully entertained.

Those attending were Mesdames E. W. Jones, Dick Browler of Dallas, Ross Wilkerson, E. W. Moss, J. A. Hilburn of Childress, S. P. Buster, Bob Scott, Joe Hardy, Davis Robertson, Vernon Morris, Ray Goodson, Bedford Harrison, J. B. Castleberry, John W. Harper, E. L. Winn, R. H. Cocks, Luther Briddle, Cecil Bower, Bud McQuom, Pink Sullivan, S. R. Pinkston, Ben Boston, Jack Deahl, R. L. Templeton and the Hostess.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our friends for their many acts of kindness and words of sympathy in our great bereavement when the death angel visited our home and took our husband and father. Mrs. Susie Smith, O. T. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Smith, Harley Smith.

Stevensville's milk receipts at the local receiving station of the Southwest Dairy Products Company passed the 500 gallon per day volume recently. Another milk route is expected to be inaugurated soon to care for the supply. Coleman county's increase in valuation over last year has been announced as \$1,500,000 the total valuation for this year being \$16,000,000. The new increase is due to oil and the newly constructed buildings in Coleman, and those influences have operated about equally in causing the raise.

LOCALS

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Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sherwood and family of Amarillo are the guests this week of Mr. Sherwood's mother, Mrs. S. E. Sherwood and family and other relatives.

Mrs. A. L. Nowlin of Long Beach, Calif., returned to Wellington Sunday and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Braxton for several weeks and to attend to business in the interest of the Nowlin Wholesale Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tice visited with Mrs. Tice's mother, Mrs. Baker, in Clarendon Sunday.

W. C. McKinney of Dodsonville spent last week visiting in the home of his son, Claude McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cayton, Miss Greta Mae Cayton and Merle Cayton visited in Claude Sunday.

Miss LaVerne Hayhurst, Misses Margaret and Argen Hix visited friends in Memphis Sunday.

Miss Opal Estes left Saturday for Pueblo, Colorado, where she will spend her vacation visiting her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson and small daughter returned Sunday after a three weeks visit with her parents at Red Oak and Perrin, Texas.

Claude McKinney left Sunday for McAlistar, Oklahoma, to transact business for the county.

Mrs. Lexie Dell Harrison and Miss Nellie Wright visited Mrs. Harrison's brother, Frank Gillespie in Hollis Sunday.

George Kimball of Wichita Falls was in Wellington last week transacting business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Tom Campbell underwent an operation at the Wellington hospital last week.

W. R. Clifford of Wichita Falls was in town Friday transacting business.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Porter and little daughter, Thelma Louise, left Sunday for several weeks visit with Mrs. Porter's sister, Mrs. Z. J. Duffendach and Miss Irene Hooker in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Willingham of Hollis were in Wellington Thursday visiting friends.

Glenn Pendergraft of Amarillo was in Wellington Wednesday visiting friends.

A. V. Cocke, R. H. Cocke and H. F. Cocke returned home last week after several weeks vacation in Colorado.

Cyril Youngblood of Shamrock was a business visitor in Wellington Thursday.

Lester Campbell visited last week in the home of his cousin, Mrs. M. M. Nix in Shamrock.

H. A. Painter of Dodsonville was a business visitor in Wellington Friday.

Mrs. Ed Baker and children and Mrs. Baker's sister of White Deer spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Curry.

C. E. Stone of Dallas was in town Saturday transacting business at the local Stone and company store.

Miss Era McCaskill spent last week-end visiting friends in Amarillo.

Miss Texan Kesler of Dodsonville was a visitor in the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Chapman and Mr. Chapman Saturday.

Miss Faye Bounds of Bethany, Oklahoma, spent last week-end visiting her uncle, I. Bounds and Mrs. Bounds.

Miss Audrey Hooker and Miss Doris Hooker of Wheeler spent last week-end as the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Gwen Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bishop made a business trip to Mobeetie Friday.

Miss Vivian Purdum of McComb, Illinois, is the guest of Mrs. C. C. Bishop this week.

Mrs. Pat Robinson and children of Canyon were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook, Jr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rainer and family left Monday for Colorado Springs where they will spend a three weeks vacation.

Mrs. J. C. Hampton entertained with a dinner party Thursday evening for her guests, Mrs. W. B. Hampton and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Los Angeles.

Mrs. W. B. Hampton and daughter, Beulah, of Los Angeles are visiting Mrs. J. C. Hampton and Garland Hampton at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Cook of Lubbock are visiting this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook, Sr., and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Hornbeck of Lincoln, Neb., are the guests this week of Mrs. Hornbeck's sister, Mrs. A. C. Boverie.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires visited in Oklahoma City last week-end.

Jerry Hurst of Shamrock was a business visitor in Wellington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Nix of Shamrock spent Monday night in the home of Mr. Nix's mother, Mrs. Mary Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter, Herbert Carter, Lynn Carter and Louise Jones of Dodsonville visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Campbell and family.

H. Z. West of Arlie was in Wellington Tuesday attending to business matters.

Paul Harle, Cal Sugg, Harris Royal and Cecil Leggett returned Monday from Creed, Colorado, where they spent the past week.

Mrs. Lucy B. Wells and Miss Hattie D. Wells are visiting this week in Corpus Christi. They accompanied Miss Robbie Wells to Webster where she will give instructions at a Girl Scout encampment.

Raymond Hunt of Altus spent the week-end in Wellington with relatives and friends.

Miss Johnnie Smalling and Miss Mary Louise Barley of Corsicana are visiting this week in Wellington with Misses Lois and Lucille Miller, who will accompany them to Corsicana when they return.

Maragaret Ann Fires is visiting in Fort Worth this week with her aunt, Mrs. Ralph Love.

Mrs. Lee Miller and children spent last week-end with relatives at Amarillo.

Miss Nan Weir has returned from Amarillo after spending two weeks with friends there.

Mrs. Ola Wall spent last week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gragg of this place.

Miss Gladys Poling visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poling of Hollis.

J. A. Vaughan, sheriff of Grayson county, Mrs. Vaughan and children and Mrs. Verna Vaughan all of Sherman spent last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Z. H. Daffron of Lutie and Mrs. E. E. Jones of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Watson returned from Wise county Friday after several days visit there with relatives.

Mrs. Ann Hollis of Mangum visited her daughter, Mrs. Bura Handley last week-end.

Paul B. Graton of Oklahoma City spent last week-end visiting his wife, who is employed at C. G. Bower's dry goods store.

Mrs. Jack Knight is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Goodnight of Memphis this week.

Dee and Jess Handley of Shamrock visited relatives here Sunday.

Misses Johnnie and Allen Helm came to Wellington Friday to join their mother, Mrs. Beulah Helm, after having visited their grandparents at Antlers and Cooper for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Dukeminier and small daughter, Teddie, left Tuesday for Roswell, New Mexico, where they plan to make their future home. Mr. Dukeminier has accepted a position with the electric company there.

Ernest Teakle of Shamrock was a Wellington visitor Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Orr returned Saturday from their vacation in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Callahan of Hollis went to Altus Sunday to secure the picture, "Broadway Melody," which was shown here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

L. C. Jones made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Graham of Mangum visited her sister, Mrs. John Wood and family last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nowel Austin moved to Wellington from Mangum this week to make their home. Mr. Austin is employed at the City Bakery.

Mrs. B. H. Hague and Mrs. Johnny Logan of Fort Worth are the guests this week of their daughter, and sister, Mrs. A. C. Boverie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Goodson are in Colorado this week spending their vacation.

Ray Miller, John D. Glenn and Bill Dryden are vacationing in Corsicana.

T. W. McDowell and Miss Daisy McDowell of Dodsonville were in town Saturday visiting their son and brother, Ansell McDowell and wife.

Joe Whit of Altus came last week to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riley. Mrs. Whit and children accompanied him home after several days visit with her parents.

Miss Edna Riley is visiting this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Joe Whit of Altus.

George McCullough is in Amarillo this week umpiring the ball games for the West Texas League.

Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Riley of Wheeler returned to their home Friday after several days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Riley and family.

Mrs. L. A. Estes, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hooper, left last week for Pampa.

Mrs. E. G. Dyer of Dallas was in Wellington the last of the week visiting friends and transacting business for C. E. Stone and company. Mrs. Dyer formerly was a resident of Wellington.

Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Lewis and Miss Mollie Harris of Memphis were in Wellington one day last week transacting business and visiting in the home of Mrs. H. H. West.

Miss Ethel Gardner returned home this week from Stephenville after a few weeks visit with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark and daughter, Miss Hilma, of Bowie, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Della Park of Fort Worth is visiting her niece, Mrs. J. Veryl Clark in Wellington.

Jack Jones, Sr., of Clarendon, was in Wellington Friday transacting business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Clark of Cleburne returned to her home last week after several days visit here in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Kinney Godfrey.

J. A. Fain of Childress was in Wellington last week attending to business matters at the Fain and company local store.

Mrs. Earl Davis returned to her home at Flagg after several days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Riley.

Miss Mittie Lee Royal returned home from Canyon last Friday where she has been in school this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones spent Sunday in Memphis visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Crisp of McLean spent last week in Wellington with their son, who is in the hospital here. They returned home Saturday taking the patient with them.

Zed and Glenn Hathcock, of Elida, New Mexico, spent Friday and Saturday visiting Glenn Brickey.

Miss Sarah Jones of Wichita Falls spent last week-end visiting her sister, Miss Florence Jones and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter of Dodsonville were in town Friday visiting relatives and attending to business matters.

Mrs. J. M. McKnight and granddaughter, Miss Alma Lee Jones, and Miss Oletha Vaughan visited in Childress last Thursday.

Mrs. J. H. Campbell returned from Hedley after a few weeks visit there with her cousin, Mrs. Mag Hall. Mrs. Hall accompanied her home for a few days visit.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and son, Bobby, spent last week here visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shields. Mr. Jones is the district manager of the C. E. Stone chain stores.

Miss Veta Price of McLean spent last week-end as the guest of Miss Bernice Brickey.

Miss Marie Reid left last week for several weeks visit with relatives in Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Vaughan of Quail recently returned from an extended vacation trip to Yellowstone National Park, Salt Lake City and other western points of interest.

Mrs. Lexie Dell Harrison returned from Clarendon Sunday, where she has been for several days operating in the Beauty Parlor at the Little Mercantile store at that place.

Mrs. Thomas Reid returned last week after several days visit with her sons in Dallas and Paducah.

Senator and Mrs. C. C. Small and family of Austin were in Wellington last week visiting relatives and transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hathcock and family of Elida, New Mexico spent last week-end, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Brickey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norfleet Whitson of Shamrock were in Wellington last week-end as the guests of Mrs. Whitson's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pedigo and family.

R. H. Templeton was in Pampa Thursday transacting business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sewell spent Sunday in Shamrock visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hankins of Childress are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Hankins and other relatives.

Miss Fae Jones of Childress visited in Wellington with Miss Alma Jones Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Lynn underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Wellington hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Roberts, Mrs. Bertie Atkinson and children, Buster and Elwin, and Miss Mamie Weir, attended the old settler's reunion at Childress last Thursday.

W. B. Parnell spent the past week-end with friends at Altus.

Sam Harle, Sr., Miss Louise Harle, Mr. and Mrs. Budge Harle will leave Thursday of this week for Long Beach, California, where they will remain until September 1.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County, on the 10th day of May, 1929, by Lenore Sherwood, Clerk of said District Court of Collingsworth County for the sum of Six Hundred thirty nine and 51-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of Paul Kostas vs. W. A. Barker and J. C. Pinson, placed in my hands for service, I, C. E. McKinney as Sheriff of Collingsworth County, Texas, did, on the 11 day of June, 1929, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Collingsworth County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

South half of the southwest 1-4 of section 33 in block 15 of the H. & G. N. Ry Co. survey in Collingsworth County and levied upon as the property of W. A. Barker and J. C. Pinson and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1929, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Collingsworth County, in the city of Wellington, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. A. Barker and J. C. Pinson. And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceeding said day of sale, in the Wellington Leader, a newspaper published in Collingsworth County.

Witness my hand, this 29 day of June, 1929. C. E. MCKINNEY, Sheriff Collingsworth County, Texas.

Mrs. Donaldson Gains Daily By Taking Orgatone

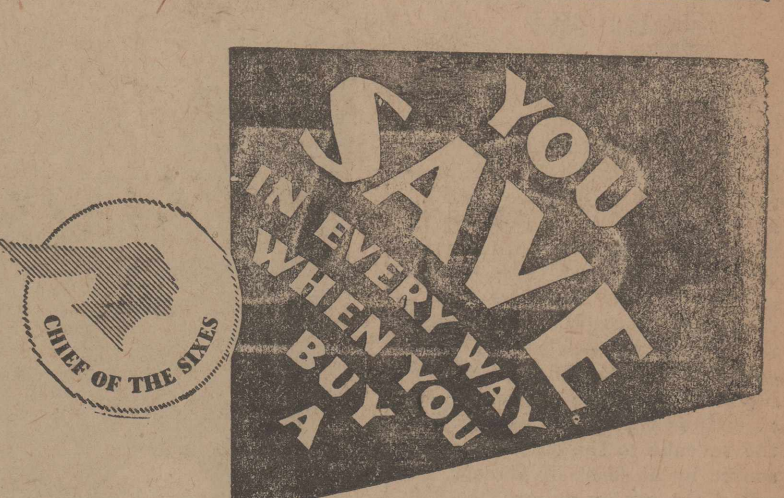
"Never Found Anything To Equal It," Wichita Falls Woman Says

"If I could speak with everybody personally who had stomach trouble and gall bladder trouble," said Mrs. M. T. Donaldson, of 2407 Pennsylvania avenue, Wichita Falls, Texas, "I would advise them to take Orgatone, for I have tried it myself and have never found anything to equal it. I have suffered with a pain in my right side caused from gall bladder for the past six years until I thought I would go distracted. The pain would extend from my gall bladder down to my side, the muscles and leaders felt like they were drawn, and many a night the pain was so severe that I could hardly keep from crying. My appetite was very poor and my stomach was so out of order that what little I did eat made me miserable. I suffered terribly from indigestion and would bloat up so badly from the gas on my stomach that I could scarcely breathe, and there was always a dull aching pain in the pit of my stomach.

"But Orgatone has been a wonderful blessing to me and no one could see the change that has taken place in me during the past few weeks and doubt it being a great medicine. All my gall bladder and pains in my side are gone now, and you may know I feel like a new person. My appetite is splendid, I am never bothered with indigestion or gas any more, no matter what I eat, and my color is much better. Now these are my reasons for talking so well of Orgatone and I will gladly tell anyone who cares to call on me what I have found out by experience about it." Genuine Orgatone may be obtained at Wellington by the Palace Drug company.

A new order of the British admiralty states that when boatswains' pipes are transferred they are to be disinfected by boiling for five minutes.

A large paddock in connection with the stable helps to keep in good condition horses that are worked irregularly. A series of sodded lots is preferable, as in addition to exercise the horses get grass, which is a tonic. Paddock exercise, though not as good as regular work, helps to prevent filled hocks, azoturia, or "Monday morning sickness," and other troubles.



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You save in purchase price when you buy a Pontiac Big Six—because no other car offering comparable advantages can be bought for less than a thousand dollars. You save also in operating costs and in depreciation. In other words, you save in every way with the Pontiac Big Six—America's biggest motor car value!

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- More Comfort
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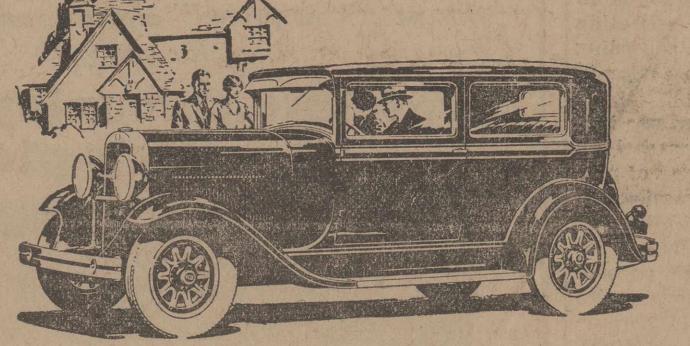
HUNSAKER MOTOR COMPANY

f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich. FIVE - PASSENGER TWO-DOOR SEDAN BODY BY FISHER No Increase in Prices! Even though sales of the Pontiac Big Six have shattered all earlier Pontiac records—and even though the value offered by this car is without parallel today—the Pontiac Big Six continues to sell for the prices at which it was introduced. There has been no increase in Pontiac prices!

Prices, \$745 to \$895, f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Bumpers, spring covers and Lovejoy shock absorbers regular equipment at slight extra cost. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Consider the delivered price as well as the list price when comparing automobile values. Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only reasonable charges for handling and for financing when the Time Payment Plan is used.

GOOD WILL GOOD WORDS FOR A FINE CAR



The good opinion of Oldsmobile that is invariably expressed when the discussion turns to motor cars is conclusive evidence of the increasing public favor this fine car is winning throughout America.

Such priceless good will can be achieved in only one way—the continued satisfaction of thousands of owners over a long period of time.

This satisfaction and enthusiasm on the part of Oldsmobile owners have been expressed time and again—not only from one neighbor to another—but in the multitude of written messages which flow constantly into the Oldsmobile factory.

Oldsmobile owners are loyal because they know that Oldsmobile is loyal to its owners. The exhilaration of Oldsmobile performance—its brilliant speed, power, and getaway—is theirs to enjoy, day after day. The roomy comfort of Oldsmobile's bodies by

Fisher—the restful riding ease provided by wide, deep-cushioned seats and four Lovejoy hydraulic shock absorbers—the luxury of richly furnished interiors add infinite pleasure to their motoring. And above all, they have absolute confidence in their cars—confidence that is born of months and years of faithful service.

Yet these splendid qualities—and the additional advantages of handling ease, parking ease, and operating economy—are available in Oldsmobile at a remarkably low price.

Good will—good words—and universal good opinion unmistakably stamp this Oldsmobile as a fine car—an automobile that will serve you long and well. Study the facts yourself. Drive the car and examine its many points of merit. Make critical comparisons. And then you will agree, with thousands of owners, that Oldsmobile has fully earned this widespread popularity.

TWO DOOR SEDAN
\$875

f. o. b. factory, Lansing, Michigan. Spare tire and bumpers extra.

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Consider the delivered price as well as the list price when comparing automobile values. Oldsmobile delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.

WATTS BROS. OLDSMOBILE CO.

Highway Problem Is Given Attention By the Legislature

Topics of General Agricultural Interest Will Be Handled

AUSTIN, July 17.—The Legislature has passed the 4c gasoline tax bill, together with a revision of the registration fees on automobiles. The 4c gasoline tax is the bill of Representative Leonard Tillotson of Sealy, which provides for collecting the tax on those who use gasoline in the State, as well as those who engage in the occupation of selling gasoline at wholesale. It is estimated that by placing the tax on the use of gasoline as well as the sale it will increase the revenue to the state from this source by at least 15 percent, and collect the tax on as much as 850,000,000 gallons of gasoline in 1930, and this after allowing a deduction for exempting gasoline used in farm tractors and for other purposes.

The registration fee bill is also by Tillotson, and follows the general plan of his original measure, but is amended to reduce the fees on passenger or family cars by 50 percent instead of 30 percent from the present fees, as the bill originally provided; but leaves the fees on trucks and busses as they now are, and divides the fees between the counties and the state on the basis of the first \$50,000 collected to be retained by the county, and an equal division of the remainder of the fees above the first \$50,000, between the state and counties, up to a maximum for any one county of \$175,000 a year. This legislation follows the general plan of highway financing from current revenues supported by Representative Tillotson, and will, while providing very satisfactorily for the efficient operation of the state highway department, give to the great majority of the counties an increase from registration fees over their present allotment. Representative Tillotson estimates that the new law will produce for the state in 1930 a minimum of \$28,500,000, and for the counties at least \$8,500,000, and that the state income will increase at a rate of not less than 10 percent a year, and the county income will increase from 5 to 10 percent each year.

DeSoto Six Has Merited Record

If every person in the United States were to take his summer vacation simultaneously, or to desimultaneously, sufficient accommodation for all would be found in the passenger cars operating throughout the nation, according to G. D. Milner, De Soto dealer in Wellington.

Few countries, however, are in a position even remotely approaching this situation in the matter of personal transportation, America being well in the lead of all others so far as the number of persons per motor vehicle is concerned, according to L. G. Peed, general sales manager for the De Soto Corporation division of Chrysler Motors. China, for instance, has but one motor vehicle for each 17,000, the United States having one for every 4.9 people in the country.

"In spite of this unusual high per capita ownership of motor cars," he continued, "the remarkable achievement of the De Soto Six proves there is ample room for a new car that definitely leads others in its price-class. Since the De Soto Six was introduced to the public it has gained a following and reputation unequalled by any first year car in the history of the automotive industry.

"A year ago there was not a De Soto Six on the road. Today there are sufficient De Sotos in operation to remove the entire population of Detroit—a million and a half people—to New York in fewer than three trips and in less than a week.

Plant records show that many of these cars have run up a mileage of more than 40,000 and still are operating smoothly and in perfect condition—a mileage at which many low priced Sixes have outlived their usefulness. The reason for this remarkable performance is that the De Soto Six has been built to Chrysler Motors specifications, engine chassis and body manufactured to closer limits of precision with a high standard of material seldom used in any except costlier cars.

"The wearing qualities of the De Soto Six have long since passed the experimental stage. Thousands of experienced motorists have testified to its endurance and low cost of maintenance in letters to officials of the company."

Many a broken heart is nothing else but a case of shattered pride.

Dawes and Wife Tour London



Here are General Charles G. Dawes, American ambassador to Great Britain, and Mrs. Dawes, as they left the American embassy in London for a stroll through the historic streets of the British capital. Dawes and Ramsey MacDonald, British premier, are now conferring on plans for naval disarmament.

Childress Pioneers Will Hold Meeting Thursday, July 18

The third annual meeting of the Childress County Pioneers Society will be held at Childress Thursday, July 18, with the prospect of this being the largest and best meeting so far held.

The meeting date, July 18, is an institution in Childress, having been celebrated almost continuously since July 13, 1887, when the first picnic and barbecue was held in Childress county. This was at the old town of Childress, three miles west of the present city.

For many years the citizens of the county kept the day, having barbecues and basket dinners. When the country was new people came from a distance of 200 miles to be present. They came in the covered wagon, camping from one to three days before the

event, remaining two or three days after.

This year the association is to be addressed by Judge Newton Willis of Canadian, one of the best known men of the North Panhandle. He is the son of Judge Frank Willis who held the first session of district court ever held in the country back in 1838. Judge Frank Willis came to the Panhandle at the time of the transmission of the country from the cattlemen to the farmer, living to see many farmers in the lower Panhandle section.

Anyone living in Childress county prior to 1894 is eligible to membership in the association, and they are urged to be present on the 18th. Those who settled in adjoining counties at the same time are invited to become members of the association and to attend the meeting. Plenty of eatables, a good place to hold the meetings, at Fair Park, and a good time is promised.

Modern Houses Seldom Demand Firemen's Aid

The modern home builder foresees—and cancels—a possibility "4-11" fire alarm when he plans his house.

Afterwards, he knows, it will be too late to do anything but fight fire. So he works on the basis that prevention is worth a good deal more than cure.

He knows, for example, a considerable proportion of house fires originate in basements—around heating plants or in stores of fuel, ash, trash or other inflammable material. So he plans to prevent such figures climbing upward and through his house. The simplest fire barrier is a concrete first floor aside from the firesafety such a floor guarantees, it adds structural rigidity to the house and offers great possibilities in decorative floor treatment, either with conventional materials or on the surface of the concrete itself.

Fire may also enter through the roof which is exposed to flying embers. Firesafe shingles or tile eliminate the hazard and add materially to the beauty of the home.

While fewer fires are transmitted from the exterior walls, real firesafety implies fire-resistive construction in those parts of the house. Hollow masonry walls, or walls covered with good cement stucco, provide excellent protection from fires of exterior origin. Fire stops in walls, unburnable stairways, proper design of fireplaces and chimneys—these are a few of the details the modern home builder includes in his far-sighted "4-11" alarm preventative.

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EVERYBODY knows that old tires give trouble, especially when hot weather starts. And what's the sense in taking a chance when we are eager to take in your old tires on guaranteed Dunlops?

You know Dunlops—the tire built to stand abuse, then bonded against abuse. Covered by an iron-clad, bonded guarantee against collision, blowouts, rim-smash, every known form of tire trouble.

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We are not the Oldest---

BUT THE RECORD OF CONSTANTLY INCREASING SALES AND SATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE TESTIFY TO THE QUALITY AND VALUE OF PLYMOUTH AND DODGE BROTHERS CARS.

We are not the oldest motor company in Wellington, but our company has made a record of which any concern can well be proud. During the past year, Plymouth and Dodge cars have enjoyed sales increase far above competitive cars in their price class. This splendid record has been the result of satisfactory performance. This striking performance has been convincing prospective buyers of their value and reliability, and as a result our sales have been increasing steadily throughout the year.

WE WILL BE GLAD TO GIVE YOU DEMONSTRATIONS AT YOUR CONVENIENCE.

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Over Eight Million a Day

Coca-Cola

is a refreshing drink for busy workers. Containing nature's finest flavors from nine different climes, it has grown to a height that will never—can never be rivaled. It's flavors are blended with an art that comes only from a lifetime of practice. Sealed airtight in STERILIZED bottles, it is bound to be good.

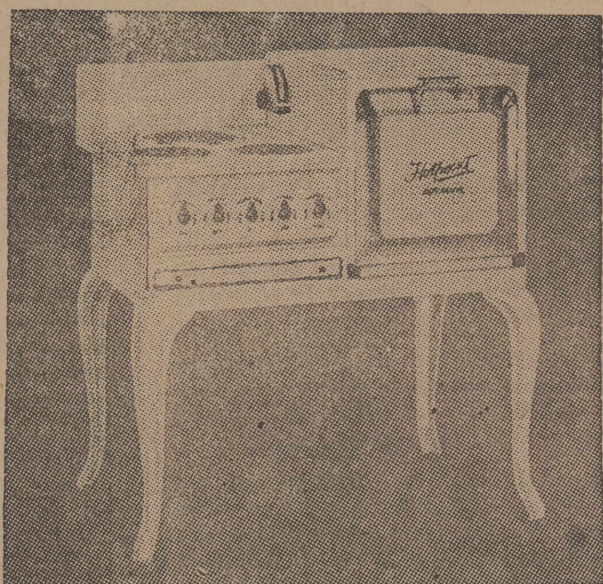
And now we celebrate seven years of successful service for Wellington and adjoining territory.

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this new "low priced" electric range will cook for you
... while you enjoy life's pleasures



The New All-White Hotpoint Electric Range . . . \$132.50

LIFE holds too much to be tied down to an old-fashioned cook-stove . . . this new "low-priced" Hotpoint Electric Range will do perfect cooking for you, while you are out of the kitchen and enjoying the many pleasures you have so long desired.

—This wonderful range is more beautiful than you can imagine . . . it is all white and will tend to beautify its surroundings.

—Don't let this opportunity pass . . . for a limited time only we are including a wonderful steam pressure cooker with each Hotpoint (priced at \$132.50 and up), the electric range that will cook your foods in a more delicious and palatable manner.

—REMEMBER . . . there's not a speck of soot nor a bit of dirt in the kitchen where a Hotpoint is used. Stop in our display room and see the new Hotpoint today.

West Texas Utilities Company

Whippet Four Is Winner Recently In Auckland Race

Gets Two Firsts and One Second Against Higher Priced Cars

Since the introduction of the original Whippet four-cylinder model three years ago, it has established an outstanding reputation for its speed, stamina and roadability. Even in its initial year it was subjected to numerous tests in stock car races and hill climbs in every section of the country and because of its remarkable performance, quickly became the center of attraction among the cars in the lower priced field.

Not alone did it prove its ability to cope with cars even far beyond its price class in this country but it continues to maintain the reputation it has held for three years in the foreign countries.

The latest accomplishment of a Whippet four was in three races against twelve other cars of both American and European make in a race program at Auckland, N. Z. Entered in three of the events, the Whippet Four captured two first and one second, even though pitted against six cylinder cars, several of which had been especially equipped for increased speed. The car than won the race in which the Whippet finished second was an American built car of six cylinders selling in the \$1500 price class.

The races were run over a mile and a half track, the major event, which was won by the Whippet Four, being a distance of 10 laps or 15 miles.

In the two races which the Whippet crossed the finish line ahead of the pack, it obtained the lead at the very start of the race because of its fast pick-up and go-away to any of the other entries. Because of its low center of gravity the Whippet was able to round the curves with safety at full speed whereas the other cars were forced to slow down.

The Whippet that showed the way home to its classy field of competitors in these races was a strictly stock model except for a change in the carburetor and manifold and the construction of a small racing body. Otherwise the car was the same as the thousands that already are in the hands of the driving public.

T. M. Little In Present Business Past Forty Years

T. M. Little who established the Little mercantile company in the old J. B. Ellis location in September of 1927 has been in business for the past 40 years. He came to Wellington from Clarendon where he had a similar business for 20 years after starting out in Bokchito, Oklahoma. He is well known to most of the business men of the southwest, having worked among them for a long period of years.

Moore & Langford Has New Grocery

Moore and Langford, proprietors of the new grocery store of that name, have lived in Wellington for many years and are known to the entire citizenship of this county. Mr. Moore has been engaged in the grocery business several different times, and at one time operated the Webb Moore dry goods store which is now known as the Dixie store. He is at present serving as mayor of Wellington.

J. V. Langford was for many years an owner of the Noles and Langford hardware store, which is now Shields and Lewis. He has also served as sheriff of Collingsworth county.

The Moore and Langford grocery opened for business this spring, located in the building formerly occupied by the Farmers Supply company, south of the City drug store.

George Hervey Has City Service

George Hervey who is now operating the City Service station established here by J. F. Holley, is specializing in his battery service department. Mr. Hervey operated a garage and filling station in Dodsonville for more than ten years, moving to Wellington in June from Dodsonville. His many years in the automotive business has given him a thorough knowledge of this work.

Queer Costumes Durids Used for Worship Revived Annually in Great Britain

If one of the saints who introduced Christianity into the British Isles had suddenly returned to life and visited British shores in last June, he would have moaned that the British race had forsaken the true faith and returned to pagan worship.

There was all the visual evidence with beacon fires on the sea-grit rocks of Cornwall, brush fires in Scotland, greeting of the sunrise at Stonehenge in Wiltshire.

But it was only at attempt to preserve in Britain some of the queer old customs of more than 4000 years ago, dating back to the Durids and even before that.

Honor Sun God

At Cornwall the Federation of Old Cornwall Societies arranged a revival of the sacrificial fires which the Druid priests used to light at the time of the summer solstice in June.

In olden days the holy men continued the ceremonies for three days. The fires were burned in honor of the sun god. The desire was to propitiate him so that he would give his faithful ones a rich and abundant harvest. Otherwise there would follow famine and disease.

To bring back memories of those very ancient Britons, the Cornwall society arranged great fires on the steep Cornish hills.

A similar program was arranged at Druid in Scotland. There a huge pyre was erected on the very top of Cairn Shee, 700 feet high, enabling the smoke and flames to be seen both day and night for many miles. Usually the oldest man in the district applies the torch, but this year the youngest herd boy was chosen. Afterwards sheep herders danced to the tune of ancient pipes and the entire company were served with breakers of ale, bread and cheese.

Quite different was the ceremony held at the mysterious Stonehenge. More than 100 members of the secret society of Durids came there the night before for their annual pilgrimage to what is believed to



Above, a revival at Stonehenge religious service in English history; below, Ian MacLaren, youngest herd boy at Cairn Shee in Scotland,

by Durids of the oldest known religious service in English history; below, Ian MacLaren, youngest lighting a huge pyre.

open air temple by the Durids.

These visitors robed themselves in white as they believed the ancient Durids did. And they waited in the dark for the first rays of indimsummer sun to glide the tops of the ancient stones before they observed their ceremonies.

The temple is the most imposing and most ancient structure in all Britain. Originally it consisted of two concentric stone rows on a horseshoe plan, surrounded by stone circles, and all within a circle of three hundred feet. In

be the structure built as a great center stood and still stands a big sandstone 16 feet high known as the Friar's Heel. Near it lies another slaughter stone believed to be where victims were sacrificed.

There are no stone formations in the neighborhood. Historians assert they were brought from many miles away to use in building the temple. Sir J. N. Lockyer, famous astronomer, thinks it was built in 1630 B. C.

City Cafe Is Town's Oldest

Wellington's oldest cafe to be operated continuously under one name is the City Cafe which is owned at the present time by John Bevers, but which was established about 18 years ago by A. F. McDonald who ran the business for about 14 years before selling to Roger Collins who owned the place for two years.

About three years ago Mr. Bevers and W. Y. Burden purchased the cafe, and began keeping the cafe open all night. The "never close" policy has met with popular approval. Within the past year Mr. Bevers has purchased Mr. Burden's interest in the cafe.

Mr. Bevers has lived here for the past 21 years, moving here from Guymon, Oklahoma.

"M" System Is Operated By Oldest Firm

Wellington's "M" System store is one of the oldest grocery firms in this city, succeeding the Lewis Brothers grocery which had been in operation here 13 years.

This grocery was established by E. F. Lewis, present manager of the "M" System, and his father, S. P. G. Lewis who now resides in Wilcox, Arizona. For the first two years it was known as the Lewis grocery, but at the end of this time S. P. G. Lewis relinquished his interest and the firm was styled Lewis Brothers. This grocery was converted to the "M" System February 1, 1928.

This firm has been located in the present building for 13 years, having operated the first year in the present location of the Rialto theatre after purchasing the grocery which was then located there and operated by Mrs. J. M. Strong, Sr., and Clarence Strong.

The owners of this store moved to Wellington from Blair, Oklahoma, where they were engaged in this same business. Altogether, E. F. and E. N. Lewis have been in the grocery business 22 years. "After many years in this business we saw fit to change to the "M" System because of its more systematic and up-to-date methods, and after having operated it under the present system for more than a year, we are highly pleased with the change," Mr. Lewis state.

Begin to feed the ram in your flock extra grain about a month before the breeding season. Two parts of oats and one of bran by bulk make an excellent mixture, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Oats alone are also good.

Pontiac-Oakland Agency Is Held Here By Hunsaker

Clarence Hunsaker is holding the Pontiac-Oakland agency in Wellington, having had an interest in this business since January 1928 when he and Arichie Copeland bought the agency from Vaughan Buster and Don Jones.

Mr. Copeland sold his interest in the business to V. A. Porter early in 1929, and Mr. Porter remained a partner until a few weeks ago when Mr. Hunsaker took over the entire ownership.

Before entering his present business, Mr. Hunsaker was employed by the First National bank in Wellington.

Magnolia No. 1 Here Six Years

Almost six years ago, Judge R. H. Templeton built the present Magnolia Station No. 1 for the Magnolia company which secured the location under a time lease. W. H. Hall established the business at that time and later sold an interest to Jack Gibson.

Almost two years ago Lee Fortenberry came to Wellington from Gray county and bought this business, later taking over the wholesale rights for Magnolia products in this county. Mr. Fortenberry sold the retail station last fall to J. Rupert who later sold to Austin Gammel who is in charge of the station at present.

Mr. Fortenberry is now devoting his entire time to the wholesale distribution of Magnolia products.

Ire Self Spends 18 Years Here in Tailor Business

Eighteen years ago Ira Self, owner of the Self Tailoring company, began his tailoring business in Wellington which he has operated almost continuously since that time. He was in this business in Canyon for three years, however, and together with his brother still owns a shop there.

Mr. Self moved his shop last year to the Rialto theatre building. He was formerly located on the west side of the square. Having been in this business for such a long period of time, he is well known over the county and has built a splendid patronage in this business.

Nearly 400 electric railway locomotives will be in operation in Switzerland by the end of this year.

Ricketts Motor Is New Agency

Ricketts Whippet-Knight agency is one of the newest in Wellington. This agency handles Whippet and Willys-Knight automobiles and J. W. Ricketts is in charge of the business.

Mr. Ricketts came to Wellington from Erick in 1921, but this is the first time he has been engaged in the automobile business. The agency was established in November 1927.

Since the Ricketts company has been in operation in Wellington the Whippet car has taken a place near the top of the list for new car sales in Collingsworth county.

Kraft's Mint to Open Here Soon

Kraft's Mint store will open in Wellington within the next few days. This is Wellington's third variety store and attests to the fact that Wellington is experiencing a steady growth. The new business is located just south of the Palace Drug store, and all fixtures and stock which are now being placed in the building are new. The front of the building has been remodeled and is now a regulation Kraft front. The business here will be managed by Frank Soodhalter and Sam Fenburg.

Is Carpenter Here For Past 23 Years

J. A. Dukeminier, local carpenter and contractor, has worked in Collingsworth county for 23 years and in all of that time he has never worked outside of this trade territory. He considers this an indication of the steady work that can be found in Wellington at all times.

Mr. Dukeminier's first job of carpentering was the construction of the old telephone building for J. S. Benson which was located on the present site of the Baptist parsonage. His second job was to help erect the home of Judge J. L. Lackey west of Wellington.

In 1911 Mr. Dukeminier built the planing mill on East Avenue and this shop has done a thriving business from that time to this.

The original land grant for the town of Lexington, Ky., made to Benjamin Borden in 1739 by King George 11, has been presented Washington and Lee university by John Bowyer of Abilene, Texas.

Shields & Lewis Hardware Store Is Youngest Here

The hardware store owned by J. M. Shields and Lewis Brothers is the youngest hardware store in Wellington but it has enjoyed a constant growth and at the present time its present quarters is almost inadequate to care for the business.

This store was established by Garrison and Petty of Hollis. It was purchased two years later by J. V. Langford and Roy L. Noles and was operated under the firm name of Noles and Langford until February 1927 when it was changed to Shields & Lewis. J. M. Shields is in charge of the business as manager.

Successful operation of the carrier telephone system in British Malaya is expected to result in the extension of the service.

St. Kitts, West Indies, has declared war on crabs and monkeys. A bounty of \$125 is offered for each money slain.

Franks Furniture Store Is Newest

Wellington's newest furniture store is that located on north East avenue and which is owned and managed by Walter R. Franks. Mr. Franks entered business in Wellington four years ago. At that time he was engaged in a second hand business which was located in a frame building owned by J. W. Payne.

Mr. Franks' business now occupies an entire brick building, and a large brick warehouse located across the alley from the main building is used for storage. These buildings are owned by Mr. Franks. He also carries a complete line of furniture and has built up one of the best businesses in Wellington.

Mr. Franks plans to add a second story to one of buildings in the near future.

It is estimated that 4,300,000 horsepower can be obtained from the Grand Falls in Labrador.

THE MEDICINE FOR PELLAGRA

Dr. J. L. Leverett, of Paris, Texas, specialist, is giving national attention to a NEW method of treating Pellagra and certain forms of stom. Under a rigid test of more than 3,000 patients the treatment to be all that was claimed. day trial treatment for \$5 and money back if the patient is not benefited and the patient alone is the judge. The medicine doesn't make you sick to take it. For particulars, testimonials and for FREE diagnosis write to J. L. LEVERETT, Paris, Texas.

Herman Koehl, German Atlantic flier, is conducting a campaign against giant holding their inferior land planes.

Nearly one-fifth of the into Italy last year were from United States.

Children's Sox
Children's Sox, closing out all children's sox. values up to 49c. Choice four pair for
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Ladies' all silk chiffon hose. Full fashioned. Silk from top to toes, with zig-zag block heel. Our regular \$1.95 hose. In broken sizes, to close out at, per pair.
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Hunter's Store Is New Concern

Hunter's Men's store which opened in Wellington last fall in the building north of the Jitney-Jungle...

Hunter's store is managed by an Berry, who has built up a good patronage among the people of this county during the short time he has been in charge of the store.

Goldwyn Milner Has Agency For DeSoto Motors

Goldwyn Milner who has been engaged in the automobile sales business in Wellington for many years is now holding the DeSoto agency in this city. The DeSoto is a branch of Chrysler corporation and manufactures an exceptionally attractive car.

Mr. Milner was at one time local agent for Hudson and Essex but later changed to Plymouth.

Darrow Is Now Dealer For Phillips Company

Simmie Darrow is now wholesale distributor in this territory of the Phillips Petroleum company having entered this business last year. The Phillips company is winning new patrons in Wellington and new dealer station being established at Fre...

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Gerlach Brothers Have New Station

Gerlach Brothers of Memphis have just this month opened a new electric and battery service station in Wellington, located in the building formerly occupied by the Coca-Cola bottling plant but which has been remodeled to meet the requirements of the new business.

Ritz Confectionery Is Opened Recently In Theatre Building

The Ritz confectionery and drug store which opened here in June in the Ritz theatre building is one of the most attractive businesses of this type in Wellington. Ray Miller is manager of the business, and has built up a splendid patronage even in the short time the place has been open.

The Ritz makes a specialty of fountain service, and serves iced sandwiches as well as certain dainties.

Arcade Drug Is One of Newest in Wellington

The Arcade drug store, located in the new postoffice building, is one of the newest drug stores in Wellington. It was opened this morning by the Joe Hardy drug store and is now being managed by Davis Robinson.

Due to its convenient location, the Arcade store is one of the most popular in this city, and is exceptionally attractive. All fixtures were specially designed and constructed for the space the store occupies. This store is modernly equipped throughout.

Military Students In Firing Practice

Approximately 1,300 C. M. T. C. students have returned to Fort Sam Houston after spending four days on the range at Camp Bullis, twenty-three miles from San Antonio. Forty-one army trucks were used in moving the group.

Under the supervision of the officers of the 360th Infantry, who last week took over from the 9th Infantry the command of the C. M. T. C. units, the students have fired practice and record courses with the service rifle. Rain, which began falling on the first day of camp and continued until late the second day, made firing conditions very difficult.

The five infantry companies were quartered in squad tents and the constant rain gave the young soldiers a taste of real army life. It was not, however, an unpleasant experience; and a hot sun, during the last two days, dried out the camp thoroughly and the firing was completed on scheduled time.

Other branches of the C. M. T. C. which fired during the same period included a battery of artillery at Camp Stanley, and a machine gun group and a pistol group which remained at Fort Sam Houston.

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