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HOSPITALS "HOLD THE BAG"

One of the things that give hospital superintendents gray hairs is, as you might expect, the automobile traffic accident.

David H. M. Pyle, president of the United Hospital Fund of New York, discloses that the average victim of an auto accident runs up a bill of \$33 when taken to a hospital for treatment; and an increasing percentage of these bills never get paid.

The hospital can't help itself. The traffic victim is an emergency case; treatment can't be refused while his financial standing is examined.

And, too often, when he recovers and gets the bill, he reveals that he can't pay it, but that he'll settle as soon as he collects damages from the driver of the other car. And that may be the last the hospital ever sees of him.

This means an added burden for the hospitals. If we don't insist on financial responsibility on the part of motorists, we must at least contribute more generously to hospital funds, so that the institutions can continue to care for the victims of our mad traffic situation.

Side Glances by Clark



"We'll have to find a room pretty soon. It's already past their bedtime."

Bard From Erin

Word puzzle section with horizontal and vertical clues and a grid. Clues include 'I, 7, 8 Founder of modern Irish literature', '13 Olive shrub', '14 Intertwined', etc.

What Do You Mean, I Can't Drive?



"What do you mean, I can't drive?"
A prelude to disaster.
A drunken overture to bloody shambles.
"Leggo," says the man in the picture to a distraught companion.
"I'm all right. Who says I can't drive? I'll drive it—'em-on."

this drunken driver. Whipped by liquor, his mind can think only of one thing—SPEED. What it needs is a punch in the jaw. He is a potential snare . . . but he doesn't realize it. A punch on the jaw might save lives of innocents in the path of his auto and would save the driver a lifetime of remorse.

ATTORNEY ATTACKS "ACCIDENT" DEATHS

Editor's Note: The following article was written for The Reporter-Telegram by Merritt F. Hines, county attorney of Midland county, at the request of the editor. The Reporter-Telegram is anxious to do all in its power to prevent the appalling death rate from car accidents in the county and country and such articles as that written by Mr. Hines are gratefully received.

It is proposed that the Midland community conduct a Highway safety campaign at an early date. Just what the plan of the campaign is to be, or its extent, I have not determined definitely at the time of preparing this article. But if I might be able to say anything, as a kind of foreword, that would aid an effect, or result, to such campaign and help to prevent its terminating as an idle and indifferent gesture, I would gladly do so.

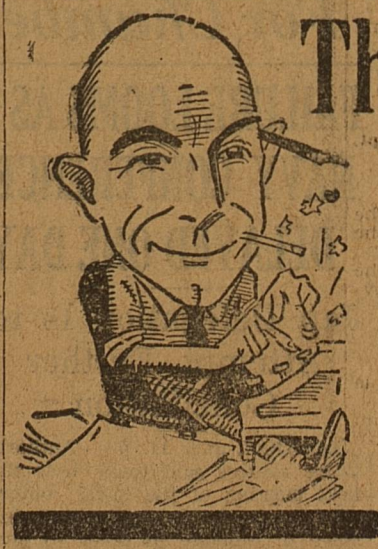
who drives a car must make it. The choice of one must be positive and resolute; choice of the other requires only the same degree of apathy that we have shown toward the question heretofore. God on speeding and refusing to think and we will go on killing.
We must cease to think of and to call these hideous smash-ups that we have on the highway accidents and least of all "unavoidable accidents." They are the direct, inevitable result of a certain kind of driving of highway conduct that is suicidal to begin with.
There are few of us who drive a motor car who do not in some way, every day, violate the traffic rules. Rules that even though they are a little inconvenient at times, were designed solely for the protection of all. The rule that is the most persistently violated is the one against

the greatest danger factor, speed. This is the violation that causes most of the highway butchery. Be it driver drunk or sober a car hurtling down the road at a rate of speed greater than the law permits—that is fast enough for any practical purpose—is a menace not only to its own occupants but to every thing else on the highway. Thirty-five thousand every week in crossing the streets. Probably it is because the children use more judgment than the adults who drive the cars do. The speed limit on the State Highway through Midland County is, as elsewhere, forty-five miles per hour, by law. But actually every car is a law unto it self—the driver pushes the accelerator in to the floor board and there is his speed limit. If I drive from here to Odessa and meet ten cars making less than forty-five miles per hour the chances are that nine of them will be mechanically incapable of making any more.

Parents drive at a tremendous rate of speed with boys and girls in their teens in the car. Is there any wonder that when the boy or girl gets the car he or she does the same thing? It is a common thing to hear mothers hearing boys and girls, and even in the presence of those children, boast about the performances of their car, about how fast they can drive, how they give her the gas, or proudly tell in what a remarkably short time they made the drive from Fort Worth, or elsewhere. A youngster hearing such kind of talk never knows that there is a speed limit, anywhere; he can't, he doesn't study law books.

It seems to me that it might serve a better purpose if parents would sometimes talk about what the car would "do" if it should collide with another car, while each was making about fifty; or what it would "do" if a fore tire should suddenly blow out while making sixty-five; or if it should smash into the rear end of a parked truck while "doing" sixty; or if the driver should be forced to swerve sharply while making the vaunted seventy-five. Ghastly speculations. But they are more than speculation, they are everyday realities. A little talk about them might be unpleasant, but it might save lives. The impression might be more for the common good than the impression that there is no such thing as a Highway law, or if there is any such thing it is of no consequence, and that when a person gets on the road in a high-powered car he is as free to do as he pleases as the crow that flies through the air. That is the impression that we are apt to create when we discuss the prowess of our cars.

After every major highway tragedy the enforcement officers are in for a certain amount of upbraiding for so-called lax enforcement of the laws. This is an injustice to the officers and the wrong way to tackle the problem. A public that as nearly universally blames without a murmur. The reduction of the traffic death toll is too big a problem for the officers alone; it must not be pawned off on them alone. If the public will not do its part, it insists upon doing as it pleases until each member is singled out for some form of correction, then every tenth man would have to be deputized. Every car driver must take the question home to himself and say what he will do with it if we are to get anywhere in the solution of the problem. And the paramount obligation that every individual must take upon himself is that of warning himself from his own mad speed. If that is not done we will be stalked by tragedy through 1936 just, as we have in the past.



What I said recently about people waiting to pay the doctors and dentists last sure did get results. Charley Berry, who moved to Santa Anna, wrote to Doc Campbell and said: "Here's your four bucks and 'I'll bet you thought you'd never get it." He told Doc he read what the Quack said, but this was one dentist bill that has been paid. Hurrah for Charley.

A subscriber wants to know why we don't put out as big a paper as the Star Telegram. Well, the last time I looked in on Amon Carter's joint, he had about a thousand employees. That might make some of the difference.

The trouble with our country, it's too big. Did you ever see a big overgrown young fellow who did things gracefully?
One time there was a man. He didn't like to work. So he invented a labor saving machine. He isn't working now. And he's indignant about it. He chopped off his own head.

Your side puts out statesmanship. The other side puts out propaganda, and the other side puts out mankind first organized a group.

A local newspaper prints a lot of superficial stuff. You should be glad about that. What if it would print your serious views? And use your name in connection? Think that over.

The newspaper that is read by the women has become established, regardless of what the men think about that newspaper. The women are the buttwalks and palladiums, etc.

We can't decide this question, although we have long studied it. Which is the greater menace, a politician or an honest statesman who is dumb?

The Town Quack

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

Haight's Dreams

I approach the description of this dream with trepidation, not because of any exaltation from a religious standpoint, but because it impressed me so profoundly. All of the preachers in Midland came to me a few nights ago. There was Brother Minter, Brother Bass, Father Harrison, Brother Pickering, Brother Borum, Brother Chancellor all in somber and serious array. In these days religion was a very serious matter. The Golden Rule and the measure of one's faith and devotion from it marked one as not fully worthy, therefore, to repeat the most beautiful prayer that has ever been formulated was an honored request. I began:

Our Father which are in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from all evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

All of these gentlemen faded from my view as a bell sounded out in my consciousness and I awoke to hear the bell in the church tower near my home.
Did this dream have any significance? Did it carry any special message other than a picture of what should be our aim in life? What should be our aim in life? Greed, even if profitable, does not belong to a healthy mind. It is so ordained that a right consciousness cures our many faults. When one says "ordained" it means to live right and, in action, to do right, and further, to think right. That's the class we should be in. That is what life is made up of.

WILSON DRY GOODS CO. CONTINUING OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE OF ALL FALL & WINTER MERCHANDISE THROUGH THIS WEEK Ending Saturday, January 18. Includes sections for Ladies' Dresses, Ladies' Coats, Other Coats, Misses' Coats, Knitwear, Curlee Suits, Curlee Overcoats, Boys' Heavy Cotton Suede Jackets, Boys' Leatherette Sheep-Lined Coats, Sheep Collar, Turned In With Sheep Pelts Collar, Shoes, and Ladies' Pig Grain Leather Coats.

Society and Clubs

Spring Motif Marks Bridge Party Saturday Afternoon

Mmes. William Simpson, E. B. Soper, Don Sivalls Entertain With Eighteen Tables on Mezzanine Floor of Hotel

Forecasting spring in appointments for the occasion, Mrs. Don Sivalls, Mrs. E. B. Soper, and Mrs. William Simpson entertained at bridge with one of the season's largest parties on the mezzanine floor of the Hotel Scharbauer Saturday afternoon. Spring colors and pastel shades dominated the decorative motif. Clusters of cut flowers were used. Table covers were white and pastel-hued flower designs marked the tables for the eighteen tables of bridge.

Mmes. Rettig, Stacy Are Hostesses at Golf Luncheon

Mrs. J. W. Rettig and Mrs. Franklin Stacy were hostesses for the regular weekly luncheon of the Women's Golf association at the Country club Friday. Golf, which was played in the morning, was continued after noon by some of the members while others occupied the afternoon with bridge games. Thirty-five women were present including: Mmes. Harry Adams, John E. Adams, Hopkins, J. M. Armstrong, Leo Hendricks, Arthur Yeager, W. B. Harkrider, Harvey Hardison, O. C. Harper, Joe Leonard, Chas. Mix, Chas. McCain, Paul Oles, Chapple, Davis, Geo. Abell, Paul Osborne, Frank Fulk, John E. House, Frank Johnson, Ben Rogers, F. H. McGuigan, W. R. Bowdoin, Russell Conklin, Dave Finley, Allen Watts, M. D. Self, Chas. Sherwood, Frank Graham, Warren Anderson, Pat Riley, Dick Gile, Miss Jennie Elkin, Miss Lucile Thomas, and the hostesses.

Jane Marie Johnson Honored at Dinner

Jane Marie Johnson was honored on her seventeenth birthday with a dinner party given by her mother, Mrs. H. F. Johnson, at the Johnson home, 1805 W. Wall street, Friday evening. The table in the dining room was centered with cut flowers and tapers burned at either end. Dinner was served in buffet style, guests being seated at foursome tables. Later in the evening guests engaged in dancing and card games. Present beside the honoree were: Mary Howe, Marcelline Wyatt, Betty Minter, Marcella Scarborough, Gertrude Vance, Frances George, Velma Johnson, Frank Cowden, Robert Prothro, Sam Midkiff, Roy Jones, Sam Hollingsworth, Woodrow McClurg, Bill Pratt, Bill Farmer.

John Rhoden Leads Hi League Program

With John Rhoden as leader, the Ready-to-Serve Hi League will present the following program on "The Radio and Christianity" at the Methodist church this evening at 8:30 o'clock. Hymn 216, Hymn 145, Prayer, Hymn 160, Announcements, Offertory, Scripture: Prov. 14:7-14; 15:22, Talks—"What Are the Facts About the Radio?"—John Rhoden, "How is the Radio Used Today?"—Kathryn Beauchamp and Woodrow Gwyn, "Should Christian People Be Concerned?"—Charles Patterson, "How Could the Radio Be Used?"—Doris Tidwell, "I am the Radio!"—Freddie Lou Barber, Hymn 173, Benediction.

Announcements

Monday
Circle A of the Presbyterian auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Ora Holzgraf at her home on S. Marlenfield, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Circle B will meet with Mrs. J. G. Gossett, 522 W. Missouri, at the same hour.

Rijnhart circle of the First Christian church will meet in the educational room of the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Circles of the Baptist women's missionary union will meet Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock as follows: Laura Reagan with Mrs. Brooks Lambertson at the home of Mrs. Fred Adleton, 900 W. Tennessee; Evangelists with Mrs. C. P. Pope, 806 N. Loraine; and Annie Barron in the north room at the church.

The Episcopal auxiliary will meet with Mrs. I. E. Daniel, 901 Michigan, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All circles of the Methodist women's missionary society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at the usual hour for a business session and installation of officers.

YVA girls will meet at the Baptist church Monday evening at 7 o'clock. Each girl will bring supper and a study course program will be followed.

Tuesday
The Junior High PTA will meet at the school building Tuesday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

Wednesday
Play Readers club will meet with Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, 407 North A street, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Wade Heath will read "Brittle Heaven."

Thursday
Rotary Anns will meet at the Country club Thursday at noon for their monthly luncheon.

Friday
The Garden club will meet at the courthouse Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Saturday
Chaparral troop, Girl Scouts, will hold a "tin can luncheon" like Saturday morning. Members will meet at the home of Mrs. L. G. Lewis, 714 W. Kansas, at 10 o'clock, each bringing a tin can of the correct size cut for cooking, a piece of bacon, and a pocket knife.

A story hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning. Pre-school children are asked to come at 10 o'clock and children of school age at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. R. Ashley is in charge of the hour.

Hi League Honors Mr. and Mrs. Gwyn

With DePhane Shafer, Freddie Lou Barber, and Doris Tidwell as hostesses, the Ready-to-Serve Hi League of the Methodist church entertained Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn who were recently married. Mr. Gwyn is sponsor for the League. DePhane and Freddie Lou presented the honorees with an electric toaster and a pantry set as gifts from the League. Games were played and refreshments were served to about 24 members and two visitors.

Seedless watermelons have been grown in horticultural experiments.

Use the Classifieds

Mrs. Thomas Will Entertain Teachers With Informal "At Home" This Afternoon

Complimenting the new teachers who have entered the city school system since Christmas, Mrs. Alma Thomas will be at home to the faculty of the Midland schools at her home, 110 South A street, this afternoon after 4 o'clock. In this, she will be carrying on a tradition of hospitality in which she has been hostess to the teachers.

Mrs. Thomas, principal of North Elementary school, will preside at the tea table and the occasion will be one of informal friendliness. The invitation list includes Misses Jimmie Martin, Geraldine Dabney, Frances Gillett, and Felice Dockray, the four new teachers, and the following other members of the faculty: Suppl. W. W. Lackey, Prin. D. D. Shifflett, Miss Elizabeth Lomax, Mr. Roby C. Fagg, Miss Jessie Belle Cummings, Miss Ina Mae Vaught, Miss Helene Miley, Mr. H. D. Bearden, Miss Vera Hefner, Miss Marion Cartwright, Miss Ruth Carden, Miss Vada Crawley, Miss Theresa Klapproth, Mrs. R. D. Scroggs, Mrs. De Lo Douglas, Mr. Russell E. Shrader, Coach Maurice Baumgartner, Mrs. Elizabeth Wright, Miss Phyllis Matlock, Prin. J. H. Williams, Mrs. Geo. Philippus, Mrs. Jack Hawkins, Mrs. Harry Tolbert, Miss Louise Latham, Miss Stella Maye Lanham, Miss Frances Reast, Miss Dora Roxburgh, Miss Allene Alverson, Miss Annie Frank Stout, Miss Louise Rippy, Mrs. J. H. Williams, Miss Lois Fraser, Miss Edith Meaders, Miss Mary Belle Pratt, Miss Dawn White, Mrs. Stacy Allen, Mrs. Iris N. Bounds, Mrs. W. W. Stewart, Miss Annie Lee King, Mrs. Golden Donovan, Miss Christine Golladay, Miss Janis Wilkes, Miss Catherine O'Dell, Miss Bennie Sue Ratliff, Mr. L. M. Freels, and a few other guests.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
Services will be held at 11 o'clock Sunday morning in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. A cordial welcome to attend is extended to all.

NAOMI CLASS
Hotel Scharbauer
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge is teacher.

TRINITY CHAPEL
Protestant Episcopal
P. Walter Henchell, Minister in Chg.
E. B. Soper, Supt.
9:45 a. m. — Sunday school.

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Kenneth C. Minter, Pastor
W. W. Pratt, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. De Lo Douglas, Choir Director
9:45 a. m. — Sunday school
There will be no morning service at 11 o'clock as the pastor is still under quarantine.
5:30 p. m. — World Friendship club will meet at the church under direction of Mrs. Frank Prothro.
6:30 p. m. — Senior and Hi Leagues will meet.

7:30 p. m. — Evening service. Mr. Wesley Shull, superintendent of the young people's division will be in charge and reports from the Memphis young people's conference will be given by Bessie Flournoy of the Senior League and Mr. Ray Gwyn, sponsor of the Hi League. This conference drew delegates from all over Southern Methodism including the foreign fields, and was attended by more than 5000 delegates.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Winston F. Borum, Pastor
9:45 a. m. — Sunday school. A goal of 500 attendance has been set.
11:00 a. m. — Morning worship, continuing the fiftieth anniversary celebration. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Vacant Chair." The forward look will be stressed in both services of the day.
6:15 p. m. — BTU training service. A goal of 200 in attendance has been set for this service.
7:30 p. m. — Evening worship and preaching by the pastor. Subject: The Triumph of Christ.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister
J. L. Kendrick, Church School Supt.
Mrs. W. J. Coleman, Minister of Music
9:45 a. m. — Sunday school
11:00 a. m. — Morning worship. The minister will bring a message on the subject, "Thirty Minutes to Live."
5:00 p. m. — Vesper service. The minister will preach on "The Sovereignty of God."

CHURCH OF CHRIST
T. H. Bass, Minister
10 a. m. — Sunday morning Bible study
11 a. m. — Morning worship and sermon. Subject: The Christian's High Priest. This service will be broadcast over station KRLH.
7:15 p. m. — Evening worship and sermon. (Speaker supplied)
8:30 p. m. — The young people's training class.
The other two regular services will be omitted on account of other programs that shall be given over to a lecture week program. Beginning Monday evening at 7:15 different speakers shall speak at the different hours specified in the program. We shall be delighted to have all who can come and enjoy the many good lessons that shall be brought from time to time.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Superintendent of Bible School.
John Crump, Choir Director
9:45 a. m. — Bible school
10:50 a. m. — The Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m. — Worship. Sermon by the pastor. "Spiritual Sanctuaries"
4:30 p. m. — The Endeavors.
7:30 p. m. — Worship. Sermon by the pastor. "The World's Vagabonds."
2:00 p. m. — Sunday. Official Board

11:00 a. m. — Lay service. Holy communion on the third Sunday of each month.

Three Girls Pass Scouting Tests

Three girls passed second class requirements in fire building and table setting at the meeting of the Chaparral troop, Girl Scouts, at the home of Mrs. L. G. Lewis, captain, 714 W. Kansas, Saturday morning. They were Mary Jane Harper, Merle Scott, and Nell Ruth Bedford. Work for the coming year was discussed. It was decided to hold a "tin can luncheon" hike next Saturday. The girls of the troop will meet at the Lewis home Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Each is asked to bring a can of correct size cut for cooking, a piece of bacon and a pocket knife.

Talks Feature Senior League Program Today

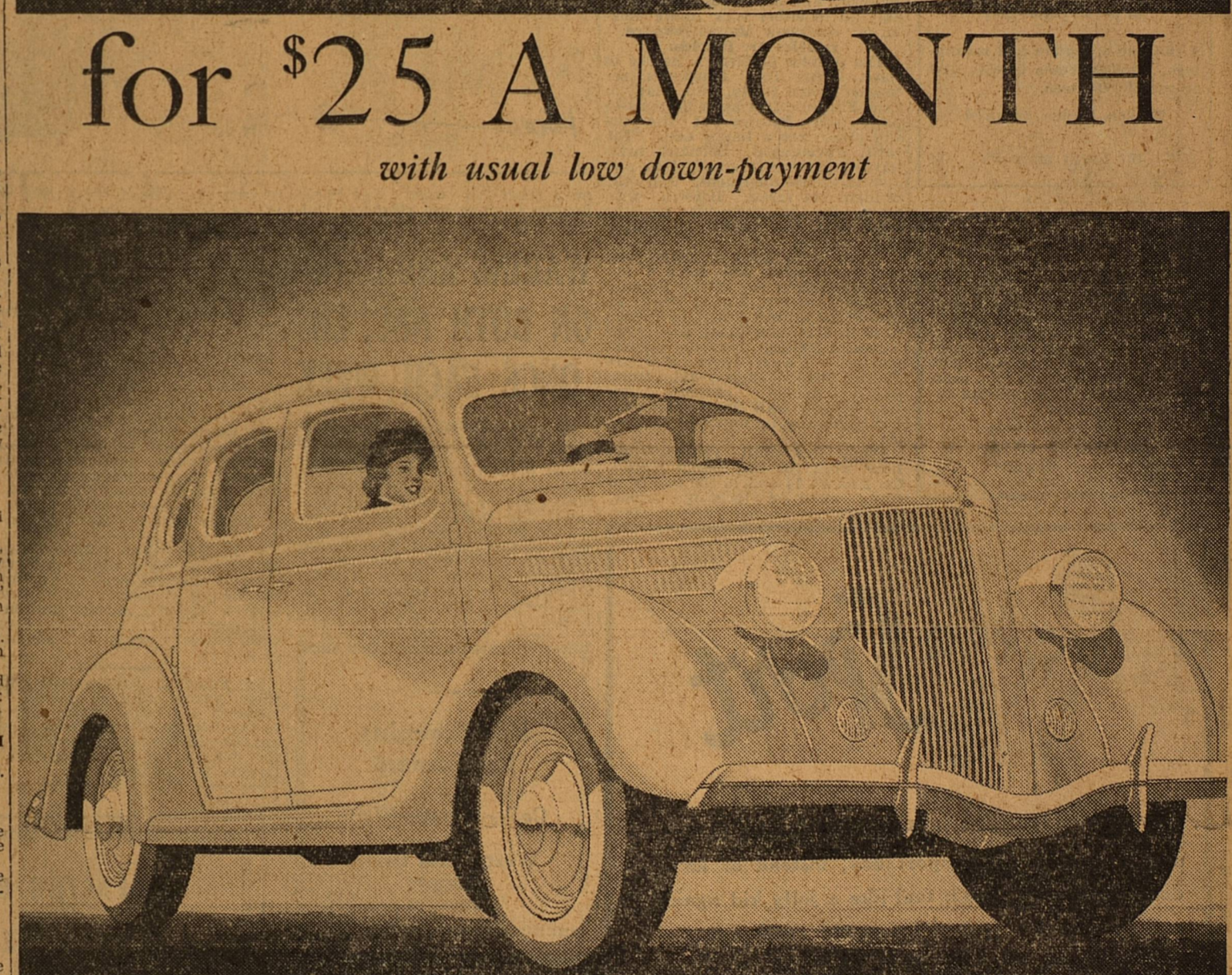
"Christianity and Invention" will be the theme of the program to be presented this evening at the Methodist church by the Senior Epworth League. The program, under leadership of Mrs. Matthews, will be as follows: Hymns—Give of Your Best to the Master—No. 202, Take My Life and Let It Be—No. 101, Offertory, Announcements, Scripture—Cor. 4:1-10 and Introduction—Mrs. Matthews, Hymn—Wonderful Words of Life—No. 98, Talks—Christianity and Invention—Mrs. Clyde Gwyn, What Are the Facts About the Radio?—Mr. Alvon Patterson, Prayer—Mr. Pollard, Talks—How is the Radio Used Today?—Miss Theina Chivers, Should Christian People Be Concerned? and How Could the Radio Be Used?—Mrs. Harvey Powledge, Hymn—Close to Thee—No. 35, League Benediction.

Cameron County to Get Tax Reductions

HARLINGEN (AP)—Consolidation of the tax assessing and collecting work now performed by 53 agencies in Cameron county under one agency was recommended as the key to reduction in tax overhead by a committee of the Cameron County Taxpayers' association meeting here. Several other recommendations for reductions were made, including placing assessed value at the true value of property, obtain legal reduction of delinquent taxes, refund bonds, substitute a sales tax for the present ad valorem tax to support schools, give the taxpayer proper representation before taxing boards. The committee recommended that one agency, probably the county tax assessor-collector, do all assessing and collecting and turn over to each subdivision its pro-rate part of the taxes. It pointed out a wide range of valuations existing now under the multitude of taxing agencies.

Auto Horns Silenced

BERLIN (AP)—Successful tests have been carried out here of a wireless and—for the pedestrian—soundless motor horns, which enables motorists to indicate their moves to each other without using a klaxon. This is done by a small combined transmitting and receiving set.



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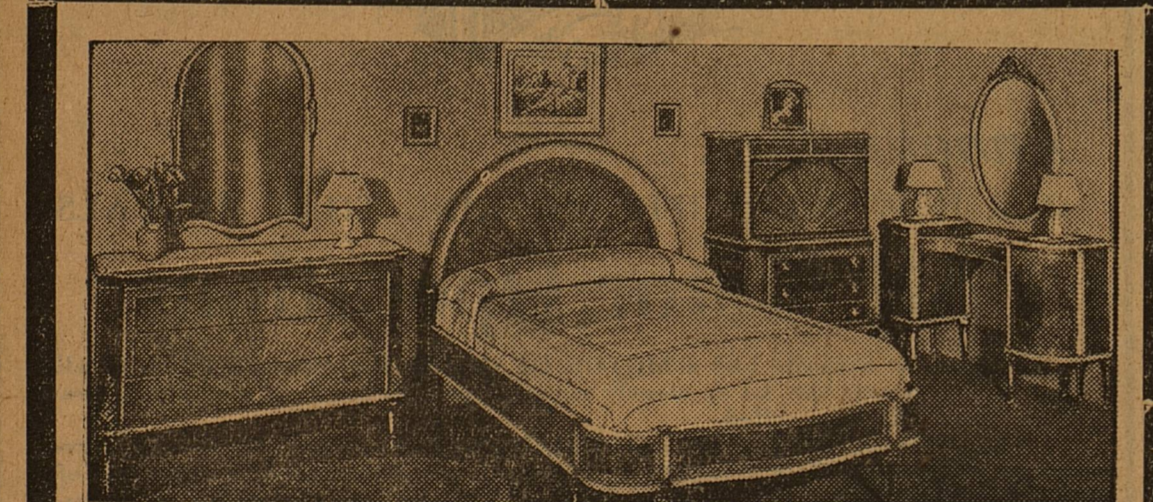
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French Seeking New Tennis Talent As Veterans Fail To Bring Davis Cup Back

By JOSEPH D. RAVOTTO United Press Staff Correspondent PARIS (U.P.)—Spurred on by the stinging defeats absorbed by its net players in the international matches of the past season, France is determined to be fully prepared for this year's campaign.

its players into the hands of its most competent coaches for immediate intensive training, with greatest emphasis to be paid to the more promising of the younger players.

In addition to having players in excellent shape by the time the Davis Cup matches come around in May, the Federation hopes furthermore to have definitely discovered players best fitted for the singles and doubles.

Youngsters Not Promising What actually induced the Federation to take this step was the recent indoor Connet Cup play, the last official tournament of 1935. With only one exception, the youngsters failed to get anywhere, and the exception, 18-year-old Franky Bernard Destremau, was eliminated in the semi-finals.

Attitude Perils Future A season of local success has made him aloof, independent and headstrong. He has refused with consistency to accept any counsel or advice from those who are in a position to give it.

Doubles Are Problem The doubles problem is harder to solve. With Toto Brugnon's retirement from Davis Cup play in 1934, France called upon Bernard to play with Borotra but the result was not a happy one.

From now until February it's hard work for the tennis players. On Feb. 13, 14 and 15 the result of this intensive training should



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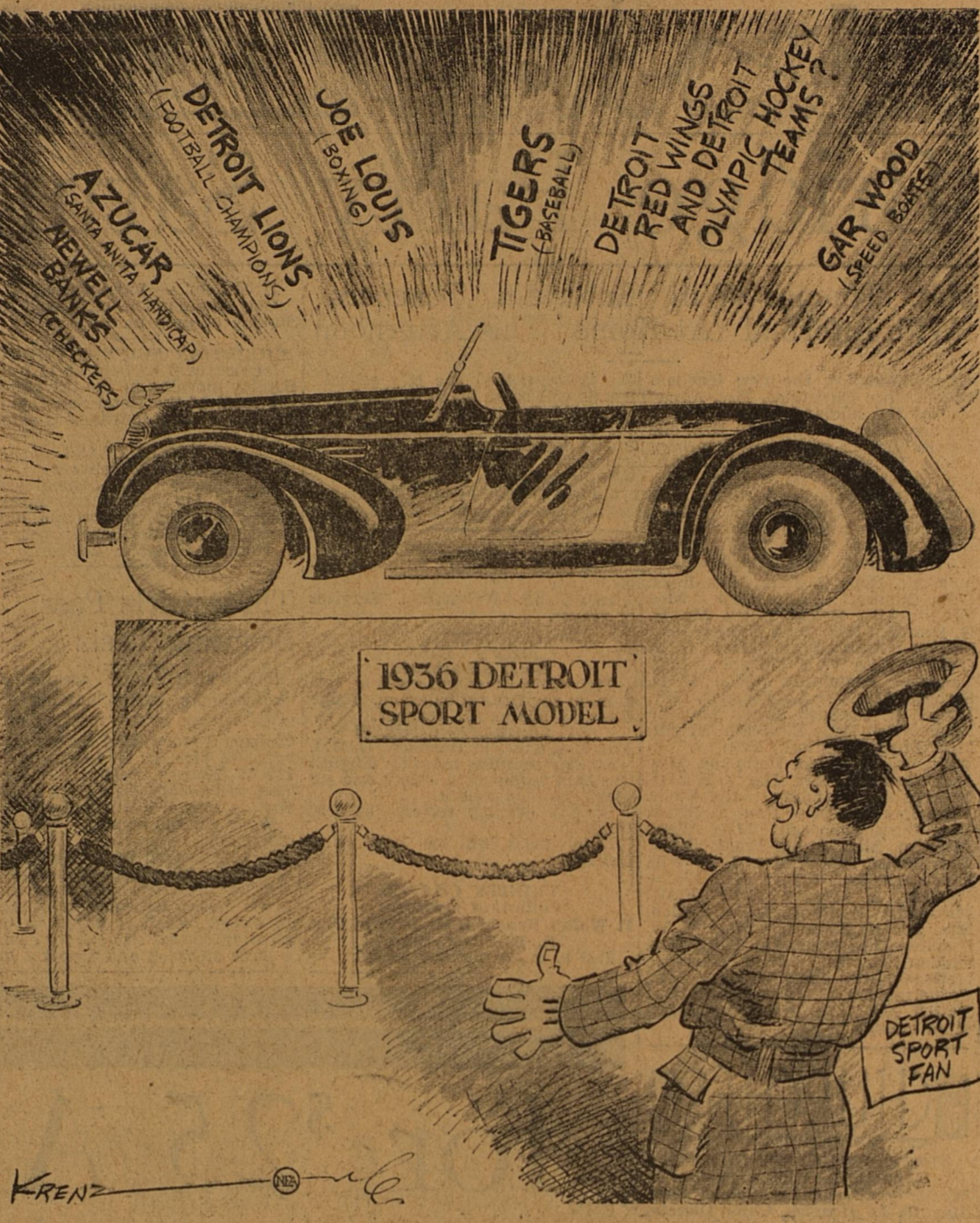
CANCER SPECIALIST Dr. J. E. Powell, formerly with the Baker Cancer Hospital of Laredo, has, with others, evolved a treatment which offers hope for all, even the most hopeless, for this terrible, deadly disease.

Advertisement for 'be a Sport' laundry service. Includes text: 'GIVE US YOUR LAUNDRY TO DO—and let Monday be your outdoor sport day, instead of an indoor wash day!' and a list of laundry services and prices.

Advertisement for Midland Steam Laundry. Includes text: 'Just give us a ring any time and have your laundry done under our expert supervision... You'll like it, we are sure.' and a list of services and prices.

Advertisement for West Texas Gas Co. featuring a gas heater illustration and text: 'NATURAL GAS HEAT The goal of comfort, satisfaction, cleanliness and convenience in heating is reached when you install gas space heaters in your home.'

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make itself felt when the Paris-London matches are played at Dulwich, England.

WARING AND BAND ON BOTH NBC, CBS ONCE EACH WEEK Beginning January 17, Fred Waring and his Pennsylvanians will be heard over both NBC and CBS networks in half-hour weekly broadcasts.

Widow Spiders Routed Up OGDEN, Utah, (U.P.)—Zoology students in high school prevented a lot of worrying here with a drive to capture poisonous black widow spiders.

Advertisement for David M. Ellis, Chiropractor. Includes text: 'Palmer Graduate CHIROPRACTOR 11 Years in Midland 306 North Main St.'

Advertisement for Dr. W. L. Sutton. Includes text: 'SEEING "Seeing is believing when your eyes are not deceiving."—Said Mark Twain. You may be seeing—but are your eyes deceiving you? Dr. W. L. Sutton 203 Thomas Bldg. Office Ph. 146—Res. Ph. 810J'

Chicago.—The four leading scorers in the Western Conference last season have returned to the west. Not only do Bill Haarlow of Chicago, Bob Kessler of Purdue, Warren Whittlinger of Ohio State, and Johnny Barko of Iowa return as sharp-shooting forwards, but each is captain of his respective team.

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with 150 points. Whittlinger, a pint-sized speedster who leads the Buckeye courtmen, rolled up 125 points, mainly through ball-stealing tactics and use of a well-nigh unstoppable, two-handed leaping shot from anywhere inside the foul line.

Purdue at Peak Purdue has one of the best units ever to uphold the tradition of the Big Ten. Brooklyn College has averaged a point a minute in all of its games to date.

Big Floors Cramped Purdue turned in an amazing exhibition of speedy ball-handling, dribbling, and shooting in beating Notre Dame's hitherto undefeated outfit, 54-40.

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Financial report table for THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK. Includes sections for ASSETS, LIABILITIES, and CAPITAL ACCOUNT. Total Assets: \$1,675,184.60. Total Liabilities: \$1,675,184.60.

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The Same Man of Mystery

GEE, THERE ARE SO MANY THINGS I WANT TO TALK ABOUT... BUT, FIRST, LET'S RUN OVER TO THE HANGAR AND SEE ABOUT YOUR PLANE... I'LL TAKE CARE OF THAT LATER! ISN'T THERE A BACK WAY WE CAN SLIP OUT OF HERE...

WASH TUBBS

MIGHTY GLAD, SON, THAT YOU DECIDED TO RUN FUH SHERIFF... YES, SIREE... WE'LL MAKE EL HOVO A FITTEN PLACE TO LIVE... OLD MAN RIVERS AND THE OIL COMPANIES ARE BEHIND YOU...

Two Factions

HEY, YOU FELLERS WILL HEFTA LIVE SOME PLACE ELSE, WE'RE EXPECTIN' TO USE OUR JAIL AG'IN... RUMS FOR RENT... HOW MANY CASES OF AMMUNITION OUGHT I ORDER FOR THE NEW SHERIFF?

By CRANE

MEANWHILE, THE GAMBLERS AND ROWDIES ARE WORRIED... WE BETTER CALL A MEETIN' BOYS, TO PROTECK OUR INTERESTS... HERE'S YER WHY FER... FOOZY!

ALLEY OOP

QUICK, YOUNG FELLA, WE GOTTA MOVE FAST... THIS CHANCE TO ESCAPE'LL BE YOUR LAST... THIS SURE IS MIGHTY SWELL OF YOU!

Surprise

HEY - LOOKOUT! WATCH YER STEP! OH, OH... AT'S ALL RIGHT, FELLA - DON'T LET THAT GITCHA DOWN - C'MON, I GOTCHER HAT

By HAMLIN

HERE'S YER WHY FER... FOOZY! DID THE COWBOYS TEACH YOU HOW TO RIDE HIM? NOPE... I WAS THROWN ON MY OWN RESOURCES!!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

HEY, FELLAS, I SAW WHAT IT WAS!! I DID TOO! WAIT'LL YOU GET A LOOK AT IT!! WHERE IS IT? I SNEAKED A LOOK IN THE BAGGAGE CAR, AND THERE IT WAS!

The Dynamite

JUMPIN' JIMINY! A COLT... AND A WILD ONE, AT THAT! LOOK AT IT SUNFISH AND BUCK!! NO WONDER THEY CALLED IT DYNAMITE!

By BLOSSER

HE KICKED THE SIDES OUT OF HIS CRATE AN' BEAT TH' STUFFIN OUTA GUS... I NEVER WAS SO GLAD TO GET RID OF ANYTHING IN MY LIFE!

SALESMAN SAM

I S'POSE YA WANT WORK, SAM? YES, NOW I NEED A STABLE BOY! WELL, PINTO, YOU'LL FIND ME A STABLE BOY - I ALWAYS STICK TO MY JOB!

Old Stuff for Sam

AN' YOU'RE SURE YA WON'T MIND BEIN' WITH TH' HOSSES MOST OF TH' DAY? WHY SHOULD I? WHEN MRS. DUZZEM USETA COME AROUND TH' STORE AN' START TA BOSS ME...

By SMALL

IT WAS A CASE OF NAG, NAG ALL DAY LONG! GOING TO MY BANK AND ASKING FOR A \$25,000 LOAN, TO PERFECT YOUR NUTTY INVENTION... HMF - YOU BIG BARN OWL - I CAN SEE, NOW, WHY YOU INSISTED ON CARRYING THAT MOP HANDLE - FOR TWO PINS I'D...

OUT OUR WAY

YOU DON'T WANT TO GIT A STIFF POSE ON TH' LONG DRIVES - YOU GOTTA GIT POWER BEHIND YOUR SWING - LIKE THIS - NOW, SEE HERE... RIGHT THERE IS TH' BEST GOLF PLAYER IN TH' SHOP, AN' RIGHT HERE, CLOSE TO HIM, IS TH' BEST MECHANIC IN TH' SHOP - NO CROWD AROUND TH' FINE MECHANIC... I KNOW WHAT YOU MEAN, BUT THERE'S NO GLORY IN BEIN' A GREAT MECHANIC, ER ENGINEER! YOU'D RARELY GIT YOUR PICTURE IN TH' PAPER - RIGHT NOW, I COULDN' TELL YOU WHO BUILT TH' BROOKLYN BRIDGE, ER TH' HOOVER DAM, ER TH' FIRST AUTOMOBILE - BUT I CAN NAME YOU A DOZEN GOOD GOLF PLAYERS.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

GOING TO MY BANK AND ASKING FOR A \$25,000 LOAN, TO PERFECT YOUR NUTTY INVENTION... HMF - YOU BIG BARN OWL - I CAN SEE, NOW, WHY YOU INSISTED ON CARRYING THAT MOP HANDLE - FOR TWO PINS I'D... IN WHAT WAY DID I EMBARRASS YOU IN THE BANK? - I FAIL TO SEE... UM - I'D BETTER LET HER RANT - WE'RE ON A QUIET STREET, NOW, WITH NO ONLOOKERS!

By ALBORN

