

Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS: Fair and cooler in north portion tonight. Saturday fair.

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NEW OIL OPERATIONS NORTHWEST

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Bond Issue Would Not Affect Highway Construction

THE PROPOSED COURT HOUSE

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Editorial

In the three issues of The Reporter-Telegram just preceding, information relative to the proposed court house bond issue of \$150,000 and the proposed warrants of \$145,000, making a total of \$295,000 to defray the cost of a new courthouse for Midland, election for which is set for Saturday, September 21, the need of the building, the reason for dividing the issue into bonds and warrants, and the probable cost to each taxpayer have been analyzed.

Cramped Quarters

Present cramped quarters, creating inefficiency, lack of storage space for records as provided by law, and the probability of necessary division of offices after the 1930 census, making more room necessary, brings out the need of the new building.

Limiting of courthouse bond issues to 2 per cent of the taxable valuation of the county, as required by law, makes a limit of \$150,000 on the \$7,500,000 valuation in Midland county, because the valuations are taken at only 25 per cent of actual value. The warrants of \$145,000 would be retired in the same manner as the bonds, without causing any threat to the excellent financial condition of the county.

No Tax Increase

The cost to each taxpayer, with estimates made by county officials to show that there will probably be no increase in the tax on any piece of property, because the increased valuations will create additional funds, was brought out yesterday. It was shown that if no increase had been found in taxable values, the cost on the average of 160 acre farm would be only \$2.40 per year, but officials believe there will be no increased cost at all.

Thus it is seen that Midland's badly needed courthouse, with its many conveniences and advantages, can be built without burdening even the poorest taxpayer, yet all will receive its benefits.

An article in this issue answers questions which have been raised as to possible effect of the courthouse bond issue on highway construction. Judge Hill explains the status of highway work fully. Is there any argument against the voting of courthouse bonds?

City Daily Carries Local Girls Photos

Today's issue of the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram carried pictures of two Midland girls, Ina Bess and Nelda Jean Hicks, who recently took first and second prizes, respectively, in the junior Bible memory contest of the Big Spring B. Y. P. U. Association which met in Midland this month. Ina Bess held a perfect score and will represent the Big Spring association in the state contest at Longview. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hicks.

Cotton Leads In Farm Relief Loans

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—(UP)—Farm cooperatives are obtaining loans from the Federal Farm Board at the rate of \$10,000,000 monthly to assist in marketing crops on the basis that yields highest profit to growers.

Since the organization of the board, authorized loans total over \$30,000,000, cotton growers, the largest beneficiaries, getting \$20,000,000.

Scott Infant Dies

Funeral services for the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scott were held this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Lackey, parents of Mrs. Scott. The baby, born Wednesday, September 11, died early Friday morning.

Reverend Haver conducted the services. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

INTERVIEW ENLIGHTENS ALL VOTERS

County Judge Tells Of Unsuccessful Road Efforts

When questioned about the actual effect of the court house bond issue, to be voted on September 21, on possible bonds for highway construction, County Judge M. R. Hill yesterday stated and explained fully that the present bond issue will have absolutely no effect on future road bond issues, and that no road bond issue could come up at present, due to conditions in the state highway department's procedure.

Midland county tax paying voters who have brought up the fact that road bonds should be voted on, prior to bonds for a new court house, will be glad to receive information given by Judge Hill as to the status of proposed construction of a paved north and south highway.

Trip to Austin

A delegation composed of Judge Hill, S. R. Preston, Paul T. Vickers and Tom Whitehead, early this year, made a trip to Austin and appeared before the State Highway Commission with a petition for designation of the highway from Iraan through Rankin and Midland to the Andrews county line. They represented the Midland Chamber of Commerce and also Midland county. They were joined in the petition by representatives from Upton county who were in Austin in person.

The members of the State Highway Commission assured the Midland men that they believed the route to be a good one, and stated that before their next meeting they would send Gib Gilchrist, state highway engineer, to inspect the route.

The Midland men heard nothing from the highway commission for 60 days, and when Judge Ely of Abilene, member of the commission, was called by telephone, he explained that investigations within the highway department had prevented Gilchrist from making inspections, and requested further time.

Counties Were Ready

Midland and Upton County delegations had assured the commission that if the state would designate the road, each would call bond elections for the county's half in building the highway, the state to pay half.

Judge Hill states that he has talked with Judge Ely several times since then, many letters have been written, but that up to now the state has neither accepted nor rejected the proposition.

The Midland County Commissioners Court is still anxious to build the highway, Judge Hill says, and feels that the entire citizenship would favor such a bond issue; but he does not believe that the citizens would favor a bond issue of \$1,200,000 wherein the county would have to

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Weinstein Opening Store With Big Sale

Opening of the thoroughly renovated and remodeled building of the City Grocery and Dry Goods Store, owned and operated by Sam Weinstein, is scheduled for tomorrow, according to the announcement made by the business in today's Reporter-Telegram.

A new opening, with plate glass front has been made on the Wall Street side of the building for the grocery department, while the dry goods department has its opening on Main Street.

In connection with the opening, the store is holding a sale on both dry goods and groceries, with special prices on every article of merchandise in the store.

Pilot Army Bag



Captain W. E. Repner, top, and Lieutenant W. O. Earlickson, below, pilots of Army entrants in the Gordon Bennett balloon race at St. Louis.

NIGHT SESSION FOR HEARING VS. SLOAN ESTATE

The case proving most important both from a standpoint of interest and what is involved is that of Mrs. Josephine Sloan vs. W. H. Sloan et al for division of property of the late Sam Sloan, alleged by the plaintiff to have been associated with her in a business way after the death of Mr. Knight, her first husband, and former partner of the late Sam Sloan.

One night session has been held Thursday night, and another is scheduled for tonight. The morning was largely taken up with reading of depositions. There was some oral testimony. A sister of the plaintiff will be placed on the stand tonight, it is understood.

Gene Moore May Go To Majors, Seems

It appears that "Lefty" Gene Moore, Midland baseball pitcher who was bought by Dallas after the Midland-Coleman playoff series for deciding the West Texas League championship, is headed for the majors the way he has been performing against other clubs of the Texas League.

Yesterday, the little left hander let San Antonio down with four hits and two runs, to win his game, 13-2. He scored enough runs alone to tie the score, scoring twice. He hit a double during the game. This is the second four-hit game the pitcher has worked in since rejoining Dallas.

Brickwork To Be Finished On Jobs

Brick work on the Scharbauer hotel addition and on the city hall is practically completed, engineers on the two jobs reported Thursday afternoon.

The fire wall on the hotel addition is to be built and terra cotta to be laid. Plaster work on the fourth floor began this morning. Plasterers also began work at the city hall job.

The erection of fire escapes and steel stairs at the hotel job has begun and the garage floor will be poured early next week.

ENROLLMENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS TODAY WAS 965

With school opening a week earlier than last year, the enrollment in the Midland public schools had increased 10 students today over the opening day's total. The opening day last year had registered 981 students, and the opening day this year had a total of 955, but at the check up this morning, a total of 965 was found.

Enrollment by buildings this morning was as follows:
High School 259
Junior High School 309
North Ward School 205
South Ward School 192

BIG SPRING PORT OPENING CLOSES WITH CIVIC FETE

Bunting was taken down from Big Spring streets at midnight Thursday to close all vestiges of the great celebration that brought 29,000 people to that place during the two-day opening ceremonies held in honor of the municipal airport opening.

A summing up of the Thursday celebration was written by a staff writer for the Star-Telegram:

BIG SPRING, Sept. 12.—The progress of transportation occupied the attention of sky visitors to the airport opening and dedication program here Thursday.

Best evidence of the progress Big Spring has made in the most modern mode of transportation is found at the airport itself where \$75,000 has been expended in arranging facilities for safe and convenient travel by air.

Evolution of the history of American transportation was spectacularly demonstrated in the mammoth parade here Thursday which started with Indians on foot and on horseback and depicted every subsequent form of transportation up to the airplane.

Formal assumption of the field management was made here Wednesday night by A. P. Barrett, president of S. A. T.

Public schools were dismissed for the two-day program and many of the business houses closed for part or all of the time of the celebration.

Stunting, air races, passenger hopping, parachute jumping and military maneuvers by 12 United States Army planes here from Kelly Field were among events on the program. E. O. Beasley of Fort Worth won the parachute jumping contest Wednesday afternoon but split the prize money with Percy Miller of El Paso, the other contestant. A glider flight by George Akin of Breckenridge also thrilled the crowd as did the 185-mile speed attained by Hector Gray of Fort Worth in a Lockheed express plane owned by Southern Air Transport. Gray got the fast plane through its paces above the field. His flight was considered one of the sensations of the program.

A memorial program honoring Frank R. King, the leading aviation enthusiast of Big Spring, was held Thursday afternoon. King was killed in an airplane crash last week while en route to Amarillo for the airport opening there. He was considered the father of aviation in Big Spring and was largely responsible for securing the airport here.

Bankers Named For Farm Corporation

HOUSTON, Sept. 13 (AP)—How Texas may take advantage of the federal farm relief act will be the objective of a meeting of 31 bankers of the state appointed by Governor Moody here Monday. The group will consider organization of a "stabilization corporation" which is necessary in order to obtain loans from the farm board for purchasing farm products and controlling the surplus.

DEATH BED CONFESSION IS REASON

Negro Was To Have Died Tonight After 12

AUSTIN, Sept. 13.—(P)—Governor Moody today commuted to life imprisonment, the death sentence of Jesse Charles, sentenced to die in the electric chair tomorrow.

Fate With Governor

HUNTSVILLE, Sept. 13.—(AP)—His fate resting with Governor Moody, Jesse Charles, negro, sat in the death cell at the State penitentiary today hoping for a revision of the mandate ordering his execution early tomorrow in the electric chair.

He has already been reprieved twice.

The negro's attorneys base their hope of saving Charles on a death-bed admission of the killing for which Charles was convicted, by Rufus Smith, another negro.

Steel Lodges In Eye Of Ranchman

Holt Jewell, while drawing a nail from a piece of lumber at the Miles and Jewell ranch in Andrews county Friday, was somewhat painfully injured when a small piece of the steel flew up and lodged in the corner of one of his eyes.

Jewell came immediately to Midland where a surgeon removed the foreign substance from the eye. Jewell rested well last night, but was still suffering pain today. It is believed, however, that no permanent injury will result.

Free Movie At Ritz Saturday Morning

Midland people are invited to a free show at the Ritz Theatre, Saturday morning at 9:30, when a 9-reel feature, "The New Show World" will be exhibited, bringing out a large number of stage and screen stars in stunts and features.

Songs, dances, and expert acting will be seen as the public is given an insight into how moving pictures and talking pictures are made.

Midland merchants are cooperating in the free show, several of them extending invitations through their advertising in The Reporter-Telegram.

Cotton Pickers Needed In County

A dearth of cotton pickers for Midland county is apparent now that the rains have assured a much better crop than had been expected. Farmers want pickers for the entire gathering season. Low plane and absence of abundant foliage will facilitate picking, farmers say.

Mail Plane Pilot Killed In Crash

ATLANTA, Sept. 13 (AP)—An airmail plane from New York to Atlanta crashed into a radio tower early today, in a fog near here, fatally injuring the pilot, Sid Molloy. He died at a hospital after soldiers from a nearby fort had pulled him from the plane's wreckage.

Civil War Veterans Oppose Union Plan

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 13.—(UP)—More than 2000 Civil War veterans at the business session of the 63rd annual national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic accepted the report of the resolutions committee which opposed the plan for a north and south reunion.

State Seeks Penalty



Earl Peacock, below, is accused of murdering his wife, Dorothy, above, and burning her body to hide the crime. His ill-health caused some delay in the trial.

WAGGONER TELLS ABOUT FAKE CODE BANK MESSAGES

NEW CASTLE, Wyo., Sept. 13.—(P)—Two young women who he said he "paid liberally" for their services sent eight fake code messages purporting to come from Denver financial institutions, which enabled him to establish a \$500,000 credit with six New York banks, C. D. Waggoner, president of a bank of Telluride, Colo., told Associated Press today from his cell in the jail. This was the first interview he has granted.

Darkies Honest In Their Court Answer

Ernest Jefferson and Dee Dawkins, negroes sentenced in district court to two years in the state penitentiary for forgery, did not feel any obligation to honest reporting of their offense.

Asked by an attorney whether, if they had not been caught by the arm of the law in their habit of forging checks, they would have reported their practice themselves, the two darkies' faces spread in wide grins as they denied the possibility.

Killer Of Three Electrocuted Today

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—(UP)—Convicted of killing three people, Carl Nord was electrocuted at the Eddyville prison here today.

His mother spent the night seeking a reprieve.

Ivan Hutsell, who was also executed for the slaying of John Ditzler and wife, feigned indifference.

Fifteen Thousand To Odd Fellows Meet

HOUSTON, Sept. 13.—(UP)—Fifteen thousand delegates are expected for the world convocation of Odd Fellows, which opens Monday and closes the following Saturday with a trip through the Rio Grande Valley and border towns of Mexico.

WEEK END PLANS RAYBURN REVIVAL UNUSUALLY FULL

Announcement of the services to be held during the week end at the Rayburn revival tabernacle indicate that the evangelistic campaign will receive considerable momentum as its first week nears an end. The revival is to last three more weeks, and the people of Midland and vicinity are extended an invitation to attend all possible services.

"Come one time," G. W. Otteson, singer for the revival, says. He believes that anyone who attends even one time will see the value of attending more.

The Friday night service, starting at 7:30, will be featured by Dr. James Rayburn's sermon "Christ An Agitator."

The afternoon Bible study will not be held Saturday afternoon, preaching service will be held Saturday night at 7:30. Dr. Rayburn's subject being "Hearing Christ."

Sunday has a full schedule, with the Sunday morning sermon at 10:30 on "One Thing God Requires of Me"; a meeting for men only at 2:30, when Dr. Rayburn will speak on "Big Business"; a meeting at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church where Mr. Otteson will speak to women; the young people's rally at 6:30, at the Presbyterian church, where Dr. Rayburn will speak; and the big Sunday night preaching service, the evangelist's subject being "The Most Deadly Sin in Texas."

Special music is scheduled for all services, and each service is to be at the tabernacle except where another location is specified.

Petit Jury List Is Posted Today

The following petit jury list, to appear in district court at 10 o'clock, September 16, was posted this morning by Sheriff A. C. Francis:

- 1. W. J. Sparks; 2. C. E. Gunn; 3. B. H. Blakney; 4. J. Ellis Cowden; 5. Elmer Jones; 6. Fletcher Currie; 7. E. H. Benedict; 8. C. G. Walker; 9. Fred Turner, Jr.; 10. B. H. Spaw; 11. Joe D. Chambers; 12. Frank Edsall; 13. B. W. Floyd; 14. M. D. Cox; 15. J. L. Hundley; 16. W. L. Locklar; 17. C. E. McCool; 18. Jack Hazlett; 19. Clarence Schaubauer; 20. S. H. Gwyn; 21. Evans Smith; 22. O. C. Harper; 23. Lawrence Beauchamp; 24. S. L. Caffey; 25. R. P. Rankin; 26. Alvin Hicks; 27. W. R. Lake; 28. Burton Boone; 29. B. McKandless; 30. Ira Cole; 31. G. W. Moore; 32. A. F. McKee; 33. E. P. Cowden; 34. B. T. Hale; 35. T. L. Booth; 36. L. W. Leezer.

McCaslands Leave Midland Saturday

Taylor E. McCasland, until recently educational director of the First Baptist church, and Mrs. McCasland will leave Midland Saturday for leading musical services in a two-weeks revival. From there they go to B. Y. P. U. training schools over the state as instructors in special training.

McCasland resigned from his position here several days past, his resignation to take effect this week.

"Mrs. McCasland and I appreciate the association we have had with Midland people in church work," the former director said this morning, "and we are sorry to leave before the Sunday services, at which we could bid our friends goodbye."

Local Writer Tells Story To Children

When the Children's Story Hour period opens at the county-city library at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, a well known local writer will tell the assembly one of her own stories.

Mrs. Florence Richardson has written for Sunday school magazines and has done several plays, chief among which was "Skaggs Corner Choir," which was staged last year at the Ritz Theatre by the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church.

BUILDING ROADS TO TERRITORY

Andrews And Gaines Draw Attention Of Oil Men

Probable immediate oil activity in the Midland trade area, in wildcat territory to the northwest, is seen in the recent spudding in of the Deep Rock Oil Company's No. 3 well in Andrews county, and the announcement today of a new location by the Louisiana Oil Refining Company in Western Gaines County.

Production in either area would result in big business for Midland, and even the drilling operations themselves will result in much traffic of scouts, geologists and field men in general from headquarters offices here.

Improving Roads Simultaneously with the new oil activity is the announcement that grubbing has been completed on the new stretch of road between Midland and Andrews, through the South Camp and Clabber Hill pastures, connecting the Midland west road with the Odessa-Andrews road, giving a faster and shorter route from this city to points in Andrews county.

Connecting with the road from here to Andrews, there is to be a shorter and better road from there to Seminole and points in Gaines county, survey having been completed by Bryan Estes of Midland a few days ago. The road saves approximately four miles in distance and lies on harder land than the roads now in use.

Reports received here from oil scouts today said the Deep Rock test was down to 780 feet in red shale yesterday. It is located on section 6, block A-46, Andrews county.

The new location of the Louisiana Oil Refining Company, on the B. B. Ralph land in Gaines county, is in the center of the southwest quarter of section 7, block A-28, and is approximately eight miles from the Hobbs pool in eastern Lea county, New Mexico.

Local oil men say that the two tests will be watched with more interest than any other operations in this territory. One oil man said "There is oil in Andrews county, and it's going to be found sooner or later."

Claude Pollard Sends Resignation

AUSTIN, Sept. 13.—(P)—Attorney General Claude Pollard today sent his resignation to Governor Moody. He said he would enter the private practice of law here.

When asked about the possibility of his entering the governor's race, Pollard said his ambition "is and always has been to progress in the study and practice of my profession."

Bay Rum, Sampled By Jury, Ruled Out

DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 13.—(UP)—A jury today decided that bay rum was an alcoholic beverage and should be confiscated from 5 and 10 cent stores where it is sold 3 ounces for ten cents. The decision was influenced by the ill effects that sampling the drink had on jurors in the courtroom and is in keeping with a ruling of the Federal prohibition bureau.

Commissioner Doran stated from Washington that ordinary bay rum when not denatured contains 55 per cent alcohol and is manufactured only under special permit.

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BUSINESS CONDITIONS FAVORABLE

Those who have been expecting a boom in Midland this fall are probably due for disappointment. From all indications, unless new oil development in Andrews county or other wildcat territory is found, there is nothing to create a boom in and around Midland at present.

But who wants a boom? No one profits greatly from a boom except the speculator; and those who have their property values boomed above normal prices, if they sell, usually invest in something else of boom price.

Oil development, although quiet through the summer, is in its beginning stages in West Texas, and a good ten years will be consumed in developing the proven territory. Oil men everywhere believe that the bulk of the Permian Basin producing territory is yet undiscovered.

Range conditions are now safe. Cattle, although in good flesh throughout the summer, faced drouth conditions up to this week, but are now assured winter grass, as general rains have fallen over the West Texas cattle country, and there is yet time for enough warm weather to provide a good growing season.

Crops in West Texas are better than in other parts of the state, according to a survey made by experts, because, although there was a dry season from the middle to the late part of the season, rains fell soon enough to hold feed crops. Other parts of the state have less optimistic crop outlooks, the survey shows.

There have been years when a year like the present one would appear to be wonderful, but with the two years of fast development just behind, everyone became accustomed to having to "run to keep up." Business is now on a steady basis, and growth will be slower but more substantial than ever before. Business conditions in Midland are highly favorable.

ULTIMATUM TO STRIKERS

There is no question as to the value of labor unions. Midland has labor unions of which the city is proud, a fine group of wage earners who are doing their part in the building of a substantial city.

Occasionally, strikes, which are possibly justified at some times, create public sentiment against the unions. This usually happens when a strike goes into several weeks duration, and when violence is committed.

Take for instance the New Orleans street car strike. The strike was probably justified, and it is likely that in attempting to effect a settlement of disputed points, both sides were hard to bring around to see the other's side.

However, when dynamiting was resorted to, destruction of the street railway company's property, and other violence, endangering human life, it was time for someone to step in and take a hand.

The good faith of the unions was kept yesterday when it was announced from Seattle, Washington, that the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America had issued an ultimatum to the New Orleans strikers to accept the compromise proposal offered them.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



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Weekly Sunday School Lesson

Text: Neh. 8:1-3, 5, 6, 8-12.

And all the people gathered themselves together as one man into the street that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra the scribe, to bring the book of the law of Moses, which the Lord had commanded to Israel.

And Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding, upon the first day of the seventh month.

And he read therein before the water gate from the morning until midday before the men and women, and those that could understand, and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.

And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God; and all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands; and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground.

So they read in the book of the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading.

And Nehemiah, which is the Tirshatha, and Ezra the priest the scribe, and the Levites that taught the people, said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord your God, mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.

Then he said unto them, Go your way, eat the fat, and drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared; for this day is holy unto our Lord: neither be ye sorry, for the joy of the Lord is your strength.

So the Levites stilled all the people, saying, Hold your peace for this day is holy; neither be ye grieved.

And all the people went their way to eat, and to drink, and to send portions, and to make great mirth, because they had understood the words that were declared unto them.

The International Union Sunday School Lesson for September 15. The Call for Trained Teachers. Neh. 8:1-3, 5, 6, 8-12.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D. Editor of The Congregationalist.

This lesson records one of the most unusual and idealistic occurrences in history—the people gathered together "as one man" for instruction in the principles underlying their social foundation and in the great truths related to their daily life together.

Ezra, whose advent to religious leadership in Israel was described in the lesson of Sept. 1, strangely disappears for a period of from 12 to 14 years, until the events described in the present lesson. Just where Ezra was during that period or what he had been doing is a matter of conjecture.

Some think that he had returned to Babylon and attach to such return some motive of discouragement. There is nothing that at all decisively indicates any such return or such discouragement. These years of silence in Ezra's life may be comparable rather to the 18 years concerning which we have no record in the life of Jesus, and to the 11 years of silence in the life of Paul following his conversion and prior to his conspicuous missionary activity.

Time of Preparation Twelve years is not really a very long period in preparation for any great enterprise. The probability is that during these years Ezra was



quite active in ways and events that were not spectacular and that did not call for special record. But now he emerges to recorded leadership again in a great dramatic event.

The time was one of many problems and difficulties in the re-establishment of the Jewish commonwealth in Jerusalem. In addition to all the inherent difficulties, there had been the constant oppo-

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sition of enemies, with ever-present dangers. There was much to discourage the people, and they were in a favorable mood for any word of inspiration and help. We must remember that it was not an age of books, newspapers and public libraries, where one could turn for comfort and help to some inspirational writing. The records of truth and its inspirations lived largely in the traditions carried on in the souls of men, or in the written manuscripts, or scrolls, to which only the scribes and teachers had access.

The common people depended for their knowledge of the patriotic and religious literature of the nation upon the public ministry and teaching of the scribes. It was as such a scribe or teacher that Ezra assumed a conspicuous and prophetic role. He was a man of vision and his own vision had been quickened by the rediscovery of the books of law.

Our lesson takes us back to the period before this work of final editing had been done. We can imagine something of the fever which some new and vital expression of the national and religious writings of Israel must have brought to earnest souls in sore straits and sadly in need of encouragement. The circumstances could not have been more favorable, and Ezra was the man of the hour, well trained and equipped for his task and spiritually adequate.

Just by what means the people were all brought together is not made plain, but our lesson begins with the fact of the great gathering of men, women and children, that is, "all that could hear with understanding," in the broad place, or plaza, before the water gate.

This water gate was in the southeastern part of the wall and was so called because it was near to the spring of Gihon, now known as the Virgin's Fountain.

A Lesson for Today It is interesting to note the emphasis that is laid upon their understanding of the law. The occasion was not simply one of ritualistic impressiveness intended to have some vague emotional effect. It is instructive even for today to follow the details of that teaching and encouragement. Verse 10 might be, in fact, a very glorious motto for any nation or people, symbolizing the ideal of prosperity and happiness associated with social welfare and consideration for all the less fortunate in the community.

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Advertisement for Magnolia Gasoline, featuring the slogan 'more miles per gallon' and 'Magnolia MAXIMUM MILEAGE Gasoline'. It includes a 'Proved by Speedometer Test' and 'AT MAGNOLIA STATIONS AND DEALERS'.

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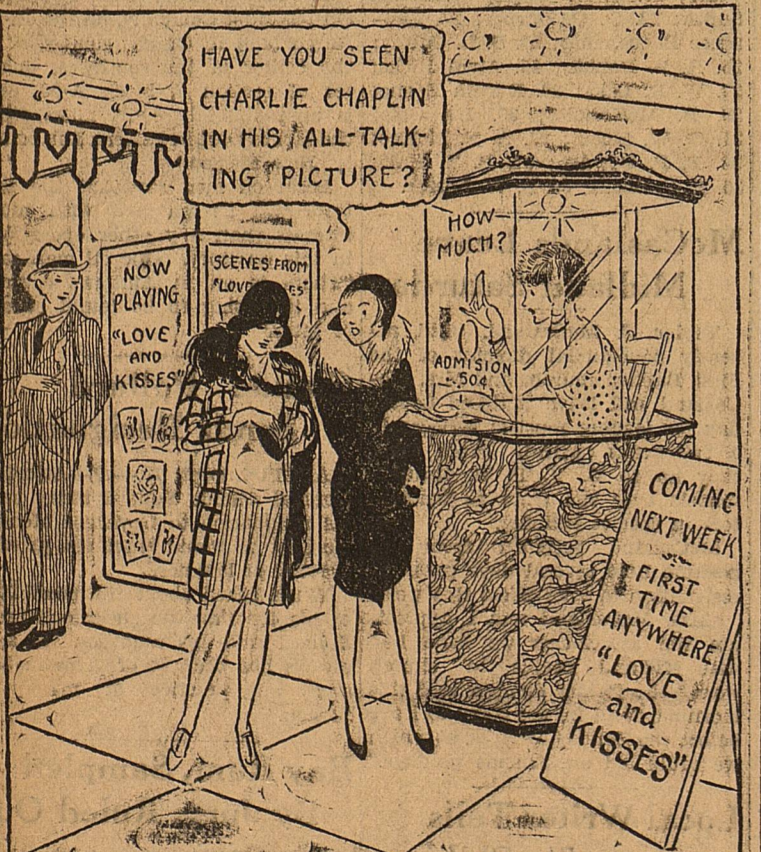
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ERRORGRAMS



There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may pertain to grammar, history, etiquette, drawing or whatnot. See if you can find them. Then look at the scrambled word below—and unscramble it, by switching the letters around.

Grade yourself 20 for each of the mistakes you find, and 20 for the word if you unscramble it. On page 3 today we'll explain the mistakes and tell you the word. Then you can see how near a hundred you bat.

Advertisement for 'RUSSIA A well-known star' featuring a word puzzle.

PARIS CENSORS WITHDRAW TWO STAGE DRAMAS

By RICHARD D. McMILLAN, United Press Staff Correspondent.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—(UP)—The dramatic authors after working for months on a couple of plays of the savory order, as the French call them, have had the shock of their lives by finding that the city which is supposed to tolerate anything and everything in wickedness has banned their productions.

By order of the Police Prefect neither production will be performed, since both go a bit too far in indecency, even for Paris.

These latest edicts are part of a campaign which is being waged against certain types of pornography—both plays allegedly deal with perversion—but this is the first occasion in decades, if not in living memory, that a production has been banished from the French boards on moral grounds thus constituting a warning to dramatic authors who think they can bring any kind of material to the boards.

Rowdy Audiences But it must not be imagined because of the Prefect's ban that thoroughly naughty plays are being barred from the theaters here. No, the bedroom comedies are running as usual without hindrance just to prove that Paris has not turned purple.

The two forbidden plays are described by the critics as depicting a trifle too faithfully the habits of certain elements in society, dealing with the themes from the psychological standpoint. They are declared to be exceedingly clever dramatic works.

There is fidelity to real life in Paris in one act of "Les Desaxés," ("The Unsexed") which is the first of the banned plays. The scene is laid in a cafe which was notorious before the police closed it down recently. The other play banned has the alluring title of "Passions."

The French love a drama of morals or immorals, but perversion as a theme is distasteful to them. This is shown by the rowdy reception given to the two plays at their first performance before the police stepped in and stopped them.

During certain episodes in the play shouts of protest were followed by blows and free fights occurred, whereupon the authorities decided the plays were too much for Parisian consumption.

Dead Body Pawned For A Few Dollars

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 13.—(AP)—What is believed to be the strangest pawned article ever left in any of the 15 pawn shops here was retrieved recently by its owner, a showman, according to Detective Hugh Proudfoot.

It was a "dead Indian" and brought the showman a loan of \$25. The mummy remained with the pawnbroker about two months, and then the owner returned and paid off the loan.

A jeweled walking stick, set from top to bottom with diamonds, emeralds and rubies, brought a gypsy a loan of about \$800. It was not long before the gypsy was back to pay off his loan, probably ready to set out along the winding trail again with his jeweled walking stick as a companion.

One well-dressed San Antonio woman visits a pawn shop regularly each month around the first, and borrows \$400 on a valuable diamond ring. By the fifteenth she is back again and pays off her debt. The pawnbroker explained that she pays the rent on an apartment house on the first, and by the middle of the month her tenants have paid their rent, and she again has sufficient funds until another first rolls around.

Lone Deputy Makes Raid, Arrests Three

BEAUMONT, Sept. 12.—(UP)—Deputy Sheriff Bill Richardson, wearing only a 6-shooter, dashed into the camp of "hooch cookers," arrested three men, got a still and a quantity of whiskey. He was forced to swim the bayou, lacking a boat.

PARACHUTE FOR CAR NEEDED

METHUEN, Mass., Sept. 13.—(UP) The 1920 model automobile whose equipment includes a safety belt and parachute will make a hit with Mrs. Jeanette Jordan.

Police were notified that a woman, in a dazed condition, was wandering along Oakland avenue. When an officer questioned the woman, who proved to be Mrs. Jordan, she could not remember what had happened to her.

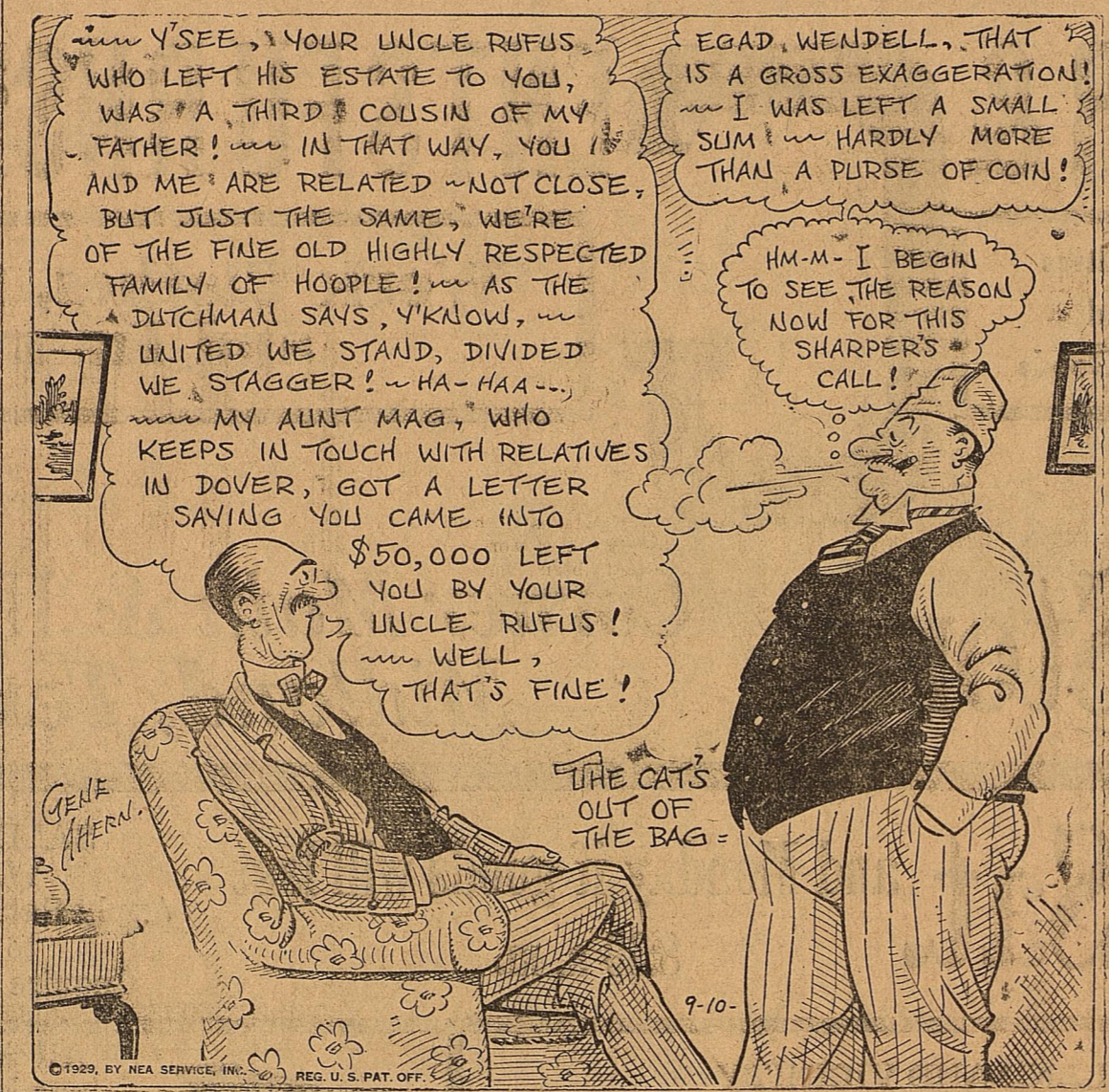
Hours later Mrs. Jordan recovered her memory and sheepishly explained that she had been motoring with her husband and had been joined out of the rumble seat.

PASTOR TURNS SEAMAN

WESTFIELD, Mass., Sept. 13.—The Rev. Wolcott C. Treat, pastor of the Atonement Church, recently returned from his vacation. He spent it as an able seaman aboard the steamer San Benito, sailing to Honduras and back.

Manchuria, with a population of 7,500,000,000, smoked 8,500,000,000 cigarettes last year.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE by Ahern



Errorgrams

(1) Charlie Chaplin has never made an all-talking picture. (2) The "How Much?" on the window should be How Many? (3) Admission, on the window, is spelled incorrectly. (4) When "Love and Kisses" is now playing, as indicated on one sign, it cannot be played next week for the first time, as indicated on another sign. (5) The scrambled word is SIRIUS, a well-known star of the heavens.

AN ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE regulating and controlling and restricting the location of and use of buildings, structures and land for trade, business, industrial residential and other purposes; and regulating and controlling the granting of permits for the erection of certain businesses within the residence district of the City of Midland, defining the residence district and the business district, providing for a Board of Adjustment, prescribing a penalty and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, under and by virtue of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, Article 1011a to 1011j, inclusive, express power and authority is conferred upon the legislative body of the City of Midland to prescribe certain districts within the city of Midland for the purpose of regulating and prohibiting the erection of certain business houses and the conduct of certain businesses within certain districts and to define and outline those districts which shall be used for business purposes and those which shall be used for residential purposes; and WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable by the City Council for the purpose of promoting the public health, safety, order, convenience, prosperity, comfort and general welfare of the people of the City of Midland, Texas, to regulate and control and prohibit the construction of business buildings proposed to be built or erected within the residential district of the City as well as to regulate and control and prohibit the conduct of certain businesses therein which are deemed hazardous, as well as hurtful, to the health, safety, good order, comfort and welfare of the people of such district; and

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND:

Section 1: THAT the business district of the city shall consist of the following property within the City of Midland and is delineated and bounded by the following lines: Beginning at a point with the intersection of Ill. Ave. at "A" St. on a public road and running east to the center of Marienfeld St., thence north one and one-half blocks to the center of the street west of Block 46, Homestead Addition, thence east to the intersection of Davis St., with the section line which bounds East Midland Addition on the west, thence north two blocks to the center of South street, thence east five blocks to the northeast corner of the city limits on said street, thence following the city limits to the center of Hubbard street, thence west three blocks to the center of Ave. "B," thence north to the right-of-way of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co., thence west approximately two blocks to the section line and an unnamed street, thence south to the center of Missouri thence west to the center of Terrell Street, thence south to the center of Indiana Avenue, thence west to the center of Ft. Worth St. thence south to the center of Kentucky Ave., thence west to the center of Weatherford St., thence south to the center of Washington Ave., thence west to the center of Baird St., thence south to the center of Maine Street, thence West two blocks to the center of Loraine Street, thence south to the center

of Pennsylvania Ave., thence west one block to the center of Colorado St. thence south one block to the center of California Street, thence West to the section line separating the Southern Addition, Midland Hts. Add. Original Town Add. and West End Add., thence north with the said section line to the center of Missouri Ave., thence west on Missouri to a point 150 feet west of the southeast corner of Blk. 15, W. E., thence north with the lot lines between lots 9 and 10 and 3 and 4, in Blk. 15, and 9 and 10 in Blk. 14 to a point 150 feet west of the North-east corner of Lot 12, thence east to the said section line, thence north to the point of beginning.

All other property within the city limits of the City of Midland shall be considered residential property and compose the residential section.

Section 2: THAT the term business building as used herein shall mean any building or other structure proposed to be used for the sale of goods, wares, and merchandise or that may be used as the chief place for trading, bartering, or that may be used for manufacturing purposes, or that may be used for advertising purposes, such as billboards, signs, or other structures, and that all structures referred to are as follows, to-wit: Hospitals, insane asylums, livery stables, steam laundries, brick yards, lumber yards, public garages, repair shops for motor vehicles, gasoline or oil filling stations, junk yards, wood yards, coal yards, stables or wagon yards for more than four mules or horses, ice manufacturing plants, cotton gins, blacksmith shops, horse shoeing shops, steam sawmill or planing mill, cement products plant, cleaning and dyeing establishments, furniture factory, dance hall, oil yards for the storage of oils or gasoline, glue factory, slaughter houses, soap factory, picture show, marble yard, boiler works, storage places for hay, feed and other combustible substance, places for the manufacture of gas, dairy, or any factory or manufacturing establishment, or other business, the conduct of which business, in the opinion of the City Council, may prove injurious to the health, safety, morals, comfort, or welfare of the inhabitants of that particular residence district, in the enjoyment and comfort of their home and the use of their property.

Section 3: THAT no person shall build any business building or establishment, or maintain or conduct in the residence district of the City of Midland as hereinabove defined any of the businesses hereinabove set forth and named in Section 2 hereof without first making application to the City Council and obtaining a permit therefor, which application shall state the location of the said business and the particular nature of the same and a general description of the dwellings or residences surrounding the same; that all such applications shall be made to the City Secretary and addressed to the Mayor and the City Council, and upon the filing of any such application the City Council shall order a public hearing to be had on the said application and it shall be the duty of the City Secretary to notify all persons owning property or residing within 1,000 feet of said proposed building or business or businesses to appear before the said City Council at said hearing; that in lieu of giving personal notice of the said hearing to the property owners or persons residing within 1,000 feet of said proposed building or business or businesses, the City Secretary may, upon the order of the City Council, cause to be published in the official newspaper of the City of Midland, a newspaper of general circulation in the city, a notice of the said hearing, at which all persons affected by the said application shall have a full and fair opportunity to appear

and give testimony concerning all matters touching the said application. That after the conclusion of the said hearing the said Council, within a reasonable time, shall make a final order granting or refusing such application, as may be warranted by the facts; that any person aggrieved by any final order of the said City Council shall have the right to appeal to the Board of Adjustment as provided by Section 5 hereof, that the businesses referred to are those included in Section Two hereof.

Section 4: THAT the City Council may, after hearing the evidence, deny any application so made for a permit where they deem that the granting of the same will injure the property or be hurtful to the residents of said district as hereinabove made upon any application shall be stated; provided, that all orders stated by the City Council for the made in writing and the cause fully denying of the same, and provided further, however, that the City Council shall never deny any permit where it is shown by the said applicant that by making certain changes or alterations in his proposed building or plans and specifications, the said applicant may thereby avoid injuring any adjacent property or persons residing in said district in their rights as herein contemplated. That should the said applicant be aggrieved or dissatisfied by any order made by the City Council on any application filed under this section, said applicant may appeal from any such final order to the Board of Adjustment as hereinbefore provided for.

Section 5: THAT there be and is hereby created a Board to be known as the Board of Adjustment which shall be composed of five reputable citizens and taxpayers of the City of Midland who shall hold their office for the period of two years, and who shall be appointed by the City Council in the manner provided for by Article 1011a to 1011j R. C. S. 1925, for the appointment of such Board of Adjustment and before taking their office they shall take the oath prescribed by the Constitution and they shall receive such compensation as may be fixed at the date of their appointment by the Mayor and City Council, and shall be subject to the same qualifications and disqualifications as provided by the Statutes governing other officers; that the said Board or any member thereof may be removed from office by the order of the City Council provided that in any case a full statement of the reasons for removal shall be given either by the Mayor or the City Council. That the said Board shall perform the duties herein prescribed and such other duties as may, from time to time, be ordered or directed by the City Council of the City of Midland.

Section 6: THAT it shall be the duty of the said Board upon application to it by any person aggrieved or dissatisfied with any order, requirement, decision or determination of the City Council concerning any application to erect any building or establish, conduct or maintain any business or businesses within the residence district of the City of Midland, or to conduct any business in a residence district of the City of Midland as hereinabove defined, to give a full and fair hearing to any such person and the said Board and each member thereof shall have the power to administer oaths and to hear testimony touching upon any order, requirement, decision or determination made by the said City Council and for such purpose the Board shall have the power to require the attendance of witnesses and to issue process for same as such power is now conferred upon the said Board to require process to be issued whenever applied for by any applicant or his attorney. That the Mayor shall

appoint the President of said Board and the said Board shall provide such rules for the governing of their meetings and the order of their business as may be deemed advisable and shall fix and determine the time of hearings to be given to all persons aggrieved, and determine it shall be the duty of the person aggrieved to make application to the said Board of Adjustment within five days from the date of the final order or decision complained against, unless the time is extended by the said Board of Adjustment.

Section 7: THAT the said Board of Adjustment shall, after said hearing, if it deems any action taken by the said City Council to be inequitable or unjust, may modify any such order or decision and in all such cases they shall certify their action to the said City Council; and it shall be the duty of the said City Council to thereafter change their former order so as to conform to the said ruling made by the said Board of Adjustment.

Section 8: THAT whenever any applicant for a permit may feel aggrieved or dissatisfied by any order, requirement or decision made by the City Council he may give notice to the City Council of his intention to appeal to the said Board of Adjustment, which notice shall be preserved in the records of the City Secretary or other officer keeping the records, and it shall be the duty of the City Secretary to notify the president of the Board of Adjustment of the action taken by said applicant and to thereafter present before the Board of Adjustment the application of the said applicant made to the City Council, including all other papers filed touching upon the matter, and, together with a substantial record of the testimony taken before the said Board and the same shall be delivered to the said Board of Adjustment. That the said Board of Adjustment shall notify the said applicant of the date of the hearing as well as give notice to all persons affected, as provided by the Article 1011a to 1011j R. C. S. 1925, provided, that a notice may be published in the official newspaper of the City of Midland in lieu of personal notice as hereinbefore provided for.

Section 9: THAT in all hearings had before the Board of Adjustment or City Council, both of said bodies shall have the full power and authority to summon witnesses and require their attendance and punish for contempt any disobedience of their process as such power is otherwise conferred upon the City Council by Articles 1011a to 1011j, R. C. S. 1925. That all process shall be served by the Chief of Police or any police officer of the City of Midland; that whenever it may be impracticable, upon any hearing before the City Council or the Board of Adjustment, in any matter wherein a hearing is required by the terms of this ordinance, to require the personal presence of all persons affected or that, in case of non-resident property owners, a notice shall be published in the official newspaper of the City of Midland, designating a newspaper of general circulation, notifying all persons affected, including non-residents or absent property owners of the date of such hearing and giving a general description of the matter pending before the said Board; such notice shall be published three times in the official newspaper of said City, the first of which publication shall be at least twenty days prior to the date of hearing. The Board of Adjustment shall have the following power:

I. To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged that there is error in any order, requirement, decision or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement of this ordinance.

II. To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance upon which such Board is required to pass under such ordinance.

III. To authorize, upon appeal in specified cases such variance from the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to the public interest, where, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance shall be observed, and substantial justice done.

In exercising the above mentioned powers such board may, in conformity with the provisions of Articles 1011a to 1011j, R. C. S. 1925, reverse or affirm, wholly or partly, or may modify the order, requirement, decision or determination appealed from and may make such order, requirement, decision or determination as ought to be made, and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer from whom the appeal is taken.

The concurring vote of four members of the Board shall be necessary to reverse any order, requirement, decision, or determination of any such administrative official or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which it is required to pass under any such ordinance, or to effect any variation in such ordinance. Any person, or persons, jointly or severally, aggrieved by any decision of the Board of Adjustment, or any taxpayer, or any officer, department, board or bureau of the municipality, may present to a court of record a petition, duly verified, setting forth that such decision is illegal, in whole or in part, specifying the grounds of the illegality. Such petition shall be presented to the court within ten days after the

filing of the decision in the office of the Board.

Upon the presentation of such petition the court may allow a writ of certiorari directed to the Board of Adjustment to review the decision of the Board of Adjustment and shall prescribe therein the time within which a return thereto must be made and served upon the petitioner's attorney, which shall not be less than ten days and may be extended by the court. The Allowance of the writ shall not stay proceedings upon the decision appealed from, but the court may, on application, on notice to the Board and on due cause shown, grant a restraining order.

The Board of Adjustment shall not be required to return the original papers acted upon by it, but it shall be sufficient to return certified or sworn copies thereof or of such portions thereof as may be called for by such writ. The return shall concisely set forth such other facts as may be pertinent and material to show the grounds of the decision appealed from and shall be verified.

If, upon the hearing, it shall appear to the court that testimony is necessary for the proper disposition of the matter, it may take evidence or appoint a referee to take such evidence as it may direct and report the same to the court with his findings of fact and conclusions of law, which shall constitute a part of the proceedings upon which the determination of the court shall be made. The court may reserve or affirm, wholly or partly, or may modify the decision brought up for review.

Costs shall not be allowed against the Board unless it appear to the Courts that it acted with gross negligence, or in bad faith, or with malice in making the decision appealed from.

Section 10: THAT in all matters pertaining to an appeal to the Board of Adjustment the persons aggrieved or dissatisfied may have the right to make such appeal, provided the same is made in the manner hereinabove stated, and in addition thereto where any order is made by the City Council which may affect the rights of property owners an appeal may be taken by at least two property owners so aggrieved by any final order made. That appeals shall be allowed from action of the City Council only on final orders made by said Council.

Section 11: THAT wherever the term "person" is used in this ordinance the same shall mean any person or persons, association of persons or corporation or their agents, or any servant or employe of any such person or corporation.

Section 12: THAT any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding \$200.00; and each and every day that the provisions of this ordinance are violated shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. That in addition to the said penalty provided for, the right is hereby conferred and extended upon any property owner owning property in any district, where such property owners may be affected or invaded, by a violation of the terms of the ordinance, to bring suit in such court or courts having jurisdiction thereof and obtain such remedies as may be available at law and equity in the protection of the rights of such property owners.

Section 13: THAT whenever any applicant may be refused any per-

mit under the terms of this ordinance nothing herein contained shall prevent any such applicant from resorting to the courts and obtaining by proper remedy in a court of competent jurisdiction such orders by way of mandamus or otherwise, and bringing in review the action of the said City Council of the action of the said Board of Adjustment complained against by the

Section 14: THAT for the purpose of preserving a record of hearings given on all applications filed with the Board of Adjustment, the City Council a substantial statement of the evidence heard upon any such hearing shall be reduced to writing and a record kept of the same; that the City Secretary shall safely keep all papers filed and other records made upon the hearings concerning the transactions of the said City Council and the Board of Adjustment; and the same shall be made a part of the archives of his office.

Section 15: THAT this ordinance shall be deemed to be cumulative of and in addition to all other ordinances, on the same or similar subjects and shall supercede pro tanto only such ordinances directly in conflict herewith; that if for any reason should any section, sentence, or classification or any part of this ordinance be declared invalid the same shall not affect any other valid sentence, classification or portion thereof, and should there arise at any time a controversy concerning the denial of any application and resort is taken by the applicant to the courts and for reason should

the court hold that the said applicant is entitled to said permit applied for, the same shall not affect the terms and provisions of this ordinance relating to any other application not involved in said suit, provided, nothing herein shall be construed to preclude the City of Midland appealing from the judgment or decision rendered by any court, in accordance with the law regulating appeals to higher courts.

Section 17: WHEREAS, on account of the fact that there does not exist any adequate law governing and controlling the issuing of permits and regulating the erection of business buildings or the establishment conducting or maintaining of certain businesses in the residence portions of the City of Midland, and because of the great and widespread harm that is done to the citizens residing in residence sections of the City, due to the absence of any adequate law protecting such citizens in their property rights and enjoyment and comfort of their residences, creates an emergency and urgency in behalf of the immediate preservation of the public health, morals and public safety and comfort that this ordinance become effective upon its passage and it is accordingly so ordained that this ordinance shall be in full effect and force from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed on this 3rd day of September, 1929.

J. C. HUDMAN, City Secretary
LEON GOODMAN, Mayor, Midland, Texas.

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1c a yard Gingham
25c a pair Silk Rayon Bloomers

All those receiving a number by entering the store at 8:30 will be first admitted to below described specials

In appreciation to early shoppers on the morning of the Opening Sale we offer these extraordinary items, which we might as well call introductory compliments

3 yards Gingham for 3 cents; 10 minute sale, from 8:30 to 8:40 A. M.—One cut to a customer, to adults only
5 yards Unbleached Domestic for 25 cents; 10 minute sale from 8:40 to 8:50 A. M.—One cut to a customer to adults only.
3 yards best Rayon Dress Goods for 25 cents; 10 minute sale from 8:50 to 9 A. M.—One cut to a customer to adults only.
Silk Rayon Ladies Bloomers, for 25 cents a pair, beginning 9 o'clock, as long as they last. One pair to a customer. Serial number necessary.
50 Ladies Dresses, \$2.00 value, for 85c each. One hour sale from 9 to 10.—Please be on time.

While you will await to enter the store you will receive a serial number that will take care of you

Dear Folks:—It would be useless to write a long story and other explanations about the new Ladies-Ready-to-Wear and General Merchandise store which replaced the City Grocery on Main and Wall Streets. We sincerely believe that our new system of display and the many other improvements and conveniences which will make shopping a pleasure. All that is said in the above few lines will be recognized, with your first visit to our new Ladies-Ready-to-Wear and Gent's Furnishings store. We are also glad to announce that we managed to have the City Grocery Store under the same roof and has its entrance on Wall Street. The City Grocery is remodeled and featured to be one of the nicest grocery stores in town. We wish you to read every box and line in this circular with the same attention.—Thank You.

This is only a fraction of what is displayed for sale

LADIES' DEPT.

- One lot ladies up to date hats. \$5.00 and \$6.00 values in the lot. Opening Sale each **\$1.35**
- 60 Ladies House Dresses. A beautiful assortment. All \$2.00 values, and more Opening Price **\$1.35**
- 30 Ladies Silk Dresses, new designs. Specialty received for the opening. Reg. price \$7.00. Now **\$4.95**
- Ladies very best silk rayon underwear. All colors, sizes and shapes. \$1.50 Value. Now **85c**
- Rayon Ladies' Hose. Assorted styles. 75c value at **35c**
- Full fashion pure silk hose. All \$2.00 value and more. Opening offer **\$1.25**
- Ladies French muslin night gowns. Very popular in use. \$1.50 value at **95c**
- Sport linen dresses, latest creation of style. Fast color. Trimmings. \$2.25 value for **\$1.65**
- Ladies' Corean silk dresses. A sure sell as you will see it's absolutely the newest style **\$9.95**

LADIES' SHOES

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- 100 pair of ladies' shoes, extraordinary designs. \$5 and \$6 value. Will be sold as long as they last for **\$3.95**
- Another lot of 75 pairs. Open display As they go for **\$1.95**
- Ladies' Oxford and one-strap shoes of various shapes and sizes. As they go at **\$1.95**

Men's Department

- Men's Dress Shirts. Limited. Opening. Sale price **75c**
- Men's Dress Pants, 36 pair only. \$2.95 value for sale **\$1.95**
- Men's real good quality work pants. 3 shades. As long as they last **90c**
- Men's Work Shirts. One to a customer at **75c**
- Men's Athletic Unions. As long as they last. Surprise **45c**
- Running Pants in colors and whites. Surprise. Fast Colors **45c**
- Men's genuine Broadcloth Shirts. Plain and colors. \$2.25 value at **\$1.45**
- Men's Silk Rayon Unions. Plain and colors. Now **95c**
- Men's Jerseys, better quality **25c**
- Men's Caps, assorted **75c**
- Men's Best Brand Dress Shoe **\$3.45**
- Men's Work Shoes. Limited **\$1.95**
- We carry shoes as high as **\$6 & \$7**
- Men's Hats. Just in time. \$4.50 value. Now **\$2.95**
- Men's Dress Pants. \$5 and \$6 value at **\$2.95**
- Men's Sox. 3 pair for **25c**
- Best Rayon Sox **19c**

Important

The new ladies' ready to wear and general merchandise store which is in the heart of the city is promising to be a shopping center institution.

Our new system of display and method to serve the public is the prime tale of the public where ever the new system has been installed.

Our prices and the merchandise are on an open form and every one can easily pick what their only wish could be. None will interfere with your taste, but we will be ready to be conventional at your desire. We will give you service and deliveries.

Note that our merchandise is bought direct from factory. Specialty millinery, shoes and dresses.

Our prices are a sensation and the merchandise absolutely up to date.

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Girls and Boys

- Girls' Dresses. \$1.50 value at **75c**
- Girls' best Felt Hats **\$1.25**
- Girls' shoes, Latest. **\$2.50**
- AND HUNDREDS OF OTHER ITEMS
- Boys' Dress Pants **\$1.25 up**
- Boy's Best Shirts **45c**
- Boy's Rayon Sox **19c**
- Boy's Undies. Day and Night at **45c**
- Boy's Overalls, best **85c**
- Boy's Coveralls, best **79c**
- Boy's Caps **45c**
- Boy's Dress Shoes **\$2.75**
- Boy Scouts **\$1.55**
- Largest assortment of sweaters for the whole family

DRY GOODS

- Sheets 81x90, \$1.65 value **95c**
- Pillow Cases, very best **19c**
- Towels, real good **17c**
- Oil Cloth, real good **29c**
- White Damask, yard **45c**
- Red Damask, yard **50c**
- Rayon Dress Goods, good quality **25c**
- Rugs, one to the customer. Each **\$1.00**
- 500 yards dress prints, guaranteed fast colors, 35c value, yard **25c**
- Largest assortment of quilts and blankets displayed at opening prices

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- Boy's Play Suits **75c**
- Children's Shoes **\$1.25**
- Children's Hats **75c**
- Little Girl's Dresses **75c**
- Boys Strong Wear Shirts. Three collars **69c**
- Everything else you will find on the counter

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DELPHIAN CLUB STUDIES INITIATED AT MEETING THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Initial meeting of the Mid-Alpha Delphian for the fall season was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank C. Norwood. The affair was in the form of a study class and informal tea with Mrs. R. A. Verdier as leader of the class and Mesdames A. J. Gates and Chas. L. Klapproth as co-hostesses to Mrs. Norwood.

The subject for the first study was "Dramatic Art and the Character of Greek Drama" with the leader giving the preliminary survey. Topics for discussion were "Drama as a subject for study and development" by Mrs. A. J. Gates; "Origin of Greek Tragedy," by Mrs. Chas. L. Klapproth; "Great Names of Greek Tragedy," by Mrs. Norwood; "Play Producing in Greece," by Mrs. W. A. Hyatt and "Nature of Greek Tragedy," by Mrs. Verdier.

During a business hour several committees were named and work for the year was officially begun.

W.C.T.U. Announces Essay Prizes

The Midland Woman's Temperance Union met Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist church immediately after the Rayburn Bible class adjourned. Each of the four general officers of the W. C. T. U. were present yesterday at the Bible class and many of the W. C. T. U. members.

Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy, president, read the scripture lesson from Deuteronomy 4:5-10, and spoke on the theme "That they may teach their children."

Through essay and declamation contest the W. C. T. U. of Midland is planning to interest the young people in law observance and enforcement. The subject of the essays as fixed by the National W. C. T. U. are: Senior-Junior classes, business advantages in keeping free from alcoholic drinks; prize, fifteen dollars. Sophomore, Freshman classes, "How Total Abstinence Helps Keep Oneself Physically Strong, Mentally Awake, Morally Straight," prize, fifteen dollars. Seventh-eighth grades, "Why Flier and Driver Should Keep Free from Alcoholic Liquors," prize fifteen dollars. Fifth and sixth grades, subject: "We Work for Safety by Sobriety," prize, ten dollars.

Four of the W. C. T. U. Medal Contest recipients have been received and any young person who desires to prepare to contest for the silver medal may secure a declamation now.

A report of those who had charge of the Youth's Roll Call Pledge revealed the fact that the Methodist young people were ahead and that the Presbyterians are second.

The National W. C. T. U. meets in Indianapolis, Indiana, September 19-25. Texas is entitled to fourteen delegates. The state convention meets in Corpus Christi, October 28-November 1. Midland will send two or more delegates.

The slogan of the W. C. T. U. here is "The biggest and best in Texas," and enthusiastic plans were laid yesterday for fulfilling the slogan.

The Union voted to donate the Midland County Library a year's subscription to "The Union Signal" which is the W. C. T. U. national weekly.

Three new members were enrolled yesterday: Mesdames Albert M. Gant, J. C. Florey and W. A. Black. Mrs. Effie Sanders, member of the Dallas W. C. T. U. was a guest.

Fifteen Children Attend Nursery

Space is being enlarged and more equipment furnished for the nursery held at the Baptist church in connection with the Rayburn evangelistic meeting. More than fifteen little tots were brought to the nursery last evening and more are expected this evening. Mesdames R. O. Walker and Frank Orson are in charge this evening.

Pretty Breakfast Favors Bien Amigos Club

A pleasant breakfast furnished a delightful morning for members of the Bien Amigos Club when Mrs. C. B. Goodman entertained at her home on West Louisiana Wednesday.

Appointments favored shades of green and red in tallies, score books and the breakfast service.

Following the games Mrs. H. S. Collings held high score. Mrs. Fred W. Chapman, second high and Mrs. W. E. Anderson high cut.

Guests were Mesdames Ernest McKinney, D. M. Ellis, M. L. Layton, Bask of Tyler, Joe D. Chambers, W. E. Anderson, Fred W. Chapman and H. S. Collings.

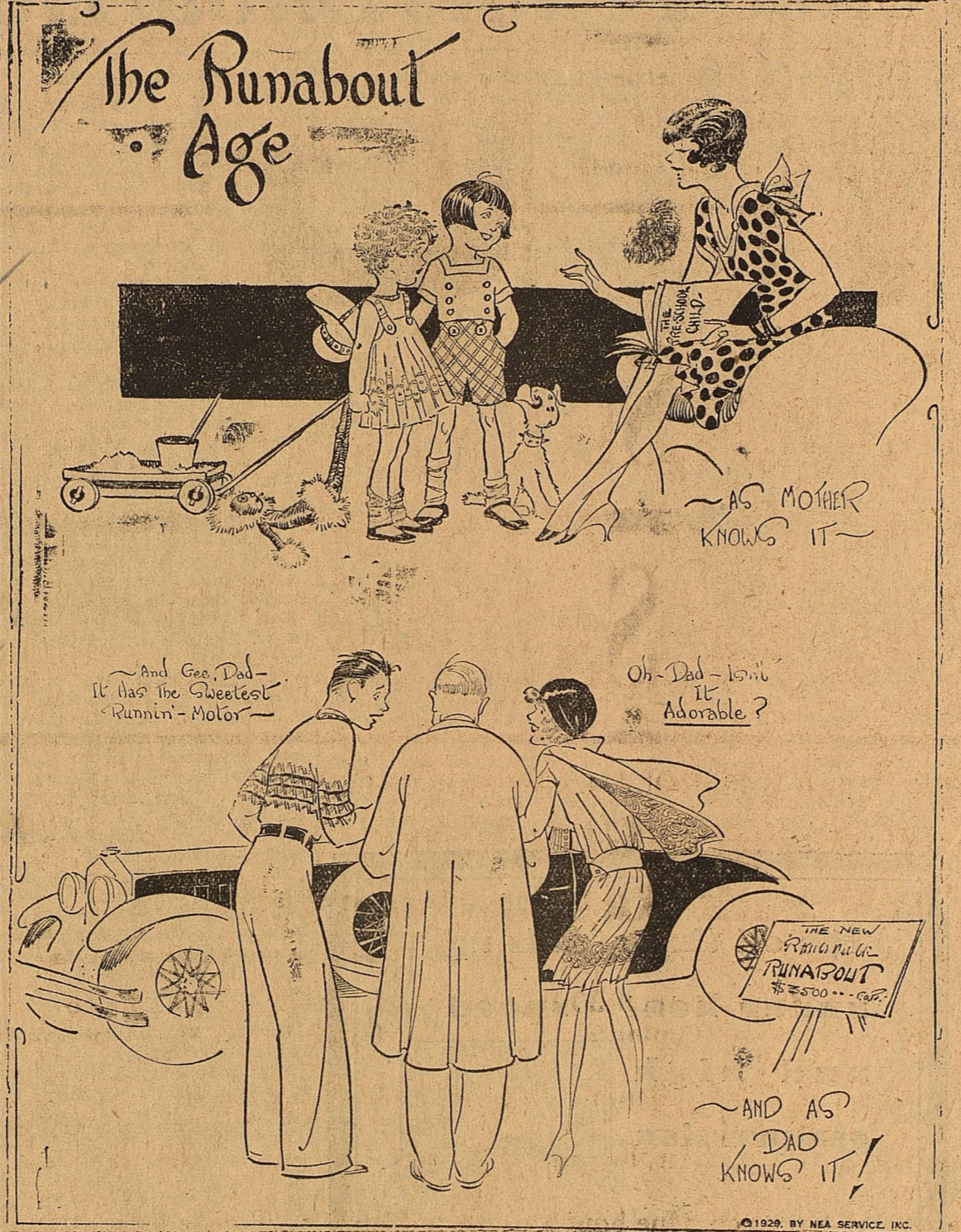
Two Baby Girls Arrive In Midland Homes

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Stacy announce the birth of a girl, Wednesday, September 11, whom they have named Sarah Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Crabb announce the birth of a girl Thursday night. The baby has been named Helen Margaret.

ETHEL

By Ethel Hays



Personals

Ralph Bucy returned last night from an engineering job in Gaines county, having been out since Monday.

W. A. Yeager, head of the land department of the Prairie Oil and Gas Company, is out again after two days illness.

S. Dewey Stokes, who has been ill for several days, is able to be back at his business.

Mrs. E. R. Bryan and daughter, Miss Lillian, are here from Mineral Wells. Judge Bryan preceded them by several days, having been attending to court matters.

Sam Goldman of San Angelo is in Midland today, transacting business. He was formerly director of the Gold Medal Band at Colorado.

Dr. J. D. Young leaves tonight for Ft. Worth where he will transact business for several days.

Ed Kallina, Midland baseball player, left yesterday for McCamey where he will be employed in the engineering department of the Humble Oil Co.

Mrs. C. D. Hodges is spending her vacation visiting in Temple and Waco.

Joe D. Chambers made a business trip to Crane City today for the Texas Electric Company.

Lee Satterwhite of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce, was in Midland on business yesterday.

Midland Man Marries El Paso Girl

Announcement is made of the marriage of Lee Heard, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Heard of Midland, to Miss Allene McElroy of El Paso, September 9, at Las Cruces, Mr. Heard is well known in Midland, having been reared here and until a few years ago made his home with his parents here.

The couple visited in Midland Wednesday, enroute to Junction, Texas, where they will make their home. Mr. Heard is superintending work being done by the Municipal Engineering Company there.

Barron-Russell Wedding Thursday

Miss Ila Ruth Barron and Mr. Oran A. Russell, both of Midland, were married in the parlors of the Methodist church, Thursday evening, the Reverend Stanley reading the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Russell will make their home here.

Baptist Association To Meet October 9

The Big Spring Baptist Association meets with the East Third Baptist Church of Big Spring, October 9. Some have gotten the meeting place confused because we have not yet finished our new church building, but we are able to take care of the meeting and our people are glad to have the association meet at our church. We especially urge that all the churches have their letters ready and be on time at the very first meeting and remain until the closing prayer.

W. H. HUGHES, Pastor East Third Baptist Church.

SIMPLICITY IS KEYNOTE OF "JAZZLESS" PICTURE

Critics have been warm in their praise of the simplicity and beauty-without-benefit-of-jazz in the first Eddie Dowling all-talking and singing picture, "The Rainbow Man" which comes to the Ritz Theatre for three days beginning on Sunday. "The Rainbow Man" is believed to be one of the first musical sound-films to break into fame without the aid of "hey-hey" or "vo-deo-do."

The sponsors of the picture dared to make the venture despite the tremendous traditional urge for musical whoop-de-doo and saxaphonic fanfare. And they won.

Dowling's picture has a moving, human plot. The hero is a small-time actor and he continues to be one throughout the film. He doesn't suddenly strike shale oil and millions in the musical comedy manner, nor does he fight a duel with thirty villains to win the girl.

The songs are lovely melodies, easily remembered, but not of the "hot" or "blues" variety.

Thus "The Rainbow Man" is different. It marks a new step in the progress of talking films. It is a romantic, lyrical confection, filled with true heart-interest, comedy and episodic action and bringing three personages to undisputed prominence in the realm of sound films—Eddie Dowling, Marian Nixon and little Frankie Darro.

Small diamonds have been discovered in meteorites which have fallen on the earth.

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Come N' Look Shop Opening Announced

Opening of the remodeled and renovated building of the Come N' Look Shop, in the Weinstein Building on East Wall Street, has been announced by Mrs. Kinney Cosby, the proprietress who states that she has made purchases of attractive fall apparel and gift goods. Her announcement appears elsewhere in this paper.

ENFORCE QUEER LAW

MARSHALL, Tex., Sept. 13—(UP)—The law against enticing laborers from the premises of a farmer dur-

Heavy Rains Fall Over Southwest

Moderate to heavy rains over the district during week ending September 10, broke the dry spell in this section of the state, warm weather of the first part of the week giving way to cooler temperatures Friday and Saturday.

WEALTHY WOMAN SLAIN

CLEVELAND, Sept. 12—(AP)—Mrs. Barbara Diebolt, 62 years old, heiress of the Diebolt brewing fortune, was shot and killed at her home near here today by a gardener who was angered when he was dismissed, police said.

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HI GRIDDERS SCRIMMAGING; WHIPPING FAST INTO GOOD SHAPE

Intercollegiate Conference Teams Show Heavy Schedules

MORE THAN 30 ANSWER THURSDAY WHISTLE; FAST OFFENSE SEEN IN MACHINE; DOPE IS UPSET

Coach Barry and his hustlin' Canines have not waited until sore muscles and charley horses disappeared before putting in time on scrimmaging and hard blocking and tackling. The high school huskies are developing a mid-season offense through their stoical disregard for injuries.

Barry upset even the theories held here about the speed with which he whips his men into shape. Out only this week, his men are already getting over some of the first soreness, and are running smoothly in formation, are bucking Betsy hard, getting nice spirals into the air, and, in general, look vastly different from pre-season expectation.

Two Good Squads

Hard scrimmage has been in order and two definite squads have been lined up. More than 30 men were in uniform Thursday afternoon. Strict selection of regulars is not to be made for quite a period of training, the coach says. He intends to select men he can depend on.

"I don't want men who are likely to become ineligible," he said after Thursday's session. "I have never built a team about ringers or about poor students. A student who studies at his academic course is generally more likely to put in skill work on football than the anti-type." "I have never started a football season with better men than these now under my charge. I don't believe there is a team in the district with better material. Former conceptions of the lightness of the team has been dissipated. The team has grown much since last season, and should make a machine of potential misery-dealing proportions."

Hallman Shows Promise

Among the men who are showing unexpected form is G. B. Hallman, a half back. He has grown to weigh 142 pounds, and, to quote his running mates, is "fast as a streak." He should be able to get going and unrelent long runs against the weaker sides of the district.

First athletes to sign up, together with their weight and academic classification, are given in the following list:

| Name | Weight | Age | Class |
|-----------------|--------|-----|-------|
| Olin Fryar | 144 | 16 | 9 |
| Joe Mitchell | 147 | 19 | 11 |
| Allen Sherrad | 145 | 16 | 8 |
| "Red" Johnson | 141 | 17 | 10 |
| "Cy" Foster | 156 | 16 | 11 |
| Lloyd Burrus | 145 | 17 | 10 |
| "Bull" McCall | 156 | 17 | 9A |
| Herschel Arnett | 166 | 18 | 10B |
| Ray Parker | 130 | 16 | 10 |
| King John | 124 | 17 | 10 |
| Robert Fleenor | 152 | 17 | 10 |
| "Ham" Pinnell | 155 | 17 | 10A |
| "Curley" Cowden | 135 | 16 | 11 |
| R. V. Wasaff | 125 | 16 | 10A |
| Maurice King | 135 | 15 | — |
| George Booth | 160 | 16 | 9C |
| "Duck" Estes | 129 | 16 | 9 |
| Paul Burris | 103 | 14 | 9 |
| Carl Reeves | 155 | 17 | 10 |
| Knox Irwin | — | 15 | 8A |
| Moffet Kilmore | 140 | 16 | 9 |
| G. B. Hallman | 142 | 16 | 9 |
| J. E. Hill | — | 13 | 8 |
| Elfred Barter | 137 | 17 | 9 |
| Jake Rogue | 125 | 17 | 11 |
| Edwin Echols | 140 | 17 | 8 |
| Andrew Hewett | 103 | 16 | 8D |
| E. B. Evans | 120 | 14 | 8 |
| Frank Midkiff | 145 | 17 | 10 |
| Dave Allen | 162 | 18 | 10 |
| James White | 200 | — | — |

NOTICE TO MY MANY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

I have opened for business in a new location just around the corner from the old Hokus Pokus Grocery, where I was formerly located. I am handling a good line of cured meats in connection with my home killed fed baby beef which I feed myself. A trial will convince you there is a difference in quality of meats. I also handle Fish—Oysters—Milk—Butter—Eggs, etc.

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"I have used two bottles of Sargon now and am keeping up the treatment. Almost as soon as I started it the pains in my stomach disappeared and I never have indigestion. I can eat anything I want and never have those headaches any more. The Sargon Soft Mass Pills completely rid me of constipation and biliousness without the slightest upsetting. I'm in such fine health now in every way that I want to tell everybody about this wonderful treatment. W. T. Farmer, 3951 Capital St., Dallas. Midland Drug Company, Agents.—Adv.

For every automobile driven in the United States there are only 83 yards of paved road. It costs 23 cents to ship a bushel of wheat from Argentina to Liverpool. Flies are dangerous. They are also the filthiest insect known. They deposit germs in three ways. By contact, vomit spots and excreta. They faint everything they touch. FLY-TOX kills flies. It is safe, stainless. Simple instructions on each bottle (blue label) for killing ALL household insects. INSIST on FLY-TOX. FLY-TOX is the scientific insecticide developed at Mellon Institute of Industrial Research by Rex Research Fellowship. FLY-TOX brings health, comfort and cleanliness with its perfume-like fragrance.—Adv.

QUESTION OF BEST TEAM NOT DECIDED; ALL APPEAR GOOD

DALLAS, Sept. 13.—(P)—With all 10 member schools facing heavy schedules and at least five of them giving promise of unusual strength, the approaching race for the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association football title promises to be one of the greatest in the organization's history.

Members of the association include the North Texas Teachers, Denton; Southwest Texas Teachers, San Marcos; Sam Houston Teachers, Huntsville; Daniel Baker College, Brownwood; McMurry College, Abilene; Abilene Christian College, Abilene; East Texas Teachers, Commerce; West Texas Teachers, Canyon; Stephen F. Austin Teachers, Nacogdoches and Sul Ross Teachers, Alpine.

Following is the schedule of

games, including association and non-association contests:

- Sept. 20: West Texas Teachers vs. Wayland at Plainview.
- Sept. 21: North Texas Teachers vs. S. M. U. at Dallas; Daniel Baker vs. John Tarleton at Brownwood.
- Sept. 23: Stephen F. Austin vs. Southwest Texas Teachers at San Marcos.
- Sept. 24: McMurry vs. Randolph College at Abilene; Sam Houston Teachers vs. Lon Morris at Huntsville.
- Sept. 28: North Texas Teachers vs. Baylor at Waco; East Texas Teachers vs. Centenary at Shreveport; Daniel Baker vs. T. C. U. at Fort Worth.
- Oct. 4: Abilene Christian vs. John Tarleton at Abilene; Southwest Texas Teachers vs. Howard Payne at Brownwood; North Texas vs. Deatur Baptists at Denton.
- Oct. 6: McMurry vs. Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches; West Texas vs. Panhandle Aggies at Canyon; Sam Houston vs. Rice at Houston; Daniel Baker vs. Austin College at Brownwood.
- Oct. 11: McMurry vs. Howard Payne at Abilene; Sam Houston vs. Louisiana Teachers at Huntsville.
- Oct. 12: West Texas vs. Abilene Christian at Abilene; South Texas Teachers vs. Southwest Texas Teachers at San Marcos.
- Oct. 17: Stephen F. Austin vs.

North Texas Teachers at Denton.

- Oct. 19: West Texas Teachers vs. East Texas Teachers at Commerce.
- Oct. 19: Texas Tech vs. McMurry at Abilene; Abilene Christian vs. Southwest Texas Teachers at San Marcos; Daniel Baker vs. Simmons University at Brownwood; Sam Houston vs. Centenary at Shreveport.
- Oct. 25: North Texas vs. Trinity University at Denton; Southwest Texas vs. Sul Ross at Uvalde; St. Edward's University vs. Daniel Baker at Brownwood.
- Oct. 26: Sam Houston vs. Abilene Christian at Abilene; West Texas vs. Simmons at Amarillo; East Texas vs. Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches.
- Nov. 1: East Texas vs. Sam Houston at Huntsville.
- Nov. 2: Southwest Texas vs. McMurry at Abilene; Abilene Christian vs. Southeastern Oklahoma Teachers at Durant, Okla.; Daniel Baker vs. West Texas Teachers at Canyon.
- Nov. 8: Southwest Texas Teachers vs. Southwestern University at Georgetown.
- Nov. 11: Daniel Baker vs. McMurry at Abilene; Abilene Christian vs. Texas Tech at Abilene; West Texas Teachers vs. New Mexico Military Institute at Canyon; South Texas Teachers vs. Sam Houston at Huntsville; North Texas vs. East Texas at Denton.
- Nov. 15: East Texas vs. Ada Teachers at Ada, Okla.
- Nov. 16: West Texas vs. Montezuma Baptist at Canyon.
- Nov. 18: Sam Houston vs. North Texas at Denton; Daniel Baker vs. Southwest Texas at San Marcos.
- Nov. 19: Abilene Christian vs. Southwestern Oklahoma Teachers at Weatherford, Okla.
- Nov. 22: East Texas vs. Durant Teachers at Commerce.
- Nov. 28: McMurry vs. West Texas at Canyon; Abilene Christian vs.

Daniel Baker at Abilene; North Texas vs. Southwest Texas at San Marcos; East Texas vs. Lon Morris at Commerce; Sam Houston vs. Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches.

More than 20,000 tourists vacationed in the Hawaiian Islands last year.

The earth is two hundred times as thick as its crust.

Sugar consumption in the United States at present is about 110 pounds per capita annually.

The United States is the largest exporter of lumber and lumber products in the world.

There are 3,325 miles of waterways and canals constructed in the British Isles at a total cost of about \$500,000,000.

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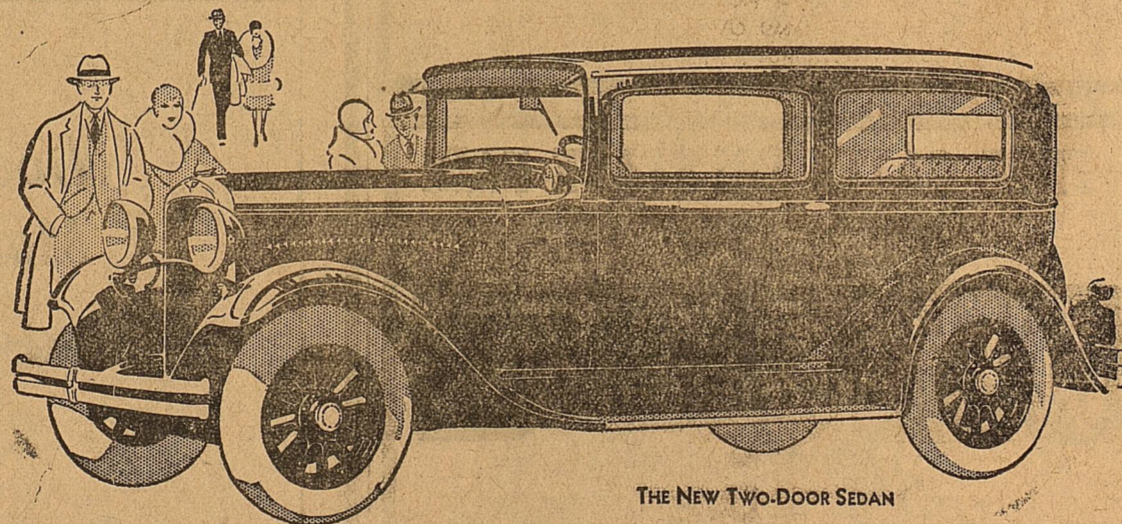
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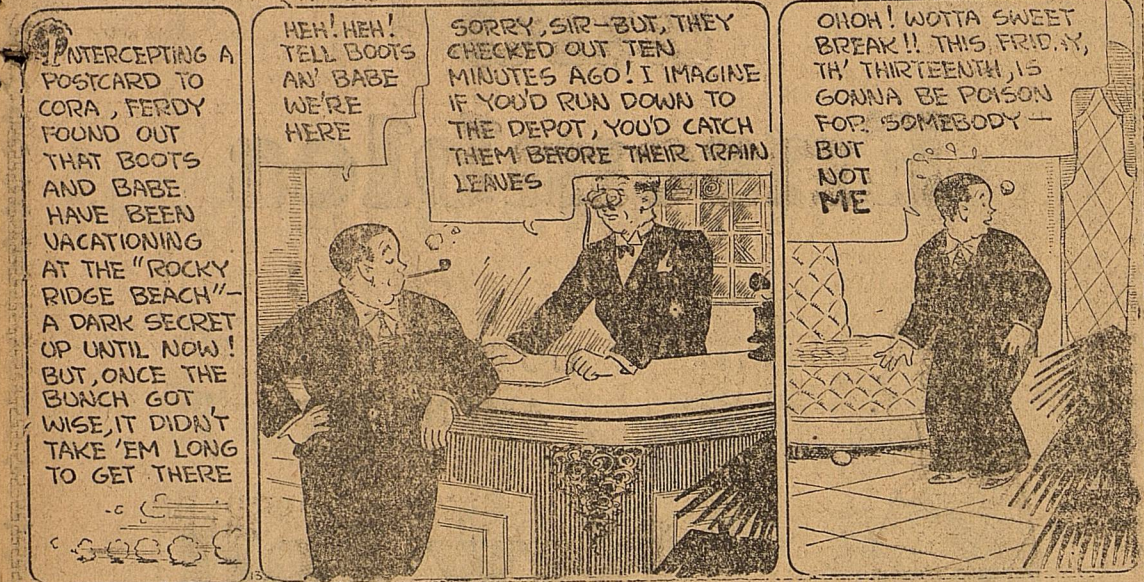
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SMILING IRISHMAN OF FIGHTIN' MICKS EXPECTS GOOD GRID SEASON AT RICE

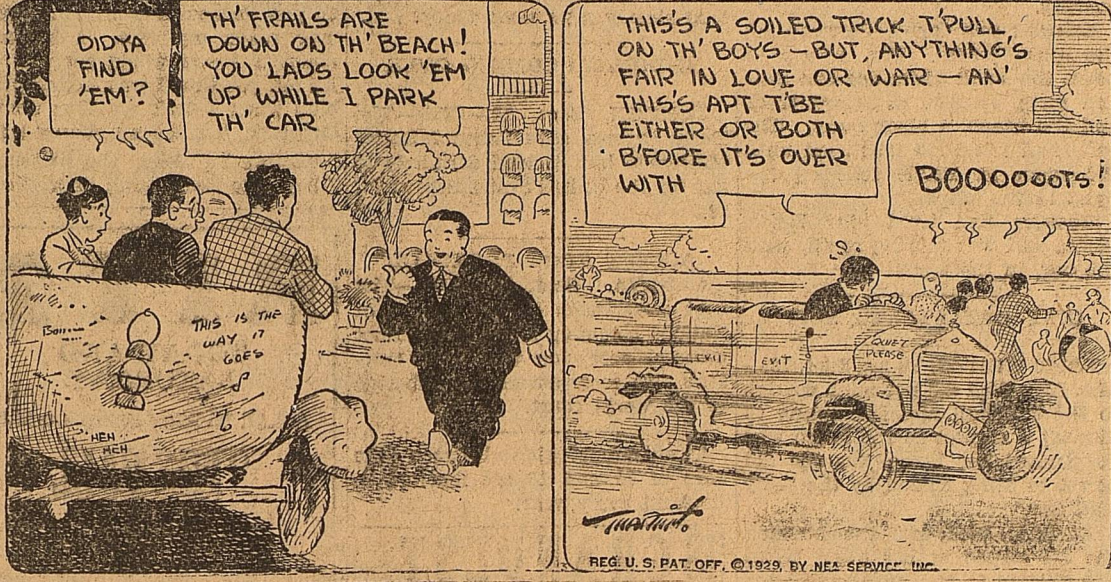
HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 12.—Jack Meagher, the smiling Irishman who used to play end for the Notre Dame Micks, and who this fall will serve his first season as head grid-iron mentor at Rice Institute here, is hoping that a lot of hard work can make up for a shortage of experienced football players.

According to virtually all the dopesters, the Rice Institute Owl this fall will be cast in the role they have played a long time—the dramat of the Southwest conference; but Meagher hopes to pull at least one big surprise before the season closes.

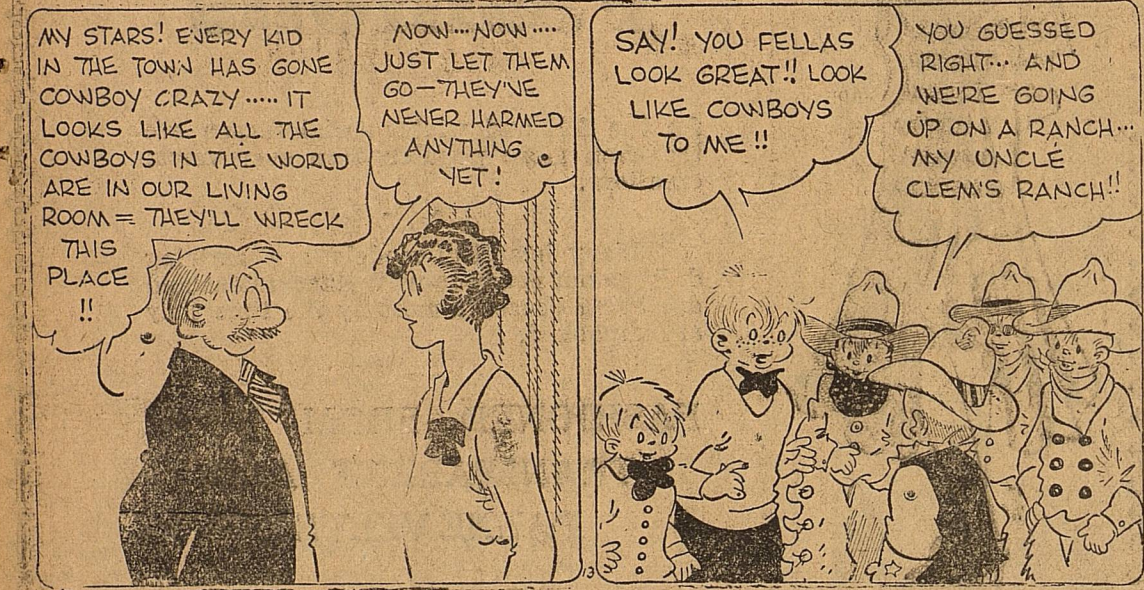
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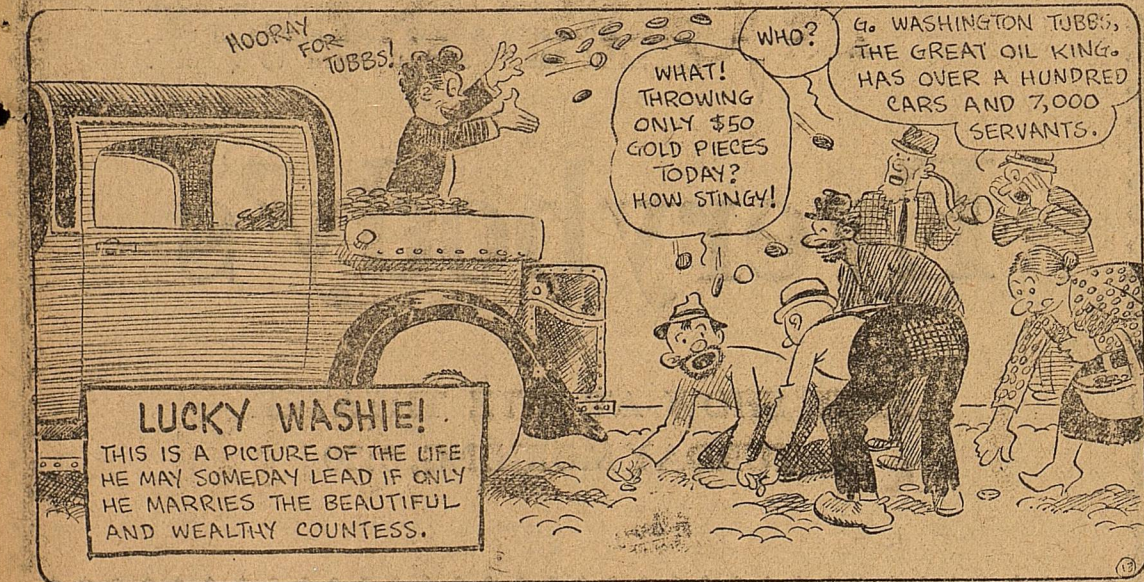
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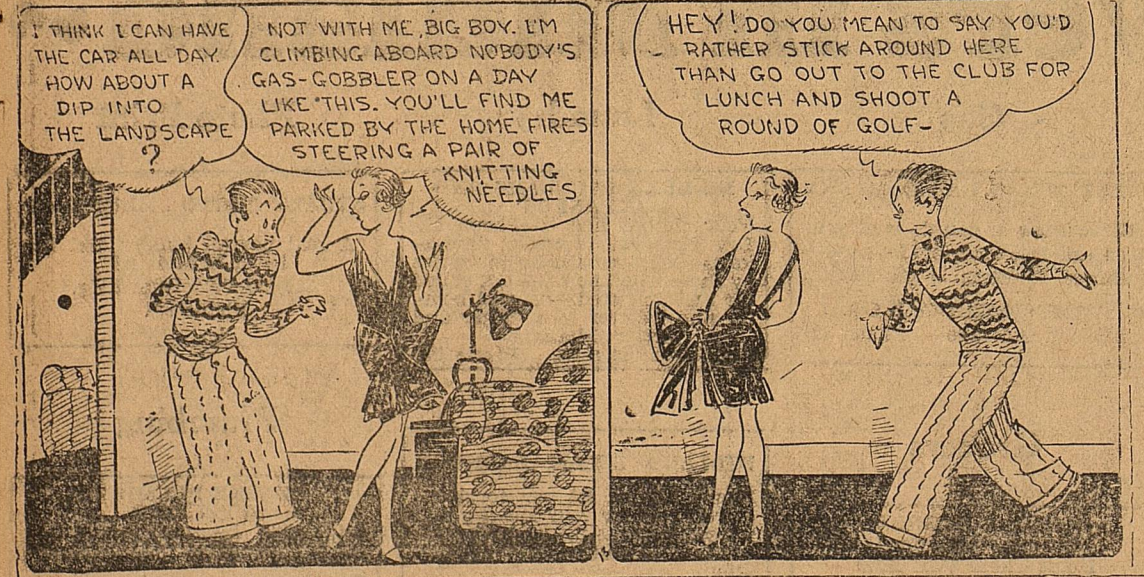
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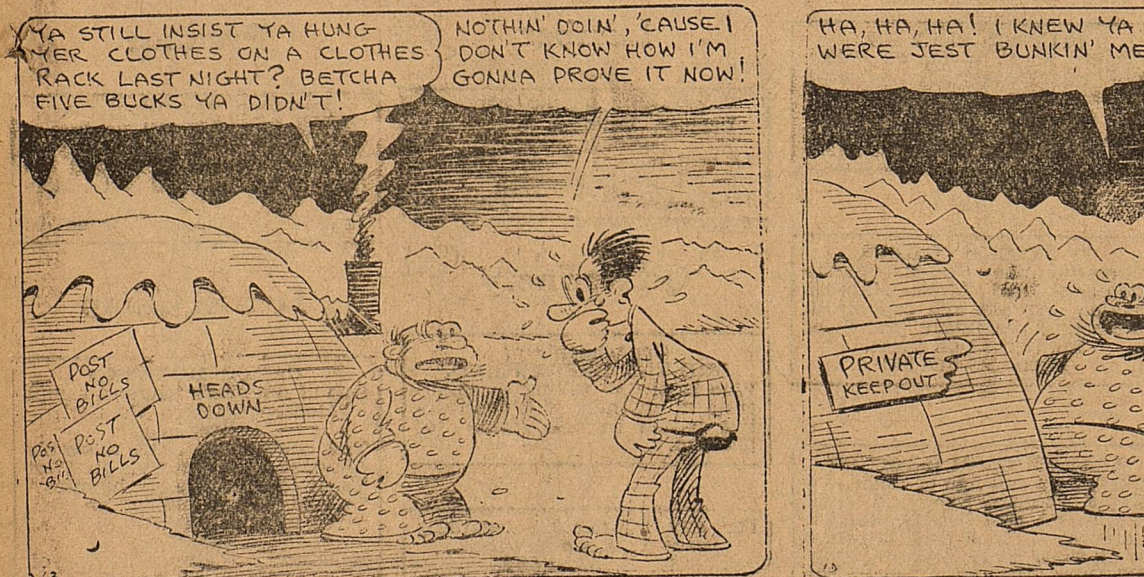
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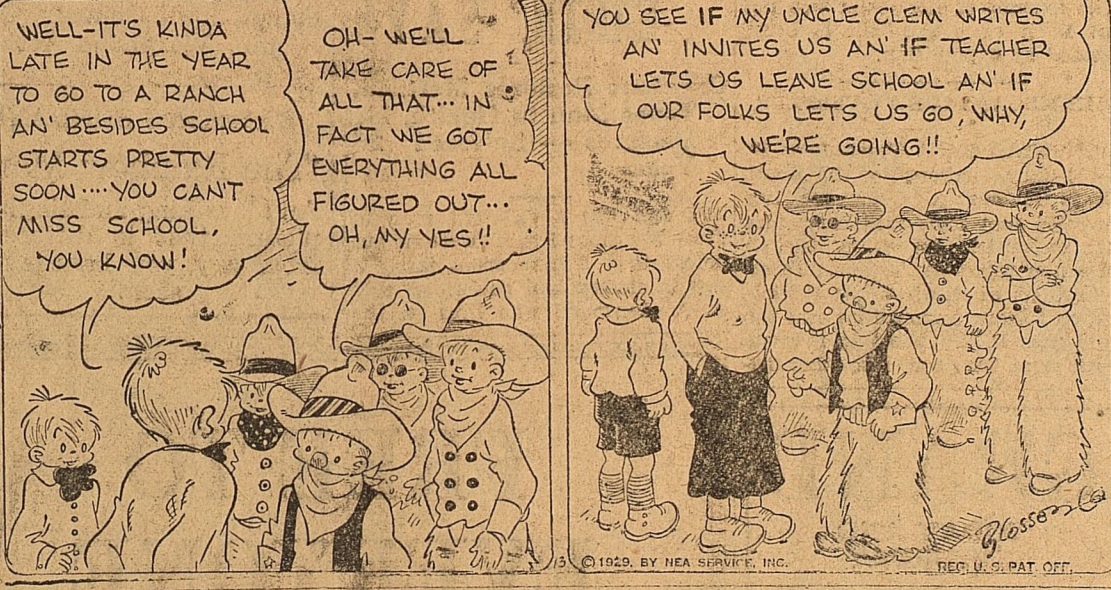
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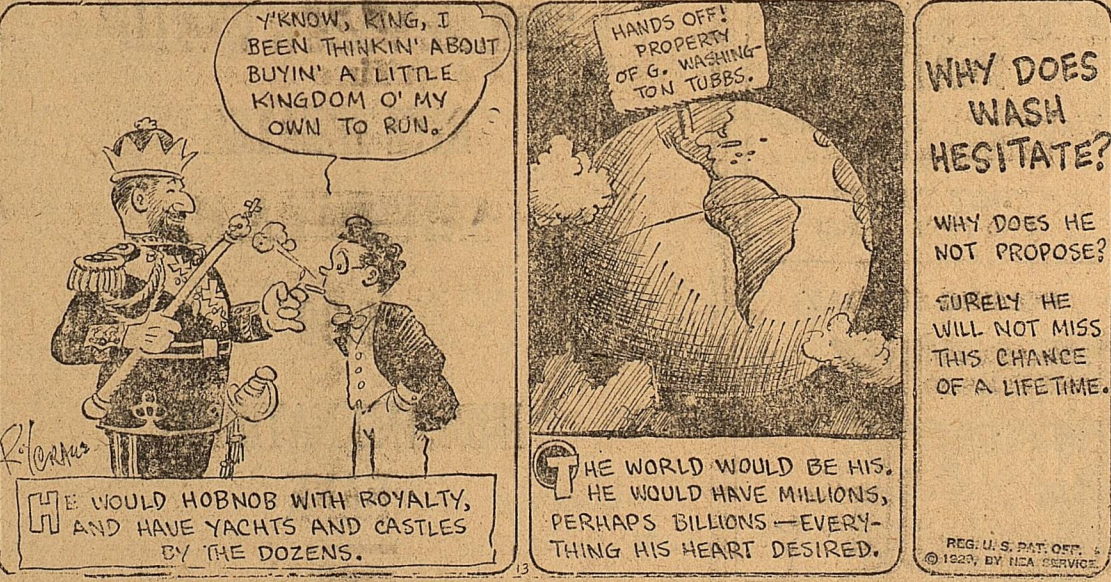
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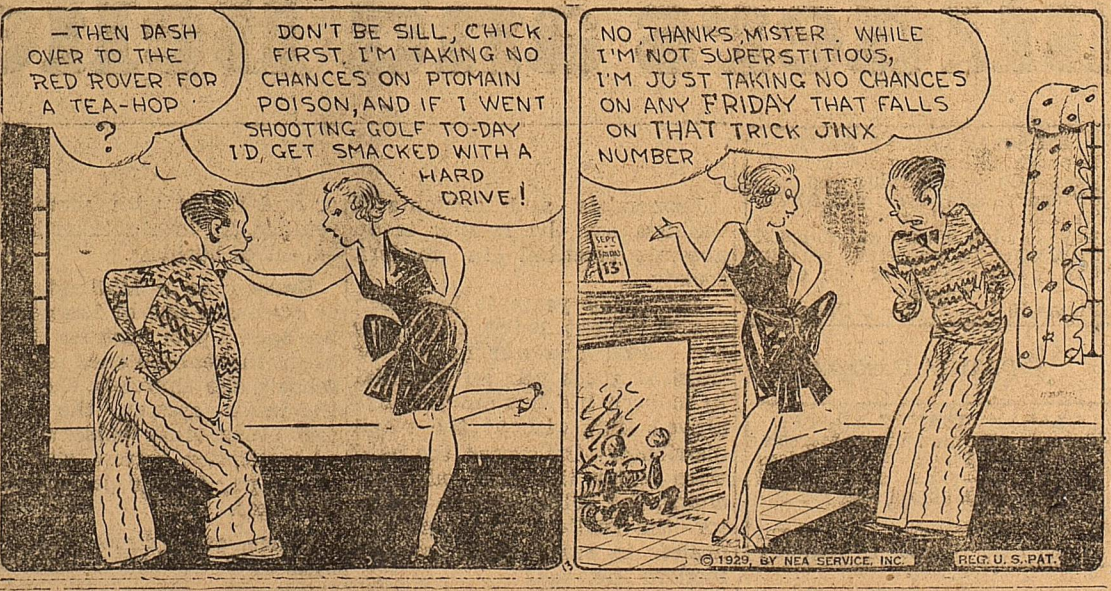
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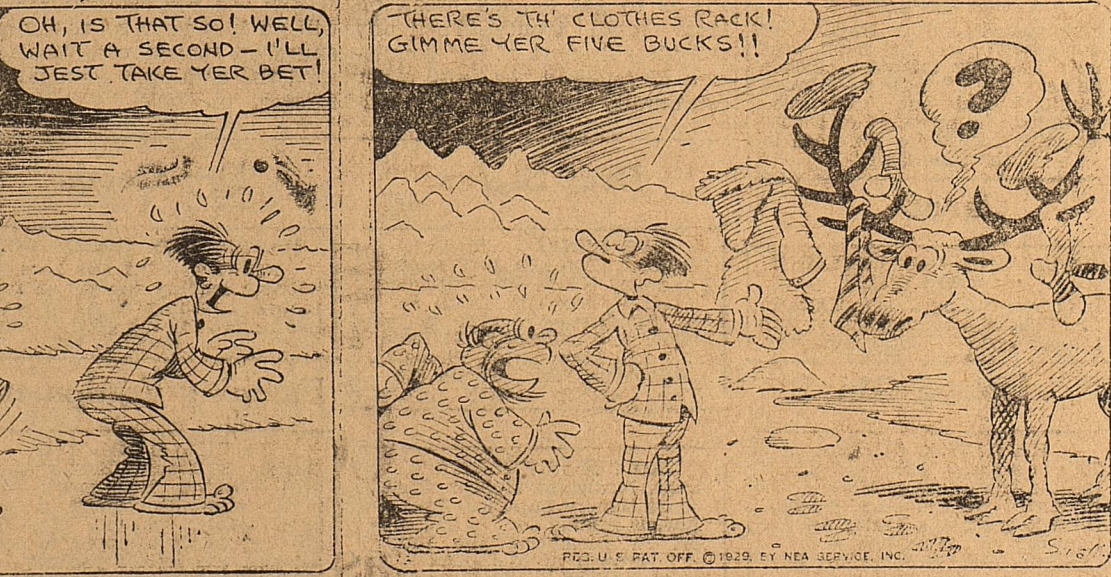
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The Jinx's Have It



Isn't It a Dear?



Speed Boat Season Ending This Week

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—(UP)—The 1929 high-power speed boat season will end with the President's Cup regatta to be held here today and tomorrow.

The average American home uses artificial light seven hours per day during December and only two and one-half hours during the month of June.

DRIVES TEAMING CAR

ALVESTON, Texas, Sept. 12.—(UP)—C. C. Currie, contractor, found his automobile was alive when he stopped at the left bridge in the causeway connecting Galveston Island with the mainland.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE: We have lots of mosquito wood for sale at my farm seven miles South of the stock pens. We have what you have been looking for in a brand new brick veneer house two blocks of junior high school.

- 1 Lost and Found: LOST—Bifold, containing papers and identification, sum of money. Robert Ferguson, Finder, please return and get half money for reward. Reporter-Telegram. 160-3p
- 7 Houses for Sale: BRICK VENEER or frame, \$500.00 cash, balance easy. Priced on low extra bargain. High class lots, C&G get what you want. Try me, J. F. Wells, Real Estate. 145-2c
- 11 Bedrooms: ROOM AND BOARD near Hogan Bldg. 702 N. Colorado. 162-2p

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SPEAKING OF SPORT

BY FRANK GETTY
United Press Sports Editor

First Down, Ten to Go

Even with a couple of big heavy-weight fights—Campolo-Scott at Ebbets Field, September 11, and Sharkey-Loughran at Yankee Stadium, September 26—this month, and the world series just a month away, the red letter day in sports for a majority of fans will be the opening of the football season late in September.

Gridiron enthusiasts are counting the days until most of the big eleven swing into action, Saturday, September 28. Practically all of the teams from coast to coast are either in training or will begin this week and next.

The Pest Fighter.
For any football fan who has the time, inclination and wherewithal, the following schedule is recommended for an ideal program this fall:

Sept. 28—Stanford vs. Olympic A. C., at Palo Alto; Oct. 5—Nebraska vs. Southern Methodist at Lincoln; Oct. 12—Navy vs. Notre Dame at Baltimore; Oct. 19—California vs. Penn. at Philadelphia; Oct. 26—Army vs. Yale at New Haven; Nov. 2—Southern California vs. California at Los Angeles; Nov. 9—Illinois vs. Army at Urbana; Nov. 16—Princeton vs. Yale at New Haven; Nov. 23—Northwestern vs. Notre Dame at Evanston; Nov. 30—Army vs. Notre Dame at New York; Dec. 7—Georgia vs. Georgia Tech at Athens; Dec. 14—So. California vs. Carnegie Tech at Los Angeles; Dec. 23—Stanford vs. Army at Palo Alto.

What It Takes
According to John Heisman, veteran coach and one of the pioneers of the shift play when he was head coach at Georgia Tech, the ingredients for football success are as follows:

| | |
|-------------------|------|
| Athletic instinct | 25% |
| Speed | 20 |
| Aggressiveness | 20 |
| Brains | 20 |
| Weight | 15 |
| Total | 100% |

He believes the ability to think and act quickly under all conditions (athletic instinct) is the most important asset any football player can have and that weight is the least important.

Punts and Passes
The University of Florida which rolled up 336 points to lead the nation in scoring and lost only one game, will have another great team. . . . Red Bethea, 185-pound half-back, is the star of the eleven. . . . Beryl Follet and Jerry Nemecek, two New York University stars, spent the summer as attendants at an insane asylum at Kings Park, L. I. . . . Bill Banker, blonde Tulane blizzard, will be back this season. . . . He is one of the best triple threat artists in the south. . . . Captain Lloyd Brazil, Detroit's All-America back, and thirteen other letter men, begin training today. . . . Detroit has not been beaten since Notre Dame turned the trick in 1927. . . . Purdue, with Pest Welch, Glen Harneson and Ed Caraway back, promises to have its best backfield in Big Ten history. . . . Stanford has 13 letter men back, but Post and Robesky, All-America guards, are both missing. . . . The University of Maryland will not have a man weighing 200 on the 1929 eleven. . . . Earl C.

Abell, who coached Colgate last year has succeeded Greasy Neale as head coach at the University of Virginia. . . . Indiana will have 77 men out for the varsity eleven, the largest squad in history. . . . The University of South Carolina will wear camouflaged jerseys featuring an assortment of weird colors.

Daily Market Report

DALLAS COTTON

In response to relative strength of Liverpool markets, reports of rains, and talk of firmer technical position after a break of about a cent a pound, the cotton market advanced around \$1 a bale during early trading, October in New York selling up to 18.82, December 19.16, January 19.15 and March 19.38. There was sufficient realizing and scattered selling later in the morning to force the market back to within a few points of the previous close, and on noon calls, the list was steady, 5 to 8 points net higher.

Curiosity Of Man Prevents A Suicide

TAYLOR, Tex., Sept. 13.—(UP)—Because of the inquisitive nature of one of Taylor's druggists, a man who otherwise would in all probability be dead, is alive and well. A few days ago a man entered the store and after purchasing a quantity of poison, borrowed a pencil and scrap of paper from the druggist and wrote a note. Glancing carelessly at the note as the man wrote it, the alert druggist noticed that it ended with the words, "good bye forever." When the customer set the bottle upon the counter to fold his message the druggist seized it, and in spite of much berating and cajoling, would not return it. The customer left the store, but to all appearances his supposed unsuccessful attempt at suicide satisfied him, for he was seen by the druggist some time later in good health.

Woman Artist Can Bust Wily Bronc

DENTON, Tex., Sept. 13.—(UP)—A hobby abounding in thrills has been selected by Miss Blanche Williams who lives near here as a means of whiling away idle moments. Miss Williams, a college graduate who specialized in art, chooses to instruct tenderfoot riders in the gentle art of broncho "rusting" to the less strenuous pleasures usually indulged in by members of her sex. When one of the broncho "busting" classes is in session her father's ranch resembles in some respects a small rodeo. Miss Williams besides being an expert rider is skilled in the use of the lariat, and all the tricks of "bulldozing." Her pupils, the majority of whom are boys, get a thorough training in the lore of the cowboy, and Blanche gets "a barrel of fun" out of her hobby.

The officers of the Salvation Army preach in 67 languages and serve in 83 countries.

Hix Family Returns From Great Lakes

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hix and daughter, Miss Annie Laurie, returned Wednesday night from a trip over the Great Lakes and to Canada, making the trip with other successful representatives of the Lamar Life Insurance Co. of Jackson, Mississippi. Roy McKee of Midland, who also made the trip, arrived home several days ago.

DOG IDENTIFIES MASTER

GALVESTON, Texas, Sept. 13.—(AP)—Benjamin Knowles' tiny Eskimo Spitz could not save its master from drowning, but it could, and did, aid in establishing Knowles' identity. Knowles was found, drowned, on the south jetty. For nearly 24 hours the small white dog ran back and forth between a parked truck and the beach, a block away. The body had not been identified until Policeman H. Feigle followed the Spitz to the truck.

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The chambers of commerce are uniting in an effort to enlighten the grower of what is being done in an attempt to avoid overproduction.

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