

HAYNIE CASE CENTERS INTEREST

Terrell Hearing May be Deferred Until Next Session

In Bas-Relief

A Bloodless Revolution A Case in Point Down with Pessimists! Significance of Sunday

By R. C. Hawkins Ministers in Midland churches Sunday extolled the idea of "a God."

The Chinese have more gods than any other nation in the world, according to Newton Hayes, F. R. G. S.

Despite the warring with arms incessantly reported in the Empire of the Dragon, there are even more conflicts striking in the roots of the social structure of the country.

Here is another "evidence." A movement has been inaugurated in Hong Kong to abolish the practice of hiring out little Chinese girls as servants—"moo tsai"

An editorial writer says: Some educators including several college presidents have recently declared that many students are not benefited by a university course and that, in future, such teaching should be confined more and more to the few of marked promise.

A student from one of the schools mentioned has been influential in a new school of thought among the jaded, ennuj-marked collegian group.

Man wisely sets apart one day in seven as a period of rest and change. Sunday is the day to emerge from the rut and groove of life and do something different.

All life has a tendency to run down if not recreated. Perpetual motion does not exist anywhere.

WOULD PROBE DRY FORCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17. (UP)—Comprehensive investigation of prohibition enforcement and of the dry enforcement personnel was proposed before the senate judiciary committee today by Chairman Norris, but no decision was reached.

SESSION TO CLOSE TOMORROW

Moody Expected To Call Session Immediately

AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(UP)—Hearing of charges proposing impeachment of State Comptroller S. H. Terrell were postponed by the house until tomorrow.

Legislators said that even should the governor decide against the special session this time, the house could convene itself to conduct hearings.

The senate is working with barely a quorum, while a quorum in the house is uncertain after one having been mustered long enough to postpone the Terrell hearings.

FAVORS SULPHUR TAX AUSTIN, Feb. 17.—(P)—The senate state affairs committee today voted out the house bill placing a tax on sulphur but cut the amount of the tax per ton from one dollar to fifty cents.

W. A. HYATT IS LAID TO REST IN LOCAL CEMETERY

While hundreds of friends and relatives of Midland and other cities attended, funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for W. A. Hyatt, Midland oil man who passed away early Saturday after an attack of pneumonia.

The service was held at the First Baptist church, the Rev. George F. Brown officiating, following which the body was laid to rest in Fairview cemetery.

Pall bearers were Percy Mims, Ralph M. Barron, H. J. Neblett, Lanham Straughn, J. H. Roberts, J. M. White, E. W. Britton and D. O. Finley.

Honorary pall bearers included John Nichols, George D. McCormick, J. S. Noland, Hugh Corrigan, W. A. Yeager, R. W. Patterson, C. L. Jackson, A. L. Ackers, M. M. Meek, Joe Crump, Reuben Payne, Fred Turner, C. E. Hight, R. L. York, J. R. Vandeventer, Elliott H. Barron, Aubrey Legg, C. B. Ligon, Paul T. Vickers, C. B. Goodman, W. H. Sloan, B. E. Journeycake, Joe Bean, Frank Wolcott, Clarence Scharbauer, M. D. Johnson, C. E. Gann, A. C. Francis, M. M. Seymour, Tyner Roberts, Glenn Wright, Claude Cowden, Clinton Myrick, David M. Ellis, Ira F. Lord, R. O. Walker, Dr. John B. Thomas, Dr. W. E. Ryan, J. C. Hudman, W. Edward Lee, G. W. Dunaway, and L. A. Arrington.

New Printers Wear Their Hats at Work

It isn't because they are afraid they might be saved the effort upon notification their positions have expired, but for the reason they "just have the habit," that caused J. T. Helm and D. R. Perry, new Linotype operators of The Reporter-Telegram, to wear their hats while at work.

Perry hails from Fort Worth and Helm from Weatherford. The other men of the composing room either go-bare-headed or wear celluloid eye-shades—or in rare instances, save to the printers' devils, an absurd sort of creation which, if unfolded, would prove one of last week's editions.

Gang Victim



Racketeers are sought throughout the east as the slayers of May Smith, above, pretty dance hall hostess, and Carmine Barelli, a gambler, supposed victims of a gang feud in New York.

HEALTH ENGINEER FINDS MIDLAND A CLEAN TOWN NOW

"Dig up those wells out at the new water plant at Cloverdale here and I'll sell them overnight—and at a fanciful figure." H. E. Hargis, sanitation engineer for the state sanitary department, said today after making a survey of the wells following a check on dairies, the sewage disposal plant and sanitation agencies in general.

"There would be many towns and cities of Texas that would jump at a chance to own such wells," the engineer pointed out. "It is seldom indeed that a town is so fortunate, as to sink a well to a nominal depth and tap the flood waters of a subterranean stream, as the Midland wells pierce the Concho."

The water and disposal plants rate as nearly perfect as any in the state, Hargis said. Dairies do not come up to specification, although the new milk ordinance has not yet had time to be worked out, he explained.

Confesses Murder Of 4-Year Old Boy

WOOSTER, Ohio, Feb. 17 (UP)—Charles Hanna, 58, confessed today that Earl Conold 42, railroad brakeman, killed Melvin Horst, 4, missing from his home at Orrville since December, 1928, and that Hanna buried the boy back home. Statements of Hanna's son, 9, led to the reopening of Ohio's most baffling mystery.

No Tuberculosis Is Found In Cow Tests

More than 125 cows will be tested by Dr. Wolfe, Big Spring veterinarian, today for tuberculosis bacilli symptoms. This is in conformity to the new milk ordinance recently passed, which requires future Grade A milk from state-tested cows. More than 500 cows have already been tested, without a trace of the disease having been found.

R. W. COWDEN IS DEAD; FUNERAL AT FORT WORTH

R. W. Cowden, 58 years old, one of Midland earliest residents, died early today in Fort Worth. News of his death was received by his brother, E. P. Cowden of Midland, who with Claude Cowden and Spence Jewell will leave tonight to attend the funeral tomorrow afternoon at Fort Worth.

The former Midland man had been ill for the past two or three years, and for the past few months had suffered from an attack of pneumonia. He spent some time in a sanitarium at Temple and had been in Fort Worth for a few weeks. He is survived by four children.

Coming to Midland in 1885 from Palo Pinto county where he was born, R. W. Cowden grew up on the old Jal ranch and was interested in it up to the time of his death. On account of ill health, he sold his cattle a few years ago and moved to Mineral Wells, but retained his ranch near Jal, N. M.

He is survived by three brothers and one sister, E. P. Cowden of Midland, W. H. Cowden of San Antonio, Lyndon Cowden of Alamo, N. M., and Mrs. A. F. Crowley of Kansas City.

Says Mother Of Long Is Murderer

KINGSVILLE, Feb. 17. (UP)—The star state witness in Mrs. Maude Long's murder trial was quoted from the stand today as having said that his own mother, not widow, killed Jim Long, Mrs. Annie May Long for the defense swore that Pat Smith, 14 year old alleged illicit lover of the widow, told her that his mother was guilty of the killing, in a conversation at Austin where Long, whom the state charged was killed by Mrs. Maude Long to make way for continued intimacy with Smith, was buried.

HOUSTON AGENT IS CHARGED WITH CANADA KILLING

HOUSTON, Feb. 17. (UP)—A five year old killing may result in the return to Canada of Fred Mertz, Houston federal narcotic agent, charged with murder, abduction and theft. Charles Stubbs, Galveston British attorney, said today he was planning to request extradition. Mertz was arrested here on a warrant sworn for the murder of Amlede Belandeaue, Canadian citizen, kidnaping of Robert Trice, also Canadian, and for theft of an automobile owned by Adolphine Begin.

Rural Gangsters Believed At Work

MEXICO, Missouri, Feb. 17 (UP)—A body riddled with bullets and bearing signs of strangulation, the sixth found in central Missouri in recent months, was the occasion today of starting of the second official inquiry since the start of alleged rural racketeering. The body, which was discovered near Sturgeon had been shot four times, and was identified as Red Kelley.

Prominent Gilmer Man Found Dead

GILMER, Feb. 17. (UP)—Will J. Moore, 57, president of the Gilmer Rotary club, and automobile dealer, was found dead in bed today with a bullet hole in his head. An automatic was found beside his body.

CORP ASSISTANTS NAMED FOR WORK OF CHARITY CLUB

Selection of committeemen for carrying out formative plans for a completely organized United Charities organization in Midland has been made, as provided in a meeting held last week in the chamber of commerce. W. L. Pratt, chairman of the committee named at the meeting to decide on the supporting committee, gave out the names this morning.

Hunger Striker Laughs at Jokers

Foodless for a month, Richard Stewart, Warren, O., hunger striker, can still appreciate a joke. Stewart, who has refused food since he was jailed on Jan. 15, is shown above, laughing at one of the scores of comic valentines sent him by fellow townsmen who refused to take his plight seriously.

W. H. ABELS DIES IN BLOSSOM; WAS MIDLAND CITIZEN

News of the death early this morning of W. H. Abels of Midland, who since September 15 has been ill at the home of relatives in Blossom, Texas, was received here today by wife from Fred Wemple, Abels' brother of Mrs. Wemple, was connected with the Ever Ready Auto Service, but had been away from his position since early in September on account of illness.

TARDIEU ILL; IS CRITICAL MOMENT IN NAVAL PARLEY

LONDON, Feb. 17.—(UP)—There was considerable uneasiness in naval conference circles today as delegates of five powers entered the fifth week of their efforts to achieve reduction and limitation of sea armaments. The situation was due mainly to the unexpected illness of Premier Tardieu of France which came at a critical moment in consideration of France's naval claims. This week was expected to be the slowest since the conference started unless Tardieu returns from Paris.

"Banshee" Tickets Are Placed On Sale

Tickets were placed on sale at the Midland drug store this morning by Mrs. Chan Mason for the Thursday evening presentation by the Midland little theatre of its third three-act play of the season, "The Call of the Banshee."

East Suffering From Cold Wave

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—(P)—Snow and temperatures as low as 41 degrees below zero caused intense suffering today in eastern states. Boston reported 10 deaths in New England over the week end which were attributed to the coldest wave of the winter.

YEAGER CASE IS UP AGAIN



Scarborough Is Given Judgment; A Quiet Day In Court The R. W. Haynie murder case, set for Feb. 24, appears to be the only outstanding case remaining to be tried during the present term of district court.

ENGINEERS BEGIN LAYING BASE FOR PAVING STREETS

Paving of Midland streets, preparatory work for which was held up considerably during the cold winter weather, seems on the verge of getting started before many more weeks. In case a shipment of rock reaches the city the construction company will begin laying a crushed-rock base this afternoon.

El Paso Men Held In Amarillo Theft

AMARILLO, Feb. 17. (UP)—Two El Paso men today faced charges of robbery with firearms following an alleged holdup of a suburban grocery. Virgil S. Stalup and James Talley had three pistols, two black-jacks and considerable money in their possession. Stalup, captured after an automobile chase, was said to have admitted the holdup and gave information leading to Talley's arrest.

MRS. PAYNE NO BETTER

Reports from the Thomas hospital today stated that Mrs. Reuben Payne, who underwent a major operation there late Saturday, showed little improvement.

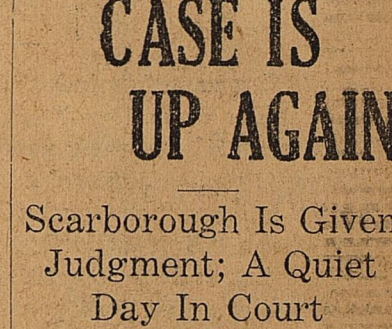
Unemployed Ask Dallas For Jobs

DALLAS, Feb. 17.—(P)—Approximately 250 unemployed persons invaded the city hall today and demanded from the city commission information as to where they can find jobs. Members of the commission told the job seekers that they probably could take care of them within the next few days.

Quarrel Over Junk Followed by Killing

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 17. (UP)—A quarrel over ownership of an automobile costing five dollars was given in an alleged confession today of Harry Ross, junk dealer, as the reason he beat his partner, John Babcock, to death with a club and hid his body in a room five days before burning it in a swamp.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



When they're cracked up, skating ponds are not as safe as they are cracked up to be.

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INDUSTRY'S LEADER

There are few industries in the world that draw upon a wider diversity of raw materials or manufacturing processes and sell their products for as widely diversified purposes as the automobile industry.

Usually bankers are quite conservative and restrained in their statements as they are in their business activities. But these words from the lips of Henry H. Sanger, chairman of the board and president of the National Bank of Commerce at Detroit, is far from being reactionary.

The automobile industry, natural leader of American prosperity, Sanger goes on, may justly anticipate a year of at least average, but probably more than average, prosperity and production.

That, in the face of the confessed overproduction of last year, and the admitted slacking up of production this year, is even greater assurance of confidence in this industry. It is based on cold facts and figures and is not just the conviction of one who is personally prejudiced in favor of the automobile industry.

Its most reassuring note is the optimism it spreads over to many other industries that depend to a great extent on the success of the automotive industry—the steel industry, the railroads, the oil industry, the rubber, paint, glass and cloth manufacturers. Thus many thousands of workers, hardly related to the automotive industry, may thank the progress of the automobile in America for the retention of their jobs.

Much of the happiness of this country goes back to the automobile.

THE SIDEWALK LOUDSPEAKER

New York City is on the verge of adopting an ordinance which would prevent the use of radio loudspeakers on the streets outside of shops, except on such special occasions as world series, political conventions and the like.

There is an ordinance that a good many other cities might well copy. The sidewalk loudspeaker is usually nothing on earth but a public nuisance. It is raucous and squawky, an offense to the ears of people who would much prefer not to have to listen to it; and as far as its advertising value goes, we have a hunch that it drives away three customers for every one it lures in.

ERRORGRAMS



There are at least four mistakes in each of the above pictures. They may be mistakes you find, and 20 for the man to grammar, history, etymology, word if you unscramble it. Today, bled word below — and unscramble on page 6, we'll explain the mistake, by switching the letters around, takes and tell you the word. Then find them. Then look at the scramble, you can see how near a hundred you drawing or whatnot. See if you can bat.

Nossir, We Never Know How Near Death's Door We Are



TILL WE READ THE CONTENTS OF THE PATENT MEDICINE ALMANAC!

WASHINGTON LETTER

Women Workers Aren't Getting Laid Off in Times of Industrial Depression Much Faster Than Men—But Very Often They Are Their Families' Only Breadwinners.

By RODNEY BUTCHER, NEA Service Writer.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Women workers have been laid off in about equal proportion with men during the recent spell of unemployment, according to Miss Mary Anderson, the chief of the Women's Bureau in the Department of Labor.

The fact means much more than it would have meant 20 years ago. Today a much larger percentage of American women are the only breadwinners for their family and between 20 and 25 per cent of wage earners in this country are women.

"The Women's Bureau is now engaged in a survey of the recent depression in the radio industry, especially with regard to its effect on working women," says Miss Anderson.

Many Women Discharged

"Thus far we have checked on 19 plants manufacturing sets and tubes in the New York-New Jersey-Pennsylvania district. These factories at the peak of employment last fall employed 21,000 men and 22,000 women. Now, with employment at a minimum, these same plants are employing 6500 men and 5000 women.

"But although we want to find out whether women in industry are hit harder than men in times of increased unemployment and these figures indicate that in these plants in the radio industry more women have been laid off than men, I do

First Suspect



The morning that Doris Matthews' body was found in the Berkeley's swimming pool, Dick Berkeley, who was known to be in love with her, was missing. She had repudiated his advances, so Dick fell under suspicion immediately. But he wasn't guilty. "Murder Backstairs" is not quite that simple. It's a real thriller. It begins in The Reporter-Telegram soon.

not believe that on the whole there is much difference in the effect upon the sexes.

"Of course, women have suffered most in the so-called 'luxury industries' in which especially large numbers of women are employed. Radio is one. There are also large proportions of women workers in the textile, shoe, cigar and cigaret, clothing and candy factories. Women employed as clerks in stores and as saleswomen have also been affected."

Miss Anderson pointed out that the wages of women had become increasingly important in the support of families. The 1920 census showed 8,549,511 women wage earners, or 30.5 per cent of the total wage earning population, and the 1930 census is expected to show something of an increase.

Miss Agnes L. Peterson, assistant director of the bureau, says women's earnings are the last line of defense against the wolf at the door of a large proportion of city families today. Marriage in many

cases fails to gain for women the economic security once considered to be one of its chief advantages.

The Women's Bureau made one study covering 60,000 working women and found that more than half of them turned over all their earnings to the family. In an investigation covering 30,000 families in four widely separated cities 27 per cent of the women workers reported that there were no men wage earners in their families and more than 20 per cent claimed to be the sole breadwinners.

Among about 17,000 unmarried working women it developed that one in every five was taking care of a family without any help from male relatives.

The bureau has also devoted attention to what it considers the inadequacy of men's wages in many cases. Many women, in every state, it says, are forced to work because their men cannot earn enough to cover the family's bare cost of living.

Earnings Below Standard

The minimum fair American standard of living cost for a man, wife and two children, according to the National Industrial Conference Board figures, runs between \$31 and \$32 a week. In medium-sized cities it's about from \$29 to \$31 and in small cities from \$28 to \$30. But the Women's Bureau points out that in few cases can the wage earner count on 52 full weeks of work in a year.

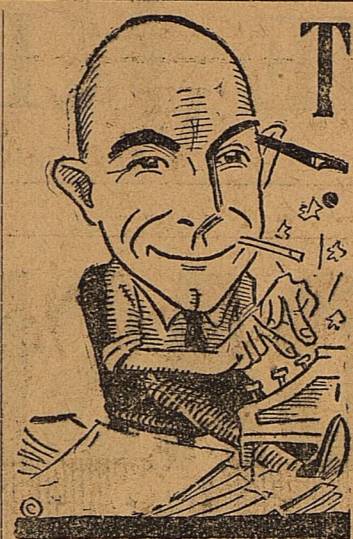
The conference board has reported the average actual weekly earnings of unskilled men in 25 industries as \$24.13. In general unskilled workers can't maintain a decent standard of living without help from someone else in the family. Skilled workers in the same 25 industries averaged \$31 a week. Even with them, it is contended, there is a constant dread of sickness and unemployment which impels women to go to work. This is more than ever true in industries where wages for skilled workers run below the average, as in the textile industry.

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The Town Quack

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

Every time Fred Wemple, who is sojourning during the cold months with relatives at Blossom, reads something that strikes him as being funny, he mails it to the editor. The editor, not knowing what to do with anything humorous, passes it to me. With the return address bearing the mark "Friend Q. Blossom, Texas," Fred mailed in a writeup of a wedding that happened somewhere down in that locality:

FEARLESS EDITOR WRITES UP WEDDING, AND HOW

An editor having reached the limit of patience and prevarication at the same time told the truth thusly:

"Mr. Robert Chetway and Miss Alice Broadskin were married at the home of the bride's parents, (the groom having no home), Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Broadskin, Rev. M. L. Gassaway officiating.

"The groom is a popular young bum who hasn't done a lick of work since he got shipped in the middle of his junior year at college. He manages to dress well and keep a supply of spending money because his dad is a soft headed old fool who takes up his bad checks instead of letting him go to jail where he belongs.

"The bride is a skinny, fast little tot, who has been kissed and handled by every boy in town ever since she was thirteen years old. She paints like a Sioux Indian, smokes cigarettes in secret, and drinks mean corn liquor when she is out joyriding in her dad's car at night. She doesn't know how to cook, sew or keep house.

"The house was newly plastered for the wedding and the exterior newly painted thus approximately carrying out the decorative scheme for the groom was newly painted, also the bride was newly painted.

"The groom wore a rented dinner suit over athletic underwear of silk. His pants were held up by pale green suspenders. His number eight patent leather shoes matched his state of tightness and harmonized nicely with the axle grease polish of his hair. In addition to his jag he carried a pocket knife, a dum for the ring and a bunch of keys and his usual look of imbecility.

The bride wore some kind of a white thing that left most of her

legs sticking out at one end and her boney upper end at the other. "The young people will make their home with the bride's parents which means they will sponge on the old man until he dies, then she will take in washing."

P. S. This may be the last issue of my paper, but my life ambition has been to write up one wedding and tell the unvarnished truth. Now this is done, death can have no sting."—Ex.

DANCE HALL BUSES

LONDON.—It doesn't take a mar- a) on dancer to dance all the way from London to Liverpool now. Anyone can do it in one of the new "ballroom" buses. In these buses the seats fold back, offering a highly polished dance floor. A piano furnishes the music and refreshments can be bought from the conductor.

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Table with 2 columns: East Bound and West Bound, listing times for various routes.

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Subject to action of the Democratic primary election, July, 1930.

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For County Attorney: T. D. KIMBROUGH (Re-Election)

For County Sheriff: A. C. FRANCIS (Re-Election)

For County & District Clerk: SUSIE GRAVES NOBLE, J. M. SHELBURNE (Re-Election)

For County Treasurer: MARY L. QUINN (Re-Election)

For Tax Assessor: NEAL D. STATION (Re-Election)

For District Attorney: SAM K. WASAFF, W. R. SMITH (Re-Election)

For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 1 S. R. PRESTON Precinct number 3 D. L. HUTT (Re-election) L. M. ESTES Precinct No. 2

For Congress, 16th Congressional District: E. E. (PAT) MURPHY, San Angelo.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Bridal Party Entertained With Dinner Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Young entertained members of the Young-Watson wedding party...

Guests were seated at one long table laid in damask...

The color scheme of pink and white was carried out in heart-shaped ices and cake.

Grace was said by Rev. Thomas D. Murphy and the guests next wrote a message in a bride's book.

Miss Young presented Miss Lydie Watson with an amber necklace...

Covers were laid for Mes. Paul T. Vickers, R. W. Wallace, F. R. Young, Misses Retta Young, Lydie Watson, Lois Murphy...

Mrs. Caldwell Entertains With Supper

Mrs. J. R. O'Connor, Pasadena, California, was honoree at an enchilada supper given by Mrs. J. M. Caldwell Saturday evening.

Covers were laid for Messrs. and Meses. A. Harry Anderson, J. M. Caldwell, Mrs. Andrew Faskin, Misses Edna Hanna and Fannie Bess Taylor...

At bridge later in the evening, Miss Fannie Bess Taylor held high score and received a potted artificial cactus.

Raymond Upham left Midland Friday for Fort Worth where he will buy new stock for the Home Furniture company.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Means and son, Cole, who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cowden, returned to their home at Valentine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Watson and Thomas Scott of Mineola, spent the week-end with Mrs. C. D. Adams of Midland.

Mrs. C. D. Adams returned from Dallas Sunday morning, after a buying trip there, Mrs. Adams left Midland by plane Friday noon.

Dance Slowly to Be "Stepping in Style," Murray Says

By ARTHUR MURRAY Written for NEA Service and The Reporter-Telegram

The nation's dancing feet have slowed!

Not from fatigue, nor from ennui. Far from it. They have slowed because a new era of living is launched and dancing reflects this quite as surely and much more swiftly than paintings, architecture and other forms of art.

Dancing is changing civilization in process. For the dances of an age transmit the mood as it changes.

The new dances throw out the quick-step; bring in the slow. The music they ask for their dance of life are the crooning, wooing strains. They reject the one-step; accept the waltz. Speed is no longer a gauge of dancing. Beauty, grace, subtlety in steps are.

First class orchestras in exclusive clubs now play only one slow dance to every fast one. And the smart people are sitting out the fast one!

They sit these out because there is no longer any fun dancing them. During fast music, all one can do is to walk around, dancing one step to each beat. At the most, there are only a half dozen variations in the quick dances. But in the new slow-tempo music, more than 1,000 combinations are possible, calling into activity all of a person's grace, originality and rhythm.

A large majority of the new steps are based directly on the old-fashioned waltz because the waltz step is one of the five basic dance steps. But the waltz today is not the waltz of older days. It has a



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LIGHTING OF "BROADWAY" SETS A GIANTIC FILM ACHIEVEMENT

No less an institution than the University of Southern California has discovered in "Broadway," the all-dialogue Universal super-production starring Glenn Tryon with Evelyn Brent, which is coming to the Yucca Theatre tomorrow, a subject for class study.

As a part of their instruction in the regular course of photoplay appreciation at the University, the students use the largest set ever constructed for a motion picture anywhere in the world—the huge Paradise Night Club.

Special photographs of all angles of the structure, especially made to illustrate its many dazzling beautiful features, and also the methods by which it was lighted, were turned over to the university authorities at their request for use in classes.

Great scientific and engineering interest is attached to the lighting of this set because of the difficulties which had to be overcome in order that the entire interior of the Paradise Club might be illuminated from above. This was nec-

Mute Comes Back; Bullets Convincing

To the ordinary individual the excited signs made by Luther B. Harris to Gilbert Ragsdale might have passed for nothing more than someone's "daily dozen" but Ragsdale got a good laugh out of the conveyed ideas.

Harris, who was in an Austin school for mutes with Ragsdale, was saying he was glad to be back in Midland. Here several days ago with his wife and child to visit his old friend, he went to El Paso "to go into business." While he was in a little hotel in that place rum runners and the border patrol officers staged a serious battle, shots whistling into the little hotel where he was with his family.

As the gestures became less indicative of excitement and more of determination Ragsdale explained, later the friend was telling of his decision to establish a tailor shop in the comparatively quiet town of Andrews.

David Stevens of Fort Worth was in Midland Saturday on his way home from El Paso and Pecos.

these youngsters are really the ones who set standards in dancing. They are the nation's best ballroom dancers. Why? Because, dancing as they do two or three times a week, they make a fetish of devising meticulous, exquisitely graceful steps. With their lithe youth and grace, they combine a conservative lack of ostentation that is tremendously pleasing.

Older folks try open dances that are showy. But the younger dancers, dancing at smart places at tea-time and in the evening, exhibit a satisfactory restraint and reveal clean-cut, smooth, beautiful steps. If they still dance the fast fox trot, they take it as easily as possible, holding a step now and then for sweet variety's sake.

The changing dance tells us that the post-war period of staccato and exaggeration is past. The obvious has no standing today, the subtle and elusive is what attracts. With the flapper's death-knell, the brief, straight-line costume and abrupt, slap-stick manner of that period, quiet voices are preferred, courtesy is again with us and all augurs for more beauty and leisure. Dances tell us this.

Rudy Valee's crooning voice, new long skirts, the introduction of more formal occasions and more formal manners, the new slow steps of grace in dancing, all there are of one piece.

They bespeak a new age that ushers in more subtlety and grace. Also more individuality. Because of this very premium on individuality, the importance in knowing new dancing steps can be seen. In order to do justice to your own personality, you should not dance the same old

Young-Watson Wedding Solemnized Sunday Evening

Miss Retta Young, Midland, and Mr. Saverio H. Watson, Mineral Wells, were principals in one of the loveliest weddings of the year. Sunday evening, in the Presbyterian church, which was filled to capacity with friends of the bride.

The church was beautifully decorated in pink and green with the front of the choir loft banked with palms and ferns and centered with a white basket of pink carnations tied with tulle. Two floor baskets filled with blooming pink azaleas were placed on the steps on each side.

Before the ceremony, Mr. Ned Watson played on the violin "Oh Promise Me," and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," both accompanied on the piano by Miss Lydie Watson.

As the processional Mr. and Miss Watson played Mendelssohn's Wedding March, and during the ceremony they played "Those Endearing Young Charms." The Mendelssohn March was played as the bridal party left.

Rev. Thomas D. Murphy entered from the vestry, followed by the groom accompanied by F. R. Young, best man, and waited for the bride at the altar. Mrs. F. R. Young, dressed in a pink taffeta gown of ankle length with trimmings and accessories in green, carrying an arm bouquet of pink roses and ferns entered from the left aisle, followed by the two flower girls, Misses Lois Murphy and Millie Lovell Young, attired in pink georgette and carrying pink and green baskets, tied with bows of tulle, with showers of lilies of the valley and satin ribbon. They strewed the pathway of the bride with pink rose petals.

The bride entered on the arm of her father, Paul L. Young. She was beautiful in white bride's satin of uneven hem length trimmed with rare old lace, and wore a veil of cap effect bordered with lace. The train was also bordered with lace and satin. Miss Young's bouquet was bride's roses and lilies of the valley with a shower of lilies of the valley and ribbon.

The beautiful and impressive ceremony was performed by the Rev. Murphy, pastor of the bride.

Immediately after the wedding, the bride and groom left for a ten-day wedding trip to San Antonio and other towns. They will be at home in Mineral Wells upon their return. The bride was lovely in a going away gown of transparent blue velvet, with accessories matching.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Messrs. and Meses. A. J. Braden, Los Angeles, H. M. Clark, McCamey, F. R. Young and daughter, Millie Lovell, Dermott, Arkansas, Meses. R. W. Wallace of Mineral Wells, and John Birdwell, Mineral Wells.

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HELLO! HOW'S THAT? LAREDO, Tex. Feb. 17. (P)—A cow riding the running board of an automobile is unusual. But such a sight was afforded L. J. Sorrell and his father, W. A. Sorrell, while they were returning to their home here from Corpus Christi, they said.

As the father and son were driving, cattle nearby were frightened by a passing train. One of the cows was said to have dashed toward the highway, jumped upon the running board of the Sorrell car and to have ridden about 50 feet before jumping off and running away.

The Laredo man said they did not know whether they or the cow was most excited. Miss Boley Rogers of Post was in Midland Sunday.

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Thursday Rainbow Club meets with Mrs. B. G. Graf at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Graf will serve luncheon at one.

Friday The Entre Nous Club meets at 7:30 p. m. with Miss Theresa Klaproth.

Belmont Bible class meets with Mrs. S. R. Stange, 606 South Main street.

Saturday Ladies of the Christian church will have a fruit sale beginning at 10 o'clock at M system No. 2.

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"What's the News?"

WHEN COLUMBUS and his caravals returned from the New World, the first question shouted from the shore was, "What's the news?"

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Today, you find the answer in your newspaper. Through the newspapers the news of the world and of the community quickly becomes public knowledge. And remember this—it takes two kinds of news to make a modern newspaper complete.

The first tells of happenings near and far—of fires, sports, elections, accidents, marriages, deaths, great men, great events.

The second tells of things you eat, wear and use—things you buy, things being sold to your friends and neighbors. This news is advertising.

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Advertising is an essential news service. It is distinctly to your advantage to be guided by it

Talented Children Entertain Students

A group of local children between the ages of three and five entertained this morning for students of the Junior high school with songs recitations and dancing.

The little folks were Jimmy Noland, Dewey Stokes, Jr., Doris Lynn Pemberton, Billy Brown, Lois Murphy, and Frances Lynn Meeks.

They were so well received in their entertainment that the Junior high students asked for another program of the same nature on Thursday of next week.

BIG SPRING.—Awards for service during the football season consisting of sweaters, blankets, gold footballs and three silver footballs as tokens of honorable service were presented to Big Spring high school athletes Friday afternoon.



Graceful, slower dances attuned to the new modes in music and dress will be described by Arthur Murray (above), noted dancing instructor, in a series of twelve articles which he has written for The Reporter-Telegram and NEA Service. Follow "Stepping in Style" daily in this newspaper.

clean cut, svelt movement to it unrelated to the short, staccato, rather fussy steps of the Victorian age, quite characteristic of the difference between the world's mood today and yesterday.

Society people are perfecting new waltz combinations of steps, danced to slow music. Collegiates are doing the same thing, only better. As go collegiates, so goes America. For

FRENCH PILOTS TEST SCHNEIDER CUP RACE SHIPS

PARIS, Feb. 17. (UP).—For several months two of the best racing airplane pilots in all France have been mysteriously carrying on a series of experiments in a little camp hidden in the pine trees of the Landes.

The men are Sadi Lecointe and Paillard and so successful have they been in keeping their experiments a secret that they were there for more than a month before they were discovered.

But now the purpose of their romantically concealed work has come to light—they are working on a racing seaplane with which they hope to bring victory to their country in the Schneider Cup races scheduled for next summer. Last year the manufacturers failed to turn out France's entries for the races in time and so this year experiments have been started 10 months before the contest in order to insure that they will be ready.

The test planes are being flown, and are carefully guarded as the war plans of any ancient monarch, in the 10 mile basin at Hourtin, near Bordeaux. After a period of experiment, a larger motor is installed in each plane and it is hoped to gradually work the planes up to a speed of 500 kilometers, or approximately 300 miles an hour.

Seeks Drugs Here; Get "Monkey Blood"

Two men were lodged in jail Thursday after they, it is alleged, broke into a room of the Thomas building and removed property belonging to a doctor.

The men were apprehended in another room by Eugene Franklin, negro porter, who told officers they were using mercurochrome in an injector, evidently under the belief they were forcing drugs into their systems.

The porter followed the men and appealed to an officer. The men were arrested and placed in jail.

Skin Game Has No Luck For Youths

The old \$20 skin-game failed to work when four youths from San Antonio were taken into custody here Friday afternoon.

The boys went into a filling station to buy gasoline. One of them is said to have given the proprietor a \$20 bill. As change was made another rushed in, the proprietor said to officers, and threw down some change, which got mixed in some way with that being given out of the cash drawer of the station.

After the boys had gone in a large automobile towards Midland, the man who had waited on them found he had "short-changed" himself. He got into the car and drove to Midland, where he had officers detain the youths.

All were placed in the county jail, but two were released when Stanton authorities arrived. The other two were taken to jail in Stanton. No charges had been filed.

April 8 Set For Dawson Election

LAMESA.—Dawson county's next road bond election will be held April 8, it was decided during a recent meeting of the county commissioners court here. The court acted on petitions signed by 275 taxpayers calling for a \$600,000 program to pave the two state highways in the county. An educational program has been started by the Dawson County Good Roads association to inform voters of this county of a need for a paved road system in Dawson. Very little opposition has been evident towards this county's second effort to pave her roads.

Today's Puzzlers

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- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Remedy for poison.
 - 8 Confined.
 - 12 Back.
 - 13 Writing implement.
 - 14 One who inherits.
 - 15 Withered.
 - 16 Organ of sound.
 - 17 Partner.
 - 18 Having a handle.
 - 20 Prickly pear.
 - 24 To talk over-much of one's self.
 - 28 Used.
 - 30 Pertaining to an ode.
 - 31 Terete.
 - 33 Not fit.
 - 34 Kind of type.
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Poison.
 - 2 Horn.
 - 3 Sailor.
 - 4 Wrath.
 - 5 To unclose.
 - 6 To harass.
 - 7 To incense.
 - 8 Carriage.
 - 9 Snaky fish.
 - 10 Nothing.
 - 11 To attempt.
 - 18 Vigilant.
 - 19 Subject of a discourse.
 - 21 Unit.
 - 22 Play in words.
 - 23 Workman.
 - 25 Fish.
 - 26 Hissing sound.
 - 27 Copies.
 - 29 Rang & telephone number.
 - 32 Aromatic spice.
 - 35 Article.
 - 36 Legal suit.
 - 37 Constable's title.
 - 38 Country's title.
 - 40 To lower.
 - 41 Since.
 - 42 Slur.

SATURDAY'S ANSWER

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65 PLANES IN 15 DAYS AT SLOAN FIELD; LAST YEAR 12; 4 IN '28

"Just a simple row of figures, but you can see from them that Sloan field is getting its share of the ships of the country," Field-manager H. M. Becherer said.

"We have had 65 ships during the fifteen days of this month. For the same number of days last year during February there were twelve. In 1928, during the first fifteen days of February, the month when the port was established, there were only four."

Two government men, Elliot and Barnett, in a J-6 Stearman, and Messrs. Galt and Brown of the Galt-Brown Oil company, in a Buhl were in Saturday up until the early afternoon.

Negro Was Just Passin' Through

An interesting case of "just passin' through" is found in this week's issue of the Odessa News-Times. It refers to a negro who left Midland and got as far as Odessa. He

was brought back to Midland on a charge which was more-or-less peculiar.

The story goes:

Running his car through a Midland residence, knocking a man, his wife and child out of bed in the middle of the night, and driving on to Odessa without stopping, completed the most unique hit-and-run offense on which Odessa officers have ever arrested a driver. A negro man, driving a new convertible Ford coupe was arrested on these charges here at four o'clock Thursday morning of this week.

Local officers received a call from Midland early Thursday morning, telling of the midnight disaster, and giving a description of the miscreant and his car. Sheriff Webb captured the negro as he drove into town.

The negro was said to have been drinking, and could give a very incoherent explanation of the accident. He claimed his car hung in reverse, and the foot-rod stuck. When he lost control of the car it

backed into the house, and went on through the walls, completely demolishing one end of the residence. Midland officers called at the Ector county jail for the black Thursday morning.

HALL'S LAST DANCE

Ewen Hall and his orchestra closed out musical engagements in Midland Saturday night with the

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TERRELL IMPEACHMENT MAKES FOURTH OUSTER CHARGE IN HISTORY OF TEXAS

By GORDON K. SHEARER, United Press Staff Correspondent.

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 17. (UP).—Effort to impeach State Comptroller Sam Houston Terrell is the fourth impeachment of a state official that has been attempted in Texas.

In two instances impeachment charges have been voted by the House of Representatives. In one of these the charges were sustained by the Senate.

The first attempted impeachment was launched in 1893 against W. L. McCaughey, state land commissioner. The charges were based on the alleged manner of handling lands in Harris, Liberty, Jasper, Newton, Orange, Tom Green, Sterling and Irion Counties. The first was that speculators at Austin were permitted to obtain rights in Harris and Liberty County lands before they were thrown on the market generally. When the charges preferred by the House were tried in the Senate, McCaughey was acquitted.

A record of the proceedings on file in the state library at Austin discloses that one of the charges was the receiving of a silk hat as a present by the head of the sales department of the land office. This hat, it was charged who it was by a Fort Worth citizen who, it was alleged, also presented two other department employees 500 shares each of mining stock.

"We do not find the stock or hat were received with any wrongful purpose," said the House investigating committee, "but severely deprecate the practice of heads of important departments and trusted clerks receiving gratuities from those with whom their office brings them in contact. A favor bestowed usually expects a favor in return."

McCaughey told the committee that a general effort was being made to dispose of the stock and that it was offered generally to

those in the department, including himself, though he declined it. Articles of impeachment were voted in 1917 against Governor James E. Ferguson. W. A. Hanger of Fort Worth defended Governor Ferguson. Charges were voted by the House after being presented by a committee consisting of W. E. Bledsoe of Lubbock, R. L. Carlock of Fort Worth, W. M. Fly of Gonzales, R. E. Thomason of El Paso, E. R. Bryan of Midland, W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi, Bruce Bryant of Haskell, D. S. McMillin of Whitehouse and Barry Miller of Dallas.

The Senate found Ferguson guilty on a number of the counts and ordered his removal from office and barred him from ever after holding state office. Alleged deposits of state funds in a Temple bank in which he was a stockholder and refusal to answer as to the source of a \$156,000 loan were among the counts upon which Ferguson was convicted. Alleged improper interference with duties of regents of the University of Texas was also sustained by the Senate vote. Later an amnesty bill set aside the Senate finding against Governor Ferguson. He was also granted a pardon after Mrs. Miriam Ferguson was elected Governor. The amnesty bill later was repealed.

Effort to impeach the late J. T. Robison, former state land commissioner, last year is the latest preceding impeachment effort in Texas.

The House by overwhelming vote refused to sustain the charges that were presented against the aged commissioner, who had spent half his life in the land department. His death occurred a few months after he had undergone the strain of a long hearing.

The last Shetland ponies are said to have come from Norway.



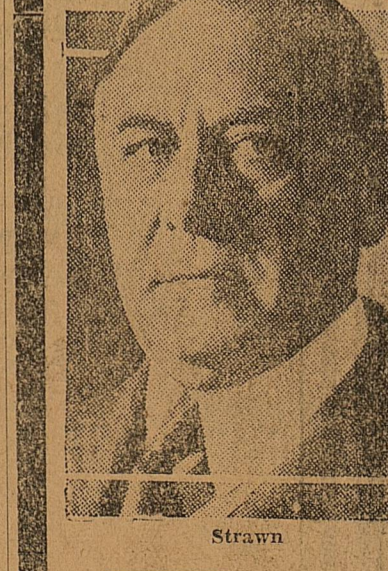
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"Murder Backstairs" opens with a house party at the mansion of the millionaire Berkeleys. The occasion is the announcement of the betrothal of Clorinda Berkeley and Seymour Crosby, a widower with a social background.

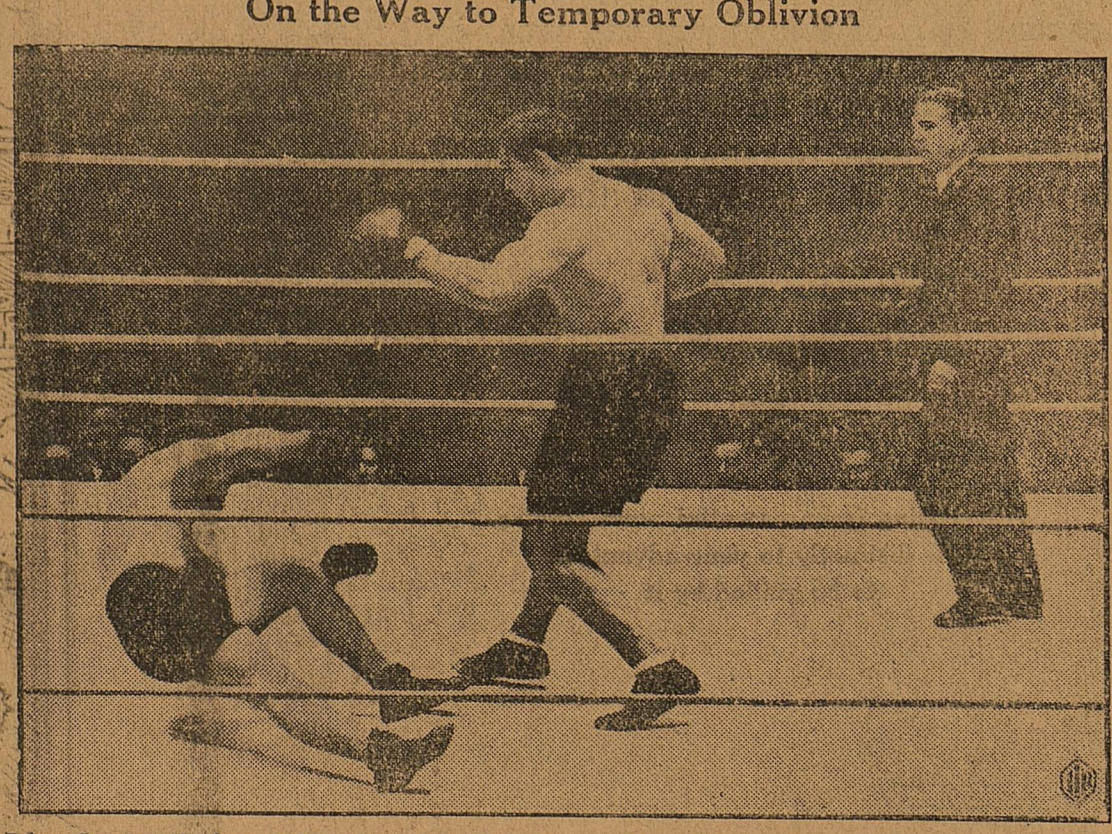
Dundee, who is there as a guest, and to keep an observing eye on the doubtful Crosby, senses trouble the first evening. But he is unable to forestall the tragedy.

The next morning the body of pretty Doris Matthews, lady's maid, is found in the Berkeley swimming pool.

That is the beginning. How Dundee solves the murder, with nothing more tangible than perfume for a clue, makes "Murder Backstairs" as thrilling a mystery as you can hope to read.

Watch for the First Installment Tuesday Feb. 25

The Reporter-Telegram



Primo Carnera, the huge fighter from Italy, just after crashing a left hander to the jaw of Buster Martin, his erstwhile opponent. This occurred in the second of their scheduled ten round bout, and it wrote fins to Martin's attempt to down the huge European battler.

Side Glances by Clark

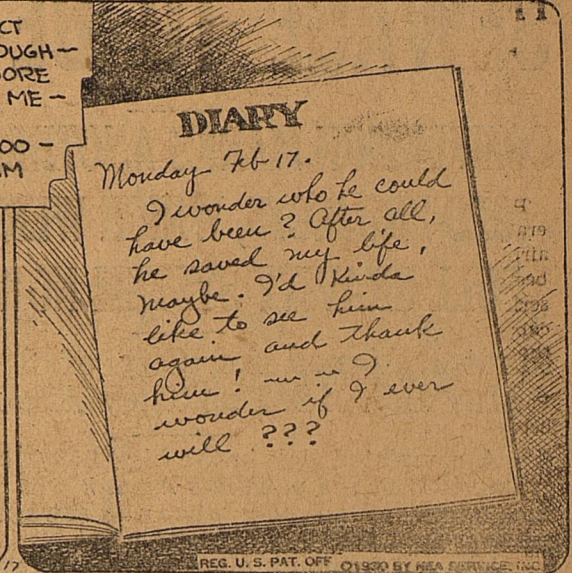
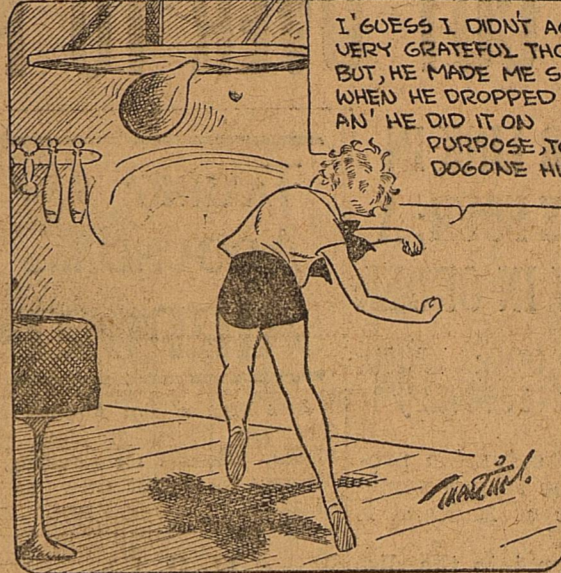
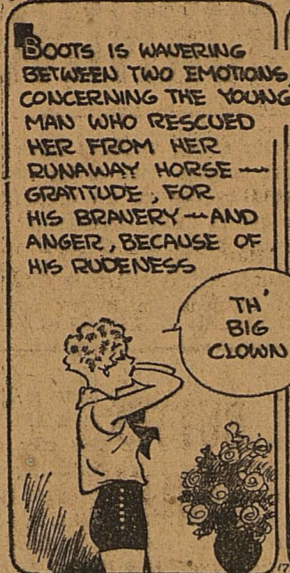
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Boots Is Puzzled

By Martin



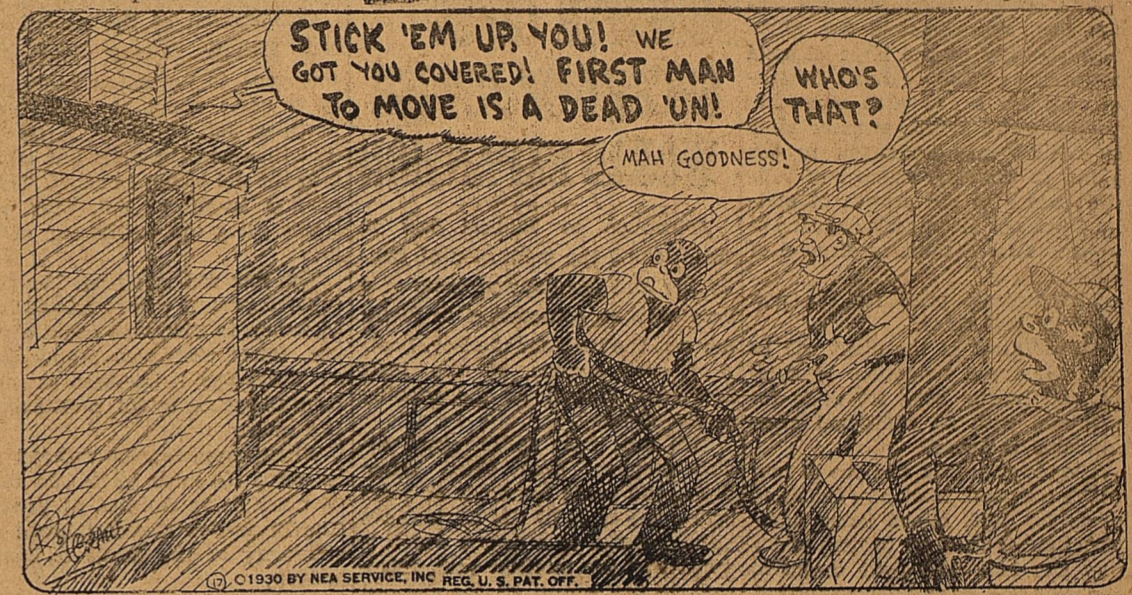
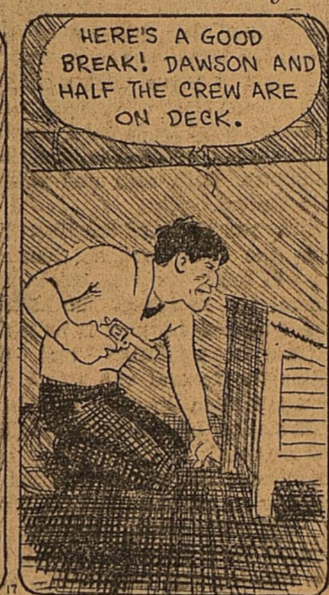
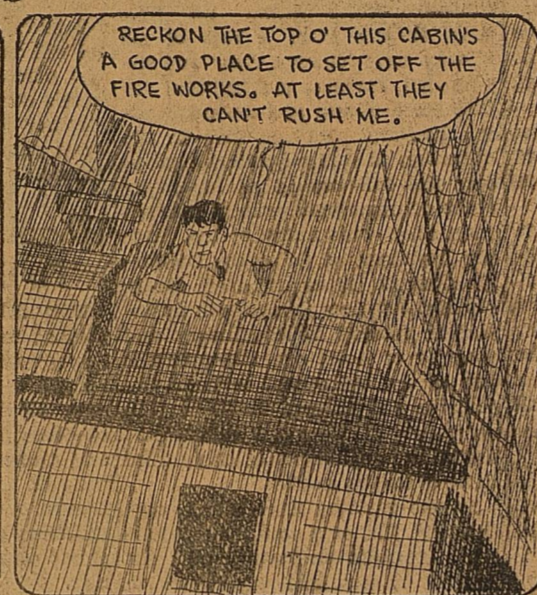
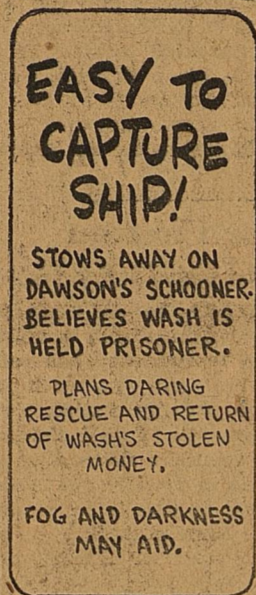
"You're out of pose again! Your elbow was two inches higher."



WASH TUBBS

Easy Gets the Drop

By Crane

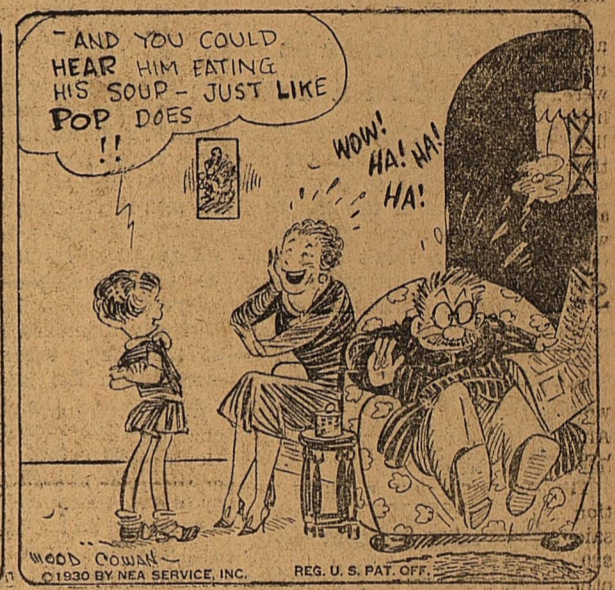
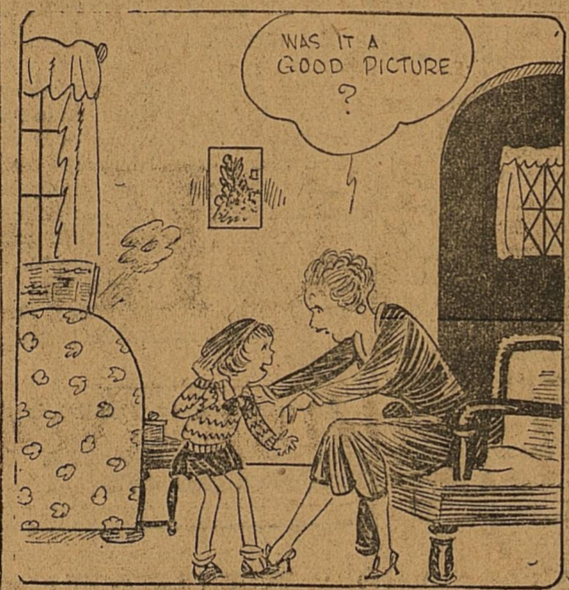


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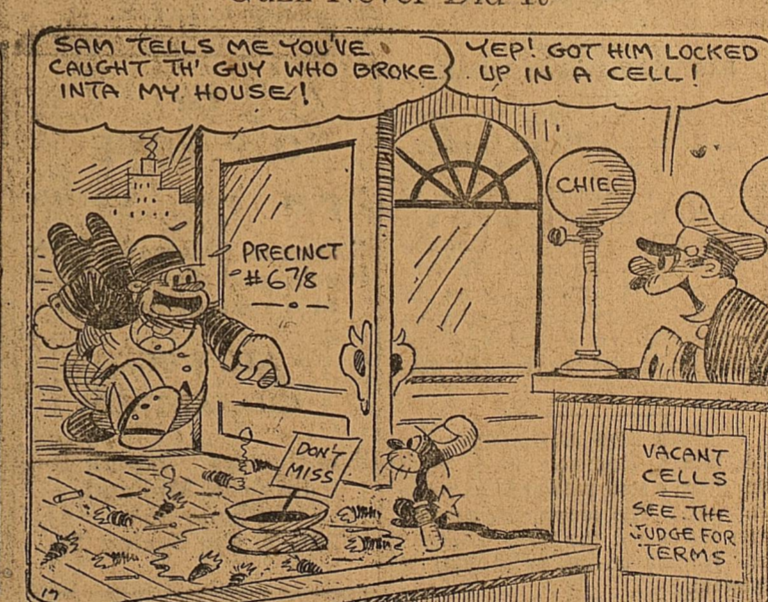
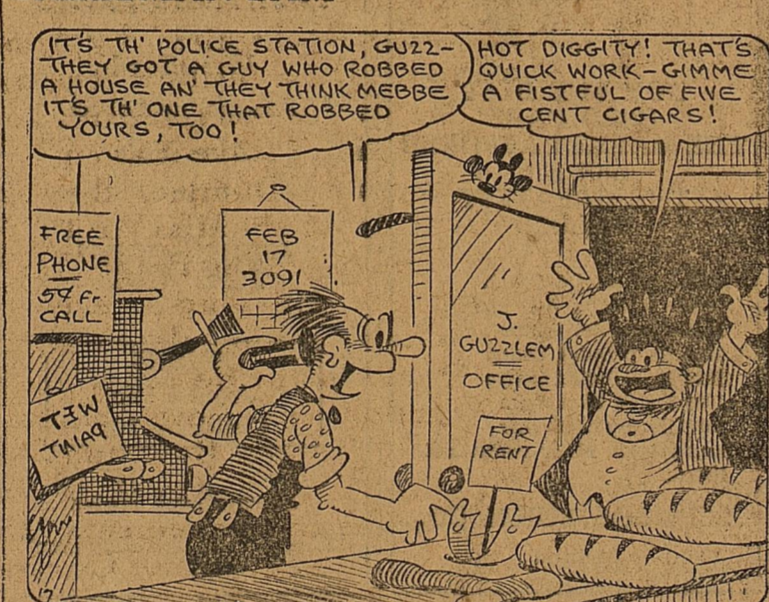
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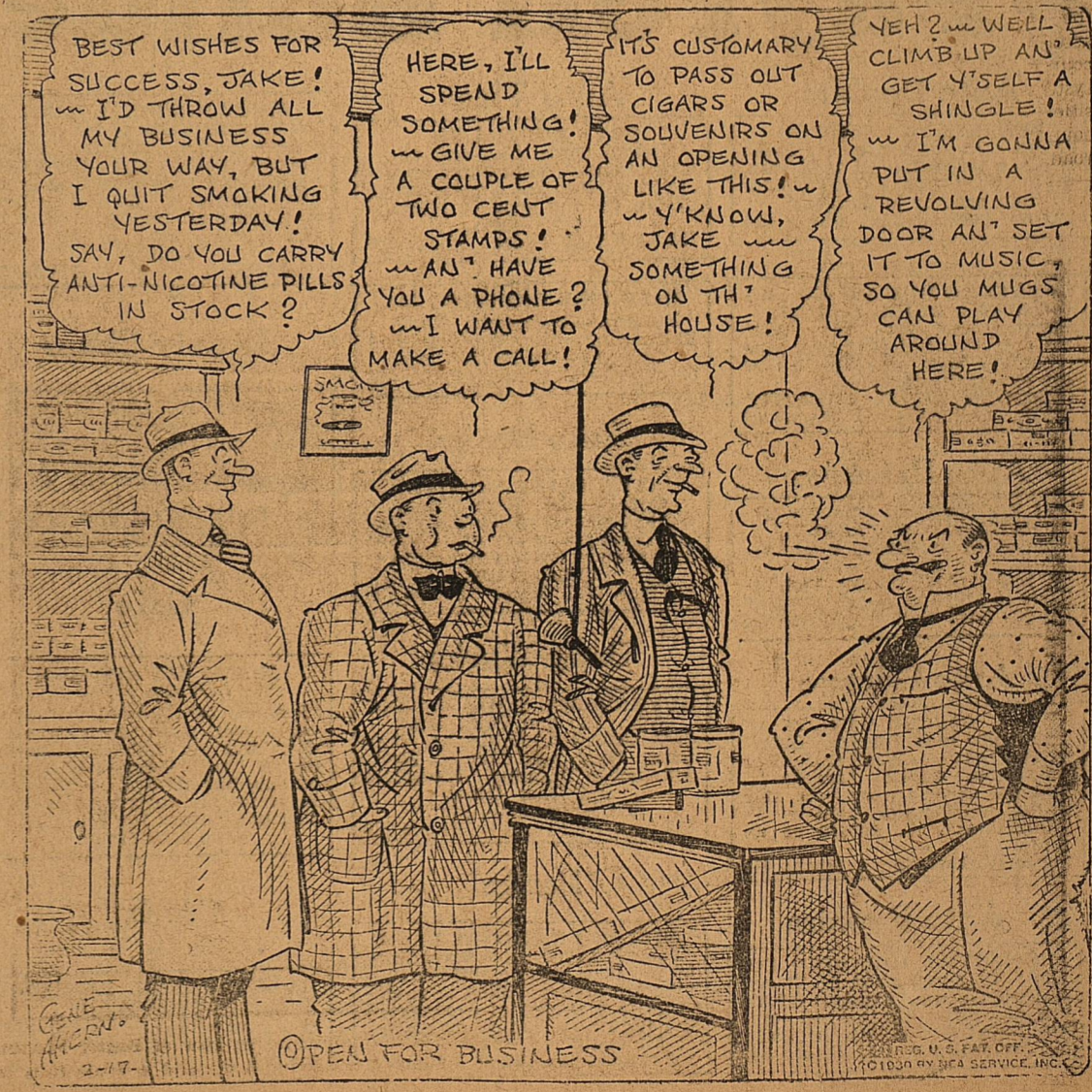


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SEWAGE TO BE CUT OVER TO NEW PLANT THURSDAY MORNING

COMPLETION MARKS ANOTHER LINK IN 1929 PROJECTS, WHICH WERE FOUR; A FULL GRAVITY SYSTEM NOW IN ORDER

Plant Designed for City of 30,000; Units May Be Added as They Are Necessary

A completed link in the big \$260,000 extension program voted at the polls last April 2 will be forged sometime Thursday morning when the sewage of Midland is cut over into the new disposal plant.

The old pumping plant will be thrown into the discard by the new engineering feat, which provides for a complete gravity flow of wastes.

The out-fall mains measure 26,000 feet, approximately five miles. The capacity of the large disposal reservoir is 275,000 gallons. Designated now for a city with maximum population of 30,000, as many units as needed may be added to the plant, so that any number of residents added to the growth of Midland will not inconvenience plans of engineers for a sanitary disposal of waste.

The contract price for the new plant is \$175,358.49.

The effluent at the plant will be used for broad irrigation, 15 acres of land having been set aside for use, and with 30 additional acres available if needed.

The sewer project was one of four which composed Midland's extension plans for 1929, others being additional street lighting, paving, and a new city hall. The light extension and city hall have been completed.

Paving will be hurried through to completion as soon as warm weather allows for laying of asphalt.

Second Addition Is Annexed in a Year

BIG SPRING.—Washington Place, one of Big Spring's restricted additions was annexed to the city at a regular session of the city commission Tuesday night. The annexation came as a result of a petition signed by the citizens residing in Washington Place. About 80 acres is contained in the new addition where a number of new modern brick homes have been erected during the past eighteen months. This is the second addition to be annexed to the city during the past year.

Big Spring Plans A \$300,000 Theatre

BIG SPRING.—Plans are being drawn for a second motion picture theatre in Big Spring that will cost \$300,000 and seat 1,000 people, according to J. Y. Robb, manager of the R. & R. theatres in this city. The R. & R. Theatre corporation completed a play house in Big Spring last year costing \$200,000. It is one of the finest theatres in West Texas architecturally and one of the finest sound houses in the southwest.

HOME FOR MINISTER

LAMESA.—Work began here this week on the \$7,500 Baptist parsonage, part of the local Baptist church this year. The structure will be of yellow face brick and will be constructed on the corner of Katharine and South First streets. The new church building will be located on the same block on the corner of Wasson and South First streets.

MINISTER GIVES SECRET OF JEWISH WORLD EXPANSION

Adherence to Biblical law in maintaining the institution of family life and resultant progress of a rare race so conforming to divine law was the basis for the Rev. Leslie A. Boone's sermon at the First Methodist church at the evening service Sunday.

"We are likely to disregard divine prophecy even when other prophecies made hundreds of years before the birth of the Christ have been executed to a degree which is apparent," the minister said, referring to the spread of the Hebrew race, which was given the promise through Jacob, "Father of the Hebrew nation," that it would spread to the four directions of the earth.

Speaking quietly, with modern simplicity and with conviction, Mr. Boone briefly showed analogy of the epic written of Jacob with conditions which might apply to this area of the West.

"Surely the Lord is in this place," he said in referring to any abstract place on the globe, "Jacob could see no one as he lay there in the shadow of the great faith, with his head pillowed on those flat stones which curiously resembled loaves of bread of that day, those stones which gave Satan the idea of tempting Christ during the 40 days of his fast with the request that they be turned into bread."

"But God was there, and the man who had successfully turned from his family and God—as is a natural sequence when family ties are disrupted—was not alone."

"Knowing God" was the general text developed by Mr. Boone, continuation of the theme to be continued at the eleven-o'clock hour Sunday.

He spoke of the "promise of the dream voice" in the conception of man at every waking moment, showing it to be conviction that before man lies God, and all revealed mysteries of the deity.

"You must know Him in a personal, graphic way—or life will be a hardship for you," he said in closing.

NO 9-O'CLOCK SCHOLAR

LAMESA.—Little Miss Bobbie Dee Hull, nine-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hull of this city, has not been absent or tardy from school during the last three years and her name is very often found on the school's honor roll. She is at present taking her first year in violin and shows unusual talent.

TAXING AROUND THE AIRPORT

Jack Frye of Los Angeles, in a Stearman, landed at Sloan Field Sunday afternoon for refueling, on his way to the air show at St. Louis.

New Rail Line Has Passed Jail

Construction of the new Texas-New Mexico railway line from Cheyenne to Lovington has reached a point about 10 or 12 miles north of Jal, N. M., E. P. Cowden said this morning. The line is well into the Jal ranch territory. Trains operate as far as Jal, with work trains going out to the end of the line.

The line will run from Monahan to Lovington. It was completed from Monahan to Cheyenne about a year ago. Since work has begun about six weeks ago, it has been extended from Cheyenne to Jal, a distance of 10.6 miles.

When completed the railroad will be about 100 miles in length, about 44 miles being finished at present. The Texas-New Mexico railroad is a subsidiary of the Texas & Pacific railway.

The line is expected to be completed by fall.

Air Passenger From Midland on Increase

Midland is taking to the air with alacrity, following price cuts on fare made by S-A-T airline. Field-manager H. M. Becherer's records show:

One hundred and twenty-eight passengers have been taken at Midland since the first of the year. 20 of them during the 15 days of February. Four left Wednesday, George D. McCormick and E. Rollins to Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Spiller to El Paso. Miss Virginia Ferris and Mrs. C. D. Adams flew to Dallas Friday.

One passenger had to be turned away at Sloan field Saturday because of a filled plane. The field manager has written E. I. Nelson, of the Fort Worth office of S-A-T asking that something be done, whether it be by putting trimotored ships on the route or sending more planes daily.

HOOPER BACK AT WORK

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—(P)—Bronzed by the Florida sunshine, rested by a week of fishing, President Hoover returned today to resume his tasks. With his wife and a party of friends he went immediately to the white house. In contrast to warm weather during the past week, the presidential party arrived during one of the most severe spells of cold weather this winter.

JUST FOR AVIATORS

LAMESA.—Lamesa's water tank was given a new coat of black paint this week. The crown was covered with white and the word "Lamesa" was painted on top as a guide to aviators.

EXAMINATION FOR FILLING OFFICE OF POSTMASTER HERE

To fill the vacancy in the position of postmaster in this city, the United States Civil Service Commission has announced, at the request of the Postmaster-General and in accordance with an order of the President, an open competitive examination.

To be eligible for the examination, an applicant must be a citizen of the United States, must reside within the delivery of this post office, must have so resided for at least two years next preceding the date for close of receipt of applications, must be in good physical condition, and within the prescribed age limits. Both men and women are admitted.

Under the terms of the Executive order, the Civil Service Commission will certify to the Postmaster-General the names of the highest three qualified eligibles, if as many as three are qualified, and the Postmaster-General will select one for nomination by the President. Confirmation by the Senate is the final action.

Applicants will not be required to assemble in an examination room for scholastic tests, but will be required on their education and business training and experience. The Civil Service Commission will make inquiry among representative local business and professional men and women concerning the experience, ability, and character of each applicant and will assign ratings upon the evidence secured.

Nothing will be permitted to appear in the evidence upon which ratings are assigned which might even suggest the political affiliation of any candidate.

Full information and application blanks may be obtained from the secretary of the local board of civil-service examiners, Miss Elma Graves, at the post office in this city, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications must be in to Washington by March 11.

The position here has a date of vacancy listed in government records as March 25. Salary is \$3,000.

The world still spends more than four and a half billion dollars a year on armaments, two-thirds of which is spent by Europe and one-sixth by America.

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Hotel Publication Finds Use For Jury

Arthur G. Jury, manager for Hotel Scharbauer, was in the "play of the limelight" in the Fort Worth Hotel Greeters' Guide last week with the following story printed with his photograph:

After spending a few days in Dallas and Fort Worth attending to business in connection with his resumption of the management of the enlarged and improved Scharbauer Hotel at Midland, Mr. Jury left this week to take charge of that model West Texas hostelry February 15.

Mr. Jury, who opened the Scharbauer in 1923 and conducted it with marked success during its first year, returns after a rest of six months with renewed vigor and enthusiasm. He sees a wonderful future for Midland and its outstanding hostelry, and will give to the operation of this magnificent property the full benefit of his many years of experience gained through connection with many of the leading hoteliers of Colorado, California, Florida, Texas and other states.

For Mr. Jury has always been an intense student of the theory and practice of hotel operation; and is one of the old school of hotel executives who believes that a hotel to be worthy of the name should furnish accommodations of every kind desired for its guests.

In the catering department, particularly, Mr. Jury has been peculiarly fortunate in having had the benefit of practical experience in some of the most famous of New York City, the Richmond County Country Club on Staten Island, where he acquired the reputation of being one of the most expert caterers of the metropolitan district.

Midland is fortunate in securing the services of a man who is destined to play an important part in the growth in population and public favor of this fortunately situated city, where railroad, highway and airway join in bringing to it travelers from every part of the American continent—men and women who are accustomed to the best in hotel service, and capable of appreciating the perfection of hospitality which Mr. Jury's many years of experience and study of every department of the hotel enables him to dispense. Coupled with a pleasing

Hotel Publication Finds Use For Jury

personality which radiates friendliness and couples with it an efficiency and ability as an organizer that is felt in every department of the service from the Greeter who receives the guest and assigns him to his apartment to the maids and bellboys who are ever ready to meet the slightest wish of the patron of the hotel.

And Mr. Jury is more than a hotel man. He is a citizen foremost in every public move in the city of his residence for the upbuilding of the community. He has occupied the highest offices in Rotary and in the Masonic bodies, and in a former vice-president of the Texas Hotel Association, a Greeter and a Chamberlain of Commerce worker.

It is our prediction that the latest addition to the Scharbauer Hotel will be found inadequate to meet the demands of an expanding clientele as the days go by, and a still Greater Scharbauer will rear its crest still higher in the not distant future.

Regular Firemen To Be On Duty Now

BIG SPRING.—In an effort to combat fires more readily the Big Spring fire department has arranged to have five men on night duty at the city fire station. Two of these men will be paid firemen and three volunteer firemen. It is believed that in most instances the five men will be able to extinguish the fires or to hold the blaze in check until volunteer firemen arrive.

Machinery Arrives For R. R. Terminal

BIG SPRING.—Two carloads of machinery and equipment to be used by the construction crew in erecting the new Texas and Pacific railway terminal has been received and is now being unloaded. A pile driver was among the equipment and work will begin early next week driving 3,000 piles. The program calls for the erection of a concrete and steel viaduct, thirteen new buildings built of frame, steel and brick and additional trackage facilities.

The peninsula of Yucatan is so hollow that in many places the surface of the soil resounds to blows, like a great drum.

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LAST TIMES TODAY

Wm. Boyd
Jacqueline Logan
Alan Hale
in
"THE COP"

PRICES
Adults 15c
Children 10c

Paramount News
"Caught in the Kitchen"

Dallas Cotton Market

Cotton declined around \$1.50 bale during first half session as result of continued liquidation influenced by unfavorable action foreign market, weakness of other commodity markets and failure constructive news from Washington farm board activity.

Liverpool came weak. Market opened steady 10 to 16 lower, followed steady decline. Late morning March New York 15.49, May 15.75, July 15.94, October 16.12, or 31 to 33 points net lower. Small recovery at midday. Noon calls steady 21 to 28 net lower. Cables Liverpool, 10 to 13 lower, against 1 to 5 lower as due. Market close quiet, steady, 10 to 13 net lower or 1 to 5 points over day's low levels.

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