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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

The announcement yesterday by Senator Tom Connally that he will support the amendment to the tariff bill, calling for a duty of \$1 a barrel on crude oil, is proof that the people will have a voice in the government.

Tom Connally is representing Texas, and he, without doubt, wants to know what Texas needs in legislative matters. The petitions, personal visits and requests, letters and telegrams from his constituents, calling for his aid in the oil tariff fight, convinced him that he should support the measure to protect the independent oil men of the southwest.

Connally's vote in the senate is just one, but it is another step toward securing legislation that may save the life of the independent oil producer, the prime mover in oil development of the southwest.

CRIMINAL TRIALS ON THE AIR

The Russians may be a misguided people, but they do have ideas. The other day the Soviet government decided to root out the ancient Russian practice of wife-beating.

So they arrested a wife-beater, took him to court and tried him; and—here is where the big idea comes in—they broadcast the proceedings by radio, so that any radio fan in all the Russias could tune in if he wanted to.

There is a notion this country might copy. Our big criminal trials sometimes seem to be conducted more for their entertainment value than in the interests of even-handed justice; so why not put 'em on the air and be done with it? It might not help convict the guilty and protect the innocent, but at least it would give a jaded American public a new thrill.

A COMMON SCOLD

The news that a New Jersey woman has been convicted of being "a common scold" has an anachronistic ring, somehow. It carries one back to colonial days, with the ducking stool as the penalty for the woman who raised too great a disturbance.

But there is something grimly satisfying in this news, at that. It may be out of date, old-fashioned and all that; but, honestly, now—haven't you, at one time or another in your life, lived near some unrestrained female who stood in need of just such a trial and conviction?

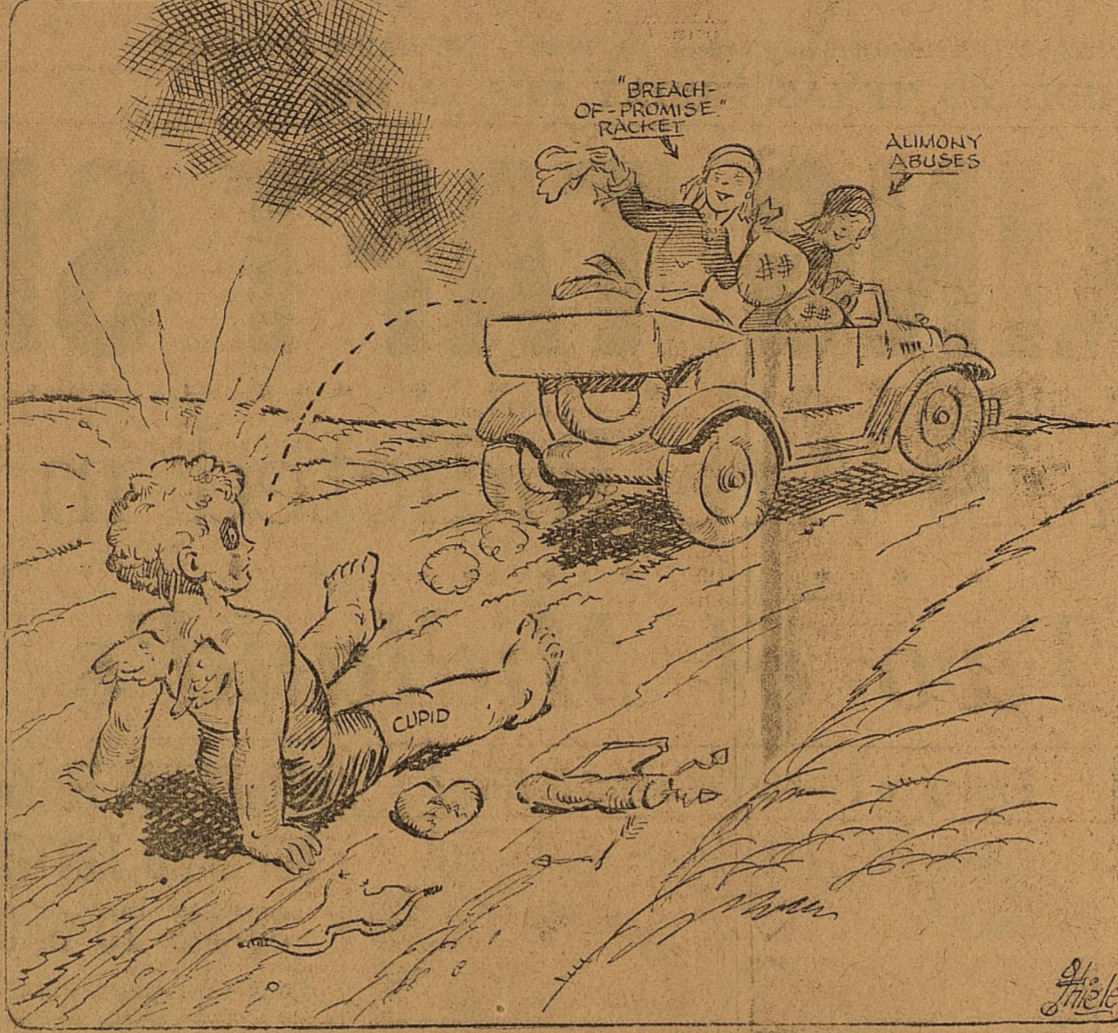
If you haven't you have missed one of those experiences that come to nearly everyone. The world holds a few people who are just naturally too cantankerous for any earthly use. And it might be added that not all of them are women, either.

ERRORGRAMS

Illustration of a grocery store scene with various produce items like celery, oranges, and potatoes. A woman is talking to a man about a scale. The man says, 'I can go only by what the scale says, lady.' The woman replies, 'Well, it doesn't look like nine pounds to me!' There are also signs for 'Fruits and Vegetables' and 'Dadagenti'.

There are at least four mistakes in each of the above picture. They may be per-mistakes you find, and 20 for the fun to grammar, history, etiquette, word if you unscramble it. Today, find word below -- and unscramble on back page, we'll explain the mistake by switching the letters around, takes and tell you the word. Then find them. Then look at the scram- you can see how near a hundred you are or whatnot. See if you can beat.

Taken for a Ride!



WASHINGTON LETTER

If You Think the "Red Menace" Has Died Down, You Should Listen to the Vigilant Sentinels of the Republic—There's Mischief Afoot, Depend on It, Even in Congress.

By RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The super-patriotic societies with headquarters in Washington, which haven't been very happy since President Hoover demanded an investigation of William B. Shearer and since Secretary of State Stimson allowed Count Karolyi to enter the country, have often been attacked for their tendency to exaggerate the menaces of Communism and Socialism.

In the past their favorite sport has been to paint frightening pictures of "red webs" in which the attempt was made to link Moscow with various liberal organizations.

But times change and there seem to be worse bogies pressing upon us. One may turn, for instance, to the list of legislative policies recently adopted by the Sentinels of the Republic, one of the most militant super-patriotic groups.

The Reds in Congress The Sentinels, apparently forgetting Moscow for the moment, have about decided that the most dangerous enemies of our glorious institutions are to be found at the White House and in the halls of Congress. The doctory Sentinels, in short, have turned their muskets on about every piece of progressive and humanitarian legislation proposed or passed in recent years.

On general principles, the Sentinels oppose any attempt to revive the Child Labor amendment and any uniform divorce amendment to the Constitution, or any amendment invading "the rights now reserved to the states and to the people."

Specifically, they then take issue with President Hoover and the government. They would abolish the Children's Bureau, the Woman's Bureau, the Home Economics Bureau and the Bureau of Vocational Education as "useless or moral." All these bureaus are now part of the government and seldom receive any criticism except for loud cheers. The object of them is, generally, to help people and improve the standards of living.

The Sentinels also oppose the proposed revival of the Sheppard-Towner Maternity Act, despite the recommendation of President Hoover that the work be continued. This is based on the assertion that the fields of maternity and infant hygiene and protection properly belong to the states, though 45 of the 48 states co-operated with the federal government in its administration.

"We oppose the establishment of a Federal Department of Education, or the enlargement of the functions of the existing Federal Office of Education," say the Sentinels.

"We oppose the further appropriation of funds from the federal treasury in aid of educational projects in the several states."

"We oppose the Brand bill appropriating \$100,000,000 annually to state contributing equal amounts for the purpose of co-operating with the states in payment of salaries and other expenses of elementary schools in rural areas."

"We oppose other so-called 'child welfare' measures." "We oppose all so-called '50-50' or 'federal aid' legislation by which the federal government

The Town Quack

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

lot and other valuable contributions. It's about time some baby boy makes his entry at the town of Badger.

Gilbert Rasdale has been tipped off that Bob Blevins mooched a peanut from Gilbert's stand Wednesday night, and Bob is considerably under suspicion.

A Georgia man drove out in his car one afternoon, and wound up at the police station under the following charges: reckless driving, running into another automobile, failing to stop after the accident, running into another automobile and failing to stop, exceeding the speed limit, operating a car under the influence of liquor, and being drunk.

That reminds me of the fellow who filed a complaint against another citizen, saying on the stand, "He called me a contemptible fool, a dead-beat and a jack-ass, all of which I certify to be true."

Letters to the Editor

Mr. Editor: Having missed my Sunday paper I have only just had my attention called to an article by Dr. Thomas in that paper on the matter of audit of school funds. Though late, I wish to make a few observations in this same connection.

In the first place, the Doctor's idea of an audit seems to be to search out questionable or dishonest acts. This is far from the proper and full meaning of a real audit. Should there be any irregularities they would and should be revealed, of course. But those sponsoring the request for audit have never intimated to me that they expect such an outcome.

Rather, an audit furnishes the proper basis for constructive criticism of any business. Since the criticism has been up, I have asked a number of our outstanding business men how they value audit in their respective businesses. In every case the answer came back that without it they would not remain with their various institutions. It furnishes the only safe basis for constructive criticism.

Furthermore, let us say there is suspicion and distrust in some quarters. Nothing will allay this and set the public mind at ease like a thorough and painstaking audit by outside men trained in the business with no local bias or prejudice. For that reason only a regular accredited and bonded accountant should be used for the work.

One can see that such a study would reveal spots of least efficiency. Surely the Doctor would not contend that every dollar has been equally well spent. Properly diagnosed is half cured in business inefficiency as in bodily ills. By all means let us have the diagnosis.

The prime object, as I gather it, is to go into all transactions, making a close and painstaking analysis of every item, in the hope that perchance a way might be found to lighten our mounting tax burden, and buy the most possible with our money.

Therefore, in order to have a proper basis for constructive criticism; to reveal irregularities, if any; to allay suspicion and distrust; to secure the greatest possible efficiency in the expenditure of public funds; to promote mutual confidence and unity for the many civic tasks ahead in city building and community building, let us by all means have the audit requested. F. F. ELKIN.

Murder Backstairs

BEGIN HERE TODAY

When Dick Berkeley, his former classmate at Yale, invites Detective Bonnie Dundee to spend the weekend at the home of his millionaire parents the detective accepts, because Seymour Crosby is also a house guest. And he tucks his detective badge into his suitcase.

CHAPTER IV

The wide front hall of the Berkeley mansion extended beyond the immense circular staircase of white marble, which wound upward to the third floor, with a broad landing on the second. A few feet behind the staircase the hall ended in a wall with an ordinary-sized door opening into what Dundee knew must be the mysterious regions of "backstairs," devoted to the butler's pantry, back hall, servants' sitting and dining rooms and kitchen.

Now that door stood slightly ajar. And from it came sounds which caused Dundee to abandon, temporarily, his search for the library and its telephone.

"Please, Mr. Dick! Let me go! If your mother saw us—No, no! I shan't dance with you!" It was a girl's voice, high, sweet, flurried, unmistakably British. And the only answer to that frantic pleas was a tipsy, exultant laugh.

"Oh, Lord! Dick up to his old tricks!" Dundee shrugged disgustedly, and, on impulse, jerked open the door and plunged into the narrow backstairs hall.

The detective's first impression of the girl was that she was fairly-small and slight and blond, Pale-gold hair curled about her delicately flushed little face, and was knotted in a shining bun on the nape of her slender neck. Her dark-blue eyes were wide with genuine fear as she black-clad body strained to release itself from the embrace of the drunken son of her mistress. But Dick, his reddish-brown hair falling in dark wisps across his sweat-beaded forehead, snatched the girl closer and forced her to follow his shambling dance steps. The languorous notes of "The Pagan Love Song" from the radio penetrated sufficiently to animate his groggy legs.

"Say you'll meet me when that beastly crew in there's gone to bed, and I'll let you go!" "Hello, Dick!" Dundee sang out from the threshold, as he pulled the door to. "Sorry to intrude, but will you tell me where I can find a telephone?" "Sure! Butler's pantry. First door on your left," Dick Berkeley answered, his feet halting but his arms holding the straining girl more closely against his breast. "Just a minute, old man! Wait! you to meet pretties' girl in Hamilton—Miss Doris Matthews, ladies' maid to Abbie and Clorinda. At's funny, ain't it? Ladies' maid—"



"I've got a funny pricking of the scalp. If I were a woman I'd say I had a premonition."

the crumpled apron, before she turned and fled up the backstairs. "Listening in? Wickett? Good show, wasn't it? But listen, Stone-Face, you'd better mind your own business—see?" And Dick Berkeley lurched toward the butler who stood in the door of his pantry.

"Yes, sir," Wickett answered, but his eyes spoke so black a hate that a shudder rippled along Dundee's already overwrought nerves. "You wish to use the telephone, Mr. Dundee? I'll show you to the library, sir."

"Thank you, Wickett," and the detective rather sheepishly followed the butler from the backstairs hall to the library, a fair-sized room overlooking the west lawn, and directly opposite the wide arched doorway leading into the drawing room.

Rather to his surprise, Dundee found the library remarkably well stocked with books of all kinds, most of which looked as if they had been read. Which of the Berkeleys was a bookworm, he wondered, Gigi? Probably. But the shabby books were not the sort to appeal to a 15-year-old girl, George Berkeley? Most likely. Rather curiously, Dundee selected a novel by Henry James, and found pasted on its flyleaf an impression from a woodblock bookplate—Ex libris George Berkeley—and below it, in faded ink, a date of 10 years before. And the book had been read not once but many times.

"I knew I liked George Berkeley," he grinned to himself, as he lifted the receiver from the hook of the telephones on the broad desk in the middle of the room.

A minute later, "Captain Strawn, please. Dundee speaking. Hello, chief. Dundee reporting." "Hello, boy!" came back Captain Strawn's heavy voice. "Having a good time with the swells?" "A good time? That rates a laugh!" Dundee retorted and obliged with a curt bark that did not sound at all amused. "Listen, chief! Can you send one of the boys over to The Morning News and get me a complete resume of the Crosby case? Although it happened in London, I rather imagine every city in the United States carried a leased wire report of the affair and the inquest, the Crosbys being who they were. . . . About 13 months ago, I believe. . . . Thanks, chief. And have it mailed to me in a plain envelope." "What's up, boy?" Strawn asked curiously, after the request had been granted.

"Probably nothing, but—I've got a funny pricking of the scalp. If I were a woman I'd say I had a premonition. . . . Night, sir." When he returned to the drawing room, where the air was heavily with the perfume Gigi had so foolishly wasted, he found that Dick had not rejoined the party. A new tune, something about "tipping through the tulips," was throbbing from the radio cabinet, and Clorinda and her fiance, Seymour Crosby, were dancing alone, with grave perfection.

(To Be Continued)

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WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALFHALE WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Class Holds Election Of Officers At Social

The Martha Fidells class was entertained with a social Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Blake Chapman...

During a short business session, Mrs. M. L. Layton, C. C. Hiett, Claude White, Blake Chapman, Fred Chapman, H. S. Collins, and Ed Darnell were elected to fill the various offices.

A number of jolly games filled a pleasant afternoon. St. Patrick colors were reflected in a party plate served by the hostesses.

It was decided to hold the next social, which will be in three weeks, at the home of Mrs. H. S. Collins, with Mrs. W. E. Anderson as co-hostess.

Guests were Mrs. S. R. Stange, J. C. Hudman, W. E. Anderson, G. D. Fuller, J. O. Vance, W. E. Collier, G. H. Haltom, Clarence Ligon, N. M. Robertson, R. C. Osborne, M. L. Layton, James Hiett, C. George, Ed Darnell, C. V. Dale, Joe D. Chambers, C. D. Hodges, R. H. Galloway, H. S. Collins, and Fred Chapman.

Large Crowd Expected At Entertainment

The first program to be given by students of the Fine Arts teachers will begin promptly at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and will last one hour.

Everyone is invited to attend the entertainment, which will be staged at the Yucca theatre, and which consists of readings, dancing, vocal, piano, violin, and cornet solos.

Students from the classes of Miss Leena McCormick, Lydia Watson, Flora Barnes, Mmes. Paul T. Vickers, Emily Cannon, C. W. Post, M. F. Peters, and Messrs. Wallace Wimberly and Ned Watson will be featured.

Society Studies Shakespeare

The Delphian society held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. O. Garlington, with Mrs. J. M. White as leader of the study on the subject, "Shakespeare's Contemporaries and Followers."

Well-written topics were given as follows: "Shakespeare and his fellow dramatists"—Mrs. Carroll Hill. "Philaster"—Mrs. R. A. Verdier. "The Maid's Tragedy"—Mrs. A. J. Gates.

The next meeting of the society will be on March 13 with Mrs. Carroll Hill.

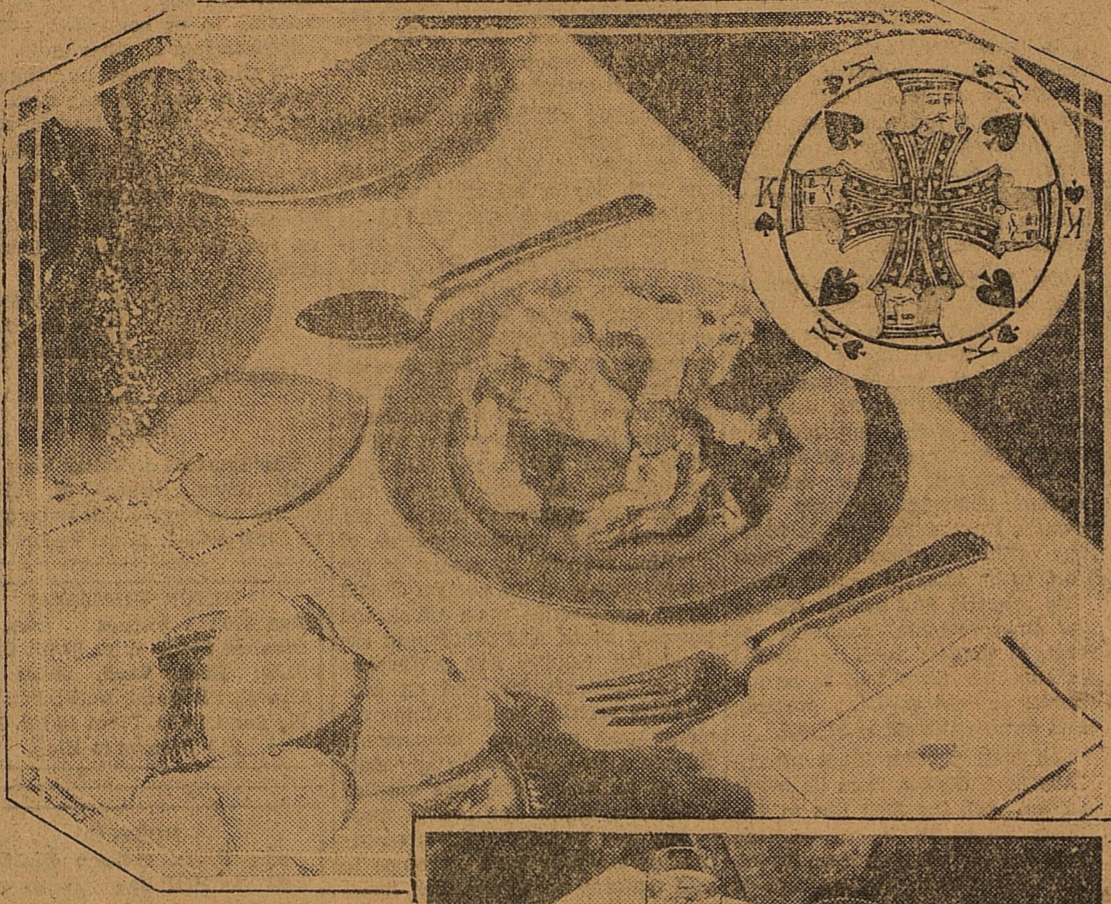
Announcements

Saturday The Loyal workers of the Methodist church meet with Miss Annie Faye Dunagan at 7 p. m.

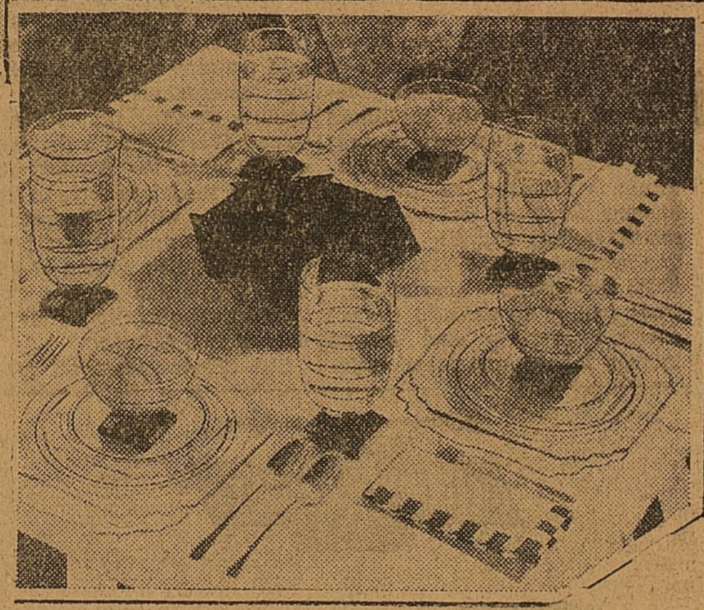
The Fine Arts Teachers club will present a number of pupils in a program at the Yucca at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Petroleum Club is to have a dance for members and guests of the oil fraternity, from nine until one at Hotel Scharbauer.

NEW AND NOVEL APPOINTMENTS LIFT BRIDGE PARTY OUT OF COMMONPLACE



The "suit" table, illustrated above, is a new novelty for bridge parties. Here the heart motif is borne out in sandwiches, candy, place cards, ash trays, etc.



St. Patrick's Party For Thursday Club

The Thursday club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. J. Moore Thursday afternoon.

A color scheme of green and white was favored, with St. Patrick's designs featured in decorations and bridge appointments.

Mrs. A. V. Edmonson held high score and Mrs. J. A. Finlayson cut high. Mrs. C. W. Alcorn received a St. Patrick's favor.

Playing were Mrs. C. W. Alcorn, A. V. Edmonson, J. A. Finlayson, C. C. Harper, Jack Hazelins, C. L. Jackson, H. E. Munson, and W. A. Yeager.

Contract Club Entertained

Mrs. Robin Willis was hostess to members and guests of the Contract Bridge club Thursday when they were entertained with a buffet luncheon and bridge.

The table was laid in linen and lace, with silver appointments throughout. Silver bowls of red roses, and silver candelsticks holding burning tapers adorned the table.

At bridge, favors went to Miss



It's difficult to notice our own social progress or our lack of it, because we are so used to ourselves and our friends.

Sometimes it seems as if the world were growing more considerate because someone takes the time to ask a question politely and to be gracious when he is given the information. But getting in just one good sidewalk jam will quickly dispel all the illusions.

One party is a great success; that impression is quickly erased by one that is so deadly dull that one resolves to be a hermit.

A Visitor's View Thus we sometimes get a better perspective from strangers. An Englishman who was entertained lavishly

Fannie Bess Taylor and Mrs. Henry Wolcott.

Others playing were Misses Lula Ekin, Lois Patterson, Thelma White, and Mmes. A. S. Legg, A. N. Hendrickson, Harry Neblett, and Fred Wilcox, San Angelo.

Prettier Debs This year's debutante seems vastly improved over last year's model. She is prettier, because she gets more sleep, leads a less hectic existence, and indicates more reserve nervous energy. She is more coherent, and is a better conversationalist, to say nothing of being much sweeter and quieter.

Since it is no longer smart not to close and open parties on time she is learning to be punctual and have consideration for others.

And what delights him particularly is that women are so much more pleasing to the eye. They seem to him no longer to be dancing around in their slips, as though they had some clear to the point of putting on a dress, and then neglected to do it, but they appear in really graceful and glamorous costumes.

On the whole, he finds us greatly improved, socially speaking. And one feels that what we may have lost on the market, we gained in the drawing room—if that is any consolation to those who played on margin.

Sweet Idea A hostess who served some particularly delicious baked apples to her guests at a recent breakfast party divulged the secret of their goodness when she explained how they had been made.

Instead of sweetening them with ordinary sugar, she stuffed the cavities made by removing the cores with nut caramels cut into small pieces. The result was a delicious fruit bedded in thick syrup and a flavor that was irresistible.

Mrs. John E. Adams is leaving for Houston where she will spend a few weeks with her parents, and from there go to Huntsville where she will work on a degree at Sam Houston State Teacher's college.

Personals

A. A. Roberts and Bill Clark have returned from a business trip to Dallas.

G. R. Brumly and Will Terry are in Midland from their ranch near Nadine, New Mexico.

Mrs. Marvin Henderson and Mrs. B. C. Hendrick of Odessa stopped in Midland this morning.

Mrs. Hunter Erwin and children, Billie, Knox and Jean are leaving this afternoon for their ranch near Shaly Lake.

Joe D. Chambers is in Hobbs, New Mexico, today on business.

Robert G. Kurtz, oil man from Artesia, New Mexico, is in Midland.

T. W. Rose and M. C. Boring of Fort Worth are in the city on business.

Fred Guthrie returned today from a fishing trip in Andrews county.

Paul Baker of San Angelo spent Thursday night in Midland.

Fred Bradley of Lubbock is in Midland today.

R. A. Disney, of the Disney-Gholson drilling company, Ranger, was in Midland on business Thursday.

Georget Garrette of Abilene, spent Thursday in Midland.

W. H. Armstrong of San Antonio was in this city Thursday night, leaving early this morning.

Walter Curran, Wink, was a business visitor to Midland yesterday.

Mrs. W. W. Larkin of Midland left today for El Paso for a month's visit with her sister.

NOTED PLAYERS SUPPORT 'LUMMOX' PRINCIPALS

Among the well-known screen and stage figures in "Lummo," the United Artists all-dialogue screen version of Fannis Hurst's novel, now playing at the Yucca theatre, are Myrtle Stedman and Danny O'Shea who interpret two of the leading characters so realistically that the author declares they might have stepped right out of the pages of her favorite novel.

Miss Stedman, who plays her greatest talking picture role in Herbert Brenson's production for United Artists, and O'Shea, who makes his dialogue film debut as a romantic young policeman, share acting honors with Winifred Westover, Ben Lyon, William Collier, Jr., Edna Murphy, Clara Langsner, Dorothy Janis, Torben Meyer, Myrtle Bonillas, Cosmo Kyle Bellow, Lydia Yeamans Titus, Bobby Ullman, Fan Bourke, Ida Darling and other members of the large cast.

BARNYARD MELODY

LAMESA—A chorus of fifty farmers will be an added attraction during the chamber of commerce county wide minstrel to be presented here Thursday, March 6, according to Mrs. Phillips Young and Mrs. W. D. Arnett, directors. The chorus will be directed by Owen C. Taylor, county clerk.

LAMESA CULLS HERDS

LAMESA—Dairy cows in Dawson county will be culled and registered during the next few months, it was announced today by W. W. Evans, county agent. The agent is urging farmers of this section to register all of their cattle and to cull out scrubs from the producers in preparation for the milk plant which opens here in May.

Sunday School Class Active

At meeting of Mrs. George E. Brown's Bible Class in Sunday an effective poster from the brush of Mrs. F. H. Latham attracted the eye. The poster bore the inscription "Bear" in mind that there are no white elephants in Mrs. George E. Brown's Bible class.

The class has many active workers. Mrs. C. E. Gann, reporter, Mrs. B. H. Blakeney and Mrs. B. C. Cardie, group captains, and Mrs. E. W. Cowden, president, and their co-workers were mentioned by a member of the class as busy with the "King's business."

The class aim reads "Our aim—that we may be filled with the spirit of the master and may manifest a devotion and sacrifice of the early disciples, among them, women, who followed Him. That the light of God's word may dawn upon the minds and guide the lives of all earnest seekers after righteousness."

An invitation is extended by the class to all visitors to be present next Sunday at 9:30 and hear Mrs. Latham.

Solons Bristle When Told To Keep Quiet

AUSTIN, Tex., Feb. 28. (AP)—The house of representatives bristled with indignation the other day when several of its members, in a spirit which they acknowledged as one of "play," offered a resolution which would have prevented "any one member from speaking more than three times on any one subject until at least one other member had an opportunity to express himself."

The resolution contained a preamble which occurred, among other things, that another campaign was approaching, and that certain members, with this in mind, had fallen into the habit of talking on all subjects, "regardless of whether they know anything about the subject" in order to "impress the people back home with a sense of the member's own importance and ability."

The resolution also would have prevented "Some two or three members from monopolizing the floor to the exclusion of all other members."

Rep. E. T. Shelton, of Dripping Springs, said he would withdraw the resolution, after he had heard the protests of several of his colleagues.

ACTOR FORGETS TO APPEAR

BERLIN, (UP)—Veit Harlan, one of Berlin's best-known actors, is probably the only stage star professing a weak memory. When recently, twice in close succession, Veit failed to appear at the theatre where he was playing the leading role, he did not try one of those time-honored excuses like sudden illness, or an automobile accident, but told his director that his weak memory had caused him to forget his stage appearance. The play in question had been running for weeks.

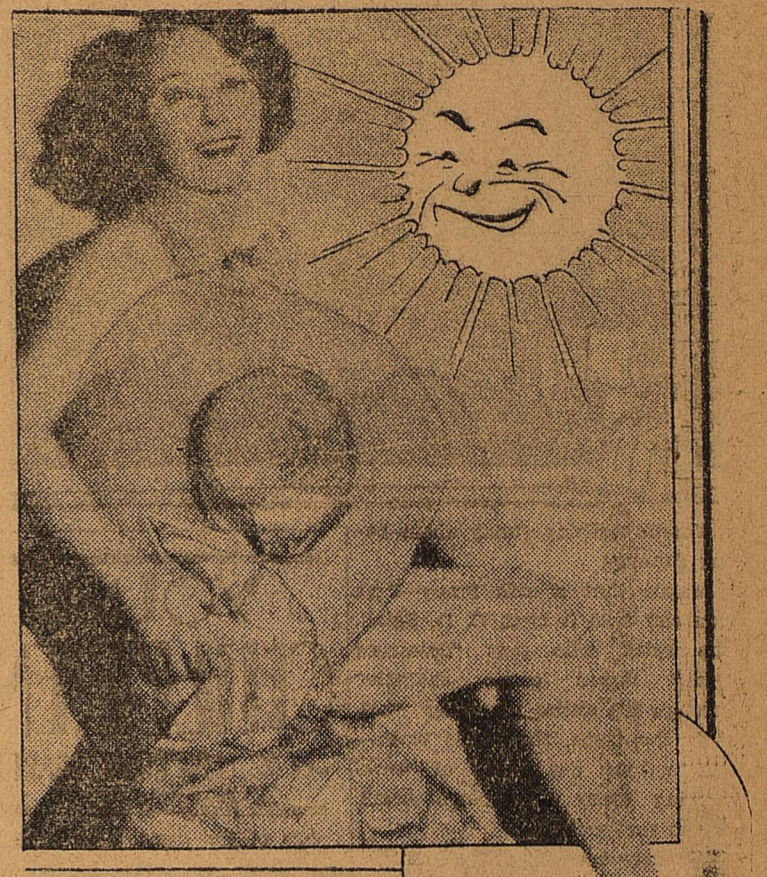
AUTHORS LISTED

BERLIN, (UP)—Germany boasts 4,300 living—not live—writers, authors and playwrights, according to the latest edition of Kuerstner's "German Literary Calendar" where their names are recorded in alphabetical order. The first, and the likewise coveted, last place in this long list are both held by pseudonyms. Aaba, the pen-name of the humorist Podotoda, leads the field, with George Lehey secured last place by adopting the almost unpronounceable nom-de-plume of Zcegnis Zyzczak.

IT SOLD THE BOOKS

NICE, France, (UP)—An advertisement published in the English language columns of a local newspaper read: "Young, good-looking millionaire wishes to meet with object matrimony, girl who answers description of heroine of

Yes, Summer's on The Way, Now



It's been a long, hard winter, folks—but summer seems to be on the way at last. With the approach of the season of soft and baby breezes, Dorothy Mackaill, the movie actress, takes this occasion to show the fair devotees of summery hats with shimmering thingabobs what Dame Fashion has in store for

the heated season. And, judging from the smile, Dorothy believes in keeping her sunny side up.

HEN ACTRESS LAYS IN PINCH

BURLINGTON, Wis., Feb. 28. (UP)—Amelia is a hen. Yea, and more than a hen. She is an actress. Her parts in the cackling and strutting scenes of home talent production have endeared her in the hearts of Burlington theatergoers.

But of what value is a hen actress hailed as another Duse, if she never has laid a single egg? That thought entered the mind of Albert Weiler, Amelia's owner.

Armed with an ax, Weiler, against the protest of Amelia's public, marched defiantly toward the chicken coop determined to annihilate the hen who refused to lay an egg.

VISITING HERE

Mrs. Harold Gobbe of Fort Worth is the house guest of Mrs. T. M. Combs.

"Superior Ambulance Service" BARROW FUNERAL PARLORS Day Phone 502 Night Phone 560W.

Dan Cupid Rings These Wedding Belles



ETHLYNE CLAIRE That cherubic young gentleman, Mr. Daniel Cupid, has gone on another matrimonial spree and, as a result, wedding bells will soon begin to toll, especially cut Hollywood way. Ethlyne Claire, Wampas Baby star, and Ernest Westmore, motion picture studio employe, are scheduled to say "I do" on Feb. 21. One of Hollywood's biggest weddings is to be held the following day when Cecelia De Mille, daughter of the movie director, becomes Mrs. Francis E. Calvin. Sally Eilers, the cinema actress, and Hoot Gibson, movie cowboy, announced their engagement recently and expect to be married soon. Helen Menken, the stage star, and Bert Lyell, the actor, also are preparing to move their belongings under the same roof. And all Europe is gossiping about the betrothal of Edda Mussolini, daughter of Italy's dictator, to Galeazzo Ciano, secretary of the Italian embassy at the Vatican.

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HIS FUNNY SIDE OF LIFE IS SERIOUS

C. D. Small, Pencil Parent of "Salesman Sam," Buckles Down to Make Others Cheer Up



There's nothing funny about being funny!

Maybe that sounds funny—but you can take it from C. D. Small, the artist who puts "Salesman Sam," famed comic character through his antics every day, that it is the truth, the whole truth—and nothing but a lot of work drawing crazy happenings every day in the week.

Seriously speaking, Small is serious. He appreciates the humorous side of life, but doesn't break out himself with it. And the only answer to that is that he saves it all to put down in black and white to "Salesman Sam's" advantage.

"Salesman Sam," by the way, makes more bonedead moves, and gets into more scrapes than any other salesman in the country. (At least we hope so).

During the past several years this comic character has peddled Florida real estate, gone exploring in the far north, bummed his way about the country on selling campaigns, been in and out of employ of J. Guzzlem dozens of times and promoted no end of schemes with unflinching good intention and unbroken lack of success.

The outstanding characteristic of "Sam" is action. There is something doing every day. And humor runs rampant in this comic, even to the way of lamp-posts, animals, scenery in general, and advertising signs are presented.

And now, getting back to the artist who puts this all down in black and white—Small has been doing comic sketches since he was thirteen.

He was born in Philadelphia and sold his first sketch when just out of high school. This confirmed him in his ambition to become a cartoonist and he turned to the game in earnest.

While taking a comic art course, as a free lance artist during which time Small's work appeared in Life, Judge and various other magazines.

The position as sport cartoonist on a New York paper was offered him, and Small held it just long enough to realize again that comic sketching had the strongest appeal for him.

His work once more began to break out in magazines and newspapers, and NEA Service, Inc. picked him off and put him to work drawing "Salesman Sam."

He and "Sam" have been doing their stuff daily ever since, for hundreds of newspapers in all parts of the country.

Small is married and has one son—eleven years old, and a real "Salesman Sam" fan.

New Feed Crop To Be Tried In Martin

STANTON, Feb. 28.—Several Martin County farmers will try hersey, the new feed being introduced into West Texas in Scurry and other West Texas counties.

It is claimed this feed will mature in 45 days and this would be worth much to the farmers and dairymen in the county who will need early feed.

The Martin county chamber of commerce will order the seed for the farmers and distribute it to them at cost.

7 OR 77 Use Correct Number when you call the Reporter-Telegram It will save time for you and help us to give you service. Phone No. 7 for Editor and Manager Society Editor City Editor. Phone No. 77 for Advertising Manager Job Printing Dept. Circulation Dept. Bookkeeper

YOUR CHILDREN by OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

One of the greatest mistakes we are likely to make in teaching young children behavior is to give them long talks upon this, that or the other subject at times when they are not much interested.

We tell Johnny to be kind when there is no one to be kind to; we tell him to be polite when there is no one near needing his consideration; we insist on his being honest when he hasn't been taking anything. All right, these things—but not enough.

I am not discounting the value of wise counsel, the in-between talks that do have great suggestive value, especially to the older child. But I am convinced that the greatest steps toward definite training are accomplished through actual cases. The time to train a little child in kindness is when he has been impolite. And the time to give him a first class lesson in honesty is when he is being dishonest. Because it is a fact that children—little children—will unconsciously annex things that don't belong to them, not knowing the ethics of ownership.

Little children are really ignorant of personal rights. We expect them to know instinctively that they never should touch other people's things. But as a rule they don't know any such thing. I've had to argue my way through a veritable bramble-bush of opinion on this subject, so many mothers insist that honesty is born in a child or vice versa.

Not a Serious Fault I'll admit that occasionally it does look like it, particularly when the habit of helping themselves to other children's possessions is so difficult to break in some children. Sometimes we cannot help a feeling that somewhere in ages past there has been a black mark of dishonesty on the family escutcheon which has filtered down to the present.

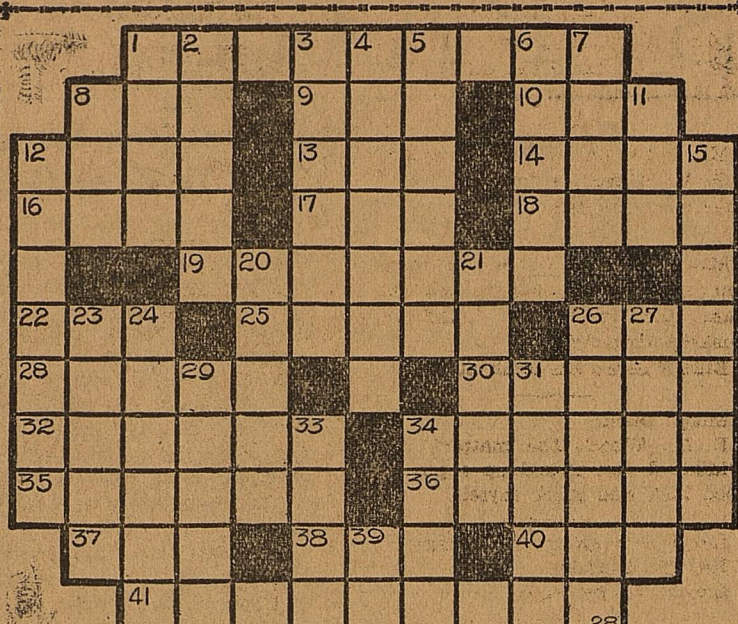
But as a matter of fact, we greatly overestimate it. Practically all children starting life have this tendency to reach out and take what doesn't belong to them if it strikes their fancy. A baby doesn't question whose rattle he seizes. A two-year-old child will toddle over to a strange porch, pick up a doll that isn't hers, and walk home with it. We don't call it dishonesty at two. Why should we at four or six if the child has never been told differently? It is at just about this age that we must start our concrete lessons in honesty. It's up to us to put that consciousness of ownership into their minds.

When Lesson Is Learned Lead the baby back to the porch. Make her lay the doll where she found it. Tell her it is Mary's doll, not hers. "We mustn't touch Mary's things!" There's the lesson! Every time she appropriates something, she must be told. It must be kept up continually. Pretty soon, the two-year-old will understand.

If we start early and strike

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Today's Puzzlers



HORIZONTAL 32 Exultant. 1 Aristocratic. 8 Sun. 9 Native peach. 10 Blemish. 12 Mud in running water. 13 To drink dog fashion. 14 Narrative poem. 16 Oak. 17 Since. 18 Close. 19 Minerals. 22 Curse. 25 Punitive. 26 Era. 28 To consecrate. 30 Females. 32 Exultant. 34 To rekindle. 35 To revolve. 36 Gets up. 37 Moist. 38 Beast of burden. 40 Snaky fish. 41 To censure. 3 To narrate. 4 To fancy. 5 Small dome. 6 Last words of prayers. 7 Back of neck. 8 Title of courtesy. 11 Inlet. 12 Assassin. 15 Daggers. 20 To overturn. 21 Senior. 23 To permit. 24 Tidier. 26 Entertained. 27 Coupled. 29 Ohio. 31 Stranger. 33 Expensive. 34 Precipitate. 39 Southeast.

Stanton Lions To Sponsor Boy Scouts

STANTON, Feb. 28.—The Stanton Lions club will sponsor the Boy Scouts again in 1930, it was decided at the regular weekly Lions luncheon Tuesday.

A committee was appointed to arrange for the finance drive to raise funds to put the work on this year and the troop will be put on a full participating basis.

Other committees of the Lions club for the 1930 work have been appointed; a committee on sidewalks and a committee on charity have been appointed and a good program outlined for the year's activities.

Stanley Baldwin says his best speeches are made when there are no reporters present. That holds for a couple of other fellows, too, Stanley.

MIDLAND FORM NO. 6 Units Nos. 27 and 35. NOTICE

TO ALL OWNING OR CLAIMING ANY PROPERTY ABUTTING UPON THE HEREINBELOW MENTIONED PORTIONS OF WALL STREET AND ILLINOIS AVENUE IN THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS, AND TO ALL OWNING OR CLAIMING ANY INTEREST IN ANY SUCH PROPERTY.

SWEDISH COW IS 28 GOTHEBURG, Sweden, (UP)—A 28 years old cow, believed to be the oldest in Sweden, is living contentedly on a farm in the western province of Halland. Considering that cows rarely reach more than 12 to 14 years, this venerable "Boss" seems to have broken all Swedish records for longevity.

BUY THE BEST USED CARS THE MARKET AFFORDS and get THE GREATEST VALUES. 1929 Chevrolet 6-Coach \$574. 1929 Chevrolet 6-Coupe \$580. 1928 Chevrolet Coupe \$587. 1928 St. 6 Buick Sedan \$590. 1928 St. 6 Buick Coupe \$597. 1929 Buick Brougham \$604. 1929 St. Buick Coupe \$611. and several other makes not listed. SCRUGGS BUICK CO. Midland

WANTED TO BUY CLEAN Cotton Rags 5c a pound REPORTER TELEGRAM

The Governing Body of the City of Midland has ordered that the herebelow mentioned street and avenue be improved by raising, grading and filling, and paving, together with incidentals and appurtenances, and contract has been made and entered into with West Texas Construction Company for the making and construction of such improvements. Estimate of the cost of such improvements for each such portion of street and avenue has been prepared.

The portions of said street and avenue so to be improved, together with the estimated cost of the improvements for each such portion of street and avenue, and the amount or amounts per front foot proposed to be assessed against abutting property and the owners thereof are as follows:

On WALL STREET, from its intersection with the West line of Pecos Street to its intersection with the West line of Colorado Street, known and designated as Unit or District No. 27; the estimated cost of the improvements is \$20506.63; the estimated amount per front foot to be assessed against abutting property and owners thereof is \$9.2447.

On the NORTH SIDE OF ILLINOIS AVENUE, from its intersection with the East line of Lorraine Street to its intersection with the West line of Main Street, known and designated as Unit or District No. 35, making the pavement of said portion of Illinois Avenue 60 feet from curb to curb; the estimated cost of the improvements is \$3275.59; the estimated amount per front foot to be assessed against abutting property and owners thereof for curb is \$9.36; the estimated amount per front foot to be assessed against the abutting property and owners thereof for improvements exclu-

sive of curb is \$8.5039; total estimated amount per front foot to be assessed against abutting property and owners thereof is \$8.8639. The paving on Unit No. 27 to be Two Inch Warrenite Bitulthic Pavement on 6 1-2 Inch Compacted Stone Base, and the paving on Unit No. 35 to be 6 1-2 Inch Reinforced Concrete Pavement, said Units Nos. 27 and 35 to be further improved by constructing along with said other improvements, concrete curbs and gutters, together with incidentals and appurtenances, as shown on the plans and specifications.

A hearing will be given and held by and before the Governing Body of the City of Midland, Texas, on the 11th day of March, 1930, at 4 o'clock, p. m., in the City Hall in the City of Midland, Texas, to all owning or claiming any property abutting upon said portions of said street and avenue, and to all owning or claiming any interest in any such property. At said time and place all owning or claiming any such abutting property, or any interest therein, shall be and appear and will be fully heard concerning said improvements, the cost thereof, the amounts to be assessed therefor, the benefits to the respective parcels of abutting property by means of the improvements on the portion of said street and avenue upon which the property abuts, and concerning the regularity, validity and sufficiency of the contract for, and all proceedings relating to such improvements and proposed assessments therefore, and concerning any matter as to which they are entitled to hearing under the law in force in the City and under the proceedings of the City with reference to said matters. Following such hearing assessments will be levied against abutting property and the owners thereof, and a first and prior lien upon the property as provided by the law in force in the City, and under which the proceedings are taken, being the Act passed at the First Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature of the State of Texas, known as Chapter 106 of the Acts of said Session.

The improvements on each said

portion of street and avenue constitute an entirely separate and distinct unit of improvement, all to the same extent as if entirely separate and distinct proceedings had been taken with reference to the improvements and assessments therefor in connection with improvements on each such portion of street and avenue, and the assessments against the property abutting upon any unit shall be and are in no wise affected by any fact or circumstance relating to or connected with the improvements in other units.

Of all said matters and things, all owning or claiming any such property or any interest therein, as well as all others in any wise interested or affected will take notice.

DONE BY ORDER of the City Council of the City of Midland, Texas, this 25th day of February, 1930.

J. C. HUDMAN, City Secretary City of Midland, Texas.

(SEAL)

NOTICE

The Trustees of Valley View rural high school district of Midland county will receive bids to be opened at 10:00 o'clock a. m., in the county

NIXON QUARRIES Bus. 870 Phones Res. 862 Crushed Stone, c. y., \$3.75; Chat, \$3.50; Rock Sand, \$2.00; Pit Gravel, Pit Sand, \$2.50; Plastering Sand, \$2.50, Plant 13 Mi. East 510 Petroleum Bldg.

NOTICE

The E. D. Erikson BLACK-SMITH SHOP has been re-opened. Workmanship guaranteed on every job. Expert horse shoeing. J. M. (Shorty) PASCHALL.

by superintendents' office, room 215 Petroleum bldg. Midland, Tex., Mar. 11, 1930, for the construction of a school building at Valley View, of Brick veneer type. Plans and specifications for the building may be had at the office of the County Superintendent and if carried out of the office a deposit of Ten (\$10.00) Dollars will be required. Cashier's Check for five per cent (5 per cent) of the amount of the bid must be filed with each bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

All bids should be sealed and filed with the County Superintendent by said date.

G. S. JONES, president of school board. J. D. BARTLETT, Secretary. Feb 7-14-21-28

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CHEVROLET BIG SALE starts TOMORROW SPRING CLEARANCE SALE of USED CARS - WITH AN OK THAT COUNTS Here is a bargain event without parallel in the history of this community! This great spring clearance sale brings to bargain seekers a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to secure famous used cars "with an OK that counts" at savings that will be long remembered. Due to the tremendous popularity of the New Chevrolet Six, we have an unusually large stock of fine used cars. To clear our stock quickly, we offer these splendid cars at low sale prices that are nothing less than sensational. Buy a car during this sale at many dollars below its normal price! Look to the red "OK that counts" tag as proof of its quality and dependability. This tag signifies that the car has been thoroughly reconditioned. Be sure to attend this sale early. Wide Choice of Four and Six Cylinder Cars 1929 CHEVROLET CABRIOLET—A good dependable used car with lots of class. Shiny blue duco finish. Big rumble seat with front and rear bumpers. Five good tires. Is Mechanically perfect \$525.00 1928 CHEVROLET COACH—A good serviceable car with 6-ply heavy duty casings. Excellent upholstery. Original duco finish. Bumpers front and rear and mechanically perfect \$400.00 1928 CHEVROLET COUPE—Here is a good car mechanically, with shock absorbers, front and rear bumpers, extra heavy rubber and good upholstery. Bright finish and has only 11,000 miles. Sale Price \$360.00 1929 CHEVROLET COACH—This car looks and runs like new. It has heavy duty rubber, excellent upholstery and is mechanically perfect \$495.00 1928 CHEVROLET COUPE—Another one of our OK used cars with an extra good motor, good rubber and bumpers front and rear. Seat covers and shines like new. A bargain \$350.00 1928 CHEVROLET SEDAN—Here is an A-1 motor just overhauled. New pistons, rings, pins, valves and rocker arms. New heavy duty rubber. Bright original finish and seat covers. \$450.00 BUY "OK" USED CARS FROM A CHEVROLET DEALER Jackson Chevrolet Co.

# Midland Hi News

everything, and if he doesn't know it, he finds it out. Then he broadcasts the coveted news to other fields. At a glance, we see that he has been busy this week; so here you are:

Something must be wrong when a girl decides to be an old maid, and Elythe has made the fatal decision. Carlton has been seen several times lately—alone.

Jack was too late for the sunrise breakfast last Saturday morning.—Just could not wake up.

## IS PRESENTED MEDAL

A bronze medal was presented to Addlesee Haag Monday morning in chapel by D. D. Shiflett, principal of the high school. This medal is given by the Underwood Typewriter company for writing at the rate of forty words per minute for fifteen minutes with not more than five errors.

Addlesee will take a test this week for a silver medal, which is given for fifty words per minute for fifteen minutes with not more than five errors.

## OUR STAFF THIS WEEK

The staff this week is composed of the members in the 10-B English Class.

Georgia McMullan, Editor-in-chief  
 Marguerite Elvins, Associate editor  
 Ernestine Zigler, Society editor  
 John King, Sports editor  
 Reporters: Herman Walker, Evelyn Pogue, Mary Katherine Hogsett, Floyd Pace, Hazel Marie Graham, Herschel Arnett, and Glynn Long.

## CAN YOU IMAGINE

Why teachers like exams so well?  
 Whom Ruth is in love with?  
 Why Loyd Burris is so reserved?  
 Where Marguerite obtained her new phrase, "Now Pa, you know how you are?"  
 Jack Irwin being called "prissy"?  
 But he was.

## MUSIC NEWS

Miss Solomon has selected forty girls for the choral club, and there may be other girls selected.

The new "Standard History of Music" books by J. P. Cooke have come. The music classes will start studying in the new books Monday.

## HAVE A LAFF

Miss Burris: Kenneth, do you know what a pretzel is?  
 Kenneth: Yes, Ma'am. Its a doughnut gone crazy.

One day Maurice, while walking down the street, saw some puppies for sale.

Maurice: Oh, say, mister, how much do you want for those puppies?

Dealer: They're two dollars a piece my boy.  
 Maurice: Oh, I don't want a piece; I want a whole dog.

Olen: John, if you saw a girl with the heel of her shoe coming off would you call her Lucille?

Mr. Lane: G. E., what is space?  
 G. E.: I can't explain it, but I have it in my head.

Miss Stout: Bill, for tomorrow you may be prepared to tell the class the inscription found on Shakespeare's tomb.  
 Bill: Where's his tomb at?

Mike: Ouch!  
 E. E.: What's the matter?  
 Mike: I just picked up a pin for good luck and stuck myself.

Lloyd: I'm going to Chicago.  
 Red: By Buffalo?  
 Lloyd: No, by train.

Joe Beane: Gee, this is an old chicken.  
 Barney: How can you tell?  
 Joe: By the teeth.  
 Barney: But chickens don't have teeth.  
 Joe: No, but I have.

John: I can't get this Ford to start. What should I do?  
 Olen: Read the directions on the inside of the car.

**CHAPEL DAY BY DAY**

Monday:—We said the "100th Psalm," and the Lord's Prayer. We sang "Come Thou Fount," and "Let the Hills with Song Resound."

Mr. Shiflett presented a medal to Addlesee Haag for having a speed record of 42 words per minute on the typewriter.

Tuesday:—We sang "The Lord is My Shepherd."

The debating team under direction of Mr. Cotner presented an interesting debate on the question, "Resolved—The Sterling Plan of Financing Highways in Texas Should Be Adopted." The affirmative side was Nez Cosper and Dorothea Meadows; the negative, Ralph Hallman and Herman Walker. The time keepers were Helen Margaret Ulmer and Marie Hill. The high school voted on the winners, and the negative won.

Wednesday:—Mr. Shiflett made the announcement that declamations were due to be in this week. The boys passed to the room and the girls remained in the auditorium and Miss Solomon selected twenty altes and twenty sopranos to be in the contest.

## DECLAMATION NEWS

Students of the high school have selected their declamations this week. Every student must enter some declamation work, either declaiming, debating or one act play. The declamation work is divided into two classes, common and special. A special declamation is one which is entered for the school contest, while a common declamation is given before the home room.

## THEY SAY THAT

Frank can be most interesting. Cien actually received two demerits for talking to Velma.

Ida Beth has decided to sing bass. If you give Dennis a subject, he can write a poem about it; however, Velma refused to be the subject. We wonder why.

Mr. Barry does not like crying babies in public places, so mothers, if your baby cries, beware of a hat pin.

It is not late until two; then it is too late.

Marguerite is a most reckless driver. Speedy, Speedy, Speedy.

Mary Katherine has a new red dress. Some insist it is black.

Kathleen would like to be in one of Conrad's classes.

Evelyn was most anxious to leave the auditorium last Friday afternoon.

Leland would make a distinguished butler; yet it does seem impossible.

It is better to be late than never, but sometimes they are wrong.

Pauline wanted to go to Odessa so badly that she was willing to walk. It must be serious.

## DEBATE NEWS

By Herman Walker

The knees of four of the greatest debaters between Stanton and Odessa popped in chapel Tuesday. Three of the debaters stood up talking to an interested audience for their first time.

It was a knock-out; Mr. Shiflett complimented all of them. They pulled through fine, even the affirmative side.

Mr. Cotner sat between the opposing sides to prevent a hand to hand battle. Even Nez's fighting spirit arose.

They will journey to Stanton next Tuesday night and will debate there at seven-thirty. Then after winning at San Angelo, they expect to take the prize at Austin. If the goal is set high the victory will be great.

## LIBRARY NEWS

"To Have and To Hold," \$2.50.—Johnston.  
 "Queed," \$1.10.—Harrison.  
 "A Book of Narratives," \$2.50.—Campbell and Rice.  
 "Dramas by Present Day Writers," \$2.50.—Pence.  
 "Contemporary One-Act Plays," \$2.00.—Lewis.

## THE TATTLER

The Tattler is one who knows

**Girlhood**

The trying time in a young girl's life is reached when Nature leads her up certain steep, across the line which divides girlhood and womanhood. Neglect at this critical period is largely responsible for much of the misery of women. Often there is need of some safe, strengthening tonic to overcome the languor, nervousness and distress girls commonly experience at this time. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription soothes the nerves, encourages the appetite and helps the entire womanly organism. It is purely herbal—contains no harmful ingredients. Tablets or liquid.

Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c if you desire a trial pkg. of tablets.

## HEARD IN THE HALLS—

Did you go to the show last night?  
 Oh, was that exam very hard?  
 What was it about?  
 How do you know that he was with her?

## BASEBALL NEWS

"The Man Without A Country" had nothing on the Bulldog Baseball team—it's a team without a schedule.

No other team has registered for the district championship race in baseball. So Mr. Barry is writing every school in our baseball district and claiming the championship by default.

Letters are being sent to every school within 100 miles of here, most of which are not in our baseball district, asking for games. The Bulldogs will play any sort of a team, major league or otherwise.

The coach expects to match at least ten games within the next two weeks.

## ANNUAL NEWS

Work on the annual is progressing rapidly. All senior panels were sent to the engraver on Tuesday, February 25. Panels for all other classes have been drawn, and pictures will be placed on as soon as they are ready. The staff hopes to have all class pictures mounted and on the way to the engraver by Saturday, March 1. All group pictures except that of the orchestra were mailed on Tuesday also.

Practically all the copy for the printer has been typewritten, and the dummy has been partly completed.

Work on the cartoons is progressing. The cartoonist, as said before, will carry out the oil motif.

The advertising committee is at work. On Thursday at noon the ads collected amounted to \$425. The merchants and business men of the town are very liberal in their help with the ads. The entire staff appreciates such support.

Contests for election of the Annual Queen and for various favorites will be started next week.

## WHAT CAN A FELLOW DO—

When his girl insists on going home, and he does not want to take her?  
 If he falls in love and can't get out?  
 When he has a headache and the person upstairs is practicing a saxophone?  
 If his "one and only" is seen with some one else?  
 If he stands some "one" up, and an excuse is not accepted?  
 If he wishes to play football and isn't passing in his subjects?

## JUNIORS HAVE SURPRISE BREAKFAST

The juniors seemed to have had a good time Saturday morning. Everyone is talking about the sunrise breakfast.

They met at the school building at five o'clock and went to Hill's ranch, eight miles south of town. As soon as they arrived, they cooked breakfast, and each one seems to think he had too much to eat. They returned about nine o'clock.

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**Daily Schedules**

East Bound	West Bound
10:55 A. M.	10:50 A. M.
1:55 P. M.	2:40 P. M.
6:40 P. M.	6:35 P. M.

The schedule to Fort Worth and East—1:10 A. M.  
 The schedule to El Paso and West—3:35 A. M.

Connections west to El Paso and Los Angeles, East to Fort Worth, Dallas, North out of Pecos to Carlsbad, Carlsbad Caverns, Roswell and Denver. North to Lamesa, Lubbock and Amarillo. South to San Angelo and San Antonio. Special buses everywhere at any time. Ten per cent discount on round trip tickets.

**EVERYTHING**

Dealer: They're two dollars a piece my boy.  
 Maurice: Oh, I don't want a piece; I want a whole dog.

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Miss Stout: Bill, for tomorrow you may be prepared to tell the class the inscription found on Shakespeare's tomb.  
 Bill: Where's his tomb at?

Mike: Ouch!  
 E. E.: What's the matter?  
 Mike: I just picked up a pin for good luck and stuck myself.

Lloyd: I'm going to Chicago.  
 Red: By Buffalo?  
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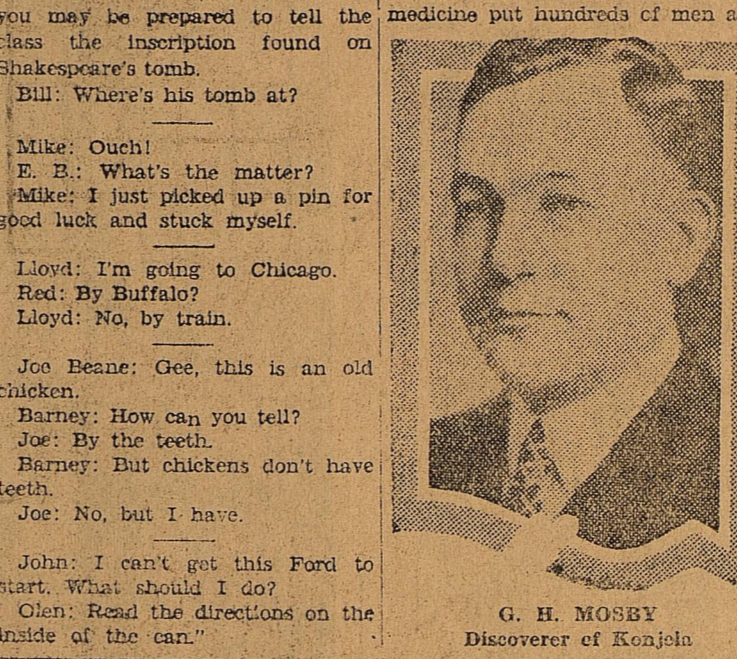
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## MARVELOUS WORK OF NEW KONJOLA MEDICINE TOLD

**Mayes-Young Drug Store To Introduce Advanced Remedy For First Time in Midland**

If you were told that one single medicine put hundreds of men and women back to work in Chicago, Philadelphia and other large cities after they had been idle for months with health troubles, it would sound impossible, wouldn't it? And that countless people were completely relieved of rheumatism and neuritis, and that they were able to walk again, without cane or crutches, and that this same medicine restored health to men and women who had suffered with stomach and kidney troubles for years, that complete relief had come in cases of misery where health records, expensive treatments and medicine upon medicine had failed—indeed, it seems impossible! Yet, it is all true, and the medicine that has done all these things is the new Konjola, which is being introduced, starting today at the Mayes-Young Drug Store, this city.



G. H. MOSBY  
Discoverer of Konjola

The secret of this Konjola is the way it acts on the important secondary organs of the body, namely: the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. So many diseases and long standing disorders of these organs were so completely conquered and entirely banished by this new compound that thousands of people in larger cities were able to give up taking medicine for time to come.

After the great accomplishments and wonderful work of Konjola in other sections, it is declared that this medicine is what hundreds of sufferers in Midland and vicinity have long needed to actually reach their cases, and preparations are being made to introduce Konjola for the first time at the Mayes-Young Drug Store, where this medicine will be sold and explained to the public daily.

**RHEUMATISM:** Especially severe cases, where pains are intense, muscles swollen, joints stiff and rigid. In the milder cases of this disease, Konjola relieves almost at once, and this medicine brings the same results to the neuritic victim that it does for the rheumatic sufferer.

**STOMACH, LIVER, KIDNEYS, and BOWEL TROUBLES:** Nearly

**DYNAMITE; RAINS RATTLEERS**

DILLON, Mont., (UP)—It literally rained rattlesnakes in Beaverhead canyon for a few seconds the other day as fifty sticks of dynamite blew a reptilian population of over 200 into eternity.

We have shot the prices down for this GIGANTIC - USED - CAR - SALE which starts promptly at 9:00 A. M. on Saturday, March 1st. "HOLD EVERYTHING PLEASE." You haven't read anything yet. HERE IT IS: In addition to the large price reduction during

## OUR GREAT SALE OF USED CAR BARGAINS

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These cars have been cut to the bone in price and with every car sold for \$300 or over we will give you—absolutely free—a \$195.00 Fada Radio.

This late model walnut radio will add beauty to your living room—and bring to your home the finest entertainment. You can now secure one of these radios absolutely free—in addition to a real used car bargain.

The cream of our used car stock is in this sale. Every car is in splendid condition, fitted with good tires and ready for months of satisfactory service. Our Certified Cars carry a 30 day guarantee and a 5 day free driving trial. All prices are plainly marked. Every used car in our stock has been thoroughly reconditioned and priced to sell. We give you this radio free.

Cars worth \$1,200 now \$800 to \$900

**FREE \$69.00 RADIO**  
EXTRA! EXTRA!

As a special inducement during this sale, with each used car purchased that is priced between \$100 and \$300, we will give absolutely free this Jackson-Bell 7 A. C. Tube with speaker and tubes complete with every used car. Hurry!

Cars worth \$800, now \$500 to \$600

Cars worth \$400, now \$200 to \$300

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# PHELAN AND HIS GALLOPING ROOKIES MAY BECOME DANGEROUS

## TEAM FINISHES IN SECOND PLACE LAST YEAR; NOTABLE

SHREVEPORT, La., Feb. 28. (P)—A veteran mound staff, proved under fire, and possibly the greatest collection of rookie infielders and outfielders ever gathered under one Texas League tent will be whipped into a compact unit by Manager Art Phelan to carry Shreveport hopes in the pending pennant scramble.

If they cash in on their prospects, the 1930 Sports will be fully as troublesome as last year, when, as the official "dark horse", they battled for the leadership right down to the tape and finished second in the full season standing. There have been wholesale replacements, but a fine nucleus remains to fit in with the brilliant crop of newcomers.

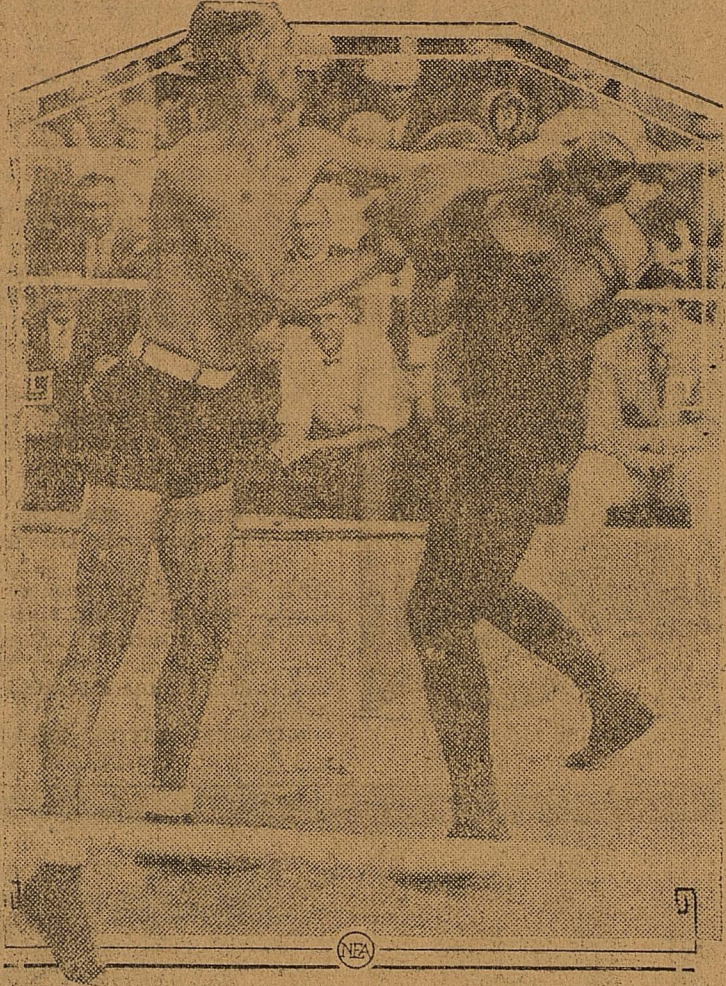
Four regular chunkers on last year's staff return to bear the brunt of the mound work. In Wilbur booper, Tiny Owens, Albert Williamson and V. Morrell, the Sports have a quartet to match any in the league. The supporting cast will include Joe Spear, who won 17 and lost 7, in the New England league last year, and Herb Kelly, Pat Moulton and V. Underhill, each of whom had a winning average of over .500 per cent in other leagues last season. Then there are four other flingers who were farmed out last spring: Lefty Ward, George Wood, Andy Price and A. Miller. Notwithstanding the loss of Hap Colliard, one of last year's staff, the Sport firing squad should stack up as one of the best.

**Sluggers On Hand**  
The catching department appears to be set. Both the veteran Frank Tobin and the slugging rookie, Bernie Starr, will be on hand again. They comprise a fine staff between them, but there is a possibility that Dutch Krause, a husky, hard-hitting recruit from the Cotton States, will beat one of them out of his job. Tobin was somewhat weak with the willow last year.

Half of the infield probably will be held down by stars of last year's combination. Gus Whelan, regarded by many as the league's greatest first baseman last year, is a certainty, and chances are that Ocell Stewart, second-basing sensation, will be returned for further seasoning by the Cleveland Indians, to whom he was sold. The return of the crack key-stoner would enhance the Sports' chances considerably.

Shoptop and third base are the gaps upon which Manager Phelan will need to concentrate; particularly the hot corner. When Ernie Holman caught the eye of the Boston Red Sox bosses the Sports lost a third baseman who rapped 25 home runs, stole 15 bases, drove in 93 runs and generally raised Cain last year. Bernie Deiveros, stellar little shortstopper, has gone to the Oakland club in the Pacific Coast

## Boxing Has Its Social Side



"Pardon my glove!" . . . This is what life in high society can be like—on occasion. And the occasion was an exhibition bout before the smart set of Palm Beach, Fla., between James H. Cromwell, wealthy young society man of Philadelphia and New York, pictured at left, and Tommy Loughran, former light heavyweight champion. Not exactly a pink tea affair, is it?

league.

### Pluggers Bought

To plug these vacancies the Sport treasury has brought in a pair of promising youngsters. Joseph Huarte from the Lynn club of the New England League, and Ilmont Baker, from the Piedmont League. Huarte is expected to replace Deiveros, and Baker will try to fill Holman's over-size shoes at the hot corner. Both were hard hitting and steady flingers last year and are expected to fit in nicely. However, if either falls down, there will be a flock of candidates to take his place.

There is no question about the class of the outfield. The list of candidates includes Roy Hutson, Pete McClanahan, Walter Parks, Siki Sikes and Sam Sealing, the last two slugging products of the West Texas league.

### Non-Class Flanks

Cashion, a regular last year, is certain of a job, and he likely will be flanked by Hutson and McClanahan, both non-class men. Hutson and McClanahan were playing regular and clipping the ball at a steady pace when injuries forced them out of the lineup within a month after the 1929 race opened. Hutson received a broken arm and McClanahan a broken leg. Their injuries have healed completely and they will be back stronger than ever.

Parks and Perry figure to scrap it out for the fourth fly-chasing berth. Parks batted .327 in 55 games

with the Sports last year. Perry was acquired from the Southeastern league, where he batted .359 and led the circuit in runs driven in.

## Accident Does Not Stand in Way Flyer

FORT WORTH, Feb. 23. (P)—Notwithstanding that his shattered left arm, struck by a whirling airplane propeller early in November grew back so imperfectly as to leave him little movement of his hand, Dayton Com, 19 of Lubbock, faces good prospects of qualifying for a commercial pilot's license.

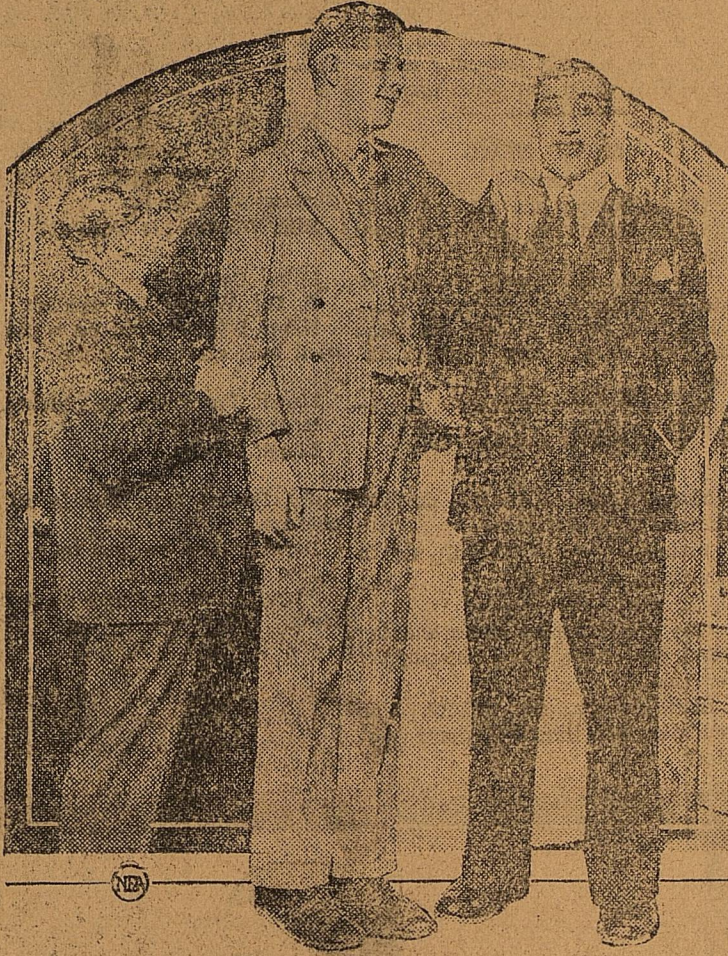
Many youths would have quit trying to fly after such an accident, especially after the arm had failed to respond to treatment but not so with Com. He has undergone a second operation and believes that he has turned the trick.

The arm was broken just above the elbow. A piece of bone from his leg was grafted on his arm but the arm didn't knit as it should and one of the nerves refused to function so that his left hand was practically useless.

Again he went to the hospital here where he spent two weeks. Now he is out and he says his arm and hand feel fine. He hopes soon to be able to resume his solo flying and take the license test.

"If she don't get well enough this time, why, I'll try it again," he explained.

## Primo Meets Taller One



Our friend, Primo Carnera, frequently has posed before the camera with little men to show his great size, but not until he reached St. Louis did the vast one encounter anything he could not look down upon. In the Mound City, however, he made the acquaintance of Robert Wadlow, 11-year-old boy of Alton, Ill., who towers six inches taller than the Italian boxer. Young Wadlow stands an even seven feet tall. Above, left to right, are Leon See, Carnera's manager, the Wadlow boy and Carnera.

### MAN IS FINED

A man who was caught by John Locklar allegedly stealing gas out of the latter's car and putting it into his own, was fined and kept in jail one night by Sheriff A. C. Francis.

When he came out of M-store No. 2, late Saturday night, preparing to drive home, Mr. Locklar found the man just as he is reported to have drained almost the last drop from the tank, and held him when he sent for the sheriff. The man begged Mr. Locklar to release him, without success.

### LOSES TROUSERS IN COGS

WABASH, Ind., (UP)—David Mardis rode home in a taxi from the factory where he is employed because machinery had torn away his trousers. Mardis' clothing became caught in cogs and realizing he might be drawn into the machine, he braced himself, and the trousers left him.

### CAR CRANK CRACKS NOSE

STONEHAM, Colo., (UP)—Charles Roth believes in doing good turns, but one such attempt proved painful. He offered to crank an automobile for a friend. The engine kicked. Roth suffered a broken nose and bad bruises about the face.

### "TAMING OF SHREW" FAST-MOVING COMEDY

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When a beautiful girl counters a legitimate proposal of marriage tendered by a handsome young man with such a statement as: "I'll see thee hanged," things are bound to happen.

And happen they do in "Taming of the Shrew" which comes to the Yucca Theatre as the feature attraction next Sunday and likewise brings Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks to the screen together for the first time.

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## Political Announcements

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. STATON (Re-Election)

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

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

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

## BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer

**LIGHTWEIGHT BUDDIES**

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MEANWHILE: KID SCALES

CHAMPION SAMMY MANDELL HAS BLOSSOMED INTO A WELTERWEIGHT—GETTING OFF THE EXTRA POUNDS FOR A TITLE MATCH WITH "AL OR JACK WON'T DO THE CHAMP A BIT OF GOOD."

my, tempestuous Katherine (Mary Pickford) there ensues a battle of wits and wills. Loving her fiery temper, and intrigued by her defiant remark: "I'll see thee hanged!" Petruchio set about unceremoniously to tame the Shrew. To make things more complicated, he employs the very tactics that have won her the cognomen of "wildcat" throughout all of Italy. How she resists, and how the ultimate solution is worked out could only be told by Shakespeare.

**BUMP HASTENS WEDDING**  
BILLINGS, Mont., (UP)—Vivian Vernard, Belle Fourche, N. D., walked squarely into J. H. Purseman, salesman. Mutual excuses were followed by romance climaxed less than 24 hours later with wedding bells.

**NOTICE**  
After March 1st, we will not accept "Good Will Thrift Coupons." American Cafe.

**NOTICE**  
Dr. May Oberlander has moved her office to rooms 310 and 312, Scharbauer Hotel. 302-40

## Discontinuing SALE

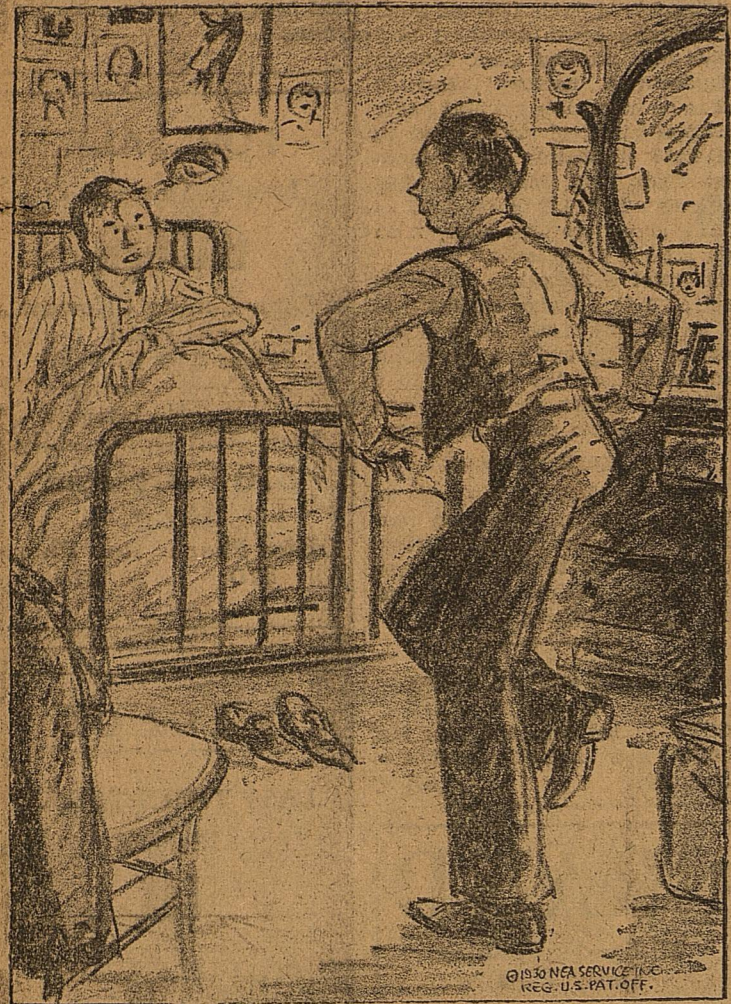
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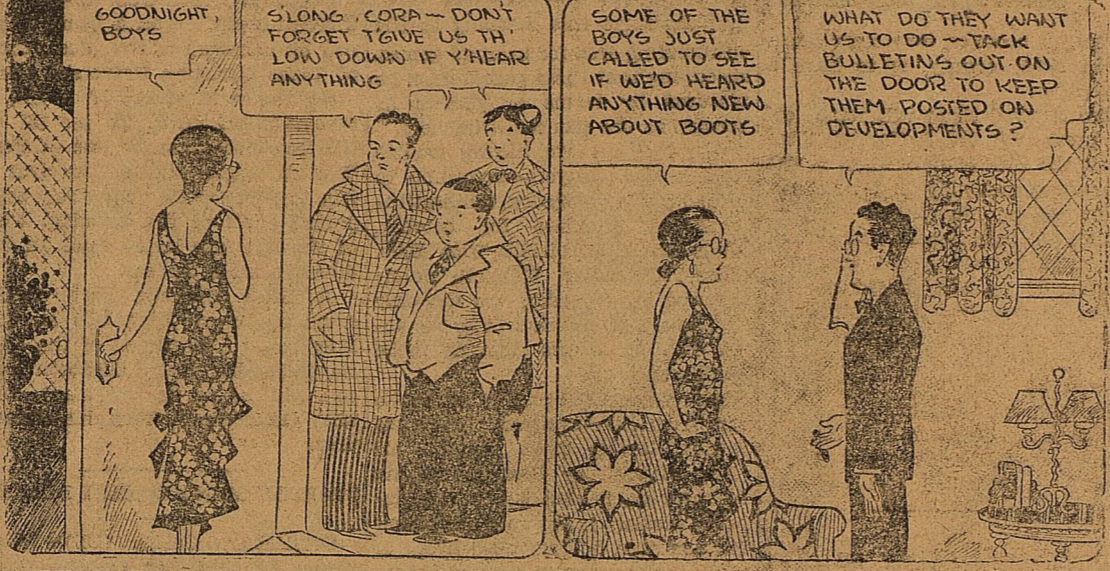
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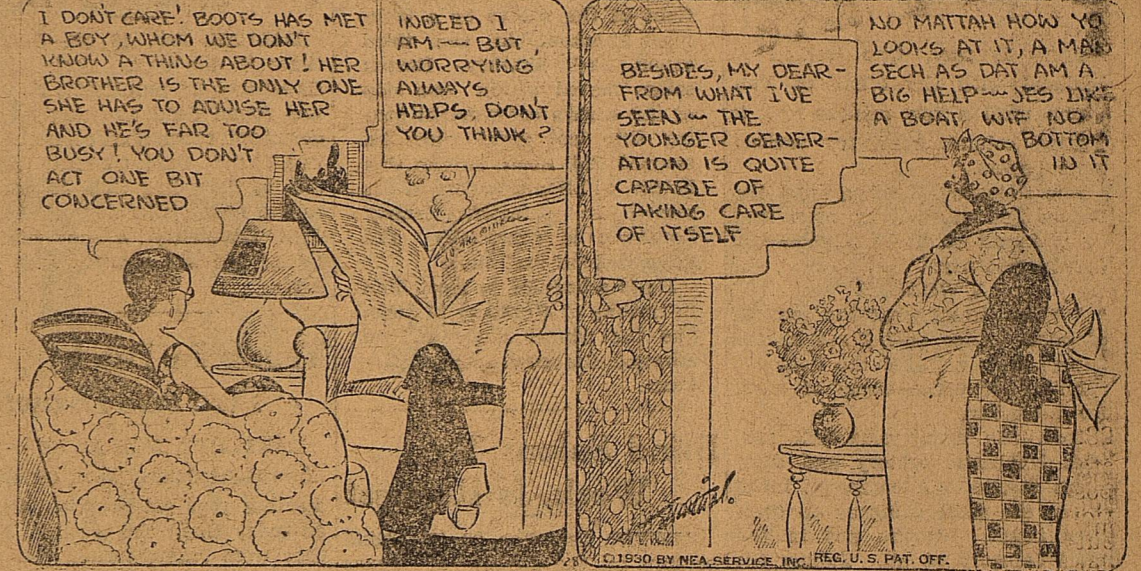


"Why can'tcha practice your tap routine earlier?" "I gotta wait till that sax tooter up stairs gets home."

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



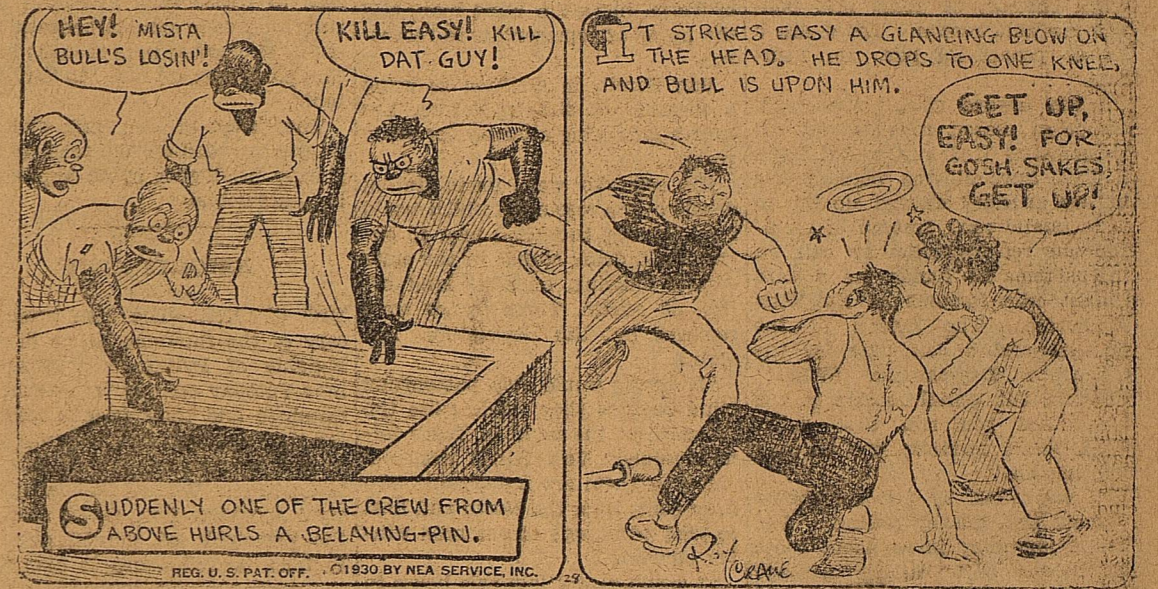
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A writer says there is a great danger of women's athletics becoming too closely imitative of men's.

Maybe Congress ought to be adjourned for a while until they get this parrot fever under control.

This is the time of year when every editor must beware the Order of March.

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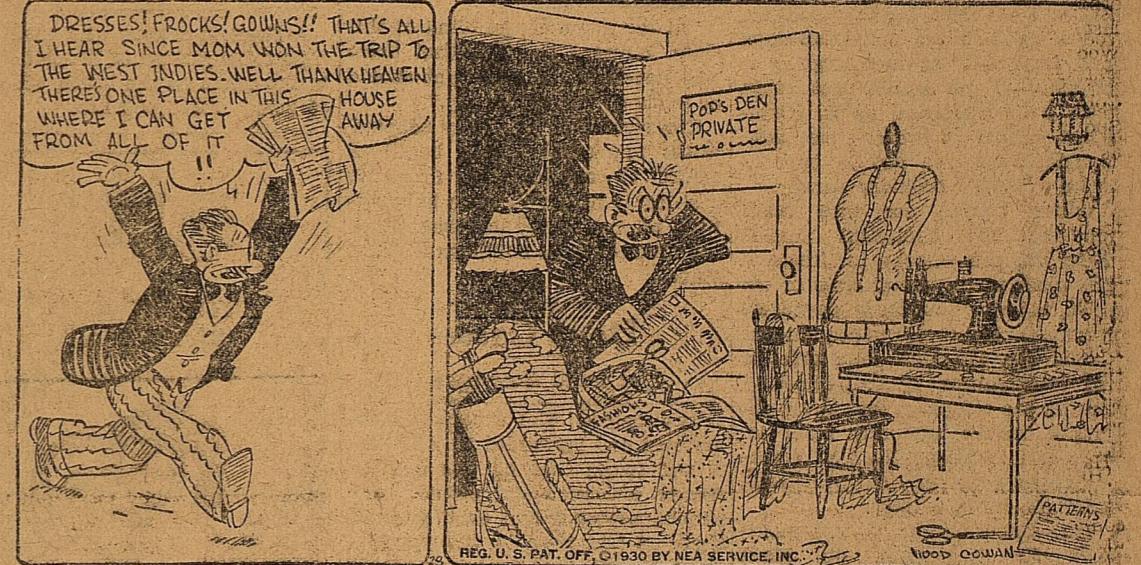
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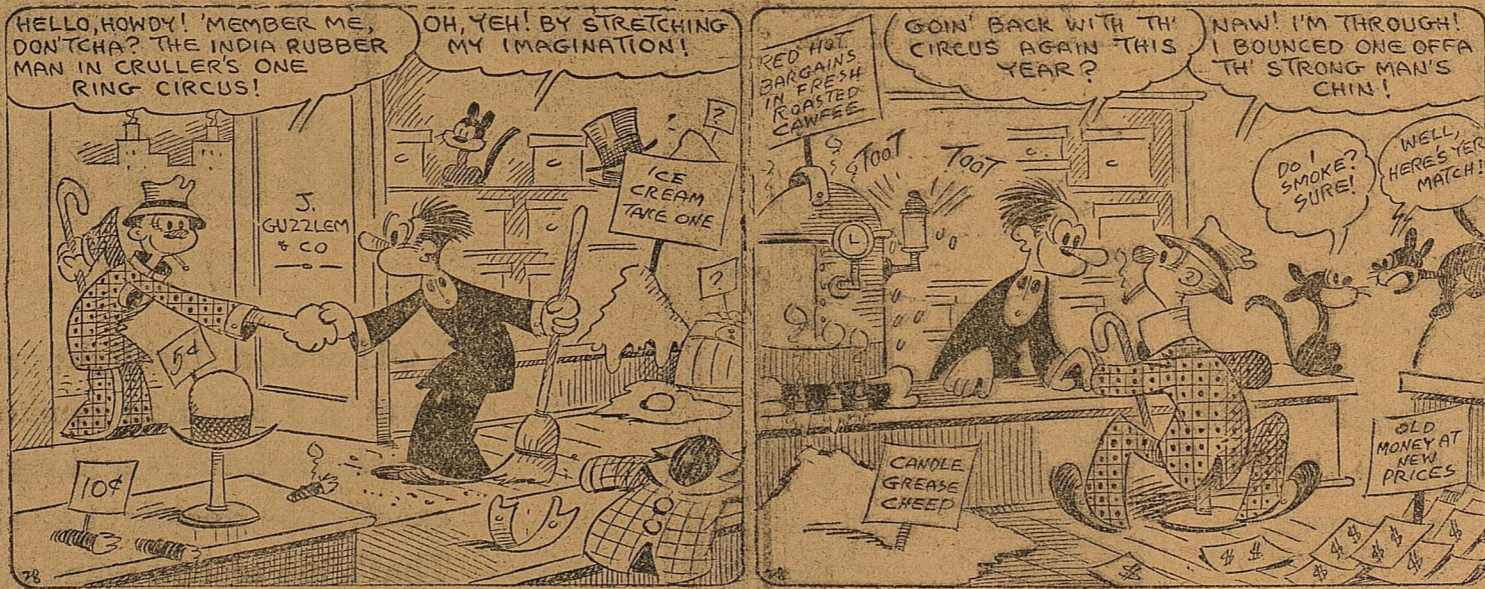
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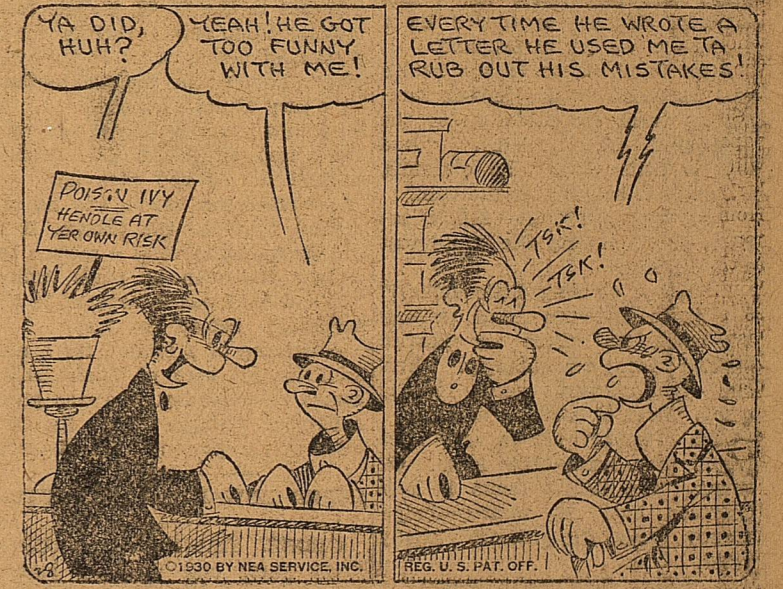
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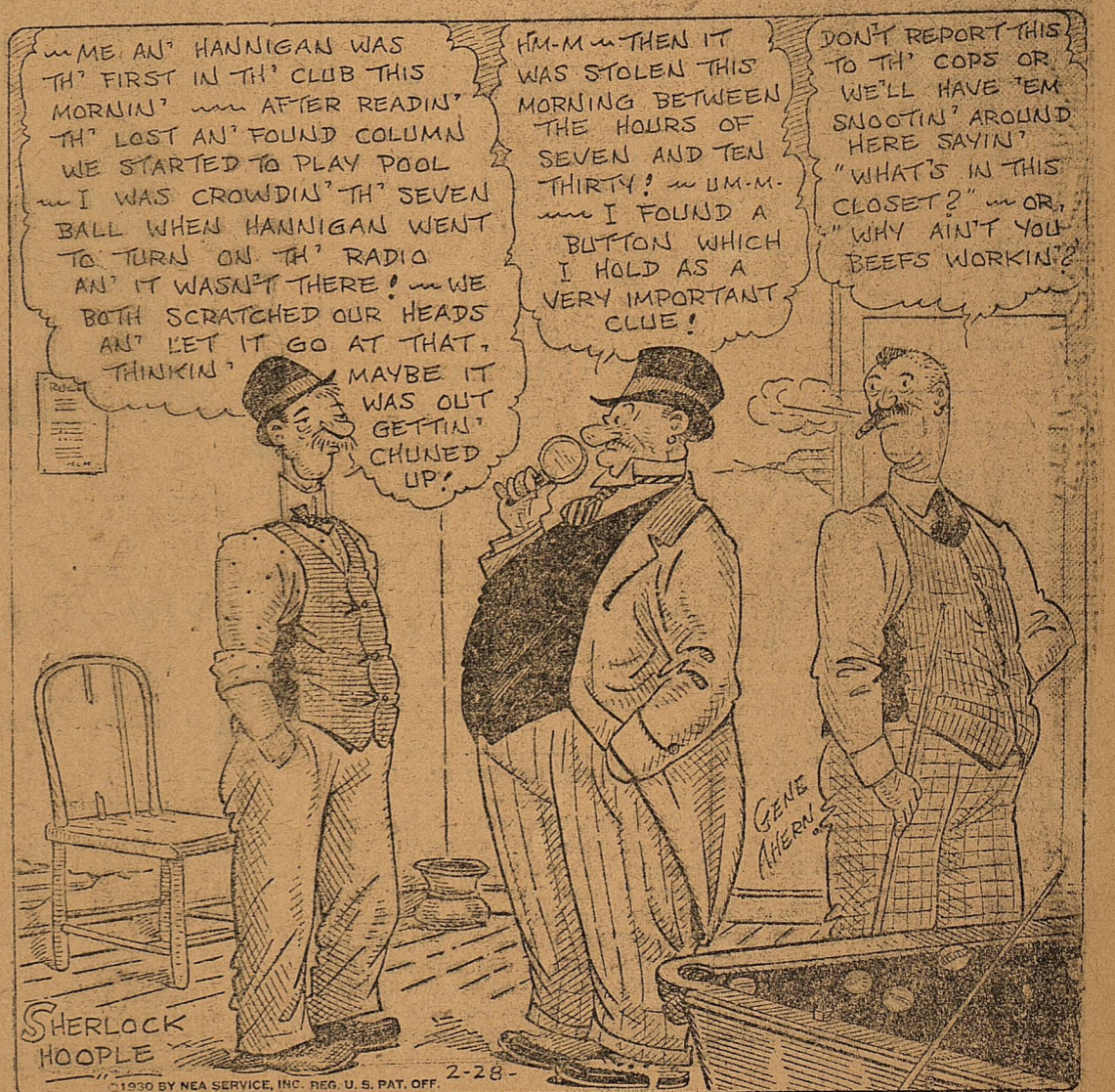
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