

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to night and Tuesday; scattered showers in southeast portion.

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HOWARD'S SENTENCE COMMUTED

Ambassador to Italy Named in Suit Filed in Court Here

CASE TO COME UP IN SEPT.

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The United States ambassador to Italy has been named party to a suit filed in the district court here.

John W. Garrett, appointed early this year to fill the vacancy created by Henry P. Fletcher, is one of the defending parties in the case of Petroleum Building, Inc. vs Mercantile Trust Co. of Baltimore et al.

The case, number 5352 lists as some of the defending parties John W. Garrett, Robert Garrett, James C. Fenhagen, T. Stockton Matthews, Edwards K. Dunn and Mercantile Trust Co., Baltimore, composed of Joseph W. Walker, trustee, Joseph Francis agent, and J. M. Caldwell, attorney, and partnership members of the firm of Robert Garrett & Sons.

Injunction Granted

A last minute application for an injunction to restrain the sale of the Petroleum building, filed by R. L. Stennis of Dallas and Dunaway & Lee of Midland, was granted in district court by Hon. Chas. L. Klapproth, at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The application was founded on the fact that plaintiff had an inadequate remedy at law, and that the deed of trust provided for a usurious rate in interest.

The application was granted only after thorough consideration and on the presentation of authorities by both parties. J. M. Caldwell of Midland was seeking to sell the property as agent and attorney for the trustees under authority granted him. Caldwell also represented defendant in opposing application for the injunction.

Bond Set

The court indicated that it would call a special term of court of the parties so desired in order to expediate a final determination of the respective rights of the parties litigant. No request for a special term was made at this time in order to allow non-resident parties time for a decision with reference thereto.

The injunction bond was set by the court at \$15,000, and the parties indicated that the bond would be made and filed forthwith, after which a restraining order will be served on J. M. Caldwell to prevent his selling the property.

The property had previously been advertised to be sold between the legal hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. on the first Tuesday of May, the same being May 6, 1930, but in view of the restraining order by the court the sale will not be made as advertised.

Suit Is Filed

The suit is filed and awaiting the disposition of the next term of court, in September, unless the parties litigant agree to make request for a special term so as to dispose of the suit earlier.

Auto Accidents Fatal To Three

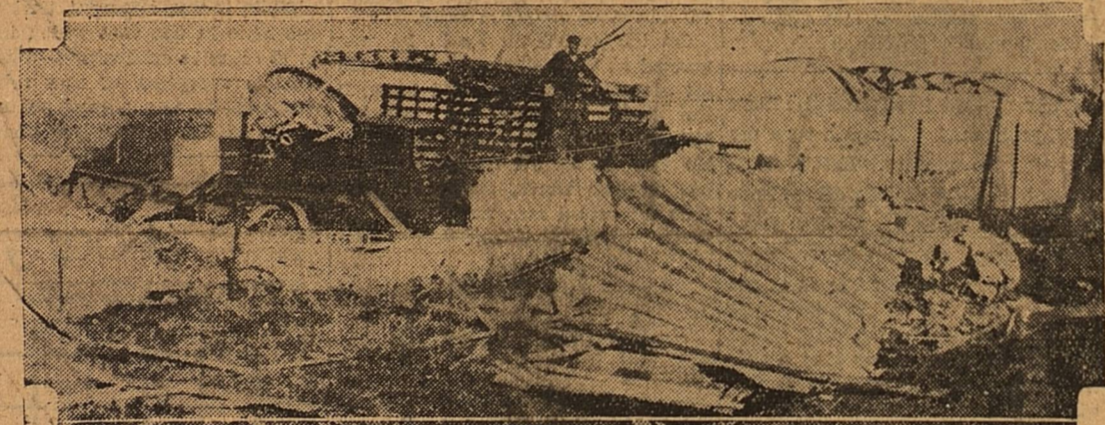
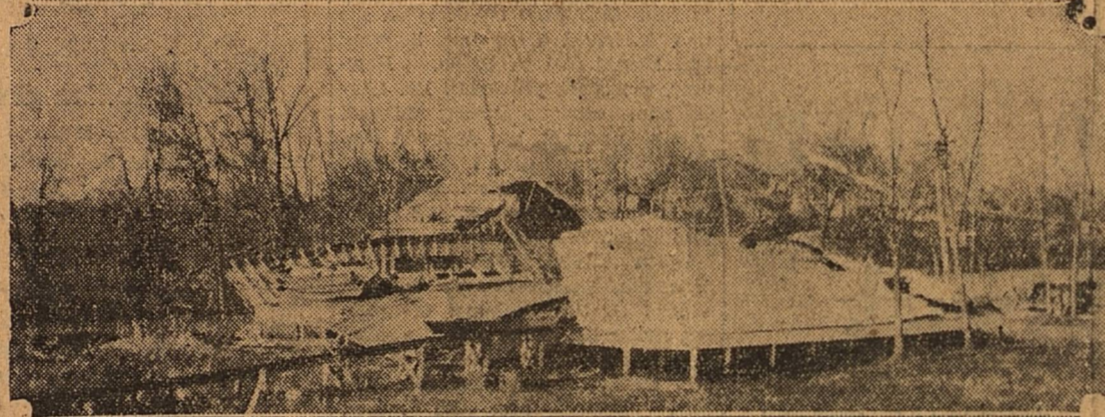
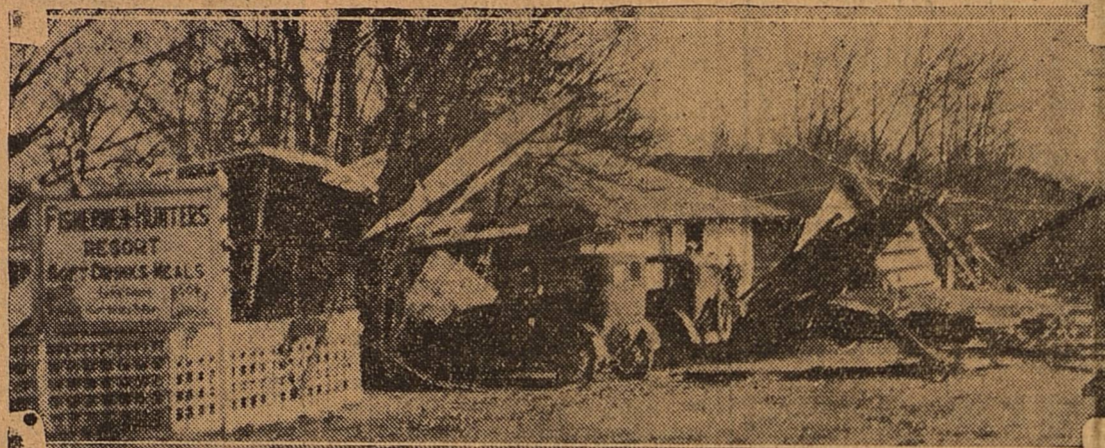
CORPUS CHRISTI, May 5. (P)—Three persons were killed in this vicinity yesterday as result of automobile accidents. Emmett Pittman was killed near Kingsville when he was struck by an automobile while standing on the running board of another car.

Alphonso Enrique, three years old, was killed near Violet when an automobile was struck by a train. Edward Clark, 17, died of injuries suffered in an automobile collision.

BOTTLE MAKERS LIABLE

WASHINGTON, May 5. (P)—Persons who sell bottles, barrels, corks or labels are subject to prosecution under the prohibition law, the articles are offered in such a way as to purposely attract purchasers who intend to manufacture intoxicating liquor illegally.

Storm Hits Midwest



Above: Storms which swept through Middle West states over the week-end left trails of death and destruction. At least 24 persons were killed and property damage amounted to huge sums. This picture shows ruins of Sorenson's resort on Channel Lake at Antioch, Ill. Center photo: All that was left of the Blue Lantern dance hall on Channel Lake, Antioch, Ill., after being struck Thursday night by one of the worst storms of the year. Richard Channon of Antioch was crushed under the roof of his cottage and died later at the Waukegan Hospital. Below: Ruins of part of Antioch Packing company plant at Antioch, Ill., following the storm which swept the Middle West.

5,500 People Taken In Midland Census

School girls and boys have joined the census taking crews of Midland. Principals of the various schools with Principal D. D. Shiflett of Midland high school in general charge, began Monday taking names and addresses of all parents whose name have not been enumerated in the census.

The chamber of commerce signed up 13 new people Monday morning. Names of unenumerated people are still being reported to The Midland Reporter-Telegram. The revised rolls now show about 5,500 people, and everybody must report everybody who hasn't been counted if Midland is to get a population of 6,000 or more, it was declared Monday.

Producing Horizon Big Lake Determined

AUSTIN, Texas, May 5.—Determination of the producing horizon of the deep wells of the Big Lake oil field in Reagan County, West Texas, as Ordovician has been announced by Dr. E. H. Sellards, associate director of the Bureau of Economic Geology at the University of Texas.

"This announcement is based upon fossils found in cores by H. P. Bybee and J. E. Grant, which have been identified by E. O. Ulrich as representing the Simpson formation," Dr. Sellards said. "A similar determination has been made from the micro-fossils by B. H. Harlan and others.

"The identification of this horizon as Ordovician is a very important addition to our knowledge of the stratigraphy of the Permian Basin and its petroleum possibilities. The first well to reach this horizon came in as a producer on December 2, 1928, and up to the end of March, 1930, had produced 1,103,894 barrels of oil. Several other wells have now been drilled. These wells, which are on the University of Texas land, are the deepest oil producing wells."

BRADY TRIAL IS OPENED; READING OF NAMES STARTS

DALLAS, May 5. (UP)—John W. Brady, gray haired veteran of many court battles, went to trial here today on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Lehlia Highsmith, supreme court stenographer, at Austin November 9.

Talesmen Called In Colliers Suit

BROWNSVILLE, May 5. (UP)—A special panel of talesmen gathered here today to determine whether Collier's weekly magazine, in an article regarding Texas politics, libeled two leaders in this community. The case is that of R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman, against Collier's. Creager alleges the magazine libelled him in two articles.

To Set Out Shrubs On Church Lawn

Work on the Presbyterian church lawn is nearing an end, with the men of the church waiting for shrubbery to arrive. The men have plowed and leveled the lawn and resodded it and it is ready for the shrubbery to be planted. The work will cost over \$100, according to church officials.

Tickets Selling Rapidly For Concert

Tickets for "Adam and Eva," Midland little theatre's last offering for the season, will be placed on sale at the Midland Drug Co., Tuesday morning.

Mrs. John Shipley will be in charge of the sales on this day. Mrs. Aubrey S. Legg will be in charge of the booth Wednesday. Mrs. R. W. Pattenon Thursday morning and Mrs. H. M. Bayer that afternoon.

The play will be given at the Yucca theatre Thursday evening of this week. At first scheduled for Tuesday evening, the new date is not necessarily a change as much as a recovery of the regular week night used by the play group. The change was affected through the courtesy of John Bonner, attached to the management staff of the Midland Theatres, Inc.

Air Piracy Case Opens Tomorrow

ST. LOUIS, May 5. (U)—The Government's first "air piracy" case brings an eccentric amateur detective, once a washing machine salesman, into federal court here tomorrow. George W. Fellows until last December enlisted evenings for radio fans by operating a station here. He was charged with operating the station without license and broadcasting programs without consent or originating a station. A possible penalty was five years or \$5,000 or both.

OPEN MURDER TRIAL

FLORESVILLE, May 5. (UP)—Trial of Dr. C. W. Butler of Crockett for murder of R. W. Lorenz, member of a prominent Stockdale family, was scheduled to open here tomorrow. Lorenz, agent for the Gulf Refining company, a former Texas ranger and Wilson county deputy sheriff was shot to death February 12 in front of the home of Dr. R. S. Sells, his father-in-law.

Whiskey Melon Crop Planned

GATESVILLE, N. C., May 5. (UP)—A perplexing prohibition question may face the courts here next summer if plans of a Gates county farmer materialize.

The farmer plans to plant a large patch of watermelons, and when they are matured and almost ripe, apply whiskey.

The method consists of cutting a hole in the stem of each watermelon vine, inserting a twisted stand of cotton with the end in a bottle of whiskey. The watermelon is supposed to absorb the whiskey and acquire a kick and odor second to none.

"Business is good, and I contemplate applying for a patented trade name for my products—whiskey melons," the farmer said.

GANDHI ARRESTED AND IMPRISONED; TROOPS MUSTERED

BOMBAY, May 5. (P)—Mahatma M. K. Gandhi attained the martyrdom which he has sought today when he was arrested by British authorities for leading a passive resistance campaign against British rule in India.

He was imprisoned in the Yeroda jail under ordinance 1827, meaning that he will be held without trial. Strong forces of British and Indian troops were ordered mustered for emergencies resulting from demonstrations against leaders in the imprisonment.

BLAKENEY HEADS GROUP TO DRIVE TO HOBBS SOON

B. H. Blakeney was appointed chairman of the On To Hobbs committee at a meeting of the auto and retailers committee of the chamber of commerce held Monday morning. R. D. Scruggs, chairman of the committee, placed Blakeney in charge of railroad ticket sales. The committee will meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Committeemen went to work this morning signing up people to make the trip to Stanton tomorrow afternoon at 5:15. Autos will start assembling at 5 o'clock on Wall street between the Scruggs-Buick and City Grocery. Cars carrying band members will be in front.

Committeemen at work Monday were Raymond Upham, W. F. Heil, R. D. Scruggs, J. P. H. McMullan, John Bonner, Clyde Barron and C. A. McChintich.

Those who will take band members are: R. J. Moore, F. J. Middleton, Raymond Upham, John Bonner, Joe Chambers, Mrs. John Haley, Clyde Barron, W. F. Heil, B. H. Blakeney, Thomas McGuire, and R. D. Scruggs.

Christians Convene At Fort Worth Today

AUSTIN, Tex., May 5. (P)—Forty-four conferences on church work were headlines of the program of the Texas Christian Church convention which convened here today. Sessions were to continue through Thursday.

LOCAL STORE CLOSED

Doors of Kimberlin Bros., Inc., local clothing store, remained closed today. A notice on the door read "closed by order of the United States district court in bankruptcy, J. L. Tweedy, Receiver." The notice was dated from San Angelo, Texas.

Prince Carol Has New Love



A new star has appeared on the romantic horizon of former Crown Prince Carol, of Roumania, on the eve of his attempted reconciliation with his former wife, Princess Helen, mother of the boy King Michael. It is disclosed that the new star is the famous beauty, Mme. Elvira Popescu. Picture shows King Michael with his mother, the former Princess Helen of Greece. (Lower) Princess Carol and Mme. Lupescu, the beauty for whom the former Crown Prince gave up the Roumanian throne, and Princess Helen.

LATE FLASHES

NASHUA, New Hampshire, May 5. (P)—Armed with rifles, national guardsmen patrolled fire blackened streets today after the worst conflagration in the state's history. Seven hundred persons were homeless, 225 homes and business buildings were destroyed, and damage was estimated at \$2,500,000.

LIVERPOOL, England, May 5. (UP)—A terrific explosion extensively damaged Bibby's cake mills in the central part of the city today, setting fire to the three upper stories. Officials said that six are believed to be dead and at least 100 injured.

LAREDO, May 5. (P)—Six hours after the home of Mrs. Natalie Chavez, San Antonio, was robbed of \$5,800 cash, Felix Flores was in county jail here charged in San Antonio with burglary. Police recovered \$449 from the man, San Antonio officers, with an arrest warrant, were expected here today to return the prisoner.

McALESTER, Okla., May 5. (UP)—R. F. Vandever, 26, Eldorado, Arkansas, and Dewey Billings, 32, Yellville, Arkansas, were killed today when a Rock Island train ran over them. The men, workers on a railroad gang, were reported asleep on tracks.

Fancy Goodwill Hats Now on Sale

Fancy good will trip hats are now on sale at the office of the Midland chamber of commerce. They are being sold at cost which is 38 cents each.

Midland people are asked to get their hats today and Tuesday to wear to Stanton at 5:15 Tuesday afternoon, May 6, and to wear again May 13 on the special train trip to Hobbs.

It is pointed out that if people wait until the last minute to buy the hats, they may not be able to get them. The hats were 50 short of the needed number on Midland's recent auto goodwill trip to Lovington. This time only 175 hats were bought. The first 175 people who call for hats will get them.

FORT WORTH, May 5. (P)—John Alsup went to trial today for the murder of Isaac Tate, one of two negroes killed in an attempted robbery on the Polytechnic State bank several weeks ago. The court denied a motion for severance filed by Alsup counsel asking that Alsup be tried after A. P. Boyd, charged an accomplice in Tate's slaying. Both men were also charged with murder in killing of the other negro, George Terrell.

DALLAS, May 5. (P)—After a lengthy conference, defense attorneys today announced ready for the second murder trial of former Judge John Brady, Austin, alleged to have stabbed to death Lehlia Highsmith, stenographer, November 9. Brady's first trial at Austin in which insanity induced by chronic alcoholism was the defense, resulted in a hung jury. The state previously announced ready.

LOS ANGELES, May 5. (UP)—Frank Goldsborough, 19, aviator who claimed a new junior transcontinental flight record today, said he will attempt to better his own time flying back to New York. He planned to leave tomorrow. He will try to cut his own time of 34 hours and three minutes.

WAS TO GO TO CHAIR MAY NINTH

Indicted With Ham In Connection With Nixon Murder

AUSTIN, May 5. (P)—Governor Moody today announced he would commute to life imprisonment the death sentence against Percy Howard, given the extreme penalty for the murder of N. V. Nixon, El Paso chauffeur, ten years ago. The latest execution date was May 9.

W. S. Ham, indicted with Howard for the Nixon murder, recently made a statement retracting testimony given in the Howard trial. Howard's former wife, a star witness against him, wrote the governor that she gave false testimony. Ham was recently sentenced to 25 years. It was after conviction that Ham exonerated Howard.

MIDLAND WOMEN INJURED WHEN AUTO OVERTURNS

Mrs. A. C. Francis sustained broken ribs and Mrs. E. E. Stevens received painful bruises in an automobile accident 70 miles this side of Austin Saturday when they were returning from a visit with Margaret Francis and Wade Stevens, students in Texas University.

Mrs. J. O. Garlington and daughter, Evelyn, were with Mesdames Francis and Stevens but were unhurt. The accident occurred when a tire on the automobile went flat causing the car to overturn in a sandy stretch of road.

Mrs. Francis was given emergency treatment at a small town and the party proceeded to Midland.

Ohio Convicts Hurt In Fresh Rebellion

COLUMBUS, May 5. (P)—One convict was near death today and another suffering from injuries as a result of fresh disturbances among rebellious penitentiary convicts.

Rufus Deeds, beaten by fellow convicts, was not expected to live. He was found on a cot in a tented stockade erected within the yard to house prisoners who kept the institution in a turmoil for days after the fire which took the lives of 320 convicts.

DERRICK IN BIG SPRING

BIG SPRING.—A steel derrick has been erected on the court house lawn which will be lighted and used to advertise the oil exhibition to be held here on July 3, 4 and 5. The program is being sponsored by the local oil fraternity which will be in charge of Chris Ming, director.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



Men are like puppies; you have to string them along or they'll get away. 6456

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REWARDS AND PENALTIES

This business of handing out rewards and penalties seems, sometimes, to be just a bit too complicated for us benighted mortals to deal with properly.

Some of the things that happened in the Ohio penitentiary fire make a good case in point.

There was, for instance, the guard who had the only key to cells in the top tier of the burning cell block.

He refused to unlock the cells until it was too late. If he had let the prisoners out promptly, when the alarm of fire first reached him, scores of lives would have been saved.

Our tendency is to blame him severely. But consider his position a minute.

There he was, responsible for some scores of convicts. Prison riots in various parts of the country have been numerous lately. His cell block begins to fill with smoke and the convicts demand that they be released.

What is he to do? For all he knows, there may be much smoke and little fire—a smudge, set by the prisoners to force him to open their cells. It must have seemed to him that there was at least an even chance that the whole business was just a cleverly devised attempt at a wholesale jail delivery.

If his suspicion had been correct, and he had opened the doors, would he not have come in for severe condemnation? It isn't quite as easy to pass judgment on that man as it looks on the surface. He was put in a tough position. He made a mistake—but how many of us would have done better, in his place?

Then there is a certain notorious bank robber, a prisoner in that penitentiary, who shone as a hero on the night of the fire. At great risk to himself, he went to the burning cell block and carried out seven convicts. He saved seven lives, in other words, because he was brave enough not to care about his own.

This man has served enough time so that he is technically eligible for a parole. And one's first impulse, on reading of what he did, is to say that he should be given one, at once, as a reward for his daring.

Surely, if a man can earn his right to freedom this man has done so. But there is another side of it. He is an old offender—the kind of man we call a hardened criminal. If he were freed, the chances are that some bank would be held up within a month. He deserves his freedom, perhaps; but can the state, in simple justice, give it to him?

And there you are. Deciding what is justice for our fellow mortals is a pretty complicated job. Sitting in judgment isn't as easy as it looks.

COPS AND COMMUNISTS

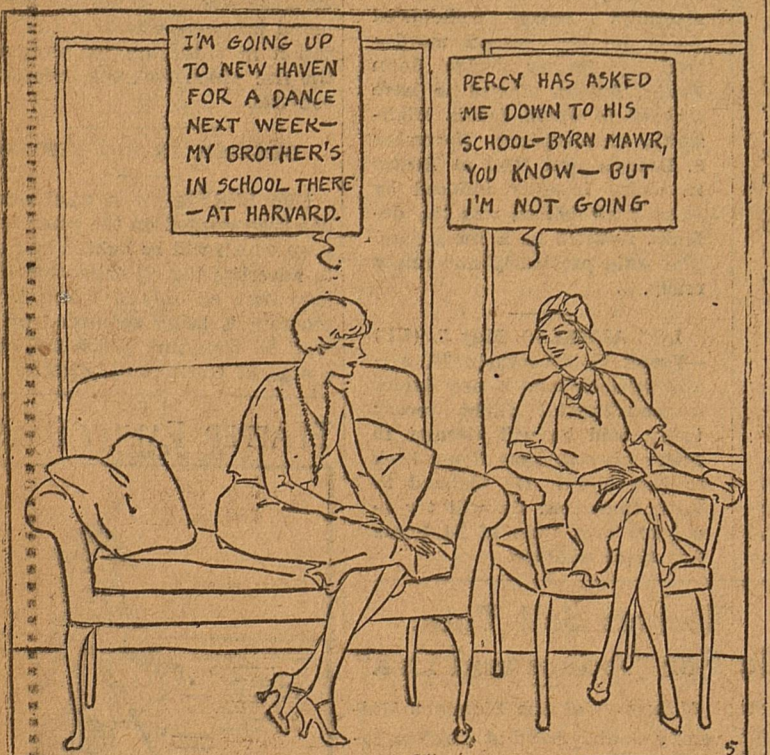
New York's police have not shown much intelligence in their handling of Communist demonstrations. But maybe, after all, they are learning.

The other day the Communists held a great mass meeting to protest against police brutality. They drew a big crowd, and took up a large collection to aid their cause. The collection was so large, in fact, that the Communists were afraid they might be robbed. So they asked for—and got—a police guard to look after it.

Thus, while the Communists shouted their abhorrence of the police, a squad of uniformed cops stood by and guarded the Communists' money bags.

There is something rather funny about that story, somehow. If the police had had sense enough to act that way at all the Communists' recent demonstration, the agitators' guns would have been very effectively spiked.

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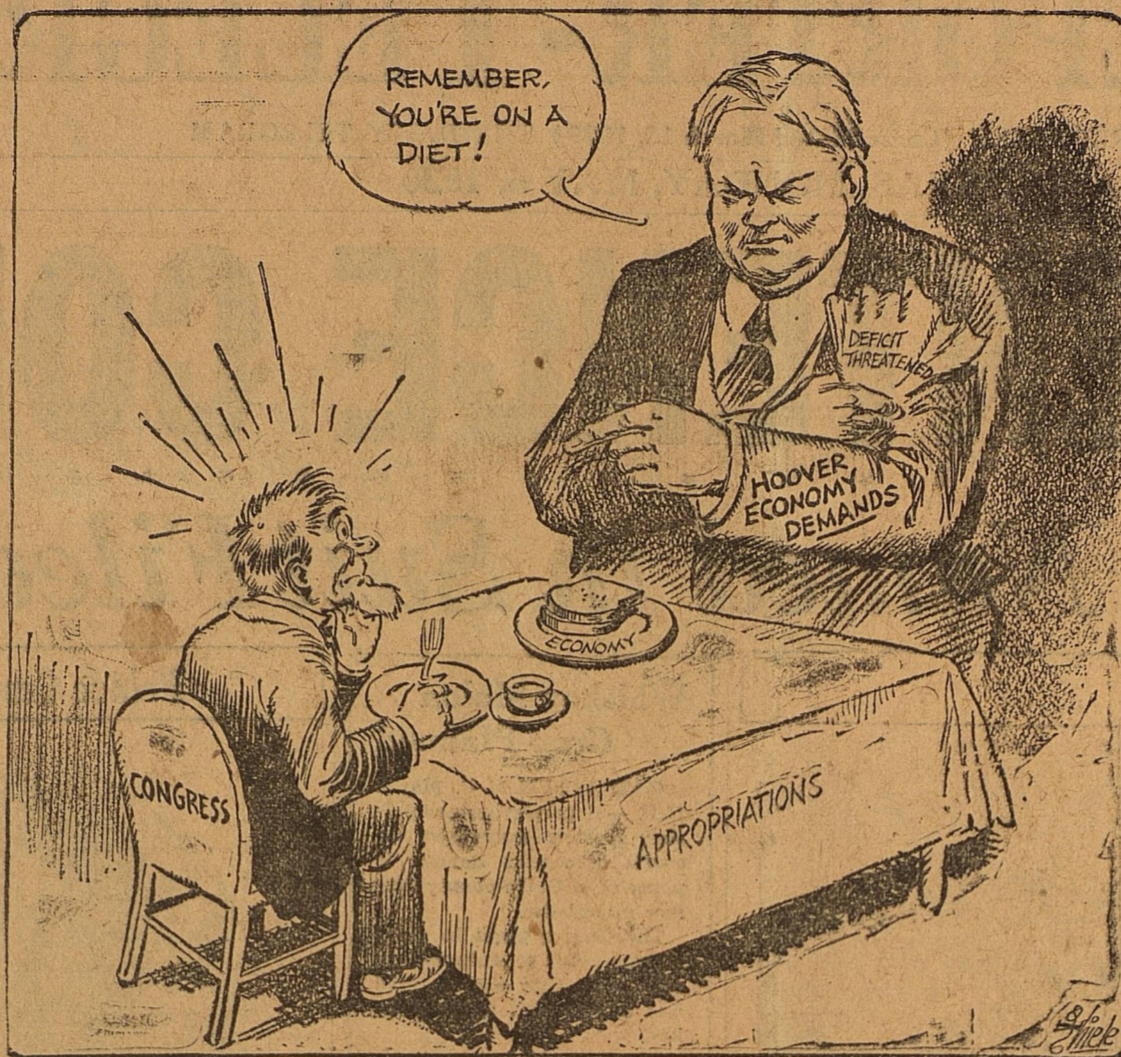
1930's Scrambled

CRIRKED

Good for a raise.

There are at least four mistakes in the above picture. They may be mistakes you find, and 20 for the title to grammar, history, etiquette, word if you unscramble it. Today, bleed word below—and unscramble on back page, we'll explain the mistakes and tell you the word. Then find them. Then look at the scrambling and you can see how near a hundred you drawing or whatnot. See if you can

The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table!



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

Approaching Her 100th Birthday, Mother Jones Recalls Anecdotes of Stormy Days When She Fought Labor's Wars—and She's Sorry She Was Peaceful Once

WASHINGTON, May 5.—As white-haired Mother Jones prepared to spend her hundredth birthday on May 1 in what probably is her deathbed at a farmhouse near the capital, other old-times labor leaders recalled anecdotes of her vivid career which illustrated the old lady's flaming spirit, her unflinching wit and her resourcefulness.

Mother's favorite concerned the time she "blew up the bull." It was after coal strikes in West Virginia. The miners had gained political control of a town of 2000 or 3000 souls and there was factional strife among them.

This hotel had its office in a bar-room downstairs and about a dozen rooms on the only other floor. The second, it had old-fashioned transoms and by listening through hers Mother Jones followed the movements of "the bull."

At that point she tiptoed out, down and across the street to the general store. She told the clerk her little nephew up north didn't believe people exploded fireworks at Christmas time and she wished she could send him some fireworks just to prove it.

The "bull" was still snoring. Mother opened the four packages of little ones and tied them together making a long fuse. She put a chair in front of the door of the "bull" and mounted it with the crackers and two matches. First she laid the six big ones out on a row on the ledge of the transom. Rapidly she lit the four packages, dropped them on the floor and ran a lighted match along the fuses of the cannon crackers.

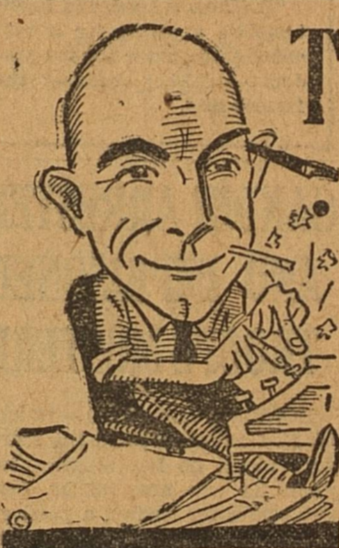
The explosion sent the "bull" jumping through the window into an eight-foot snow bank. There, according to Mother, he kept yelling "Good God, I'm kilt!" until they pulled him out. Meanwhile Mother herself was striding down to the office demanding: "Is this a decent house or isn't it? What's all this noise mean?"

Then there was the time she got into Denver with a mission and was met by a lieutenant of militia with orders to take her in custody to a hotel. She suggested the best hotel in town and got it. Then she wanted to eat.

"Who's paying for this meal?" she demanded and the lieutenant twice assured her that the eats were on the State of Colorado.

Mother promptly ordered the entire bill of fare. It took six trays to bring it in.

Nearly 30 years ago during a hard coal strike in Pennsylvania the min-



The Town Quack

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

Headline in Pecos Enterprise says, "Question of Ball Team is Brewing." Just such a question as the Bush-ers here are having. They demanded wider and deeper beer mugs, and now the question is brewing. Who will brew enough to keep the beer mugs filled.

Over at Odessa, according to the Odessa News-Times, band boys were in a wreck. Although a car was demolished, it is feared that not a saxophone was even wounded.

I guess you read about the advice the agriculture professor gives his class. "When you think farming conditions are against you, hear no weevil, see no weevil, think no weevil."

My advice to a farmer is to not only think no weevil, but also think no cotton. Think feed, farmers, and feed it to a calf.

ers wanted to chase "scabs" out of the mines. But troops were camped in the mountains nearby and it was necessary to keep them there. Mother Jones organized what is famous in Siole county as the "charge of the broomstick brigade."

During the night she led some 600 miners' wives and daughters, armed with brooms, into the hills. In the morning the troops found themselves surrounded by women and brooms. For hours the army of Mother Jones shouted taunts and abuse of the most insulting variety. The girls promised that if anyone picked up a gun they would charge them with the brooms. Then they could kill unarmed women if they dared. The commanding officer was stumped.

Meanwhile the strikers were cleaning out the mines, chasing the "scabs" off into the country. Finally they sent word to Mother Jones that the job was done and the broomstick brigade marched away, thumbing its noses.

"You know, I don't believe in violence, but sometimes I think I've done wrong in opposing it," said Mother Jones over a glass of beer one day as she recalled the Oeur d'Alene mine strike.

"I was with a lot of boys coming over the mountains to help the boys in another town and they'd marched all night. We looked down from the hill and there were the — of militia driving the miners and their families out of their homes in the cold gray dawn and some of them only in their underwear.

"Those boys with me were going to throw dynamite down on those — of militia and I held their hands and told 'em they mustn't.

"But now, when I think of what

And now that I've solved the farm relief problem, I will again turn my attention to politics. That's what most of the farm relief workers have up their sleeves anyway, office seeking. If they didn't have, they wouldn't care whether the farm got relief or not.

I heard the other day that a politician who is itching to be elected will be helped. Many a politician starts off gently, with just a mere rash or skin irritation. Maybe some office holder got under his skin. But when he stays in the race a while he begins to itch more and more for the job. Most all candidates are going to get scratched, even those who don't have opponents. The main thing is not to get scratched too much. If you do, it may take more than the balm of sympathy to cure you. You may feel like retiring to a hermitage. I hope to announce soon whether or not I will enter the campaigns this summer.

TODAY IS THE ANNIVERSARY OF ARBOR DAY

Arbor Day, the annual tree-planting day now generally observed throughout the United States and in parts of Canada and Great Britain, was originated in the state of Nebraska in 1872. While Nebraska commemorates the day on April 22, most states observe it on May 5. The particular date selected necessarily varies with the climate and season, from January in Florida to April or May in most of the northern states.

The pioneer mover was J. Sterling Morton, member of the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture and later secretary of agriculture during President Cleveland's second term. He offered a resolution recommending that people throughout the state plant trees on the day named with the stipulation that the board offer a prize of \$100 to the agriculture society or that county which should plant the greatest number of trees.

In 1876 Michigan and Minnesota took up the Arbor Day idea and similar action was soon taken in other states. The day is now the occasion of impressing upon children in the schools the importance of forestry.

Beauty experts say women will grow to look like men if they keep on smoking. That's enough to burn 'em up.

Then there is the Hebrew who is so devout that on playing chess he referred to his bishop as a rabbi.

Western Life a Puzzle To King of Abyssinia

Man Who Proclaimed Himself Ruler of His Land Visited Europe But Couldn't Understand Peaceful Elections

By MINOTT SAUNDERS NEA Service Writer

PARIS, May 5.—When Ras Tafari, who had been co-ruler of Abyssinia for many years, recently proclaimed himself King of Kings, successor to the Queen of Sheba and descendant of King Solomon, he didn't surprise his friends in France. On his visit to this country several years ago, Ras Tafari made it quite plain that he might be expected to do unexpected things from a political point of view.

"What good is an army to the head of a state unless he can use it to fight for him," the Ras remarked as he departed puzzled by the strange ways of western civilization. Western ideas were just too much for the Ras. He could not understand the need for peaceful elections, and he expressed himself accordingly.

Remembering this, his French friends were not surprised when they heard that in the political intrigue and bloodshed which enveloped Abyssinia for some time, the Ras should emerge as ruler. The methods by which he accomplished this coup still remain something of a mystery in Europe. The Ras assumed sole power on the death of his aunt, the Empress Zaudita, who was reported to have died from shock when she was informed that her husband had been killed in battle. However, the court physician, Dr. Garabedian, after removing himself to a safe retreat, has declared that the Ras didn't die from shock, but from poison. And, intimates the physician, the Ras knows who administered it.

When Tafari, then regent of Abyssinia, visited Europe to have a look at the workings of western civilization, he attracted a great deal of attention. A colorful figure, tall, straight, black-bearded and with piercing eyes he moved through the crowds that surrounded him with majestic calm.

On his arrival in Paris, he was greeted at the railroad station with all ceremony and escorted through the streets of Paris by President Millerand and Premier Poincare. He was shown all the wonders of the western world, but the things that interested him most were new



When he visited France, Ras Tafari, above, who has proclaimed himself sole ruler of Abyssinia, tried to understand Western civilization but admitted that it was all a puzzle to him.

military weapons. He was taken in a submarine, and given a flight in the latest type airplane. Troops with great guns polished were lined up for his inspection.

While it was apparent that there was little in the visit which inspired the Ras to enthusiasm—with the possible exception of new military weapons—he was always polite and lavish in his acknowledgement of

favors rendered him. He gave jewels to many who won his favor, and to minor officials who escorted him he usually gave an elephant tusk. To several of the higher officials, he gave live zebras as a token of his esteem.

Quit the Country During his visit France had a political crisis. The national elections returned a large majority for the Socialists and Premier Poincare had to resign. President Millerand called upon Edouard Herriot, as Socialist leader, to form a government, but Herriot refused because the Socialists felt that Millerand, as president, had out-spokenly supported Poincare during the campaign, and a president of France is not supposed to have political leanings in office. So Millerand had to resign.

This was all explained to Ras Tafari. It meant nothing at all to him. Here, overnight, he found the country with a new president and a new premier. Yet there had been no fighting, no bloodshed. His friends, Millerand and Poincare, who had greeted him on his arrival were no longer in control of the country.

The Ras could understand this; but he couldn't understand why they should step out without fighting for their jobs. Then he made his prophetic remark: "What good is an army to a ruler of a state unless it can fight for him."

In the kindest manner, his French hosts attempted to explain it. But the Ras shook his head. No battles, nobody killed, not even a shot fired. With all that magnificent army, that strong navy, and that excellent air service, Millerand and Poincare had quit cold.

Sorrowfully, Ras Tafari prepared to quit the country. Surrounded by his large retinue, and distributing zebras, jewels, and elephant tusks on his way, he went home to live his own life. From Europe he had learned on thing—the value of the airplane as a military weapon. He introduced them to his own land. And when he became king he decorated a French aviator in his service for valor.

Political Announcements

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

For District Judge: CHAS. L. KLAPPROTH (Re-election)

For County Judge: C. R. WATSON M. R. HILL (Re-election) W. T. BRYANT W. EDWARD LEE

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

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

For Assessor and District Clerk: SUSIE GRAVES NOBLE IRA F. LORD J. WILLIAM ARNETT J. PAUL ROUNTREE NETTIE C. ROMER

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)

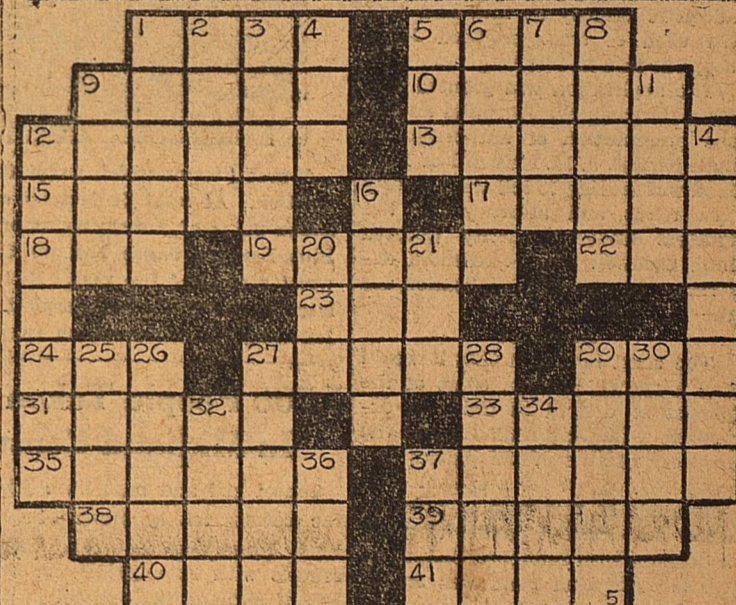
For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 1 S. R. PRESTON Precinct No. 1 H. G. BEDFORD Precinct No. 2 L. M. ESTES Precinct No. 3 D. L. HUTT

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

For County Surveyor: ROBERT E. ESTES (Re-election) R. T. BUCY

For Constable Precinct No. 1 R. D. LEE (Re-election)

Today's Puzzlers



- HORIZONTAL: 35 To wallow, 37 Verified, 1 Bow of a boat, 38 Shovel, 39 Valuable property, 5 To avouch, 9 Serf, 10 Parts of churches, 12 Habituated, 13 Concord, 15 Arrival, 17 Gleesman, 18 Sheep, 19 Net weights of containers, 22 X, 23 Ship's record, 24 Aurora, 27 Dance, 29 To splash, 31 Assessment rate, 33 Elsewhere.

- VERTICAL: 7 Bad, 8 To change a setting, 9 Winter rain, 4 Married, 11 Any, 12 Floating mass of ice, 14 Pin used in bowling, 16 Laughable, 20 Wing, 21 Self, 25 Paddle, 26 Hilt, 27 Bird of prey, 28 To analyze, 29 Dwelt, 30 To foment, 32 Grandparental, 34 Opposite of wil, 36 Guided, 37 To stroke.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN
Society Editor
Phone 7

Take Part In Production At T. C. U.

Misses Bennie Sue Ratliff and Fulalia Whitefield of Midland will have parts in the dancing chorus of Texas Christian University production of "The Chimes of Normandy" on the evening of May 10, according to advices received here from the school. Misses Ratliff and Whitefield will dance in the folk dances.

The performance is in charge of Dr. H. D. Guelick, head of the school of fine arts.

Approximately 300 girls from the department of physical education, under the direction of Mrs. Helen Murphy, will make up the dancing chorus for the opera. Sixty members of the Choral Club will make up the singing chorus.

The production is being given as the climax of Fort Worth's annual celebration of National Music Week and as a preliminary of T. C. U.'s observance of Mothers' Day.

Picnic At Cloverdale Park

A picnic at Cloverdale park late Sunday afternoon resolved itself into a family reunion, when members of various Hiett families and several friends were entertained with games and supper.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mrs. S. R. Stange, and son, S. R. Jr. Ben Thomas, and daughter, Patricia, C. C. Hiett, D. E. Scott, John Hiett, John Vaughan and children, H. M. Hiett, and sons, Bailey and Wallace. Mrs. Hollis Scarborough and children, Marcelle, Johnny and C. C., and Odell Ponder.

To Deliver Address At Caldwell School

Climaxing a series of engagements, among them one in Midland when he addressed the federated clubs of the city as the guest of the Mother's Culture club, Dr. H. T. Manuel, professor of educational psychology at the University of Texas, will deliver the commencement address before the high school graduating class of the Caldwell high school on May 23. The subject of Dr. Manuel's address will be "Learning Through Life." Dr. Manuel was well-liked as a speaker by those who heard him when he was in Midland. His talk preceded organization of a city federation.

E. Hastings, of the Southwest Bell Telephone company, Dallas, left this morning after several days' business in Midland.

There's Black Magic in the New Mode

By Betsy Schuyler,
NEA Service Writer.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Black continues to cast its shadow on all the smartest gatherings in this gay post-Lenten "little season."

At the Central Park Casino the other evening, the outstanding choice for gowns was black, with dead white running a close race. The most interesting black gown was princess line, with strips just like a bathing suit, meeting in the center of the front, crossing to pass over the opposite shoulder, and crossing again near the waistline in the rear over the backless décolletage.

Mrs. Eldred Warner compromised with this black and white vogue by wearing a stunning white flat crepe with big black flowers printed on it. While navy blue leads for street wear, Nathalie and Fifi LaMbeere demonstrated the increasing vogue for black suits, lunching at Pierre's the other noon, both with jackets that tied in front. The latter wore a black and white polka dotted chiffon blouse that was tremendously effective.

Straws Lead; Felts Are Good

So far as hats are concerned this spring, straws show which way the style winds blow. However, there are many sartorially perfect women who maintain there is nothing like the little felt for certain uses. June Blossom wears a turquoise blue felt with her turquoise blue cloth that proves the contention perfectly. And of course nothing could be smarter right now than to have a little beret made of the same material as your coat, dress, suit or even your blouse. Josephine August has many matching berets this year, and one that is particularly becoming to her vivacious self is a brown, black, red and beige tweed to go with a semi-



Mrs. Henry T. Fleitman



Elisabeth Downes (left) and Celeste McNeil

fitted sports coat of the same tweed. Little individual touches of chic show the smart woman's real personality, this year. At the Brooklyn Horse Show at the Riding and Driving Club, Elisabeth Downes wore a gay little frock with a little

picque collar that frilled tight around her throat. It was most effective on her slender young neck, very youthful and very jaunty. Celeste McNeil, of Philadelphia, who accompanied her, sponsored a handsome huge silver fox fur.

Daffodils are not the only yellow signs of spring these days. I have noted the union of bright yellow with navy blue, with black and a fleck of it in many of the new, bright, light mixed tweeds. Mrs. Henry T. Fleitman wore a smart outfit out at a Long Island sports event last week that consisted of a navy blue suit, flecked in white, with yellow jersey blouse and yellow and blue plaid silk scarf tied closely at the throat, in a big bow.

There are some new sports togs out these days. Mrs. Raymond H. Allen has a neat little tailored jacket of sheared lamb with notched collar and a belt that fastens tightly at the normal waistline. I saw her on Park Avenue with a polka dotted scarf tied in a loose knot and tucked into the jacket.

Long-Coated Ensemble Remains

In spite of the ubiquitousness of jackets of all kinds, the long-coated ensemble still persists its chic course. Grace Frieder strolled along Park Avenue the other morning in one that had a lovely handblocked silk for the frock that belted tightly at the waist and the same silk lined the coat of fine novelty worsted that was cut half-belted in the back and with long, wide revers.

Weddings positively fill up the social calendars these days. Germaine Prince, whose marriage to Jean H. Biche was a beautiful affair, forsook the traditional white bridal gown and went all pink, in a princess gown that was stunning in cut and tone.

At the Carolyn Storrs-Capt. Daniel E. Sickles wedding, the bride wore an arrestingly lovely gown of white chiffon, cut in the new Grecian style, and her enormous train of white tulle billowed out to tremendous length.



Grace Frieder

Mrs. G. T. Sandidge of Abilene is visiting in Midland.

Mrs. D. E. Skelton of Las Cruces, New Mexico, is in Midland visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Norwood.

Ben Cowden is here today from O'Donnell. He reports good rains all over the trade territory of that town during the week end. Hail damage late Friday consisted mostly of battered roofs as crops had not been planted. Cowden said.

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Personals

Seth Ingham and wife are in from the ranch south of Monahan.

Fred Turner and family returned late Sunday from a week end visit to Lubbock.

Herman Spaulding and T. Paul Barron returned Sunday afternoon from Lubbock. Spaulding went on today to Penwell.

W. J. Blackwell of Lockhart, Texas, is in Midland recuperating from illness.

Roy Parks of Midland spent the week end in Fort Worth.

Miss Vergie Locklar spent the week end with friends in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Persons owing Sudderth Chev. Co. notes or accounts, make payments at once or see T. M. Mooney or W. W. Stewart. 48-6-pz

Announcements

Tuesday

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian church meets at 2 o'clock with Mrs. J. S. Cordill.

The Edelweiss club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Henry Wolcott at the home of Mrs. Allen Tolbert.

Wednesday

The Colonial Card Club meets at 3 o'clock with Mrs. B. G. Graf.

Mrs. Chambers Peak will be hostess to the Kongenial Kard Klub at 3 o'clock.

The Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. A. P. Baker at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. George F. Brown's Bible class will be entertained in the home of Mrs. J. P. Inman at 3 o'clock. Mmes. F. H. Lanham and Alexander are to be co-hostesses. Members are asked to be present.

Thursday

The W. C. T. U. meets at 3:30 at the Christian Church.

The Mid-Alpha Delphian chapter meets with Mrs. Roy Parks at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Harry Neblett will be hostess to the Contract club at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. C. W. Alcorn will be hostess to the Thursday Bridge club at 3 o'clock.

Friday

Mrs. J. S. Noland will be hostess to the Belmont Bible class at 3:30.

The Joy De Vie club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Jack Homsley at 3 o'clock.

Mmes. O. C. Harper and C. L. Jackson will entertain members of the Thursday club and their husbands at a dinner bridge at Hotel Scharbauer at 7 o'clock.

Saturday

The Busy Bee club will have a market at M store No. 2. The money is to be used to send a delegation to A. & M. July 28, to attend the farmer's short course.

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Local Girl, Winner In State Typing Contest, To Try For International Award

The honor of being an entrant in the international typing contest to be held in Washington, D. C., has been automatically awarded to Evelyn Garlington, state winner in the interscholastic league typing contest, held Friday in Austin. She will also receive a free trip to Philadelphia.

At Lubbock, when she won the district contest, Miss Garlington received a gold medal. At Austin, she was given another gold medal, and a plaque of the seal of Texas. Her father, J. O. Garlington, made a substantial award of a \$50 bill. In

addition to all these honors, she received congratulatory telegrams from J. E. Hill for the local board of education, D. D. Shifflet for the Midland high school, and a group of high school students. Miss Garlington, in making 68 1/2 words per minute in the state contest, made a new record, the average being the highest ever made in interscholastic league contests in Texas. She won by an average of 64 1/2 words in the district meet. She is a senior, and a first year typing student, under the direction of Mrs. Clinton Myrick.

"Hoss Fly" Kelly On Cowboy Program

The Cowboy Band arrived in Midland this morning for its concert tonight under the auspices of the high school.

The varied program will include several novelty numbers, a "Chuck Wagon Trio" singing humorous ballads of the open range, a vocal soloist, and the champion lariat-twirler of Texas, "Hoss Fly" Kelly is the rope artist and audiences all agree that he knows his ropes. He can do tricks with them that baffle and please every spectator. He was formerly with Harley Sadler's show and aspires to succeed Will Rogers. Under the direction of D. O. Wiley, the Cowboys have been rehearsing daily for the past four weeks in preparation for this tour which carries them into ten cities of Western Texas and New Mexico. Tomorrow night the band will play in Big Spring under auspices of the Lions club there.

Following is the complete program:
1. Overture to William Tell—Rossini
2. Corinthian Polka—Losey
3. Bass Trombone Solo Played by Wm. Covington.
4. (a) Waltz from The Student Prince—Romberg.
(b) Serenade from The Student Prince—Romberg.
5. Chuck Wagon Trio
Byron, Simmons and Means.
6. Duet from Norma (O Hear Me Norma)—Bellini
Colby Delaney and Millard Shaw.
7. Selections from The Fortune Teller—Victor Herbert.
8. Arkansas Traveler—Concert arrangement by David Guion.
9. Cowboy Songs.
(a) Greer County—Oscar Fox.
(b) Whoopie Ti Yi Yo, Get Along Little Doggies—D. O. Wiley. Broughton Morgan.
10. Guarany—Carlo Gomez. Star Spangled Banner.
Concert Management: G. B. Sanderfer.
Mrs. W. R. Brooks of Warfield shopped in Midland this morning.



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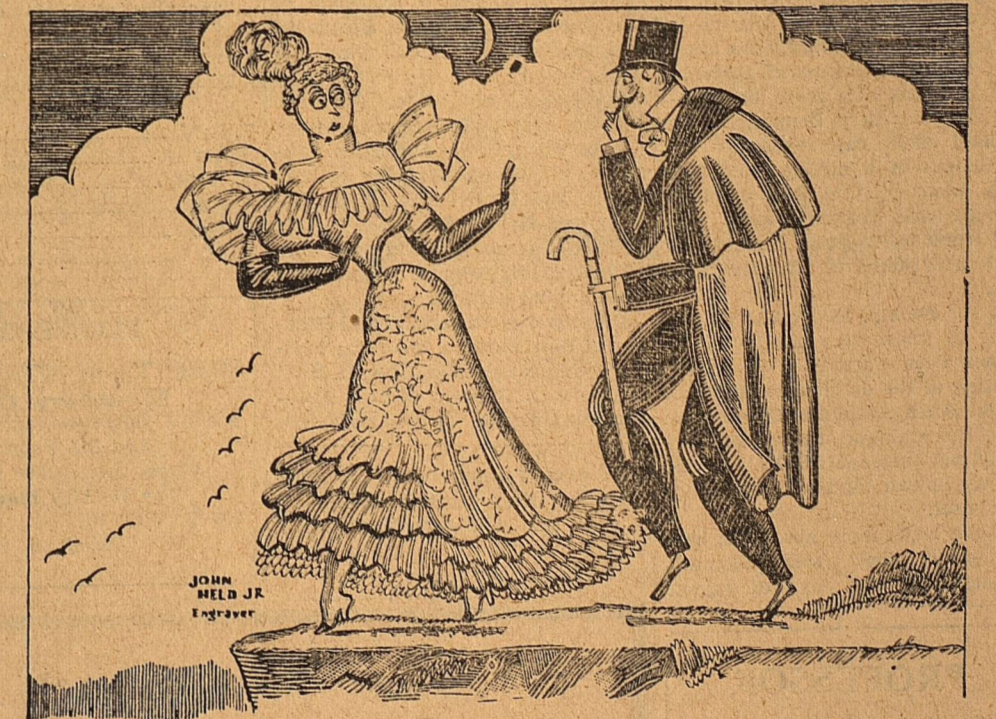
Personals

Spence Jowell is ill at his home at 701 North Big Spring street.

R. V. Scott of Mineola arrived in Midland last night to make his home with his daughter, Mrs. W. G. Shirey.

Mmes. B. F. Taylor and Joe D. Chambers returned to Midland Sunday after a three weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Dallas and McKinney. Mr. Chambers left Midland for Dallas Saturday to return with them.

Mmes. Tom Harris and Tom Jones, Odessa, were Midland shoppers this morning.



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WEDDED DAYS

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—CAUSE NOW HE SAYS "HONEY
YOU'RE HEAVY AS LEAD!"

Carnera Is Pygmy Beside French Giant Who Wants to Enter Ring

Fernand Contat, Nearly 8 Feet Tall, Wants To Challenge Primo, Or Any Other Boxer

By MINOTT SAUNDERS
NEA Service Writer

PARIS, May 5.—Fernand Contat is very, very sorry that Primo Carnera's great American treasure hunt appears to be almost ended. For the banning of the Man Mountain of Italy from the prize rings of two states doubtless will cast giantism into considerable disrepute among the boxing fans. This being the case, Fernand Contat may just as well go back to his French carnival company and forget about the fortunes which once were available in the prize fight push-over business.

Fernand, you may have guessed, is a pretty big boy. In fact, looking down from his altitude of 7 feet, 8 inches, he will tell you that the ponderous Primo is only a pygmy. He insists that if he were placed in a prize ring, there just wouldn't be room for anybody else. Fernand also is willing—and anxious—to pick on Primo first, as the man nearest approaching his own size.

Weights 415 Pounds
The Frenchman is a physical freak who, like Primo Carnera in his pre-barnstorming days, goes in for exhibitions in itinerant circuses. When down to "working weight," though he can find little work to do, he whirrs the scales to 415 pounds and his waist, proportionately, is slim. Possessed of as much courage as he has brute strength, he naturally is green-eyed over the profits and publicity that Carnera has cornered.

The French boy, who still is filling out at 28, is particularly scornful about the feet that have made Carnera famous. Journee, former boxer who discovered Carnera, always claimed that he tracked him down by following gigantic footprints in the mud and that Carnera was barefoot because he could find no shoes to fit him. But Fernand says that his shoe would make Carnera's look like Cinderella's slipper.

Then, as to eating, another claim to Carnera's greatness: Fernand says there would be nothing to it if they were matched. He modestly pointed out that, like all good Frenchmen, he breakfasts lightly. But instead of being satisfied with one cake, he eats three dozen. At other meals, his normal nourishment would put Primo completely out of form.

Drinks Cocktails in Beer Glasses
He likes a few cocktails before dinner, and has them served in beer glasses. A loaf of bread split in half, lengthwise, makes him a fairly substantial sandwich. A leg of lamb put before him is handled very informally, like a chicken drumstick. M. Contat receives very little money from his circus engagements, but since he also gets his board, room and clothing, he considers himself very well paid.

Everything, of course, has to be made especially for him, with about twice the usual amount of material. Nobody wants him for a boarder—even the boarders themselves, for Fernand easily can reach the entire length of a dining table. The cafes, however, find him excellent publicity and seldom charge him more than the regular amount for meals and stems of wine or cocktails.

As for boxing, M. Contat doesn't claim to know very much. But neither does Carnera, he grows, pointing to the decision of the California State Athletic Commission after the Oakland fiasco. He certainly can outreach the Italian, and believes he can outshove him if they ever meet.

"I can learn more about the boxing game, too," said Fernand. "Enough to take care of myself



Here you see Fernand Contat, giant Frenchman, standing in the center of a group of ordinary sized people. Contat's greatest desire is to battle Primo Carnera, the huge Italian boxer whose ring appearances in this country have attracted so much attention.

ECKHARDT IN VAN SLUGGERS OF TEX LEAGUE; SLUMPS

DALLAS, Tex., May 5. (AP)—Although Oscar Eckhardt of Beaumont slumped slightly in his work at the plate, the Exporter continued to lead the Texas League at the end of three weeks' play with an average of .473, one point lower than his mark a week ago. After his slump the first part of the week, Eckhardt got two hits in four trips to the plate in the Beaumont-Dallas "free-for-all" game at Dallas Thursday to climb back up.

Blackberly of Dallas moved from fourth to second place with a season average of .393. Brown, also of Dallas, moved from sixth to third place with a .383 mark. Other leaders in the first ten:

Huston, San Antonio, .375; Huber, Beaumont, .365; Munson, Waco, .366; Selph, Houston, .361; Mallon, Fort Worth, .356; Rye, Waco, .354; Morse, Dallas, .350.

Eckhardt was tied with Selph of Houston in hits with 35. Holm of Houston had 34, Wade of Beaumont and Blackberly of Dallas were tied with 33 each.

Stuvengen of Waco, led the league's circuit clouters with seven. Rye of Waco, Hunt of Houston, Eastertling of Beaumont, Kelly of Fort Worth and Bettencourt of Wichita Falls and five each.

Hock of Houston led in runs scored with 23 and Selph of Houston was close behind with 22.

Stapleton of Beaumont and Whelan of San Antonio, were the leading base stealers with six each. Hunt of Houston, Stewart of San Antonio and Levey of Wichita Falls have

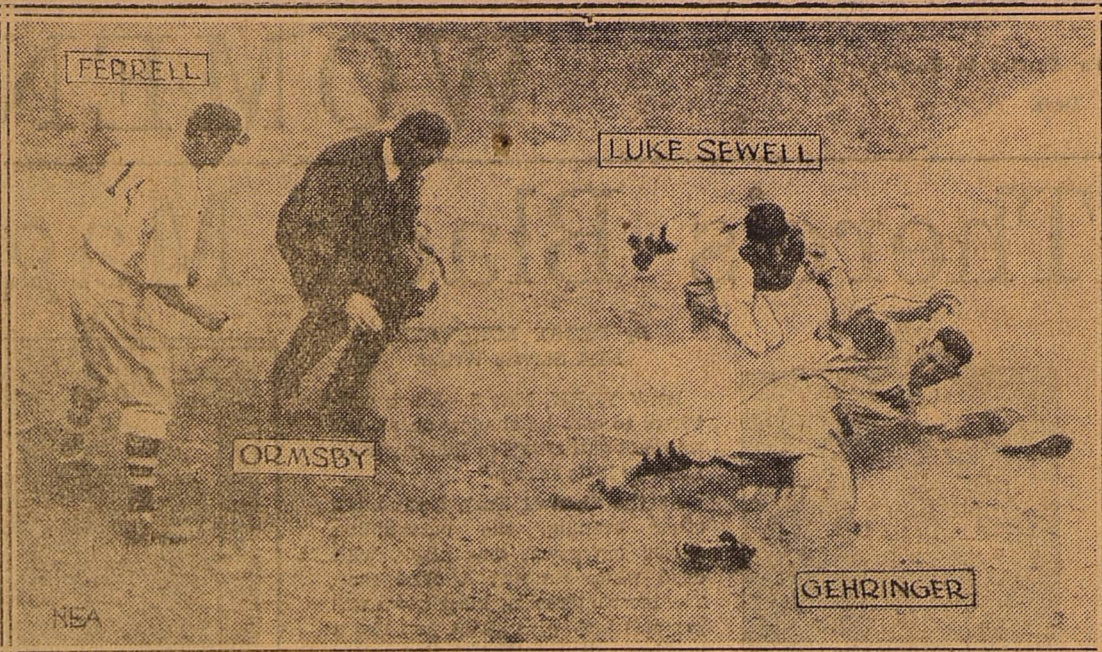
with ease. I think. But this Carnera that they think is so big—ah, I wish the rich Americans would give us a chance to perform together."

SEER STOPS HERE

Professor and Mrs. Robert H. Knight of Chicago, are spending this week at El Campo tourist camp. They are now completing a two year tour of the United States and are on their way to San Francisco from where they will sail to the Orient, where Professor Knight says he will complete his studies of the occult sciences. Previous to this tour the professor says he spent five years as a student of the masters of the far east in India. Professor Knight will give readings while here.

Alcoholism is said to render people more liable to certain diseases, including pneumonia.

Drama At The Plate



Drama at the plate is shown in this remarkable action picture of Charley Gehringer, the American League's leading base stealer, hitting the dirt at home plate in a recent game with Cleveland. Gehringer went from third to home on a fly to short and was declared safe by the umpire. Pitcher Ferrell is shown at the left, backing up Catcher Sewell.

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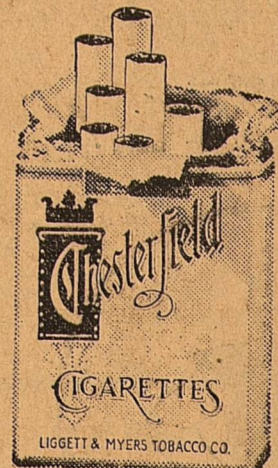


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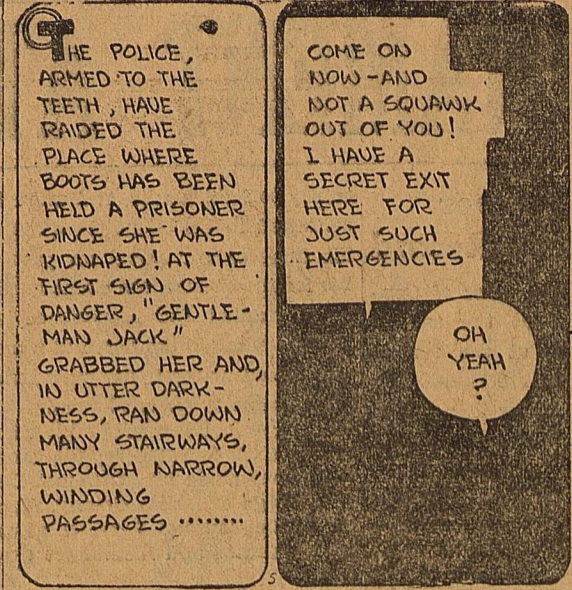
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



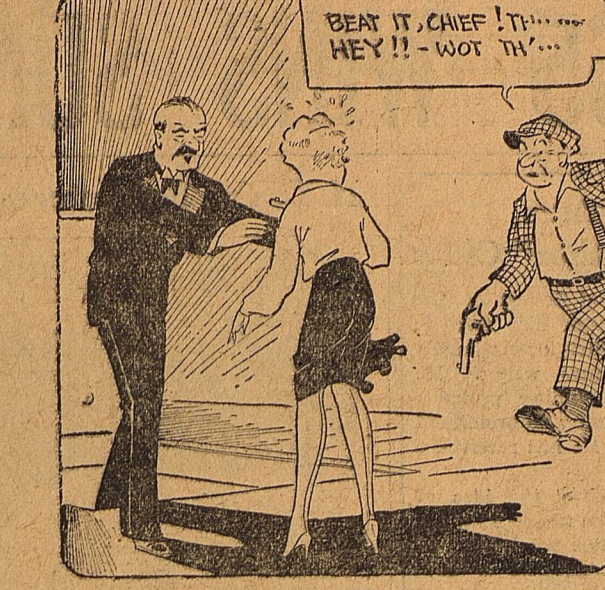
THE POLICE, ARMED TO THE TEETH, HAVE RAIDED THE PLACE WHERE BOOTS HAS BEEN HELD A PRISONER SINCE SHE WAS KIDNAPED! AT THE FIRST SIGN OF DANGER, "GENTLEMAN JACK" GRABBED HER AND, IN UTTER DARKNESS, STAIR DOWN MANY STAIRWAYS, THROUGH NARROW, WINDING PASSAGES

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BEAT IT, CHIEF! TH . . . HEY!!—WOT TH . . .



COME ON! AW, CROAK DE WREN . . . DE COPS ARE COMIN' . . . HURRY
GIVE ME THAT CAT . . . YOU LITTLE DEMON . . . TRIED TO FOX OLD JACK, EH?

By Martin

WASH TUBBS



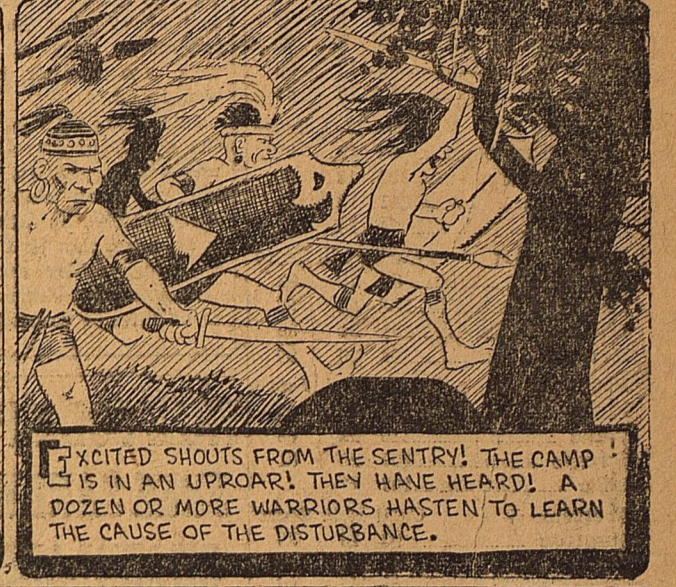
I'M 'BOUT DEAD, I'M SO THIRSTY.

WASH DELIBERATELY AND FOOLISHLY DESERTS HIS LOOK-OUT POST NEAR DOWN TO GO AFTER A BUCKET OF WATER. FORTUNATELY, THO, THE SAVAGES ARE ASLEEP, EVEN THE SENTRY IS DOZING. WASH PASSES SO CLOSE THAT HE CAN HEAR THEIR BREATHING.

Run, Wash, Run!



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EXCITED SHOTS FROM THE SENTRY! THE CAMP IS IN AN UPROAR! THEY HAVE HEARD! A DOZEN OR MORE WARRIORS HASTEN TO LEARN THE CAUSE OF THE DISTURBANCE.

By Crane

BARB'S

They are referring to the better business drive in Chicago as a "boom," but many will think it would sound better as a "bang." The government of Greece has appropriated \$260,000 for building roads to archaeological sites to promote tourist trade.

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MOM'N POP



GREAT CAESAR! AM I SEEING THINGS? IS THAT CHICK OUT THERE BAKING THE YARD BEFORE BREAKFAST?

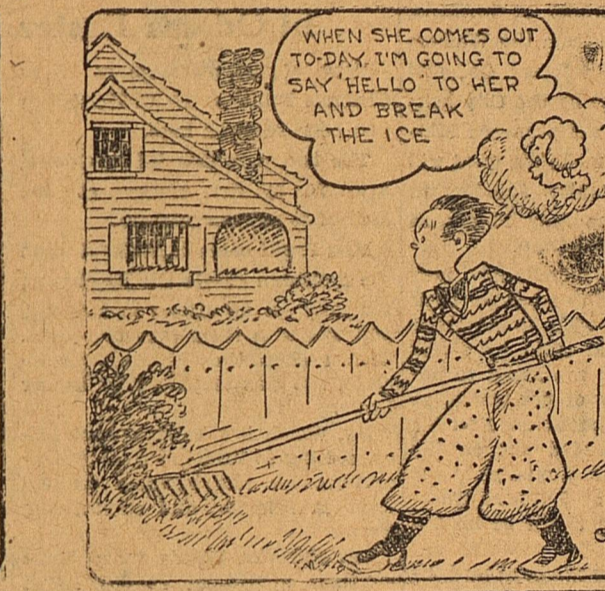
WELL, I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S COME OVER HIM. HE RAKED THE YARD ALL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. MY HEAVENS, LOOK! AFTER ALL MY REDUCING PROGRAM I'VE GAINED TWENTY-THREE POUNDS!!



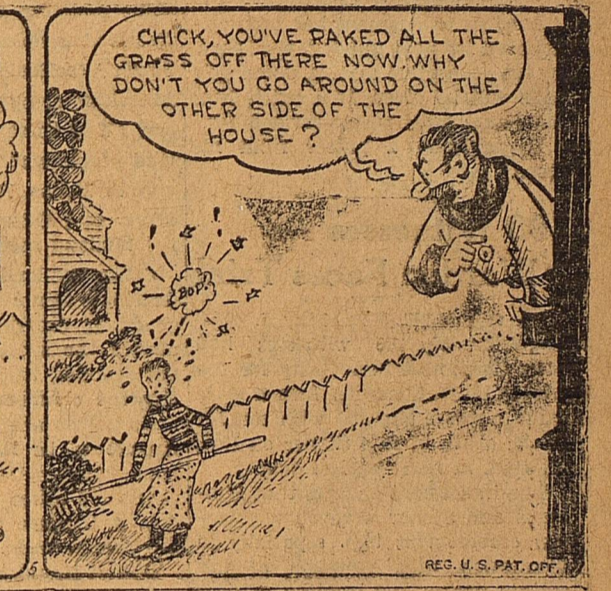
IT'S THE FIRST TIME I'VE EVER KNOWN HIM TO STICK AT ANYTHING FOR MORE THAN TEN MINUTES AT A TIME

THE ONLY PART HE'S TOUCHED IS OVER NEXT TO THE FINNEGAN'S FENCE

Yeah, Why Don't He?



WHEN SHE COMES OUT TO-DAY I'M GOING TO SAY HELLO TO HER AND BREAK THE ICE



CHICK, YOU'VE RAKED ALL THE GRASS OFF THERE NOW. WHY DON'T YOU GO AROUND ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE HOUSE?

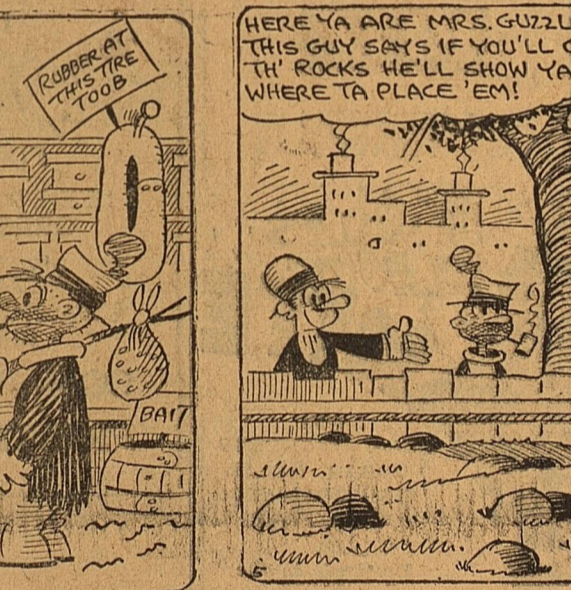
By Cowan

SALESMAN SAM



FOLLOW ME, BUDDY—MRS. GUZZLEM'S LOOKIN' FER A MAN TA HELP HER WITH A ROCK GARDEN IN HER YARD!

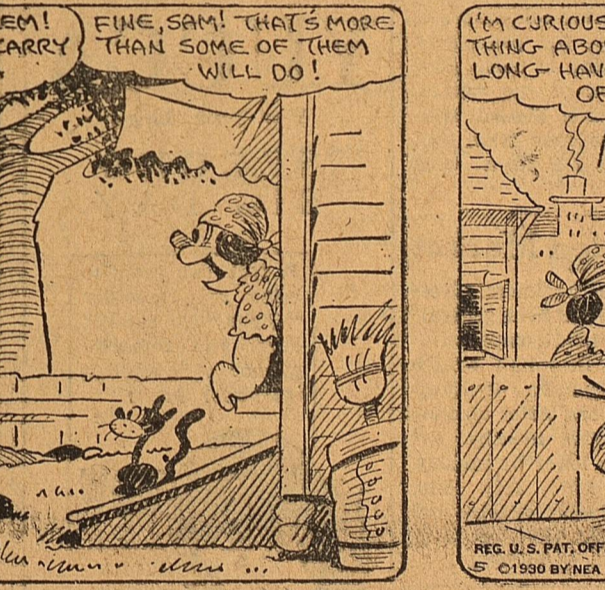
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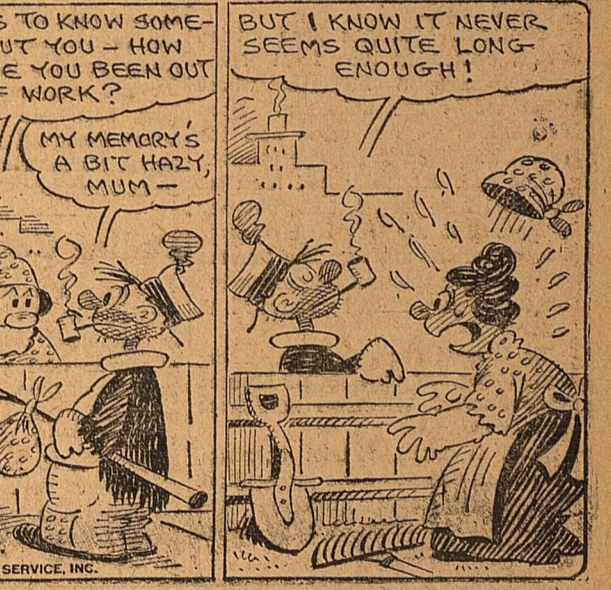
HERE YA ARE, MRS. GUZZLEM! THIS GUY SAYS IF YOU'LL CARRY TH' ROCKS HE'LL SHOW YA WHERE TA PLACE 'EM!

FINE, SAM! THAT'S MORE THAN SOME OF THEM WILL DO!

Far From It!



I'M CURIOUS TO KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT YOU—HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN OUT OF WORK?

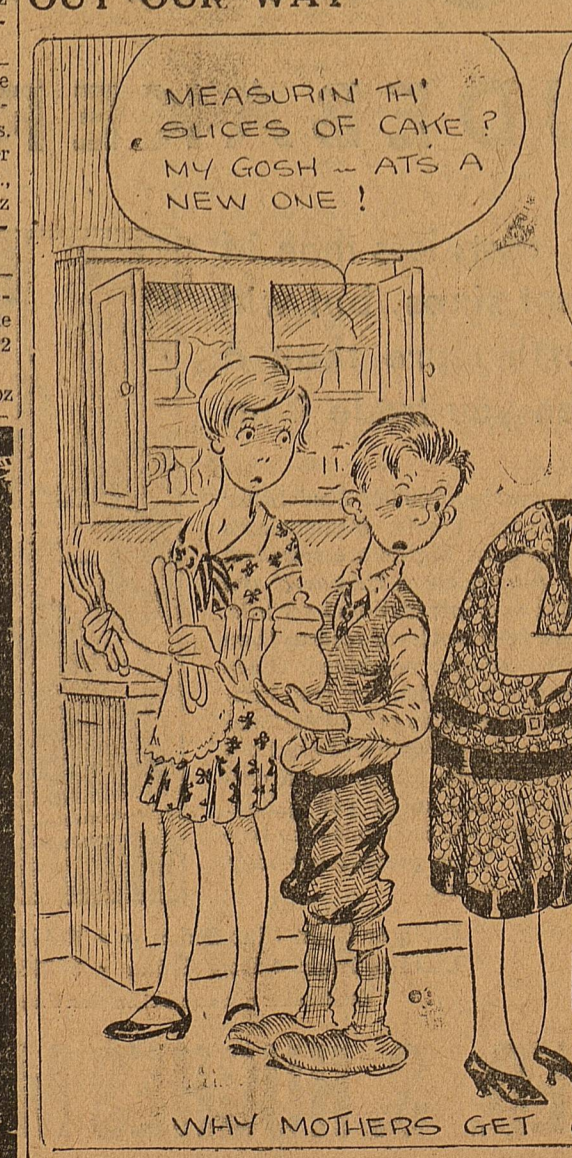


BUT I KNOW IT NEVER SEEMS QUITE LONG ENOUGH!

By Small

1 Lost and Found
LOST: 22-caliber rifle on West Wall or North C. Reward. Phone 800. 48-3p
2 For Sale or Trade
FOR SALE: Best residential sites in Midland. Close in on pavement. Box T, care Reporter-Telegram. 41-3pz
FOR SALE: Dwarf maize, Japanese cane, and cotton seed. One buckskin mare 4 years old for sale or trade for sow or springer heifer. J. E. Wallace, Route 1. 48-3p
Several thousand Magee tomato plants for sale. Phone 213 49-12pz

OUT OUR WAY



MEASURIN' TH' SLICES OF CAKE? MY GOSH—AT'S A NEW ONE!

YES—IT'S A NEW IDEA TO STOP THE FAST EATING AMONG CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THIS FAMILY—HURRYING THRU THE MEAT AND POTATOES TO GET THE BIGGEST PIECE OF CAKE.

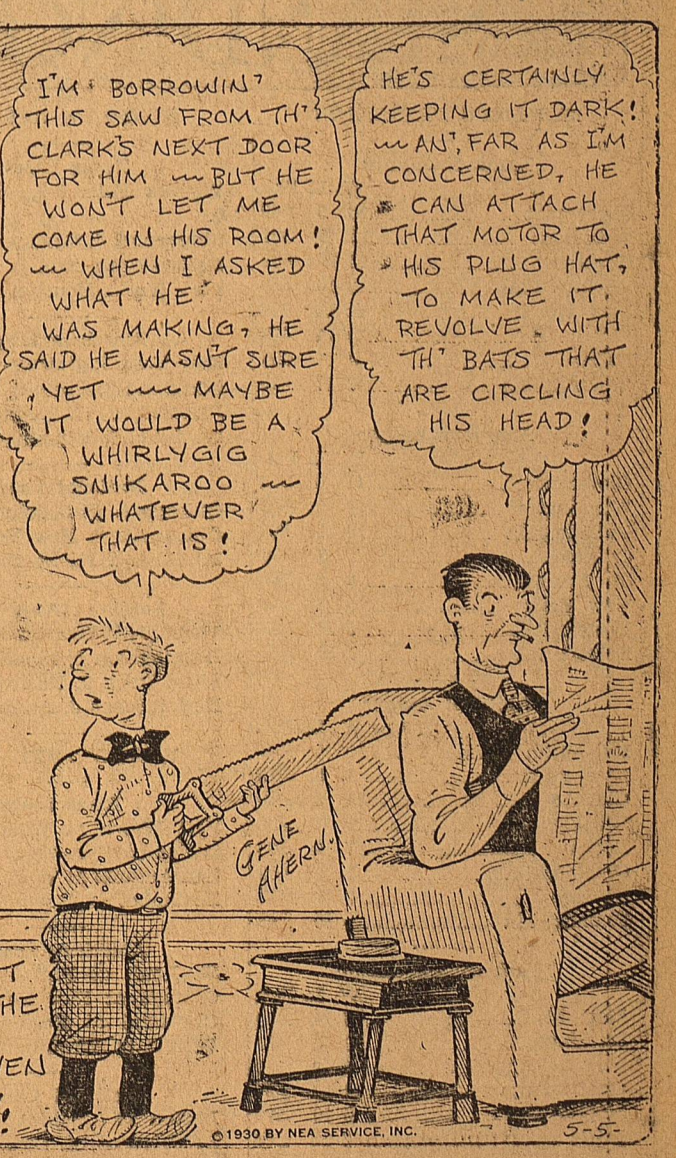


LISTEN, ALVIN—WHEN YOU TAKE THAT SAW UP TO YOUR UNCLE, LOOK OVER THE ROOM AND SEE WHAT IT IS HE'S MAKING! THEN COME BACK AND TELL ME AND I'LL GIVE YOU A DIME TO CURL YOUR TONGUE AROUND SOME ICE CREAM!

I'M BORROWIN' THIS SAW FROM TH' CLARK'S NEXT DOOR FOR HIM—BUT HE WON'T LET ME COME IN HIS ROOM! WHEN I ASKED WHAT HE WAS MAKING, HE SAID HE WASN'T SURE—YET—MAYBE IT WOULD BE A WHIRLYGIG SNIKAROO WHATEVER THAT IS!

HE'S CERTAINLY KEEPING IT DARK! WAN', FAR AS I'M CONCERNED, HE CAN ATTACH THAT MOTOR TO HIS PLUG HAT, TO MAKE IT REVOLVE WITH TH' BATS THAT ARE CIRCLING HIS HEAD!

IT MIGHT BE THAT THE MAJOR DOESN'T EVEN KNOW HIMSELF!



By Ahern

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

HARPER'S 65 WINS SUNDAY'S TOURNAMENT AT COUNTRY CLUB

PUTTER GIVEN AS PRIZE FOR HIS LOW SCORE

O. C. Harper, with a card of 89, won the golf eliminations at country club Sunday. His handicap was 21, giving him a score of 68.

Five foursomes played during the afternoon, some of these being hotly contested. The foursomes, with cards, handicaps and scores, follow:

Foursome I		Card	H.C.	Score
Jackson	81	8	73	
Ellis Cowden	83	5	78	
Tolbert	94	12	83	
Moran	93	10	82	
Foursome II		Card	H.C.	Score
R. M. Barron	98	16	82	
Clyde Cowden	104	18	86	
Howe	101	16	85	
Roettger	99	16	83	
Foursome III		Card	H.C.	Score
Harper	89	21	68	
Day	106	20	86	
Mitchell	109	21	88	
Hoey	102	20	80	
Foursome IV		Card	H.C.	Score
Finley	107	22	85	
Watte	110	22	88	
Scruggs	107	26	81	
Lillis	106	**		
Foursome V		Card	H.C.	Score
Forgeron	93	13	80	
Gilpin	87	13	74	
M. M. Seymour	106	28	78	
Lloyd	97	16	81	

(**) Handicap not listed.

Another tournament has been announced for next Sunday, the sports greens committee says. A dozen golf balls will be given as a prize. New handicaps have been provided for.

Harper won a putter from his score.

100 Witnesses As Warden Faces Trial

LA GRANGE, Tex., May 5. (P)—Approximately 100 witnesses had been summoned here today for the trial of M. K. Simmons, former state game warden, charged with murder in the death of Bud Stoner on Nov. 29, 1926, in San Patricio county.

The indictment charges that Simmons and Stoner were on a game-law enforcement trip, especially in connection with violation of the statute prohibiting hunting of deer with headlights. Stoner was found shot to death near a gate of a San Patricio ranch.

Simmons, who has been tried twice, contended the fatal shots were fired by a Mexican, whose whereabouts are unknown. Both convictions were reversed and the case transferred to Fayette county.

The case originally had been set for trial here Dec. 9, 1929, but was postponed to the May term of court because of the absence of a number of material witnesses. Several of the absentees were fined by Judge M. C. Jeffrey.

La Grange was crowded with visitors today, the case having aroused wide interest. Witnesses were from twenty counties.

Fred Blundell, district attorney, will be in charge of the prosecution. Several prominent attorneys will conduct the defense. A large venire had been summoned.

Editor Enters "Author" Class

Editor T. Paul Barron of The Reporter-Telegram bids fair to become an author, or nationally prominent feature writer. He has made a beginning, probably the same beginning all prominent writers make. He has received a rejection slip.

Barron conceived the idea of giving one of the nation's largest feature syndicates the benefit of his services this summer to "cover" the three largest rodeos of the northwest. In recommending himself to the syndicate, he even went so far as to name his price, just about what he thought a two-month tour of the northwest, for himself and family, would cost.

In passing up the opportunity, the syndicate regretted that it was not in position to avail itself of "such elaborate coverage," which the editor believes is an admission that he is quite a feature writer and that the syndicate must depend on cheaper or inferior coverage.

FREE SODA POP, FREE SANDWICHES ON MIDLAND TRAIN

Free soda water from the Sunshine Bottling works of Midland, free food samples from the Walker-Smith Wholesale Grocery Co., and free cakes or buns by the City bakery. All of these are promised Midland people who make the good will trip to Hobbs, Eunice, Jal, Kermit, Wink, and Odessa May 13 aboard the Midland special train.

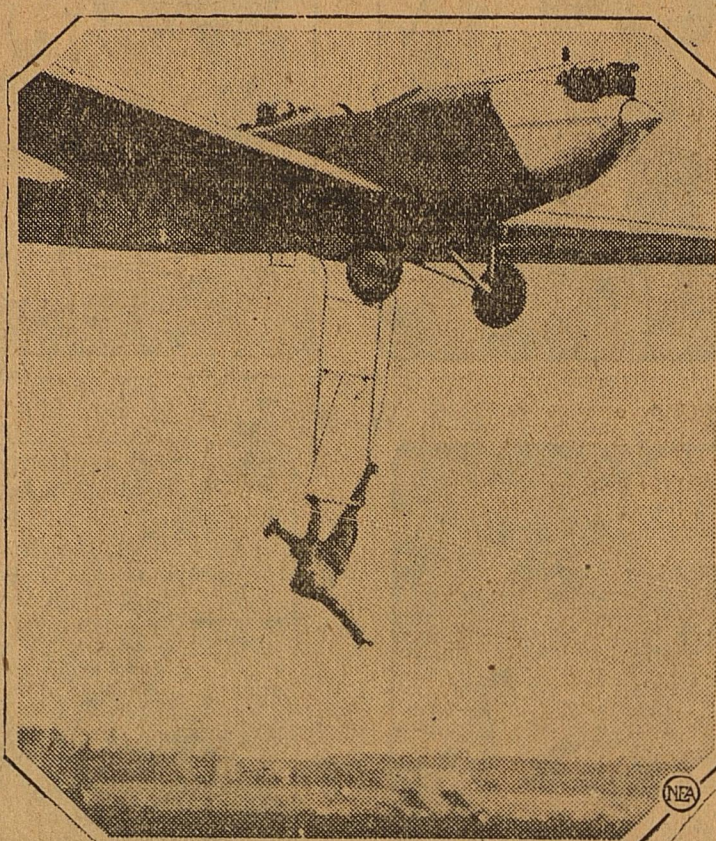
Other Midland merchants may distribute samples to advertise their goods. If others wish to advertise aboard the special train by giving out samples, they are asked to notify the chamber of commerce, as their names will be included on literature to be handed out on the train. These notices should be in the chamber's office by 5 o'clock Tuesday. A baggage car will be aboard the special train.

Gilbert Ragsdale will be aboard the train to sell peanuts and candy. The Sunshine Bottling works besides giving every person aboard a bottle of soda pop, will have cold drinks to sell to accommodate the passengers. Every possible thing is being done for the enjoyment of the women, men, boys and girls aboard Midland's executive railroad train that leaves Midland at 7 a. m. a week from tomorrow.

Dallas Cotton Market

Despite extreme weakness Liverpool and bearish sentiment generally cotton market held comparatively steady during first half session with new crop months declining more than the nears. After opening 1 to 14 lower active months declined 9 to 26 net lower by midday. May New York 16.10, July 16.18, or 9 to 13 net lower. October old 14.50. December old 14.57, or 18 to 19 net lower towards midday.

If You're Not Interested in Living Long—



"Safety first" slogans apparently mean nothing to Fritz Schindler, German aerial performer. Known throughout Europe for his daredevil feats, he is shown in this unusual photo as he hung suspended only by his ankles from the bottom of a trapeze attached to an airplane in flight above Tempelhof Field, Berlin. This doesn't make any allowance for a forced landing!

Local Couple Wed In Odessa Easter

News of the marriage of Miss Clemmie Pruitt to W. E. Woods has just been received here.

The two were married in Odessa, April 20, by Rev. Butler at the Methodist parsonage there.

Miss Pruitt came to Midland when the Southern Crude Oil Purchasing company set up offices in Midland, and was with them over two years. Until a short time before her marriage, she was employed by Homer Rowe.

Mr. Woods is a building contractor, coming to Midland from Breckenridge. He has business connections in Midland and surrounding towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods are at home at their apartment at 505 North Colorado street.

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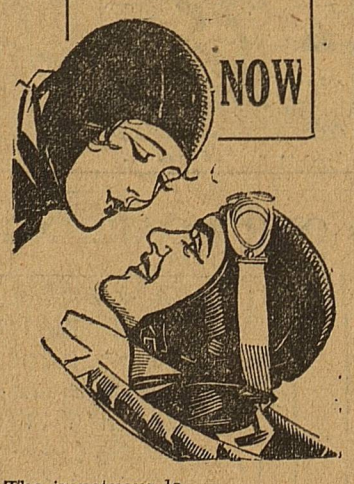
CORRECTIONS
 (1) Harvard is at Cambridge, Mass. (2) Bryn Mawr is spelled incorrectly. (3) Bryn Mawr is a girls' school, so Percy would not be going there. (4) The feet of the sofa do not match. (5) The scrambled word is DERRICK.

A pearl valued at \$750,000 was acquired by a London jeweler recently. It was a perfect pearl of the color known as creme rose.

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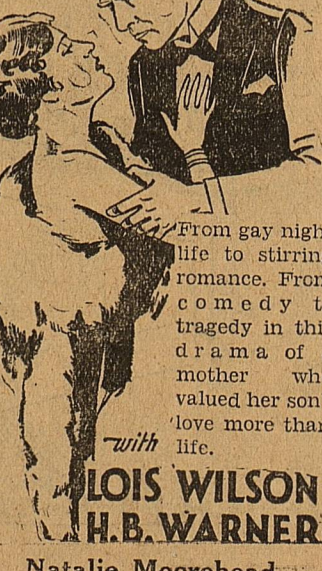
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Page to Governor Is Miller's Record

From page in the house of Congress, Washington at the age of 23, Washington, at the age of the largest State in the Union, was the long step taken by Barry Miller, who now is making the race for Governor.

Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller had an up-hill climb. Born in Barnwell, South Carolina, his mother was widowed when he was just a few years old. While he was a small boy, his mother moved to Washington to live with his grandmother who was also a widow. It was then the boy, Barry, became page in Congress.

His grandmother kept boarders who were for the most part Senators and Congressmen, so that the young grandson constantly heard politics and affairs of State discussed.

In 1882 when he was sixteen years old, he had an opportunity to come to Texas and study law. He came, and when 19 years old he had the disabilities of minority removed by court orders and was admitted to the bar, beginning his practice in Dallas, where he has lived ever since.

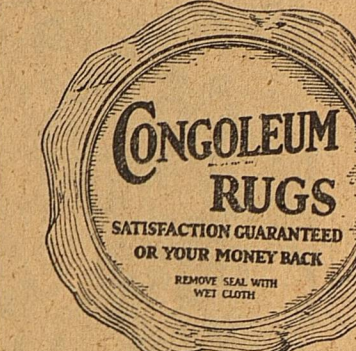
Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller married when he was only twenty, "and I had only five dollars in my pocket," he says. He had been retained as at-

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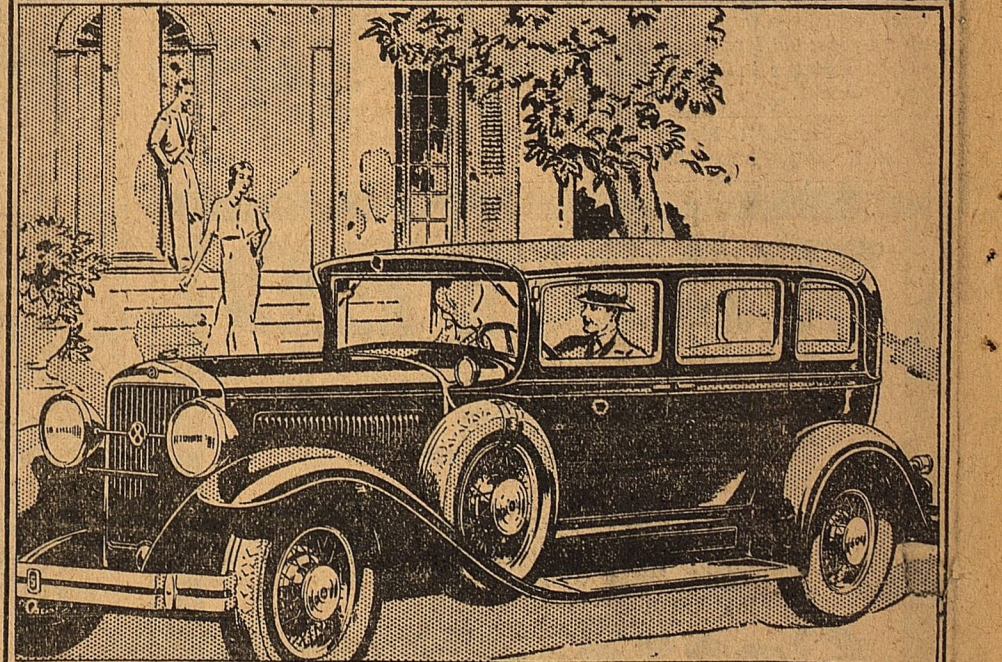
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Beaumont	13 9 .591	Houston	14 10 .583	Fort Worth-Houston, rain.	
Wichita Falls	13 10 .565	Fort Worth	11 12 .478		
Waco	10 14 .417	Dallas	9 13 .409		
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American League			American League		
Cleveland	W. L. Pct.	11 4 .714	New York 7, Chicago 4.	Cleveland 8, Boston 7.	Philadelphia 7, Detroit 1.
Washington	11 5 .688	Chicago	7 6 .533	St. Louis 8, Washington 6.	
Philadelphia	10 5 .667	St. Louis	8 8 .500		
Chicago	7 6 .533	New York	5 9 .357		
St. Louis	8 8 .500	Boston	5 11 .313		
New York	5 9 .357	Detroit	5 14 .263		
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National League			National League		
Pittsburgh	W. L. Pct.	10 5 .667	Chicago 8, Philadelphia 7.	Cincinnati 8, New York 4.	Brooklyn 2-11, St. Louis 1-10.
New York	8 5 .615	Chicago	11 8 .579		
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Brooklyn	9 7 .558	Boston	7 6 .538		
Boston	7 6 .538	Cincinnati	5 9 .400		
Cincinnati	5 9 .400	St. Louis	5 12 .333		
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Southern Association			Southern Association		
Memphis	W. L. Pct.	16 4 .800	St. Louis at Philadelphia.	Chicago at New York.	Cleveland at Boston.
Birmingham	10 8 .556	New Orleans	9 8 .529	Detroit at Washington.	
New Orleans	9 8 .529	Chattanooga	11 10 .524		
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