

"When a man uses the word 'sometime' he usually means not in his time." -Senator John J. Blaine of Wisconsin.

POPULATION OF COUNTY IS 8,003

Midland to Enter Three Features of WTCC Convention

MRS. FERGUSON MAKES SLIGHT CHANGE IN JIM'S PLATFORM

FIGHT ON LIQUOR IS VARIATION

Says She Will Receive Aid And Advice Of Husband

AUSTIN, May 23. (P) - Adopting the platform of her husband who was held ineligible to hold office by the supreme court, Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, wife of Former Governor James E. Ferguson, today formally announced her candidacy for governor.

She announced that she will accept her husband's platform with only one change. "Instead of promising to veto all liquor legislation as he promised to do, I want to strengthen our liquor laws and see if some improvement cannot be made in enforcement," she said.

Fight Liquor Traffic "We who have been pros all these years have suffered much discouragement recently and I want to see one honest effort made to outlaw the liquor traffic before we give up the struggle," she added.

Mrs. Ferguson served as governor from 1925 to 1927 having been defeated for re-election by Governor Dan Moody who was attorney general during her tenure. She was elected in 1924 after her husband, who had been impeached and removed from the governor's office during his second term in 1917, was refused a place on the ballots.

The supreme court Friday held that Ferguson's impeachment has disqualified him from again holding office, and refused to issue a mandamus to compel the state democratic executive committee to place his name as candidate for governor on the primary ballots.

Mrs. Ferguson gave notice that in the event of her election, she would "receive aid and advice from my good husband. If consulting with one's husband be treason, then make the most of it."

STORM AREAS OF TEXAS MUST HAVE GREATER RELIEF

ST. LOUIS, May 23. (UP) - William Baxter, manager of the midwestern headquarters of the Red Cross, in an appeal for contributions, said "the relief fund being raised to aid 794 families devastated in Texas tornadoes is insufficient." He said the need for additional contributions to aid Texans is acute.

Jefferson Hard Hit JEFFERSON, March 23. (P) - Citizens today are carrying out a program of supplying the needs of destitute persons in Marion county, victims of recent storms and floods, with V. M. Ehlers and Carl Martin, state health department representatives.

A survey showed that 90 homes will have to be rebuilt and 80 others refurbished. Residents estimated that a third of the county is inundated. Damage amounts to thousands of dollars.

MIDLAND IN "SPEED" "Speed," an aeronautical magazine carries Midland publicity, incidentally to an advertisement of the Western Air Express, in its current issue. Midland is listed as one of four stops of the transcontinental line.

HOOVER IS FISHING WASHINGTON, May 23. (UP) - Resident Hoover and a party of 15 left here by automobile today for a week end fishing trip at Hoover's Rapidan, Virginia, mountain camp.

Fairest Flower



Fairest Flower in California's bouquet of spring loveliness is Louise Campbell, above, chosen as queen to preside over the Fiesta De Las Rosas. This colorful festival of the roses was held at San Jose.

METHODISTS END CONFERENCE AT DALLAS SATURDAY

DALLAS, May 23. (P) - The twenty-first quadrennial general assembly of the Methodist Episcopal Church South adjourned at noon today, after being in session 17 days.

The conference approved "a quiet movement for endowment of a million dollars each for the theological colleges of Emory University, at Atlanta and Southern Methodist University, at Dallas.

The proposal to let the episcopacy committee name bishops' residences in their districts was defeated. Bishops will continue to choose their home cities.

Probe to Be June 3 WASHINGTON, May 23. (P) - Bishop James Cannon Jr. will appear before the senate lobby committee June 3 for questioning concerning his prohibition activities. The date was set today after an exchange of telegrams between the chairman of the committee and Cannon who is attending the quadrennial conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South.

The bishop will also be questioned concerning a \$65,000 contribution made to him by E. C. Jamison, New York capitalist, for use in the anti-Smith campaign last year.

TOY CITY IS PROUD

SNOW HILL, N. C. (UP) - Snow Hill, the "toy city" of less than 1,000 inhabitants but with paved streets, waterworks, complete sewage system, splendid schools and light plant, now points with pride to its new fire alarm system. The alarm system consists of six boxes, which is a sufficient number, according to officials. Snow Hill has no pumper since water pressure is sufficient for any ordinary blaze.

Plucky English Girl Braves Elements and Distance; Gets To Destination Long Flight

DARWIN, Australia, May 24. (UP) - Miss Amy Johnson, 22, British aviatrix, completed a hazardous 9,900 mile solo flight from England when she landed here safely early today. On a trip across Europe, Asia, and Malay settlements, the

POSSIBLY 100 FOLK TO ATTEND

High School Band To Compete With All West Texas

Midland will be represented in three different individual features of the West Texas chamber of commerce convention in Abilene, and will be represented jointly with other cities in district participation in the convention. In addition to this, H. M. Becherer, manager of Sloan field at Midland, plans to add his plane to the contingent of visitors at Abilene's great airport opening.

Midland, as usual, will have something "different" in the delegations parade. This time it will be a homely automobile which, frankly, will possess no beauty whatever, but will carry what is calculated to be a strong publicity urge. The originator of the stunt has not revealed details of his plans. This advertising auto will appear Saturday morning in the parade.

Band to Play

The widely-known Midland high school band is being entered by the public schools in the school division of the band contests. The Midland band is directed by W. S. Lamb, who has developed from raw recruits a well-trained group which has given concerts this year in 12 West Texas and eastern New Mexico towns. The Midland band is touted as a strong contender for honors in the school division.

Lucile McMullan, winner of the district division of the national oratorical contest for two consecutive years, will be Midland's representative in the "My Home Town Contest." Miss McMullan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. H. McMullan of Midland. She is a talented reader and an honor student in Midland high school.

Others To Go

Midland is participating in an exhibit from District 6 in compliance with a request from D. A. Banded, general manager of the West Texas chamber. This exhibit is being prepared by C. T. Watson of Big Spring, district secretarial representative. Watson is preparing a map which will show the products of various counties.

It is estimated that 50 to 100 Midland people will attend the convention. The Midland chamber of commerce is urging advance registrations, pointing out that \$12.50 worth of entertainment can be bought for \$2.50 and, when it is considered that the wife or woman companion of the ticket purchaser gets a free ticket, the buyer actually gets \$25 worth for only \$2.50. These tickets will be provided by the Midland chamber for all advance registrants.

In a letter to B. Frank Haag, a personal friend, Mayor Thomas E. Hayden of Abilene extended his official invitation to the people of Midland Saturday to attend the convention, assuring a welcome on behalf of the city of Abilene.

Ritz to Run Pick of the Pictures, Morley States

Yucca Not Able Get Disc Equipment, He Says

New theatre announcements for Midland have a significance that is most extraordinary, as may be understood from a statement issued by the publicity man of the two large houses now operating, Saturday.

The following explains in details the changes, with attendant results: "Due to a number of reasons, changes in the operating policy of local theatres have become necessary, according to announcements given out by Fred Morley, general manager of all local play houses. Since the theatre interests were merged sometime ago, both the Ritz and Yucca have been maintained as class A houses with admission prices of 10, 35 and 50 cents prevailing daily at each theatre.

"It is claimed that no city the size of Midland can support two competitive priced theatres of Class A regulation. Due to the delay in delivery and, consequently, installation of necessary equipment for the Yucca to enable uninterrupted class A service, manager Morley said the present arrangement had been decided upon. The Yucca sound and talking equipment, although expensive, was never supplied with disc attachments, and can therefore exhibit only those pictures that have been recorded on film sound track."

Equipment Figures In

Some of America's greatest film producers record on disc only. First National pictures and Warner Brothers record exclusively on disc. A liberal percentage of big feature attractions by other producing companies are recorded on disc only, even though the remainder of their product are recorded on film sound track. Due to technicalities in sound equipment franchises it has been impossible to overcome this difficulty to date, at the Yucca, which, however, will in time be adjusted.

"The type of cooling system—Buffalo washed air systems, being installed in all Griffith theatres, are exceedingly large cooling units requiring much time for special construction, delivery and installation. The system for the Ritz was ordered in February and completion of installation is just being realized. This will afford the Ritz the same advantage accorded the large city theatres for summer weather. It will require several weeks for delivery and installation of such a system in the Yucca, due to the great size of the theatre, which would require that the entire system be specially built.

Many New Pictures

"In line with the changing of policy, Manager Morley made special trips to Oklahoma City and Dallas, arranging special feature bookings for the Ritz, to become effective along with the starting of the special cooling system. Additional sound equipment mechanism has been added which makes the Ritz sound among the finest in the entire country. Morley stated. Many extraordinary feature attractions were secured for immediate showing in the Ritz. Manager Morley stated that it was his opinion that no single theatre had ever assembled so many big attractions one after the other consecutively, as had been secured for the Ritz.

"Honey", Paramount special with Nancy Carroll, "The Girl from Woolworths" with Alice White, "Ladies Love Brutes" with George Bancroft, said to be mightier than "The Mighty", "Paramount On Parade," sponsoring the greatest number of big stars ever assembled for one picture. Billie Dove in "The Painted Angel," William Powell in "The Benson Murder Case," "Song of the Flame," all color Vitaphone spectacle, Alexander Gray, Bernice (See THEATRES page 8)

STANDARD OIL OFFICIALS LAND IN PLANE AND TRAIN; TO FLY TO JAL AND HOBBS, RETURNING HERE AT 10

On a flight of "routine inspection," four officials and directors of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, and the president, R. M. Young, of the Carter Oil Co., will fly from Midland to Hobbs and Jal this morning, three of the men getting off their special train at the airport and joining the other two for a 7 o'clock takeoff.

Young and E. J. Sadder, a vice-president of the Standard, landed with Pilot R. E. Ellis in a Sikorski amphibian at the airport Saturday afternoon. S. B. Hunt, E. M. Clark, both of whom are vice-presidents, and Harden Orville, a director, will come to Midland by special train early this morning.

The plane will return for a refueling landing at 10 o'clock, after which it will take off for San Antonio.

All the men are from New York, except Young, who lives in Tulsa.

MARTIAL LAW AT SHERMAN ENDS; TO SET TRIAL

SHERMAN, May 23. (P) - Martial law ended here at noon today when Col. L. E. McGee and staff turned justice precinct number one of Grayson county back to civil authorities. They left for Dallas in compliance with a proclamation by Governor Moody yesterday.

Major Dupont Lyon, public safety director, assumed charge of the peace officers when military rule ended. Only a few enlisted men remained following departure of the 31 officers and men yesterday.

Martial law had been in effect since May 10, after a mob burned the county court house seeking to lynch George Hughes, negro, who was on trial for criminally assaulting a white woman.

Defendants Guarded

DALLAS, May 23. (P) - Date for trial of 14 men indicted by the grand jury at Sherman for rioting May 9 will be set as soon as records in the cases are sent from Sherman. Thirteen defendants arrived yesterday from Sherman under heavy guard.

KILLED NEAR HOBBS

BIG SPRING, May 24. (P) - The body of J. P. Gibson, 35, salesman killed between Hobbs and Lovington, New Mexico yesterday when his car crashed into the rear of a truck while driving in a blinding sand storm, was taken to Coleman today.

TAKE TRUNK TOO

LONDON. (UP) - Thieves who raided a shop and stole several women's coats borrowed a trunk in which to carry off their booty.

Following the line of the Atlantic coast, the Graf Zeppelin made its way toward Rio Janeiro today toward Rio Janeiro, having left Pernambuco, Brazil, last night. The ship was scheduled to reach Rio Janeiro after midnight, but there was no indication whether landing would be made.

SUMMER SCHOOL TO BEGIN HERE ON JUNE SECOND

Summer school for pupils who may desire to attend, whether of the Midland schools or from other neighboring schools, will begin at the high school building Monday morning, June 2.

Classes will be conducted from 7 until 12 each day, six days each week, for six weeks. It will be possible for one high school credit to be made during this time, provided the work is not being repeated, and for more to be made where the work is being repeated. A corresponding amount can be done by grade pupils.

Miss Thelma Lee Rippy and Mrs. David Wright have been engaged to teach the school and, if the demand should be sufficient, other teachers will be secured.

Miss Rippy has two degrees, the B. A. and the M. A., from the University of Texas, and is head of the English department of the high school. Mrs. Wright is a graduate of C.T.A., the Texas state college for women, and is one of the junior high school teachers. Both have signed another year in the Midland schools.

Pupils are signing up for the summer school daily in the office of the superintendent. "It would be well for all who wish to do work in the summer school to report and make application, in order that complete arrangements can be made by the opening date. Those who find it inconvenient to do this, will be allowed to enroll the first day, however," Supt. W. W. Lackey said.

Lieut. Foster on Inspection Here

Lieutenant Thad V. Foster, southwestern airways chief, was in Midland Saturday with Sgt. Richardson, his assistant, on a tour of inspection of emergency landing fields over the Eighth Corps area.

The lieutenant, one of the colorful figures in aviation of the district, checked the meteorological and radio station at Sloan field and pronounced everything there functioning excellently.

Harold M. Moss, operator in charge of the radio station at the port, said there are 18 of these stations in the corps area, and these are considered by the government as valuable assets, due to the fact that they are maintained by men who are graduated from government schools of instruction, men who are thoroughly trained in the rudiments and advanced work offered.

He took off for Dallas in the afternoon.

German Graf Flying South in Search of New Laurels; Said Making Good Time in Flight

(UP) - The Graf Zeppelin sailed farther into the south today in its newest air conquest. Refueled and freshly provisioned the dirigible headed toward Rio De Janeiro on a 60-hour round trip voyage as an interlude to its flight to Lakehurst, New Jersey, and back to Friedrichshafen. The ship passed over Bahia this morning.

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Poet Laureate



Great Britain's new Poet Laureate, John Masefield, is shown above in his most recent posed portrait. He is pictured standing beside an ancient sun dial in the garden of his home at Oxford, England, soon after his appointment to succeed the late Dr. Robert Bridges.

BLANTON DENIED OATH OF OFFICE; NO CREDENTIALS

WASHINGTON, May 23. (UP) - Representative Snell, republican of New York and house speaker pro tem, today declined to recognize a motion from the minority floor leader, Representative Garner, to administer the oath of office to Thomas L. Blanton of Texas, elected to fill the vacancy created by the death of R. Q. Lee.

Blanton did not have his credentials with him, and Snell said he doubted the authority of the speaker pro tem to take the responsibility for such action. He asked Garner to re-enter the motion Monday.

Ector Well Gets Second Gas Show

Second showing of gas in the Ector-Cosden No. 7 Connell well in Ector county, was encountered at 3,440 feet, and the test was drilling at 3,460 Saturday afternoon.

The first gas showing was found at 3,295. The well is one of the most closely watched operations in the Ector county field at present, as it lies west of the Penn pool and may extend production in that direction. It is located 2,310 feet from the south and 440 feet from the west line of section 1, block B-16, public school land.

Other Students Get School Certificates

Not only did graduates of the high school receive diplomas Thursday night, when Dr. F. L. Jewett, head of the Texas Bible chair of the University of Texas, made the graduating address, but earlier in the week grammar school students received their certificates, as did those of special merit.

The address of Dr. Jewett was characteristic of the lucid lecture style for which he has become well known to educators of the state and South. It was instructive, logical, notably coherent and filled with interesting illustrations that made him easily understandable. Philosophic advice that was not preachment was the note that impressed everyone who heard him with his being just a bit "different."

FIGURES REFLECT BIG GAIN

City Gains 327 Per Cent; County 306 In 10 Years

Midland county, including the city of Midland, has a total population of 8,003, it was announced officially from the office of the district census supervisor at San Angelo yesterday. Population of the city of Midland had been announced previously at 5,482. The city gained 327 per cent and the entire county gained 306 per cent.

In 1920, Midland county had a population of 2,449, of which 1,795 lived in the city of Midland. The entire county gained 5,554 people, the city gaining 3,687.

Where there was a rural population of 654 in the county in 1920, the present census figures show a rural population of 2,521.

Farms Increase

The number of farms enumerated as of April 1, 1930, is 329, the supervisor's report shows. Although the number of farms in the county in 1920 was not given, the increase is believed to be large, much new acreage having been opened up since 1923.

Figures in the county population are preliminary and subject to correction, the report shows; and any who believe they have not been enumerated may have their names added to the list up to June 1 by getting in touch with Alton A. Jault, census enumerator, or the midland chamber of commerce or the Reporter-Telegram.

Bell Candidate For Commissioner Race

J. T. Bell, well known farmer of the east part of Midland county, has authorized the announcement of his candidacy for the office of commissioner of precinct No. 2.

Bell is now living here his sixth year, having moved from Howard county.

He states that all of his property is in that precinct and that he will try and make a good commissioner if elected. If not, he expects to have his same friends.

Bell says he desires to be the kind of commissioner that the "people" want rather than to confine his work to his own ideas.

The candidate is the third to announce for the office, L. M. Estes, present commissioner, and B. T. Graham having announced their names for places on the ballot.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



"Spring showers are good for flowers"—except the kind on hats.

Midland County Library Store Room

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TOO IMPORTANT TO LOSE

Contract was let the other day for a strip of concrete highway in Mitchell county, linking up the last of what has turned out to be Texas' longest hard surfaced highway. Not a piece of dirt road left, when the short job is completed.

American people are a touring people. Those living near the seashore want to see the mountains, and those in the mountains want to see the coast. The vacation tourist business is tremendous, and the Broadway of America gets a great share of it.

On top of that, the route is all-year, and in addition to vacation tourists there are the thousands of people driving on business trips, some only a short distance, and some across the continent.

Midland and adjacent counties have a strip of the highway that helped make this transcontinental tourist business possible, and now this very strip of road is in danger of touring traffic over another route.

This may be called bad advertising, but it is a fact, and the facts must be faced.

Unless the Broadway of America through this section is widened and made safer, decreasing the accidents which recently have amounted to almost one daily, there is serious danger of losing highway traffic as well as the danger that threatens of loss of life and property.

Midland people are faced with a problem that must be met and met soon. The very accidents themselves are all the argument that should be needed, but the serious condition must be brought to the attention of those who have authority to construct or improve highways, and must be brought forcibly.

A NATION OF TOURISTS

You get something of a conception of the extent to which the American people go touring about in their autos every summer when you learn that the hot dog and soft drink stands along the roadside do a total business of around \$500,000,000 a year.

This figure is furnished by Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce. He finds that there are now between 110,000 and 125,000 roadside camps; that more than half of them keep open all the year around and that new ones are being added at the rate of 3,000 a year.

Isn't the size of this business that is interesting, however, so much as it is the meaning back of it. The number of tourists must be simply stupendous for the hot dog stand and pop sales to rise to half a billion dollars. That sales figure reflects a spread of the vacation habit greater than anything the world has ever known before.

The surface of the earth has been pretty well furrowed, in the course of history, by the migrations of its peoples; but was there ever anything like this annual migration of Americans and Canadians? Millions of men, women and children go roving every summer. They make the wanderings of the romantic gypsies look puny. They cover a whole continent.

Dwellers in the interior go spinning off to see what the oceans look like; coast folk swing over the mountains and have a look at the midlands. Mountains and lakes and rivers and sea beaches and deserts slide under the wheels of a million cars, and provincialism goes out of existence under a million sets of rubber tires. The whole nation shuffles itself each year, and Mr. Average Citizen, perched behind his steering wheel does more traveling in one month than his ancestors did in all their lives—and does it in incomparably greater comfort.

And—just to set the picture in its real proportions—the incidental food and drink bill of these roving tourists comes to half a billion dollars.

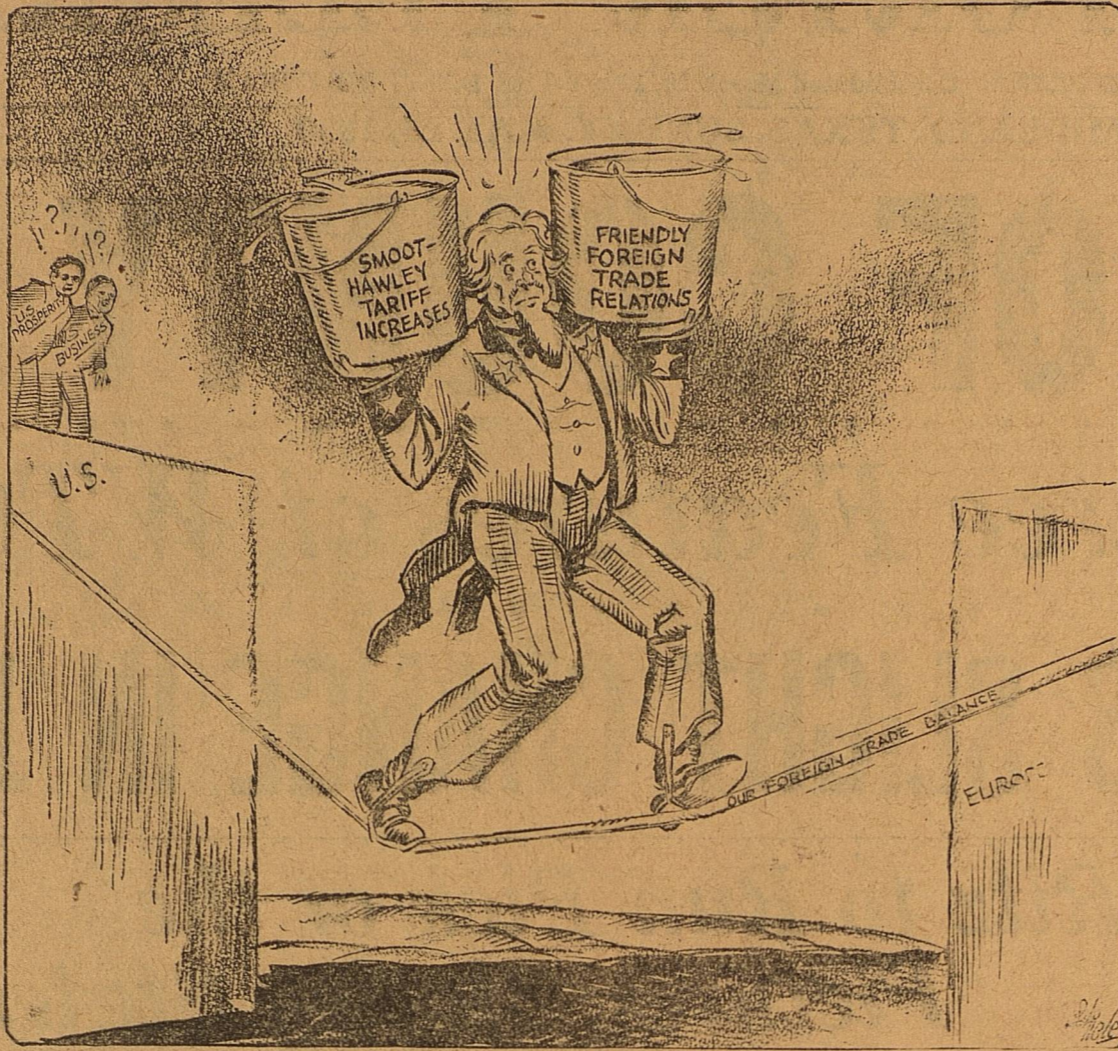
There never was anything remotely like it before. Its ultimate effects can hardly be estimated; but you may be sure they will be profound. The American spirit, 50 years hence, will be infinitely the richer because of this background of wandering.

ERRORGRAMS



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

Can He Hold Everything?



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

Despite All the Outcries About the Naval Treaty, There Seems Little Chance That It Will Fail To Pass the Senate—Its Friends Are Influential

WASHINGTON.—Because the civilian delegates to the London naval conference and various admirals and other members of the big navy group violently disagree over the treaty that came out of the conference doesn't necessarily mean that either side is all wet or given to double-dealing.

The big navy faction, which includes most admirals, some senators, the William B. Shearers, the Navy League and some of the professional patriots, stands at one extreme as opposed to the more violent pacifists who would have disarmament at any price.

Little Chance of Defeat The delegation—a fairly strong group, including such reasonably able citizens as Dwight Morrow, Secretary of State Stimson, Secretary of the Navy Adams and senators Robinson and Reed—occupies what might be considered a middle-grounded position, convinced that it obtained the best possible from the standpoint of American interests both with regard to national defense and international naval limitation.

The position of the treaty, consequently, still remains so strong that there is as yet no serious expectation that it will fail to get the necessary two-thirds majority in the Senate. The strategy of the big navy group appears to be to load it up with reservations.

One reservation which probably will be proposed would give the United States, in case Great Britain invoked the escalator clause, the right to build more eight-inch-gun cruisers regardless of what type of raft Britain put her added tonnage into. This clause now provides that in case France increases her fleet Britain, America and Japan may do likewise—but we and Japan can only build in the same type of ship that Great Britain builds.

The violent disagreement between Rear Admiral William V. Pratt and Rear Admiral Hilary P. Jones, retired, over the relative merits of eight-inch-gun cruisers and six-inch-gun cruisers is reminiscent of the conflict often observed between expert armists in murder trials where the defense offers a plea of insanity.

But, generally speaking, most naval officers are in favor of a big navy and against limitation. The navy is their business and no business man ever wants his business curtailed. Naval officers spend plenty of their time thinking what will happen if we ever go to war with Great Britain or Japan. That's their business, too. Naturally, they would much prefer to have our navy in a superior position in case of war. It's much easier to win if you're better armed than the other fellow.

Unfortunately for the big navy group, their extreme tactics have been in some disrepute ever since the country learned what Mr. William Baldwin Shearer, in the employ of shipbuilding companies, did at the Geneva limitation conference in 1927. It was testified that Mr. Shearer and most of our naval experts apparently agreed at the time on the desirability of making that conference abortive. It was. But at London Mr. Shearer was in no sight and there was no dominating group of admirals to spoil the show. Now, apparently, some of them hope to spoil it in Washington.

At London everybody seems to have given up something. As a result there are squawks from the British big navy boys in Parliament and the Japanese big navy

boys at Tokio as well as our own super-patriots in Washington. For instance, we gave England superiority in small cruisers and she gave us superiority in big cruisers. We gave Japan better rations on auxiliary craft than she had on capital ships, but not enough to let anyone imagine that she could wage an offensive war against our western coast.

Not Much Difference Senator Reed showed irrefutably in his examination of Admiral Jones that the navy's general board had agreed last September to a division of the cruiser fleet between the six-inch and eight-inch cruisers. It agreed as to the adequacy of 21 eight-inch gun cruisers aggregating 210,000 tons and 15 six-inch-gun cruisers totaling 105,000 tons.

The treaty gives us 18 of the eight-inch cruisers at 180,000 tons and 20 six-inchers at 143,500. That would put the big navy squawk against six-inch cruisers down to a simple disagreement over the relative desirability of three big cruisers and five little cruisers. Members of our delegator, contend that the difference, if any, was the small amount to compromise considering the aim. And the argument over the relative merits of big and little cruisers continues.

None of those engaged in the treaty row is trying to double-cross the United States. Some senators will be beating their breasts for political effect, but on the whole it's a row between patriots with different points of view.



Not long ago a community of some twenty thousand people took it upon themselves to interest a manufacturer in placing a branch factory in their city. They gathered much information as to transportation, accessibility to raw materials, labor, power rates, etc., and placed the matter before the manufacturer, together with full and complete plans of the property they desired to sell. They interested this manufacturer. In fact, much more than they realized.

This manufacturer, being a 1930 business organization, secured the services of men trained in analytical work, and had them "look the town over" before a definite answer was given.

A report of the findings was made and in due time the city was notified, in a gentlemanly manner, that due to "certain circumstances and conditions" they, the manufacturers, would not "at this time" be interested.

The "certain circumstances and conditions", as evidenced by the check marks of the report, should be a lesson to every community in the country. When this manufacturer returned the report to the analysts the following excerpts of various paragraphs were red penciled:

Business district ordinary; no building ordinance; streets paved but dirty; no regulation of store location signs; hallways and stairs to second stories dirty and unkempt; city administration building run down to near state of dilapidation; free privilege of billboard erection; no ordinance on building wall signs; vacant lots within confines of business district used for junk yards and dumps.

Report showed that of scores of people contacted, more than 80 per cent stated they preferred to trade with local stores but only 5 per cent confined their purchases to them. Reason for which was, first, lack of merchandise; second, indifference of stores and store help to their likes and dislikes. Three lines of standard merchandise were not carried, and because of this, report showed that the citizens who were required to purchase these lines out of town, also purchased merchandise that was carried by local merchants.

Not only did the report show this fact, but it proved conclusively that local merchants and merchants' associations knowingly had allowed this condition to exist for years

The Town Quack



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

The Town Quack, official organ of Midland county bunk and that of the city, is authorized to announce herewith the candidacy of Claude Crane for the office of city-county rat killer, subject to the action of those interested in having rats killed at such time as the candidate may desire to hold such election.

Claude has spent \$11 for rat biscuits, representing a neat profit for Louie Arrington, but as fast as Claude kills off a tribe of rats, a fresh crop comes over from John Howe's or Ray Hyatt's. Claude makes the race on a platform of more and bigger rat campaigns, with goodwill for all and malice toward none.

Frank Wendt has a formula for killing rats, which he will furnish free of charge, the ingredients for which may be bought for about 38 cents.

Which reminds me of what I saw yesterday in an insurance magazine about a man, when analyzed, being worth about 98 cents. Here are the ingredients. If any drug store refuses to sell them to you for 98 cents, they are trying to get you:

- 'Iron enough to make an eight-penny nail— Sulphur enough to chase the flies off one dog— Phosphorus enough to tip 2500 matches— Potassium enough to explode one toy cap pistol— Lime enough to whitewash a medium sized chicken coop— Fat enough to make seven bars of soap— And a pinch of magnesium.'

And now that we have disposed of the rat killing, let us proceed with the more important topic of the day, that of the proposed candidacy of Tom Gramme for constable, Tom, by his own statement, says he is not a candidate, yet his friends, if they are friends, say they desire to announce him. Judging

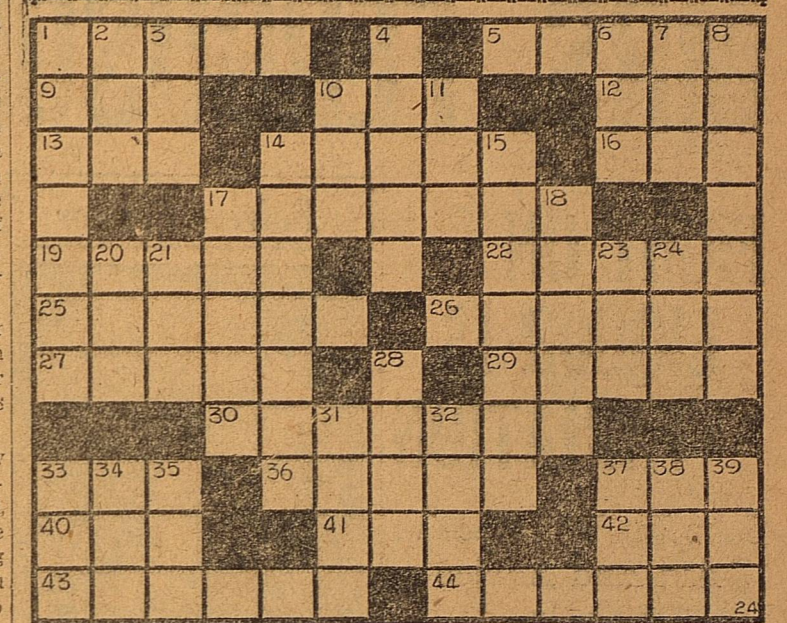
THEY PLAYED ANYHOW

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich. (UP).—After many hours of hard practice, the City of Sault Ste. Marie band made its first appearance this year by playing at their own dance but the affair wasn't very successful. The boys played bravely for two hours, the leader expertly waved his baton, the trumpets blared and the saxophones moaned but not a single dancer appeared.

CHANGES HANDS

CARDIFF (UP).—Doctors who attended Mrs. Yety Evans, 67, for a fractured wrist, discovered a needle in her right hand which Mrs. Yety said was accidentally thrust into her left hand some 32 years ago.

A Famous Knight



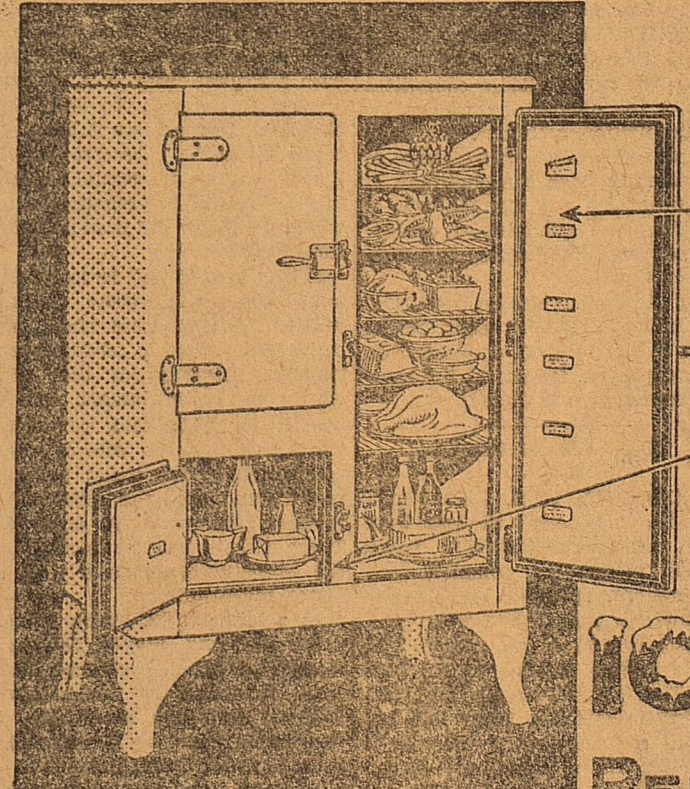
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GOVERNORS WRITE TO A MIDLAND MAN

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first of two articles that describe the unusual letters received by a Midland man from governors of states in the United States. M. F. Peters, the one to whom the letters were addressed, has such letters from several foreign diplomats, the Prince of Wales, Lindbergh and many other notables. Other letters will be published from time to time.

Marian F. Peters, manager of the gas company in Midland, conceived an idea that has worked out in an interesting way. He has informed governors of states which designate certain Midland streets that Midland people who live on such streets might be glad to know something about those states that is seldom found in the atlases. To that end, he wrote, and several letters were mailed him from governors, as a result. Two of these follow. Others will be published later.

Fred W. Green, governor of Michigan, wrote from the executive mansion at Lansing:

"My attention has been called to the fact that down in the great 'Lone Star' state there is a beautiful and prosperous city by the name of Midland, one of its thoroughfares is named 'Michigan.' Without doubt, many Michigan people reside in this good city and retain a kindly feeling towards the state of their birth, due to the fact that the community is named after Michigan's chemical center, and the street is designated after the state itself.

Michigan is in the heart of the Great Lakes region—the playground of the world. It is a state dotted with lakes, traversed by streams, and covered by forests. Two-thirds of its area has recreational possibilities. With its area of 57,980 square miles, excluding about 40,000

square miles of water surface of the Great Lakes within its boundaries, it is the second largest state east of the Mississippi river. Hotel accommodation are the best and the people are hospitable.

You will be interested in knowing that Michigan, the center of the automobile industry, could exist as an isolated empire while her people enjoyed all the reasonable comforts and luxuries of life.

Michigan ranks highest in education among the north central states. It has the oldest agricultural college in the union, and the first state university. The University of Michigan was the first state university to admit women to its curriculum.

The scenic beauties of Michigan are unsurpassed. Among them are: Mackinac Isle at Marquette, Belle Isle at Detroit, the Manistee of Muskegon, Au Sable and St. Mary's rivers, and over 5,000 inland lakes which are known throughout the country as beautiful summer resorts.

Michigan ranks first in salt, chemical products, drugs, automobiles, engines, threshing machines and refrigerators; second in iron, fourth in copper and seventh in population.

At Calumet is the largest copper mine in the world and the richest belt of rock producing pure copper. The Soo canal is the world's greatest waterway gate; it carries more than four times the traffic of the Suez canal.

As governor of this commonwealth, I extend a hearty invitation to all those who live on Michigan in Midland and other portion of western Texas, to visit Michigan during the coming summer and enjoy the wonderful facilities we have to offer here.

Doyle E. Carlton, governor of

Florida, addresses Mr. Peters from the executive department at Tallahassee, thus:

An enormous amount of correspondence and a rush of other work has kept me from replying to the interesting letter you wrote me.

I wish to say that I appreciate the honor you have conferred upon my state by giving one of your streets the name of Florida. Our state has been honored and your city has not been dishonored for Florida is a great and growing commonwealth, with a history in which her citizens take pride. I will address the following to those who may reside on Florida street:

You live on a thoroughfare named for a state which has a romantic history, charming scenery, delightful climate and tremendous resources. Florida was the first part of our country to be colonized by Europeans but it is the last part to be really discovered, Ponce de Leon first saw Florida in 1513. Spanish settlers followed a little more than 50 years later and founded the historic and romantic old St. Augustine. From time to time others came, founding Pensacola, St. Marks, San Louis and other places; but the Spaniards never did more for Florida than merely "hold it" and introduce the orange. This latter achievement was worthwhile, however.

I shall not describe the various epochs and events of Florida history. It would take too long. Suffice it to say that five flags have waved over Florida and that it has held in whole or in part allegiance to the following nations: Spain, France, Great Britain, the United States and the Confederate states. Spain, like the U. S., has held it twice, but as long as the Stars and Stripes wave, the U. S. will find Florida one of its most enthusiastic vassals.

Our climate is known the world

around and is our greatest drawing card. Tourists, it is estimated, now spend \$200,000,000 the year round. Besides climate we have great resources of soil, timber, fish and such minerals as phosphate, limestone, Fuller's earth and kaolin. The sea, besides furnishing ordinary products, produces an abundant supply of oysters and sponges.

Florida is the greatest phosphate producing state in the union. It is second in oranges, and as it has more land adapted to oranges than California, will doubtless lead that state before many years. We produce large amounts of early vegetables and considerable quantities of high grade tobacco. The state in its Everglades has potentially America's greatest sugar bowl. We are beginning to produce tung oil. Edison is making experiments with rubber yielding plants which may yet make Florida a great rubber producing state. I have little time and space to mention our many other products of grove, farm and orchard.

Florida ships annually millions of feet of yellow pine and cypress lumber and considerable hardwood. We lead in naval stores. Tampa is the greatest cigar manufacturing city in the world. Besides these, the state has manufactories of fertilizer, cement blocks, road materials, canned goods and many others. A large paper mill will soon be erected at Panama City on St. Andrews bay. Bodies for Graham-Paige automobiles are made at Perry.

Florida has much beautiful scenery, among which may be named Silver and Wakulla Springs, Orange, Apopka, Yalaha and many other lakes, the beautiful Ocklawaha, the romantic Suwannee, and the lazy Caloosahatchee rivers. The St. Johns river is the greatest American river flowing north. Lake Okechobee is the second largest lake

I SEEN TODAY



Frank Fagg, who squirts various mixtures into glasses behind the fountain at the Petroleum pharmacy, told one of the boys of the editorial office that since The Reporter - Telegram had printed a story about natives on a Pacific island having six-inch tails, his telephone had been ringing constantly. From the general remarks made to him, Fagg got the idea the inquisitive public was trying to classify him wrongly. "One fellow even asked me how the weather was in the Pacific, and when I got back!" he said.

As to the tails, I have it upon excellent authority that various members of the human race have them. I hope to launch forth into what Darwin or Huxley or (who was it?) said, on a future press date. With my private opinion added to these scientists' findings, something convincing ought to be worked out.

John Bonner is successfully paddling down back alleys these days. Says it saves confusion, and especially breath. He doesn't want to show his speed until the next derby date. (You know, he ran a race with himself the other day, getting out of gun distance of a negro who established a shooting gallery on one of Midland's main streets.)

T. A. Fannin. They drop into his store just to shake hands with him. One of those fellows with it "IT" exudation, evidently.

entirely within the United States. But I cannot tell all or even a small part. Words fail when one tries to describe Florida. One has to come and see to realize that the half has not been told when it comes to describing our climate, our scenery and our natural resources.

Beulah Belote, one of the salesladies of Grissom-Robertson's. Wonder what she's doing sitting down on the pavement in the middle of the street there on West Wall. As she gets up she rubs her knee ruefully. 'Spose she stubbed her toe and faw down? Here's to the downfall of more of 'em.

Out at country club, so one of the editorial room boys tells me, Stacey Allen, one of the members of the firm of Howe & Allen, erroneously publicized as "honest plumbers," swings a mean putter. When I say "swings" I mean just that. You may snicker up your sleevesless shirts at my lack of knowledge at playing the old game, but you are wrong.

I know, for instance, you are not supposed to take a man-size swing at a golf ball with a putter, but Allen does and gets by with it. He gets on those par three holes and lays one on the green with a putter shot from the tee. What ought he to do with his driver.

They tell one on Bert Ross. He was changing his form on driving off the tee. The pro was helping him. "TLL show you what driving is like," the pro told Bert, who had been having trouble hitting a ball right of late. "Do this way." Taking the club out of Bert's hand, the pro hit a nice 225 yard ball that came to a stop down the center of the drive way. "Let me see you follow through on your swing like I did," the pro said. "Try it without a ball first." Bert tried and the pro nodded his head with pleasure. "Now let me see you try hitting one as good as that once I doove—using your own style," the pro said. Bert stood off at a distance, gathered himself into something that resembled a knot and made a swing that almost blasted the cover off the ball. The ball screeched down the fairway like a mink ball, after hitting somewhere beyond the 250 yard line and looked like it never would stop. One couldn't have said which was the more surprised, Bert or the pro.

Lieutenant Foster who was here Saturday in a government ship is one H. C. Wilwer should have seen. He told a member of the front end office about having a forced landing in a sea plane off Honolulu. "No, I wasn't scared, I was just sore at them sharks as kept showing up under the wing I was hanging onto," he said.

TOO MANY INTERESTS

MANCHESTER, England, (UP).—John Ashton, 47, some times a butcher and at other times a professional backer of horses, was sent to prison for four months for "unlawfully contributing to his insolvency by gambling."

"The Divorcee," Norma Shearer's New Talkie Receives Advance Praise

What is heralded as the most important talking production in which Norma Shearer has been seen to date, will be shown to the public when Metro - Goldwyn - Mayer exhibits "The Divorcee" today at the Ritz Theatre.

Critical opinion at a recent Los Angeles preview of the production was to the effect that it is far and away Miss Shearer's greatest individual triumph, ranking ahead of both "The Trial of Mary Dugan" and "The Last of Mrs. Cheyney."

Outstanding Cast
Three prominent male actors, Conrad Nagel, Chester Morris and Robert Montgomery are featured in Miss Shearer's support in the new film and each one appears to have walked off with more than his share of the picture. Others in the supporting cast who were singled out for praise include Florence Eldridge, Helene Millard, Mary Moran, Tyler Brooke, Zella Sears, George Irving and Helen Johnson.

"The Divorcee" was adapted from a story by Ursula Parrott, the treatment being handled by Nick Grinde and Zella Sears and the continuity and dialogue by John Meehan. The production was directed by Robert Z. Leonard, who came to this picture following completion of Ramon Novarro's forthcoming vehicle. "The

Gay Madrid." Leonard has supervised several of Miss Shearer's past productions and recently directed Marion Davies in "Marianne."

According to advance reports, "The Divorcee" is a brilliant and sophisticated expose of the promiscuous use of divorce in modern smart society. The production is said to have been filmed with a lavish hand, the environment of New York's millionaire class being faithfully reproduced in both costuming and settings.

Much of the picture was filmed aboard a 90 foot power yacht, which cruised along the coast of Catalina Island. Although the picturesque coast afforded an ideal setting for beautiful exteriors, it is reported that considerable difficulties were experienced with cameras and microphones because of the rolling deck of the yacht.

DOG RETURNS WALLET

CHEBOYGAN, Mich., (UP).—The black leather wallet that Mail Carrier William Spies lost one stormy morning last fall is back in his possession. A dog owned by Joseph Burdo came across it recently and picking it up in his teeth, took it home to his master. Burdo returned the wallet to the letter carrier.



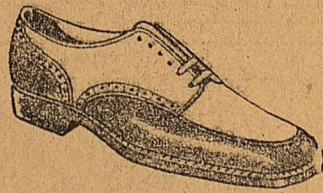
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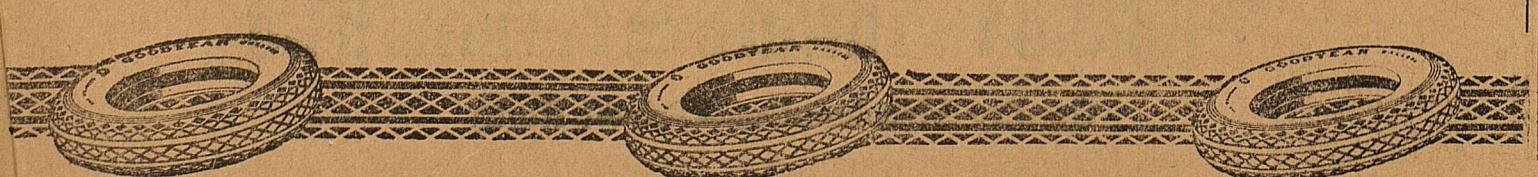
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PUNCHERS IN SOUTHEAST OF COUNTY First Telephones Ran on Barbed Fences CAN BE HEARD IN CITY LIMITS HERE

The sun was sinking into a patch of mesquite clustered on the rim of the near horizon as the booted man who slouched at the telephone fished a package of cheap smoking tobacco out of his pocket and rolled a cigarette with one hand as he rang the telephone box with the other.

"Guess it'll be like old times if central answers," he said in an aside to another who lolled across a chair nearby. Immediately he began talking over the line: "Yeah, I can hear you. It's perfect. Just like it was years ago," he voice said.

It was a big day on the ranches southwest of Midland when telephone communication, for a time cut out, was re-established. A puncher at the McClintic ranch was talking over the new line to Charles McClintic, telling him that the line has been finished and the connection made.

"Hello Boxes," 35 Years Ago

As to the enigmatic reference to the old days, we have McClintic's word for it that there was telephone service at the old ranch house 35 years ago, but that for the last two years the telephone company had not allowed service to the scattered ranch houses. The installation of service last week marked a revival that was distinctly an event.

For a two-line system has been

you come right down to it, there weren't so many fences at that time. "My father bought the McClintic ranch 29 years ago. The phone system was in at that time, and you could call the other ranches of the county, even a bunch of them over in Andrews and Ector and Martin county.

"At that time, George T. McClintic, my father, J. V. Stokes, D. W. Brunson and Timberline Floyd, who lived over in Toad Loop, were about the only ones who lived in the immediate vicinity mentioned. The county was all cow country at the time.

Talked On, Not Over, Fences

"Line riders road all fences. If something appeared wrong with the fence of a neighbor, a line rider got down off his horse and mended the break. Everyone did things for everyone else, in those days. It would remind you of an eastern log rolling. There was not so much what the universities are calling now "division of labor." We are living too fast now.

"Over in Andrews county, the Steeple Bar ranch, Clabber Hill, Fred Cowden's place and Sam Holloway's—all these had telephones on the line of fence.

"About this time the problem of rattlesnakes biting cattle and stock on the range assumed alarming proportions and ranchers agreed that they would do the snakes in by the same method they used in maintaining their telephone lines; that is, by co-operation. They would get off their horses and kill snakes, no matter where they found them, or on whose land the snake happened to be. It was difficult in those days to ride the ranges without finding a calf or cow that had not been bitten by a snake.

Plenty of Snake Oil

"That may have been the reason why there was so much snake oil in this section," McClintic said.

"We sure had good times in this country. Brooks Lee had four sections near Toad Loop and it was there that for miles around the boys would ride their horses to hear him play on his old fiddle. It was only after four or five cups of coffee that he could really get tuned up, and then the crowd of line riders, punchers, merchants and all would prepare to spend the night. When it grew dawn they would start for their homes.

"The dance would be the main feature of these affairs. Sometimes we would have old time roping contests. That was the time of Clay McGonagil, the Weir and Driver and Lee boys, and of the roping days of Louis Beyers, cattle inspector here now.

"After the roping would come horse races and cigarette races.

Cigarette Races

These were the real exciting fea-

CHURCHES

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Leslie A. Boone, pastor
Sunday morning services at 11 o'clock; Sunday school at 9:45; evening services at 8 o'clock; Senior and Junior leagues at 6:30. Prayer services Wednesday evening at 7:30 and choir practice Thursday evening at 7:30.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
George F. Brown, pastor

"Be Ye Steadfast" will be the pastor's morning theme. Every member of the church should be present. Our prayer is that they will.

At the evening hour the pastor will speak of his recent trip to New Orleans and Annual meeting of the Southern Baptist convention. The public is invited to attend both services.

Sunday school at 9:45 this morning.

B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 this evening.

There is no reason why our attendance should fall off during the vacation season. Multitudes in Midland do not attend Sunday school or worship. Our motto should be "Bring them in." Many will come if we but urge them in love and patience.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Howard Peters, Minister.

Bible School begins at 9:45 a. m. The minister will preach at 11 o'clock and at 8 o'clock. The morning program is as follows: Prelude: "Allegretto."

tures of the Old West, as nearly as the term can apply to the Midland country. Riders would mount their fast ponies, set out in a clatter of hooves and a swirl of dust a few hundred feet, dismount, light a cigarette, mount again and head for the crowd and the finish line. We had some close races, you can imagine!

"Many of these races came off around Garden City. Kirby Nutt had a store there, and, on bets, the punchers would try to ride mules in his front door and out the back. Funny incidents arose as a result of these bets. Kirby was a game sport, though.

"The dance were at night, and on the break-down order. There was generally plenty of snake medicine in circulation in those days, but a woman was protected by the peculiar chivalry attaching to the ranges. These motion picture stories are generally far-fetched. We took care of women in those days.

Chivalry Was Definite

"Women could come to a ranch house, where there were no other women, and be safer than she would be in a hotel in town. Cowboys felt a sort of proprietary interest in women's safety. They made up a voluntary body guard for them when out on the ranches.

"When a man rode up to a ranch, where he wanted lodging for the night, everything was free—food for himself, feed for his horse, a pasture or corral for the animal at night and a bed for himself. It would have been an insult to have offered money. As for going into a ranch house when the owners were away, that was what was expected of a person if he wanted to stay at the place. It mattered not whether he was a Connecticut Yankee or a Georgia tarheel. All he was expected to do after cooking and eating his supper was to wash the dishes and put everything in the order he found it.

"The coming in of the Mexican peon changed this order of things, however. A ranch house may be found locked now—not often, it's true, but sometimes, nevertheless."

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass at Midland at 8 o'clock and at Stanton church at 10, with Rev. Father Brockman officiating.

Local Masons Visit Lodge At Big Lake

Headed by C. B. Ligon, worshipful master of the local Masonic lodge, a group of Midland masons went last night to Big Lake to confer degrees. At the same time, J. H. Knowles, district deputy grand master, made his official visit for the year to the Big Lake lodge.

Those going from here included C. B. Ligon, A. A. Roberts, Fred Middleton, Dewey H. Pope, Claude Crane, J. H. Knowles, G. C. Driver and Cecil Pope. Masons from a number of other lodges were invited to the meeting there.

BABY GIRL

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bobo of Midland announce the arrival of a baby girl, born early Friday morning. The baby weighed six pounds, and has been named Betty Lulu.

BUCK BRADFORD HERE

Buck Bradford, former Midland man, son of W. E. Bradford, former sheriff, is in the city. He has been in California for the past few years.

Political Announcements

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

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

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

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

For County Sheriff:
A. C. FRANCIS
(Re-election)
ULYSSES S. HUNTSMAN
W. T. BLAKEWAY

For County Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1
S. R. PRESTON
H. G. BEDFORD
J. ARTHUR JOHNSON
Precinct No. 2
L. M. ESTES
B. T. GRAHAM
J. T. BELL
Precinct No. 3
D. L. HUTT

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

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

For County Treasurer:
MARY L. QUINN
(Re-election)
J. V. GOWL

For Tax Assessor:
NEAL D. STATON
(Re-election)

For District Attorney:
SAM K. WASAFT
W. R. SMITH
(Re-election)

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

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

Justice of the Peace:
Precinct No. 1
E. N. (TOMMY) THOMSON

Fred Baldrige of Abilene was here Saturday and today on business with local concerns.

R. W. Means of Fort Worth was a business visitor to Midland Saturday.

Lee Jones of Midland is spending the week end in Fort Worth and Dallas.


"More guns ordered as men howl." Headline over Ohio penitentiary story. As babies, of course, they cried for it.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

VIRGINIA WALTHALL WARREN Society Editor Phone 7

Fine Arts Teachers Association Gives Last Program of Year

On a stage beautifully decorated with baskets of flowers, the pupils of the members of the Fine Arts Teachers association gave an unusually clever program at the Yucca theater Saturday morning.

A splendid crowd was reported, probably the best one since beginning of the programs.

Pioneer Club With Mr. and Mrs. Stokes

The Pioneer club was entertained Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Stokes Jr. with a pretty bridge party.

Pastel shades were favored in decorations and appointments, and a lovely salad course was served at close of the games.

High score favors went to Mrs. Joe Youngblood and to Clyde Cowden. Mrs. Youngblood received sterling silver candlesticks, and Mr. Cowden a shirt and tie. Clarence Scharbauer cut high for a statuette of "The Whistling Boy."

Those playing were Messrs. and Mmes. Clyde Cowden, Elliott Cowden, Clarence Scharbauer, Joe Youngblood, John B. Thomas, Frank Cowden, C. M. Goldsmith, O. B. Holt Jr., Donald Hutt, Homer Rowe, Ellis Cowden and Bert Ross.

Meeting Of Bible Class

The Belmont Bible class held its regular meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. N. G. Oates, with ten members and one visitor present.

In the absence of the teacher, Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy, the assistant teacher, Mrs. Mattie L. King led an interesting lesson on the book of Psalms. Mrs. D. E. Holster will be hostess at the meeting on Friday of this week.

Music Students Entertained

Miss Leona McCormick entertained her music pupils and several other guests with a picnic at Cloverdale Saturday morning following a program at the Yucca theater.

About fifty boys and girls enjoyed a picnic lunch, and a round of jolly games.

Young Hostesses Entertain With Picnic

Misses Imogene Cox and Mary Belle Pratt entertained a number of friends with a picnic Friday evening. The group went to Cloverdale, but because of the chilly weather decided to return to the Pratt home. There the picnic supper was spread, and the young folks enjoyed music and games.

Guests were Misses Annie Faye Dunagan, Dorothy Bess Stanley, Adidese Haag, Evelyn Garlington, Lillian Dunaway, and Messrs. Ralph Hallman, Herman Walker, Ray Parker, Frank Midkiff, Maurice King, Whitten Pinnell, Lloyd Burris and Oliver Haag.

Mrs. M. D. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Finlayson and Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Pratt acted as chaperones.

Sorority and Guests Entertained With Theater Party

Miss Mary Caroline Sims was hostess to members of the Mu Eta Sigma sorority and other guests at a theater party Friday evening which took the young people first to the Yucca, then to the Petroleum drug for refreshments, and from there to the Ritz where the girls and boys saw the second show.

After the show, George Payne, manager of a miniature golf course, who was in the party, invited the crowd to play a round of golf.

Members of the party were Misses Ruby Hodges, Jean Wolcott, Ida Beth Cowden, Dorris Harrison, Martha Louise Nobles, Marie Hill, Walter Faye Cowden, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Nancy Rankin, Janelle Edwards, Jean Verdier, Messrs. Vann Mitchell, Roswell Miller, Odessa, Archie Estes, Ernest Friberg, Thomas Lee Speed, Robert E. Poe, George Payne, Clell Reed, R. V. Wasaf, Unca Budd, Ernest Sparks, Lloyd Burris, C. W. Edwards and Bill Cartmell.

The girls were invited to the home of Walter Faye Cowden for a slumber party after the golf games.

Personals

Mrs. A. W. Stanley and children, Dorothy Bess and A. W. are leaving today for Alpine to make their home. Mr. Stanley is associated with an M store there and has resided there for the past few months.

Lexter Beauchamp was in from the ranch north of Odessa yesterday.

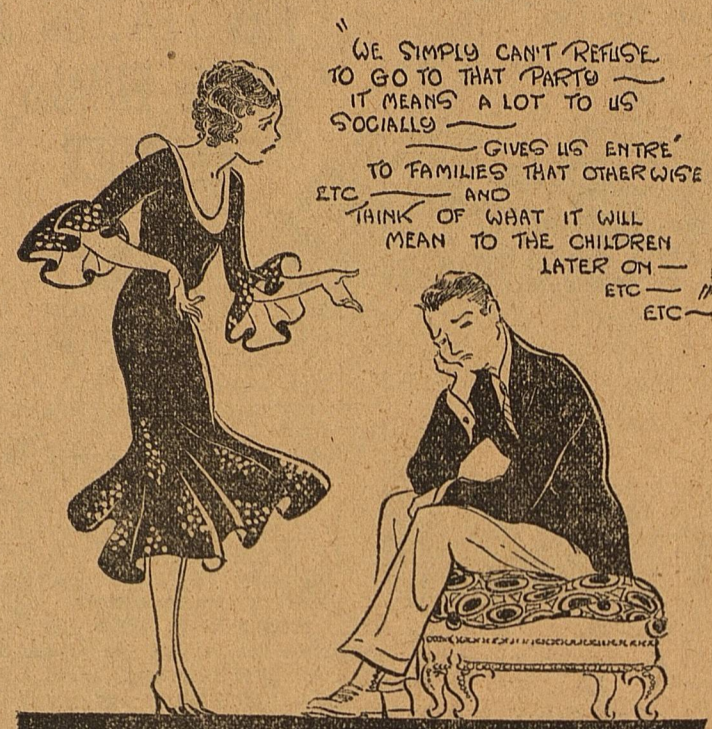
T. O. Stark is in Midland on business from his home in Seminole.

Mmes. B. O'Brien and F. C. King of Odessa were Midland visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Carson of Eunice were in Midland yesterday.

J. F. Frye, head of the Frye Rubber company, was in Midland Saturday transacting business.

GOAT GETTERS!



Large Per Cent of High School Graduates Will Enter Texas Colleges Next Year

As typical of what the 44 members of the 1930 graduating class will do their first year out of high school, several members of the class have been interviewed as to their plans for next year's work. No doubt some who have not been seen will take special work by correspondence, some will go to colleges and universities, and some will begin their business careers.

Showing their democratic spirit practically all of the students who are going to college have selected schools in their own state, a majority of them ones that are best-known in this part of the country. Ralph Hallman, valedictorian of the 1930 class, who has taken honors through all four years of high school work, will enter some university in the fall. Although choice has not been made, it will be a Texas school.

Evelyn Garlington, salutatorian of this year's class plans to go to Texas Technological college at Lubbock, where she will specialize in piano and voice.

Imogene Cox will probably enter Baylor Belton to specialize in business administration, preparing herself for college work with at least a year at Baylor University, Waco.

Adidese Haag, according to present plans, will enter Southwestern University at Georgetown. Although she has not planned her course, she will probably take up a study of business administration.

Robert Hines plans to spend the coming year on his father's farm, assisting him in the farm work.

Dorothy Weinstein intends to be a teacher, and if present plans work out, will enter State University in the fall.

Oliver Haag hopes to enter school somewhere after he has spent a year at home.

Although not certain, Thomas Lee Speed may spend next year at A. & M. college. Plans for his future work have not been fully developed.

Georgie Barber hopes to find a position in Midland for a year, where she can prepare for college work the year after.

Mary Lou Thrower will not attend college, and desires to take a stenographical position.

C. I. A. at Denton is the choice of Mary Belle Pratt in selecting a school. She will major in English and minor in Latin for the purpose of teaching the subjects afterwards. She intends to keep up piano work and is working for a degree. After four years at C. I. A. she may take post-graduate work at the State University.

Definite plans have not been made by Alvon Patterson, but he is considering a year at Southwestern University where he wants to pre-

Former Midland Girl Honored By W. A. A.

Miss Elizabeth McKissick of Cisco, formerly of Midland, has been awarded a "T" sweater by the Woman's Athletic Association of T. C. U. at Fort Worth, where she is now in school. Her father, J. T. McKissick, was head of the old Midland college when it was in operation, and the family lived here for several years.

Miss McKissick's picture ran in this paper some time ago when she was named one of T. C. U.'s outstanding women athletes.

The story follows: FORT WORTH—Three "T" blankets, the highest award made by the Woman's Athletic Association of Texas Christian University, were awarded this year—to Misses Allene Allen, Inez Reynolds and Virginia Greer. The awards were made for outstanding athletic achievement on the basis of a point system for participation in various sports.

Awards of "T" sweaters, the next highest award, were made to Phyllis Ellis Laredo; Elizabeth McKissick, Cisco; Eugenia Baskin, Ballinger; Madeline Westbrook, San Angelo; and Thelma Lawrence, Laura Lee Barclay, Virginia Bryson, Lorena Houtchens and Mildred Meggs of Fort Worth.

"T" pins were awarded to: Louise Lester, De Leon; Elizabeth Ruff, Brownsville; Hazel Rightberger, Dallas; Harriet Griffin, Alamo; Marion Miller, Waco; Lillian Preston, Mexia; and Frances Lewis, Trula Clendenen, Marjory Brown and Loree Guhl, all of Fort Worth.

Judge Chas. Gibbs of San Angelo was a business visitor to Midland yesterday.

R. D. Lee of Lovington was in the city Saturday.

A. L. Henley, official of Walker-Smith company, was here yesterday from his office at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Pirtle, San Antonio, spent Friday night in Midland.

R. J. Matheson, president of the Southern California Hotel association, and wife spent the night in Midland Friday en route to their home in Hollywood.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy spent Friday and Saturday in Colorado City.

Mrs. Paul Rountree and Miss Jerra Edwards have returned from a several days visit in Abilene.

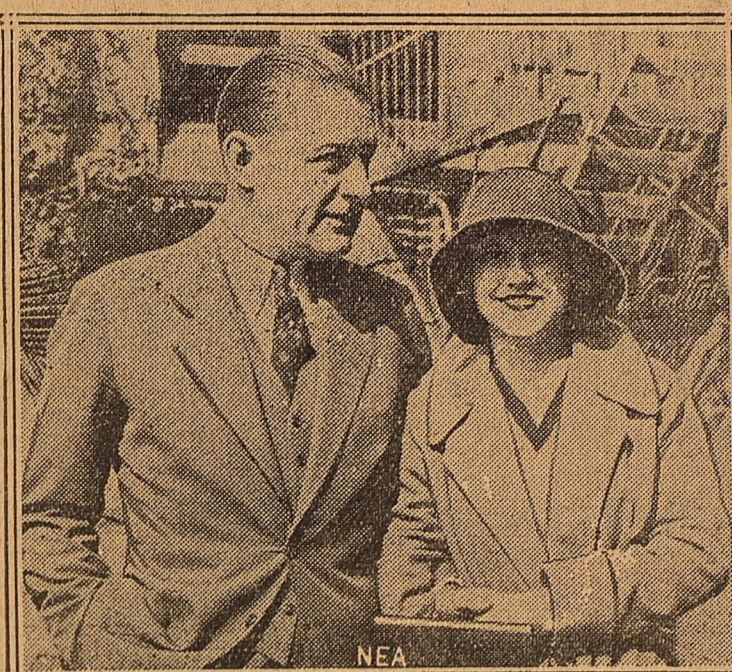
Dr. Sanstrom of San Angelo is the guest of Dr. K. F. Campbell, who returned Saturday from the state dental convention at Fort Worth.

Miss Hannah More Frazer arrived Saturday from her home in Dallas, and will be the house guest of Mrs. A. S. Legg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Davenport, and Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Verneul, Fort Worth, spent Friday night and Saturday in Midland, visiting with R. C. Hankins, Mrs. Davenport's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Satterwhite passed through Midland Saturday en route to Fort Worth. He is in charge of the offices there of Clint Small of Wellington, candidate for governor.

Film Star to Wed Society Girl



Summating a childhood romance, Kenneth Harlan, screen star, and Doris Hilda Booth, Massachusetts society girl, startled Hollywood when they obtained a license to marry. They are shown here as they visited the Los Angeles marriage license bureau. Harlan had been married twice before, once to Marie Prevost.

Announcements

Monday The Baptist W. M. U. will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Elliott Cowden, with Mmes. Clarence Scharbauer, John Gay, J. O. Nobles, and Hugh Corrigan as co-hostesses. The Lockett Auxiliary will give the Royal Service program.

Circle A of the Presbyterian Auxiliary meets at 3:30 with Mrs. S. B. Cragin; Circle B with Mrs. R. C. Crabb. Mrs. Fred Campbell will assist Mrs. Crabb as hostess, and Mrs. Houston is to be lesson leader.

The Rhinehardt Circle of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Shelton, South Marienfield street.

Tuesday Mrs. D. E. Shoemaker will be hostess to the Mayfair club at 3 o'clock.

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

Miss Thelma White is to be hostess to the Edelweiss club at 3 o'clock.

The Ladies Bible class of the Church of Christ will meet at the church at 2:45.

The Laf A Lot club meets at the home of Mrs. T. S. Patterson at 3 o'clock.

Wednesday Mrs. Hugh Corrigan will entertain the Mid-Week Bridge club at her home at 3 o'clock.

Thursday The Country Club members meet for bridge games at 8:30.

Mrs. J. H. Haralson will entertain the Bien Amigos club at 9 o'clock.

Friday The Midland chapter of the Arno Art Institute meets at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ralph Barron.

The Belmont Bible class meets with Mrs. D. E. Holster, 1303 South Colorado street.

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Mrs. Howard Bibb is leaving early this week for a two week visit with relatives and friends at Winters, her former home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Tom of Stanton were in Midland Saturday visiting relatives and shopping.

W. W. Larkin, who has been desk clerk at the Scharbauer hotel, is leaving today for Fort Worth to make his residence for a while.

P. E. McLanahan of Big Spring was in Midland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Byrd were in from their ranch north of town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan are spending a few days in Fort Worth.

Bun Grammar left Saturday for a fishing trip near Balmorhea.

Dan Runner, auditor for the Texas Electric Service company, was in Midland on business Friday.

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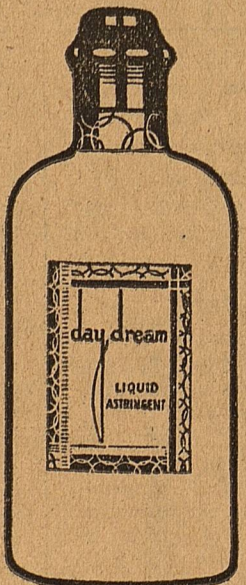
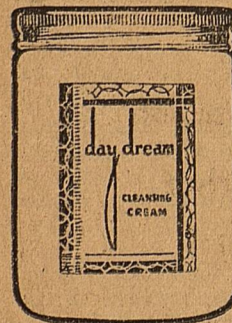


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Mrs. Proctor Hostess To Joy De Vie Club

Outstanding among the week's social functions was a dinner bridge Friday night, when Mrs. Foy Proctor entertained members of the Joy De Vie club and other guests.

Dinner was served at El Campo Moderno, where a long table was beautifully laid for eighteen guests.

A green bowl filled with pink and purple larkspur centered the table, and at each end blue baskets of pink sweet peas were placed. Other flowers carried out the same colors. Combination place cards and tallies were airplanes of pink and green. A four-course chicken dinner was served.

After dinner, the guests were taken to Mrs. Proctor's home where the evening was spent in bridge games. High club favor went to Mrs. Charles Klapproth, and Miss Myrtle Green held high guest score. A marked tally gave Mrs. Bob Martin out prize.

Guests of Mrs. Proctor were Mmes. Ralph Barron, Harvey Sloan, H. E. Wester, Fred Turner, Carroll Hill, Sam Holloway, W. O. Pelfrey, Bob Martin, Roy Parks, Charles Klapproth, Jack Homsley, John Dublin, J. M. Speed, Bob Hill, E. I. Head, A. H. Alcorn, A. S. Lege; Mrs. Floy Boyd of Cleburne, house guest of Mrs. Pelfrey, and Miss Myrtle Green, Detroit, house guest of Mrs. Sloan.

L. B. Marcus of Fort Worth is in Midland for a few days.



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LOW MEDAL TOURNAMENT STARTS AT COUNTRY CLUB AT 1:30

Two Little Golf Tournaments to Be on at Courses During the Evening

NEW HANDICAPS MADE OUT; SEVERAL FOURSOMES TO PLAY; THIS IS FOURTH OF SEASON; COWDEN TO BROWNWOOD

The fourth low medal golf tourney of the season will be played at the country club this afternoon, beginning at 1:30.

New handicaps have been made out for a big number of golfers, and others will be assigned in case other members of the club are on hand ready to make the rounds.

Eighteen holes will be played, handicaps subtracted from scores, and the three lowest net scores awarded prizes, as was done last Sunday.

It is pointed out that the time before the invitation tournaments is growing more narrowed and that every country club golfer should be entered in the Sunday tournaments in order to stimulate interest and make the competition keener. Members expected to go the rounds this afternoon together with the new handicaps:

COWDEN TO ENTER

Ellis Cowden will enter the Brownwood tournament of the West Texas Golf association this week. Secretary Bert Ross said Saturday that Midland had paid its dues several weeks ago, and that the leaving out by a large state paper of the name of Midland as one of the participating towns had been inadvertent. Cowden will play with noted West Texas golfers he has met before.

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| C. L. Jackson | 7 |
| P. Gilpin | 11 |
| E. J. Moran | 13 |
| Ferguson | 13 |
| Jack Boone | 15 |

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| H. M. Bayer | 15 |
| H. Corrigan | 15 |
| J. P. Howe | 16 |
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| R. Lloyd | 17 |
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| R. M. Barron | 18 |
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| Dave Finley | 26 |
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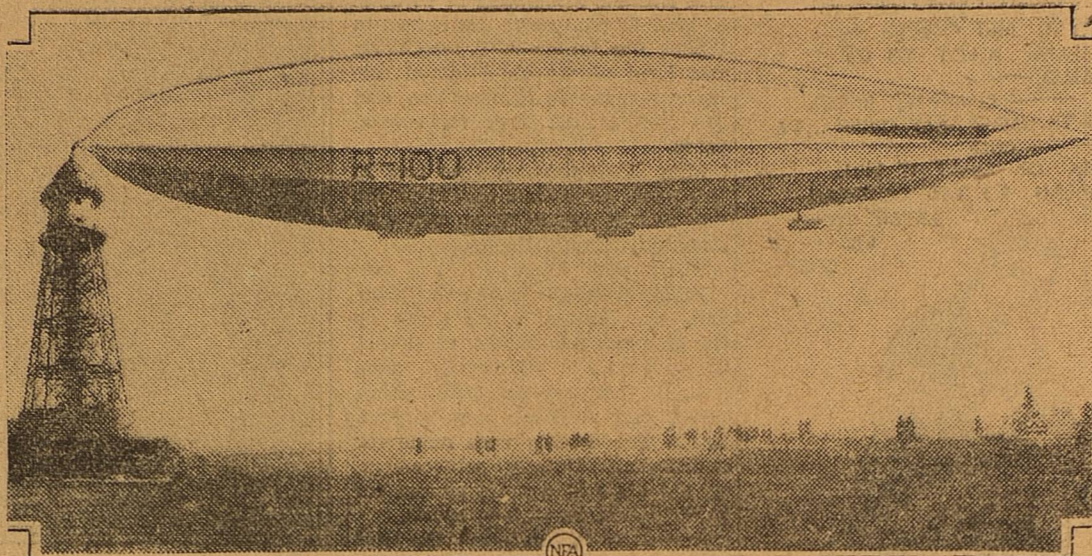
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How R-100 Will Look on North American Soil



This composite photograph shows how Great Britain's air goliath, the dirigible R-100, will look moored to the recently erected mast at St. Hubert Airport, Montreal, Canada, if it successfully completes its projected voyage from England. The tall tower was built especially to receive the palatial air liner—largest in the world—which may be put into regular trans-Atlantic service after its maiden visit to this continent. Two Canadian government radio announcers will be stationed atop the mooring tower to broadcast a description of the huge airship's arrival.

DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN CITES PROCEDURE TO GET ON BALLOT

H. W. Rowe, county democratic chairman, gives to the public the information on how candidates file requests to have their names on ballots for the democratic primary.

Names must be in the hands of Chairman Rowe on or before the Saturday before the third Monday in June, which, this year, falls on June 14. Notices must be addressed to H. W. Rowe as county chairman. The law regulating the filing of names, also the proper form for making the request, is reprinted herewith:

ART. 3113. CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY OFFICE: Any person desiring his name to appear on the official ballot for the general primary, as a candidate for the nomination for any office to be filled by the qualified voters of a county or a portion thereof, or for county chairman, shall file with the county chairman of the county of his residence, not later than Saturday before the third Monday in June preceding such primary, a written request for his name to be printed on such official ballot as a candidate for the nomination or position named therein, giving his occupation and post-office address, giving street and number of his residence, if within a city or town, such request to be signed and acknowledged by him before some officer authorized to take acknowledgment to deeds. Such request, similarly signed and acknowledged by any twenty-five qualified voters resident in the county may be filed on or before said date, requesting that the name of any person named therein may be placed on the official ballot as a candidate for any county or precinct office or chairmanship, with like effect as if such request was filed by the person named as a candidate therein; which request shall be endorsed by the candidate named therein showing his consent to such candidacy, if nominated.

Executive Committee of Democratic Party, Midland County, Texas. I hereby request that my name be placed upon the official ballot for the primary election to be held on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1930, as a candidate for the office of _____ My occupation is _____ My postoffice is _____ I live on _____ street; the number of my residence is _____

Signed by Candidate THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF MIDLAND Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared _____ known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument of writing, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose therein stated.

Notary Public in and for Midland County, Texas.

MIDLAND ON MAP

Midland is the only city shown on the South Plains Pipe Line company's line as shown on a map of gas lines in the United States. The map, prepared by Ford, Francis & Bacon for the "Gas Age Record," was sent Marion E. Peters and may be seen at the office of the chamber of commerce. Peters says this illustrates the growing fame of Midland.

Many will regard Gandhi's arrest merely as a pinch of salt.

Skuy High Bidder At Kimberlin Sale

High bid on the stock and fixtures of the former Kimberlin Bros., Inc. store here, when sold at auction Friday afternoon, was made by A. Skuy. He had also placed the high bid on the stock and fixtures of the store at Big Spring, and was the high bidder when bids were taken on the two stores combined.

His bid at Big Spring was \$7,000 for stock and fixtures; and at Midland \$7,500. His bid on the two was \$14,700. The S. & Q. Clothiers had the high bid on the San Angelo store, according to J. L. Tweedy, receiver, who was appointed by the federal court to sell the stocks and fixtures of the three stores following bankruptcy proceedings. All bids must be confirmed by the court before the sales take effect. Skuy, who comes from Tulsa, is now operating a store at Big Spring, selling the stock of the former Segal store there.

CHANGES POSITION

J. Carrol Florey, for three years with the H. O. Wooten Grocery Co., has resigned in order that he may take a position with the Regio Manufacturing Co., Nashville, Tenn. Florey will have charge of the territory lying between El Paso and Cisco and Lubbock and San Angelo.

MRS. SEYMOUR IMPROVING

A report received Saturday from Baylor hospital at Dallas, where Mrs. M. M. Seymour is confined following a major operation recently, said that she was improving rapidly.

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PRO PLAYING IN ONE; FINALS IN OTHER

Finals tonight follow the low medal putting on the West Texas miniature golf course. Finalists were selected from entries who made the rounds of the course Saturday night. This latter play started at 9 o'clock, too late for the results to "hit" today's sports page.

The play tonight will begin at the same time. Two survivors of Saturday night's play will go over the two rounds, for deciding the low score on 18 holes.

At the Little golf course, it has been decided by the management that a match will begin at 9 o'clock, also. "Ugly Pat," the professional from the country club, and an unknown player, will go over the 18-hole matched play route that should be interesting. Pat is accustomed to play on the big golf courses of the country, and his opponent is one well versed in the miniature links.

The Little golf course has been reconstructed with new hazards that should give both players plenty of trouble. Par should be hard to beat, Pat says. A large gallery is expected at both courses.

A new lighting system has been installed. This will add to the play and attractiveness of the course.

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BLIND PLAYERS WIN LONDON, (UP).—Blind chess players from the Worcester College for the Blind beat a team from the Imperial Chess Club by 10 matches to six.

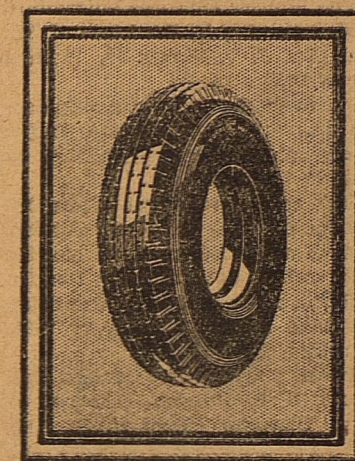
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Famous Slang "She gave me the heir," said Napoleon gazing at a picture of his second wife.

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Midland High School will soon harvest its annual crop of graduates. Next to getting married graduation is the most pleasant event in your life; and we know a good many who will vote for graduation.

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"She wasn't a peach, she was a grapefruit."

"How's zat?"

"I squeezed her and she hit me in the eye."

A conservative is a man who feels practically naked without a vest.

Mr. J. R. Vandeventer is making some improvements on his home on South Colorado street.

A Bad Sign Some people think it is a bad sign to raise an umbrella in the house, but it is a worse sign not to have a house to raise one in.

With some members of the family taking daily baths and others being urged to do so, Saturday night has lost its kick, but a lot of folks who are add-

ing a room or two to their homes are adding another bath, too.

"Why does Jones attribute all his success to his wife?"

"Just to convince her that he is a success I suppose."

A hick town is where the ladies still leave the table when the men begin to tell stories.

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SPLINTERS VOL. I. Sunday, May 25 No. 14 Published in the interests of the People of Midland by Wm. Cameron & Co., Inc. A. B. Anderson, editor. Famous Slang "She gave me the heir," said Napoleon gazing at a picture of his second wife. Give us a chance to show you Cameron's Gold Medal line of Wall Paper. Midland High School will soon harvest its annual crop of graduates. Next to getting married graduation is the most pleasant event in your life; and we know a good many who will vote for graduation. Who was that peach I saw you with last night?" "She wasn't a peach, she was a grapefruit." "How's zat?" "I squeezed her and she hit me in the eye." A conservative is a man who feels practically naked without a vest. Mr. J. R. Vandeventer is making some improvements on his home on South Colorado street. A Bad Sign Some people think it is a bad sign to raise an umbrella in the house, but it is a worse sign not to have a house to raise one in. With some members of the family taking daily baths and others being urged to do so, Saturday night has lost its kick, but a lot of folks who are adding a room or two to their homes are adding another bath, too. "Why does Jones attribute all his success to his wife?" "Just to convince her that he is a success I suppose." A hick town is where the ladies still leave the table when the men begin to tell stories. Headline "Ford jumps bridge and Turns Turtle." We know it, we had that same turtle in some soup one time. The foundation on which our business rests has three corner stones. Value, Service and Courtesy. A man's sphere right now seems to be on the golf links or the ball ground. If we should ever fail to please you don't hesitate to tell us all about it, and if we do please you tell us TWICE, it does make us feel so good. Customer: "The way men are buying straw hats, you'd think the country was flooded with money." Mr. John M. Speed has been hauling a lot of lumber, sash and doors and other building materials to Andrews for the hotel he is building there. A local man says: "Maybe it is—drowning men catch at straws, you know." Wm. Cameron & Co. "Everything to Build Anything" Phone No. 433 Midland, — Texas.

Side Glances by Clark



"Gee, these bridal outfits almost make me wish I hadn't broken off with Jimmie."

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

NOW THAT BOOTS IS OUT OF THE WAY . . . SAFELY AT HOME WITH BROTHER BILLY . . . THE POLICE HAVE STOPPED FOOLIN' . . . AND, "GENTLEMAN JACK" IS WAITING FOR THEM

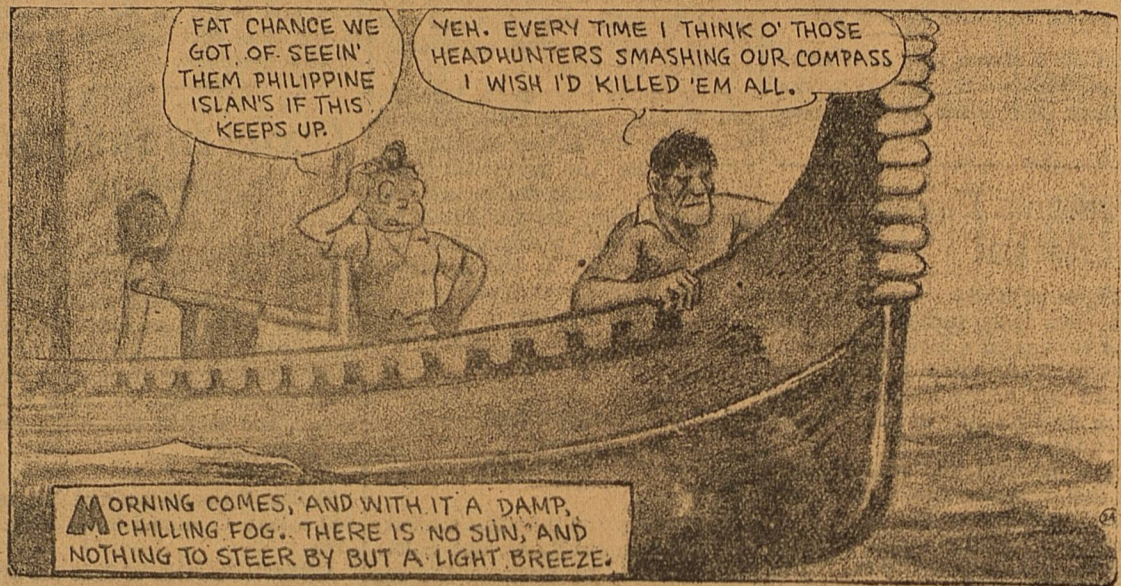


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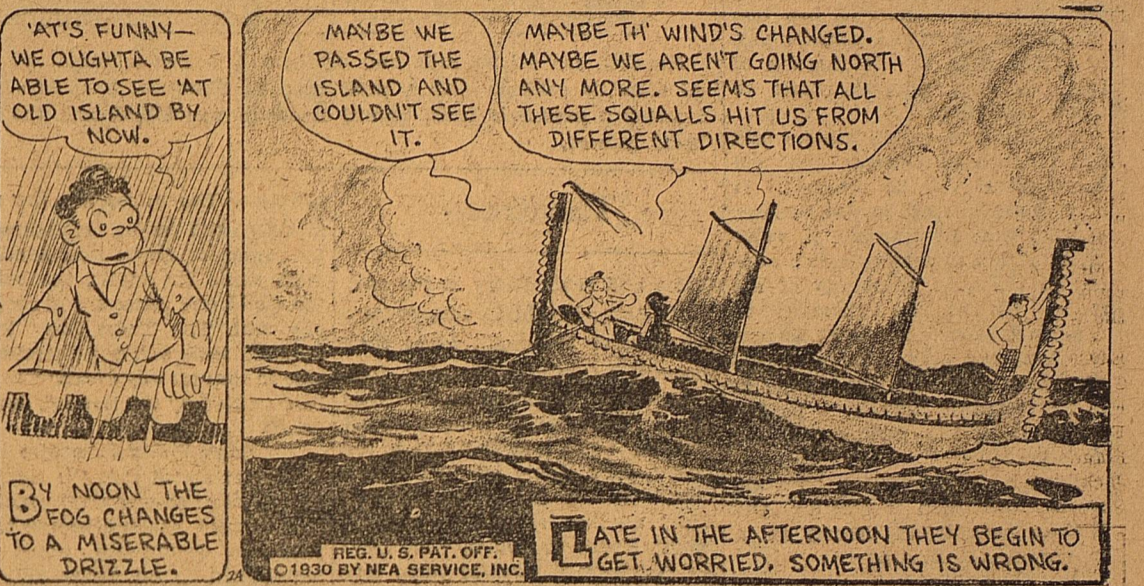


By Martin

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Wanted—An Island



By Crane

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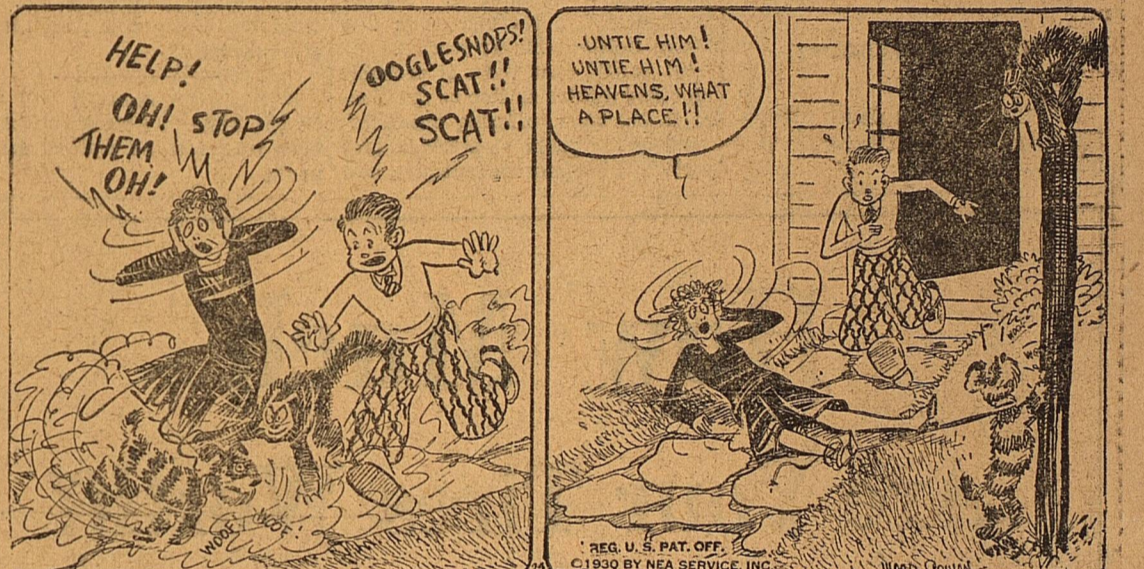
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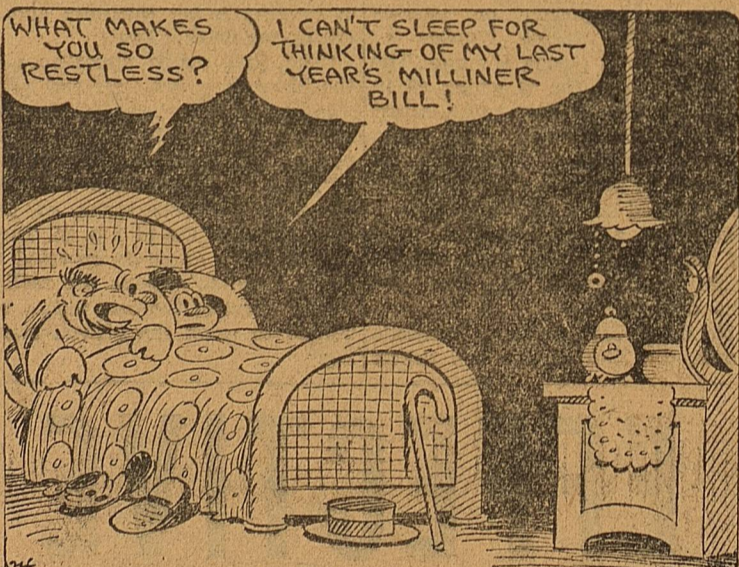


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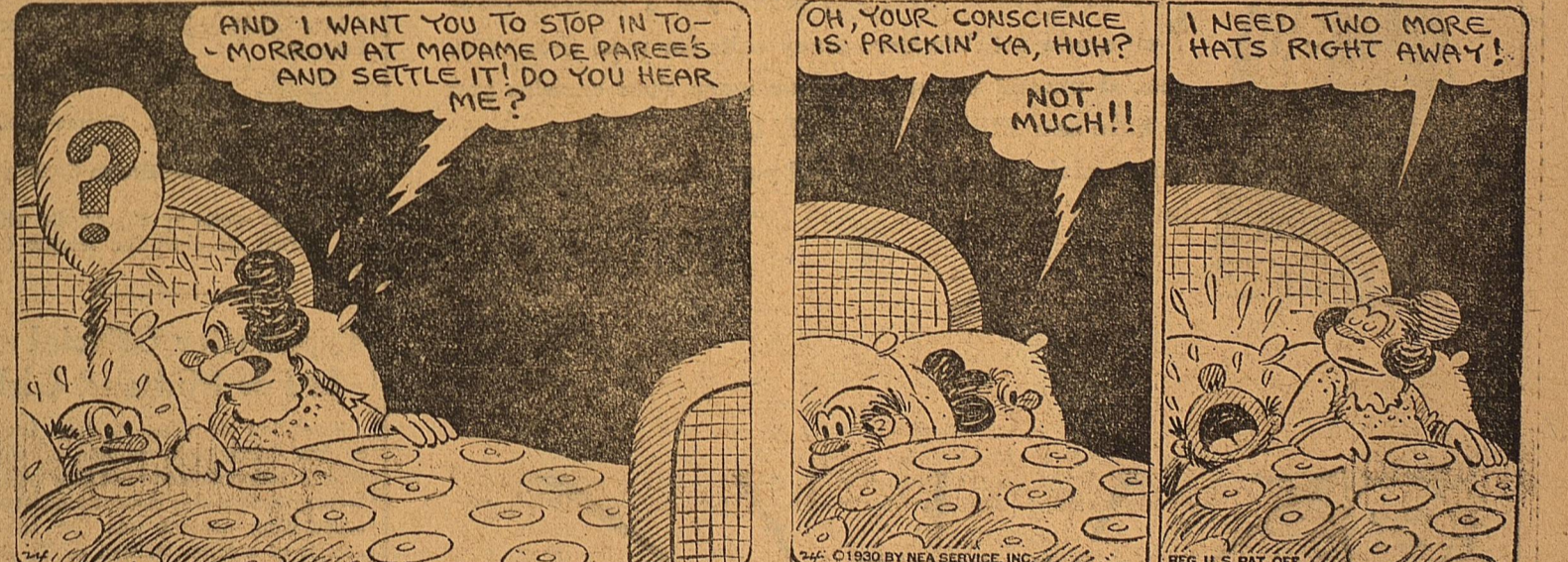


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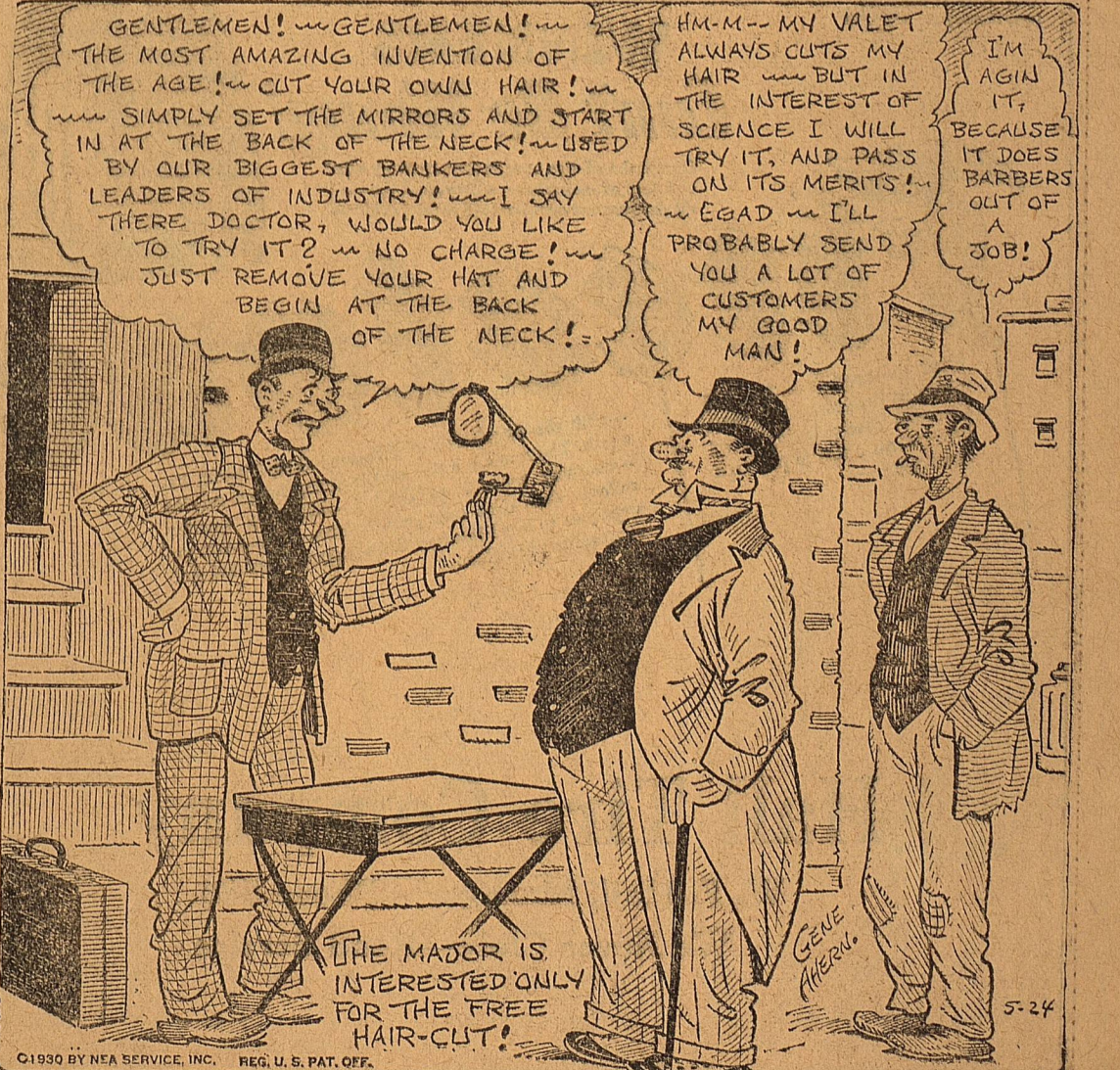


By Small

OUT OUR WAY



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



By Ahern

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

Cattleman Here and Odessa Will Retire

And here is what the roving correspondent has to say about the retiring of one of the best known show herd figures in the Southwest:

John M. Gist, pioneer ranchman and cattle breeder and one of the west's most pleasing conversationalists and companions, is quitting. He announced this at a family reunion held here last Sunday where there was plenty to eat, an old-fashioned family reunion that was held at the place where the Gist family began and where the Gist cattle were prepared for their record-breaking tours of the show circuits of America.

Mr. Gist is not merely withdrawing from the business he loves so well, he has divided his holdings among his four daughters and two sons. The ranch is to be operated as a unit with Marcus Gist as a trustee. Mr. Gist will sit back and play with the ribbons he has won in a dozen states and perhaps give some advice in the preparation of the show herd that he began to create last year.

The Midland ranch will be sold but the one at Odessa, the old home place, will be retained. It is a historic spot in the Odessa country with trees around it, water tanks and slow moving cattle adding to the quiet prosperity of the scene. Up at the chamber of commerce office, Turner E. Campe, the secretary, tells visitors of the Gist place with the same pride as if he owned it himself. In the Elliott hotel are pictures of the Gist herds.

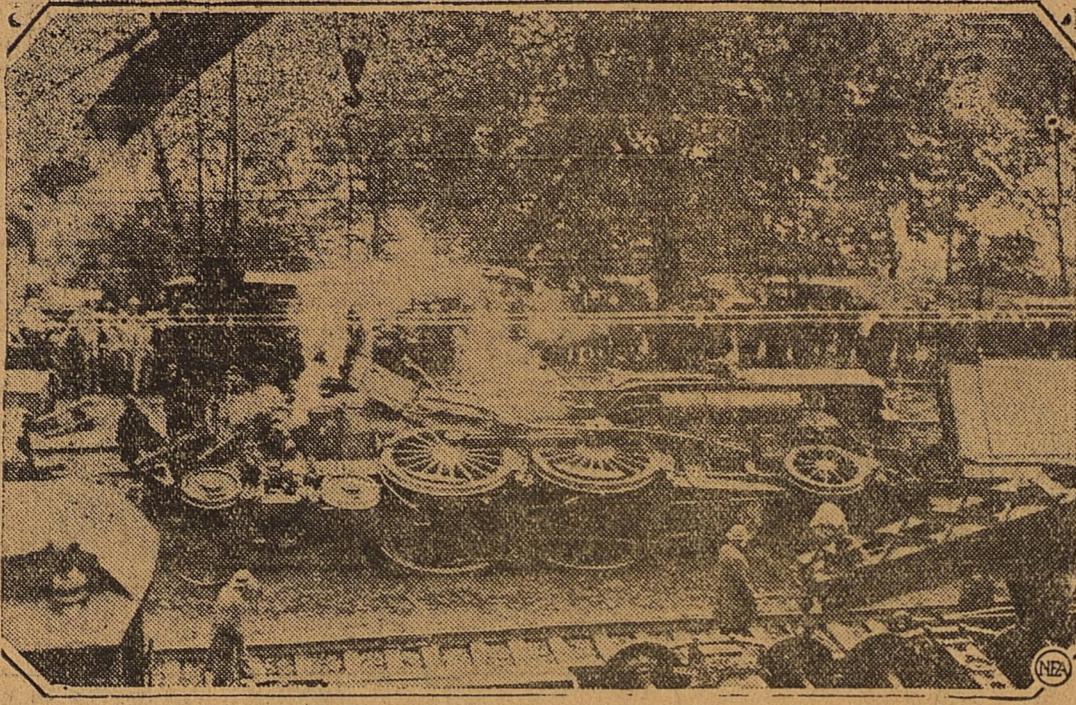
Around the streets the boys are saying, "So John is quitting, eh? Reckon he can sit around in a corner and smoke a pipe."

And they answer: "Well, he'll go to all the cattle shows in America even if he has to travel by the imagination."

MILITARY WEDDING

SOUTHWARK, England, (UP). — Mr. Sargeant and Miss Major were married here.

After Fatal Train Wreck



Knocked far off its rails and overturned, a Pennsylvania railroad locomotive is shown here as it looked after its collision with a work train at Shawnee, Pa. The engineer of the locomotive, which was drawing a passenger train toward Reading, was killed, and the fireman and eight other persons were badly injured.

Theatres--

Clarie and Noah Beery in the cast. Noah Beery is said to sing at least one number two notes lower than has ever before been recorded. Joan Crawford in "Montana Moon," Wild Winnie Lightner in "She Couldn't Say No," Clara Bow in "True to the Navy," Jack Oakie in "The Social Lion," Warner Baxter in "Arizona Kid," another spectacle outdoor talker, Nancy Carroll in "The Devil's Holiday." Several of these feature attractions have elaborate color sequences, and all are said to represent the cream of recent releases from Paramount.

Warner Brothers, First National, Fox and Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios. "It is said that there is probably no other theatre as fine as the Yucca in the state, offering entertainment to the public at prices in proportion to the present reduction now

effective. The prices are the same matinee and night, including all performances. Lower floor admission is 35 cents for adults, the balcony 25c. Children's prices are 10 cents for any seat. The Yucca has twelve hundred seats and will therefore be able to care for any crowds who may be attracted by the new low level of prices.

Same Policy Otherwise "Morley stated that the same liberal spirit of co-operation which the management has endeavored to extend to the community, would be maintained at all times, and that the theatre's responsibility of sustaining the dignity and support the advancement of the city and county and all West Texas would be of first consideration in conducting the theatre interests."

Even though crime is said to be on the wane in Chicago, columnists have reason to be grateful for this much.

Presents Pupils In Recital

Pupils of Wallace Wimberly were presented at the Baptist church Friday evening in a most entertaining "Twilight Musicales." A good crowd heard the young musicians, and were appreciative of the talent shown.

The platform was arranged in a garden scene, the floor covered with grass, vine-covered lattice work arranged in artistic style, with cut flowers finishing the scene. Dim lights gave an attractive finish to the whole.

The following program was carried out: To a Toy Soldier. Warner—Mary Elizabeth Scruggs.

Vocal: Love's Old Sweet Song—Mary Elizabeth Newman. Song of the Drum. Risher—Catherine Carter.

Goblins, Wright—Mildred Lord. Piano: In the Usual Way — Edna Mae Elkin. Student of Mrs. Paul T. Vickers.

A Melody, Wright—Charles Post. Dancing on the Lawn, Reed — Frances Burris.

Drifting, Williams — Lamorne Sindorf.

Saxophone: From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water, Cadman — C. A. Goldsmith.

Humpty-Dumpty, Johnson—Jean McKinney.

Il Bacio—Leonore Goodman. Mazurka Noble, Fontaine — Virginia Garrett.

Indian Campfire Dance, Gaul—Johnie Fay Howe.

Duet: Momus, Geibel — Brookie Jean Dozier and Shirley Hyde.

Fox Chase, Allison — Kathleen Scruggs.

On the Turtle's Back, Nearing—Helen Dunagan.

Under the Leaves, Thome—Nell Wynne Carlisle.

Valck, Mockrejs—Evelyn Garlington.

Summer work by the pupils will be carried on until the middle of July.

Typewriter Official Is For Midland Girl

Extension of good wishes that Evelyn Garlington, winner of the recent interscholastic league typewriting crown, win the international typewriting contest was the substance of a letter written by W. D. M. Simmons of the school department, New York City, by G. R. Curtis, manager of the Underwood typewriter Co., a copy sent Superintendent W. W. Lackey of the Midland schools shows. Miss Garlington made 68.5 words a minute during the contest.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

LLANLEY, Wales, (UP). — The proprietor of a local club called it the Lakefield Social Club and Institute but the police called the place "Hell's Kitchen" and it was raided and struck off the register.

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Mountain to Bear Name Midland Boy

A mountain pinnacle in far-away Alaska is to be named in honor of the late Eugene F. Burkett, son of the Rev. J. C. Burkett, of Abilene, former Midland pastor, says the Abilene News, which goes on to say: Young Burkett, a naval lieutenant, made the first air mapping expedition ever conducted by the United States into Alaska, directing aerial surveys covering 23,000 square miles. Lieutenant Burkett and Ensign John B. Clark of Chicago were instantly killed January 7, 1930, when their amphibian plane plunged 2,000 feet into San Diego bay.

The Alaska mountain to be named in honor of Lieutenant Burkett is a pinnacle seven miles north of Devil's Thumb. It will be called Mount Burkett, according to information received here Thursday from Washington.

The former Abilenean and Midlander made a second mapping trip along the north west coast and over Alaska last year, returning to California in September.

Prior to the fatal crash, Lieutenant Burkett had spent five years in the naval air service without an accident. He was graduated from Simmons university and in 1925 was graduated from the United States naval academy at Annapolis. His body lies buried in the Arlington national cemetery at Washington.

Mr. Burkett is pastor of the South Side Baptist church of Abilene.

Errorgrams—CORRECTIONS

- (1) Students at the naval academy are called midshipmen, not cadets. (2) There is no visor on the cap of the midshipman third from left in the front row. (3) There are no buttons on the jacket of the midshipman on the extreme right. (4) He is also out of step. (5) The scrambled word is EXTREME.

Wants Job; Cannot Read or Scribble

A young man of 21 came into the chamber of commerce.

"Know where a feller can get a job?" he asked.

Noting the man's fine figure and intelligent face, the secretary asked why it should be hard for him to find employment.

"It's because I cannot read and write," the man said.

Followed a conversation somewhat extraordinary because of the infrequency of such cases in West Texas.

The man explained he was an orphan and had been brought up in West Texas. He said it was not the money he failed to make because of being illiterate that caused him to feel saddened, but his failure to be able to appreciate the things an educated person obviously does.

The chamber of commerce pointed out the fact that it is seldom that a West Texan is unable to read and write. In other sections of the state this condition is more or less prevalent.

Texas Industrial Review

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Dallas: Optometrists recently convened here in annual State convention.

Dalhart: Increase of 65.55 per cent in population of this city since 1920.

Jefferson: Economy Bakery has changed hands.

Dalhart: Branch offices of Southwest L. E. Myers Construction company established in Midway Bank

LIUTENANT WANTS PEOPLE OF CITY TO RIDE WITH HIM AS HE MAKES HIS LONG ENDURANCE DRIVE IN MIDLAND

(By Lieut. E. Williams)

"When I start on my 100-hour sleepless non-motor stop endurance drive, you are invited to ride with me at any time during the drive. You know, carrying passengers is one of the chief factors that helps keep me awake. I like to ride with the people of the city in which I drive, as the hours slip by so fast as I listen to the talks that go with the riders.

"I am having quite a few prizes given to the person or persons guessing the nearest number of miles I travel during the run. The Scruggs Buick Co. is giving \$5 in gold; my official timekeeper, Albert Oreck, a wrist watch; the Llano cafe, whose food I will eat while in the car, is giving a \$5 meal ticket. The United Dry Goods Co. will give two prizes, a straw hat, and a pair of silk hose. The Texas Music store, furnishers of the music for the drive, will give a \$5 transferable down payment on a Majestic radio, the Ritz theatre two tickets

for 30 days. My bakery is furnishing the good pastry, and the new My bread, \$3 in trade. Ideal cleaners and pressers, \$2.50 in trade, Thomson Electric and Battery Service Co., that keeps me going with a Willard battery, 4 recharges for your battery.

"Another big feature is the Home Furniture store. I will sleep for eight hours in their big display window, in a special bed room suite. Under the able direction of W. R. Upham, manager of the store, the company is running a big furniture special during my driving hours.

"The first public appearance of the former over-sea flyer and noted race driver will be Monday evening at 8:45. I will tell you of experiences in death defying feats.

"The start of the drive will be at the used car department of the Scruggs Buick Co. at 1 p. m. Tuesday. A large crowd is expected to be on hand to witness the sealing to the wheel of the car, with a big parade to mark the official starting."

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building. Establishment of through bus line from Del Rio to El Paso sought. Alpine: Big paving program of 93 blocks included in year's work completed. Borger: Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. plan construction of new building and installation of complete new telephone equipment, involving total expenditure of \$100,000 in this city. Itasca: Wiginton Grocery install refrigerator. Commerce: Chamber of commerce launches program plan for community development. Farwell: Building formerly occupied by City Service garage leased for opening of new garage. Miami: Roberts county to hold \$300,000 road bond election May 31. Canadian: New front installed on Bader's Pharmacy. Graham: Contract let for construction of Freeze building. Olney: Three-story hotel building to be erected at once on site of recently burned Olney Hotel. Crowell: Hardware men of district 14 hold meeting here. Anton: New newspaper to be established here. Canadian: Engineer to make county road survey, preparatory to laying out grades for paving. Goldthwaite: Continental Oil Co. agency and service station, operated at corner of Fisher and Fourth streets, changed hands recently. Wolfe City: Improvements being made to post office. Frisco: New grocery store to open soon in building formerly occupied by Bewley Malone's grocery. Farwell: Post office moved to new location just west of Newton grocery. Frisco: Consumers Fuel association organized here. South Bend: Construction under way on new school building. Midland: Contract for street drainage work to be let soon. Baird: Lone Star Gas Co. installing line to connect up gas wells with of here.

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