

"The majority of marriages are not happy. Eighty per cent of them begin in ecstasy and develop into a habit." —Edgar Wallace.

LEAH'S CASE TO TRIAL MONDAY

Relief Commission Leaves to Ask Aid for West Texas

MIDLAND COUNTY FARM FAIR OPENS FRIDAY FOR TWO DAYS

PREMIUMS LIST BIG; UNUSUAL

Merchants Displays; Numerous Other Features

With six communities arrayed in the competition, and additional features, such as merchants' displays and exhibits of special farm equipment and labor-saving devices, the Midland County Farm fair will open Friday for a two-day session that promises to be the most successful ever held in the county.

More than \$250 in premiums will be offered by merchants through the chamber of commerce. Frank Wendt, county farm agent, will have a unique exhibit of handy farm equipment that may be made on the farm. This exhibit was prepared through co-operation of the Wm. Cameron Lumber company. Features will be self-feeders waterers and feed mixers. Power machinery will also be shown.

Three well-known extension agents of Texas will be in Midland to judge the exhibits: T. B. Wood, district extension agent of College Station; John Simpson, cattle specialist for the T. & P. railroad and former Midland county farm agent, and Miss Helen H. Swift, in charge of women's work for this division of the state.

The chamber of commerce is financing the fair, and John Schaubauer is furnishing the exhibit space at his garage building on East Wall street.

MOODY WISHES TO LAND BOOTLEGGERS BEHIND THE BARS

AUSTIN, Sept. 20. (UP)—Governor Moody's reward for capture and conviction of bootleggers selling to students will be limited to convictions in state courts, he said today.

Midland Minister Elected Moderator

The Rev. Thomas D. Murphy was elected moderator of the El Paso Presbytery, the last meeting of which was held last week at Van Horn.

Says Brother Was Guilty of Murder

TYLER, Sept. 20. (P)—James Neely, 70, arrested yesterday on an Alabama warrant charging murder 46 years ago of Hiram Cooley, today told officers that his brother, Tom Neely, now dead, hit Cooley with a rock when Cooley came at James Neely with a hoe handle. The accused already had waived extradition.



Lola Long, 18, will continue to make her home with Milton Reiff, farmer, of Attica, O., instead of with her own parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Long. Several years ago her father, owing Reiff \$200, bound Lola out to work for Reiff and pay it off. Lola agreed, but when her father recently tried to get her back she refused to return and a court sustained her.

ROWE TO PRESIDE AT PETROLEUM MEETING

Homer W. Rowe will preside at the Tuesday night meeting of the Midland Independent Petroleum Association of Texas, a letter from Claude C. Wild, executive vice-president, announced.

Educational work which has been occupying the attention of the organization recently will be continued in Midland, press releases sent out from Fort Worth say.

The educational program of the organization was carried on last week at Pampa and Amarillo, with Tom Cranfill and Claude C. Wild, executive vice-president, addressing large gatherings of independent operators and land owners, and at Luling with C. O. Maddox, one of the directors from San Antonio, and Frank Killough, of the organization staff, delivering addresses on the various problems of the oil business.

Noted Speakers The work will be continued at Midland Tuesday night with Homer W. Rowe, Hon. J. J. Yowell of San Angelo, Hon. Lee Satterwhite of Odessa and Claude C. Wild delivering addresses, and at Abilene Wednesday night with the Hon. J. C. Hunter acting as chairman. Addresses will be delivered by Hon. Bob Wagstaff, Claude C. Wild and Hon. Walter Woodward of Coleman.

Suspected Torch Slayers Held; Two Shot to Death In Texas; Bystander Shot

FORT SMITH, Sept. 20. (P)—Two and possibly three alleged robbers of the Commercial bank of Alma, Ark., were involved today as suspects in the torch slaying last July of Roy Hawthorne at Fort Worth.

Two men arrested at Miami, Okla., saying they were Homer Scott and Don Flores, were identified by Deputy Sheriff Dusty Rhodes of Fort Worth as Herbert Stanley and Hugh Butler, charged with the murder of Hawthorne.

Stanley and Butler, with Lloyd Casstevens, are under indictment for the Hawthorne slaying. Hawthorne's slayers, who beat him to death with bottles at a beer party, soaked his body with gasoline, ignited and left it to burn in a field near Lake Worth.

Slaying of Hawthorne is alleged to have been inspired because he gave evidence against other members of a cattle theft ring of which he was believed to be a member.

SHOOTS HIS WIFE HOUSTON, Sept. 20. (P)—A quarrel with her estranged husband led to death for Mrs. Ona Mae Parker, 18, here today. She had been separated from her husband, Harry Parker, 20, of Joquin, two months. Today Parker came here to see their 17-month-old son at a rooming house where his wife lived. They quarreled bitterly and she was shot five times and was dead when neighbors arrived.

Parker later went to the police station and surrendered. J. B. Moore, another roomer, said Parker came to the house, Mrs. Parker ordering him to leave, saying she would "have him in the jug." Parker replied that he just wanted to see the baby. The argument and tragedy ensued, Moore said.

SHOOTS SON-IN-LAW HOUSTON, Sept. 20. (UP)—Ernst Helms, 41, street car motorman, today was charged with murder in connection with the slaying of his son-in-law, Alton Baklik, 24, who was shot to death at Helms' home here last night.

The shooting occurred after Mrs. Baklik went to her father's home and complained that her husband was beating her. Helms told police that ten minutes after his daughter reached his home she was followed by Baklik, who broke the light globe with his fist and started fighting. "I did all I could to prevent shooting him, but when I saw danger I opened fire with a pistol and he fled," Helms told police.

KILLS ONE, THEN DIES SHREVEPORT, La., Sept. 20. (UP) A young robber, identified as Carl Barnes, local automobile salesman, was shot dead by a policeman after mortally wounding J. G. Schley, customer in a filling station, during an attempted holdup last night.

Barnes and an unidentified companion appeared at the station and held several persons at bay with guns. Schley entered to buy a battery. He scuffled with the bandit and staggered to the door with a bullet in his body, dying soon afterward in a hospital.

Patrolman L. C. Smith, summoned by a negro assistant, entered and demanded Barnes to throw up his hands. The bandit attempted to use his gun and Smith shot him dead.

The bandit's companion fled in an automobile and had not been apprehended early today.

Two Cadet Flights Here This Week

Two squadrons of cadet flyers from Kelly field will land in Midland this week, Wednesday and Thursday. The first detachment will be a Keystone bombardment group and the second a Curtiss Hawk pursuit group.

LIBERAL LOAN PLAN IS ASKED

Urge Faster Action On New Rail Line Applications

STAMFORD, Sept. 20. (P)—Ten members of the West Texas chamber of commerce drought relief committee left today for Washington, where they will confer with federal government officials.

Amon G. Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, headed the group which included Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally.

The committee will seek liberalization of the policy of the intermediate credit bank in rediscounting notes, extension in time of payment on loans of federal land banks will ask the federal government to deposit government funds in banks of the drought area and to include Texas drought area counties in freight rate concessions.

The group will also ask faster action on West Texas railway extension applications.

PEMBERTON IS ELECTED HEAD W. T. DENTISTS

Dr. L. B. Pemberton, Midland dentist, was made president-elect of the West Texas Dental society which met last week at Big Spring.

The dentist will take the chair in 1932, when the term of the incumbent is up.

Midland Typist Off for Richmond

Miss Evelyn Garlington, pride of the high school through her achievement last year at Austin in taking the state record for speed typing and qualifying for the international speed tests at Richmond, Va., will leave Monday for Virginia.

At the high school Friday afternoon, Miss Garlington was presented her cash awards for the feat, \$139.98 for railway expenses and \$150 for personal expenses.

Mrs. Clint Myrick, who instructed Miss Garlington in typing, presented the awards, and an Underwood Typewriter company representative was here for the occasion.

Competition will begin Friday and the Midland girl will arrive in Richmond the day before. On the return trip she will visit Washington and other eastern cities.

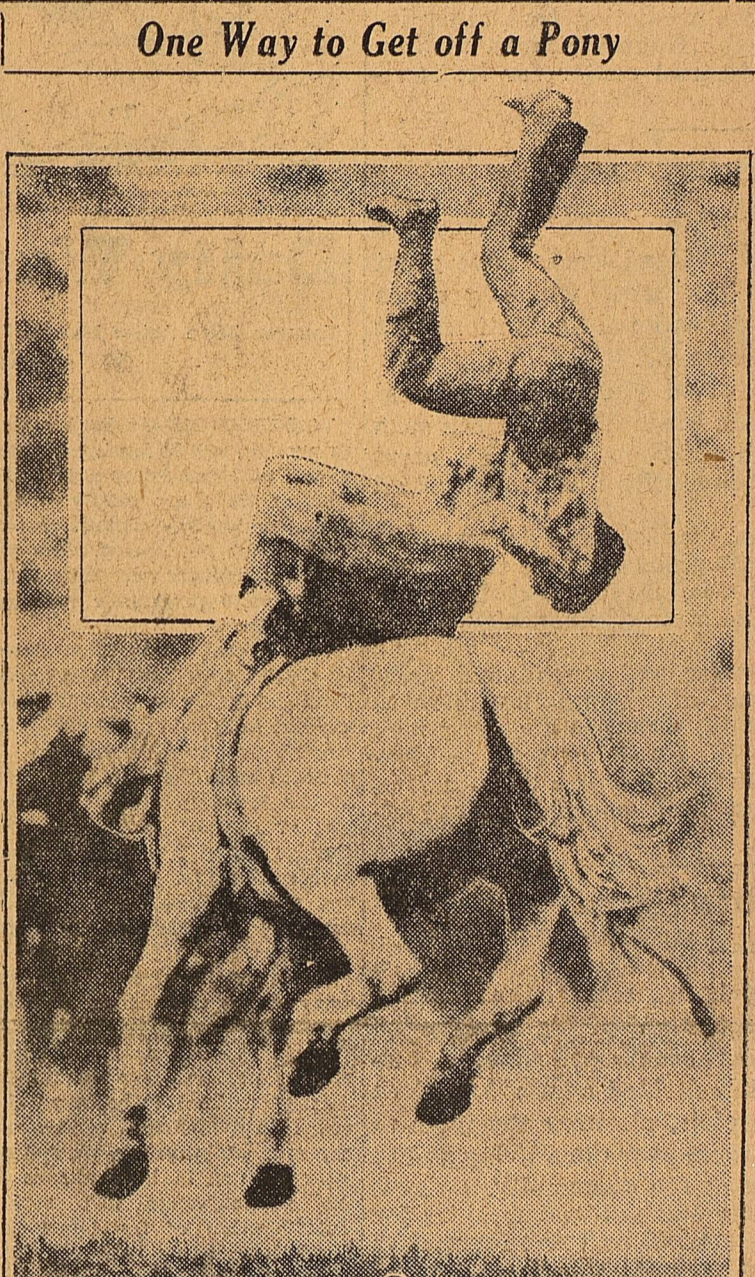
"In Washington Evelyn will get to shake hands with Herbert," Superintendent Lackey said, humorously.

New Mexico and Arizona state winners will be joined by Miss Garlington when she boards the train and at each state there will be other entries to join the party.

Twenty will join at St. Louis, it was announced.

Miss Garlington is said to have an excellent chance of taking international scholastic honors at the meet, her average made in Austin having been termed extraordinary.

Schoolmen Attend Athletic Meeting Supt. W. W. Lackey and Coach L. K. Barry went to Monahans Saturday to attend a district football committee session.



There are lots of ways of getting off a horse, but the cowboy in this picture is showing one of the most spectacular of them all. The photo was taken at the rodeo at Ellensburg, Washington, and shows a cowboy known as "Homer the Clown" coming down from his perch in an unexpected manner.

MEDIC PROGRAMME POSSIBILITY SEEN

HIGHLY PRAISED BY DOCTOR

So well has Dr. W. E. Ryan, secretary of the West Texas Medical society, arranged his programme for the Oct. 6-7 session in Midland, that noted physicians and surgeons are writing their appreciation.

"I congratulate you on the splendid set-up you have in Midland. It would make a good state meeting programme," a letter from Dr. Curtice Rosser of Dallas, noted authority on acne and skin ailments, wrote.

Other physicians have written their congratulations and it seems certain that Midland will have a large gathering of the medics.

More Than \$300 Is Raised in Canvass

The Salvation Army drive conducted Friday resulted in the same quick raising of Midland's quota, more than the \$300 quota being raised.

The last report gave the amount that resulted from the two-hour canvass was \$308.

Those who worked as teams during the drive were: M. C. Ulmer, chairman; R. M. Barron, treasurer; M. M. Seymour, A. P. Baker, Tommie Wilson, Joe Vickers, Claude O. Crane, Chester Sheppard and Clint Myrick.

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It was expected that the matter of eligibility among players would be discussed by the members of the athletic council.

SPECIAL VENIRE OF 200

Sentenced Twice but Appeals Court Reverses

Twice convicted and given 99-year terms in the state penitentiary, Leah Bailey, charged with the murder in 1928 of Dan Horn, Monahans peace officer, will go to trial Monday morning, as district court goes into its fourth week.

The court of criminal appeals in each instance reversed the decision and remanded the case, which comes to Midland for the second time on a change of venue.

Only one case came up for trial Saturday, a divorce petition that was granted.

The O. P. Wells damage case recently summoned for the Bailey murder trial, and a special venire of 108 has been ordered for the Tom Flood and Jack Walker case later in the week. The defendants are charged with robbery with firearms.

Following is the special venire ordered for the Leah Bailey case:

Geo. Wallace, Earl Moran, Jess Barber, Arthur Jenkins, Frank Edsall, Chas. L. Stephens, Otis Locklar, B. H. Blakeney, G. T. Romans, Lee Jones, H. A. Lowe, I. B. Brown, Joe D. Chambers, Bert Rosenbaum, M. W. Whitmore, C. R. Fryer, A. L. Ware, W. J. B. Stone, A. G. Bohannon, J. C. Miles, W. P. Bodine, R. J. Moore, T. L. Booth, F. W. Chapman, W. E. Fligg, Clarence Schaubauer, Fred Hogan, George Lee, Neblett Jones, S. D. Wimberly, W. C. Shull, Will Wesson, Sam Holloway, O. W. Baxley, J. G. Amett, R. E. Klebold, M. O. Sadler, R. N. Wilson, V. M. Lunde, S. E. Gee, W. F. Heft.

R. H. Dunn, Fred Barber, H. J. Neblett, W. G. Epley, C. F. Garlison, A. J. Florey, Jr., Foy Proctor, Bill Countiss, D. M. Bizzell, B. T. Hale, C. C. Cobb, R. O. Brooks, H. H. Meeks, W. B. Preston, Tom W. Combs, I. C. Heald, C. M. Goldsmith, R. L. York, J. R. Choate, T. R. Abbott, E. I. Head, Chas. Berry, Carl W. Covington, Jess Moneth, O. A. Young, B. E. O'Neal, Howard Montrey, F. F. Elkin, Frank Waters, Ben Saunders, J. H. Dean, L. L. Butler, Joe Roberts, S. O. Golladay, W. P. Curtin, W. L. Locklar, H. M. Drake, Claude Amurrah. (See BAILEY CASE page 8)

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



The girl who quarrels with her boy friend may get left—even if she's right.

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MIDLAND, U. S. A.

Much satisfaction may be found by local citizens in an examination of one of the shipping tags or any piece of advertising or literature of the Hughes Tool company, giving the main office and plant's address as Houston, service plants at Los Angeles, Oklahoma City and Midland, and the exporting office at New York.

Thus, through location here of one of the nation's largest tool companies of a large plant, Midland has been tied up in international commerce and is listed as one of five important cities in this traffic.

As stated before, editorially, the big thing about the location here of the Hughes Tool company, in addition to the establishment of excellent citizens and to the increase of local payrolls, is the prediction that other industrial concerns will follow the Hughes people, making of Midland an important industrial center for its territory.

TAXING UNIVERSITY LANDS

A number of counties in Midland's area have great portions of university lands, tax free, which produce great wealth for the state educational institutions but pay nothing in return to the counties.

An amendment is to be voted upon in the general election, designed to make such lands taxable. Until such tax is provided, these counties will remain to some extent poor, although within their boundaries is a wealth of oil producing land.

The counties are a part of the state and can progress only as their taxes and tax valuations increase to provide public improvements. These counties are entitled to a share in the resources from the state or university owned lands.

Proponents of the university land amendment point out that although there seems little or no opposition to the amendment, defeat is usually brought about by lack of interest on the part of voters. Go to the polls on November 4 and vote as you believe right, but think a long time before denying these West Texas counties their rightful tax revenues.

USING GARDEN PLOTS

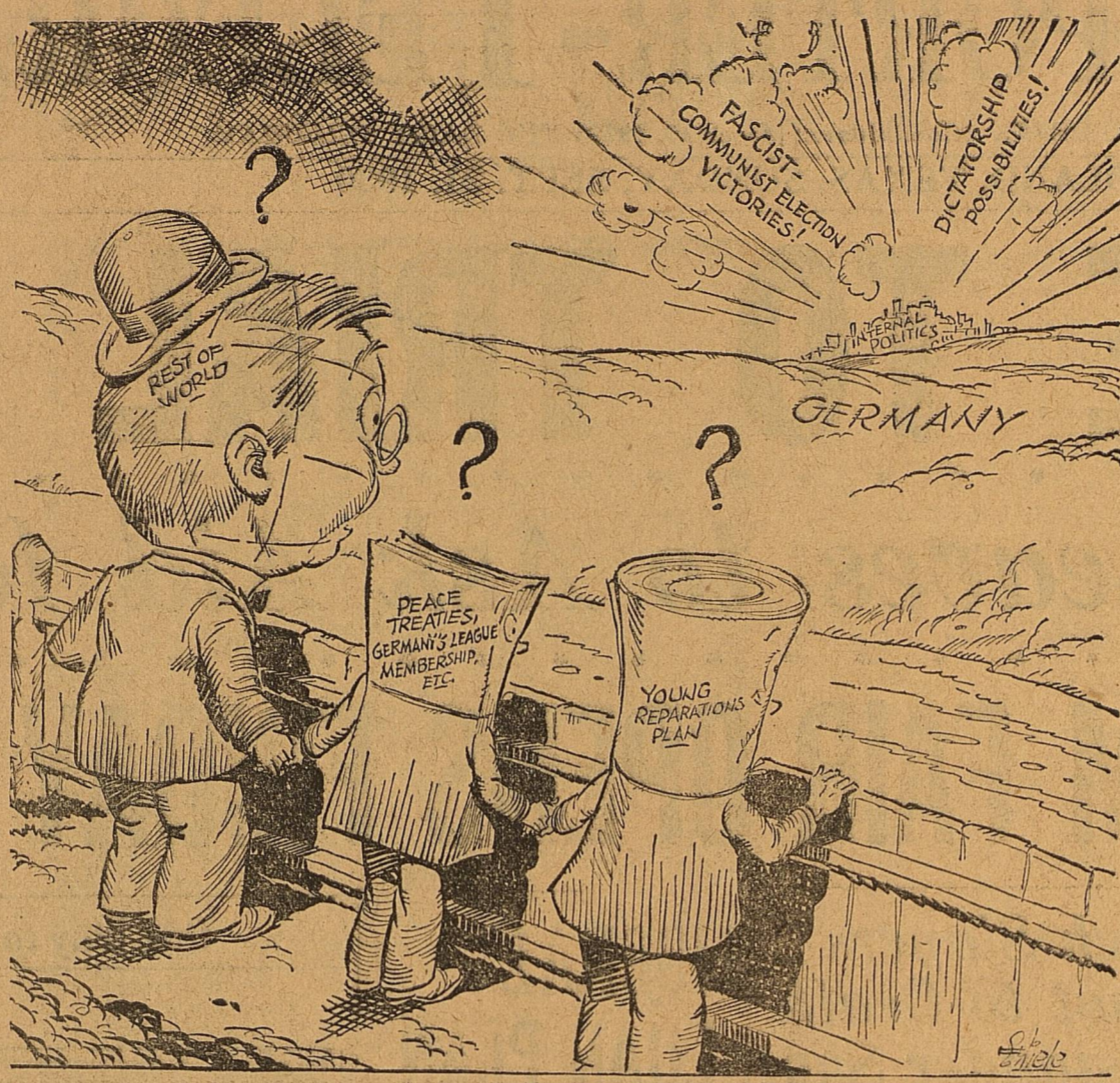
In a country where land is not scarce, the practice being adopted in a Hungarian town of giving free garden plots to jobless citizens may not seem applicable. A certain municipal council there has divided a suburban piece of property into 500 garden plots, allotting the plots to people out of work to enable them to make a living and to relieve the financial situation of the community.

The plots are given to the 500 neediest families for a period of three years on agreement by these families to work the garden plots diligently.

The lesson for Midland people in such a story is that many citizens who find it difficult to "make ends meet" could cultivate intensively plots at their very homes, could grow vegetables and truck products for family use, and could even produce something to sell to local stores.

Intensive cultivation, observed by farmers in the country southeast of here, has made wealthy citizens of people who might otherwise be struggling for existence. The same practices would prove profitable to the average family in this country, either farm or townspeople.

Another Anxious Watch on the Rhine!



Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

Younger, More Active Men to Succeed Dozen Standpatters Who Leave Congress Next March Liberal, Progressive Political Forces Hold Their Ground in Primary Voting

WASHINGTON—At least a dozen senators will be leaving Congress when their terms expire next March. Most of them are elderly and of the type usually described as conservative or reactionary. Generally speaking, younger and more active if not more progressive men will succeed them.

The liberal, progressive forces in politics have not lost anyone from the Senate as a result of primary defeats or retirement. They stand to gain somewhat in strength with the elections. None of the members of the old farm bloc or of the Republican progressive group has been defeated in his campaign for renomination and the candidates supported by organized labor have usually been successful.

Although the close of the primary season still shows no sign of a significant progressive revival in national politics, there is considerable evidence on which an argument might be based that voters have lost some of the apathy induced by prosperity and are more inclined to look askance at the administration and regular Republicanism of the brand offered by men now holding office.

Six Republicans Lose The Republican senators who have lost their jobs in the primaries are Charles S. Deneen of Illinois and Joseph R. Grundy of Pennsylvania. Republican senators who announced their retirement were Gould of Maine, Baird of New Jersey, Gillett of Massachusetts, Goff of West Virginia, Sullivan, of Wyoming, and Phipps of Colorado. It has been said of these six gentlemen that they decided to quit because they were convinced they couldn't be nominated and elected this year, but none gave any such reason.

The Democratic senators defeated in primaries were Furnifold McLendel Simmons of North Carolina, Joseph E. Ransdell of Louisiana, and Cole Bleas of South Carolina.

It so happens that all these men are in their sixties or seventies except Baird, who is only 59. It so happens that there is hardly an ounce of "progressivism" in the lot. By and large, they are a group of stand-patters, old guardsmen, high protectionists and Democrats who have been willing to vote with Republicans on any question involving a social or economic problem.

Age probably isn't a prime factor in driving them out of politics. Borah of Idaho, Norris of Nebraska, Walsh of Montana and other men in their sixties have all had their renominations.

But the victims were all set in their ways and they were the type of legislators who believe things are pretty fine as they are, and that it is better to leave most things unchanged. And that, as nearly as one can guess, was why they represented shining targets wherever restless voters imagined that they would like to have a change.

Long Gave Good Show The rough and tumble career of Governor Huey P. Long of Louisiana probably appealed to such restlessness as possessed the voters of his state. Voters have often supported candidates for no apparent good reason except that the candidates knew how to give them a good show. Long, it appears, managed to convince the ordinary voters of his state that he was one of their own kind and that his head

and that his heart was beating for them. Ransdell, whom he defeated in the primary, was safe, sane, conservative and colorless, but he had a good record for faithfully serving Louisiana. Bleas, who has been licked by former Congressman James F. Bynes, has also put on many shows in public life, not always edifying ones. But he wasn't punished for that. His constituents doubtless would have stood for his pro-lynching stand and his eccentricities, but the fact that he was only beaten by a few thousand votes indicates that the opposition of organized labor was really the decisive factor in his defeat.



Good Business, Not "Circus Stuff," Makes Communities

As most towns have been in existence for a long time, it is no more than natural that they have "barnacles on their ships." I do not suppose that the time will ever come when there will be a community devoid of those who shirk community responsibilities—people who sit back and DO nothing but TAKE all they can get.

Every endeavor has sideline advisers. There are always those who are willing to tell you a thing should be done, but never are known to do it themselves. There are always a few punks in the bleachers ready to yell "take him out!" at the first tough break. You have to expect that.

I never saw a community that didn't have a few natural born oppositionists, but they are often an asset rather than a liability. Personally I would rather have a few real out-and-out, hard-headed, brutally frank "show me" people who have a reputation for lacking community spirit than a crowd of slaves to the god Boost, who get all hopped up over an undigested scheme that is supposed to do "wonders and doll babies" overnight, and then forget about it in less than a week.

Many people call a man who doesn't go down in his pocket to support every wildcat boosting scheme that comes along, a Knocker. I don't. I call him a good business man, and I'd rather have this man back me on any endeavor than this fellow who "comes across" just to keep from being called a piker at the next Chamber of Commerce meeting.

Give me the man every time who says "No, I won't subscribe, for I do not believe that your plan is right or will accomplish the intended purpose." Such a man is thinking about the community, and when sold will stay sold; while the other fellow doesn't think—he does it to be a good fellow, all of which is fine and dandy, but it don't BUILD communities.

There are too many good fellows in the average town and not enough fellows who think things out along the lines of "good business," and refuse to "come in" until they are "sold." I have never been able to figure out why a group of good business men will go ahead and do things civilly, in ways and along lines that they would not countenance in the conduct of their own business, unless it is because of this thing of "being a good fellow." If any man or any one organiza-

The Phipps candidate for the Republican senatorial nomination was beaten in Colorado, suggesting that Phipps' own withdrawal was strategic.

But people in the capital found most interesting in Colorado the Democratic nomination of Edward P. Costigan for senator. Costigan, who had a notable record on the tariff commission, is a progressive of parts and would greatly add to the progressive strength on the Democratic side of the Senate floor if he were elected. His election, in fact, would be more likely than anything else to convince the liberals of the country that bigger and better things lay ahead.



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The Town Quack

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

Ralph Shuffler, editor of the Odessa News-Times, says: "In spite of all talk about federal drought relief, two federal officers from El Paso went quite a way toward drying up a large portion of this country when they captured and destroyed around 800 gallons of liquor near Warfield last Friday."

A certain New Mexico newspaper says that 2,000 floaters, or parasites, have gone out of Hobbs. Gosh, I hope they don't start such a program in Midland. Webster claims that a parasite is one who eats at the table of another, repaying him with flattery or buffoonery. That would throw me and Hankins to leave town, not to mention Professor

Lackey, if he is a professor. Not to get away from Ralph Shuffler too soon, I noticed that in his paper he referred to Paul T. Vickers as the "foreador" of the goodwill bus delegation last Tuesday. If what I heard is correct, there were two or three others along who could throw the bull. Harry Tolbert is reported to have admonished them, on driving into a pasture that was proscribed, to quit "shooting the bull."

Health officers here warn people to wash apples which have been sprayed with arsenic to kill insects. I have found that you may rub the arsenic off with the sweat in the palm of your hand, then all you have to do is to wash off the sweat. Of course some people don't get up a sweat.

A lot of people don't know that one of Midland's leading cattle-men owns an interest in one of the city's leading stores. Among the first to find it out were some customers who dropped in at the store and left some dry checks. The cattle-man says he is getting better acquainted every day since going into the mercantile business.

Mystery Veils Vanished Judge; Police Seek Woman, Others Fear Foul Play

By PAUL HARRISON, NEA Service Writer.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—A tall, powerful man of middle age and graying hair, wearing horn-rimmed glasses and a well-deserved air of respectability, walked out of a little restaurant in the Broadway theatrical district, on the evening of August 6 and left behind him the most bewildering mystery New York has faced in a decade.

At that moment, Supreme Court Justice Joseph Force Crater vanished like a wraith. Not until recently, when he failed to appear on his bench at the opening of a court session, was his disappearance allowed to be known. But friends and police previously had instituted a search which by now has extended throughout this continent and to Europe.

Evidence is not lacking. In fact, had less significant or fewer astonishing facts been brought to light regarding the life of the prominent jurist, the puzzle might now be solved. But police seemingly have reached their wits' end. The trail has been lost in a welter of conflicting clues.

Many Opposing Views Kidnaping—amnesia—murder—voluntary disappearance—a love triangle—any of these might be the correct solution. Theories in which each possibility has been advanced have contained sufficient evidence to give credence to every one in turn. There are suggestions of scandals which might touch both his public and his private life. There are some who believe he dropped from sight to protect persons against whom he might have had to testify.

Judge Crater, his friends will tell you—and he had many prominent intimates—just wasn't the sort who could do those things, even the last-named sacrificial gesture, which would ruin his beloved career.

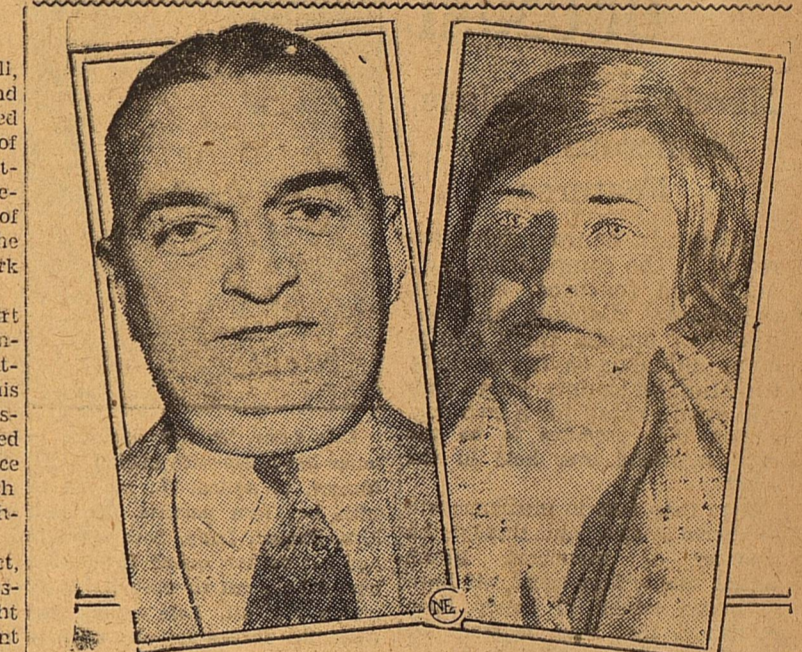
Judge Crater was appointed to the Supreme Court on April 9 by Governor Roosevelt to fill the unexpected term of a retired justice. The appointment was widely praised and Judge Crater, a Democratic leader, seemed surely to be destined for nomination and election to a 14-year term on the bench. This would have brought him a total of \$350,000 in salary.

A Prominent Lawyer Only 41 years old, and nearing the peak of a brilliant legal career, Judge Crater was held in high esteem. He apparently was happily married, though childless. His home life was typical of the busy, successful and contented man. Before his elevation to the bench he spent three or four nights each week lecturing on law at two universities. He had no proven enemies.

Yet he disappeared, as completely as if he had been swept out to sea. There are few, however, who believe he met with an accident, such as drowning or death at the hands of thugs. Because Judge Crater knew that he was going away. Under what persuasion or threat, or to what fate, police can only guess. But he knew.

When Judge Crater returned to New York early last month after visiting his wife in a Maine resort, he drew \$150 from his accounts in two banks, told his confidential secretary that he might go for a swim, packed a brief case full of confidential papers and left the office. The following evening, that of August 6, he is known to have bought one ticket for a theatrical performance and to have taken a taxi from the restaurant where he dined.

Sensation-Seekers Busy No one is known to have seen the jurist thereafter. The theater ticket was used. Police methodically checked up every taxicab in New York, without result. Then publicity seekers by the dozen, as well as mistakenly helpful persons, dragged many an odorous allegation across the trail.



Vanished for nearly six weeks without a single tangible trace of his whereabouts, Supreme Court Justice Joseph Force Crater, pictured above with Mrs. Crater, is the object of an international search. His wife of fifteen years has been unable to aid investigators who are seeking to trace the prominent jurist from the night he walked, alone, out of a Broadway restaurant, into oblivion.

Broadway night clubs, languishing under a dull season, claimed the patronage of Judge Crater. Cabaret cities who haven't had their pictures in the tabloids before or since came forward eagerly with claims of having last seen the missing man. There were hints of clandestine affairs, suggestions of mysterious love trysts—none of them in keeping with Judge Crater's known character.

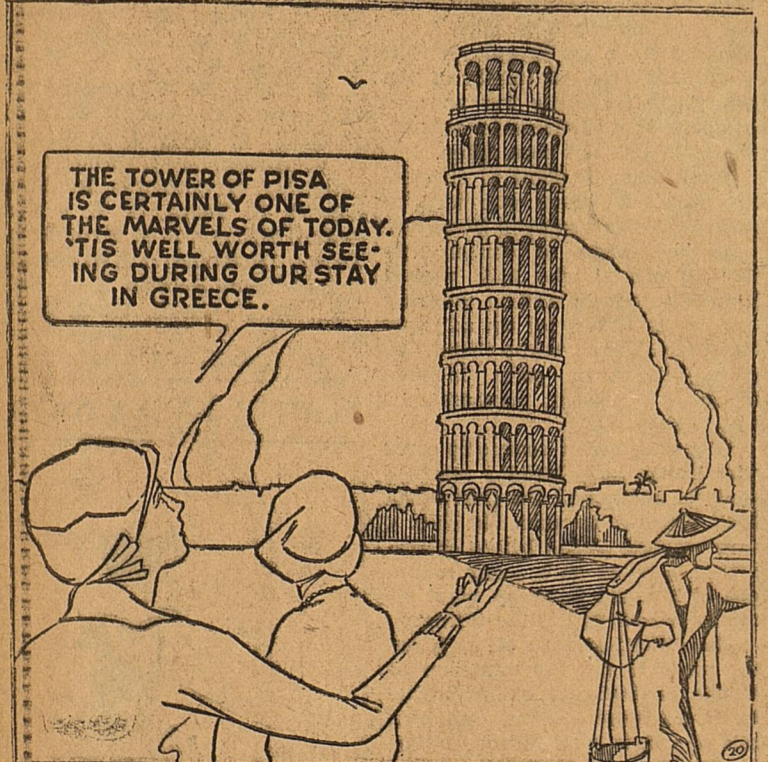
In truth, it has been established that the Supreme Court justice was more of a man-about-Broadway than ever was supposed. Night clubs seem to have been little more foreign to him than night courts. Police have been directing much attention to the theory that, somewhere, there is a woman who can solve their puzzle. But that woman is not Mrs. Crater. Through on the verge of collapse, she offered every aid to the grand jury inquiry and police, but could contribute no news of the man to whom she has been married fifteen years.

Had Planned Campaign A circumstance rendering the case still more inexplicable is the fact that he had made careful plans for conducting his campaign for election to the Supreme Court this fall. Investigators inclined to the theory of foul play report that Crater had collected considerable incriminating information about various politicians for use in his campaign. That evidence might have been contained in the papers removed from his office and missing from his home. He might have been carrying them on the night of his disappearance.

No less than fifteen "doubles" of Judge Crater has been reported and traced from Quebec to Virginia. Sanitariums and summer resorts have been combed, as well as New York hospitals and apartments. The Adirondacks have been colonized with tall, heavy, brown-eyed men who look like him. He has been "seen" simultaneously in half a dozen cities hundreds of miles apart. Several bodies have been found, but not his. Considerable sums have been offered in rewards.

Out of the maze of reports, clues and theories comes one which by the very weight of implication overshadows all the rest. A hydra-headed political scandal has broken over

ERRORGRAMS



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

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NERVY WOMAN PILOT

FRANKFORT, N. Y., (UP).—While government inspectors examined the airport at Talcottville where her flying instructor, Richard Yule, was killed in a crash, Mrs. Lillian Witte of Frankfort successfully passed tests for a private pilot's license.

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"SHOFAR" SOUND TO INITIATE THE JEWISH NEW YEAR

On Tuesday, Sept. 23, the "shofar" will sound and Jewish citizens will rally to usher in the year 5691 of the Jewish calendar.

Several local stores will be closed for the observance as Jewish religionists celebrate the new year's opening.

The occasion, known as "Rosh Hashana," (head of the year), is an extremely solemn and sacred day in Jewish religion. It is not a festival day or "holiday," in the accepted sense, but a "holy day," observed with prayer and services in the synagogues.

The shofar, or ram's horn, through centuries was the signal by which the peoples were summoned to war. The Jews adopted it as the signal for the annual New Year religious gathering.

Rabbi Martin Zielonka, of the El Paso reformed congregation, explained that instead of the ancient ram's horn, the modern trombone is now used to sound the solemn notes which signalize the high point of religious fervor in the observance of the day. This change was made necessary because, with the dying out of the use of the ram's horn, experts who can sound it correctly are rarely to be found in these days.

"Our calendar dates from the theoretical dates of the creation of the world," Rabbi Zielonka explained. "Therefore, at sundown Sept. 22—the Jewish day begins at sundown and is 'from sun to sun'—we will observe the 5691st year since the date of creation.

"On this day, the synagogues are always crowded. The Jew renews and reaffirms his interest in his religion.

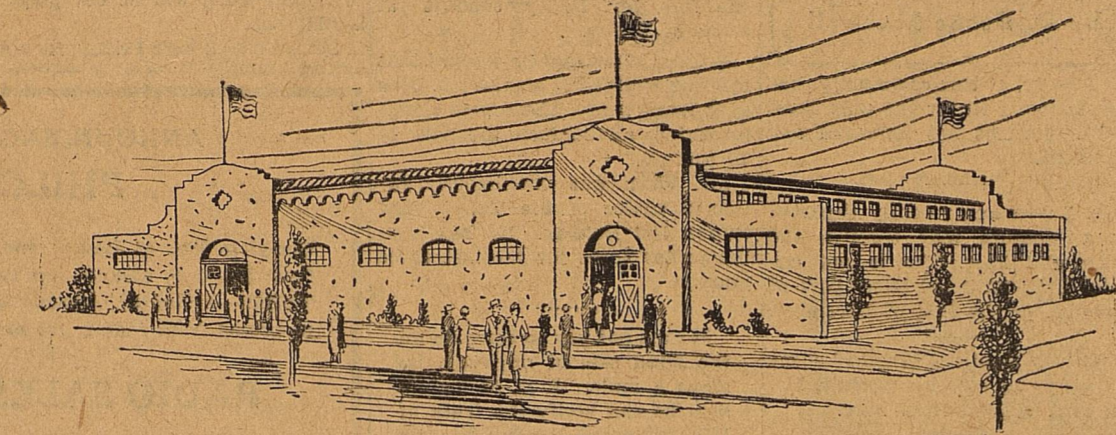
"Visitors are permitted, but as a rule the synagogues are so crowded there is not much space for those who come merely to look on."

An interesting feature of the service is the traditional music, chants and (in reformed services) responses by the choir.

Many ancient customs are no longer observed by congregations of the reformed branch. In orthodox synagogues, the men sit below, the women above on a mezzanine or balcony floor. The men wear their hats, an ancient mark of respect to shovah.

Sometimes during the year, the Jew pays a visit to the graves of his dead. In Paso, in the reformed congregation, Rabbi Zielonka has made this observance the object of a special memorial service, which will be held on the Sunday coming between the Jewish New Year day and the Day of Atonement.

Amarillo Ready for Fair



Here in an architect's drawing of the first permanent building constructed on the Tri-State Fair grounds at Amarillo, the new \$25,000 automobile show room which will be ready for the fall exposition, September 22 to 27. The new building is of the Spanish type of architecture, finished in yellow stucco and brick. This style has been adopted for all permanent buildings to be erected in the future. Dimensions of this unit are 150x140 feet, so constructed that it can be added to at any time. The complete building is 300x150 feet. There are 2,300 square feet of floor space, accommodating 100 cars. At the right is Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the fair and vice-president of the Midland Publishing company, publisher of The Reporter-Telegram. He is making a remarkable record with finances of the fair association and with carded attractions.

AMARILLO FAIR CERTAIN TO BRING THOUSANDS TO FREE GATE; MANY ARE THE ATTRACTIONS OFFERED THERE

AMARILLO, Sept. 20. (Special)—With the largest entry lists for many years in most departments competing for a record premium list, and all exhibit buildings filled to bulging, the eighth annual Tri-State exposition will be thrown open to the public Monday morning, according to Wilbur C. Hawk, president of the Tri-State Fair association.

Advance indications are that attendance records will fall. Delegations representing many Panhandle cities and counties are being formed to storm Amarillo in a body, many of them accompanied by their municipal and high school bands. Special days designated for the various cities assure keen competition on this score.

Displays in Place Most of the live stock exhibits, including beef cattle, dairy cattle and swine, as well as the agricultural, poultry and pet stock, and rabbit and cavy displays, are in their respective places, and heads of most departments announce that entries this year are greater in number than ever before, with equally as high quality shown.

In the beef cattle department, Hereford herds from all parts of West Texas, Oklahoma, western Kansas, New Mexico and Colorado are in the competition, while in the dairy cattle department leading exhibitors from all parts of Texas are showing fine Jerseys, Holsteins and Guernseys. The poultry show is declared the finest ever staged in the Panhandle-Plains country, and the swine display is said to represent the most in dollar value of any hog show ever staged here.

New Auto Building Housed in its new building, just completed, the automobile show is sure to be one of the main fair attractions, with virtually every make and type of automobile sold in Texas on display. Like the fair itself, the automobile show has a free gate and always is a popular attraction.

The merchants' building and agricultural building, banner bedecked and brilliantly lighted, are filled to overflowing. All available space in these two buildings was sold out weeks before the opening date of the exposition.

Entertainment features include the Leonard Stroud and Anvil Park rodeos, each afternoon in front of the grand stand; Ernie Young's "Spanish Nights revue," nightly vaudeville feature; the midway, composed of 20 shows and 14 rides; an Indian village from New Mexico, and a number of special independent attractions.

During the reign of William the Conqueror, in 1060, the penny was made with a deep cross, so as to be easily broken into half pennies, or in quarters, such as the fourth things, or farthings.



WILBUR C. HAWK

Personals

Mrs. Radny Ellison, who underwent an appendicitis operation at the Midland hospital last week, is reported rapidly improving.

Claude Hight returned Friday from San Angelo, where he transacted business several days.

Mrs. Jim Deakins of Pecos visited friends in Midland Saturday afternoon.

Fred Jones, representative of the Hercules Powder company from Dallas, is in Midland for a few days transacting business.

Tom Garrard has returned to Lubbock after spending several days on a business visit here.

N. C. Beck of the Llano Oil company has returned to Midland after transacting business in Fort Worth for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Aid left yesterday for their home in San Angelo after a business visit in Midland. Mr. Aid is a representative of the Gulf Production company.

Misses Jean Verder, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Ida Beth Cowden and Janelle Edwards went to Odessa Saturday afternoon to sell tickets for the El Paso Bulldog special.

P. S. Houry left yesterday for Tulsa after spending several weeks here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Garlington returned yesterday from Lubbock with their daughter, Evelyn, who leaves soon to enter the international typing contest in Richmond.

M. T. Yarborough and family and R. T. Yarborough of Barstow came to Midland Saturday for the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Driver, who died in Roswell Friday.

W. F. McCormick of Roswell was among the out-of-town people here for the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Driver Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith and little daughter have gone to Austin to spend a few days visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weehunt have returned to Midland to make their home after living in Dallas recently.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH L. A. Boone, pastor Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Epworth leagues at 7 p. m. Prayer services Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Choir practice Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH Mass will be held in Midland this Sunday at 10 o'clock and the next Sunday at 8 o'clock, alternating each week. Mass at 7:30 is held each Thursday morning.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Bible study at 10 a. m., communion service at 11:30 a. m., and at 8 o'clock p. m. Prayer services on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Ladies Bible class Tuesday at the church at 3:00.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Howard Peters, pastor "In the heart of Midland for the Hearts of Midland." 9:45 a. m. Bible school. Special program.

11:00 a. m. communion and sermon. "A Suffering Soul." 8:00 p. m. "A Man Punished for Something He Did Not Do."

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH George F. Brown, pastor Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Morning worship at 11. Evening worship at 8.

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Little Slack: "No you don't, nigger. Ah wins." Big Lump: "What you got?" Little Slack: "Ise got eights and a ra-

zor." Big Lump: "Yuh sho do. How come yuh so lucky."

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# Levy for County Purposes Is Basis of Amendment

By DEAN CHENOWETH  
Standard-Times Staff

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 20.—With an appeal for justice for the seventeen West Texas counties in which 2,000-320 acres of University of Texas lands lie, the University Land Amendment Association has launched a campaign to get out a favorable vote in the general election in November. The fairness of the constitutional amendment, which would permit a levy for county purposes only, will form the background of the drive, according to Representative Penrose B. Metcalf, chairman, who sponsored the measure in the legislature, gaining for it the unanimous vote of the house and all but two votes of the senate. It has since had the endorsement of the university board of regents, the West Texas chamber of commerce, West Texas county judges, and the democratic and republican party conventions in Texas.

"Justice in this instance works both ways—for the counties involved and for the University of Texas"—according to Metcalf. "The levy will not come from the university, but from the general funds of the state, the amount being determined by the state tax board and being limited by the constitution for county purposes."

"The counties are entitled to tax revenue from all lands within their borders to carry on improvements which benefit and enhance the value of university lands as they do those privately owned. Without the necessity of meeting tax obligations, university lands have been leased at cheaper rates than privately owned lands adjacent to them, they have not met the burdens of local government in its public works program, and development of other lands has thus borne a larger share of the burden. The university exists for all the counties, not just the seventeen where its holdings lie, and it is therefore just that all the counties help to bear the cost. Spread over 253 counties in Texas, the amendment means only a minimum amount from each, and the good returns not alone to the counties, which will get better highways and an enlarged public program bringing increased development, the leading sponsor of the amendment avers."

No organized opposition to the amendment or the three sister amendments is expected. The only fear in West Texas is that the general attitude toward constitutional changes, good, bad or indifferent, might cause some to vote without

## Just a Study in Good Footwork



When it's a question of acrobatics, the backyard team composed of Julianne and Helen Schmidt of Seattle can furnish thrills just like the regular stage acrobats. The sisters took up acrobatics as children, and are shown here demonstrating one of their stunts. Julianne is the one who supplies the leg work in this exercise.

understanding the matter at issue. Other amendments to get a vote at the same time include one permitting the university to invest its permanent funds in its own securities, to abolish the enforced three months vacation of the state supreme court, and to extend to four months the present two-month regular session of the legislature, increasing the pay of legislators from \$5 to \$10 daily, and subdividing the legislative session into thirty days for introduction of bills, thirty days for hearing and another sixty days for final action.

The educational drive undertaken here in West Texas is expected to stimulate a greater vote in November when democratic voters are notoriously lethargic, overcome any lack of knowledge there may be as to the necessity of such a tax, and correct any impression that the amendment would open the way to taxation of state institutions.

A statement by Metcalf sets out the amendment background as follows:

"The situation which demands the adoption of the amendment has arisen through the settlement of counties practically uninhabited at the time the allotment of land was made to the university. When large parts of a county are not subject to tax, the burden thrown on the remaining property owners to keep up schools, roads and county government is oppressive. The advantages offered by organized counties are available to university-owned sections of a county just as much as to the rest of it. Discovery of oil, it was pointed out, has made the lands sufficiently profit-bearing that taxation would not be unjust in any way."

"Although the counties concerned are growing, they are still comparatively sparsely settled. This condition, carrying with it a scarcity of children of scholastic age, has brought on a condition under which

home-owned property by the state is retained by the state, and a very small part of it is returned in the form of school apportionment. This also works a hardship on the counties which would be offset to some extent if university land local taxes were available for the support of schools. In 1928 the counties in which university lands are located paid to the state of Texas in taxes \$1,281,498.47, of which \$556,185 was paid back in school apportionments, leaving \$725,313.47 retained by the state.

"The university lands total 2,000-320 acres, and are distributed over seventeen counties. Andrews county is the hardest hit, with 29 per cent of its surface non-tax bearing, amounting to 294,400 acres. Reagan runs a close second in the doubtful honor of percentage of university lands with 28 per cent un-taxable, or 194,560 acres. In Huds-peth there are 453,120 acres belonging to the university; in Crockett, 356,480 acres; in Pecos, 184,960 acres; in Ward, 80,640 acres; in Upton, 77,440 acres; in Crane, 63,680 acres; in Terrell, 61,440; in Schleicher county, 57,600 acres; in Winkler, 53,120 acres; in Culberson, 46,080 acres; in Irion, 22,400 acres; in Loving, 22,400 acres; in Martin, 14,080 acres; in El Paso, 11,520 acres, and in Ector, 6,080 acres.

"In all the seventeen counties the average amount of land owned by the university is 10 per cent of the total area.

"At the valuations current in 1927 the university lands could be taxed on a total valuation of \$7,473,756. In Reagan county alone the potential taxable valuation of university lands was \$3,465,114.

"As an indication of the impossibility of reclaiming to any great extent, through school apportionment, state taxes paid by the home-owned lands in the seventeen counties, sponsors of the movement point to the scholastic census of 1928, the last figures available for the area as a whole. The total scholastic census in the counties was 36,989; total scholastic census, exclusive of El Paso, 7,752.

"The burden of maintaining county government, roads and institutions, taken from university lands, falls on very few property owners in most of the counties, as indicated by 1930 census figures. In Andrews county there are 701 persons, in Crane 2,194, in Crockett 2,590, in Culberson 1,217, in Ector 3,958, in Loving 195, in Terrell 2,661, in Irion 2,103, in Reagan 2,278 and in Schleicher 3,166.

## Personals

Mrs. Clarence Hale returned Friday night from Alpine, where she was a guest of her daughter, Virginia, who is in Sul Ross college.

Mrs. A. C. Francis returned Friday from Fort Worth and Venus, where she visited her mother, who is improved after several weeks of illness.

Miss Inogene Cox, who is enrolled in Texas Tech in Lubbock, is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Cox.

T. S. Currie and family of Big Spring were in Midland Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Driver.

The money in circulation in the United States now is about \$39.60 per capita.

## At Prairie Lee

By D. Boone Laceywell

Joe Perry, of this community, has been seriously ill for the past three weeks. He has not improved any at present.

Mr. Eason has recently departed for a pleasure tour through the South and East. He is not expected back until the latter part of November or the first of December.

Thurman Swalls of Warfield spent last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Swalls, here.

Miss Sula Faye Stanley spent Sunday with friends and relatives at Midland.

George Clapps has recently returned from New Mexico with a truck load of apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter's daughter of Big Spring has been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stanley spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dawkins.

Ector Thornton of Germania was away on business Wednesday.

Some of Prairie Lee Community were present at a watermelon slicing given by Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Matlock of Cotton Plains Sunday afternoon.

Friends of Mrs. Connie Soods of McCamey spent this week-end with her here.

John Beaucher of Hillsboro has been visiting his nephew, Arthur (Red) Beaucher.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swalls of McCamey spent this week-end with Mr. Swalls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Swalls of this community.

Arthur (Red) Beaucher gave a party Saturday night. Most of Prairie Lee community was present. Many visitors of neighboring communities were present. All reported a splendid time.

Mrs. J. M. Livingston was searching for cotton pickers the first part of last week. The storm destroyed most of her cotton last fall, but Mrs. Livingston says that shall not occur again this year if she can get any help. Mr. Livingston is making good headway alone, but he does not want to gather all of it by himself.

One farmer out here made some nine thousand bundles of higer on seventeen acres of land. He is also accredited with some unusually large watermelons.

Mr. Laceywell's English classes have organized themselves for gathering, writing and sending in the news of the community. Gettie Dawkins was chosen editor-in-chief. For her assistants, reporters have been chosen for the following special departments: Maggie Lu Hughes and Gladys Mills, social; Casey Carter and Archie Mills, agriculture; Griddell Dawkins and Orville Gee, sports; Everett McMahan and Webster Casey, humor; Iris Bradley, girls' 4-H club; Mrs. Bill Arnett, home demonstration club; Miss Margaret Carpenter, Mrs. Laceywell and Mr. Laceywell, critics.

Do you have any news? Send it to the reporters or the teachers. If you wonder if it is news, send it in and let them decide for you. If Prairie Lee is to be the best rural school in West Texas, you must help advertise it. Besides, your neighbor is interested in knowing what you are doing.

The Rev. H. Wren of this community closed a successful meeting Sunday, which he has been helping the Rev. Mr. Bailey conduct at Pleasant Valley.

Mr. Wren was unanimously re-elected pastor of the Valley View church last Sunday. He has been the pastor there for the last three years.

It does not pay to come up on the blind side of anything, let alone a mule. J. R. McMahan says he can verify the truth of this statement, having lost an excellent work animal because of the fact. He fed his team and started to get his dinner. A mare, being of a "bossy" turn, came around the trough to run the mule from the trough. But alack, she came up on the blind side, which resulted in an awful kick in the side. She died that night.

Usually there is much fun in making and shooting nigger-shooters, but all of the fun is spoiled when you almost saw your big toe off while shaping the stock. So thinks Glen, 12-year-old son of Eb Cain, who lives west of Prairie Lee. Glen was sawing out his stock one day the first part of this week when the accident happened. The toe was not

seen completely off, but almost so. The doctor is dressing it daily. Here is hoping Glen will be out playing again soon.

School closed here Friday, for cotton picking. According to present plans, it will be reopened November 3. However, if the cotton is gathered before this time, school will open sooner.

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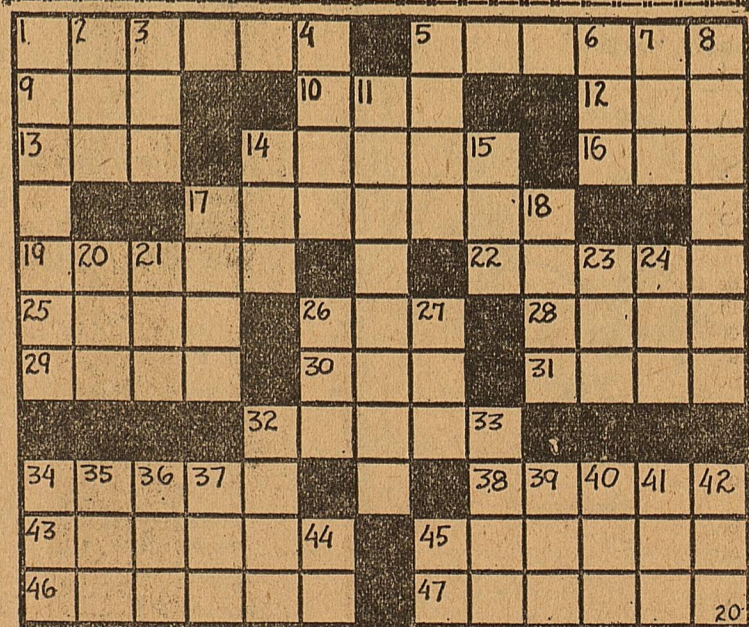
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17 Reads.  
19 Animal.  
22 Demonstrative word.  
25 Gaseous element.  
26 Unit.  
28 Entrance.  
29 To gape.  
30 Edge.  
31 Slight depression.  
32 Hand.  
34 To degrade.  
38 Native.  
43 Short intermission.  
45 King's home.  
46 To vouch.  
47 Showed mercy to.  
VERTICAL  
1 Pioneer suffragette.  
2 Shelter.  
3 Cot.  
4 Pronoun.  
5 Perches.  
6 To free.  
7 Bustle.  
8 New Canadian prime minister.  
11 Chancellor of Germany.  
14 Pronoun.  
15 To harden.  
17 Founder of Pennsylvania.  
18 Fish.  
20 Beverage.  
21 To pull along.  
23 Poem.  
24 Iniquity.  
26 Coin.  
27 Moolay apple.  
32 Hodgepodge.  
33 Catch.  
34 Constellation.  
35 Wager.  
36 To perform.  
37 To observe.  
39 Wing.  
40 Sailor.  
41 War flyer.  
42 Guided.  
44 Street.  
45 Postscript.

### YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

High School Pep Squad Selects Smart Uniforms for Football Season; To Make Debut in Stanton Next Month

Fifty Midland high school girls full of pep and togged in their purple and gold moleskin jackets and white skirts and wearing jaunty cadet caps will do their bit in battling with the gridiron foes which the Bulldog team will meet during the football season, opening next Saturday in El Paso against the Austin high school squad.

Uniforms were selected by the group Friday afternoon and it is hoped that they will be received in time for the girls to make their debut at the Bulldog-Stanton game in the neighboring city the week following the invasion in El Paso.

Mrs. Clinton Myrick, high school faculty member, is sponsoring the club and is making plans for a pep party "coming out" of her group. She has sponsored the club before and will soon have plenty of pep stunts ready for exhibition.

Girls who have been signed for membership include:

- Mary Katherine Hogsett, Irene Lord, Loree Boyd, Mary Caroline Sims, Margaret Miles, Doris Black, Lottie Estes, Alma Lee Hankins, Celeste Hankins, Linnie Laura Long, Martha Louise Nobles, Norma Holtier, Kathleen Scruggs, Katie Bell Long, Marguerite Bivins, Nancy Rankin.

Phyllis Lowe, Gladys Norton, Jess Edith Carlisle, Billie Manning, Ernestine Holder, Avalyn Pogue, Phyllis Gemmill, Dorothy Cummings, Lucille McMullan, Ida Beth Cowden, Janelle Edwards, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Jean Verdier, Georgia McMullan, Artilee Simmons.

Esther Lee Mitchell, Virginia Hawkins, Louise Wolcott, Jean Wolcott, Theresa Brooks, Annie Fay Dunagan, Pauline Ashmore, Ella Mae Newland, Ila Merle Patterson, Christine Meadows, Edythe Sundquist, Virginia Garrett, Dorris Harrison, Nancy Ruby Naylor, Ruby Hodges, Juanita Cox, Alma Lee Norwood, Ruth Long, Anna Mae Cope.

Hugh Corrigan Celebrates 7th Anniversary

The seventh anniversary of Hugh Corrigan was a memorable occasion when his mother, Mrs. Hugh Corrigan, entertained a group of his friends Friday afternoon with a merry party.

The honor guest was presented with many remembrances from his friends who enjoyed the time playing out-of-door games and sports on the lawn. Favors were given by the hostess to the girls, who received purses, and the boys, who were given hunting horns.

Guests who assisted Hugh in celebrating his birthday were Dorothy Sue Miles, Anna Beth and Nell Ruth Bedford, Mary Sue Cowden, Ielwyn Combs, Lady Rankin, Eddie Jean Cole, Charlotte Kimsey, Charles Lucky, Charles Robert Finlayson, Tommie McCall, Billie Barron, Arthur Neal, Jack Nobles, Billie and Buddie Van Huss, Man Rankin, Harvey Hardison, Billie Kimbrough, John M. Cowden, Billie Brown, Clayton Upham, Buster Cole, Billie McKinney, Bobbie York and H. G. Bedford.

Couple Married Thursday Will Live Here

The marriage of Mr. Claude Cox of Midland to Miss Jimmie Faye Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore of Snyder, was solemnized in Midland Thursday evening at the Methodist parsonage by the Rev. Leslie A. Boone.

The bride attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bibb, Mrs. Effie Ingram, Dave Moody and Jack Cook. Mr. Cox has lived in Midland for more than a year, during which time he has been connected with the Crabbe Motor company. Previous to his residence here he made his home with his mother, Mrs. G. A. Cox, in Snyder.

The bride has lived in Snyder several years, going there from Herrleigh, Texas, where she completed high school studies. Mr. and Mrs. Cox are making their home here.

Auxiliary Leaders Meet for Board Session

Chairmen of committees of the Walker auxiliary of the W. M. S. met with their official director, Mrs. M. B. Robertson, Friday afternoon for an advisory board meeting. Discussion of the duties of the chairmen, and how these are to be filled during the year, was held. Committees and their chairmen are: Mrs. W. B. Rucker, personal service; Mrs. Alvin Hicks, educational; Mrs. W. A. Hyatt, publicity; Mrs. V. Z. Wren, benevolence; Mrs. George H. Haltom, methods and finance; Mrs. W. W. Wimberly, mission study; Mrs. Tucker, missions; Mrs. Black, personal; Mrs. R. O. Walker, stewardship.

Local Housewives' Choice Recipes

Several women have asked for the splendid recipe of Mrs. James Noland for pecan rocks. These are delicious cookies, so clip the recipe for your cook book.

- 1-2 cups of sugar. 1 cup of butter. 3 eggs. 1-2 cups of pecan meats. Pinch of salt. 3 cups of flour. 1 box of chopped dates. 1 teaspoon of cinnamon. 1-2 teaspoon of allspice. 1 teaspoon of soda dissolved in 2 teaspoons of water.

Cream the butter and sugar, drop in the eggs one by one and knead. Dredge the nuts and dates with flour and add to the sugar and butter mixture. Put spices in the flour and add gradually. Add soda last. Drop from the end of a teaspoon and bake in a moderate oven about ten minutes.

Announcements

Monday

Both circles of the Methodist Auxiliary meet at the home of Mrs. Holt Jewell for mission study, 3:30 o'clock.

W. M. S. of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Claude Cowden with Mmes. W. M. Schrock, Ben Cowden, B. C. Girdler, Spence Jewell and T. S. Patterson as hostesses at 3:30 o'clock.

Bible study will be held at the Presbyterian church for the Women's Auxiliary at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. E. C. Adams will be hostess to the Reinhardt circle at her home at 4 o'clock.

Tuesday

Mrs. Ed Dawson will entertain the Entre Nous club at her home at 8 o'clock.

Ladies' Bible class will meet at the Church of Christ at 3 o'clock.

Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. A. Pennington at 1205 South Main at 2 o'clock.

Edelweiss club members meet at the home of Mrs. John Dublin at 3 o'clock.

Wednesday

Meeting of the Fine Arts club has been changed from the home of Mrs. T. Paul Barron to Mrs. A. P. Baker, 1115 West Texas ave., 3:30 o'clock.

Thursday

Mid Alpha Delphian chapter meets at the home of Mrs. J. M. White at 3 o'clock. Mrs. H. B. Dunagan will be leader.

Mrs. George Abell will be hostess to the Thursday club at her home at 3 o'clock.

Friday

Members of the Belmont class and their families will have a picnic supper at Cloverdale at 7 o'clock.

Well Known Couple Wed In Stanton

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Eileen Sadler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Y. Sadler of Stanton, to Mr. Jim Tom, also of Stanton, last Wednesday at the Catholic church in that city.

Both the bride and groom are well known in Midland, Mr. Tom having been cashier of the Stanton bank for several years. Mrs. Tom has until recently been a teacher in the El Paso public schools.

After a wedding trip through the Davis mountains, Mr. and Mrs. Tom will live in Stanton.

Belmont Class To Have Picnic

Mrs. C. E. Nolan was hostess to the Belmont Bible class at her home in Belmont addition Friday afternoon with seven present.

Mrs. Thomas D. Murphy led the study from Lamentations and Ezekiel.

At a business session the class voted to entertain their families with a picnic at Cloverdale this Friday evening.

Midland Duchess and Maid of Honor

Miss Eula Gee Gantt, Midland duchess of the West Texas Exposition at San Angelo, will leave early this week for that city to participate in the social affairs arranged for the Queen of West Texas and her court.

Miss Gantt was selected to represent Midland by the management of the West Texas Exposition and she has appointed her sister, Miss Alberta, as her maid of honor. Brilliant social affairs are promised the two Midland girls and 59 other duchesses and their maids of honor who will attend.

They are daughters of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Gantt. A clipping from the publicity department of the West Texas Exposition follows:

The Coronation of Her Highness, the Queen of West Texas promises to be one of the most colorful and spectacular events ever staged in West Texas. Over 60 Duchesses and Maids of Honor are already appointed representing the towns and cities of West Texas and the large cities of the state. An elaborate entertainment program for Thursday and Friday will make the visit of members of the Queen's Court a brilliant social event. The program for the Coronation will begin at 8:15 p. m., Friday, September 26. The most brilliant and entertaining acts from the 1930 Winter Garden Revue will be used for entertainment of the Royal Court.

The West Texas chamber of commerce will send a Duchess and Maid of Honor from Stamford; Miss Norma Sterling, of Houston, daughter of Governor-elect Ross S. Sterling, who will be accompanied by her Maid of Honor, Miss Eleanor March, together with Miss Virginia Northington, Duchess of Wharton, and her Maid of Honor, Miss Francis Wright, and the Duchess from Wichita Falls, Miss Jane Moore, will travel the greatest distance to attend the Queen.



Miss Eula Gee Gantt, left, who will be Midland Duchess at the West Texas Exposition in San Angelo this week, and Miss Alberta Gantt, right, who is her maid of honor.



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Whoopee Life Is a Waste of Time, Life, Speed and Wits, Says Speaker

Speaking to approximately 700 students of the junior and senior high schools, Miss Helen Louise Byrnes, W. C. T. U. official, who spent two days in Midland last week, selected one of the most unusual subjects ever heard at the school when she spoke on "Whoopee" Friday morning.

Filled with humor from the start to the close, Miss Byrnes appealed to her audience when she discussed whoopee as "a waste of time, a waste of life." Her main objective was to place before the young people the importance of adopting principles of great men and women who have made successes of their lives by not "living a whoopee life."

A review of Miss Byrnes' address follows:

"Whoopee. 'You will not find the word whoopee in Webster's dictionary, but you will find it in the life of today.

"Upon mention of the word whoopee you will think of two things, a bunch of human beings having a whoopee time at night, or a colorful something made of felt to cover the head of you student. With the advance of science and invention, no drab thing must cover the head.

"No brains are needed to put over a whoopee, just 'open up and let her go.' Do not stop to think of or consider any barriers or fences, just pull open the throttle of your life and go as you please.

"Whoopee Is Wasted Speed. 'It takes a number of nuts to make an auto, but only one to spread it over the earth.

"There is no place for alcohol in the human system. It does not serve the same purpose to human machinery as to industrial machinery. This is a speed age. Listen to the statement of Henry Ford, published just before the November election:

"No matter who wins the next election, the country will continue to enjoy prosperity. The worst thing that could happen would be a step backward in our fight against liquor. I am interested in anything to keep the eighteenth amendment as it is. Personally I'd turn out the army and navy to stop bootlegging. But if the law were changed we'd have to shut up our plants. The speed with which we run our motor cars, operate our intricate machinery and generally live would be impossible with liquor. No, there is no chance even of modification.

"Whoopee Is Wasted Wits. 'A summer school teacher was seated in a New York restaurant. Four young men, evidently clerks in Wall street houses, came in for lunch. It was in the days before prohibition. With their lunch they ordered a bottle of wine. After they had gone out, four or five very alert-looking business men came in. Everything about them seemed to show that they were accustomed to making important decisions. With their lunch, these men ordered no wine or liquor of any sort.

"The teacher was acquainted with the proprietress of the restaurant and expressed her surprise that these men had taken no wine with their lunch. She answered, 'You could not persuade these men to drink at this time of the day.'

"Why?" asked the teacher. "She answered, 'Because they need all the wits they have.'

"Youth needs to think and to let

Tomorrow's Birthdays in Midland

In Midland the following are to celebrate their birthdays tomorrow. Send them a greeting by phone, card, wire or by a visit.

- TODAY Mrs. Carl Reeves. MONDAY Johnnie Ratliff.

that thinking be right thinking. In the words of the poem is described many a youth:

"How few there are who really think Among the thinking few. There's some who do not think at all. They only think they do."

Whoopee Is Wasted Time

"There are 96 15-minute periods in a day, says one. Thirty-two of the 15-minute periods should be spent in sleep. The remaining 64 are yours to do with as you please. Those who blazed the trails of science and invention, who strung the cables, laid the rails, did not go out on wild night whoopees. They tied the periods of the day with good deeds, with ideas and ideals; they wove into the social fabric of the nation such beautiful yet intricate patterns that a whoopee pattern would be as a red blotch of ink against a brilliant sunset in yonder sky.

"Said one, 'The only value of time is its use.'

"The junk heap of time is filled with wasted lives. Some youth want a whoopee time, some want popularity, some want riches quickly. Horace Greeley said, 'Fame is vapor, popularity an accident, riches take wings those who cheer today will curse tomorrow, only one thing endures, character.'

"Youth faces a great tomorrow. Yours the power and choice of will to build. There will be plenty along life's road who will say that things can't be done.

"On a small motto-card in an eastern factory employing hundreds of men are the words, 'There are so many things going on nowadays that the folks who say it can't be done are interrupted by somebody doing it.'

"Men of industry and science are the examples we should follow, and we ought to listen in on their program.

"A man who can make an electric light to abolish the darkness around me is the man to whose opinion on prohibition I will listen. The whoopee type puts out the light and leaves a fog of manhood burning and smoking. Edison believes in prohibition.

"In the words of a paragraph of Lincoln's Gettysburg address we say, 'The world will little note nor long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they so nobly advanced.' Give prohibition its chance, the liquor traffic has had its day."

Mrs. Fasken of California Is Honored at Bridge

Mrs. Andrew Fasken entertained in compliment to her house guest, Mrs. Robert Fasken of Ross, Cal., Thursday afternoon with a bridge affair.

Autumn floral decorations graced the playing suite, where four tables were marked for the games.

A pretty medallion picture was given to the honoree and high score favor went to Mrs. Homer W. Rowe. Mrs. M. R. Hill cut highest for the group.

At tea time the hostess served salad courses to Mmes. W. G. Whitehouse, J. A. Finlayson, A. Harry Anderson, J. M. Caldwell, Honer Rowe, Joe Youngblood, E. G. Bedford, J. M. DeArmond, C. W. Alcorn, F. E. Cragin, Clarence Scharbauer, M. R. Hill, George Ratliff, Foy Proctor, Fasken and Misses Juliette Wolcott and Lotta Williams.

Informal Dinner At the C. Y. Barron Home

Guests for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Y. Barron Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Vickers, Mr. J. S. Hoskins, Mr. Bill Hembre, Mrs. M. L. Harrison, Mr. James P. Harrison and Dolores and Billie Barron.

The hostess served a delicious three-course dinner, after which the guests enjoyed a pleasant evening of visiting.

Auxiliaries to Start New Studies Monday

Study of the book of Romans will be started by the Presbyterian auxiliary and a mission study course opened by the Methodist auxiliary at their meetings Monday afternoon.

Presbyterian women will meet at the church and led in the study by the Rev. T. D. Murphy at 3:30 o'clock.

The home of Mrs. Holt Jewell will be the place of meeting for the Methodist women at 3:30 o'clock.

Missionary From Africa to Speak Monday

Mrs. Swenson, who is in Midland visiting in the home of Mrs. N. W. Bigham this week, will tell of her experiences as a missionary in Africa at the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Claude Cowden tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The former missionary came to Midland last week with her son, F. E. Swenson, and Mrs. Swenson, of Fort Worth, former residents here.

Neighborhood Picnic Affair At Goodman Home

A group of neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goodman Friday evening for a picnic supper on the lawn.

Included in the group were Mr. and Mrs. Marion M. Seymour and son, Alex; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Moore, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. Goodman and daughters, Nancy Lee and Leonore.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dunagan and son of Big Spring are in Midland spending the week-end.

Monte Warner and John I. Moore, oil men from San Angelo, are spending the week-end in Midland.

Mrs. A. E. Wallace of Los Angeles is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bedford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Kerwin and C. D. Crites left yesterday for Del Rio, where they will spend several days.

Kenneth Yost left Saturday for Fort Worth to transact business.

George Coates returned to his home in San Antonio Saturday after spending about two weeks transacting business here.

Mr. Batson of Lamesa is here visiting his son, Marion Batson.

E. J. Ragsdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ragsdale, received a throat operation at the Midland hospital Saturday morning and is resting well today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Connell Jr. of Hollywood, Cal. who are visiting the former's parents here, spent Friday at the round-up on the Ed Dickerson ranch.

Misses Eula Gee and Alberta M. Gantt attended the West Texas Dental society convention in Big Spring Friday and Saturday.

John Haley returned yesterday from Mineral Wells, where he has been the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Swenson of Fort Worth and Mrs. Swenson of Rock Island, Ill. visited the Carlsbad caverns Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Wallace, who has spent several months with her daughter, Mrs. John P. Butler, has returned to her home in Mount Calm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ellis have moved from Midland from Stamford, Ill. He is to be employed by the Hughes Tool company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Collier and son, Odell, returned Friday from a visit with relatives in East Texas. While on their vacation they visited in Tyler, Winsboro, Sherman and Dallas. Mrs. Collier has spent most of the summer in Winsboro, Mr. Collier leaving two weeks ago to meet her.

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# POLO CLUB LEAVES FOR THREE-GAME TOURNAMENT AT ANGELO

## Midland Friday and Saturday All "Het up" Over Grid Special

### TEXON-SAN ANGELO FORMATION IS OPPONENT

Despite the fact that Midland enters the West Texas exposition at San Angelo September 22-27 with a princess, duchess, show horses and race horses, the greatest interest is in polo.

It is in this that Midland and Texon will dominate, playing three games during the week—on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Four other teams that had been scheduled to appear in the tourney evidently "blew up" including the San Angelo aggregation, players of which will play with Texon.

The rejuvenated Texon squad should, therefore, give the Midland riders some of the hardest competition met this year. Good mounts, one of the strengths of the Midland club, will be thrown into the Texon line-up by the Angelo outfit, which possibly has the finest horses in Texas.

Thousands of people from a territory advertised as embracing "approximately one-fifth of Texas" will see the games and Midland is expected to realize much publicity from the riding encounters.

Beyond the polo team, Midland will have some fast race and show stock at the exposition. Horses sired by government stallions will be entered in the latter showing and a group of racers from the Buchanan-Bloss, Floyd, Dublin and Scharbauer stables will compete on the track for good purses.

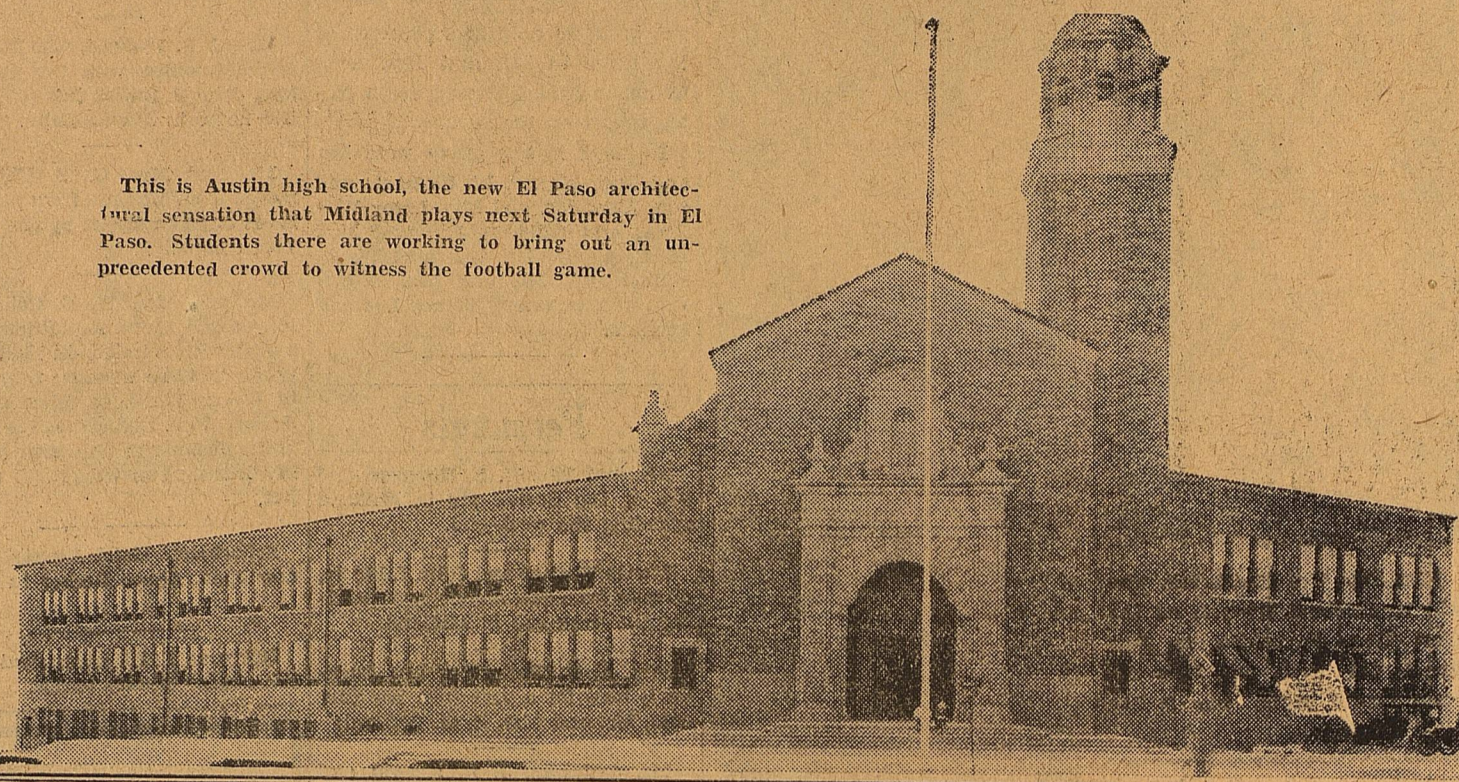
For the first time this year, Foreign Relations, fast mile-and-a-sixteenth horse, is expected to have to stretch himself to win. He has taken seventeen races in a row and will make opposing horses "burn" the track if they nose him out at the finish line.

The polo team, which will be joined in Angelo by Jimmy Woods, former Midland player, left Saturday.

The American tarantula is a large hairy spider, much dreaded in the southwest. Its bite is painful but not dangerous.

### School That Midland High Plays This Week End in El Paso

This is Austin high school, the new El Paso architectural sensation that Midland plays next Saturday in El Paso. Students there are working to bring out an unprecedented crowd to witness the football game.



### SPUDDER PILOT MAY NOT BE SEEN IN Real Pitching and Infield Work Stands Out UNIFORM NEXT SEASON; HATES LIGHTS

By GAYLE TALBOT, JR., Associated Press Sports Writer

Carl Williams, who came out of retirement on his West Texas ranch to lead the Wichita Falls Spudders in an almost-successful hunt for a Texas league pennant, probably will be missing when the 1931 campaign rolls around. His friends say he is dead set against night baseball and certainly has hung up his uniform for good if the league goes completely nocturnal.

There probably are other old-line players and managers who would like to follow Williams out of the pastime if they were financially able to do so. Few can give up their means of livelihood, however, and have any certainty of continuing to live in the manner to which they have become accustomed.

Williams can. He is understood

to be comfortably fixed if he never enters another baseball orchard. He has his farm (or is it a ranch?) out near Coleman and maybe an interest in an oil well or so.

The Spud pilot's principal objection to night baseball, say his friends, are the hours. He likes to get a night's sleep, starting in as early as possible. Anything that keeps him up until 10 or 11 o'clock just naturally upsets the Williams schedule.

If that were not enough to turn the Spudder boss against the artificial brand, he can point to what it did to his team during the past season. Deep down, he probably feels certain it robbed him of a pennant. For the first half, when games were played between sun, the Oilers were well nigh unbeatable. They gained such a commanding lead that

the seven other clubs voted for a new start.

Then came the kleigs, and the Spudders were never the same again. Where pitchers of rival clubs seemed to thrive under the lights, members of the Spud staff were far less effective. Notably Hal Wiltse, crack southpaw. He was a phenomenal winner during the first half, but just another thrower after half of the league parks were illuminated.

Had he retained even a fair percentage of his form, the Spuds might have nosed out in the tight second-half race and averted the disastrous playoff with Fort Worth. In that series, for the first time in a month, the star left-hander was his dazzling self, licking the Cats twice and facing the saw-off to the limit of five games.

That series, incidentally, belonged to the pitchers from beginning to end. That is the game with the better hurling staff was the winner, the better fielding and batting club the loser. It proved, at least, that pitching still is the big thing, laments regarding the lively ball to the contrary notwithstanding. Lil Stoner,

who had no earthly business in the minor leagues this season, demonstrated that a flinger who really has something on the ball can stop the sluggers. His sharp breaking curve in that tense final game, when the title rode on every pitch, remains a vivid memory.

Next to Stoner's rare work, the outstanding feature of the playoff easily was the polished performance of the losers' infield. It will be a long time before the Texas league sees another quartet of youngsters like Burns, Storti, Levey and Euler. Only one error was charged to the Spuds' inner works in five games, and that not a batted ball. Euler at third muffed a throw from the outfield in the second game to spoil a spotless record. It will be genuinely surprising if any of the four comes back to the Texas league next year.

### POSSIBILITY SEEN FOR HAVING TO RIDE BUSES

Midland was massed Saturday for the trip to El Paso Sept. 27.

Tickets were on sale at the chamber of commerce, a ticket booth was being operated on the streets, the little theater was calling everyone a committee could think of in order to stir up more interest, and other activity marked the concerted move to sell before nightfall the required number of tickets for running a special train to the border city.

On Friday, the same activity was carried out in uniform, gave concerts before the Petroleum building, the two banks, the Scharbauer hotel and The Reporter-Telegram plant. A pep meeting was held at the high school and the rafters were jarred by the racket, let loose.

Everything for the past two days has reflected a pitch of excitement never seen before in scholastic circles here.

Recognizing the probability of failure in plans to run the special train to the grid game with Austin high school, students were doing everything possible to co-operate with authorities of the chamber of commerce, sponsoring body to insure carrying out of plans.

The El Paso game is heralded as one of the hardest on the Midland schedule. It will be played under the kleigs in the first night game Midland has ever worked. Midland outweighs the El Paso boys, but may not be quite so shifty and fast. Local fans, however, are forecasting a top-heavy win for the Bulldogs.

The game was not worrying the high school so much as the train, however. In case the special should not be run, students would have to ride buses, and they had determined to ride the train.

### Two-Millionth Car By Chevrolet Done

FLINT, Mich., Sept. 20.—Another automotive record toppled here on Thursday when the Chevrolet Motor company turned out its two-millionth six-cylinder car less than twenty full months after the introduction of this type.

Just as Chevrolet led the world in four-cylinder production during the last two years that the company built the type, so now it assumes leadership in the six-cylinder field by having built nearly five times as many sixes in twenty months as any other manufacturer in the history of the industry.

The two-millionth six—a coach—rolled off the line here with Chevrolet and General Motors executives in attendance to witness the final assembly of the car, for which no further ceremonies were planned.

The brief time required by Chevrolet to build two million sixes provides an index of the rapid strides made by this organization to the front rank of volume car builders. The company was organized in 1911, and there were required nearly seventeen years to turn out five million of the old four-cylinder cars, while two million sixes have been placed on the streets and highways of the world since January 1, 1929, or in a total time of only nineteen months and one week.

Commenting on the manufacture of the two-millionth six, W. S. Knudson, president and general manager, stated that the fact of establishing a new record was significant mainly in that it indicated a definite public preference for the performance and luxury which a six affords in the low-priced field.

"We abandoned our position as the world's largest builder of four-cylinder cars," Mr. Knudson explained, "because the volume we had built up, coupled with the tremendous purchasing power of General Motors, enabled us to put two extra cylinders in our cars and yet retain the price range and operating economy of the old four-cylinder car."

### NATIONAL LEAGUE PLUCKS 4 RECORDS OUT OF THE SEASON

NEW YORK, Sept. 20. (AP)—Four more records have fallen before the husky batsmen of the National league, the averages released today which include Wednesday's games, reveal.

Hack Wilson, Chicago's stellar home run hitter, is possessor of two marks, and has contributed to the making of a third. Wilson, who broke the National league home run record for some time, has added the all-time record for batting in runs as he drove in his 176th rally with his fifty-second home run. The former was 175, made by Lou Gehrig of the New York Yankees. The Cubs, led by Wilson, have set a new homer mark with a total of 160, eclipsing by two the record made by the Yankees in 1927.

Chuck Klein of the Phillies finally has passed the modern National league record for doubles, set a year ago by Johnny Frederick of Brooklyn, by bringing his total to 53. The St. Louis Cardinals also have a National league double mark of 334 for the season, passing the record of 316 made by Pittsburgh in 1925.

While not making any records, Bill Terry of New York still holds the batting lead with a mark of .491 and has a margin of 8 points over his nearest rival, Babe Herman.

"Today the coach, one of the most popular models in the line, is priced \$20 lower than the four-cylinder coach was ever sold. The expenses of two millions of owners are that gas and other operating and upkeep expenses are as low as any standard four-cylinder car. The quick public acceptance of this fact, and the gratifying response to the new type, made possible our new production record."

Total output of the Chevrolet Motor company to date is approximately 7,200,000 cars.

## They Couldn't Know

BACK IN 1818 the greatest newspaper of the day declared that the world had reached the limit of human expansion. It even went further, saying that there weren't enough supplies in the world to support further growth of population.

The mind of 1818 couldn't conceive of the miracles that human ingenuity would perform during the twentieth century. It couldn't imagine the wonders that would be wrought by new agricultural methods and modern manufacturing genius. It was ignorant of transportation as we know it, or the progressive sales methods of today. It could not see the vital part that would be played by advertising.

Even today there are some who fail to realize what an important factor advertising has become. Advertising is as much a part of today's life as electricity, antiseptic surgery or automobiles. It keeps us up to date on the many things we need in order to live profitable, happy and useful lives. It presents for our approval articles of all kinds and for all purposes. The requirements of each member of the family are met by advertised offers of good merchandise of proved value.

The advertisements save time, money and effort for those who read them and follow their guidance. They are practical guarantees of satisfaction.

DON'T LAY ASIDE THIS NEWSPAPER WITHOUT READING THE ADVERTISEMENTS

# No More Stock After Sept. 29

This Date Marks the End of the Present Sale of Texas Electric Service Co. Preferred Stock

Several days ago we announced that we had only a limited number of shares of stock unsold and that we could accept subscriptions only with the understanding that orders would be filled so long as there was stock available for sale.

The volume of subscriptions now coming in clearly indicates that all the stock available at the present time will be sold by September 29.

Therefore, after this date and until such time as we may have more shares to offer, no further subscriptions can be accepted.

A. J. Duncan Fort Worth

Cut out and mail to order stock or for complete information

A. J. DUNCAN, Fort Worth, Texas. (Mark X in  meeting your requirements)

Please have your representative call to give further information.

I wish to subscribe for \_\_\_\_\_ shares Texas Electric Service Company \$6 Preferred Stock at price of \$100.00 and accrued dividend per share. Send bill to me showing exact amount due.

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Please ship \_\_\_\_\_ shares Texas Electric Service Company \$6 Preferred Stock at \$100.00 and accrued dividend per share with draft attached through \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Your Bank \_\_\_\_\_

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Buy your shares from any employe of the Texas Electric Service Company—they are the salesmen.

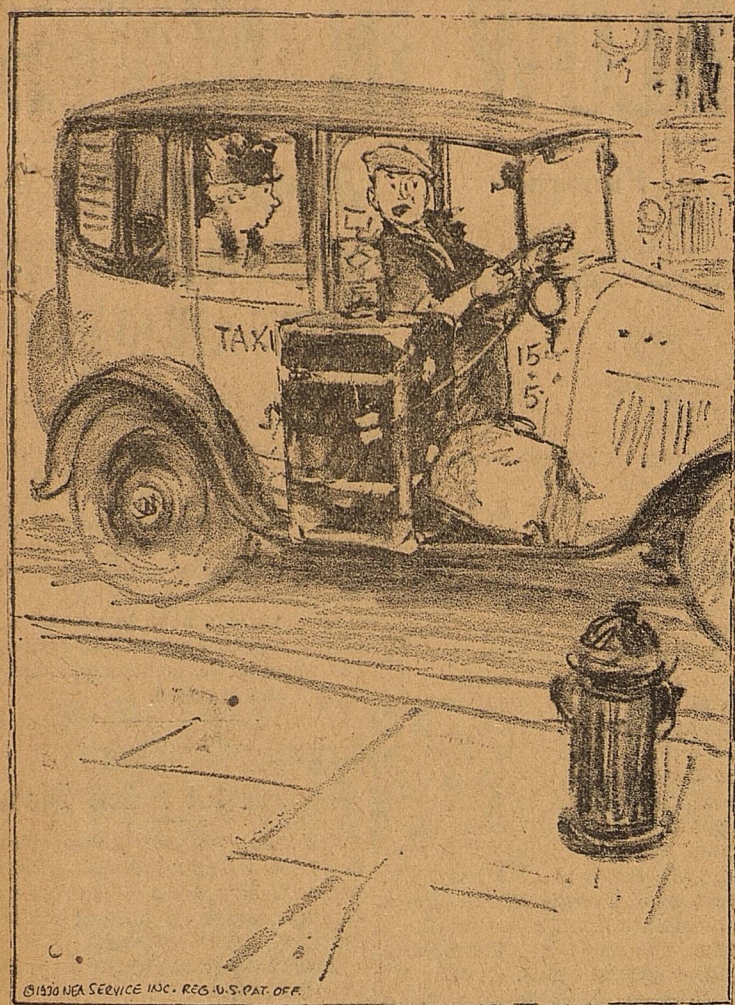
A resale department is maintained to assist and advise stockholders who may wish to sell their shares.

Side Glances . . . . . by Clark

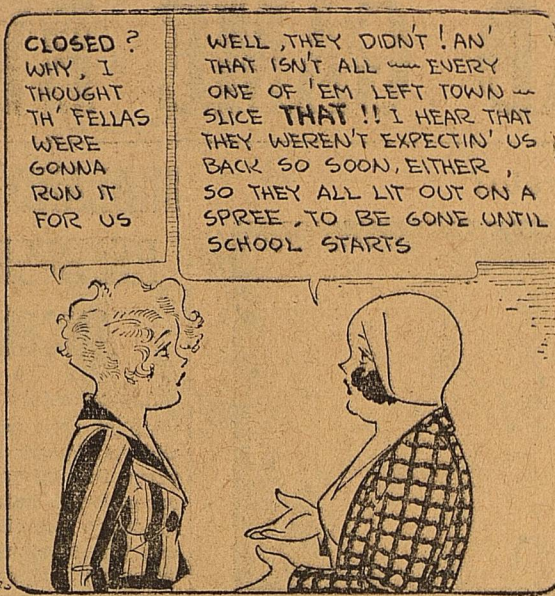
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Is There Anyone Else?

By Martin



"This is a very popular hotel, lady. But they allus make room for anybody I puts me O. K. on."



WASH TUBBS

Running the Gauntlet

By Crane



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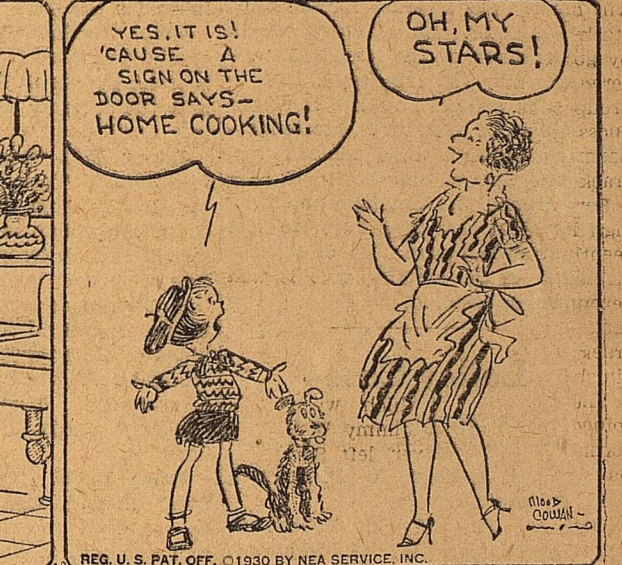
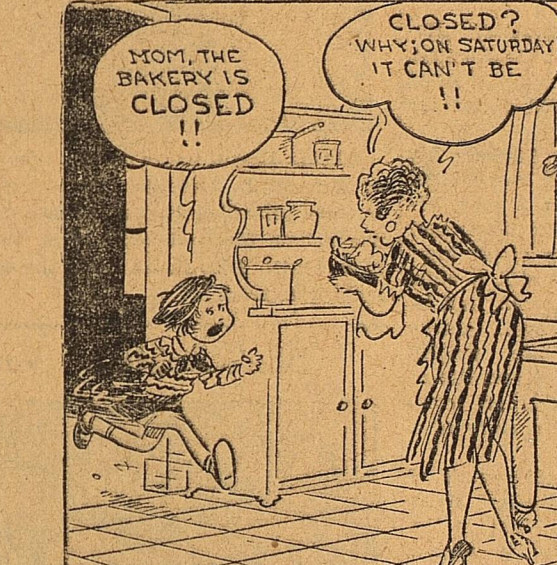
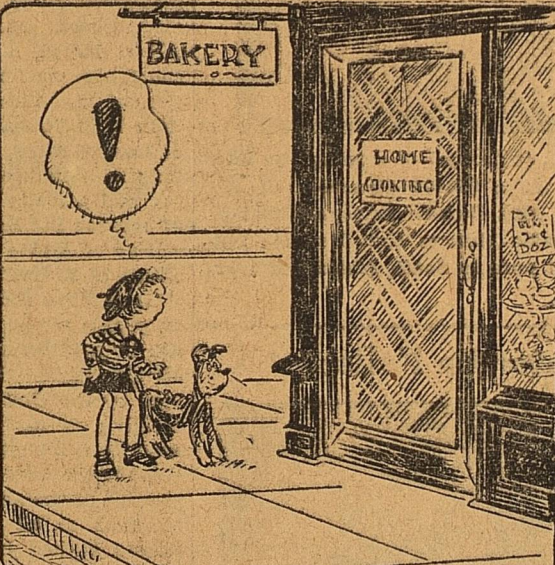
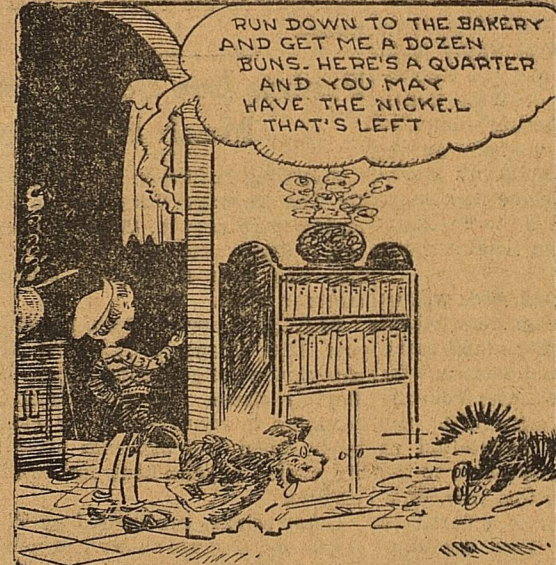
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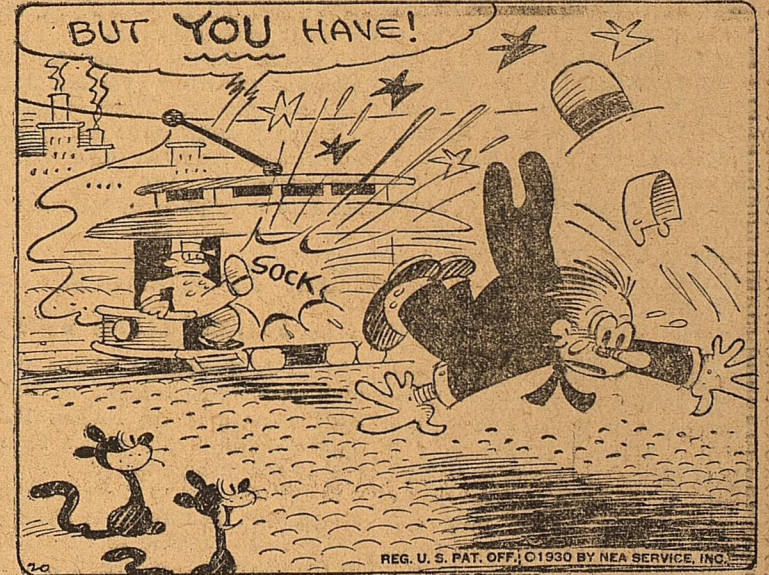
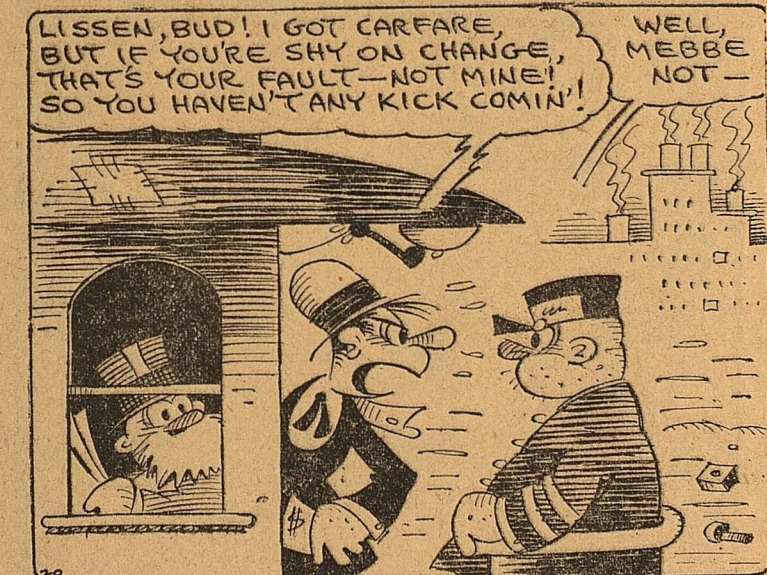
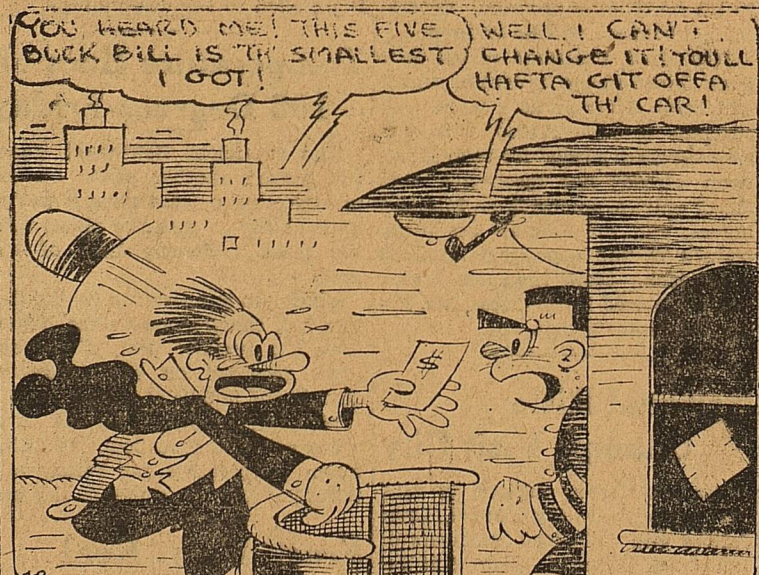
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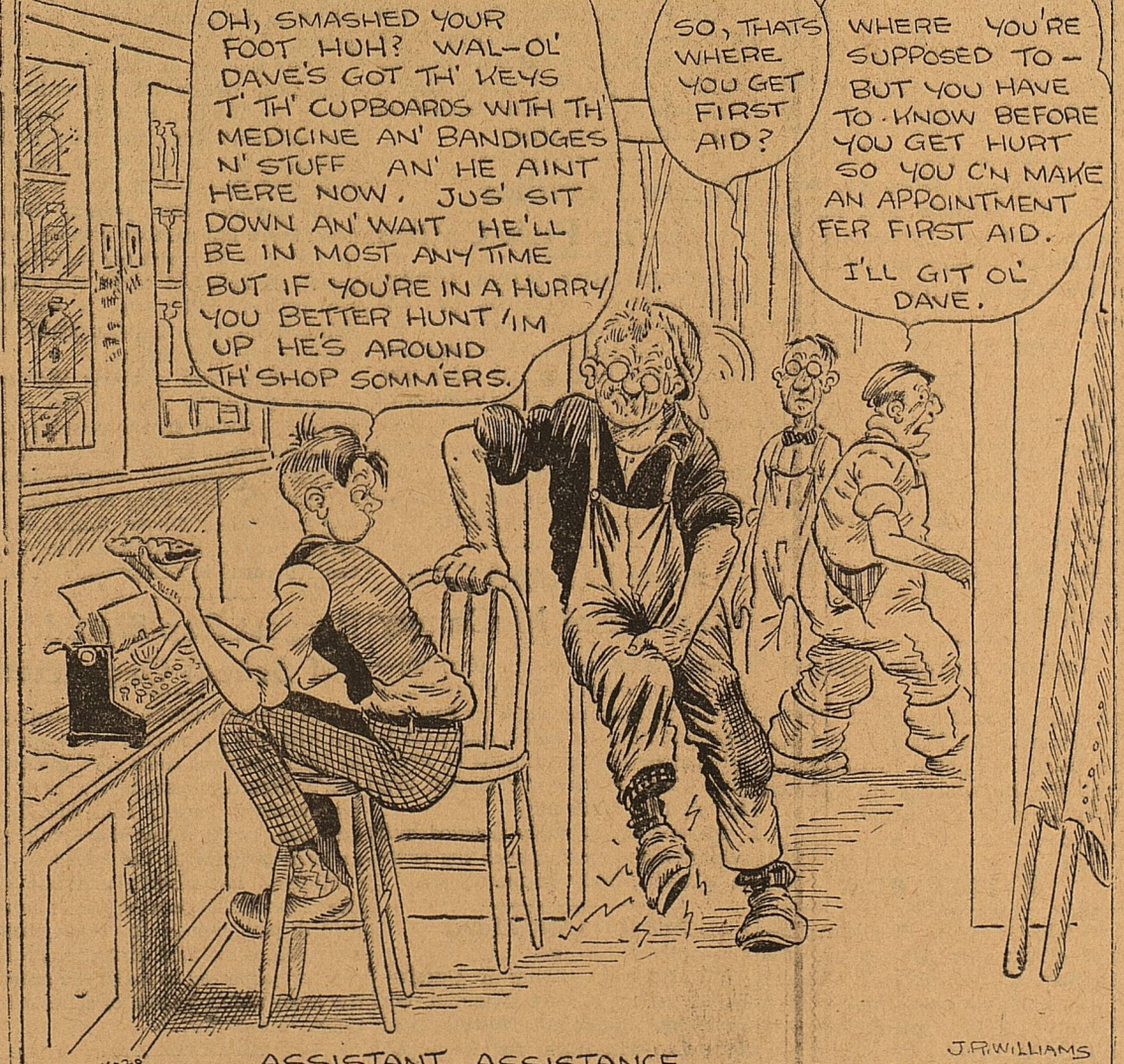


OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern



2. For Sale or Trade. One of the nicest cafes in the city. Fully equipped. Selling out account other business. 167-2p. 3. Furnished Apts. FURNISHED apartment. Also small bedroom. Close in. 113 N. Big Spring. 168-3p. TWO-ROOM apartment. 1204 N. Main. Phone 372. 168-3p. THREE rooms. Private bath. Close in. Screened porch. Reasonable. Phone 76. 501 North Main. 167-3p. TWO-ROOM apartment. Couple only. 401 North Lorraine. 166-3p. THREE-ROOM furnished apartment. Also two 2-room houses. Apply 305 East Kentucky. Phone 248. 167-3p. THREE rooms, both in duplex. 409 West Texas. Inquire 121 North Dig Spring. 167-3p. TWO 2-room furnished apartments. All bills paid. Phone 489-J. 167-3p. Three apartments—\$6.00 per week. 323 S. Baird. 167-3p. 6. Unfurnished Houses. NICE 5-room stucco. Modern conveniences. Priced right. Phone 246 or 164. 168-3p. 10. Bedrooms. SOUTHEAST bedroom. Private entrance. Garage. Close in. 407 North Lorraine. 168-3p. LOVELY southeast front room, in small family. Private entrance. Adjoins bath. Three blocks from town. With or without garage. 214 South Big Spring. 168-1. FRONT bedroom adjoining bath. Half block from both high schools. Private entrance. 704 West Illinois. 168-3. 11. Employment. FIVE lady demonstrators. Some one to handle small amount of stock, manage office and salesmen for West Texas. Z. R. Robinson, president U-Kan Product Co., Room 343, Llano Hotel. 168-3p. WANTED: Middle-aged woman for house work. Apply at 404 East Kentucky. 167-3p.

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TO MARKET, TO MARKET, TO BUY A FAT HEN. GENE AHERN. 1930 BY NEA SERVICE, INC.

# FORT WORTH WINS THIRD GAME BY DRAMATIC BLOW IN NINTH

## LARRY COX CLOUTS ONE OVER WALL WITH ONE ABOARD AND FORT WORTH IN REAR; TWO STRIKES OVER HEAD

In one of those hectic endings that are read of in novels and Horatio Alger books, Fort Worth came back in the ninth inning of Saturday's third game of the Dixie series to score two runs when two men were "down" and Fort Worth behind a run—to resolve the denouement into a 4-3 win.

This allowed Fort Worth to take a straight sweep of the games played with Memphis so far in the series and to have a chance today to cop the series by unbroken wins, something seldom done in organized baseball.

Cox, bad man with the stick and bogey man to Memphis from now on out, hit a homer in the ninth with one aboard, and under the dramatic conditions of two balls and two strikes being against him at the moment he lifted a singing liner over the right wall.

May and Campbell formed the first Memphis combination and Roberts and Meyers for Fort Worth.

### At the County Library

Most of us, after all, read for pleasure. A book-lover is under no obligation to either the publisher or author or the world at large. What he reads and what he gets from reading is between himself and his library. Above all things, books, like people, are friends, and to live among friends is to live a full existence.

Among the new books at the County Library are:

Adams, J. T., "The Adams Family." An excellent study of one of the most distinguished families in the United States. This was the Literary Guild selection for June.

Cabot, R. C., "What Men Live By: Work, Play, Love, Worship." An old standby. It is sound doctrine for the body, good, wholesome sense for the mind, and balanced optimism for the soul.

Gorki, Maxim, "Bystander." Recently translated from the Russian. A novel by one of Russia's greatest and the Literary Guild choice for last April.

James, Will, "Lone Cowboy: My Life Story." This tells how a little boy, hardly more than a baby, becomes an orphan in the West; how an old French trooper adopts him; how when the boy is still a child the old trapper is drowned, and he is thrown out on his own. A true picture of cowboy life, written straight from the heart and life of a real one. This author wrote "Smoky," a magnificent story of a horse.

Jones, R. M., "Fundamentals of Life." What do men live for? What do we want most? What is the real dynamic of life? The author presents the answers of Plato, Christ and Kant, and then proceeds to study some of life's experiences, finding supreme evidence of a deeper spiritual universe underlying the world of fact and sense.

Thomas, G. C., "Roses for All American Climates." For the amateur rose grower. There is herein a regional study of American climates, and roses for each region are suggested. Also contains an accurate description of 511 roses.

### First Time Clock Is Installed Here

What is thought to be the first time clock ever installed in Midland is found at the Hughes Tool company, which was opened formally to the public Friday.

One of the largest crowds to ever attend such an opening in Midland was present from 10 to 12 o'clock in the morning and from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

When the crowd continued to arrive at the plant site Superintendent W. W. Hammond of the Los Angeles service plant had workmen continue work, so that everyone might be conducted through the large building while all machines were running.

### Suits Follow Oil Ruining Water Wells

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Sept. 20. (AP)—Oil wells were blamed for spoiling the water in two wells in the town of Red Barn, situated in the heart of the Yates oil field, and damages of \$50,000 per well were asked in a suit filed in district court at Fort Stockton.

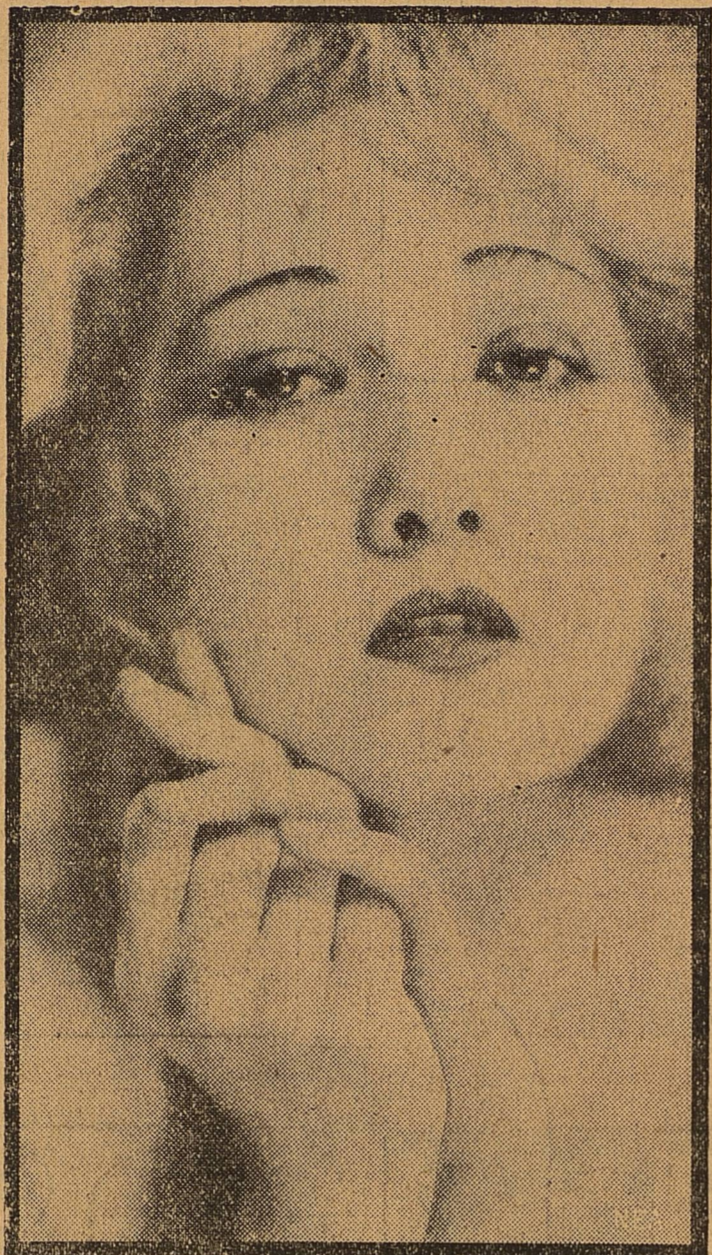
The suit was filed by W. A. and J. B. Halmick against the Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas company, the Continental Oil company and Ira G. Yates, owner of the title to the land where Red Barn, named from the old red barn of Mr. Yates, stands.

The petition stated that Mr. Yates sold the town of Red Barn to the plaintiffs for \$20,000, giving a ten-year lease on the property. The plaintiffs contended they built a 40-room hotel, fourteen residences and a business building at a cost of \$16,000.

Then the wells that brought run to the water wells were drilled, it stated, and the hotel which had been doing a monthly profit of \$300 dropped to \$100. Other property decreased in value.

The Halmicks contended the property was worth \$60,000 before ruined. They stated they were forced to haul water at a cost of \$300 monthly and they were now about to pipe water for two miles.

### Love Pirate?



Edwina Booth, movie actress (above), is accused of stealing the love of Renault D. Renaldo, movie actor, in a \$50,000 alienation of affections suit filed in Los Angeles by Mrs. Suzette Duncan Renaldo, the actor's divorced wife. Mrs. Renaldo charges that Renaldo fell in love with Miss Booth while the two were in South Africa last year making a movie.

### She's Bride of Senator La Follette



On the same day that his brother, Philip, learned that he had been nominated as Republican candidate for governor of Wisconsin, Senator Robert M. La Follette ceased to be "the Senate's most eligible bachelor" and joined the ranks of the married men by wedding his secretary. Here is Mrs. Robert M. La Follette. Before her marriage she was Miss Rachel Wilson Young of Washington, D. C.

### NEW FAMILY HERE

Mrs. F. B. Engle and daughter, Celia Margaret, 12, have joined F. B. Engle, representative of the National Supply company in this territory, and are residing in Midland for the school term. They came here from their home in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Engle spoke highly of the schools here as well as of the community.

### COTTON CATCHES FIRE

A bale of cotton caught fire at the Farmers gin Friday night, but the blaze had been extinguished when the fire truck arrived at the yards. Damage was slight.

### Errorgrams

(1) The Tower of Pisa leans, instead of standing straight up. (2) The man at the right is a Chinese water carrier and would not be seen in Italy. (3) The Tower of Pisa is in Italy, not Greece. (4) One of the buckets is missing from the yo-yo over the man's shoulder. (5) The scrambled word is GRAVITY.

## MIDLAND TO BE REPRESENTED AT ANGELO EXHIBIT

Approximately one-fifth of the state in area will show its wares, with San Angelo as its show window, when the thirty-fifth West Texas exposition is held September 22-27. Executive committeemen in 66 cities and towns believe that the general economic stringency, rather than lowering the standard of the fair, will bring into bolder relief the vast resources of the region. Redoubling their efforts on this account, they have raised in excess of \$20,000 for prizes, premiums and entertainment. Midland will be represented by a princess, duchess, race horses, polo team and show horses.

San Angelo is America's largest primary wool market, and the 1930 West Texas exposition as in other years will present the official show of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' association of Texas. It will exhibit diversified products of dry land and irrigated farms from a source of counties and high class textile, art, culinary and floral displays. The backbone of the entertainment program will be five running races on each of four afternoons for purses totaling \$2,625, a pioneers' jubilee and rodeo, a polo tournament, a musical stage show each evening, a style review on the night of September 25 and a carnival.

To these attractions have been added this fall a terrapin derby with 3,500 shell-backed runners, combat maneuvers by 30 United States cavalry troopers from Fort D. A. Russell at Marfa, a West Texas band concert on opening day, the coronation of the queen of West Texas, to be Miss Norma Sterling, daughter of Ross Sterling, democratic gubernatorial nominee, Houston's duchess, and a football game September 27 between Sul Ross State Teachers' college of Alpine and Schreiner institute of Kerrville.

West Texas thoroughbreds will be on parade at the horse show, which will be held before the grand stand Monday night. Premiums contributed by the United States Polo association at New York and by the American Remount association at Washington have contributed to the prestige of the show this year. Photographs of all horses entered in classes backed by these organizations will be filed with secretaries of the two offices. A jumping class from the First Cavalry, at Fort D. A. Russell, Marfa, will lend action to the horse show program. Several Midland horses will be entered.

Jess Elrod, chairman of the four days' horse-racing program, which will begin Tuesday at 2 p. m. and continue through Friday, with five running races carded for each afternoon, already has received a long list of entries, among them Midland horses, and the animals are being trained at the exposition grounds race track. More than 100 horses will be entered in the races, Mr. Elrod said late Friday.

### National Rifle Champs Visit City

Norman Carter, nephew of Mrs. Frank Norwood, Allen Hood, Lynn Palmer and Bill Hood, members of the crack Arizona state CMTC rifle team that won over the national CMTC rifle matches at Dayton, Ohio, were guests in the Norwood home Friday.

The boys hail from Nogales, and they bested all Arizona competition before scoring the greatest number of hits over national teams. Carter also took the individual honors in the national matches.

### Dozen Families To Pick Cotton

A dozen cotton picking families were wired for Saturday by the chamber of commerce.

It is the policy of the organization to seek pickers only when farmers designate the exact number of families needed.

This acts as a precaution against getting more laborers than are necessary and against an influx of vagrants, an official explained.

### Fowler Elected City Marshal of McCamey

McCAMEY, Sept. 20. (Special)—At a busy session of the McCamey city commissioners held at the city hall last Monday night, and presided over by Mayor Leonard C. Proctor, W. C. Fowler was elected city marshal of McCamey.

He was immediately notified and accepted the post, where his services have already begun.

### HUDSON LANDS HERE

Bill Hudson, flying a Curtiss-Robin plane of the Midland Oil company, landed at Sloan field Saturday afternoon for a night stop. His headquarters are in Fort Worth. He will be here for several days, he indicated.

## GEHRIG LOOKS A SURE WINNER OF BATTING CROWN

CHICAGO, Sept. 20. (AP)—The race for the American league batting championship still has life, but Lou Gehrig looks like better than an even bet to outfinish Al Simmons.

In spite of dropping another five points to the pitchers during the twenty-second week of the campaign, unofficial figures, which include Wednesday's games, today showed the Yankee first baseman out in front by a margin of eight points over the Athletics' pace setter. Gehrig's mark was .322, while Simmons had .374 with Babe Ruth in third place at .360.

### High School Band Shows Improvement

The high school band has started the season with a fanfare and flourish.

Concerts were played in five places in the business district Friday afternoon and for two hours at the Hughes Tool company from 3 to 5 o'clock.

Keeping perfect step in their march, perfect time in their music, the unit gave the city realization of its improvement since the beginning of school last year.

The band will be carried on numerous trips this season as advertisement to the city and schools and for its effect in stirring up the fighting spirit of the teams it accompanies.

### Prairie Lee Sends Much Publicity

Following institution of a program by The Reporter-Telegram for securing more news of Midland county's outlying communities, Prairie Lee has been sending in several stories a week.

Principal Laceywell, Mrs. Laceywell and Miss Margaret Carpenter are supervising the gathering of copy by English classes and the school is planning a regular publicity campaign when it reconvenes after a six weeks' adjournment for cotton picking.

Other schools are invited by The Reporter-Telegram to send in news. A letter to the newspaper stating that a correspondent in each community had been located would result in correspondence envelopes being mailed to the community.

### Temperature Goes to 106 Degrees Friday

The capricious Southwest Texas sun played another prank on the unsuspecting natives when it waited until Friday to cook the plains with the most sweltering heat of the year.

Maximum temperature for the day was 106, exactly one degree higher than the summer peak of 105 degrees recorded on two successive days in the middle of the summer.

Maximum temperature for Saturday was 11 degrees lower, 95. Minimum temperature for Friday and Saturday was the same, 60 degrees.

### Frogs Boast Real End and Fast Backs

Al Dietzel, San Antonio candidate for an end berth on the 1930 Frog eleven, is proving a whizz at snaring passes. Dietzel is 6 feet 6 inches tall, and that six or eight inches advantage in height over the ordinary player enables him to reach up over the opponent and grab the pigskin. "Throw 'em over the other fellow's head and Dietzel will do the rest," is the way one passer puts it. However, there are campus rumors that Dietzel may be saved for basketball, for he is expected to be the kingpin around which Coach Francis Schmidt hopes to build a title-contending five this winter.

The Frogs are claiming the two fastest backfield men in the conference, possibly in the country. Cy Leland's speed is no new thing to Southwest grid fans. As a running mate in the 1930 Frog backfield he will have "Red" Oliver, former Fort Worth Poly high star, who also steps the 100 yards in under ten seconds.

### Biggest Pep Squad Of School Organized

The greatest initial enrollment of the Midland high school pep squad, 50 girls, ordered their new distinctive molekskin jackets last week. Superintendent Lackey said that before the season closes there will be at least 60 girls in the squad.

Midland has always had one of the smartest-appearing and best-drilled pep squads in Texas, and new yell, songs and formations this year are expected to make the group the most widely known of schools in Southwest Texas.

It is estimated that the blind population of the United States is about 55,000.

## Funeral-- (Continued from Page 1)

Midkiff, D. L. Hutt, Paul Rountree, W. J. Sparks, E. P. Cowden, W. B. Preston and Frank Wolcott.

Friends and relatives from this section, and several from great distances, arrived in time for the funeral services Saturday.

Honorary pallbearers were: Frank Ingham, John Scharbauer, W. H. Cowden, M. G. Ulmer, J. V. Stokes Sr., C. A. Taylor, J. M. Flanagan, Dr. E. E. Calloway, Charles Brown of Cisco, J. E. Hutt of Kansas City, Arthur Judkins, A. E. Coleman, Spence Jowell, S. R. Preston, George D. McCormick, John Tolbert, C. H. Burnett of Benjamin, Texas; S. H. Purcell of Robstown, O. A. Willingham, E. M. Telle of Garden City, A. G. Cooper of Odessa, W. C. Cochran, J. E. Witcheer, Jim Chinn of El Paso, Travis Scott, Dick Ethridge, Richard Creighton, Lester Beauchamp, W. M. Schrock, R. M. Barron, E. H. Barron, P. J. Mims, R. V. Hyatt, A. C. Francis, S. M. Francis, C. A. McClintic, K. S. Boone, B. O. Boone, Foy Proctor, Billie Bryant, C. M. Goldsmith, E. F. Cowden, W. W. Brunson, J. C. Roberts, Louis Beyers and Charles Edwards.

## Vessels off Dover Lashed by Gales

LONDON, Sept. 20. (UP)—Thirteen vessels were in difficulty off the English and French coasts today as a 70-mile equinoctial gale swept the English channel. All shipping was forced to seek shelter.

The huge seas smashed motorboats and mail vessels. Nearly all pleasure boats in Dornemouth harbor were sunk by the terrific gale. Telegraph and telephone communications were disrupted.

No loss of life was reported. Six members of the crew of the French schooner Madelein Cristan were rescued by the Chesil beach life saving crew. There were many other exciting rescues.

## Goes to Meeting Credit Executives

Mrs. A. E. Horst, manager of the Retail Merchants' association of Midland, is leaving this morning for Breckenridge where she will attend a district convention of credit association managers. The meeting will last through Monday and Tuesday.

## WOMAN DEMO SAYS ROOSEVELT'S WET VIEWS ARE RUINOUS

DALLAS, Sept. 20. (AP)—Mrs. Larry Mills, president of the Texas Women's Democratic association, today said that Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York faces defeat if he runs for the presidency of the United States in 1932 because of his advocacy of repeal of the eighteenth amendment.

"No man can hope to get support of the southern states who declares for repeal of the eighteenth amendment," she declared.

## Ching "Golfing" At El Paso Now

And here's what an El Paso newspaper has to say about Ching Ramsey, who turned out a putting endurance record on a local miniature golf course recently:

"Bobby Jones is good, too, in his amateur way."

With this mental attitude Ching Ramsey, self-confessed world miniature golf endurance contest champion, began a long "drive" of "putting" on the junior course at Cotton and Grant at 10 a. m. today. He guarantees an exhibition of 100 hours and would not surprise himself if he exceeded that mark by a wide margin.

Hailing from Midland, where he circled a vest-pocket course 145 hours, Ramsey will play with anyone who comes out to the links.

He plays six hours and rests 15 minutes.

## NEW STANTON EDITOR

James E. Kelly has taken over editorial management of The Stanton reporter, weekly paper published in Stanton. His first issue was published Thursday, and it contained a large amount of local news written in a refreshing manner.

Scott Robertson, former editor, resigned to take the editorship of a Newcastle sheet.

MRS. EMILY KANNON  
Teacher of  
Piano, Theory and Harmony  
Group classes.  
Studio 606 W. III.

## Rowe-- (Continued from page 1)

Yowell, San Angelo, Texas; "The Public Interest in the Condition of the Oil Business," Hon. Lee Satterwhite, Odessa, Texas; "Texas Oil Problems and the Landowner," Claud C. Wild.

### Speakers Lauded

"Yowell is a prominent attorney of San Angelo and is one of our directors. He is an able speaker and formerly was attorney for the Shell in St. Louis. He also was one of the framers of the common purchaser bill. His subject will have to do with certain practices in Texas wherein one operator is discriminated against in favor of another, and a great deal of discussion will center around the common purchaser bill." Wild said in a letter to The Reporter-Telegram. He also spoke highly of Satterwhite, who is well known to Midland.

## Bailey Case-- (Continued from page 1)

strong, J. A. Pogue, W. P. Bennett, A. C. Matlock.

D. A. Ray, W. M. Echols, S. J. McKandies, W. G. Flournoy, W. C. Hill, O. C. Collins, D. N. Snodgrass, R. V. Hyatt, G. E. Wimberly, C. S. Carter, W. M. Long, Evan Smith, D. O. Bailey, C. E. Gann, R. L. Porter, Jim L. Hundle, Ben Driver, A. L. Stewart, R. O. Walker, Dick Midkiff, J. V. Stokes, Jr., J. M. Waddell, G. M. Gillespie, James C. Thompson, J. R. Beane, J. H. Wilson, George A. Streeter, J. W. Shroeder, B. D. Rice, J. V. Hobbs, Lowery Iglehart, Victor Smith, K. E. Ambrose, M. C. Lucky, C. C. Dansby, H. M. Carpenter, Frank Cowden, W. C. Lewis, A. T. Bush, W. R. Tillman, A. S. Bradford, Jr.

J. Ellis Cowden, W. A. Beacham, H. T. Scott, Carl Smith, A. D. Campbell, J. M. White, T. E. Bizzell, E. H. Barron, J. B. Swails, E. H. Benedict, A. P. Baker, L. L. Stringer, T. J. Miles, J. M. Franks, J. J. Kirby, Smith Umberson, R. V. Lawrence, T. J. King, A. B. Collier, Charlie Lowke, M. T. Pike, Guy Anderson, J. C. Howard, Roy Parks, R. T. Bucy, C. L. Jackson, Ben Barron, Ed Dozier, C. E. Trammell, J. D. Bartlett, L. M. Bradshaw, F. B. Southerlan, John C. Dunagan, F. F. Herrington, Jno. M. King, D. L. Green, Chas. Allen, W. S. Hudson, Dick Whitson, Harry McClintic, J. F. Nixon.

A. L. Caffey, C. M. Weatherred, Tom Nance, J. H. Lay, B. G. Grafa, L. W. Bailey, E. W. Dawson, Oren Jones, W. D. Godby, Paul Young, Roy Stockard, W. L. West, R. D. Hamlin, A. F. McKee, J. H. Booser, Jim Finlayson, W. H. Neeb, R. W. Johnston, O. M. Tyner, S. R. Mills, W. L. Eaton, A. E. Estes, Chambers Peak, Harold Vance, E. Cain, Ira Proctor, W. E. Howell, C. W. Crowley, Boyce Eldson, J. P. Kemp, A. B. Cooksey, W. M. Cole, W. E. Hobbs, J. M. Jones, B. T. Graham, E. B. Osborn.

## Illustrated Bible Lecture Tonight

An illustrated lecture that will deal with the story of the Bible will be presented this evening at the Presbyterian church. The first part of the lecture will show scenes as were given to most of the youth of today while in the nursery, scenes from old illustrated Bibles. The second will show pictures from the Holy Land and the third scenes that have been gathered at the various corners of the earth since the publication of the King James version of the Bible.

Such questions as how the Bible was translated into English will be introduced and solved.

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