

The Weather

WEST TEXAS - Partly cloudy. Colder in the extreme west portion tonight. Wednesday partly cloudy and colder.

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We sometimes think our tastes are good because they are our own. -Dr. C. A. Allington.

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SPANISH KING HAS TO ABDICATE

Fifteen Survivors Removed from Bore; Twelve Men Dead

NO COUNTER MOVE AS COMMISSION DISREGARDS INJUNCTION

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Witherspoon Defies Well Gaugers of Commission

AUSTIN, April 14. (UP). Announcement by the railroad commission that it will ignore the injunction against oil proration except as applied on properties in which Carl Estes of Tyler is interested met no counter move today.

Defies Gaugers TYLER, April 14. (UP). Claude L. Witherspoon, president of the Witherspoon Oil company, today defied the railroad commission's well gaugers.

He declared that no member of the commission's advisory committee would be permitted to gauge his 3,500-barrel producer or any other well under his control.

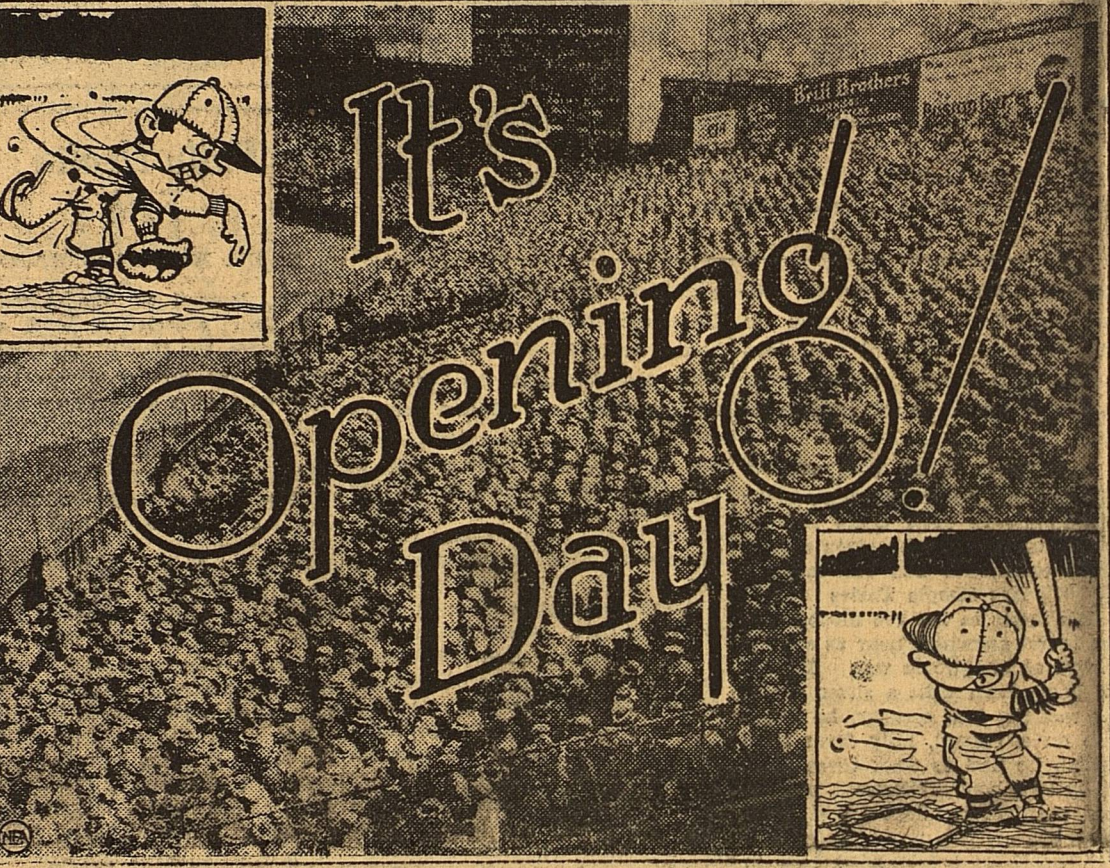
Cowden Well Flows 87 Bbls, 4 1-2 Hrs.

Southern Crude's 2-A Cowden well in Ector county flowed 87 barrels of oil in four and a half hours, and was drilling ahead at 4229 feet, at latest report today.

The well occupies the chief interest of oil men here, regardless of the amount of oil obtained in the horizon from which No. 1-A Cowden produces, the 2-A well is being drilled in search of another pay.

Before the increase in oil was encountered at 4,140 feet the oil spray was estimated at around 15 barrels daily. The oil was reported to be at only 28 gravity, while oil from No. 1-A Cowden, 3,630 feet farther north tests 32.8 gravity with 1.6 per cent sulphur, although it was reported to be only 29.8 gravity while the well was being drilled in. Gas in No. 2-A Cowden was estimated between 4,000,000 and 6,000,000 cubic feet. Following an increase at 4,045-50 feet it tested 7,300,000 cubic feet but declined somewhat. The first gas was picked up at 4,016 feet, being estimated from 25,000 to 100,000 cubic feet.

Puzzle: Can You Find Office Boy at Grandmother's Funeral?



The vast throng shown above is composed almost entirely of business men spending an afternoon in the dentist's chair, and office boys suddenly called away from duty because of the untimely death of many grandmothers. The date just happens to be today, April 14.

UPTON COUNTY COURTHOUSE ROW GROWS HOTTER

EL PASO, April 14.—The Eighth Court of Civil Appeals Saturday reversed the decision of the 83rd district court and dissolved the temporary injunction restraining an election in Upton county on the removal of the courthouse from Rankin to McCamey. Attorneys for the Rankin petitioners were expected to ask for a rehearing at once.

Unless the appeals court reverses itself or supreme court action is taken, voters of Upton county will vote on April 25 on removal of the courthouse. Copies of the opinion were mailed at once and motions on it are expected the first of the week. The case was argued before the court here Friday.

Playground Leaders Play in Afternoon

Leaders in the playground ball league, Texas Electric Service company and The Reporter-Telegram, will play the most interesting game of the season so far, this afternoon, 6 o'clock, at the high school diamond.

Hoover Urges Great Pan American Co-operation; Speaks Before League

WASHINGTON, April 14. (UP). President Hoover and Secretary of State Stimson joined today before the diplomatic corps of Latin-America in urging continued co-operation among the North, South and Central American republics.

Hoover's Address

I am glad to be your guest at this special session of the governing board of the Pan-American union which you are holding in honor of Pan-American day. I recently issued a proclamation, calling upon our people to give this day due observance, and this proclamation has received general approval.

In the latter part of 1928, I had the privilege of visiting eleven of the countries of Latin America. This visit made a deep and lasting impression upon me. It was inspiring to observe, at first hand, not only the progress that Latin America is making along social, economic and cultural lines, but also the important part which the countries you represent are destined to play in world affairs.

SMOKE IS FATAL IN CHICAGO

Relief Squads Hurry To Rescue; Cop Run Down

CHICAGO, April 14. (UP) Fifteen men were found alive today in a flaming sanitary district tunnel on the south-west side where 11 others were killed by clouds of poisonous smoke.

A policeman was killed by an ambulance as he was leaving the scene. He was the twelfth dead. The men released themselves from the tunnel. Two of the dead were firemen who went into the tunnel unprepared for the choking smoke. The others were laborers.

Shell President Resigns Today

ST. LOUIS, April 14. (UP)—U. De B. Daley, president of the Shell Petroleum corporation, has resigned, it was announced here.

Estelle and Jack Scrap for Divorce

HOLLYWOOD, April 14. (UP)—Estelle Taylor declared that she would contest Jack Dempsey's suit for divorce and would beat him to it by filing action here.

Hill Official Tax Association

County Judge M. R. Hill was elected a vice president of the Texas Tax association at Pecos Saturday, according to advice from that town.

Western Visitors to Be Shown Around

Visitors from San Diego, Arizona cities, El Paso, Pecos and other cities who will visit Midland Friday afternoon at 4:35 on their way to the Broadway of America Highway association convention at Hot Springs, Ark. will be officially welcomed by a special committee of the chamber of commerce.

Tells of Proration Wherefore

EDITOR'S NOTE: The writer of the following story has been in the East Texas fields and knows conditions there well. He writes for the Scripps-Howard syndicate and for NEA. He was in Midland this morning and gave the story to this newspaper.

BY NEWTON WORTHINGTON

LONGVIEW, April 14.—A man drilled a hole in the ground and the East Texas farmers became oil men. They were very happy. The new East Texas oil men met proration. They have been in a daze ever since. They don't know what it is all about. They have a bad headache and peculiar pains in the vicinity of the belt line.

A Counter View

On the other hand they listen to R. R. Penn, chairman of the central proration committee, or W. B. Hamilton, Wichita Falls oil operator, and are told that proration is the only thing which will save the new field and the industry as a whole. They are told by these gentlemen that without proration in effect they will have to tack a five-dollar bill on the head of every barrel of oil which is shipped out of East Texas.

If Market Goes Boom

What if it does smash the market? What difference does it make if oil goes down to a dime a barrel? They can sell ten barrels of oil to get a dollar just as easy as they could sell one barrel if the market was a dollar. What if it does hurt the fellow in West Texas or up in Oklahoma? That is his lookout. He had oil before they did and got his. They were starving to death when he was getting rich. Now they want to get rich. If the other fellow starves, well, that is too bad. They are sorry, but you see how it is, the fellow who has the most oil at the cheapest production cost is the lucky one.

That is what one of the East Texas oil men will tell you. Now you meet another and you ask him what it is all about, and he will stand right up on his hind legs and tell you that Carl Estes is all haywire. Estes is just taking advantage of a situation to get in the spotlight. Politics, that's it. Estes Political? Estes is going to run for office. He wants to be a judge. It is all a political play. Why should they play into Harry Sinclair's hands? That's the name you hear the most. Sinclair is out to corner the market at the expense of the East Texan. Oil will go down and down, and down. Sinclair will get all he needs and will stop buying. Then where will East Texas be? That's what this other man, this proration advocate, will tell you.

SPAIN TO BE REPUBLIC AND ZAMORA IS WANTED AS PRESIDENTIAL HEAD

Intense Excitement Rules Madrid, and in Provinces Pictures of King Burned; King to Remove to Paris

MADRID, April 14. (UP).—King Alfonso of Spain resigned today. Spain is to become a republic. Alcala Zamora, republican leader, is the popular choice for president.



King Alfonso of Spain

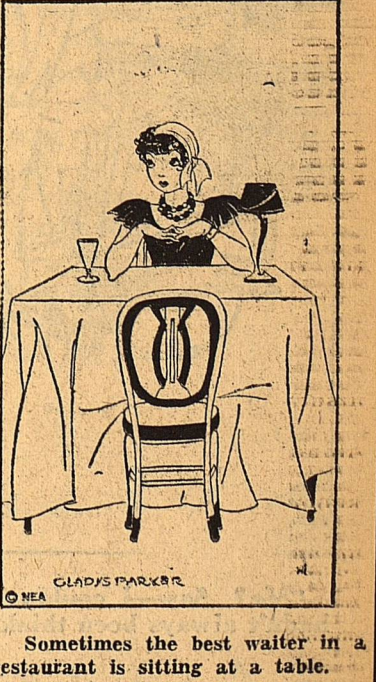
Eight Jurors for Whitaker Trial Chosen

CARTHAGE, April 14. (UP).—Eight jurors were selected for the trial Calvin Whitaker, 60, charged with the fatal shooting of Bobby Pierce, 30, here last September.

Three From Here On Rotary Program

Three Midland people are on the program for the district Rotary conference at Plainview next week. Mary Elizabeth Newman will sing and dance at the principal banquet which comes Monday night. She likely will appear on other programs given in honor of Rotary-Anns.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



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ADVERTISING AIDS PROSPERITY RETURN

Advertising pays. That has been uttered so frequently it is almost a platitude. From it has come the erroneous belief that only the advertiser benefits. It is far from the truth. It doesn't take into consideration that advertising as a whole is overwhelmingly honest.

You have a mill in the area in which you live, let us say. It employs 1000 in normal times. Now only 700 are working. Why? Because there is not the demand for its products. That demand can be increased by advertising, and men will go back to work. The entire community, as well as the employer, will benefit. Producers will become buyers, and the welfare of the whole people, from millionaire to laborer, will be affected.

In 1929, \$60,000,000 was spent to sell 5,358,000 cars, a cost for advertising of \$11 a car. Without advertising it is reasonable to assume many less cars would have been sold. Thousands, perhaps millions, employed in the automobile industry wouldn't have had a job. Steelworkers, tire manufacturers, paint producers—all would have been affected.

The analogy can be applied to department stores, other types of stores—to industry as a whole.

We save our teeth because we read of benefits of using a toothbrush. We play healthful sports because we see sporting equipment advertised and recommended. We furnish our homes attractively because we see attractive furniture advertised. And we are educated how to live more fully by advertising. And creating demands means that more men and women have jobs.

Just now, in a period of depression, there is buying caution. People are saving their money, in some cases because they aren't working and earning more, in others because of the fear of losing their jobs, in still others because they do not understand.

It would seem, regarding the matter from an unbiased viewpoint, that, since the average citizen reaps the greatest benefits, he should buy from the concerns which advertise. He should understand that it is one way he can help prosperity to return.

And more executives, realizing that advertising does pay in more ways than one, should insist on volume advertising. It means business for them. It means more work for employes. It means they are contributing something to aid return of prosperity.

"AN EYE FOR AN EYE"

The law of the savage is "an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth." It is the spirit of revenge carried to the point of reprisal.

It survives in America in some of our laws. In many states, he who kills his fellow-man must pay with his life if convicted of willful murder. This is nothing more than a primal law translated into modern usage. Perhaps it is the best method of punishing murderers.

The state of Michigan just said: "No, it is not!" The people voted down a proposition to re-establish capital punishment.

This has brought to the front again the old question of whether the death penalty prevents murders. Statistics on the matter are controversial. The significant fact is this: England and other countries have proved a high percentage of convictions is a deterrent. Their few murders, compared with the number in the United States, proves it.

Figures show that the number of murderers who actually pay the supreme penalty in this country each year is comparatively small. In fact the percentage of convictions for all classes of murder is much less than in England, for example.

To worry about capital punishment, then, at this time, would seem to be evading the issue. Before taking up the problem of "to kill or not to kill" in reprisal, as the savages did, it would be well to consider the more important problem of law enforcement and the certainty of some kind of punishment.

For we know realization by the slayer that he will probably be convicted, even though conviction may mean only imprisonment, strikes fear into his heart. That will prevent murders. That is the important result.

Side Glances by Clark



"Me? Say—I coulda been married years ago, if I hadn't always been thinkin' of my career."

Two Bits Launched Career Of Longworth's Successor

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON.—John Quillin Tilson found a quarter on the sidewalk one morning about 40 years ago and he regards that as the turning point in a life which has led him along the path of politics and power until he is now the man most likely to be Speaker of the house of representatives.

The republican floor leader was then a student of Yale, trying to work his way through. He had no job on which to keep going and not even money for breakfast. So he was hungry, discouraged and about ready to give up. But he found that quarter and bought himself a breakfast, after which he felt able to cope with the problems of life, and did.

Today Tilson is out in front in the contest to succeed the late Speaker Nicholas Longworth, but he is far from assured of that exalted position.

Administration's Choice Nevertheless, Tilson will be the administration choice and will be supported by a majority of republican congressmen. And the insurgents are likely to vote for him in exchange for liberalization of the house rules and better committee assignments, as they have after bitter contests in the past.

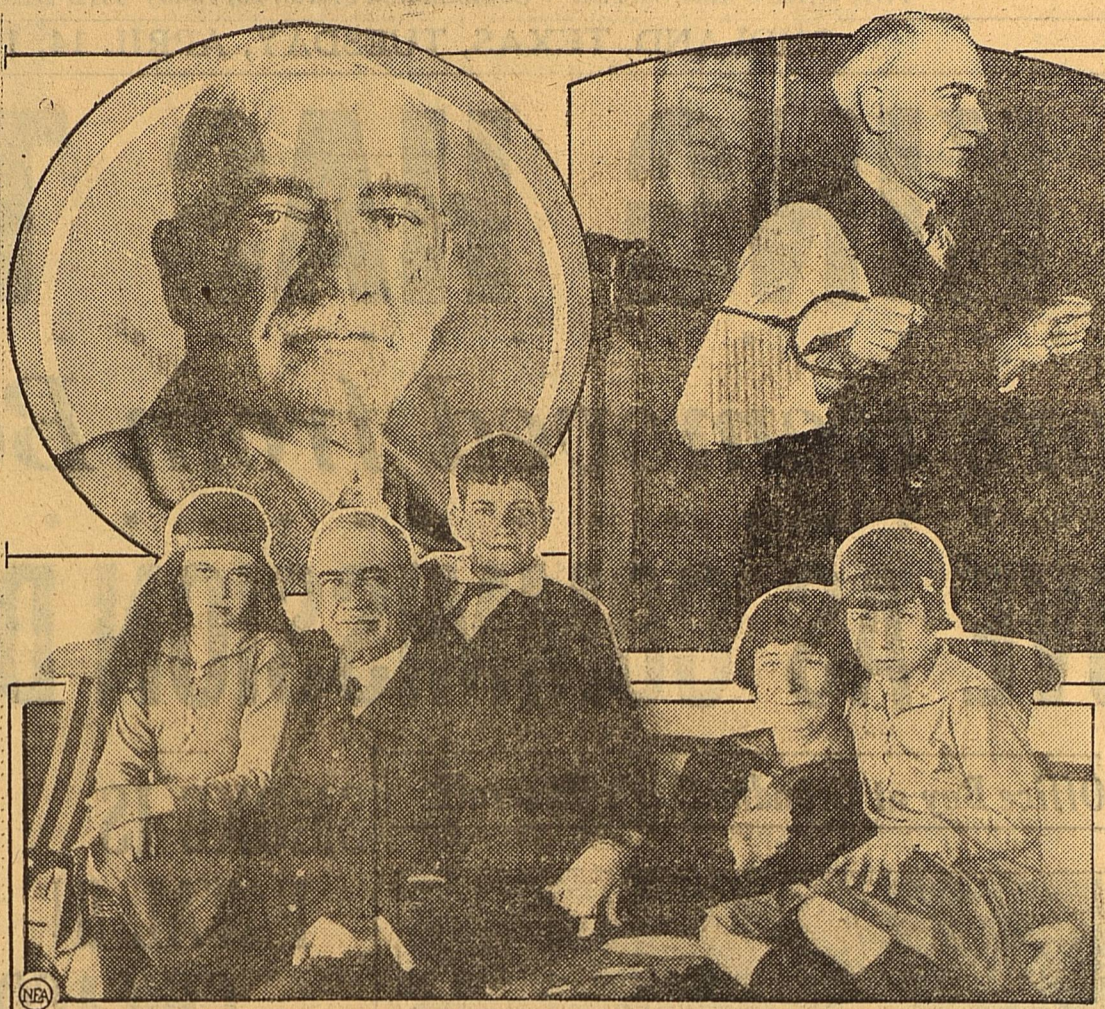
Tilson is one of President Hoover's most loyal and closest friends, distinctly conservative, invariably regular and thus well qualified to represent the administration in the speaker's chair. He is technically qualified because he is one of the most able parliamentarians in congress.

Whoever the next speaker may be, he will not equal Longworth in personal popularity, and so Tilson will not have as strong personal support for the job. As majority leader, however, he has been in a position to make many friends and few enemies; he was always sympathetic to well-behaved republican congressmen who fought favors and he always kept his word. He is much more popular, for instance, than Chairman Bert Snell of the rules committee, who may be a candidate for speaker.

Born in a log house—not a cabin—on a farm in the mountains of east Tennessee, Tilson broke away from home at 20 years of age, earned his education at university and law school and held his first major political post as speaker in the Connecticut legislature.

He became 65 years old this month and has always worked pretty hard. But he has a strong, wiry frame and bulks more than six feet tall. He stands straight and walks with a military stride. His moustache is closely cropped, his hair beginning to gray, and his eyebrows bushy.

The pockets of his trousers are tailored in front instead of on the sides. He likes to stand with both hands in them or, if speaking, with one hand in and the other holding out a paper. His other favorite oratorical gesture is to throw both arms into the air as if he were about to turn a back-handspring. He isn't much of an orator. His voice although good for radio purposes is high-pitched and when he becomes excited it is likely to go badly off key. He has a terrific



John Quillin Tilson . . . has a splendid military bearing . . . maintained by regular exercise . . . He is devoted to the family with which he is shown above. Left to right, Katharine, Rep. Tilson, John Q., Jr., Mrs. Tilson, and Margaret.

temper when aroused. Three Children Mrs. Marguerite Tilson, his wife, apparently untempted by capital social life, remains most of the time in Connecticut with the three children—Don, who is now at Yale; Peggy, at Smith College, and Katharine, who recently obtained an amateur radio license.

In summer Tilson goes off for fishing and other recreation with his family to their camp in New Hampshire, where he stays remote from telephones and railroads. Has Simple Tastes His tastes in life are modest and he is not anywhere near as socially active as Longworth was. Instead of being born with a silver spoon, as was the late speaker, he began life on a rugged, hilly farm from which he had to walk three miles daily to school. Tenacious preacher, political candidates and other travelers often stopped at the Tilson house and interested him in the outside world. He heard about Yale from Alf Taylor, later governor of Tennessee.

He worked his way north and the most important job that helped him through Yale was a position in a newspaper's circulation department. After he had entered a law firm in New Haven, Yale gave him the management of its dining hall. He became very successful at law.

Military Experience He was in the Connecticut National Guard and it became evident in 1898 that his outfit would not be called for service, so he joined a Tennessee unit as second lieutenant of infantry.

Now they call him "the colonel" because he stayed in the national guard and commanded the Second Tennessee infantry at the Mexican border in 1916.

He was elected to the Connecticut Assembly in 1904 and became speaker in his second term. He has always been a close student of parliamentary procedure, serving frequently and ably as presiding officer in the house. Last fall he lectured at Yale on parliamentary law.

Despite opposition from J. Henry Rorabeck's machine, he has been in congress since 1909 except for the first two years of Wilson's administration. The machine licked him a couple of years ago, however, when he sought the senatorial nomination.

Army ordnance has been Tilson's main legislative hobby. There are important 1-year companies in his district. He went abroad after the war to study ordnance problems and his wartime speeches on the subject were given the unusual distinction of being printed as a house document. He became interested in standardization through its relation to national defense and fathered the National Screw Thread commission.

Tilson is an ardent wet and a liberal on the question of immigration. As President Hoover is dry, Tilson soft-pedals his feelings on prohibition down here, but his interest in the large Italian population of his district has been conspicuous enough to warrant his decoration by the King of Italy.

MARRIAGE MART HIT LONDON.—The business depression has hit the marriage market and the incomes of vicars, clerks and organists are suffering as a result. Rev. C. E. Peopole, of Christ Church, reports. Bad business conditions are making it impossible for young people to marry, he says.

Daily Washington Letter By Rodney Dutcher

More Wage Cuts Were Made in First Two Months of 1931 Than in Any Similar Period During Depression Year of 1930—One Worker Out of 15 Hit, Figures Show

WASHINGTON.—The real story behind the recent excitement about wage-cutting, in which President Hoover first was represented as feeling deeply concerned and then represented himself as not being concerned at all, is that the first couple of months of this year were accompanied by a far larger proportion of wage-cutting than in any two months of the depression year of 1930.

The government's best figures on wage cuts, quite incomplete but at the same time obviously indicative of general trends, showed that the number of workers in manufacturing plant affected by wage cuts as reported for January and February was four times as large as the monthly average for 1930.

At the same time, the important thing about the wage situation is

that wage-cutting has been practiced only to a minor extent as compared with the much greater ratio of unemployment, part-time employment and the reduction of the American worker's average annual wage caused by those two factors.

Wages Last to Fall The threat to wage scales, however, will continue to increase along with the pressure of sentiment for wage cuts until there is a definite pickup from the depression. In most past slumps, wages have been the last factor in production costs to fall and the last to increase with the return of prosperity. The fact that wages have not fallen in any wholesale way after 15 or 16 months of depression presumably is in large part due to a strengthened conviction in industry that lower wages mean decreased consuming power and consequently tend to make matters worse. But lately it has begun to appear as if there might be a race in progress between the return of prosperity and the day when a large section of industry would go back to previous practice.

The widely published story emanating from "friends of the president" indicated plainly enough that someone very close to him was worrying a lot about the situation. Just what was indicated by Hoover's subsequent assertion that there was nothing to worry about is still not quite clear.

Cite Lower Living Cost But the incident at least called general attention to the government's own figures on wage-cutting and to increasing demands by certain bankers and certain others for general reductions which would adjust wages to fallen commodity prices. Those who argue for wage

cuts contend that they can be effected fairly because the cost of living is lower. The Department of Labor has figured that the cost of living dropped 6 1/2 per cent between December, 1929, and December, 1930, but the wage cuts reported to it thus far have averaged 10 per cent.

Some 203,000 employes in manufacturing industries had been affected by wage cuts reported to the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the 14 months ended February 15, half of them in the last four months of the period. There were 43,000 persons affected by wage cuts in January and 39,000 in February. High months of 1930 were 25,000 in August and 20,000 in July.

More than 203,000 persons have had wages cut, however. Workers in plants making the monthly report represent less than 10 per cent of American wage and salary earners.

Some May Not Report Some establishments may cut wages without reporting it and various methods of camouflage have been reported by which wage cuts are effected without being called that. The fact that 200,000 of 3,000,000 manufacturing workers have had their wages cut means one worker out of 15. But there is no way to estimate a total of those affected unless one arbitrarily supposes that the same proportion of 45,000,000 gainfully employed persons have suffered, the result of which probably is much too high.

Wages paid in 1930 dropped to \$35,750,000 from \$44,600,000 in 1929, it has been estimated by the Standard Statistics Company, leaving out government employes and agricultural workers. The average annual wage per worker dropped from \$1700 to \$1580.

The Town Quack



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

I am getting so lazy that I'll not even labor under a delusion. I do not blame myself for feeling that way.

It's a fact that most of us are interested in ourselves. If you don't believe it, just go to a strange city, pick up a newspaper and see how much news there is that interests you.

It has been truthfully said that few jobs are as difficult as finding the right adjectives with which to admire a new baby.

I have been exceptionally embarrassed many times in my life by not being able to say just the right words when looking at the new pride of the house.

It has often been said that great men love and admire little children. I still maintain that I am a great man.

Most people are happier than the reformers and philosophers who are trying to lead them out of their misery.

I have been told that few families ever invest in their second bowl of goldfish. I know of cases when folks didn't even invest in the initial bowl—even after terrible crashes.

I am sending out a gentle warning to killers of rats. There is a group of white rats in town. They are as gentle as a picture of the setting sun. These rats are mourning the loss of one of their number after an excited neighbor of Taylor Long's let a broom suddenly connect with one of the pets.

Now let's be sensible about killing rats. First ask one of the rodents if he is tame and belongs to somebody. If he has a name and is tame, ask him in to have a dish of cheese with you. If not, get your shotgun out and blow hell out of him.

Daily Health Talk

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

"COFFEE AND SINKERS," DIET OF POOR, IS NOT SUFFICIENT

Thick Soup, Fresh Fruit, Green Vegetables and Milk Are Needed, Declares Doctor

In times of economic depression when many people are without income from work, it becomes necessary to establish bread lines in order to provide them with food and what are technically known as "flap houses" as a place of shelter.

For years the standard diet in the bread line has been coffee and sinkers. Unfortunately this is in no sense of the word a competent diet. Although a human being can live on a diet of coffee and sinkers for some time, he begins promptly to develop the symptoms of deficiency of some of the vitamins.

Thus it is already reported from several metropolitan centers that the inhabitants of Hoboemia are appearing in the clinics with early manifestations of scurvy and pellagra.

As has been known for some years, a diet which is largely deficient in vitamin C leads to the manifestations of scurvy. A diet that is deficient in one of the portions of vitamin B leads promptly to the manifestations of pellagra.

If the standard coffee and sinkers could be replaced by a thick vegetable soup and a certain amount of fresh fruit or leafy green vegetables, if the coffee could be replaced by at least a half-pint of milk, many of these disturbances would be avoided. Unfortunately the members of the bread line have learned to love their coffee and sinkers. They like the stimulation of the coffee, the sweet taste and the filling effect of the doughnuts. Whether or not they can be edu-

Officer Says Times Are Much Better

The highway police barometer for hard times indicates that the present depression is passing.

Highway police depend on the number of hobos and transients they see on the roads to tell them how the times are throughout the country.

Capt. Allan Falby of El Paso says that hobo travelers have fallen off more than 50 per cent. The exodus to California and the western states has been cut more than half, he says.

Falby says a change toward the better in business conditions and employment throughout the country is responsible for the present condition, he believes.

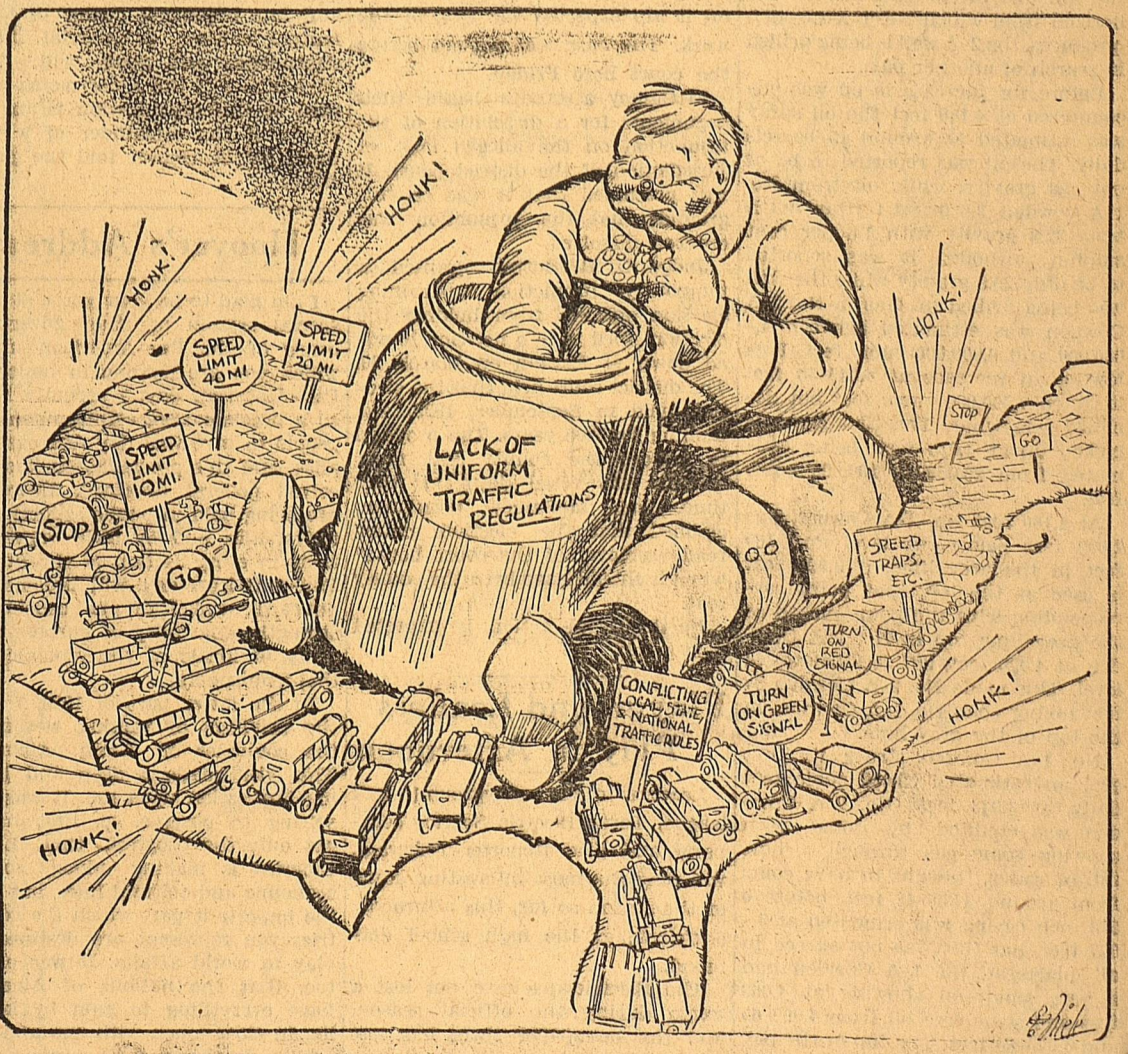
"Hundreds of persons who flocked to California from the east in search of work, when the depression reached its height, have gone back home," he said. "They spread the work of conditions there, and only a moderate number of hitch-hikers and transients are headed for California now."

THE DANGER OF SLEEP

KNOXVILLE, Tenn.—You're not safe even when you are asleep in this day and age, Henry Anderson opines. He took a nap recently and woke up in great pain. He went to the hospital and an examination showed his shoulder had slipped out of joint. It is thought that a quick turn in his sleep wrenched the shoulder out of its socket.

A machine has been invented to slice loaves of bread as they leave the opens in large bakeries, the slices being sealed in waxed-paper packages for sale. This is said to save the waste of stale bread.

A Traffic Jam We're Getting Fed Up On!



STICKERS

4x4 grid of numbers: 2, 9, 5, 6; 15, 7, 16, 3; 12, 14, 10, 11; 8, 4, 1, 13

The numbers in the squares that the straight line passes through, total 68. What is the largest possible score you can make by drawing a straight line and then adding the numbers in the squares that it passes through?

SOCIAL NEWS PAGE FOR WOMEN

Student Loan Fund Studied in Program Of Circles A and B

"The Student Loan Fund and the Rainbow of Promise" composed the programs of both Circle A and B of the Presbyterian auxiliary Monday afternoon.

Fifteen women attended the Circle A meeting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Crabb.

At the meeting of Circle B which was held in the home of Mrs. Andrew Fasken...

Delicious desserts were served to 15 guests by Mrs. Fasken and Mrs. Joseph Seymour, co-hostess.

World Peace Book Started at Meeting Of Methodist Women

Beginning a study of the book, "Turn Toward World Peace," which will be completed in four continuous Monday meetings...

Attend Institute The Rev. and Mrs. Howard Peters of the First Christian church were in Colorado Monday evening attending a Bible institute conducted by Dr. Tyndall.

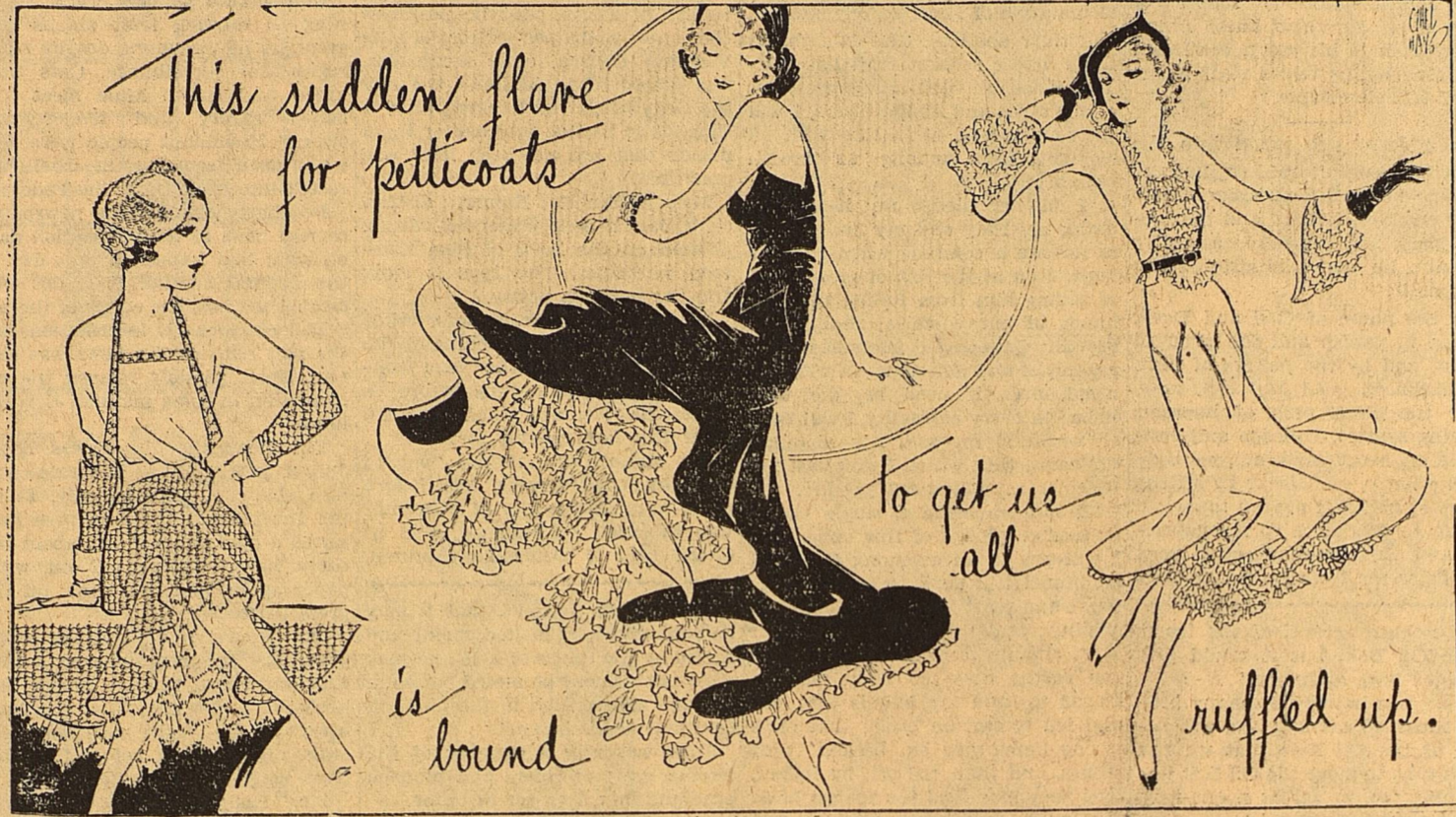
Mmes. A. Harry Anderson, R. C. Crabb, Lloyd Martin, W. G. Whitehouse, Joe Seymour, F. E. Cragin, W. B. Royer, J. A. Finlayson, G. A. Sundquist, John G. Gossett, J. M. DeArmond and Thomas D. Murphy are in Big Spring today attending the annual Presbyterian.

Pot Plants and Cut Flowers Large assortment just received. Red Cross Pharmacy & Floral Shop

SOUTHLAND GREYHOUND LINES, INC. DAILY SCHEDULES. East Bound 1:50 A.M., 10:45 A.M., 2:00 P.M., 6:30 P.M. Vest Bound 4:45 A.M., 11:55 A.M., 2 P.M.

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—by Hays Baptist Circles Study Mission Books At Monday Meetings

Mission study lessons were conducted in each of the Baptist W. M. U. circles Monday afternoon. "Signal Fires on the Mountains" was the new book started in the Lockett circle which met at the church.

Nominating Committee Selects New Officers

Mrs. George Ratliff, Mrs. E. C. Adams and Mrs. H. H. Meeks comprise the nominating committee named by Mrs. A. B. Anderson to select new officers for the Reijart circle at a meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. H. Meeks.

Garvice Dockray Weds Lubbock Girl At Home Ceremony

The marriage of Miss Sue Bryan of Lubbock and Mr. Garvice Dockray, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Dockray, formerly of Midland, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryan in Lubbock Saturday morning.

Will Live in Hobbs

The young couple left immediately after the wedding for a short wedding journey in New Mexico and later will be at home in Hobbs where Mr. Dockray is in the insurance business.

Women Attend Conference in San Angelo Three Days

Three Midland women of the First Methodist church are among the 200 delegates at the twenty-first annual session of the Woman's Missionary Society of the West Texas Conference in San Angelo this week.

Recipes From the Cooking School

White Cake 1 cup Dairyland sweet cream butter, 2 cups granulated sugar, 1 1-4 cups sweet milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 4 cups Gladiola flour, 5 level teaspoons K. C. Baking powder, 8 egg whites

Chocolate Icing 1 box powdered sugar, 6 tablespoons cocoa, 1-4 pound Dairyland butter

Cake to use egg yolks left from white cake: 1 1-2 cups sugar, 2-3 cup Snowdrift, 3-4 teaspoon Morton's salt, 3 egg yolks

Announcements

WEDNESDAY Play Readers club meets with Mrs. P. A. Robertson, 714 West Storey at 3:30. Mrs. A. L. Bollens will read.

THURSDAY Bien Amigos club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. D. Ruse at 3 o'clock.

FRIDAY Belmont Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Hudman at 3:30.

SUNDAY West Zone of the Associational B. Y. P. U. meets at the Valley View church at 3 o'clock.

Guy Cowden is in from his ranch for a few days on business.

John Patrick Kenney and Leon O. Lewis of the Roger Smith and company are in Midland on business today.

Mrs. Al Ladner and daughter and Mrs. George Woodward were shoppers in Midland Monday afternoon.

Frank Lowland of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Houston, this week.

MISS CHATTERTON IN "3-IN-1" ROLE

A "triple characterization," the first to be portrayed by one player in the history of the screen, is enacted by Ruth Chatterton in the new Paramount vehicle, "The Right to Love."

Library Circulation Increase in Month Of March

County library circulation for the month of March reached 9465 volumes, a gain of 1008 over the previous month. The circulation in the county stations nearly doubled that of February.

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Seventy-five years ago tomatoes were called "love apples," and were cultivated for ornament, not for food.

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OLD FACES MISSING AS '31 BASEBALL SEASON GETS UNDER WAY

SCENES SHIFT AS ALEXANDER AND OTHERS OUT

By WILLIAM BRAUCHER, NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK—Faces of the heroes of other years vanish from the picture, as year by year new players come to the big leagues.

LAST YEAR

This is how the big league teams finished last year:

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	102	52	.662
Washington	94	60	.610
New York	86	68	.553
Cleveland	82	73	.526
Detroit	75	79	.487
St. Louis	64	90	.416
Chicago	62	92	.403
Boston	52	102	.338

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Club	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	92	62	.597
Chicago	90	64	.584
New York	87	67	.565
Brooklyn	86	68	.558
Pittsburgh	80	74	.519
Boston	70	84	.455
Cincinnati	59	95	.383
Philadelphia	52	102	.338

without George Sisler. One of the greatest pitchers who ever lived, and one of the finest first basemen have given way to the big leagues' constant call for youth.

Several promising young players are getting their first taste of competition in the big show this season. One of them, Johnny Vergez, brought from the Pacific Coast League to fill the gap at third base for the New York Giants following the transfer of Fred Lindstrom to the outfield, is hailed as a find by John McGraw.

Joe Vosmik, who led the Blue Ridge and Three-Eye leagues in batting during the last two years, is breaking in with the Cleveland Indians, as an understudy to Charley Jamieson, the aging left fielder of the Tribe.

Another Burns There is usually someone named Burns playing for one of the big league teams. A few years ago George Burns, playing first for the Indians, set a season's record for two-base hits. This year, Jack Burns, a left-handed first baseman, joins the Browns. Manager Bill Killefer personally scouted young Jack at Wichita Falls in the Texas League toward the close of last season, and has placed his stamp of approval in the player.

Mickey Heath, from the Coast League, is expected to add strength to the Cincinnati Reds. Manager Dan Howley had Heath with him at Toronto several years ago, and Heath was instrumental in winning a pennant for that team. He is a first baseman.

Ernest Lombardi, also from the Coast League, joins the Robins' catching staff, composed of Lopez and Picinich. Lombardi is said to wield a wicked bat, and Uncle Robbie probably will let him have some experience at pinch-hitting and re-

SPORTS REPORTS

One of those visitors who was a newspaperman but who evidently doesn't understand the meaning of "dead line" was in the greater part of the morning and, as a result, we must give you a column written by surrounding area writers—but a column better than our daily stint.

First comes the description of Coach Barry as penned by Blondy Cross of San Angelo: "The dopesters have not been figuring Midland as more than an outside chance to go places in this new circuit. It may do well to choose up and guess again. The Midland team has a staunch court-room orator in its coach, L. K. Barry. We learned a lot about Midland Saturday as we sat and listened to the Midland mentor's forensics in the schedule session. We do not know how much of a football master-mind the man is, but we know he is quite an orator, even a better public speaker than the big boy bandit. Midland may not beat anybody on the football field, but we'll lay you a wager that if the opposition isn't sharply on its guard the Midland coach will talk 'em out of it so rapidly they won't know from what direction the gale blew up."

Boyce House inserts a few qualifying points at law in matters relating to transfer of gridsters: "It will be recalled that Jinx Tucker of Waco advocates a rule that a boy shall be eligible for football only at the high school in which he first enrolls and that I went further and insisted that a rule be adopted that a boy shall be allowed to play football only in the town in which he was born and that it might be well to add that his father and grandfather must have been born in that town, too. An objection has been raised that as a boy has two grandfathers, the rule should stipulate that both his grandfathers, as well as his father and himself, were born in the town. The author gladly accepts the amendment."

Cross avers: "Hobo Carson, San Angelo's lone entry in professional baseball, is said to be the likely nominee to pitch the opening game for San Antonio in Galveston Thursday when the Texas League hops off."

"Football officials in conclave in San Angelo Saturday chose B. H. McClain, Sweetwater's firecracker and eligibility room dynamite stick, as chairman of the district. The noble brethren are wiser than some people have credited them. They caught McClain off guard. They slipped the package to him when he wasn't there to defend himself. They put him in a spot where he is last likely to cause any explosion."

Mel Simons is expected to fill an outfield berth for the White Sox. Donie Bush says the young man looks as though he would make the grade. These are but six of the promising rookies who have come up this year to attempt to take the places of fading stars.

Canada to Ask Their Deaths



These are the first women ever to face execution in Montreal: Carmen Lefebvre, above, and Amy Irish, below. The Crown plans to ask death for them as well as for two men who were with them when a taxi company cashier was shot to death in a hold-up.

McClain as chairman will sit and listen while the others do the talking.

Robert McBurnett plunked out a golf score at the San Angelo Country club Saturday that should be brought to the attention of Mr. Robert Ripley. McBurnett banged out nine consecutive 5's. What is more they were all made on one nine-hole set, the back nine, that is, they did not overlap from, say, number 7 through 15. His aggregate score was 37-45-82.

"Two of the San Angelo country club's feminine golfers have broken 50 on nine holes for the first time Mrs. Bill Hemphill came in yesterday with a sassy 49, Mrs. George Bailey produced a 49 earlier in the week.

"Boyce House, the Ranger expert, tells us there was only one transfer on the Ranger football team last fall. House and the eligibility record submitted to the Oil Belt executive committee do not agree. Anyhow, there was only one transfer (Chuck Bird), according to House, so the Waco sports writer apparently is very unfair in the derogatory publicity he has given the district about transfer athletes. The following paragraphs were clipped from the Abilene Mornings News.

"From the typewriter of Jinx Tucker, the Waco scribe, we have the following: 'We would suggest that the Oil Belt school authorities insert a rookie rule in their district. They should get together and pass a rule making each school use at least five home grown products in its regular lineup. That, of course,

JESSE JAMES AS I KNEW HIM

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Uncle Bob Crowley was a boyhood friend of Jesse James, notorious robber of later day. He also knew Frank James. This is his story, continued from Monday, as told a staff member of this newspaper.)

When Jesse was taken into the Quantrell gang of raiders, he was so young he needed no razor. There under smoking torches and the terrible black flag of the avenging chieftain, he was administered the awful oath:

"In the name of God and Devil, the one to punish and the other to reward, and by the powers of light and darkness, good and evil, here, under the black arch of heaven's avenging symbol, I pledge and consecrate my heart, my brain, my body and my limbs, and swear by all the powers of hell and heaven to devote my life to obedience to my superiors; and that no danger or peril shall deter me from executing their orders; that I will exert every possible means in my power for the extermination of Federals, Jayhawkers, and their abettors, that in fighting those whose serpent trail has winnowed the fair fields and possessions of our allies and sympathizers, I will show no mercy, but strike with an avenging arm, so long as breath remains.

"I further pledge my heart, my brain, my body and my limbs never to forsake a comrade when there is hope, even at the risk of great peril, of saving him from falling into the hands of our enemies; that I will sustain Quantrell's guerrillas with my might and defend them with my blood, and, if need be, die with them; in every extremity I will never withhold my aid, nor abandon the cause with which I now cast my fortunes, my honor and my life.

"Before violating a single clause or implied pledge of this obligation, I will pray to an avenging God and an unmerciful devil to tear out my heart and roast it over the flames of sulphur; that my head may be split open and my brains scattered over the earth; that my body may be ripped up and my bowels torn out and fed to carrion birds; that each of my limbs may be broken with stones, and then cut off, by inches, that they may feed the foulest birds of the air; and, lastly, may my soul

Assumption Wrong; Valuable Paper Here

The assumption of H. B. Carroll, instructor in history at the University of Texas, that he possesses the only wallpaper editor of the Vicksburg Citizen, daily newspaper, was disproved in Midland the day the story of Carroll having "what is thought to be the only one of these papers that has not been lost" was published.

Mrs. Nettie C. Romer, district clerk, has a well preserved edition printed on the back of blue flowered wallpaper. The type is clear and the paper is newsy.

The proprietor, Mr. Swords, writes in an incisive manner, telling of the "fools," Yankees, "who are encamped with their guns before us across the river and think they can enter this impregnable fortress."

But the paper was not "put to bed" by Confederates for, before going to press, the city of Vicksburg was captured by Federals, just as Grant said it would be captured.

It is given unto torment, that it may be submerged in melted metal and stifled by the fumes of hell, and may this punishment be meted out to me through all eternity, in the name of God and devil. Amen."

Jesse was now a member of the terrible gang of riders and plunged headlong into a career of crime. (To Be Continued)

and the Federals ate beefsteak on the same table where Jo Johnson had been eating mink meat.

Several amusing incidents were related in the paper. Confederate soldiers were being led to ransack fruit stands and groceries in Vicksburg, despite strict regimental surveillance. Cats were killed and eaten. Mule meat was called "savory and tender and sweet." Prominent people were listed as dead from bursting shells directed into the city by the Federals.

Peculiarly enough, the newspaper carried news of the publication date on what had happened that day in the Federal capital. It is not well established how the editor of the besieged city got his information, but the fact remains the news was correct. Spies possibly relayed the information in some manner, it is believed.

The newspaper issue was dated July 2, 1863, and the Federals came into the city, triumphantly, found the sheet about to go to press, inserted a note of their own about the sheet never coming out on wallpaper again, and ran it off on the press themselves.

Mrs. Romer was given the newspaper last summer while on a visit with parents of Charles Romer, her husband, in Neenah, Wis. Her husband's uncle fought with the Federals, one of them before the high river bank at Vicksburg.

Mrs. Romer has another paper even more famous than the Vicks-

burg sheet, an assassination of President Lincoln edition of the New York Herald. The make-up is singularly different from that of today, wide "gloomy" rules being used on every column rather than the conventional border rule.

Both papers have great value.

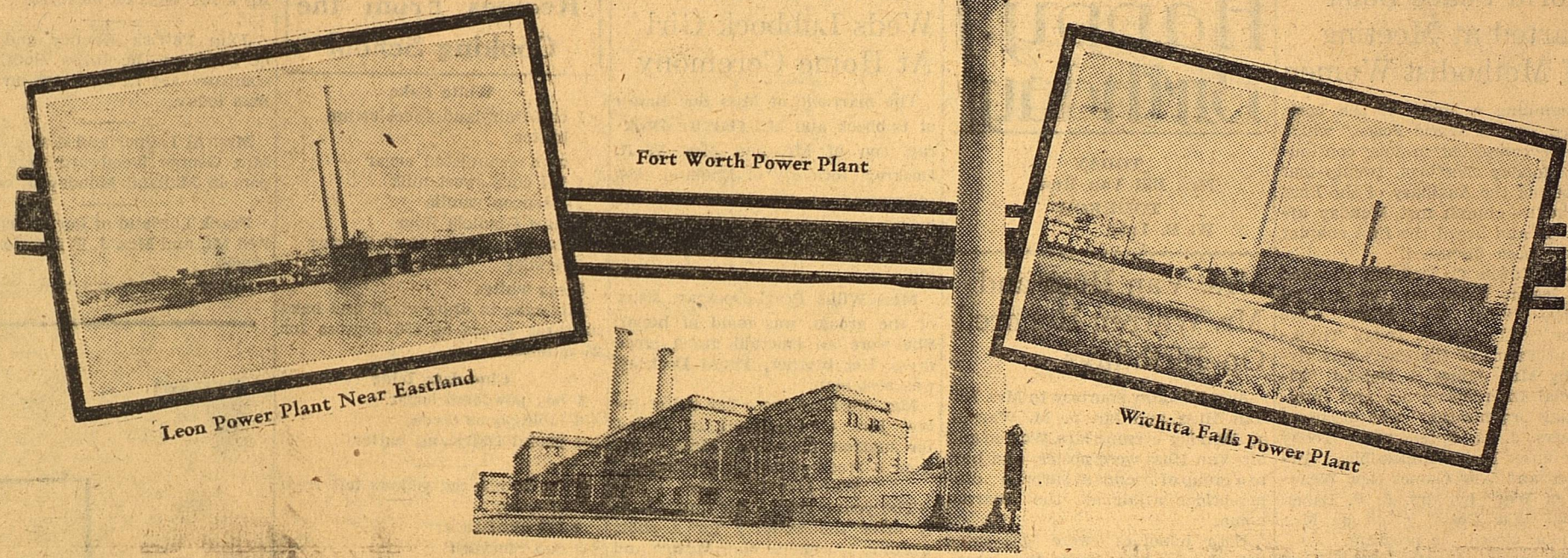
DENY DOCTORS AUTOS

HAMILTON, Bermuda.—Bermuda, the island on which no automobiles are allowed, still sticks to the law prohibiting the motor vehicle, despite numerous petitions from doctors for cars. Recently the lower house of the legislature passed a bill allowing doctors cars, but the higher house ruled the act out. The only motor vehicles now on the island are fire apparatus, ambulances and rubbish trucks.

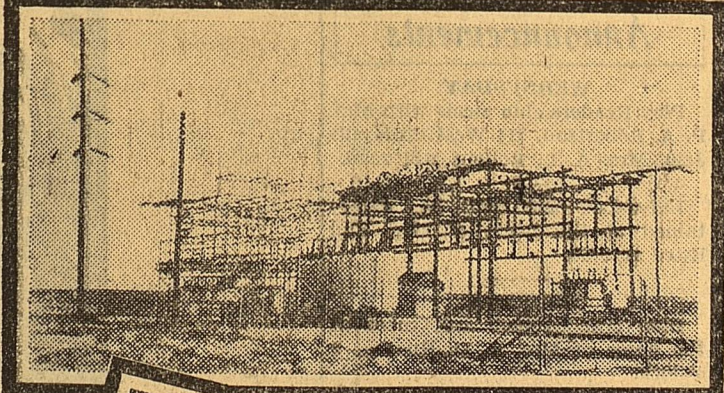
GOLF MATCH STYMIED

LOS ANGELES.—George W. Leiby, 62, met Mrs. Jessie M. Leiby, 40, on a miniature golf course. And so they were married. But the frail ship of matrimony was wrecked in court here when Mrs. Leiby applied for a divorce. She said that she spent a kissless honeymoon with her husband. And who wants a husband who won't part with even a tiny kiss?

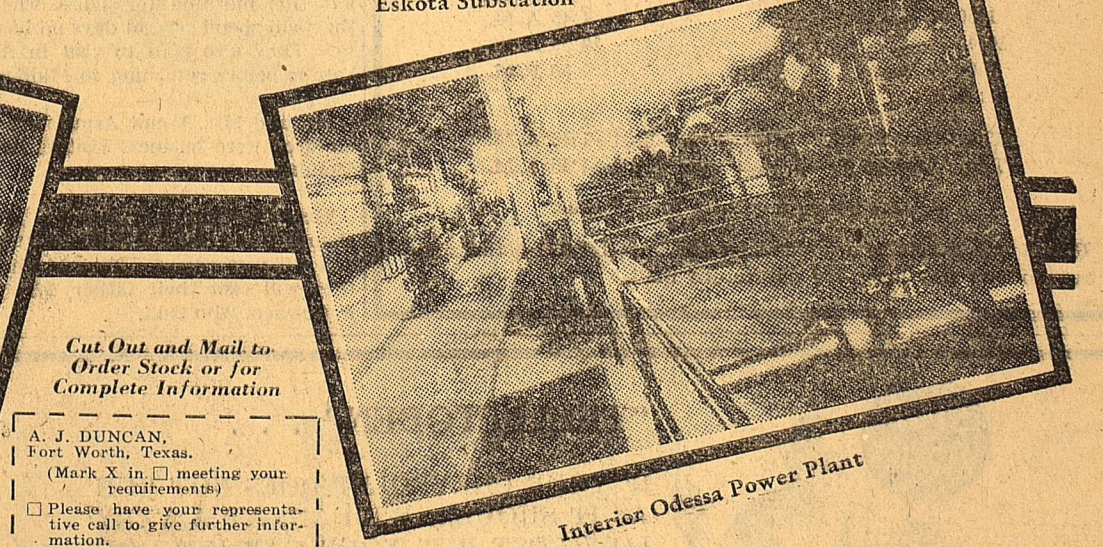
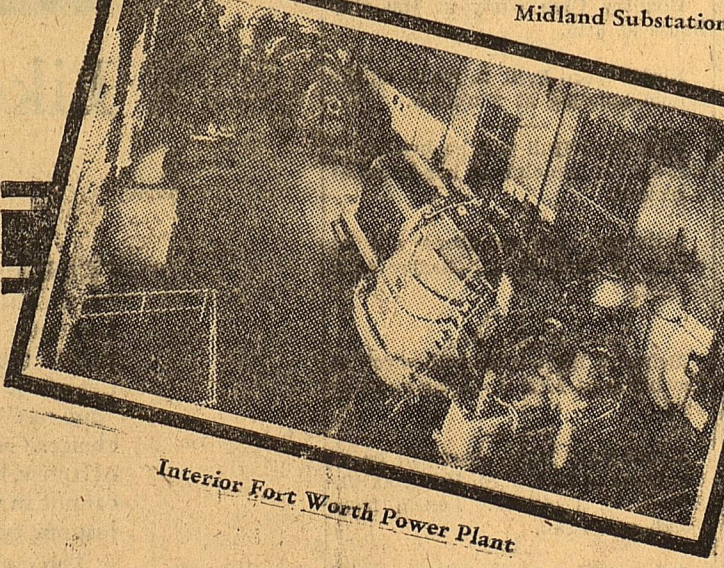
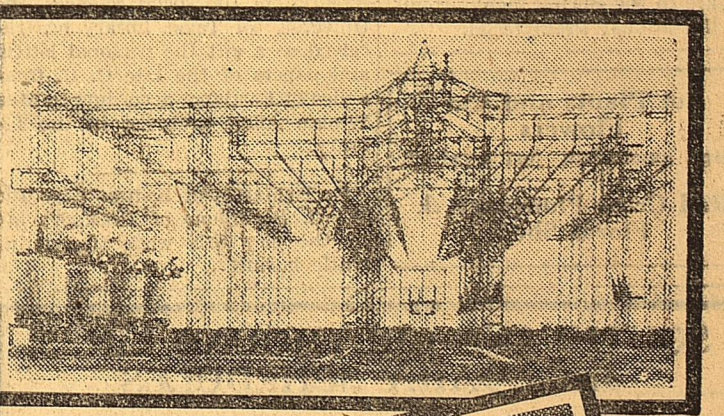
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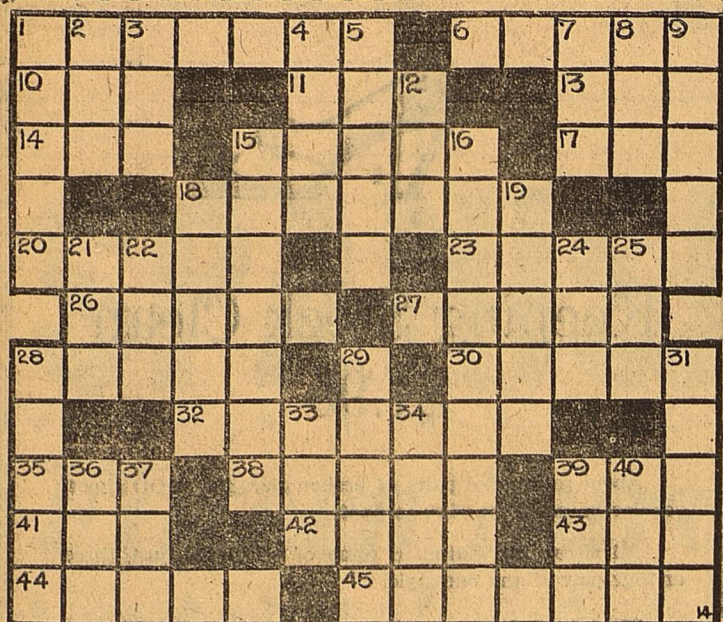
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Muscle Shoals Question

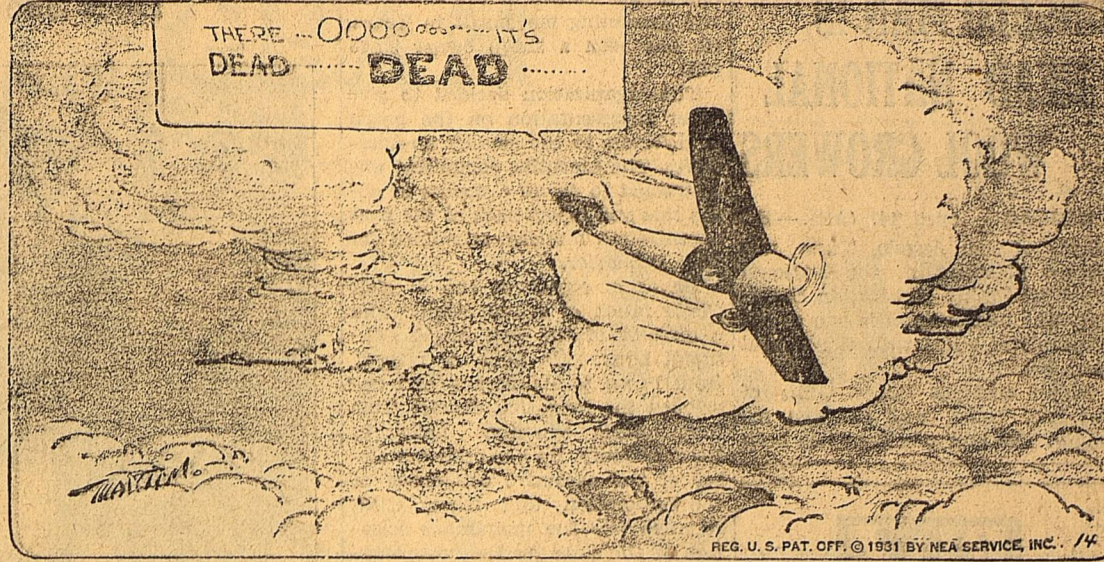
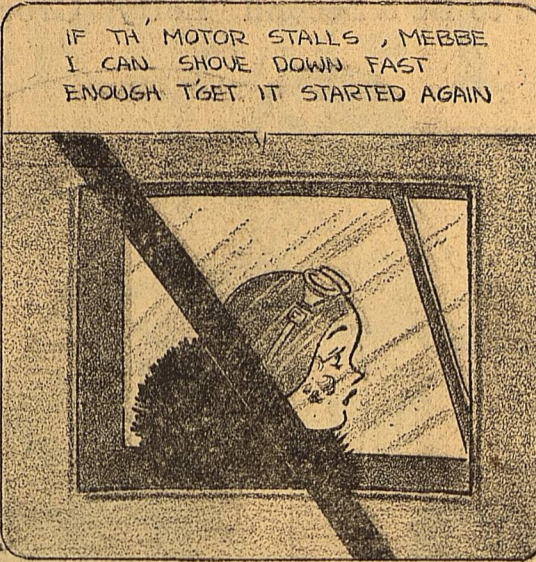


HORIZONTAL
 1 One of the first Soviet leaders.
 6 Muscle Shoals is a plant built to supply fertilizer and —.
 10 To assist.
 11 Cluster of wool fibers.
 13 Since.
 14 Insane.
 15 Scorches.
 17 Sailor of the American Navy.
 18 Heavy.
 20 Path between rows of seats.
 23 Charles.
 26 Jockey.
 27 Healer.
 28 Rhythm.
 30 To equip with weap-

VERTICAL
 2 Canyon?
 3 City in Florida.
 4 Inlet.
 5 Queer.
 6 Leg joint.
 7 Twelve months (Pl.).
 8 Joker.
 9 Garments.
 12 — and con?
 13 Jeered.
 16 Seams.
 18 Elder.
 19 Ulcers.
 21 Wrath.
 22 To perch.
 24 Beverage.
 25 To sin.
 28 Coal digger.
 29 The eye-lashes.
 31 The food supplied by Heaven to the starving Israelites (Bib.).
 33 Tanner's vessel.
 34 Prophet.
 36 Reverence.
 37 Tiny green vegetable.
 39 One and one.
 40 Epoch.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER
 COMA, CART, RIVAL, AVAIL, ROTATE, BEGGAR, ABELE, BREEVE, WED, STINT, RAP, EGO, LAW, SNORT, ERA, AGILE, TROPER, REVIVE, SALINE, DEFER, EDICT, SERIF, TEDS

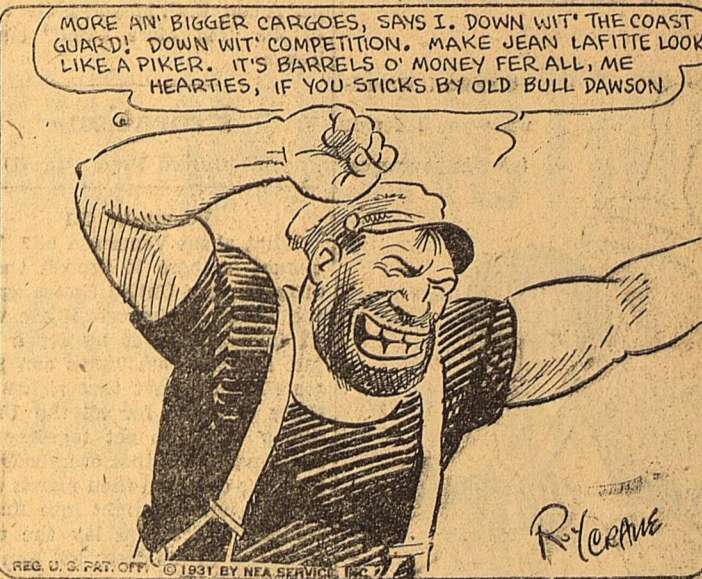
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



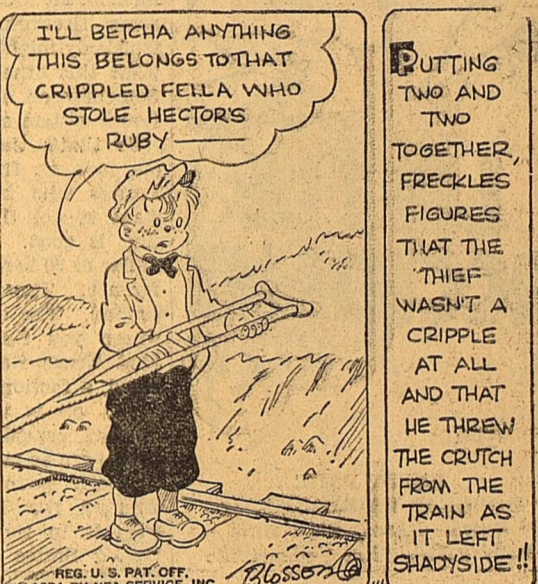
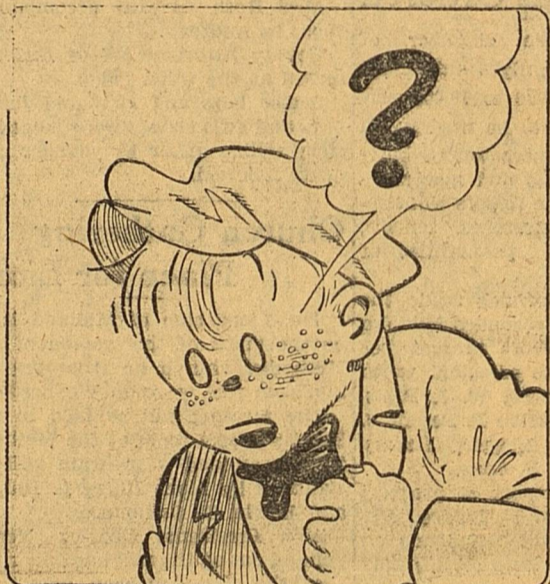
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Mrs. Gertrude Cummings, El Paso, was granted a divorce in 65th district court from Lester A. Cummings. She testified she was unable to sleep at night, and her health was impaired when he unjustly accused her of associating with other men, and squandering his money. They were married in 1907, and separated Nov. 12, 1930. They have one daughter.

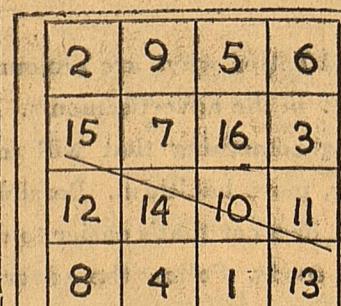
Lay Pipelines for Gas to San Angelo

SAN ANGELO—San Angelo will begin using gas from the deep wells at Texon by May 1, if weather and conditions are favorable. A. T. Knies, vice-president of the Texas Public Service Co., of Austin, has announced.

Approximately 18 miles of pipe line have been laid and more than 400 men are at work at several different points of the new pipe line.

A committee studying the utilization of lumber in the United States report that some industries waste as much as 30 and 40 per cent of their raw materials.

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LOST — Brown envelope purse between home of Mrs. Holman and home of Mrs. Rayburn. Contained small change. Please leave at Reporter-Telegram. 30-1P

FOUND: Keytainer with four keys. Owner call at Reporter-Telegram and pay for this classified. 30-32

FOUND: Pair black kid gloves, size 7 1/4. Apply Reporter-Telegram and pay for this classified. 30-32

2. For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE: Household goods, used only six months. Phone 375. 28-3P

FOR SALE: Windsor gas range, in good condition. 604 North Mainfield. 31-4Z

3. Apartments

NICEST furnished apartment in town for the money. Phone 68. 28-3P

FOR RENT: Attractive furnished apartment, private bath, garage, utilities furnished. Phone 138. 29-3Z

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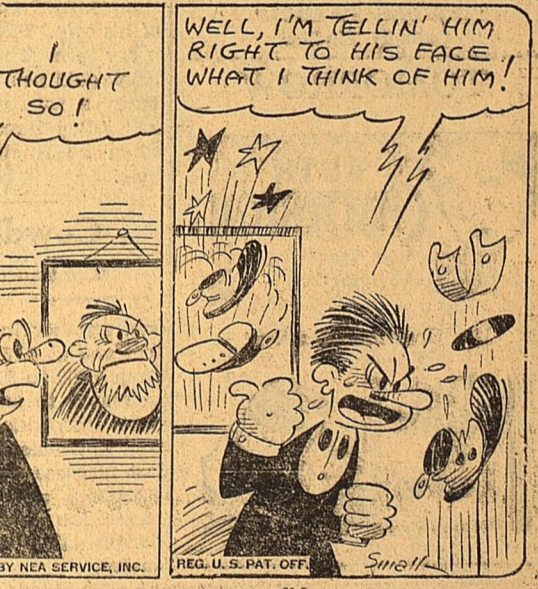
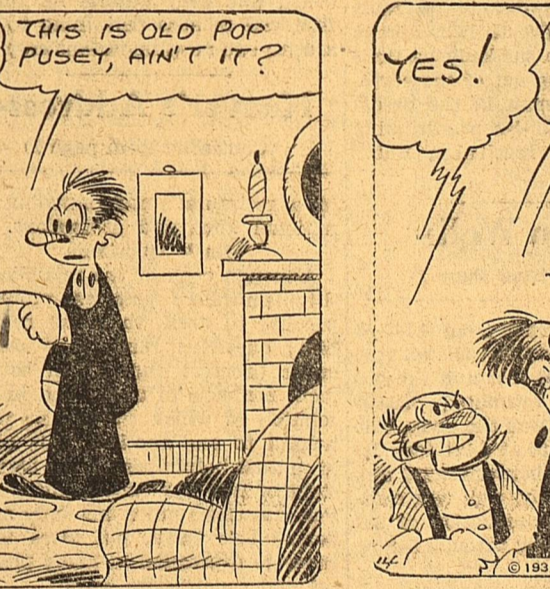
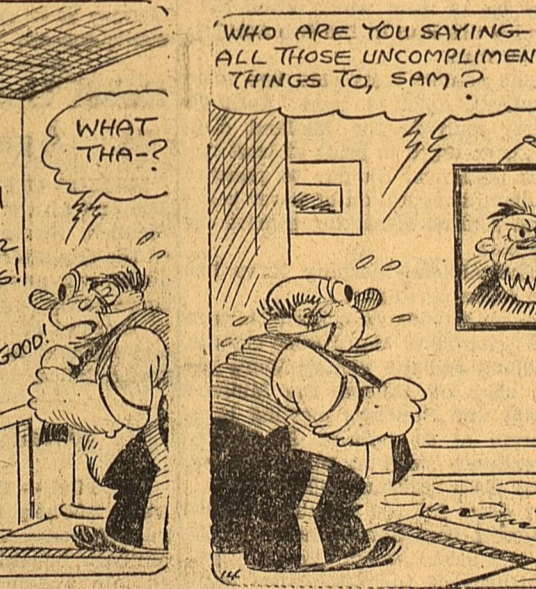
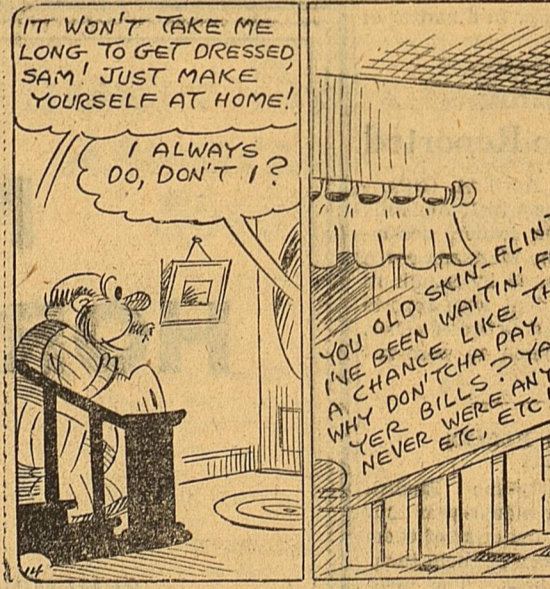
6. Houses

A new brick home, high class, best neighborhood. Reference required. Box 544, Midland. 30-3Z

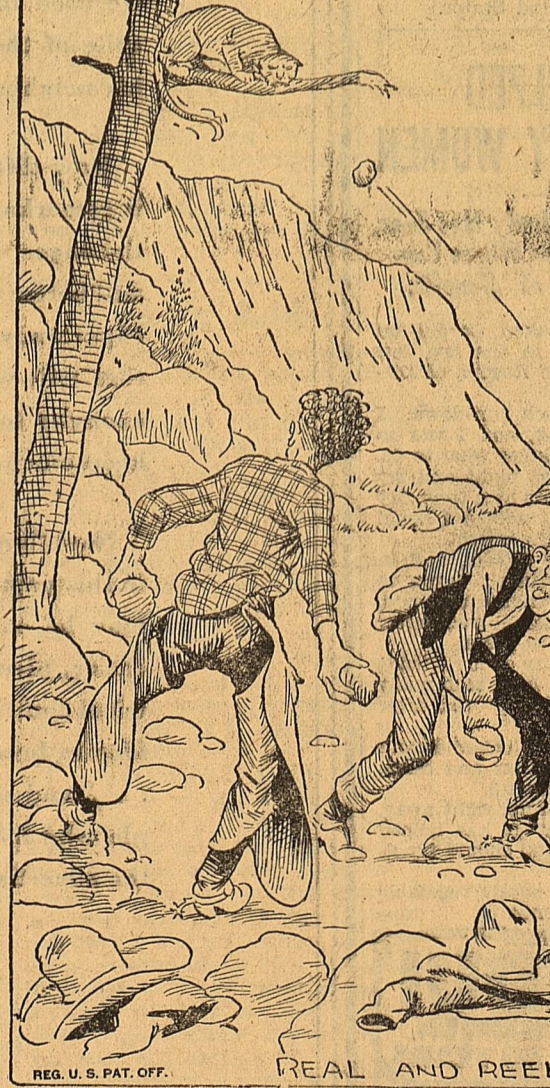
11. Employment

WHITE woman wants nursing, housework, and sewing. 115 Maiden Lane. 28-3P

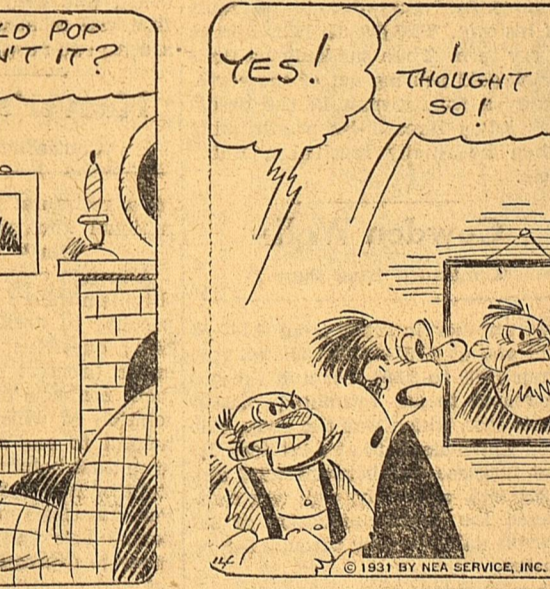
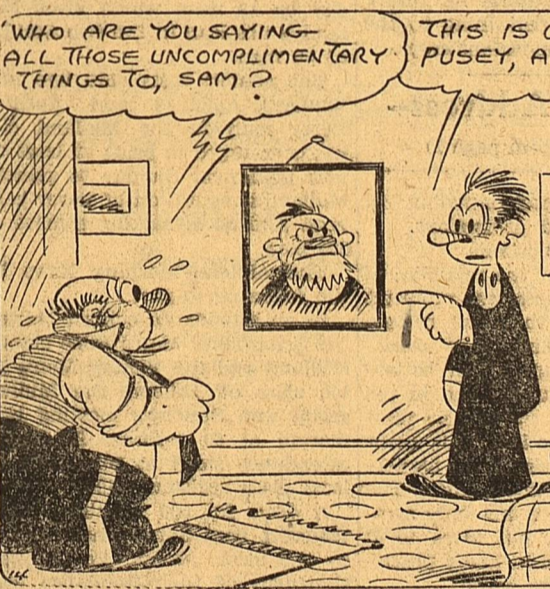
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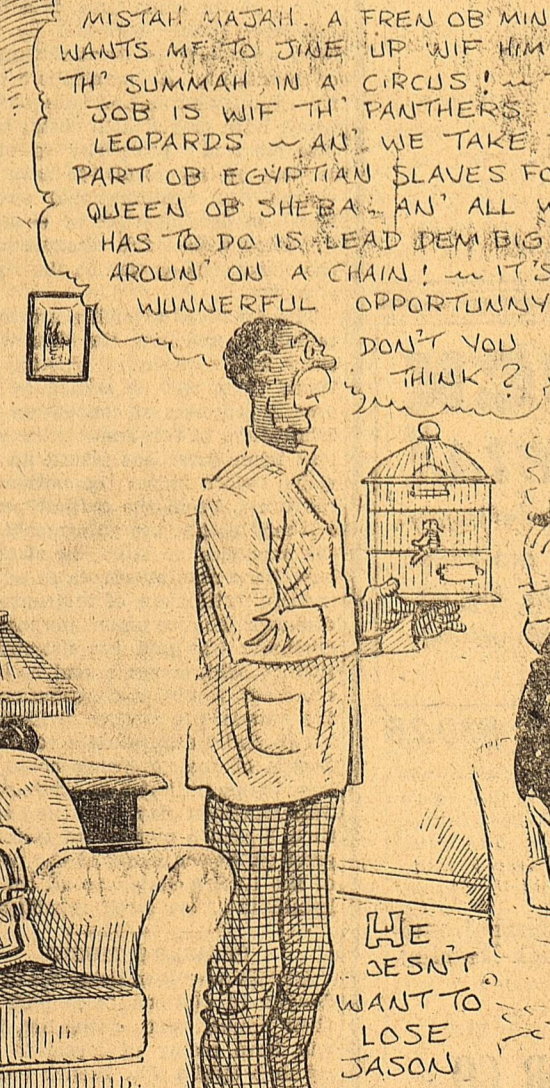
OUT OUR WAY



Courageous Sam!



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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HE DESN'T WANT TO LOSE JASON

ANGELO MAN IS HEAD NATIONAL WOOL GROWERS

CHICAGO, April 14. (AP).—Sol Mayer of San Angelo, Texas, was elected president of the National Wool Marketing corporation Saturday. The organization is one of the cooperatives allied with the federal farm board.

Mayer succeeds Roger Gillis of Del Rio, Texas, who resigned recently. The new president has been

one of the leaders of the co-operative marketing movement in Texas. He has been a sheep owner since 1890. The organization decided to give wider representation on the board of directors to the smaller co-operatives. The executive committee was instructed to devise a means of doing this and report back at the next organization meeting, scheduled for next December.

Proration-- (Continued From Page 1)

Venezuela Oil
What about Venezuela oil? What chance is there to protect the industry in the United States against the Venezuela imports for the whole oil industry is put up for a song just so that East Texas can make some money, isn't that right? The thing to do is for all the United States' fields to get together and fix things up so that everybody gets a square deal and then march up to Washington and right into Andrew Mellon's office and lay the cards right out on his desk; tell him that the United States comes first and unless something is done about this outside oil coming in that the oil men in the United States will start some fireworks which will burn somebody mighty bad. That's about this what this other man will tell you. Somehow or other he had a different system of figuring economies.

So that's the way it goes. On one side we find a crowd of East Texans who have struck oil and want to get theirs while the getting is good. Ten barrels to the dollar or 20 barrels, it makes no difference. There's lots of oil in the ground. The edge of the world is where you find the edge of the East Texas field. On the other hand, a faction who believes a barrel of oil is worth just so many pennies, something over a hundred. There are so many barrels used and so many barrels sold. Supply and demand, that has something to do with it in their estimation. The United States extends outside of the East Texas fields quite a few miles.

Then again, it is well to be charitable in all matters. A farmer starves for years due to no fault of his own. The drought licks him at every turn. Then suddenly he finds black gold pouring out of the earth. Many a thirsty man in the desert has killed himself by overdrinking when he finally reached a water hole.

Cowden Well-- (Continued from Page 1)

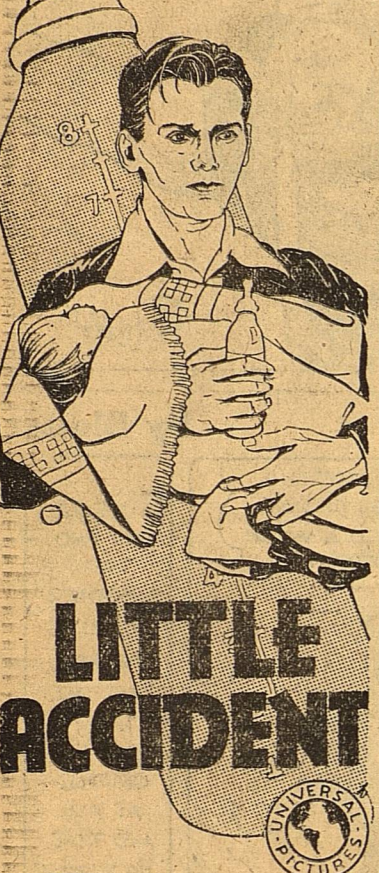
was another increase from 4,148-51 feet and at 4,161-67 feet the oil rose from 1,800 to 3,500 feet and the gas increased to an estimated 750,000 cubic feet, which was the peak. The well began heading at 4,171 feet. Its last increase was between 4,237 and 4,244 feet, where the well was completed for initial production of 281 barrels daily, flowing through 8-inch casing.

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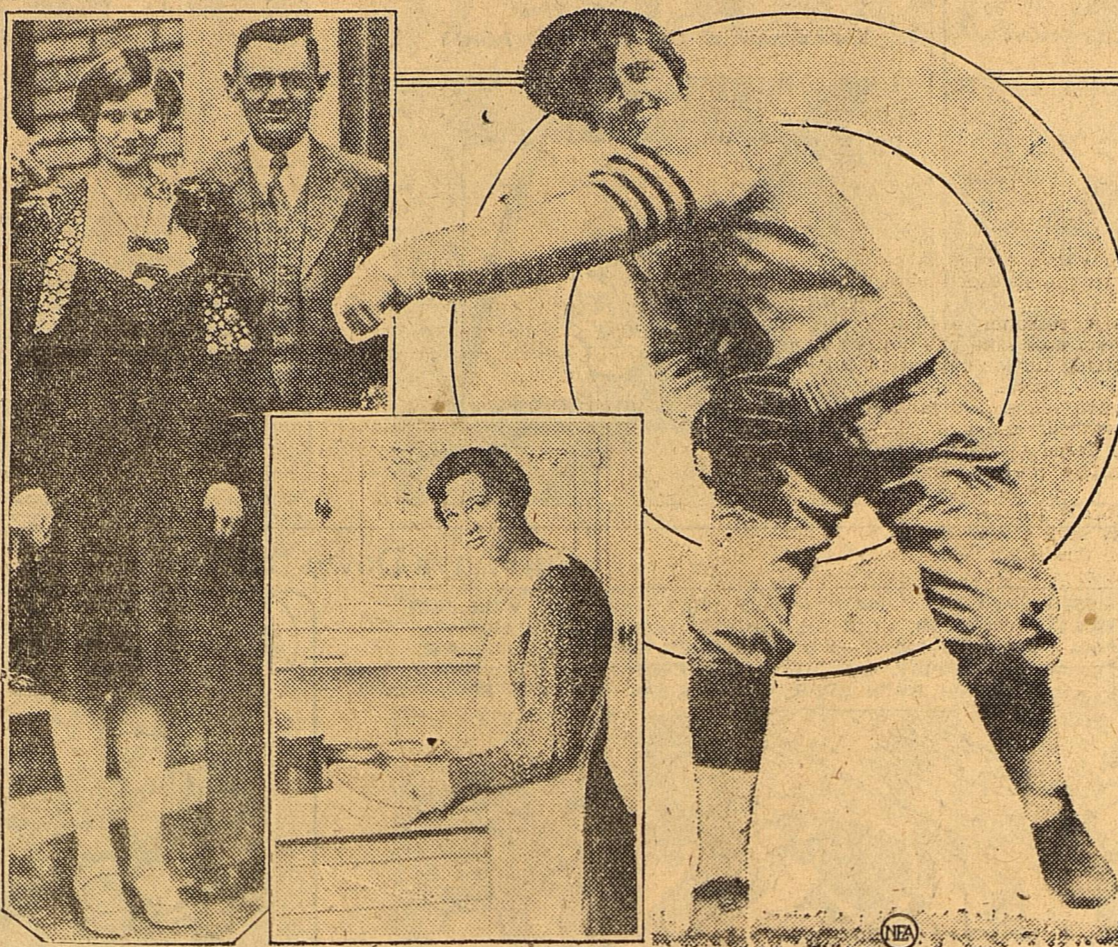
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Does She Hope to Be a Second "Lefty" Grove?



While other girls her age were thinking of parties, dances and dates, Miss Jackie Mitchell, newest recruit of the Chattanooga Lookouts' baseball team of the Southern association, dreamed of a career with an organized baseball team. Her present chance, she confides, is an answer to that dream. The layout above presents three characteristic views of the pretty high school girl. At the left she is shown with her father, Dr. Joe Mitchell, an ardent baseball fan, who encouraged her love for the game. Below in the inset she is shown stirring a cake batter in the kitchen of the Mitchell home. On the right she is the southpaw wonder.

Farm Board Speaker on Air

James C. Stone of Kentucky, new chairman of the federal farm board, will speak Wednesday evening, April 15, over the Dixie network of the Columbia Broadcasting system on "Farm Board Aid to Cotton and Tobacco Growers."

Hoover's Address-- (Continued from page 1)

in a reciprocal understanding of national aims and aspirations. **Basic Questions**
Although each of the republics of this hemisphere possesses problems peculiar to itself, there are certain basic questions relating to democratic progress and social betterment common to us all and in the solution of which we can be most helpful to one another. This spirit of mutual helpfulness is the cornerstone of true Pan-Americanism. The Pan-American union not only symbolizes this spirit, but gives to it concrete expression in many practical and constructive ways.

New Entry Joins Trades Day Group

The Jackson Chevrolet Co., Inc. is the newest entrant in the Trades day group. The Chevrolet company became a full fledged Trades day participant Tuesday and its name will be carried on the 6,500 pieces of advertising to be distributed next week. Any member of the chamber of commerce may benefit from the Trades day activities by entering at any time he chooses. However, to get on the advertising sheet for Trades day on May 2, it will be necessary to join by Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, as the copy goes to press Saturday.

MRS. BROWN, YOU ARE A GRAND COOK

LONDON.—When it comes to cooking, there's one in England who probably does more cooking in a day than most women do in a month. This phenomenal woman is a Mrs. Brown who boils, stews and bakes for Lord and Lady Cowdray, at Midhurst, Sussex.

PEACE TO MUSIC

GENEVA.—When delegates of the League of Nations meet here for their annual peace gathering, they will have plenty of music to pep up their spirits. The French Parliament has voted a credit of \$20,000 to send musicians, dancers and actresses to this city to perform during the assembly.

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At the polls. "After the smashing victory of our ideals in the Sunday election," the document read, "we will oppose strenuously any attempt to delay or prevent the realization of the will of the people."

Midland on Top; Hard Scrap Seen

Midland tore far into the lead Sunday when 69 more persons attended the Men's Class at Hotel Scharbauer than attended the Victory Men's Bible class of Abilene. The attendance at Midland was 265, while the Abilene class only had 196. Abilene beat Midland last Sunday by 13 men, which gives Midland a net lead in the two Sundays of 56 men.

Rebel Uprising Again Reported

MEXICO CITY, April 14. (UP).—The end of a truce which Agustino Sandino, Nicaragua leader, declared the day after the Managua earthquake, was announced by Sandino's agent today coincident with reports of renewed fighting between rebels and marines in which 10 were reported killed.

WEDDING BELLES

LONDON.—Thirty-one English belles left here for a four-year tour in 1927. Today the majority of them are back, but thirteen of them turned into wedding belles. The girls, members of a dancing troupe, landed in America and the thirteen of them forthwith lost their hearts to swains in the United States.

CARDUI HELPED MANY WOMEN

South Carolina Lady Has Seen Numerous Cases Where Cardui Proved of Benefit.

After having taken Cardui on several occasions in the last few years, Mrs. Fannie Rogers, of Dillon, S. C., says: "I was very much run-down. I got pale and weak, and I was so nervous I did not know what to do. I was restless at night and my legs ached for hours at a time. My back hurt, and it seemed I could not lift my finger's weight. I began taking Cardui, and in a short space of time I began to improve. My strength returned, and my general health was better than it had been in years. I have told many of my friends about Cardui, and have seen many women who have improved after taking it. My experience with Cardui can't be measured in dollars and cents, and I am very grateful."

Take Theford's Black-Draught for Constipation, Indigestion, Billowness. 25 cents a package.

Literature to Get Tourists Ordered

Directors of the chamber of commerce Monday night authorized the printing of 5,000 to 10,000 new illustrated folders to be used in an attempt to draw more tourist business, general traffic and new centers to Midland. The folders will feature resources, churches, schools, amusements and possibilities of Midland.

George D. McCormick made the motion and it was seconded by John S. Bonner. Directors present besides these and the president were: Clarence Scharbauer, W. I. Pratt, Jack Hazeltine, Marion F. Peters, J. M. Speed, W. A. Yeager, Harvey Sloan and Aubrey S. Legg.

Pratt made a report of progress on Dollar days and Trades day events, and a report was made on the Merchants institute set for May 5, 6 and 7. Report was made on the chamber's activities in some commodity price work, and its successful services Monday as an arbiter in a matter of public concern.

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The first check would be by the merchant making the sale or buying the farm products, since most faulty measuring devices are the result of carelessness. The second check should be by the city sealer and the third, when required, by state inspectors.

Thousands of dollars, Frazee declared, would be saved annually to the consumers and sellers of Texas products if every city had an official sealer. While the weights and measures division in the department of agriculture has the duty of checking up on faulty devices, the six inspectors allotted the division obviously cannot cover the state in the most efficient manner.

Ten cities already have recognized the imperative need for a city official. They are Abilene, Houston, Fort Worth, Dallas, San Antonio, El Paso, Austin, Tyler, Greenville and Beaumont. The state division aids cities in getting their inspectors started by checking up on his apparatus and going with him on his first rounds, teaching him his duties.

Midland Judges at Andrews Hi School

Frank Stubbeman and Miss Ernestine Bryan of Midland judged declamation contests Monday evening at the Andrews high school. Miss Ruth Bryan accompanied them to Andrews. County Attorney Art of Andrews served as the third judge. Senior boys and girls and junior boys and girls classes were judged. A story telling affair by younger students followed.

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Keeping Stock Clean \$1.95
About a hundred pairs of broken sizes in GOOD shoes, regular values from \$5.00 to \$8.50.
All sizes and widths in some of these but just three or four pair of any one style.
We intended running these for DOLLAR DAYS as a special inducement, but decided to put these on sale the entire week at, the pair **\$1.95**
"Trying to Serve You Better."
Addison Wadley Co.
a better DEPARTMENT STORE
Midland, Texas

Cotton Plan Is Not Accepted
AUSTIN, April 14. (UP).—Community organization by law for planting the same variety of cotton was disapproved by the Texas house committee on agriculture. The committee reported unfavorably today on the bill authorizing counties or subdivisions to organize and require planting one kind of cotton.
AMERICANS KILLED
WASHINGTON, April 14. (UP).—The commander of the U. S. S. Asheville reported to the navy department that four Americans have been killed and three were missing at Puerto Cabezas, The names were not given.
JUST AN OLD CUSTOM
NEW YORK.—A riot call sounded in the police headquarters in Brooklyn. A flying squad was dispatched and all nearby cops hurried to the scene near May's specialty shop. There they found 7000 women in a mad melee trying to get into a \$1 dress sale. Ten women suffered cut and bruises and had to be treated. Four large windows were broken out of the shop.

NO MORE HORSE-LAUGHS
REMEMBER what our school books taught us about the lives of inventors who lived many years ago? How often we used to read, "He went on with his experiments in spite of the laughter of the friends, and the ridicule of his neighbors."
How different is the modern state of mind! This age is remarkable for its keen awareness of progress . . . the eager willingness of most of us to accept new things, and better ways. The skeptical person is the exception—expectancy is the rule. If we read about an invention that will wash the middle of our backs, we say, "Fair enough; tomorrow there will be an automatic way to keep our noses powdered."
New things and better ways are announced regularly in this paper . . . in the advertisements. Every day you may be expecting something that will make your life easier, pleasanter, more healthful. Possibly a new electrical contrivance, or a car that's easier to drive, or a new idea in breakfast foods. Follow the advertising columns . . . and sooner or later you'll get the good news. People who make it a point to know what's going on read the advertisements every day.