

The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy to night and Thursday. Possibly showers in the Panhandle. Cooler in the Panhandle Thursday.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM

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Nothing learned from a book is not worth anything unless it is used and verified in life. -Will Durant.

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BORGER TELLER ADMITS ROBBERY

THREE NEW DISTRICTS ARE ASKED

Waco Senator Introduces Bill Today

AUSTIN, Sept. 30. (UP)—On the governor's assurance that he will submit a bill for congressional re-districting, Senator W. R. Poage of Waco today introduced a bill in the senate providing for three new districts, one each in south, west and east Texas.

EDISON WEAKER TODAY, REPORTS HIS PHYSICIAN

WEST ORANGE, N. J., Sept. 30. (UP)—The condition of Thomas A. Edison was weaker today, it was indicated in a bulletin issued today by Dr. Hubert S. Lowe, the inventor's physician.

Edison has been ailing since his return from Florida several months ago. A bulletin issued Tuesday said: "Mr. Edison had a very restless night and seems slightly weaker today."

Barfield Charges Quashed in Upton

RANKIN, Sept. 30.—Indictments charging J. O. "Bud" Barfield of Rankin, former Upton county sheriff, with murder and conspiracy to commit murder, were quashed in the 112th district court here Monday.

The three former officers were indicted at the last regular term of the 112th court as the result of the killing of W. M. Miller and another man never identified while the pair allegedly was in the act of robbing the First State bank of Rankin early in the morning of January 12, 1928. The Texas Bankers' association paid rewards for the killing of the men.

The motion to quash was sustained on the grounds that at least three members of the grand jury were not qualified voters and could not serve on the grand jury.

Defense on Stand in Railroad Suit

The damage suit of Cody M. Bell of Big Spring vs. the Texas and Pacific Railway company, being tried in district court here this week, was still in the stages of testimony this afternoon, the defense occupying the witness stand.

3500 Cans Fruit Are Put up Here

Mrs. R. C. Graham of Stokes has canned 3500 cans of fruits, meats and vegetables this summer, 1000 cans of which represent products canned for others.

Slight Increase in Cow Prices

FT. WORTH, Sept. 30.—Cattle receipts 2,400, including 700 calves. Market on fed steers slow. Cows and low cutters active, around .10 to .15 higher. Grass slaughter steers of value to sell around 6.50 to 7.00.

CLUB MEETING

The Hi-Tri club of the First Christian church will meet Thursday evening, 7:30, at the home of Miss Catherine Dunaway, 801 West Michigan.

Cromwell's Death Recalls Early W.T. Oil Development

New Church for Paris Americans



Distinguished American residents of Paris gathered to dedicate the huge American Church erected on the famous Quai D'Orsay. Here you see the edifice as it appears bordered by tall shade trees. At upper right, United States Ambassador Walter Edge and Mrs. Edge are shown arriving for the opening services.

ENG. BOBBIES FIGHT MOB IN RENEWED ROW

LONDON, Sept. 30. (UP)—Mounted police trampled unemployed rioters on fashionable Mayfair and Bond streets here today in the renewal of a demonstration last night before parliament.

Appreciation for Building Mailed

Letters of appreciation to I. N. Wilkinson and W. S. Hill, owners of the former Home Furniture company building were mailed from the chamber of commerce Wednesday, expressing thanks for their donating the building for the Midland county farm fair.

Student Flyers Land at Airport

Eight A-3 attack planes flown by a pursuit squadron of eight student officers and one instructor landed at Sloan Field today.

STANLEY BABY BORN

A seven and a half pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stanley at 12:50 today at the Mid-west hospital-clinic.

SCHOOLS FOR SPAIN

MADRID.—Spain has embarked on an extensive campaign for public education. The Republican government has taken steps to construct 27,000 public schools, 7,000 of them to be completed within the year.

FAIR STOCK BURN

MT. PLEASANT, Sept. 30. (UP)—All prize livestock exhibits perished today when fire consumed the agricultural and livestock buildings of the Titus county fair. The loss was covered partially by insurance.

By DEAN CHENOWETH

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 30. (AP)—Persistence, as shown by his success in drilling in two Reagan county discovery wells against obstacles that would have caused many men to quit, and loyalty to his friends were two of the outstanding characteristics of Carl Cromwell, who was killed in an automobile accident Saturday in Pennsylvania.

With 26 years' experience in the fields, begun in his native Pennsylvania, where the first oil was produced commercially in the United States, Cromwell drilled in practically every oil producing state in the union and became one of the most capable operators in the business. He was ever the wildcatter, getting his greatest thrill from seeking oil in new territory—and finding it.

Story Is Epic

The story of his drilling in the Santa Rita well in Reagan county is an epic of the oil industry. He was employed to drill the test by Frank Pickrell and associates, who had leased 64 sections of university land in what had been given the appropriation of "the oil man's graveyard" because of unfavorable geological reports and not a few dry holes.

UNEMPLOYED OF EL PASO ISSUE THREAT LETTER

EL PASO, Sept. 30. (P)—Threats to blow up the El Paso city hall with dynamite were contained in an anonymous letter received Tuesday by Mayor R. E. Sherman.

Two signers, "Rifle Pall and Six-Shooter Bill," wrote that "we will give you all 30 days to give us some work to do."

Mayor Sherman said he is not alarmed but police will guard both the city hall and the court house.

Demands for Tickets Increase

Demands for Trades day tickets showed a big increase Wednesday, merchants said.

The heavy demand for Trades day tickets came from thrifty town and rural people who want to be in on the last Trades day program Saturday at 2:30. Many are buying goods ahead of time so they can get as many tickets as possible for next Saturday, the last Trades day to be held till next year.

Stevadores Will Strike Tonight

GALVESTON, Sept. 30. (UP)—Several thousand longshoremen at Galveston, Houston, Texas City and Corpus Christi were expected to strike at midnight as result of refusal to accept a cut in wages from .80 to .60 an hour. The cut was proposed by master stevedores.

TO SAVE SEED

Benny Bizzell is exhibiting a big watermelon downtown. The young farmer was wise enough to specify that he wanted the seeds from the Wonder melon, and further plans personally to do the seed separating act. Many volunteer seed separators have offered their help without cost.

WRITES APPRECIATION

Evelyn Garlington, ex-student of the Midland high school and now in college at Denton, has written Prof. W. W. Lackey of the city schools of her appreciation at getting a position that allows her to work in conjunction with Dr. Clark, head of the chemistry department of the school.

A LESSON LEARNED

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—Two gypsies came into the store of Mrs. Mary Tidwell and volunteered their blessings on the store's finances. She consented, the gypsies went to the cash register, made their blessings and left. And afterward Mrs. Tidwell opened the money drawer to find the blessed money had vanished during the ceremony.

Former Gang Queen Strangled in Tiny Squalid Apartment

CHICAGO, Sept. 30. (UP)—Sadie Siegal, 45, who once wore diamonds as the queen of the gang haunts, was found strangled to death by a flowered cushion bedspread in a small apartment today.

Police said it looked like murder, committed for a few dollars. Her Chow dog, Diamond, whined from grief and hunger.

MIDLAND ROAD TO SEMINOLE CLEAR OF OBSTRUCTION

Obstruction has been removed from the Midland-Seminole road and traffic to Seminole, Hobbs, Lovington and other points north may now move direct from Midland without detour.

This information was conveyed in a letter received Wednesday by the Midland chamber of commerce from Judge J. J. Kendrick, county judge of Gaines county.

Several weeks ago a farmer fenced the road and, on complaint of travelers, the Midland chamber of commerce got into communication with Judge Kendrick, who was working on the proposition. In the meantime, the Midland chamber employed a farmer to hand pick railroad spikes from the road, and the road is now practically clear of spikes up to the Gaines county line.

The excellent co-operation of Gaines county is reflected in the following letter from Judge Kendrick:

"This is to advise that the Seminole-Flory (a segment of the Midland-Seminole) road is open to stay this time, the court having made purchase of the road in dispute, and so the matter is settled out of court and a permanent road is established."

Eckner Autographs Garrison Drawings

Two pen and ink drawings of Captain Hugo Eckner, commander of the Graf Zeppelin, made on post cards by C. F. Garrison of Midland, have attracted the personal attention of the captain himself.

The drawings were dispatched by airmail to Captain Eckner who promptly autographed them and mailed them back to Garrison. He received them today.

1909 Speedster Hits High Rate

CHICAGO, Sept. 30. (UP)—David N. Singer, instructor in automotive engineering at the University of Kentucky at Lexington, claimed a world's record for his automobile's continuous performance when he arrived here behind the wheel of his 1909 speedster.

"I've driven the car more than 200,000 miles and I hit 80 miles an hour on the way up here," Singer said.

Miss Singer purchased the machine she has made several modern improvements such as wheels, top, and electrical equipment to replace gas lights. The original four-cylinder motor and front axle are still in service, Singer said.

Cannon Case up To Grand Jury

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30. (UP)—Federal District Attorney Leo A. Rover announced today charges that Methodist Bishop James Cannon Jr. violated the corrupt practices act would be presented to the grand jury here October 8.

PYTHIAN BARBECUE

Midland Lodge 145 Knights of Pythias will give a barbecue at Cloverdale Friday evening at seven o'clock for members and families. All are cordially invited to attend.

TO TAKE VACATION

Miss Genavieve Derryberry, county home demonstration agent, leaves Friday for Del Rio, where she will spend a 10-day vacation.

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SPECIAL VENIRE OF 100 ORDERED FOR TRIAL OF ABILENE WOMAN WHO IS CHARGED WITH KILLING ANOTHER

ABILENE, Sept. 30. (UP)—A special venire of 100 men was ordered today for the trial Oct. 21 of Mrs. A. R. Franklin, mother of two children, who admitted the fatal shooting of Mrs. Leslie Wilcoxson, 28, at the Wilcoxson apartment where she went in search of her husband. She will plead not guilty of murder.

Sale of Tin Cans Is Boosted Here

That Midland county farm women are canning more fruit than ever before is reflected in the sale of tin cans and glass jars this year as compared with the sale for last year.

From Jan. 1 to Dec. 1, 1930, 17,000 cans were sold and 24 dozen jars. From Jan. 1 to Sept. 1, 1931, 3 months less time, 112,000 cans and 62 dozen jars were sold by Midland merchants.

Part of the business done by merchants came from Andrews, Glasscock and Martin counties. Miss Genavieve Derryberry, home demonstration agent, says. Midland county farm women and the demonstration agent were asked to aid several families of those counties in canning fruit.

FEDERAL COURT TRANSFERS SUITS BACK TO MIDLAND

Two cases styled Hughes vs. Deter in which Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hughes seek damages of \$10,000 in each case for the death of their baby and for injuries to themselves in an automobile accident west of Midland, have been transferred back to district court here from the federal district court at Pecos through efforts of Haas and Stubbeman.

Frank Stubbeman, handling the case, returned here today after securing a ruling in federal court that the case did not come within its jurisdiction.

The case previously had been moved to the federal court through motion of the defense.

Women, Too, Must Work or Starve

Women as well as men must pick cotton or expect no aid from the Midland welfare association, a statement said Wednesday.

So far as available records show, no person ever died from overwork in a cotton field, the statement said. Nobody was ever known to injure his health in a cotton field, according to the records. Men 70 years old and women 50 to 65 years old pick cotton with no permanent injurious effect, employees in the cotton districts of the U. S. say.

The statement issued here Wednesday declared women as well as men who are without employment and expect any consideration from charity should pick cotton.

Girls Kept From Sight of Males

HAVANA, Sept. 30. (UP)—Down in Pinar del Rio province live the Gonzalez girls. There are eleven. They have never seen a member of the male sex except their brothers and father, and never have been off the ranch where they were born.

The girls are the daughters of Thomas Gonzalez, a planter of moderate circumstances. They are divided into two working shifts and till the soil, tend the cattle and other livestock, gather the crops and do practically any kind of labor that a man can do.

There are 12 daughters in the family, but when one of them eloped with one of the village youths, the father issued orders banning all males excepting those of the family from the house. When mechanics call to repair the farm machinery, or for any other business necessary to maintaining a large plantation, the girls are herded into the house and remain there until the visitor has departed.

The oldest girl is 32, and the youngest 14. According to family friends they appear to be satisfied with their manner of living though some of them expressed the wish that they could go into the nearby city to purchase the clothes that their father now buys and brings home to them. The mother of the girls shares their state of isolation.

Schoolboy Is Plane Builder

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 30. (UP)—Alphonse Courtines is only a youth, but he has made a plane that has been flown successfully.

Courtines, a high school student, constructed the craft in his spare time. Guy Wilnot, a Gloversville airport pilot, and Addison Putnam, another pilot, took the ship up twice and pronounced it fit.

Last year the youth built a glider that flew successfully.

PIPE SET ECTOR TEST; WARD HAS NEW LOCATIONS

Weekly Oil Corporation No. 1 Elliott F. Cowden, Ector county wildcat oil test, was expected to resume drilling today after setting the big pipe at 124 feet. After spudding in and making the 124 feet of hole time was taken out to set the 15 1/2 inch pipe and drill a water well near the test. The test is in the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 33, block 43, township 2-south, Ector county.

Location has been made by the Barnsdall Oil company for its No. 1 Jim Henry in the Grand Falls area, Ward county. It is to be 330 feet from the northeast and 330 feet from the southeast lines of section 28, block B-29, public school lands, Ward county. The location is a direct offset to the southwest of the Sturm No. 1 Jones producer which makes approximately 125 barrels daily. Sturm and Sims have a producer a half mile northeast in the same section and are running approximately 174 barrels of oil daily.

The Prairie Oil & Gas company No. 1 Archenhold is a location, offsetting diagonally to the east of the Barnsdall location and southeast of the Sturm No. 1 Jones producer.

Legion to Elect Officers Tonight

Election of officers of Woods W. Lynch post, American legion, is scheduled for tonight when a general meeting is held at the court house basement at 8 o'clock. The meeting is called by Otis A. Kelly, post commander, who urges a full attendance of legionnaires.

The post has had an active year under Kelly's leadership, members declare.

Maniac Slayer Is Recaptured

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 30. (UP)—Homer Edwards, maniac slayer of John Bradshaw, was captured near here today sitting under a tree. He escaped from the Rusk asylum recently after beating a guard unconscious.

Election of Legion Officers Wednesday

Election of officers for the American legion will be a part of a Wednesday night call meeting, Otis A. Kelly, commander, says.

ODESSA MAN HERE

M. W. George, owner of the M System store of Odessa, was a business visitor in Midland this morning.

VISITS IN MIDLAND

Mrs. Earl Cason, formerly of Midland, arrived Tuesday from San Antonio and will be a house guest of Miss Agnes Tyner for a week.

GRIND GRATES ON HER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 28.—Washing dishes, dusting and running errands proved too much for Josephine, 16. She gathered up watches, rings and other jewelry, threw them in the furnace and set fire to the house. When questioned by Judge Jennings, she said that she wasn't thinking at the time. The judge ordered a mental examination.

Suit Costs 35 Cents

A Weatherford banker recently spun the thread and wove the cloth for the material out of which a local tailor made the banker a suit of clothes. Only thirty-five cents worth of cotton was used.

HOLD-UP TALE IS A FENCE

Two Arrested, One Other Expected Today

STINNETT, Sept. 30. (UP)—Roland Rugeley, 23, bank teller, confessed a \$3,000 shortage of his account led him and Lewis Grime, rooming house proprietor to stage a robbery Sunday night at the Borger State bank.

The arrest of a third man is expected today.

Rugeley said the bookkeeper, J. B. Castle, and two girl companions were innocent. They and Rugeley apparently were held up by two men who supposedly forced Rugeley to return to the bank and open the vault.

The same bank was robbed of \$6,000 the same way in 1929.

Men Described as Easy Job Hunters

Within a period of 30 minutes Wednesday nine men were found on the streets who were willing to drive four cars from Colorado, Texas to Midland. Only four of the men were given jobs.

Yet, every one of the nine men have been offered cotton picking jobs. Some of them get sufficient pick-up work to justify them in remaining in town to get jobs, but some of them are "chronic loafers who refuse to pick cotton because of pure, unadulterated laziness, their habits are said to reveal, and none of them will get one penny of aid when they get hungry this winter," welfare officials said.

Bandit Station To Be Abandoned

WINSTON, Me., Sept. 30. (UP)—Fifty years ago, the morning of July 15, 1881, the town of Winston sprang into national prominence. Jesse James and his gang of outlaws robbed a Rock Island passenger train here of \$15,000 and killed two men.

The train was robbed by 13 men, including the famous bandit leader who boarded it just as it left the station here at 7:20 a. m. The conductor and a passenger were killed.

Today, officials of the Rock Island railroad were considering abandonment of the station because of lack of patronage from this section.

Notre Dame Student Held for Forgery

HOUSTON, Sept. 30. (UP)—John Russell Maynard, 31, Notre Dame student, said here today that he and three other students forged a \$500 note to get through college.

Maynard was arrested here on a warrant from South Bend. He plans to fight extradition.

Body of Judge To Be Exhumed

ANN ARBOR, Sept. 30. (UP)—The body of former Ypsilanti Municipal Judge Darwin E. Curtiss was exhumed today and brought here for examination for traces of poison.

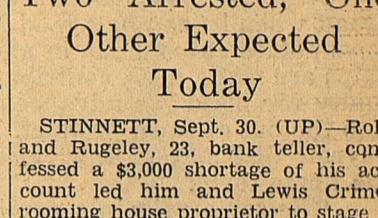
Curtiss is the uncle of Catherine Keller, held on a charge in connection with the Ypsilanti torch murders, who inherited \$35,000 from him when he died last February.

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GRADY'S DRAWING

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DOUBLE DUTY FOR YOUR DOLLARS

A dollar will go farther now than it would two or three years ago.

In Midland, citizens have an opportunity not only to get more value for their money but also to make their dollars do double duty.

At this stage of business recovery, no one thing will do more toward stabilizing local conditions than to assure the continuation of the smaller pay-roll spending business houses.

To patronize out of town manufacturing concerns competing with local plants is to take a dig not only at the Midland institution but at Midland's prosperity.

Anyone who spends his dime for a loaf of out of town bread when he can buy good Midland-made bread, or who buys potato chips made in another city when good potato chips are made here, contributes to the lowering of opportunity for his city's advancement.

As he grinds his teeth into the out of town product, he is biting into the chain of payroll distribution that means ultimate prosperity for the home town.

The same principle applies to your purchases of dry goods, clothing, hardware, groceries and all other commodities, printing not excluded.

Check it over. Of course you are entitled to your money's worth, but do you have to buy the foreign product to get it?

HEROIZING VS. CRITICIZING

E. P. Chase, editor and publisher of the Atlantic (Iowa) News-Telegram, says:

"If Herbert Hoover, now president of the United States, and the recipient of much criticism on the part of various groups because he has been unable to work any magic for them—if he were not president and were living at his home in Palo Alto, California, the American people would be clamoring for him to fill the executive office as a doctor for their economic ills.

There is no question but that would be the situation were Mr. Hoover at the present time in private life with the Nation in the midst of a depression like the one we are passing through. "The American people are peculiar. They either heroize a man beyond all reason or criticize him beyond all reason.

A super-man myth has been built up around Mr. Hoover in accordance with the usual American custom because he has been known as a most successful executive and a most successful dispenser of welfare, but at best he is but human like all the rest of us, and has his human limitations.

"The American people either over press-agent their heroes or else over-criticize them when they find they cannot do the impossible. But, I repeat that if Mr. Hoover were living in private life and the problems confronted the nation that confront us today, the American people would clamor for his leadership. Such is our inconsistency."

ADVERTISING HAS A ROLE

Economists agree that the depression has touched bottom. Conditions will get no worse, but they could be greatly improved.

Much has been written upon the psychological aspects of present-day conditions. Were the people not afraid—if cautious men and women dared to buy the things they want, and wanted the things they really need—much of the ill-effects of the depression would be dissipated.

The truth of the matter is, fear and lack of confidence are the forces that delay the return of normalcy by protracting the period of economic convalescence. No remedial agency can do so much to restore confidence and allay fear as judiciously planned and competently executed advertising.

Almost two years of reluctant, fearful buying have depleted warehouses and deteriorated property to an unprecedented extent. Advertising can, and advertising should, strike the tocsin of confidence—confidence that is the right time to buy, confidence that more has never been offered for so little, confidence in the wisdom and the economy of buying.

Fill the newspapers of Texas with advertising of a

side Glances by Clark



"I know how you must feel, all right, to have a fellow run out on you like that, when you were just waiting for some polite excuse to drop him anyway."

The Town Quack



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

John Hix, author of the "Strange As It Seems" cartoons, brings out the startling information that Ukulele means "jumping flea." So whenever you hear the expression "Ukulele Girls," just remember the definition.

An interview with a trapper printed in the Saturday Evening Post:

"It taint no trick handling a skunk. For instance, he can't squirt stink from his stink bag 'cepting he's got a good purchase on the ground.

When he humps himself, and out she comes. One time I got shaved at a barber shop. A barber had a contraction which squirted pink perfume on my face. A skunk does the same thing only it don't smell the same.

News item: Ironhead is working for the Gulf Pipe Line.

Seems like poetry in this paper hasn't been so lively of late.

About this out of town bread controversy. The grocer who puts out of town bread on the higher shelves and puts the home product so low down that you have to stoop to get it's not going out of his way to help matters much.

I don't know much about the suspension of the gold standard. I'm not up on the value of the pound sterling, the franc, the mark, the peso, the piesta, the yen the lire or the tael, but—show me where I can make an honest dollar and I'll show you how to put it into circulation.

A man walked into the front door or a news stand the other day.

"Partner," he said, "I'd like to get a pile of your Hoover blankets."

"What do you mean by Hoover blankets?"

"Your old newspapers."

Wrapping up in old newspapers at night is a common practice of those who are out on their own.

They are said to be real warm. And among the unemployed the old newspapers are referred to either as Hoover blankets or Mellon quilts.

Mrs. J. L. Crump and her father, Robert W. Ebevins arrived yesterday from East Texas. Mr. Ebevins was in Stanton this morning on business.

Jack Medlin and family are in Midland visiting in the home of Jack Hill after a few weeks in East Texas.

Douglas R. Perry, formerly of the composing room of The Reporter-Telegram, is here from his home in Fort Worth.

Harry Payne, employe of the El Paso Chevrolet company, is here transacting business.

Mrs. W. T. Preslar, Mrs. C. E. Gann and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Preslar returned to Midland late yesterday from Wichita Falls where they attended the funeral of their son and brother, Mack Preslar.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gologically of Little Rock, Ark., spent Tuesday night in Midland visiting friends.

Jennings Alexander, T. T. Throckmorton and J. W. Weavers, Amarillo business men, were here this morning transacting business.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Porter of El Paso were in Midland Monday and Tuesday on a business visit.

CHOICE COOKS' CORNER

Cream of Onion Soup

- 2 tablespoons tapioca
2 tablespoons butter substitute
1/4 cup grated cheese
4 cups milk, scalded
2 tablespoons minced onion
2 1/2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Salt and pepper. Combine onion, tapioca, and milk, and cook over hot water until tapioca is clear.

Add butter substitute, cheese, parsley, and salt and pepper to taste. Cook until cheese is melted. Serve at once.

Pumpkin Pie with Cheese Crust

- Filling: 2 cups milk
1 tsp. cinnamon
3/4 tsp. salt
2-3 cup brown sugar
1/2 tsp. ginger
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 1/2 cups strained pumpkin

Cheese Crust: 3/4 cup flour 3/4 cup shortening 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 1/2 cups grated cheese 2 1/2 cups cold water

Sift the flour, measure, and sift with the salt. Cut in the shortening and the cheese. Work water in lightly with a spatula until little balls of dough just hang together in a large ball.

Place on a lightly floured bread board and roll to 1/4 inch thickness in a sheet to fit pie pan. Combine all of the ingredients for the filling. Stir well until well baked. Pour filling into crust and bake in a moderate oven (400° F.) until filling is firm and crust is brown.

TOUGH REVEREND

CALGARY, Alberta.—A well-known Calgary minister is taking the law into his own hands and is making this city a tough pasture for criminals.

Two thieves recently made an attempt to steal some tools out of the minister's car. Spying them from a room in his home, the minister ran out of the house in his shirt sleeves and very undignified-like pursued the thieves.

He came here from Chicago, where he had three different encounters with gangsters.

The ukelele was miniaturized by the Hawaiians from the guitar introduced by Portuguese traders.

Shoes—Lowest prices at McMullan's.

STICKERS

A farmer owned an odd-shaped piece of ground, shown in the above diagram. He decided to cut it into lots, but wished to keep half of the ground for himself. He also wanted his portion to be of regular shape, with its opposite sides parallel to each other. He knew the length of each side of the field, but did not know its area. What was the simplest way for him to lay off his part?

Parchment is being made from sheepskin in England by the same methods and tools used more than 1000 years ago.

Men's Hats, Lowest Prices, McMullan's.

constructive, confidence-building character, and the way will be smoothed for economic recovery. There is money to be spent; there is merchandise to be sold. Advertising must prepare a ground where the two may meet.

SOCIETY

Legion Auxiliary Sponsors Benefit Party Tuesday Evening, Twenty Tables in Play

Inaugurating the first activities of an American Legion auxiliary in Midland, the local chapter gave a benefit bridge party at the Petroleum building Tuesday evening with almost one hundred attending.

Twenty tables were arranged in three groups with hostesses presiding in each party. On the house committee were Mesmes. J. S. Schow, Ed. Cole, Susie Noble, J. S. Noland, assisted by Mesmes. Dulaney Ward, Neal Staten, Nettie C. Romer, Raynee Carroll and Bert Brenson.

Serving punch during the games were Eddie Jean Cole and Mildred Noland. Winners of prizes in the first table game were Mr. George Glass, Mrs. W. O. Pelphey, Mrs. Harry Tolbert, Miss Janis Wilkes, Miss Fannie Bess Taylor and Mrs. Sam Cummins.

In group two were Mr. M. M. Seymour, Mr. E. M. Miller, Mrs. E. D. Ruse, Mrs. C. A. Mix, Mrs. A. P. Loskamp, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Waterman.

Third group winners were Miss Jerra Edwards, Miss Cordelia Taylor, Mrs. Foshberg and Miss Lois Patterson.

Funds taken in for the party were \$20.75 which will be used in maintaining the auxiliary and sponsoring various projects.

Appreciation was expressed by the auxiliary to the Barrow Furniture company and the Midland hardware company for furnishing chairs, to the Postal Telegraph company for pencils and the Red Cross Pharmacy for tallies.

Announcements

Thursday Teachers' health class at the county court house at 7:30.

Country club bridge party at the club house at 8:15. All members invited.

The Friendly Builders' class of the First Methodist church will have a business meeting and picnic lunch at Cloverdale at 4 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Friday Community Bible class meeting at the Methodist parsonage at 4 o'clock.

Belmont Bible class at the home of Mrs. J. S. Noland, 911 West Louisiana at 3:30.

T. E. L. class of the First Baptist church will have a party at the home of Mrs. W. N. Connell at 3 o'clock.

Saturday Children's story hour at the Midland court house at 2:30.

Happy Birthday!

TOMORROW

OTIS Ligon D. W. Brunson Mrs. Frank Elkin Mrs. J. T. Walker

Officers of R. A. Chapter Are Selected

Officers of the Livingston chapter of the royal Ambassador organization for boys were elected on Tuesday afternoon when members met at the First Baptist church.

The new ambassador-in-chief is James Grantham, first assistant is Walker Fuller; chapter recorder, Loron Grantham; chapter scribe, Paul Hyatt and chapter steward, Newell Ellis Jr.

The program for the meeting was taken from the manual and taught by Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, sponsor.

Mission Study

The Walker Circle of the Baptist W. M. S. will have special mission study program at the home of Mrs. Alvin Hicks Thursday afternoon at 3:30.

It is hoped that the book "Gospel Among the Red Men" will be completed. Mrs. W. W. Wimberly will teach the class.

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Y. W. A. Members Entertained at Slumber Party

A slumber party following a study program was entertainment for a group of Y. W. A. members who met at the home of Miss Lois Walker early Tuesday evening.

"Africa" was the subject of the program led by Miss Evelyn Adams. Topics were presented by Mesmes Janie McMullan, Laura Shelburne, Marguerite Grantham and Adams.

Those remaining for the slumber party, including a midnight feast and breakfast this morning, were Mesmes Annie Faye Dunagan, Oebra Hines, Adams, Grantham and Walker.

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Mount Sinai Is Study for Women Of Bible Class

A study of "Events of Mount Sinai" was conducted by the Rev. J. A. McCall at the Ladies' Bible class of the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon.

Women attending were Mesmes. Joe P. Cannon, O. H. Jones, Rolla, A. G. Bohannon, Lewis Bewley, Paul Jackson, John Bonner, Doris Bayless, W. F. Carroll, Curtis Bond, Gertrude Cantalou, L. E. Cook, and H. H. Hines.

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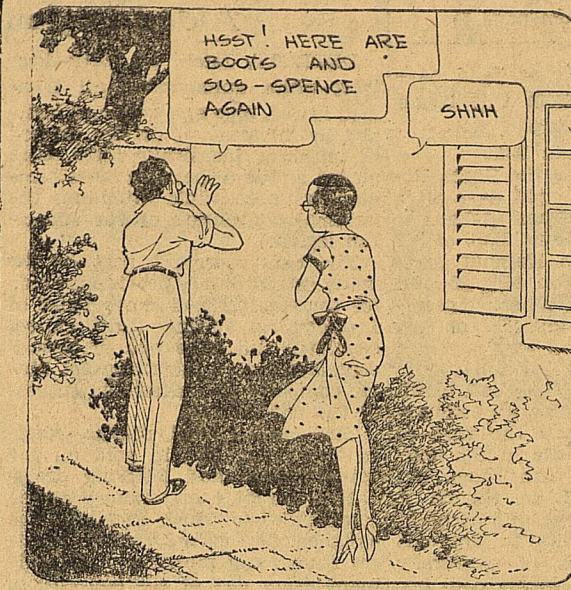
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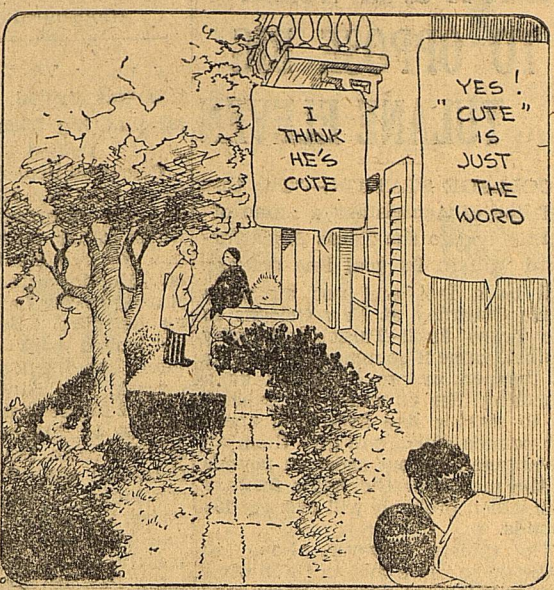
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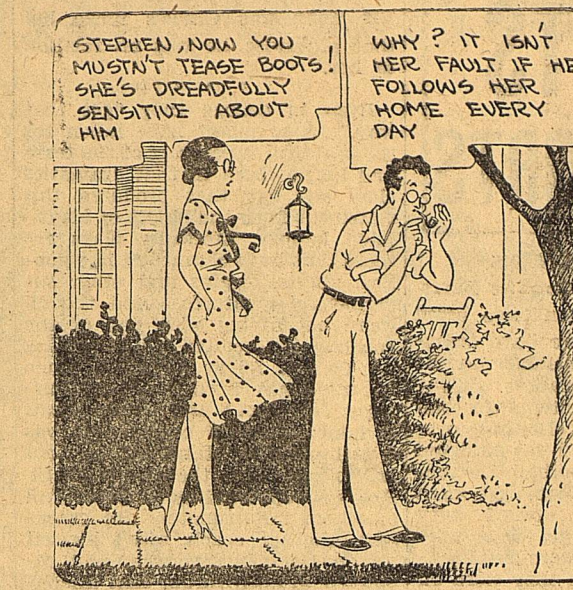
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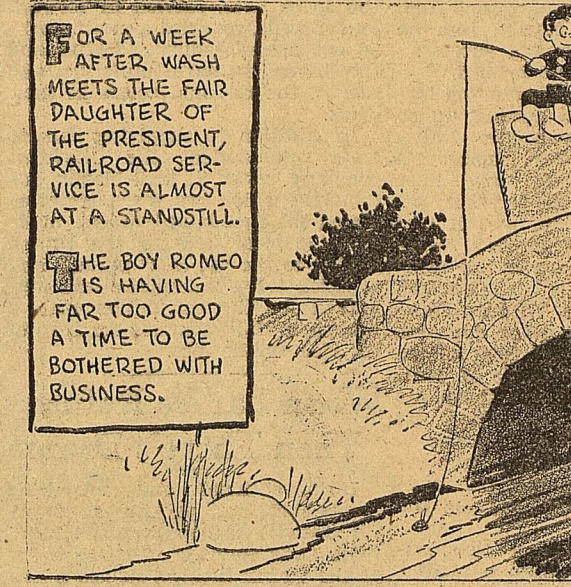
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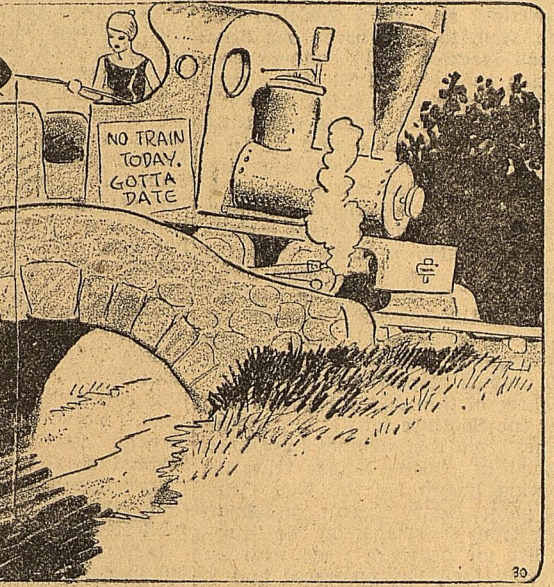
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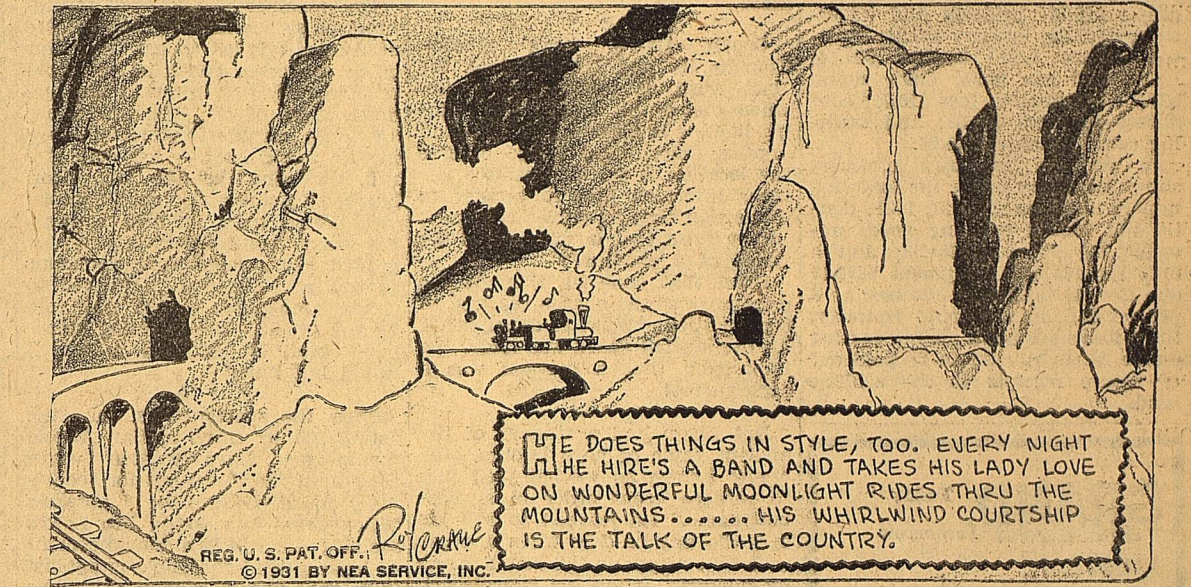
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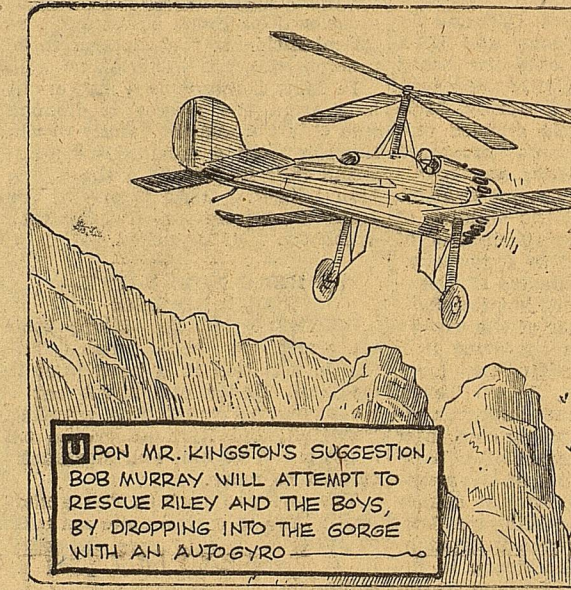
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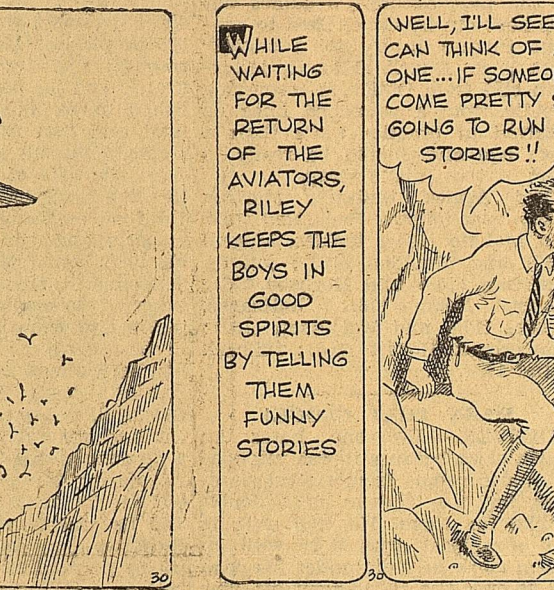
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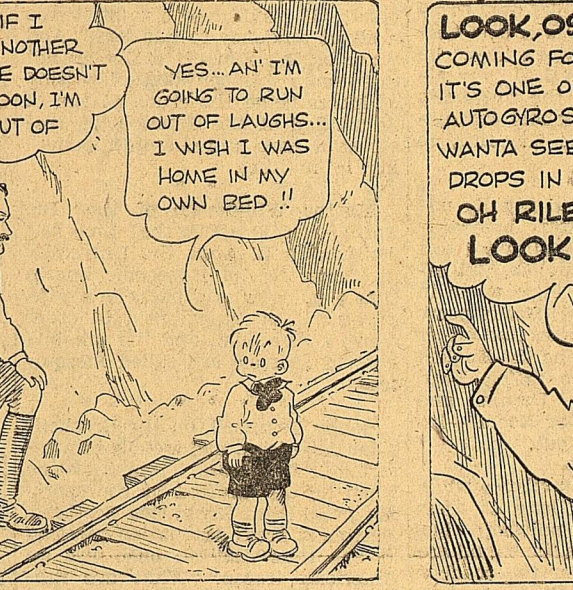
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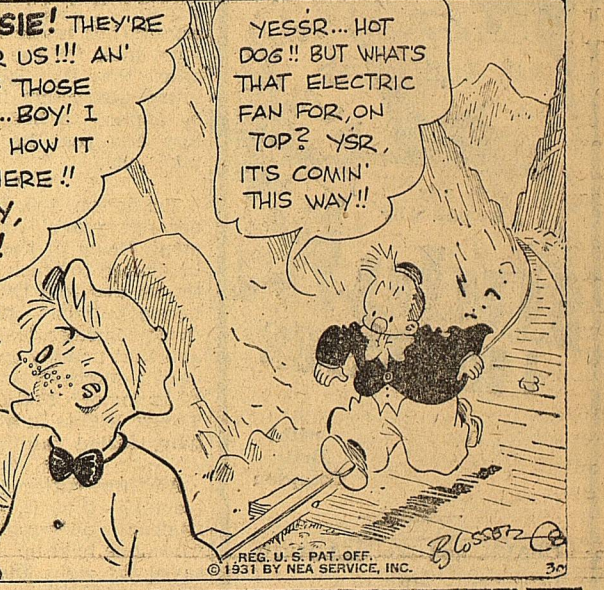
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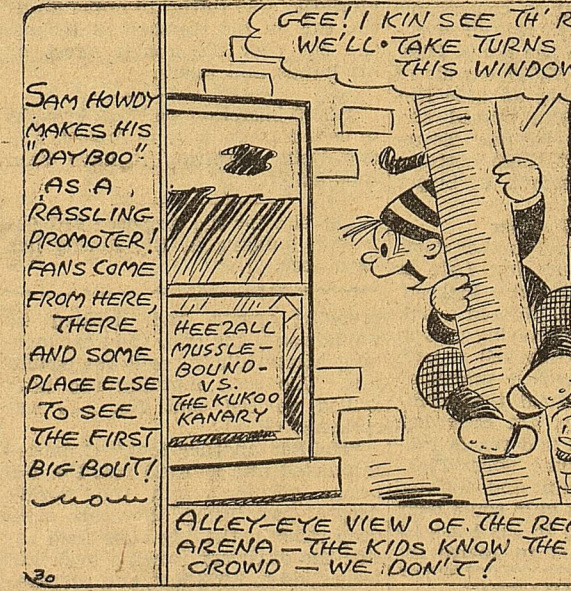
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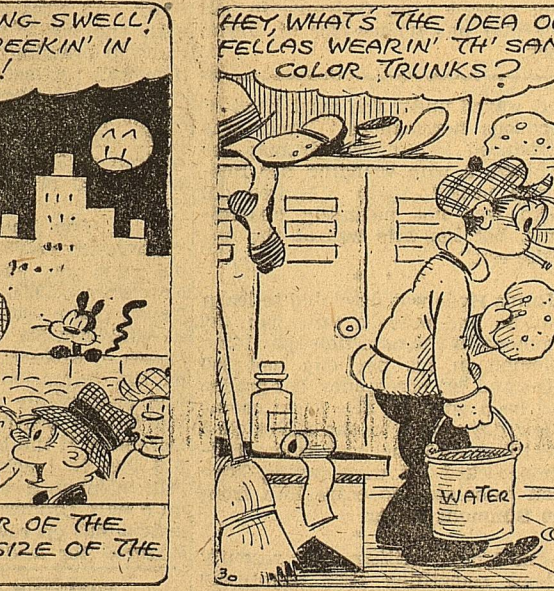
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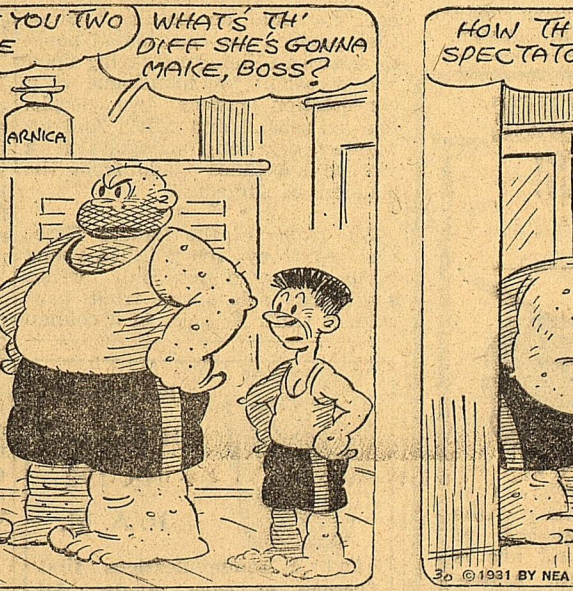
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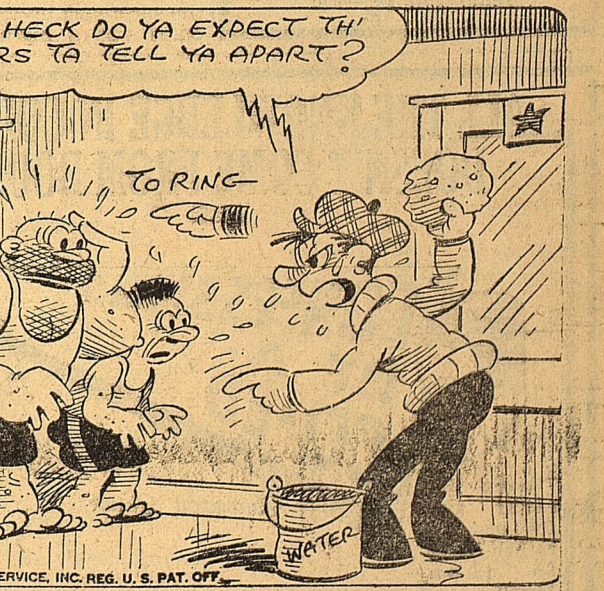
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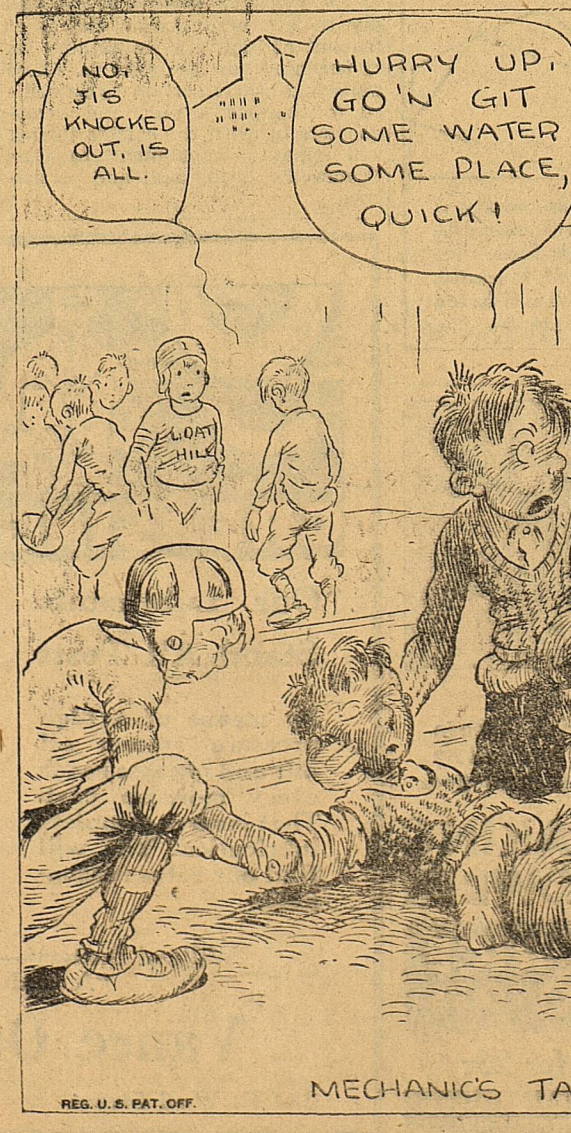
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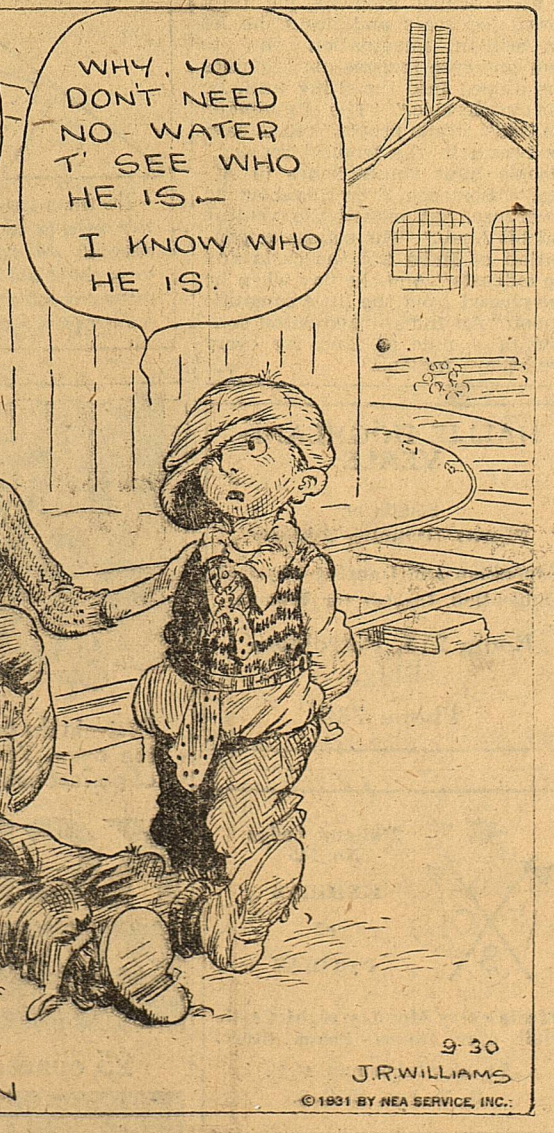
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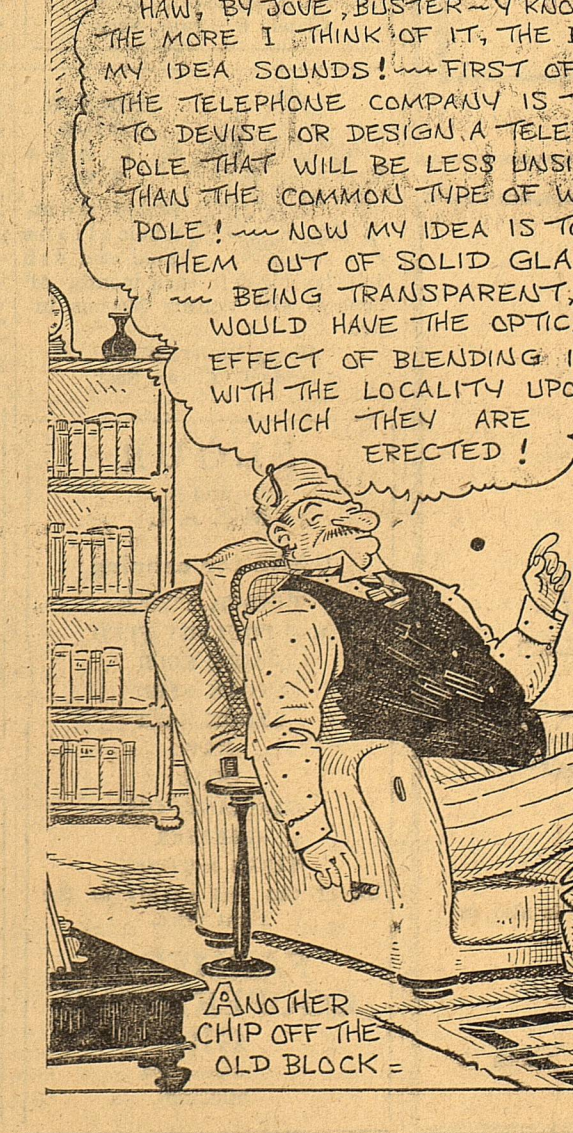
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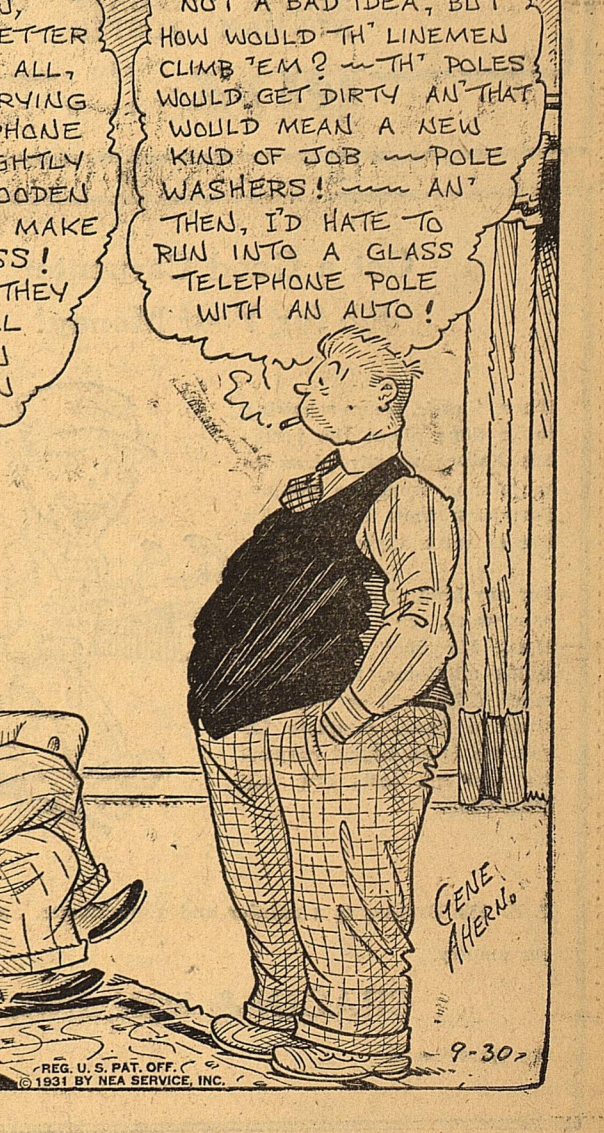
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SAN ANGELO, Sept. 30.—San Angelo high school receipts from football last year amounted to \$6,959.35, the balance as of Sept. 1, 1930, was \$3.13, and disbursements during the year totaled \$6,962.08. This left a balance of 40 cents Aug. 31, 1931, according to the audit of football funds compiled by Chapman, Whittsett & Webb and submitted to school authorities.

Receipts were indicated as follows: game fees \$5,967.74; expenses refunded \$719.02; special subscriptions on training camp \$120; concessions \$72.32; and sale of programs \$79.67. Disbursements followed: game fees, \$1,420.46; officials \$74.20; traveling expenses \$2,480.93; maintenance and upkeep of buildings and grounds \$450.87; athletic equipment and supplies \$1,324.05; telephone and telegraph \$46.78; printing and advertising \$162.24; laundry \$57.24; medical service and supplies \$97.64; lights and gas \$8.55; chair rental \$21.50; registration fees \$10.75; substitute teachers \$35.63; and training camp expense \$101.24.

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SPORTS REPORTS

By R. C. HANKINS

Those green men Coaches Barry, Henderson and Linson have listed with the reserves here have occasioned few indelible wrinkles on the staff's placid countenances. The mentors have encountered football men here, there and elsewhere over this largest state and say Midland reserves soak up football instruction like blotters. Then, too, each of the coaches has worked with students of the game who were dumb—who, in fact, were as afflicted in class rooms as they were on the gridiron. So they are finding work on the greensward of Lackey field an experience, not a nightmare.

Coach Barry head mentor, thought he had bumped into the last word of taciturn ignorance when one of his bright and shining lights a la pigskin lugging art in another town (and please observe the location is set in a remote village) informed him in answer to a question that "a goblet is a male turkey" and that "a blizzard is the inside of a chicken."

Until that time he thought the prize answer was one he received to the question, "What is a polygon?" An overstuffed guard was under the impression that a polygon was a dead parrot!

But Lingo had a student of the ancient game of hard knocks, otherwise known as football, tell him "a referee keeps order in a football game." He learned to roll his eyes the way he does when another said that "scent is the sound made by hounds." When his quarterback told him "a vacuum is the place where the Pope lives" and that "some people think a Papal bull is a mad bull that tramples over Protestants but really it is a cow that gives milk for the Pope's kids," he asked that the Sabatinal year allowed instructors in the university be applied to high school instructors and that he be the first to take out.

Henderson, too, asked rapidly under one year's answer bombardment. Being of the intellectual sort he elected to teach English. But after he was told that Pope wrote in heroic couplets, that Shakespeare wrote comedies, tragedies and errors and that notably among the English bard's successes were "King Lear, Midsummer Night's Dream and Twelve Nights in a Bar Room"—his hair started falling out.

All three suffered in silence while teaching—that is, as long as their students answered nothing; but when one held up his hand and essayed the right answer the coaches began squirming. Someone told Barry that Homer was not written by Homer, but by another man of the same name. Lingo came in for the surprising information that Polonius was a mythical sausage. A

THIN A & M WALL TO OPPOSE BIG TULANE ELEVEN

COLLEGE STATION.—The thin red line of Anglieland, a name often applied to the Texas Aggie forward wall in its goal line defense, will be a fact and not merely a name Saturday at New Orleans in the Texas Aggie-Tulane university football game if comparative weights of linemen are to be taken as a standard. The Greenies are expected to start a line averaging about 201 pounds which will give them an advantage of about eighteen pounds to the man over the Aggie forward wall which probably will average 183 pounds.

The Cadets, however, hope to make up in drive and in fight what they will lack in weight. Early season practice and the Aggies' first games of the season, those the past Saturday with Southwestern University and John Tarleton college, seem to have borne out Head Coach Madison Bell's summer prediction that every first string man on the Aggies' team this year would be a fighter. The Aggies won their first games 33 to 0 and 21 to 0 while Tulane was defeating the University of Mississippi 31 to 0.

The starting backfields, however, probably will be more evenly matched with Tulane's backs averaging 172 pounds and the Aggie's backs averaging 173 pounds. The heaviest line and the heaviest backfield the Aggies possibly could start in the game would average about 201 and 190 pounds respectively.

Three of the Aggies' regulars who saw the Southwestern and Tarleton games from the sidelines have been named in Coach Bell's tentative starting lineup for the New Orleans game. Henry Graves, squadman back from Corsicana, on the injured list for nearly a week with an infected foot, has recovered and is slated to be one of the starting halfbacks. Carl Moulden, Aggie captain from Cisco, could have played in the past Saturday's games but was kept out by Coach Bell to prevent further injury to a slightly hurt knee. Charlie Malone, letterman end from Dallas, is recovering rapidly from a wrenched knee he received in practice more than a week ago and should be ready to start in the Tulane scrap.

The Aggies' tentative starting lineup is as follows: Ends, Bell (165) and Malone (194); tackles, Magrill (186) and Moulden (183); guards, Christian (185) and Hornsby (195); center, Nolan (176); halfbacks, Graves (175) and McFadden (182); quarterback, Hewitt (160); fullback, Aston (175).

DARN THAT CLOCK! DENVER.—Everyone hates an alarm clock because it was intended to arouse people from restful slumbers. But J. L. Galvan has a double dislike for them. He was walking out of a local drug store with an alarm clock he stole under his coat. All at once the alarm went off. The clerk looked at Galvan—Galvan looked at the clerk. J. L. dropped the clock and ran, but the clerk soon caught him. Galvan's in jail now and has no use for an alarm clock.

that, waved under the mast head of a college newspaper. "Humor was introduced in English drama for the first time by a wife wringing her husband's neck." Again "Andrea de Sarto was not naturally quarrelsome, but his wife was of the opposite sex."

Rufus Hyde was desolated to learn that he had made a faux pas at Simmons in his hey day had 300 wives and 700 porcupines. His grades had been good, or else a statement a few days later to the effect that the tower of Babel was where Solomon locked his wives would have been calculated to erase him from the Simmons roster.

Jim Kelly, writing only recently about something that eventually raised a furor, said somewhere in his story "to love, honor and suckle thy father and mother." In a little school with its pig tails, hewed log seats and desks, he let his brilliant imagination run to such immense truisms as "Achilles was dipped into the Styx until he was intolerable." "The Eskimauks are God's frozen people." "Kids have hookworm in the tropical regions." "People hunt rhinoceroses in Africa." "Someone drew his bow on a venture, but missed the venture and hit Ahab." "The classes of population of India are the casts and the color." "On the day when he was chased from the little romantic school: "An Indian reservation consists of a mile of land for every five square Indians."

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Cromwell-- Aided Legion

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ery major West Texas field save two was drilled. From this began an enduring friendship. Drilled Santa Rita. Cromwell drilled in the Santa Rita on May 23, 1923, eight days after he had returned from Arkansas, where other operations had called him for two months. He shut down late Monday afternoon, May 28, and started to Big Lake. When he crossed the railroad two miles to the east he looked back and saw a black plume waving from the top of the derrick. The Santa Rita had blown in at 3,020 feet, making an estimated 150 to 200 barrels the first 40 minutes with the tools in the hole. Cromwell did not turn back but continued to Big Lake, thence to Stiles, the county seat, and by night had filled on permits to approximately 68,000 acres of university land. Few of these leases paid off, but Cromwell received a large block of Texon stock, which eventually brought him several hundred thousand dollars when he retired from the company and started him on the high road to greater success.

West Texas Transformed The Santa Rita well and the forest of derricks that sprung up 80 miles west of San Angelo transformed much of West Texas. Oil companies sent scouts, land men and geologists into the territory, independents flocked in, and it was not long until the increased wildcatting was rewarded with the opening of other pools, in Crockett, Crane, Upton, Peers, Winkler, Howland, Glasscock and other counties. Where West Texas had been known mainly for its great herds of goats and cattle, its flocks of sheep, its wool, mohair, pecans along its streams, cotton and other crops in favored sections and its tremendous possibilities, especially in minerals and irrigation, it became the "Oil Klondike."

Derricks became more conspicuous in the landscape than windmills, old overland trails became improved highways and ranch roads, once seldom used, became filled with oil field traffic. In almost incredibly short periods towns of 5,000 and 6,000 people like McCamey and Wink rose on what was only the broad prairie and the populations of established towns like Big Spring, Midland and San Angelo doubled and tripled. Land owners prospered from the sale of leases and royalties and many have become wealthy. Railroad extensions, the building of airports and the establishment of air lines contributed to a new era.

Cromwell's strike started this phenomenal development, but his drill in five years later at the world's deepest producer in the same field has been almost as significant for a greater future for West Texas. Cromwell was assistant superintendent and general manager and later a director of the Texon Oil & Land Co. during the period of its greatest development in Reagan county and he and Clayton Williams, Fort Stockton geologist, were instrumental in persuading the Texon investment in a deep test. Drilling Texon No. 1-B University began on February 8, 1926. The log reveals a story of slow progress, of lost tools, breakdown and fires that is comparable with the obstacles Cromwell overcame in bringing in the Santa Rita. The well produced 33,000 barrels of oil from a shallow pay at 2,496 feet, which the Santa Rita missed, and made oil from the regular Texon horizon at 3,000, but these horizons were cased off in search of bigger yield.

One Foot Farther There were showings further down but none very encouraging. Late in November, 1928, Frank Pickrell, Texon vice president, ordered a halt at 3,343 feet. No. 1-B having cost in excess of \$100,000, Cromwell reported the formation looked promising and successfully argued that drilling should continue. On Saturday, December 1, the bit had reached 8,518 feet in black lime when Pickrell telephoned again and insisted on a halt. Cromwell only could obey orders, but en route to the lease he lingered for a drink to revive his drooping spirits, and decided he would notify the crew the next morning. Meanwhile the drill was pounding. The next morning the head drilled advised that No. 1-B was spraying oil.

"Hit her another foot," Cromwell instructed and at 8,525 feet No. 1-B began gushing from the world's deepest pay. Today there are eight deep wells in the Big Lake field beside the discovery, ranging in depths from 8,525 to 8,923 feet, and preparations are being made to drill another. The deep wells never have been produced to capacity because of the excessive amount of gas and due to lack of outlet for the great amount of high gravity oil, and six of the nine now are shut in. These wells and others certain to be drilled to the pay a mile and three-quarters beneath the earth's surface will remain a monument to Carl Cromwell's faith, skill and persistence.

WASHINGTON.—Aerial acrobatics lead all other air offenses during the second quarter of 1931, the Aeronautics Branch of the U. S. department of commerce reports. During the period there were 65 violations of the acrobatic provisions of the Air Commerce regulations, and 44 violation of the low-flying clause.

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How Chevrolet Aided Legion

DETROIT, Mich. — Fifty-three ivory-white automobiles, all trimmed in red, blue and gold and manned by an army of drivers dressed in uniforms identically alike, were placed at the disposal of state commanders here while attending the national convention of the American legion.

The cars represent part of the many extraordinary provisions made for the comfort and convenience of Legionnaires during their annual conclaves, and were one of several contributions of the Chevrolet Motor company to further the success of the convention. The cars—special sedans—carried the legion seal in gold on the driver's door, and lettering designating the state or territory of the commander to which each car was assigned. Cars served the commanders from early morning until midnight every day of the convention, and were available constantly for use anywhere in the county in which Detroit is located. Covers for the spare tires, carried in forward fender wells, revealed a motif worked out in red, white and blue, and the drivers, in naval uniforms, also carried the national colors in their dress.

In addition to supplying cars to state commanders, the Chevrolet company loaned its trail-blazing automobile, which two years ago completed the first land trip ever made from Buenos Aires to the United States, to the "40 & 8" parade, and supplied every legionnaire who registered for the convention with a bronze medal commemorative of his visit to the city.

When Ladies Refuse Then There's Drama

Unconventional and refreshing throughout, and packing a powerful dramatic wallop, Radio Pictures' "The Lady Refuses," starting today at the Grand theatre, strikes a new note in audible film entertainment. Such a story makes those who work with it favor original stories for the screen—and of course, those occasional big plays, novels and historical incidents that happen to be inherently screen material, as well.

In Miss Compson is a mysterious lady from the streets of London who enters a wealthy family to win the son from a dangerous "vamp"—and falls in love with the wrong man herself. That is one of the many unconventional twists with which the film is packed.

HERE NICE KITTY— BUT NO USE. PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Horns toothed street car bells jangled, and traffic was tied in a hard knot in Oakland. Under one street car a perspiring policeman was crawling. Peacefully out from under the car a cat gazed at him and steadfastly refused to move.

The cat was seen to run underneath the car by the motorman. He stopped the car to save the kitty. In the meantime traffic piled up behind it. Patrolman Dean Moriarity was called. His repeated pleas to, the cat were unheeded by the feline and Moriarity was forced to crawl under the car on his stomach and chase the cat over the rough street on his hands and knees.

A 2000-barrel oil well was brought in near Hamlin early in August, and two wells offsetting it have been spudded in.

The site for the proposed \$165,000 federal building at Big Spring has been secured.

drooping spirits, and decided he would notify the crew the next morning. Meanwhile the drill was pounding. The next morning the head drilled advised that No. 1-B was spraying oil.

"Hit her another foot," Cromwell instructed and at 8,525 feet No. 1-B began gushing from the world's deepest pay. Today there are eight deep wells in the Big Lake field beside the discovery, ranging in depths from 8,525 to 8,923 feet, and preparations are being made to drill another. The deep wells never have been produced to capacity because of the excessive amount of gas and due to lack of outlet for the great amount of high gravity oil, and six of the nine now are shut in. These wells and others certain to be drilled to the pay a mile and three-quarters beneath the earth's surface will remain a monument to Carl Cromwell's faith, skill and persistence.

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End of Week Specials

Next Saturday will be the last Trades Day. All tickets must be in by that time. The merchandise below is specially priced for THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY Selling.

- OUTINGS, a very splendid quality yard wide Outing, light and dark colors, the yard 10c
FAST COLOR PRINTS, yard wide, pretty patterns, the yard 10c
BATH TOWELS, size 18x36, colored border bath towel, each 10c
BLEACHED SHEETING, good quality, no starch or sizing, 81 inches wide, yard 25c
LINEN TABLE DAMASK, 70 inches wide, silver bleach, pure linen, three beautiful designs, the yard \$1.00
NAPKINS TO MATCH the three pieces of pure linen, 20x20, the dozen \$2.95
HEMSTITCHED CASES, a splendid quality, hemstitched pillow case, 42x36, each 25c
FEATHER PILLOWS, 5 pairs of regular \$7.50 values in Wearwell pure goose feather pillows, offered to close, pair \$3.95
BATH TOWELS, one of the best and largest bath towels in the house, double thread, soft and fluffy, size 24x46, each 25c
QUILTING CHALIES, yard wide, the prettiest patterns we have ever offered, yard 12 1/2c
COTTON BATTING, full three pounds, bleached white. Stitched cotton batts, each 69c
CRETONNES, about fifteen pieces yard wide Cretonnes, regular 25c, 29c and 39c values offered special this week end, yard 15c
NEW INVADER PRINTS, about fifteen pieces beautiful new fast color Invader Prints, the finest thing in fast color, yard wide, yard 19c
LADIES' RAYON BLOOMERS, a very good number at a low price, pink only, the pair 39c
COSTUME SLIPS, one of the best values we have ever offered, pink and peach, each \$1.00
RAYON GOWNS, a very attractive number and a very special value, each \$1.00
COTTON BLANKETS, a very soft, well napped fluffy cotton blanket in tan and grey with borders, size 66x76, double, the pair 89c
CURTAIN BARGAINS. This is a clean-up of odd pairs and where there is just a pair or two of a kind, values from \$1.00 to \$1.50. Choice, this week end, the pair 69c
STRIPED MATTRESS TICK, a full 7 oz., blue and white striped Ticking, has sold as high as 35c the yard, week end special, yard 15c
BEAUTIFUL BED SPREADS just received this morning, two very special values in beautiful ruffled Rayon Bed Sets. You must see these to appreciate the very wonderful value, the set—\$5.00 and \$9.85
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ACROBATICS LEAD WASHINGTON.—Aerial acrobatics lead all other air offenses during the second quarter of 1931, the Aeronautics Branch of the U. S. department of commerce reports. During the period there were 65 violations of the acrobatic provisions of the Air Commerce regulations, and 44 violation of the low-flying clause.

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