

WEST TEXAS: Mostly cloudy tonight and Saturday. Warmer in north portion.

STERLING CONTEST TRIUMPHANT OCT. 3

FOUL PLAY FEARED FOR H. DOHERTY

Mysterious Notes in Hands of Police; Hunt Pooded

BURLINGTON Okla., Sept. 23.—Friends of Henry C. Doherty, young president of the Burlington bank, missing since last Sunday now express the belief he may have met with foul play at the hands of someone he had picked up while driving to Dumas, Texas, on business.

Officers are under way for reopening the bank, headed by Doherty for six years.

Abandoned Car Found

Doherty's trip to Dumas, never completed, was for the purpose of collecting notes amounting to about \$3,000 due the bank.

His abandoned automobile was found near Newcastle, in Cleveland county, last yesterday.

Two mysterious telephone calls to the banker in Wichita, Kan., added fresh mystery to the case. The calls, reported to Alfalfa county authorities last night, were received Tuesday night.

Officers said they were told the first caller said:

"I phone bad news. Henry won't return. Don't tell anyone but your son and daughter. God bless you."

Thirty minutes another anonymous caller said, "That call a while ago was all a farce."

Mysterious Note

The case was made more mysterious by a note signed "a Hoover bug," mailed from Oklahoma City to the state highway department, which turned the missive over to the banker's workmen here.

The note gave the number of an automobile license tag which corresponded to that of Doherty's car. It read:

"Note to car license No. 214967. Be sure to look on the northeast side of the Santa Fe underpass and find what I saw north of Amarillo. He should have had the gun. I was sure of it. Hoover Bug."

Doherty's family reported he left Burlington for Dumas, Texas, north of Amarillo, on a business trip, but Texas authorities reported he never arrived there. His family received a letter from the banker mailed Sunday at Amarillo. This letter gave instructions to Mrs. Doherty regarding some routine business.

AMARILLO, Sept. 23.—Search in Amarillo and surrounding country today failed to reveal any trace of H. C. Doherty, missing bank president of Burlington, Okla., who is said to have mailed a letter from Amarillo Sunday night.

Officers said they had investigated the country for miles around all underpasses north of Amarillo and had failed to discover any clues to confirm the information placed in a note received by the Oklahoma highway department and signed "a Hoover bug."

Police checked all Amarillo hotels and carried out a search in all surrounding cities in efforts to locate Doherty.

Denton Nursery Is Park Trees Donor

Twenty-two of the tallest and among the finest trees out on public property in Midland were donated this week by the Foster Nurseries of Denton. These trees, which are 8 and 9-foot Chinese elms, were shipped to Midland in November or December.

The trees from the Foster nursery were donated to set out in John Haley park to take the place of trees that died this summer. The Denton nursery wrote the chamber of commerce it would be glad to send the trees free of charge as suggested by the Midland chamber. The Foster nursery is among the oldest in Texas, having been established in 1888.

Bomb Damages Home Of Theatre Owner

DALLAS, Sept. 23. (UP).—A nitroglycerine explosion early this morning damaged the home of W. E. Paschal, former executive of the Paramount-Publix theatres, who recently took over 47 Texas theatres.

The blast shattered windows of his home and of one next door. Exhaustive search by police today failed to take the woman attacked there and then attempted to commit suicide. The children range in ages from nine to three years. All probably will recover.

Female Fiend Slashes Four

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 23. (UP).—Mrs. Harriet Pulp, 31, and her four children were found by police today, badly suffering from slashed wrists. The mother was charged as a "female fiend" by two of the children who said the woman attacked them and then attempted to commit suicide. The children range in ages from nine to three years. All probably will recover.

Dobie, Author to Speak Here Monday, Appealing

Psychology tells us that first impressions are the most lasting, but those who have known Dr. Dobie will agree that all impressions of him are both lasting and pleasant.

On first acquaintance one is impressed with the striking resemblance of Professor Dobie to Will Rogers, the great comedian and movie star. Of medium size, with dark complexion, iron-gray hair, usually towed, steel-blue eyes, showing a good deal of white as his head drops forward and as he looks out from under a raised brow, "a drawing southern voice" with typical cowboy accent, and a million-dollar smile that spreads over his countenance until it reaches his eyes and his forehead—this is the man you first see. On further acquaintance, however, his zeal and passion for his theme leave the impression that Will Rogers is more like him than he is like Will Rogers.

He is so far from imitation so original and straightforward, and is so consumed with a zeal and a love for his subject, amounting as they do to a passion, that that observer ceases to see any one but Dobie himself.

The following personal description of Professor Dobie by John William Lagoma is both accurate and fitting: "Middling tall, sturdy built, there is about him something that belongs to the out-of-doors, that belongs to men who have spent much time on horses and feet comfortable inside a house only when it is understood that before long they will be able to get out again. A pair of as frank steel-blue eyes as ever gazed squarely into yours, and what that is beginning to gray and has a habit of getting towed, a drawing southern voice, and deliberation in thought and movement. After the business of his eyes one is likely to become aware of a disarming smile and his unaffected way of meeting you as man to man. Dobie has the plainsman's instinctive courtesy toward strangers. Talking with him, the writer was suddenly struck with what seemed a likeness to Will Rogers, who hails from Oklahoma. The resemblance, it seems, has been frequently remarked, the two might be blood brothers."

Professor Dobie will speak Monday evening at the high school auditorium to teachers of Midland, Martin, Andrews, Ector, Crane and Howard counties, and to all who wish to hear him and who can find room in the auditorium. The Midland school will give a brief introductory program for 10 or 15 minutes just before the lecture. Approximately 75 seats will be placed in the auditorium, and officials of the school, the city and the county.

Dr. Dobie's subject will be "Tales of the Texas Soil." There will be no charge for admission, and the program will start promptly at 8 o'clock.

Negro Flyers at Sloan Field Today

What is described as the first cross country transcontinental flight of negro flyers, from Midland today when the Eaglerock biplane of J. Herman Banning, owner and pilot of Wichita Falls, and Thomas Allen of New York, landed at Sloan field on a light from El Paso through Wink.

The negro airmen started at Los Angeles two days ago and will end their flight in New York.

They did not say they would take off to the east this afternoon, but waited at the field to see if the low ceiling would lift.

Funeral Director Back from Meeting

Nannie W. Ellis, Midland funeral director, returned last night from Big Spring, where he attended the district meeting of the Texas Funeral Directors' association.

A banquet at the Settles hotel opened the session, a business meeting following.

This district includes 40 West Texas counties and 36 representatives attended. The association meets every three months.

Late News

TAYLOR, Sept. 23. (UP).—The body of Steve Nerka, 61, prominent Williamson county resident, sought for six days, was found today pinned beneath his car three miles north of here. The machine had plunged into deep water. Officers believe the man was killed Saturday night.

BOISE, Sept. 23. (UP).—Mrs. William E. Borah was resting comfortably today as her doctors awaited the plane carrying a shipment of parrot fever serum. It was expected late today, having been dispatched yesterday from Washington by the federal health service.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23. (UP).—Congressman John Garner arrived here today from Detroit, Texas, where he attended the funeral of his mother. He will leave Sunday for New York, he announced.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23. (UP).—Dorothy S. Egan, editor of the Moose magazine, admitted in the trial of United States Senator Davis today that he had not printed stories of the charity ball "drawings" on account of fear of postal law violations.

AUSTIN, Sept. 23. (UP).—Three suspects were held today in the unsolved murder of Edgar Arledge, university student. Sheriff Coley C. White said that the third is deranged.

HOOVER LEADS ROOSEVELT IN FIRST RETURNS

Hoover is ahead of Roosevelt by a small margin in the first scattering returns of The Literary Digest 20,000,000 ballot nation-wide "straw" presidential poll, which is said to be the largest unofficial referendum of its kind ever conducted.

Of the 609 ballots returned Hoover has 28,193 votes and Roosevelt 27,554, making a percentage of 46.73 of the total for the republican candidate as against 45.84 for the democratic leader. The other 743 per cent of the ballots are cast for the five minor candidates with Norman Thomas leading these.

Of the five states reported in this initial return Hoover is shown leading in Indiana and New York. Roosevelt is ahead in Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

An analysis of how the same voters voted in 1928 shows that Roosevelt is recouping 39.51 per cent of his strength in these first returns from those who voted republican four years ago while 44 per cent of the total balloting comes from the democratic voters in the last presidential election.

The same tabulation shows Hoover obtaining 81.03 per cent of his total votes from those who voted for him in 1928 with a gain of only 6.16 per cent from the democratic ranks.

A startling local shift in party lines is indicated. The first returns from Pennsylvania, comprising 11,221 votes, which show that 46.44 per cent of the democratic vote in that state is coming from former republicans while Hoover there is capturing only 4.31 per cent of the democratic vote of four years ago. The minor candidates are getting their largest strength also, 8.88 per cent of the state's vote, in Pennsylvania.

Likewise, in New York, Roosevelt appears to be drawing heavily from the republican ranks, gaining 36.09 per cent of his strength from those who voted for his political rival in 1928, whereas Hoover is shown to be getting less than 7 per cent of former democratic adherents, 81.06 per cent of those voting for him in 1928.

In none of the five states reported is Roosevelt showing less than 25 per cent of the final vote, but the republican columns, while in none of these does Hoover obtain more than 9 per cent of his votes from democratic partisans of four years ago.

A feature of the poll shows that 15 per cent of the voters in this unofficial balloting did not cast a vote in 1928, which may be largely accounted for probably by those arriving at the polls in the majority since the last election.

A state by state tabulation, noted as far from complete and possibly not even indicative of the final vote, shows Indiana voting Hoover 1,109; Roosevelt 907; New York, Hoover 14,933; Roosevelt 11,910; Ohio, Hoover 14,333; Roosevelt 14,411; Pennsylvania, Hoover 9,423; Roosevelt 11,221; and West Virginia, Hoover 1,576; Roosevelt 2,175.

"A pretty even start for a long hard race," the magazine states editorially, "that's the first impression one receives from the initial tabulation in The Digest's presidential poll.

"One contestant shows slightly to the front. It is President Hoover, who would be easy to attach too much importance, however, to the positions of rivals at the very outset of a race.

"The relative positions of President Hoover and Governor Roosevelt in the voting at this initial stage of the poll is a circumstance upon which sagacious students of the great straw vote will suspend their judgment.

"Every stage of the statistical work involves a careful checking, but the progress is as rapid as The Digest's standards of accuracy will permit. At the next our staff has struck now, next week's report is likely to embrace more than twice as many states multiplying this week's totals many times over.

"We find Hoover ahead in two states—Indiana and New York. We find Roosevelt ahead in three states—Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

"It is the early and fragmentary New York vote which gives the president his perhaps fortuitous lead at this stage of the poll.

"Turning to the columns showing how the same voters voted in 1928, the drift indications of this introductory tabulation are just as inconclusive as the relative positions of the candidates. Besides, so many democrats voted for Hoover in 1928 that any such drift as the one under discussion might be simply a return drift of democrats to their normal party allegiance."

The Literary Digest calls attention to the fact that the presidential poll conducted by the magazine in 1928 showed an average error of less than 5 per cent, both in the popular vote.

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Liquor Control Is World Issue



left is Joseph Livesey, leader of "The Seven Men of Preston," who circulated the first total abstinence pledge in 1832 and to whose birthplace (shown man) a pilgrimage will be made by world prohibition leaders meeting in England this year.

A TEMPERANCE MAP OF EUROPE.—Although prohibition has found its greatest field in the United States, a number of the countries of Europe, where the movement began 100 years ago, have adopted government control or laws of a regulatory nature, as shown on the above map. At left is Joseph Livesey, leader of "The Seven Men of Preston," who circulated the first total abstinence pledge in 1832 and to whose birthplace (shown man) a pilgrimage will be made by world prohibition leaders meeting in England this year.

By MILTON BRONNER

European Manager, NEA Service

LONDON.—Did you ever hear of "The Seven Men of Preston," who lived a hundred years ago?

The chances are that few Americans ever did, but the fact remains that the movement they started in 1832 has reached across the span of a century to provide one of the biggest issues in the United States' 1932 presidential race.

For these "Seven Men of Preston" were the true founders of the prohibition movement as it exists today. They drew up and signed the first pledge to abstain from intoxicating drinks.

They were English, these "Seven Men of Preston," and soon prohibition delegations from all over the world will gather in England to do honor to their memory. There will be a pilgrimage to the little town of Preston where they lived, and on Oct. 22 the centenary celebration will come to a close with a thanksgiving service in Westminster Abbey with the bishop of Norwich preaching.

Pledge to Abstain

Back in 1832 Britain was a drink-soaked country. One Joseph Livesey, a leather-faced, elderly carpenter of the little town of Preston—pondered this. He came to the conclusion that the way to quit alcohol was to quit it. He signed a pledge with his big carpenter's pencil he finally produced the following:

"In order that I may be at my best and give of my best to my family and to my country, I hereby pledge myself to abstain from all liquors of intoxicating quality."

Joseph Livesey signed this pledge and six of his fellow workmen signed it, too. They were John Gratix, Edward Dickinson, John Broadbelt, John Smith, David Anderton, and John King.

It is known this was the first time in history that a total abstinence pledge had been signed and adhered to by any one group. They got others to sign it and the movement grew.

Out of the action of these seven men arose the prohibition movement which now has spread through the world, meeting with varying success in various countries.

Britain Notes Decrease

A unique feature of the centenary celebration, promoted by the National Temperance League, is the issuance of millions of small cards bearing a facsimile of the original pledge taken by the "Seven Men of Preston." Many men prominent in the British mix of liquor will sign the first and then the public will be asked to do so.

Singularly enough, absolute prohibition is not the law of the land in England, where the movement started, or in any other European country, though it crossed the ocean to the United States and became implanted in the constitution there.

Though many nations of Europe have enacted laws regulating and controlling sale of intoxicants, it is still possible to buy liquor legally in Europe. Finland did have prohibition for a period of years, but it abandoned this plan not long ago in favor of government control of the industry.

But, prohibition or no prohibition, the use of intoxicants is decreasing in Britain. Consumption of absolute alcohol fell 48 per cent from 1913 to 1930, despite an increase in the population. Stringent government laws have reduced by almost half the hours during which liquor can be sold. The price has been more than trebled and the government reaps the benefit through increased taxation.

A survey of Europe shows that even though absolute prohibition does not now exist in any country on the continent, nevertheless, the movement started by the "Seven Men of Preston" has borne fruit in many cases.

Nations Reap Revenue

It has brought about strict government regulation, local option by (See PROHIBITION page 4)

CITATIONS ISSUED, PETITION IS FILED

AUSTIN, Sept. 23. (UP).—Trial of the court contest of Ross Sterling of the democratic gubernatorial nomination of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson was set today for October 3.

Citations in the suit were made this morning. The defendants have five days in which to answer the petition.

Date for the hearing was set for the regular term of district court with Judge W. F. Robertson to hear the case. The 42-page petition and 1,600 pages of exhibits were filed last night.

AUSTIN, Sept. 23.—Governor R. S. Sterling last night filed a new suit in his court fight contesting the August 27 primary election, in which Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson received a majority vote, declared the democratic gubernatorial nominee.

Attached to the new petition were approximately 1,300 pages of exhibits containing the names of approximately 20,000 voters who allegedly cast illegal votes.

Governor Sterling had contended he received a majority of the legal votes cast and filed the suit in an effort to bar Mrs. Ferguson from entering the general election as the party's nominee.

Filing of the new petition followed dismissal of the original suit several hours earlier at the request of the governor's attorneys. The suit was dismissed without prejudice by District Judge W. F. Robertson, in whose court the new petition also was filed. The governor's attorneys declined to give a reason for dismissing the original suit.

The new petition averred that Governor Sterling "received all of the votes legally cast and set out that all the votes cast for Mrs. Ferguson were illegally cast for her, in that she was ineligible to become a candidate of the democratic party at the general election and ineligible to the office of governor."

Numerous Charges

Numerous allegedly illegal practices were set out. It was charged that in certain counties judges failed to sign the ballots; that the ballots were not numbered; that tax collectors failed to furnish election officials with certified poll tax lists; that judges suggested how the voters should vote and did not prepare the ballots as directed; that foreigners, negroes and felons were allowed to vote; that persons were allowed to vote under the names of receipts who were not otherwise exempted; that votes were tabulated for Mrs. Ferguson that were not cast for her, and that transcripts and others were altered.

The petition alleged Mrs. Ferguson was ineligible to hold office because she was the wife of James E. Ferguson, a licensed attorney and judge, and that she was ineligible under the community property law. Ferguson was impeached and removed from the governor's office in 1917.

Served as Attorney

The pleadings alleged that during Mrs. Ferguson's first administration in 1925 and 1926, Ferguson became the attorney in fact and agent of various corporations and thereby increasing the community earnings of himself and wife.

In each of these years, the petition alleged, Mrs. Ferguson's earnings were classified as "compensation, rewards, fees, secured by her for the practicing of his calling, her husband as her marital partner and by services which he rendered to various interests and corporations."

This, it was alleged, was in violation of the constitutional provision which prohibits the governor from practicing any profession or receiving any reward, fee or compensation.

"Influenced Acts"

During the period when Mrs. Ferguson was governor, Ferguson "acted as a hand in the organization of Dr. K. F. Campbell, another Midland dentist, planned to attend.

Elmer Jones, former Midland mayor, placed Mexico in calf roping Tuesday at the Tri-State fair at Amarillo, his time being 23.4 seconds. Jake McClure was first for the day and Everett Bowman was first the day before. The rodeo, in connection with the fair, continues through Saturday.

ROPE AT AMARILLO

A Midland dentist, Dr. L. B. Pemberton, will complete his term as president of the West Texas Dental society Saturday, when Dr. H. Wiggins of San Angelo is installed as his successor on the last day of the day and night convention.

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A much-sought-after book, "Morning Becomes Electric," has been received from the state library, according to Miss Marguerite Hester, Midland librarian. It may be checked out beginning this afternoon.

Ballots Not Numbered

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MIDLAND CRASH VICTIMS SAID RESTING WELL

Charley King and Mrs. Buck King, injured Thursday afternoon in a collision of the automobile they were driving with a westbound bus, were reported today to be resting comparatively well at local hospitals.

Mrs. King sustained a broken arm and numerous cuts and bruises. Charley King received a broken leg, severe head gashes and a number of lacerations.

Buck King, foreman of the Leon Goodman "Goldsmith place" ranch, two miles northwest of Odessa, arrived late yesterday upon receipt of news of the accident, as did their two children who were attending school at Odessa.

Sloan Field in Good Condition

Captain Meloy and Captain E. J. Donahue, who have spent two days here awaiting good weather reports before continuing their flight to Dayton, Ohio, took off this morning for Dallas, but low ceiling forced them to land at Big Spring. They were met by Douglas-36 airplane similar to the first round-the-world ship and the ship adopted by the national guards.

Port attaches received a wire today from Fort Sill inquiring as to the condition of the field for landing heavy bombers. Several bombers are expected to land between 5 and 6 o'clock this afternoon on route to El Paso. The field is in good condition, the attaches said, pointing out that the field's sandy loam texture and natural drainage make it possible for the heaviest ships to land in the worst weather.

Exchange Insists Upon Retraction

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 23. (UP).—The cotton exchange today rejected a demand that the Texas legislature retract its charges of "malicious manipulation of the cotton market" made September 15.

"We want no hearing before the Texas legislature. We are satisfied with the hearing before the part of the public interested in the matter," President Russell Clark said.

GINNING REPORT

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23. (UP).—The census bureau today reported 2,830 ginning bales of cotton ginned from the 1932 crop prior to September 16.

Bulletin

AUSTIN, Sept. 23. (UP).—The highway department announced today the establishment of division buildings at Abilene, El Paso and Paris and a \$10,000 warehouse and shop building at Pecos. Abilene will get a \$12,000 office building and a \$10,000 warehouse.

Bids were announced for \$25,000 of equipment, including \$5,000 for pistols, badges and kit equipment for motor patrolmen. It was announced that the commission had decided to use metal strips in the center of all concrete roads built with federal aid, an incentive to more employment.

Order for a minimum of 30 cents an hour for unskilled labor on all jobs was issued, in compliance with federal demand.

TOTAL OF 22.87 INCHES OF RAIN HERE FOR YEAR

Rainfall for the past two days, until 8 o'clock this morning, totaled 2.84 inches, and brought the total precipitation in Midland for the year to 22.87 inches. Average rainfall here is approximately 18 inches.

Cotton farmers were pessimistic over the prospects of being kept out of their fields just at the time when cotton was beginning to open fast.

It rained water-dogs up on West Wall Thursday afternoon. Proof of that statement was furnished by Clyde Y. Barron, operator of the Conoco station at Wall and Maricfield, who reached in and pulled one out of the cocker's pit under the car.

He said positively that the dog was rained into the pit. The water dog was pickled in alcohol and presented to the West Wall town council. True, he claimed a prior right to the varmint on the grounds that Barron claimed it was "rained."

Immediate prospects for fair weather were not held out by weather observers.

Other towns of this general area reported rainfall that ranged from heavy downpours to continuous drizzles. The following report was obtained at 1:30 this afternoon: Seminole, a good rain last night; yesterday, a four-inch rain yesterday and a continuous shower today; Rankin, a hard rain this morning; Texas and Big Lake, four inches last night; Wink and Kermit, a good rain last night and rain, most of today; Big Spring, rain all yesterday and still raining today; Fort Stockton and rain yesterday and misting rain most of today.

BREVITIES

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RED CROSS MEET CALLED TO TAKE UP NEW RELIEF

The Midland committee of the Red Cross will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the commissioners' court room for discussion of the annual roll call which is held between Armistice and Thanksgiving days.

Mrs. John Haley, district chairman, will preside.

Marion F. Peters has consented to be roll call chairman.

Field Representative S. Edway Palmer of St. Louis likely will be here. According to a telegram to Mrs. Haley, he was water-bound earlier today and faced inability to arrive.

The following telegram from F. A.

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BUILDING POINTS THE WAY

A survey and forecast for the building industry in the United States during the next year, just completed by the magazine, American Architect, indicates that the great building trades are about to emerge from the depression.

The survey shows, for instance, that fully \$1,750,000,000 is going to be spent during the next 12 months on new building projects and on modernization work.

"The beginning of the recovery period is here," says the magazine. "Building activity begins its steady, though slow, upward swing during the fall of 1932."

If this survey is correct, it is extremely good news. There can be no real revival without a pickup in the building industry; and, conversely, if the building industry revives, it can be expected to carry other industries up with it.

"From Kirkuk to Baiji (on the Tigris) and from Baiji to Haditha (on the Euphrates)" is not quite from the advertisement of a colorful Near East tour. It is merely the route of a prosaic pipe line being built in Iraq.

Side Glances By Clark



"I don't know whether the public has noticed it, but my recent work lacks the vigor of my earlier things."

The Town Quack



(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything.) "Best vicious for a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year," he said promptly.

A laborer called up the woman's exchange and said he believed he would keep his Maggie. An eastern bank won the prize for taking over frozen assets when it foreclosed on an ice-skating palace valued at \$600,000.

If beer and the bonus were granted at the same time, what a celebration there would be. Shorty Holster received a call from the postoffice that his shipment of baby chicks had arrived. Cheap, cheap!

It is said that the Sing Sing football coach has fewer worries than any mentor. He isn't bothered at his secret practices and he never has any players ineligible on account of scholarship.

I see where another man has come out with publicity as to who did or did not kill Billy the Kid. Looks like they don't want to see anybody get the credit.

This rain really has slowed up cotton picking, so I take back what I said about those who loaf on the streets—that is, I take it back for a few days. When the weather clears up, I'll say it again.

An old joke sent in: "So they operated on your old woman?" "How's she making out?" "She'll recover." "Did they give her an anaesthetic when they operated?" "No, they gave her ether."

Spence Jewell, who was trying this morning to find out about the train out at Kent, is one ranchman who can hope it rains plenty without having to worry about how it affects the cotton picking.

Theodore Roosevelt, at 43, was the youngest man to ever be president of the United States. Horses, like elephants and many other animals, have the power of sleeping while standing up.

A sheet of paper. They could then be rolled into a tube and used as a muff. Some, I admit, remained in this position until they grew together at the edges, but the next generation was not true to this type.

That was quite an interesting winter we spent with those eskimos and, with the exception of your harpoon wedding, very pleasant. I have sometimes hoped that we might go back again, but perhaps you wouldn't care about it.

Yes, they were remarkable people. As I remember it, they were very cold natured, living so far north. The normal temperature of their blood was 26 degrees below zero and they used blocks of ice to warm their huts. One day I saw one of them spit in a lake and freeze it solid.

Col. True maintains a standing invitation to others to write to him and tell of their own extraordinary experiences. No holds barred. Address Col. True, in care of The Reporter-Telegram.

Dear Colonel: I was interested in your account of the "inside-out" lions you encountered on your African trip. Sorry I was not able to be with you on that particular expedition. However, I want to contest your statement that they are, to your best knowledge, the only fur-lined animals in existence. Surely you have not forgotten, old man, the winter of 1897 when you and I were frozen in white exploring north of the north pole. You will certainly remember the tribe of unknown eskimos with whom we wintered, who are born with searchlights in their foreheads to enable them to see during the six months of winter, and who breed a species of fur-lined outer which they use as muffs.

With pleasant memories of old times and kindest regards, I am Your pal, OLD JOE ANANIAS HAZELTINE

Sir: One of the greatest pleasures of my declining years is to receive letters from old friends like yourself, with whom I have gone through hardships and danger. However, I must adhere to my contention that the lions I mentioned are the only true fur-lined animals I have ever encountered. I recalled the others you speak of, and considered them before making the statement. But I am sure you will remember they were developed artificially, each succeeding generation requiring the same treatment. These others were taken, when small, and placed under a flat rock where they attained their full growth, shaped much like

Swapping Yarns with Col. True

Col. True maintains a standing invitation to others to write to him and tell of their own extraordinary experiences. No holds barred. Address Col. True, in care of The Reporter-Telegram.

Dear Colonel: I was interested in your account of the "inside-out" lions you encountered on your African trip. Sorry I was not able to be with you on that particular expedition. However, I want to contest your statement that they are, to your best knowledge, the only fur-lined animals in existence. Surely you have not forgotten, old man, the winter of 1897 when you and I were frozen in white exploring north of the north pole. You will certainly remember the tribe of unknown eskimos with whom we wintered, who are born with searchlights in their foreheads to enable them to see during the six months of winter, and who breed a species of fur-lined outer which they use as muffs.

With pleasant memories of old times and kindest regards, I am Your pal, OLD JOE ANANIAS HAZELTINE

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Churches

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS O. W. Roberts, Pastor Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Evening preaching at 8 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 9:45 a. m.—Bible school. 7:00 p. m.—Y. P. S. C. E. CHURCH OF CHRIST J. A. McCall, Pastor Bible study—9:45 a. m. Preaching and communion—11 a. m. Young people's class—7:15. Preaching and communion at 8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN CHURCH W. G. Buchschacher, Pastor Services every second Sunday and fourth Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Trinity Chapel, corner of Colorado and Wall.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. J. A. Sirois, Pastor Mass Sunday at 8 o'clock, sermon in English and at 10 sermon in Spanish. Thursday mass at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH W. J. Coleman, Pastor Church school, Sunday morning at 9:45. A. Harry Anderson, superintendent. Divine worship, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sermon theme: "How Great Works Are Done." Text: Exodus 4:2.

The young people of the church meet Sunday evening at 7:15. Miss Janis McMullan will lead the meeting. Miss Marguerite Bivins, president. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. Sermon theme: "Lowering the Standard." Text: John 4:7 and 13. Midweek service, Wednesday evening at 7:45. At this service the pastor will bring a brief message from the fourth discourse of our Lord as found in the fifth chapter of John.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Winston Borum, Pastor Promotion exercises will be the feature of the morning services at the First Baptist church Sunday, September 25. The Sunday school and worship hour will be combined in a most interesting program, which is carried elsewhere in this paper. The pastor will preach at the evening hour, on the subject, "The God of the Flood," and will give some of his experiences in the great Mississippi flood of 1927, when the only communication was had by hydroplanes that landed on the ball park. The service will begin with orchestra concert, also special vocal numbers. The time has been vacated to 7:45 for the evening service. Training service at 6:30. Mid-week prayer service at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, studying Galatians 3.

Theodore Roosevelt, at 43, was the youngest man to ever be president of the United States. Horses, like elephants and many other animals, have the power of sleeping while standing up.

A sheet of paper. They could then be rolled into a tube and used as a muff. Some, I admit, remained in this position until they grew together at the edges, but the next generation was not true to this type.

That was quite an interesting winter we spent with those eskimos and, with the exception of your harpoon wedding, very pleasant. I have sometimes hoped that we might go back again, but perhaps you wouldn't care about it.

Yes, they were remarkable people. As I remember it, they were very cold natured, living so far north. The normal temperature of their blood was 26 degrees below zero and they used blocks of ice to warm their huts. One day I saw one of them spit in a lake and freeze it solid.

SOCIETY

Joi de Vie Bridge Party Starts New Season A four-table contract bridge party marked the first meeting Thursday of the Joi de Vie club for the new season. Mrs. M. C. Ulmer, 111 North C, was hostess. The playing rooms were attractively decorated.

Happy Birthday! TODAY Covington OMORROW J. S. and C. E. Emmell

Paisano Club Entertained with Games of "Cold Bug" "Gold Bug" was played at the regular weekly meeting of the Paisano Recreational club Thursday evening. Misses Annie Faye Duncan and Imogene Cox were hostesses at the Dunagan home, 210 South Pecos. Members attending were Misses Georgie and Lucille McMullan, Lois Walker, Irene Lord and the Missesses.

Mrs. T. C. Bobo and Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, were entertained Thursday evening at the Winston F. Borum home, 311 North Main. Table games were played. Fifteen members attended. The first dictionary was one in the Chinese language.

Weather Postpones Parent-Teachers Meeting Due to inclement weather, the Parent-Teachers association failed to hold its meeting scheduled for Thursday at the junior high school, and has postponed it until Tuesday afternoon at 3:15. Mrs. E. C. Adams is district vice-president and will preside.

Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Millican Entertain Pink roses and verbenias decorated the home of Mrs. John E. Adams, 906 West Missouri, Thursday evening when she and Mrs. North Millican entertained with two tables of bridge. Mrs. R. C. Crabbs scored high and Mrs. Dave Finley cut high. Guests were Misses Finley, Crabbs, E. E. Soper, Harry Adams, J. L. Greene, W. L. Brown, J. G. Gemmill, Walton, E. M. Miller, E. E. Payne and Miss Janice Wilkes.

Baptist Sunday School to Pass in Review The organization year of the First Baptist church begins October 1. Special promotional exercises have been prepared for the Sunday school Sunday morning, September 25, to which the general public is cordially invited. The exercises will begin at 10:15 and close at 11:45, with a varied and most interesting program, as follows:

Two Groups Of Evangels Class Entertained Two groups of the Evangels Sunday school class, those presided over

9:45, opening as usual by classes or departments for completing of records and final preparations. 10:15, assembly in main auditorium, Elliott Barron, general superintendent, presiding. Hymn No. 259, We're Marching to Zion. Prayer, The Rev. Winston Borum. Hymn No. 222, The Wondrous Story. Introduction and special by departments: adult—Clint Myrick, superintendent; young people, J. M. White, superintendent; intermediate, Mrs. Paul Vickers, superintendent; junior, Fred Middleton, superintendent. Offertory, Wallace Wimberly. Hymn No. 335, Bringing in the Sheaves. Primary, Mrs. A. B. Coleman, superintendent. Beginners and cradle roll, Mrs. R. O. Walker, superintendent. Announcements. Benediction.

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FOOD SAVINGS IN BLACK AND WHITE

Table listing food items and prices: Fresh Bananas 20c Dozen, Iceberg Lettuce 7c Head, Juicy Oranges 15c Dozen, Beef Roast, Pound 12c, SAUSAGE Country 3 pounds 25c, BACON Smoked Pound 14c.

MIDLAND PRODUCE 119 South Main

Switzerland

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Clues include: Capital of Switzerland, President of Switzerland, To ogle, Three-banded armadillo, One who irons clothes, Complains, Dried tuber of orchid, Paints, Annoy, American landscape painter, Ebony-like wood, Northeast, Chamber, Savage, brutal, Recessed, Inclined, Clided, Doctor, Small glass bottle, Chief com.

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There's no denying it—bread is front page news. Just how good it is, how much it costs are facts of interest to every last one of us, for bread is still the staff of life. That's why thrifty housewives are demanding My Bakery Bread. They know it's better because it's made under the most sanitary conditions, and because only the finest ingredients are used. And it tastes better, of course. If you're looking for a tasty, value loaf—try this better bread. At your grocer's.

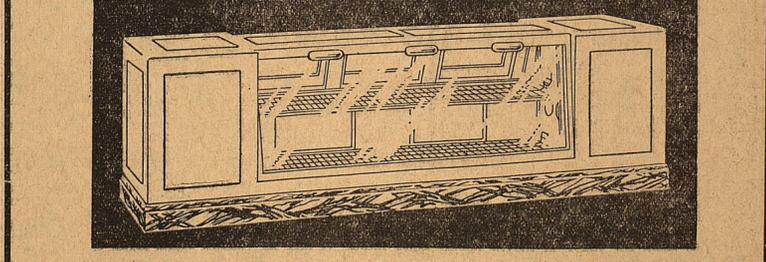
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This freezer display counter uses crushed ice and salt for cooling. Its generous shelf space permits a well arranged display of a large variety of perishable foods. Its patented system of air circulation prevents drying out of meats, vegetables, and insures original flavor.

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Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the general election Nov. 8, 1932.
 For State Senator (29th Senatorial District of Texas):
 K. M. REGAN, Pecos.

For State Representative (88th Rep. District):
 B. FRANK HAAG, Midland

For District Attorney:
 W. R. SMITH, JR.

For District Clerk:
 NETTIE C. ROMER

For County Judge:
 ELLIOTT H. BARRON

For Sheriff:
 A. C. FRANCIS

For County Treasurer:
 MARY L. QUINN

For County Clerk:
 SUSIE GRAVES NOBLE

For County Tax Assessor:
 J. H. FINE

For County Attorney:
 WALTER K. WILSON

For Justice of the Peace (Precinct No. 1):
 B. C. GIRDLEY

For Constable (Precinct No. 1):
 C. B. FONDER

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 1):
 H. G. BEDFORD

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 3):
 D. L. HUTT

GROWERS ROBBED
 ST. JOE, Ark. (UP).—Watermelon growers have been robbed so many times in this section recently, while they were on their way home from market, that they are beginning to believe that because "there are no more banks to rob round here," that the bank robbers have turned to other fields.

GUIDE HOLDS REPUTATION
 ARNOLDS PARK 1a. (UP).—Linn Hinchaw, who has considerable reputation as a fisherman's guide, holds his reputation securely today after hooking two large bass on one lure at the same time. The bass weighed four pounds and 3 3/4 pounds. There were witnesses.

The first vessel ever built on the waters of the west was the brig Dean. She was launched at the present site of Allegheny City, near Pittsburgh, in 1806.

1. Lost and Found

LOST: Red Persian cat; answers to "Tuffy." Mrs. Frank Cowden, phone 152. 170-2z

2. For Sale or Trade

CAFE and living quarters at Couden Refinery, Big Spring, Texas. Will take cash or car. Phone 445W. 169-2p

WILL trade large cabinet style Victrola and records for canned fruits, vegetables or chickens. Inquire at 905 South Weatherford or this paper. 168-x

3. Apartments

Furnished
 APARTMENT down stairs, nicely furnished; private bath; garage; also bedrooms. 121 North Big Spring. 165-6p

5. Houses

Furnished
 FOUR-ROOM furnished house; modern; neatly furnished; garage. Apply 806 South Pecos. 165-6p

6. Houses

Unfurnished
 FIVE-ROOM rock or frame house; modern. McClintic Bros. Phone 345. 165-6z

10. Bed Rooms

LARGE bedroom in brick house; has new office desk; shower bath; private entrance; garage; on pavement; to men only. 911 W. Wall. 149-10z

15. Miscellaneous

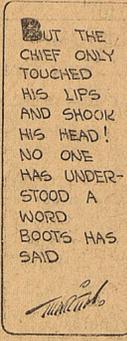
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 No. 623 A. F. & A. M.
 Stated communications 2nd and 4th Thursday night in each month at 8:00 o'clock. All members and visiting Masons invited.
 Dewey H. Pope, W. M.
 Claude O. Crane, Secy.

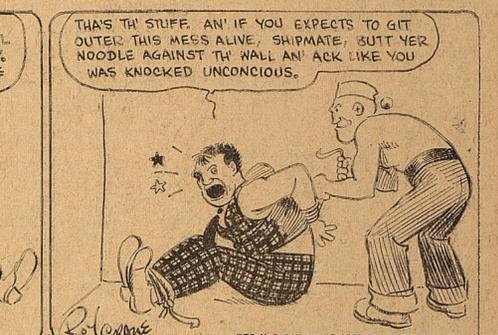
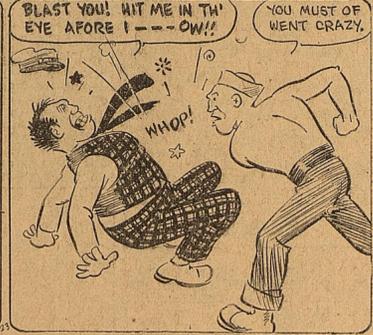
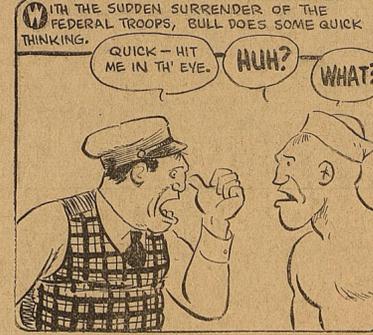
Midland Lodge No. 145 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
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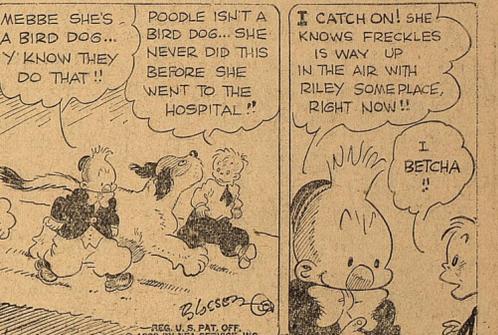
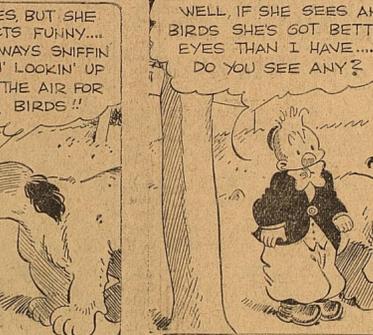
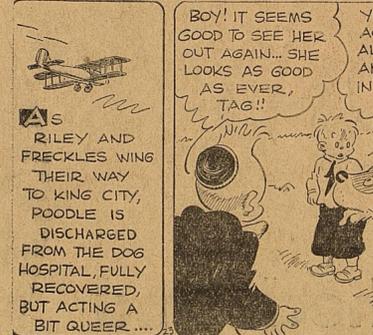
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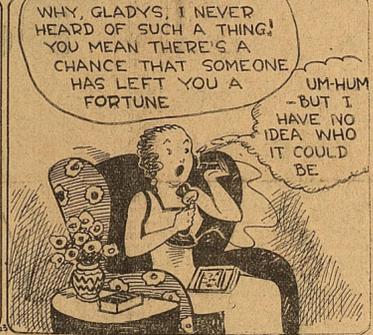
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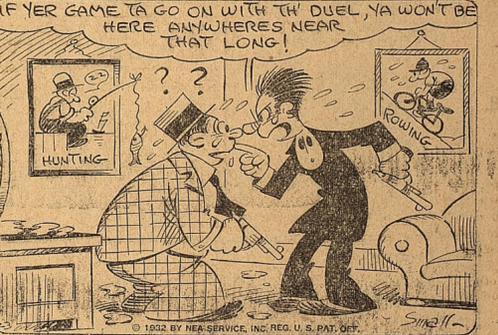
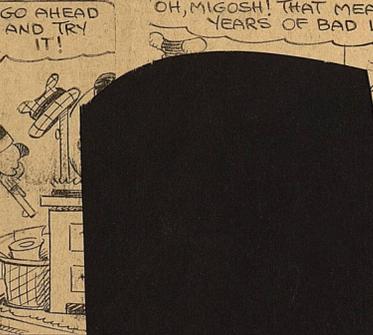
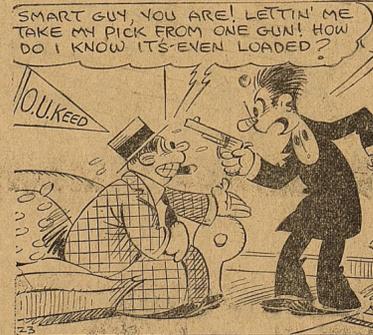
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THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)



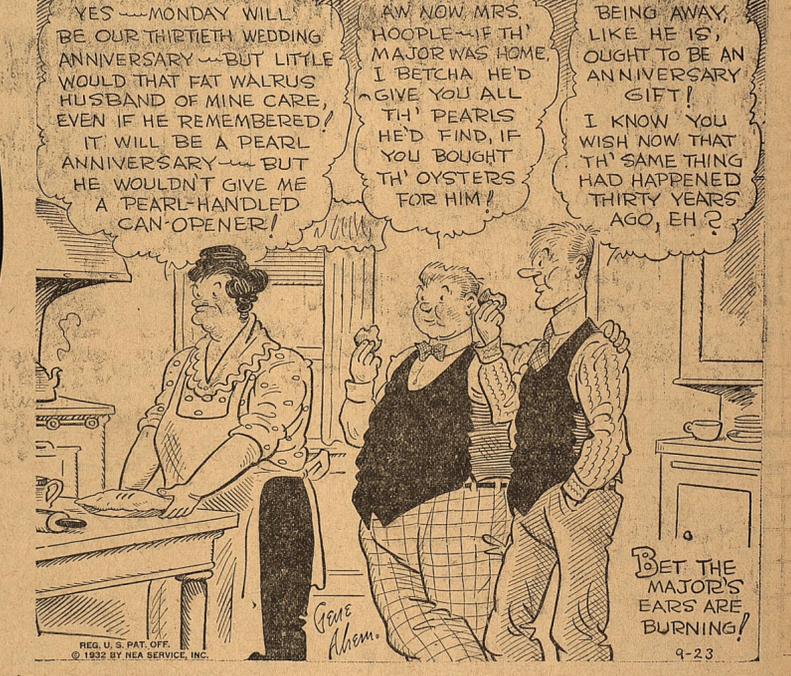
SALESMAN SAM



OUT OUR WAY



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



SPORTS
By R. C. HANKINS

You can attribute your failure today to have a gallery of type on Stanton's football prospects to our getting lost last night. We saw Pink Robertson of Stanton roaming around our village, but he was about two-thirds in eclipse because of the good looking girl he was piloting. Everytime we tried to get close enough to give him the necessary cross-examination we were blinded, so eventually we gave him the customary "Hya," and he replied in kind, "So-so." If the Buffaloes look as good next Friday as Pink's escort looked at 8:13-1-2 last night the Bulldogs better get their teeth filed and some shiny strands of barbed wire hung over them.

For the past several days we have tried to dope out in our own mind how that Midland-Stanton game will end. Too often we have seen these annual scraps, and seldom have we "hit" on a forecast. From the way the Bulldogs have been having to work new men into their offensive and due to disquieting reports of the Thundering Herd's strength we are about drawing the conclusion Midland should be satisfied to win by any margin. Stanton is supposed to have one of the strongest clubs of its history, and Midland did not benefit from loss by graduation of Burris, Midkiff, McCall, Straughan and a few of the other luminaries. The fan who says deep down in his hairy chest that the game is just a practice affair between a Class A and a Class B school and decides to remain by his fireside is likely to wish ever afterward he had seen the "game. Do you recall those two years in a row when Midland was doped to beat Stanton by a comfortable score, only to have the Humped Tribe fight the Bulldogs to scoreless ties? And do you recall that, in defeat, Stanton has always looked good and kept Midland fans' hearts beating three inches below the bridge of their noses?

Our scout, Mr. Jess Rogers, tells us the Midland club is no slouch. Further, he says there are outstanding possibilities in the eleven (I believe he used the term potentialities) but he found great men all over the landscape. As in the case of greenery, the coaches must sometimes transplant it several times before it fits in with the landscape. While it must be recognized the Bulldog coaches have a man-size job, it must be further recognized they are not employing the 8-hour-day-until-almost dusk attitude toward their charges until almost dusk. And when we say prodding, we mean the boys have their tongues out when they go to the showers.

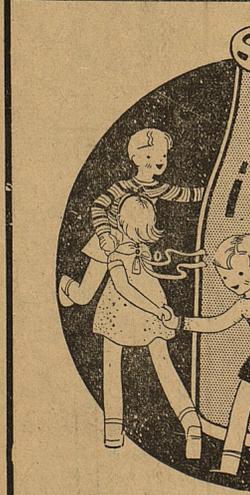
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SANITARY JERSEY DAIRY

Winkler County's Jail Now Empty

WINK, Sept. 22.—Winkler county jail is empty.

Contrary to the general belief that the oil field populace is disorderly and lawless.

Saturday, W. R. Jennings, who has been confined in jail for the past several months was taken to Monahans where he was taken in charge by prison officials who will take him to Huntsville to serve a 33-year sentence for the killing of Blackie Laughlin in this city about a year ago.

C. B. Reynolds, who has been held on a charge of hi-jacking a filling station and with the subsequent shooting of Deputy Sheriff Ellis Summers when he resisted arrest, was taken to Sweetwater and turned over to state rangers, who will take him to Dallas, where he is wanted.

Resolutions Adopted After Killian's Death

The following resolutions of respect were adopted by the Knights of Pythias lodge in memory of B. Killian, father of Mrs. M. D. Johnson, who died Sept. 18 at the age of 77.

Once again the Supreme Ruler of the Universe has called through death the Father of a Brother Knight's wife, we all feel that his going was years too soon, but God in his wisdom knew best, and took him to that beautiful home above. Even death has a wonderful mission. It lifts our hearts from our surroundings.

Too long for that meeting above; No matter how heavy the burden Does not heaven seem nearer and dearer To know that our loved ones are there.

With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand; He has wandered into an unknown land.

He has completed his labors of friendship in helping his fellow man and gone to that beautiful home above, therefore be it Resolved that Midland Lodge 145 Knights of Pythias of the Grand Domain of Texas, in testimony of our Brother M. D. Johnson's loss, we tender to him and his family our sincere condolence in their sad affliction and that they may look forward to the time when they shall meet to part no more.

And be it further resolved that we spread a copy of these resolutions on the minutes of our next convention and also place a copy in the hands of the bereaved brother and family.

R. D. Lee, D. D. G. C. H. W. Moutrey, G. C. C. F. Ulmer, V. C. Committee.

"Rear of Dragon" Richard Dix Film

Richard Dix, star of "Cimarron," "Secret Service" and other recent romantic films, has an entirely new kind of role in "Rear of the Dragon," the dramatic story of turbulent Manchuria, coming to the Grand theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

In contrast to the rollicking, light-hearted character he usually portrays, Dix is seen as a cynical, disillusioned skipper of the Chinese river service, with little faith in men and none at all in women.

Supporting Dix is Gwili Andre, young Danish actress who created a sensation in Hollywood even before the release of her first picture, Tall, slender, and with a striking blonde beauty, Miss Andre is a perfect foil for Dix in this spirited film.

Edward Everett Horton, ZaSu Pitts, Arline Judge and Dudley Digges have important roles in this RKO Radio picture directed by Wesley Ruggles.

Prohibition--
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which certain areas can vote themselves dry if they desire, rigid laws prohibiting sales to minors, government-aided temperance campaigns and heavy taxation of the liquor industry.

Outstanding examples of "dripping wet" nations are France and Germany. But even Germany prohibits the sale of liquor to minors, forbids advertising alcoholic liquors on trains and street cars, provides that no liquor shall be sold before 7 a. m. or after 1 a. m.

Even Italy, which boasts half of Europe's vineyard acreage, has felt the movement. Premier Mussolini himself a dry, urged that more land be devoted to wheat growing. The postal department continues to use a cancellation stamp bearing the words "Alcoholism leads to tuberculosis and is opposed to the good of the individual, the family and the race."

Soviet Russia forbids youths under 21 to enter any place where liquor is sold. Theatres, parks and bathing places may not sell liquor. Sale of vodka is regulated. An interesting example is Iceland. Its brand of prohibition exempts wines from Spain and Portugal, owing to business pressure from these countries. Wine, however, cannot be sold to persons under 21 and temperance instruction is given in the schools and colleges.

Hoover Leads--
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and the electoral college vote, besides forecasting Hoover's surprise capture of the democratic states of Texas, Florida, North Carolina and Virginia.

It is also noted that in the presidential poll conducted by The Literary Digest eight years ago it predicted the popular vote with an error of less than 5 per cent and the electoral college vote with an error under 1 per cent.

SCOUT MEETING TONIGHT

Troop committeemen of scout troop 34 will meet with the boys this evening at 7 o'clock at the scout hall. Buster Howard, scoutmaster, and "Slim" Mize, assistant, will be in charge of the meeting.

All scouts are asked to bring a non-member with them, and all boys not belonging to a scout troop have an invitation to attend.

Cotton Market

The cotton market was quiet today, with hedge selling small and weather condition reports various. Wide trading in the market was expected between now and the next government report. Quotations were as follows:

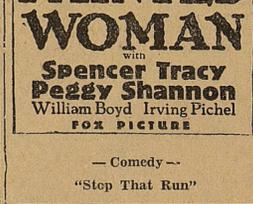
| | New York | High | Low | Close |
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| October | 7.40 | 7.20 | 7.20 | 7.37 |
| December | 7.50 | 7.30 | 7.37 | 7.41 |
| January | | | | 7.50 |
| March | | | | 7.54 |
| May | | | | 7.68 |
| July | | | | 7.68 |

October 7.36 7.16 7.22
December 7.51 7.29 7.36
January 7.48
March 7.50
May 7.60
July 7.67

A manta, or blanket fish, recently caught off the Florida coast, was more than 18 feet long and 19 feet wide.

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He has appeared in the de luxe theatres of the big cities, and has broadcast over the largest radio networks in the country. Hear him at no extra charge, (night only).

Yucca's Boy Star Has Great Range

Robert Hudson, boy prodigy who will sing as a special feature on the Yucca theatre program this evening, has a remarkable vocal range for a 13-year-old entertainer.

He captivated the audience Thursday evening when he sang a ballad and a semi-popular number.

The boy's mother explains how he is able to reach such a high range at the time when most boys' voices begin changing.

"I go into a music store and buy his music myself," she said. "I transpose everything that might cause strain. In that way, I have always protected him from abuse of his voice."

Robert is Robert only to the theatre audience; in other respects he is typically "Bob," a boy. He wrestles, plays baseball and otherwise amuses himself.

"But he never hates to stop play and resume his voice study," his mother, incidentally his teacher, says. "He likes it."

The boy's voice came under the attention of a noted voice culturist of Chicago, and soon afterward Paramount Pictures, Inc. addressed a letter to Mrs. Hudson, asking if she would bring the young soloist west for a screen audition. He is en route there now.

Personals

Mrs. A. B. Cole returned Thursday afternoon from Garden City, where she has been visiting several days.

Mrs. Chuck Houston and children and Mrs. Dick Houston of Stanton visited in Midland Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Martin of Odessa and Mrs. O. W. Windham of Texon visited friends here Wednesday.

Misses Mary and Mamie Lusk visited friends in Big Spring Wednesday evening.

Mrs. A. W. Stanley has returned from Alpine, where she took her daughter, Dorothy Bess, who will make arrangements to enter Sul Ross.

Guests at Hotel Scharbauer today are George E. Moore of Dallas, Kenneth Foxman of Roswell, H. S. Magness of Dallas, Floyd Schrock and son of San Antonio and P. W. Dalmont of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hejl and baby have returned from a visit in East Texas. Hejl transacted business in Dallas and visited friends and relatives in Longview, Kilgore and Tyler. He reported that business was good in those places.

George Britton made a business trip to Big Spring today.

E. F. Freeman of the Southland Greyhound lines is in Midland today.

Miss Helen Edwards spent Thursday night in Midland en route to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith of Andrews are in Midland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pegues and Oma Newman of Odessa were visitors here today.

Mrs. Wilbur T. Brown of Los Angeles and Mrs. S. W. Estes of Wickett are the house guests of Mrs. Alredge Estes.

Boyd Upholds Sea Tradition

In seafaring tradition, a captain always sticks to his ship. And true to the custom, William (Siage) Boyd furnished plenty of unplanned hilarity at Catalina Island thereby during the filming of the Fox picture, "The Painted Woman," which shows at the Yucca today.

Not scheduled to work before the cameras for an hour, Boyd decided to take one of the Tahitian outrigger canoes used in the picture for a trip around the bay. Clad in resplendent blue uniform he wears as the skipper of a big South Seas schooner, Boyd embarked on the craft and headed bravely out to sea.

Watchers on the beach saw him turn around after proceeding a cable's length or so toward the mainland and paddle furiously back to shore. Halfway in he commenced paddling with one hand and bailing with the other. Then, suddenly, the canoe sank gracefully beneath him, with Boyd valiantly staying by his vessel to the last, and then abandoning his dignity and his canoe to swim to the beach.

Fast work of an emergency squad with blankets and the wardrobe department with pressing equipment served to get the actor dried out and into his overhauled uniform in time to start his role on schedule.

SWEETWATER HAS NO BED OF ROSES FOR GRID REST

By CURTIS BISHOP
(Sports Editor Big Spring Herald)

Sweetwater's marauding Mustangs, District 3 champions last season and a worthy foe for the state champion Abilene Eagles in the big district eliminations, stand ready to make a valiant defense of their laurels this year.

Coach E. A. Hennig, the tall, Danish mentor, will send his charges against the Abilene Eagles on Oct. 2 in the spotlight non-conference battle, will meet the strong class B Snyder Tigers a week later, and will then open his conference schedule on Oct. 15 against the Midland Bulldogs in Sweetwater. Last year the Ponies defeated the Bulldogs 7 to 0 on Thanksgiving day.

All, however, will not be a bed of roses for Sweetwater this autumn. Graduation deprived the Mustangs of the services of Bob Baugh, Bob Brooks, Trammel, Bledsoe, and Strother from the forward wall, leaving Co-captain-elect Leroy Grimley as the only returning veteran. Virginia Jones, one of last year's wingmen, has been shifted to the backfield,

RETURN FROM STAMFORD

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Ryan returned late Thursday from Stamford where they attended the annual convention of the Mid-West Texas District Medical association. Ryan formerly was president of the association.

HOME FROM VISIT

Mrs. Barney Greathouse returned Thursday evening from Tahoka where she visited her parents.

AT THE LIBRARY

New books at the library: "Saint Saturnin" by Schulmberger & "Night Flight" by St. Exupery, gifts of Paul T. Vickers; "We Must March" by Willist; "While the Patient Slept" by Eberhart; "How to Make Good Pictures."

EXTENDS INVITATION

T. C. Sisk, former restaurant man in Midland, invites Midland people who attend the Wichita Falls Jubilee to make the Wichita cafe, of which he is one of the proprietors, their headquarters. Sisk wired a Midland friend Friday bidding Midland people welcome to the celebration.

Bubbles in heated water are formed by the expansion and setting free of the air dissolved in the water.

Check and Double-Check

Here's why he smiles. Read what they said:

HUNTSVILLE:
Courteous, efficient service. H. H.

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The service could not have been better. J. K.

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ARANSAS PASS:
Courteous treatment. A. C. R.

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O. K. J. W. B.

GALVESTON:
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Immediate service—Very courteous and most obliging. W. G. H.

SAN ANTONIO:
"A real service station," where you feel at home. H. H.

GILMER:
Mr. B. was indeed very nice. Service with a smile—and will surely get business. T. R. M.

CARIZO SPRINGS:
I enjoyed the stop. I got ice water to drink and a cool place for a little rest. Every success. A. W. H.

GALVESTON:
Attendants very lively. C. S. G.

GOOSE CREEK:
Service is perfect in every way—sure have a fine bunch of boys serving the public. H. A. M.

HOUSTON:
I always get bang up service. W. J. C.

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Like the attitude of your employees. I. H. P.

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