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Huge Oil Land Deal Is Made In E. Texas Field

GRIPINGS

By GUS

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"A promise is a promise" . . . this quoth Dick Phillips and thus he comes forth with the promised poem.

A GEOLOGISTS' WISH

Reincarnation designates A belief you should possess. Can't it say that after you are dead, You can come back as you choose.

I've thought of it a lot of late, And I will bet you, neighbor, That you can name a form of life That doesn't have to labor.

I thought there must be some strange shape Within which I might lurk During my next stay on the earth So I wouldn't have to work.

And just today it came to me While toiling at my desk . . . What I could choose and still not work? I'm be a columnist.

"Cause all they do is just put down What other people tell 'em, can't remember what it was you forgot? There was one certain subject upon which I meant to dwell at great length and now I can't even remember what it is. Just think . . . the customers will be looser if I never remember it. It may have been something about that great big old hole in the ground across the street north from the city hall. I'll bet there's a billion mosquitoes there in the summer. Won't some of the old timers tell us what sort of an edifice was planned to grace that spot.

All the smart writers are whipped. Most of them are evading the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. Texas is, of course, proud that Jesse Jones was put on the board. Arkansas is just as proud that Harvey Cough was appointed. Now if the President would get in touch with the once famous Monsieur Ponzi and make him the third member he'd sure have him a trio of financial wizards.

I tried to make some sense out of an article by David Lawrence on the forecast of the possibilities of the giant corporation. It was mostly a mess of figures and didn't really say anything. Looks to me like a frantic effort to lift itself by its own bootstraps. But I'm not a financier. My investment are mostly in perishables like ham and eggs and cigarettes and laundry. Therefore I wouldn't be eligible to borrow \$10,000,000. But if I owned a property worth six million and owed ten million on it and my creditors were uneasy and my stockholders panicky . . . then I might get an audience with the Couch-Jones committee.

Bella Watson To Speak At Ranger Church Of Christ

Bella Watson, who travels in the interest of Tipton's Orphan Home will speak this evening at 7 p. m. at the Church of Christ, Ranger. The Tipton Orphan Home is one of the largest homes for orphans in the United States being maintained by the Church of Christ. Mr. Watson, having himself spent a portion of his life in this home, is eminently fitted to bring all phases of the work before his audience. You are cordially invited to be present for this service.

WEATHER

West Texas—Fair tonight and Wednesday; frost in southeast portion tonight.

U. S. MAILS

(Mail for Fort Worth or beyond 10:00 a. m.) Daily West—12:00 p. m. Daily East—4:15 p. m. Airmail—Night planes, 4:00 p. m. Day planes, 8:30 p. m.



CHARMING Ellen

Many men considered Ellen Rossiter charming, but it was her fate to lose her heart to the one man whose love was forbidden her. So she danced and laughed and tried to forget her unhappiness. She promised to marry Steven Barclay, thinking marriage would bring her security.

Ellen's problems, her joys and sorrows, are told in the thrilling new serial "The Dime-a-Dance Girl." It begins Wednesday, Feb. 3.

FIRM IS HIRED TO HELP LOWER STATE EXPENSE

AUSTIN, Jan. 26.—E. O. Griffith and associates of Chicago and New York were employed by an efficiency committee of the Texas legislature today to cut the expenses of state government. A 90-day survey of the operation of state departments, commissions and bureaus is to be made. On that survey a report will be filed with the legislature with the legislative committee, outlining savings that can be effected without hurt and possible combination of government bureaus.

Mounted Police Go To Far North To Get A Man

AKLAVIK, N. W. Territory, Jan. 26.—Four weary Royal Canadian mounted police fought through snow in 38 below zero to day toward Yukon Territory, "graveyard of the far north," on the trail of Albert Johnson, "bushy" trapper, who fought off 15 Royal Canadian mounted police in three battles and finally escaped. "It's suicide for a man to go into the north alone this time of year," experienced trappers said. "Get your man anyway," was the order to the police.

Eastland Justice Court Is Busy

The depression has lifted at least temporarily in Justice Newman's court. Jonah White of the Desdemona community, brought in yesterday by Officer Floyd Daniels and charged with disturbing the peace. White pleaded guilty and elected to serve time in the county jail to pay his fine. E. D. Anderson pleaded guilty to a plain drunk charge and paid a fine of \$14.00.

Announcement Of Speaker's Subject Is Made Tuesday

Mrs. Alice D. True, secretary of the Ranger Retail Merchants association, announced today that the subject of the talk by Peter Molyneux, one of the principal speakers at the Retail Merchants' Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night would be "Confidence, the Need of the Times."

JEALOUSY CHARGED IN JUDD CASE

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 26.—Jealousy over J. J. Halloran, widely known Arizona sportsman, led Winnie Ruth Judd to slay her former friend, Agnes Lerot, the state contended today as it closed its murder case against Mrs. Judd. Through Lucille Moore, an attractive young nurse, the prosecution brought out that the night before the killing Mrs. Judd and her roommate, Miss Hedvig Samuelson, the defendant had mentioned she resented the attention these girls paid to Halloran.

Georgia Has a Second Jailbreak

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Jan. 26.—For the second time in a week a spectacular escape occurred at the Georgia state penitentiary today. Three fugitives fleeing in a stolen automobile ran down and killed an aged trusty who sought to halt them. The three were Roy Gardner, notorious cut-throat, serving a short term; Aubrey Smith, equally notorious gangster, and Abe Powers, "gentleman" convict.

Tax Office Many Remain Open All Day Next Sunday

T. L. Cooper, county tax collector, is undecided on the matter of keeping the tax collector's office open on Sunday, Jan. 31. The matter seems to be optional with the various collectors. The Tarrant county office will not be open Sunday, while the Harris county office will remain open until midnight Sunday night.

Former Ranger Man Dies In Louisiana

Word has been received in Ranger that Leo Underwood, formerly of Ranger, but more recently of Wichita Falls, had died in a veterans' hospital at Alexandria, La. Funeral services were held in Alexandria with interment in the cemetery there, according to word received here.

Two Are Killed In Bomb Blast

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 26.—An explosion that police said was caused by a bomb today shook an Italian cafe here a block from the state capitol and filled it with flames that burned two to death. Two bodies recovered were believed to be those of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Engerford, both about 75, who lived in the rear of the two-story building in which the cafe was located.

Stolen Car Reported Found In Cleburne

The car belonging to the Lone Star Gas company, reported stolen from Blundell street, Ranger, Saturday night, was reported found today on the streets of Cleburne. Reports to the Ranger police department indicated that the car was in good condition and had not been stripped or burned.

Ranger Masons To Meet, 7:30 Tonight

Officers and members of the Ranger Masonic Lodge will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of conferring the Master's Degree on one candidate. All members of the local lodge are requested to be present and visitors are assured a cordial welcome.

Hawaiians Charge Reform On Island Is a 'Smoke Screen'

HONOLULU, Jan. 26.—Angry citizens charged the reform movement was a political "smoke screen" today after a few outbreaks were climaxed by a near riot between whites and natives. A fight involving a woman, during which a prominent stock broker was beaten by a navy lieutenant and the latter's brother, led to the uprising of Hawaiians, police claim.

OFFICERS OF RANGER CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ELECTED AT MEETING

At a short meeting of the directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, held at the office of the secretary Monday night, officers for the ensuing year were elected and a secretary named for the year. W. D. Conway, who has held the position as president for the past two years, was re-elected to that office. Mr. Conway had previously expressed reluctance to serve in the capacity of president for another year because his business prevented him from giving it as much time as he would like and because he had held the office long enough. He was elected over this protest, however.

WM. WRIGLEY DIES TODAY AT PHOENIX

PHOENIX, Ariz., Jan. 26.—William Wrigley, Jr., millionaire gum manufacturer who started his merchandising career by running away at 11 from the soap factory but later was the foundation of his success, died today at the Arizona Biltmore hotel. He was 79 years old. A heart attack after a week's serious illness ended the career of one of Chicago's most illustrious citizens. His son and daughter were at his bedside.

Cook's Nose Was Valued At \$200

PARIS.—An expert cook here, deprived of her sense of smell because she slipped on an onion, fell on the stove and broke her nose, has been awarded \$200 damages. Josephine, the cook, a plump and jovial juggler of pots and pans, was preparing a choice dish for her master when she met with disaster. Just as she put the noble concoction into the oven and started away from the stove, she slipped on a piece of onion, fell headlong against the corner of the stove, breaking her nose. A surgeon mended the nose, but when the patient returned to her pots and pans, she found that her center of attraction failed to function. With her sense of smell gone, her sense of humor soon vanished, which was followed by her genius. The next day her faithful employer, enraged because his meals no longer were the gastronomic joy of his life, discharged her. Josephine, however, was not to be dismissed summarily. She retained a lawyer, took her troubles to court, and after pleading her case before a sympathetic jury, was awarded the \$200 damages for the loss of a fifth of her senses.

Collinsville To Give Celebration For 'Alfalfa Bill'

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 26.—Governor W. H. Murray will be honored at the huge home-coming celebration at Collinsville, Texas, his birthplace, the week of Feb. 14 to 19, the governor announced today. He is expected to announce his candidacy for the presidential nomination at that event. Throughout his career it has been his custom to make important announcements on such occasions. He declined to comment on this deposition, however.

Deputy Sheriff Goes After a Prisoner

Deputy Sheriff Steele Hill went to Houston Wednesday to return with J. E. Williams, held in custody there for Eastland county officers. Williams has been indicted on a burglary charge.

Torture Bandits Rob Aged Woman

By United Press. STARK, Kan. Jan. 26.—Binding Mrs. John McKay to her bed and setting fire to the kerosene-soaked mattress, three torture bandits today obtained \$600. The life savers of the woman and her aged husband.

LIVESTOCK VALUED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—The Department of Agriculture estimated that Jan. 1 value of livestock on farms at \$3,195,748,000.

PAUL N. CYR INVADES CAPITAL

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 26.—Dr. Paul N. Cyr, claimant to the governorship of Louisiana, invaded the capital today, presumably to wrest the office from Alvin O. King, who occupies the executive mansion behind armed guards. Cyr arrived at noon and registered at the Heidelberg hotel, the same at which King makes his home when not at the governor's office in the mansion. It was the first time Cyr had come here in open defiance of quarantine that three months he has battled for the governorship. He was accompanied by his attorneys.

TATTOO TRADE BUCKS SLUMP EXPERT SAYS

By FRANK MURPHY United Press Staff Correspondent BOSTON.—Take it from Dad, the tattoo trade is bucking the depression as well as any other old established business. Dad is the professional name of E. W. Liberty, retired, and federal taxation on motor buses were advocated before the house ways and means committee today as sources of additional income. The proposed motorbus tax was opposed vigorously by Ivan Owen of Minneapolis, representing the National Association of Motorbus Operators. The oil tariff was urged by representatives of the domestic independent oil industry, headed by Wirt Franklin of Oklahoma City.

English Women Enter Big Race

LONDON.—Women will be at the wheels of England's fastest racing cars this summer in the country's most grueling speedway, the 1,000-mile Brooklands event. Hitherto, women drivers have been barred from the big international contests. But they have shown such skill in aviation and racing recently that officials have lifted the ban.

Ford Steps Up Big Power Plant

DETROIT, Mich.—On outstanding industrial and engineering accomplishment during the last 12 months was the stepping up of the power house at the Ford Motor company's River Rouge plant from 50,000 kilowatts an hour to 230,000. Two new boilers, no larger than the old units, but with capacities of 700,000 pounds of steam, were installed, without halting work of the plant, where 120,000 men work when it is operating at capacity.

Shippers Combine In Rio Grande Valley

M'ALLEN, Texas.—Forty four of the biggest shippers and cash buyers of Lower Rio Grande valley vegetables have published notices in which they bound themselves not to purchase produce from the members of the Rio Grande Vegetable Co-operative association, now operating under the federal farm board plan. The action resulted from litigation instituted against some members of the shippers' group by the co-operative in an effort to prevent alleged violation by several association members of the marketing agreements signed by them. There are now five suits pending in the 93rd district court of Hidalgo county against members of the association and as many cash buyers of produce.

Grand Jury Hands Down 5 True Bills

The grand jury reconvened Monday morning after a week-end recess. Five indictments on felony charges were returned Tuesday. Those indicted are either in custody at some other city or their whereabouts are known and their arrest and return to the county was imperative.

Ranger Man's Car Stolen At Eastland

V. L. Thompson of Ranger reported to the sheriff's office this morning that his car had been stolen. The license number is 380-430. The sheriff's department and the state highway patrolmen are on the watch for the car. The car was stolen in Eastland about 6:30 Monday evening.



REPENTANT Larry

When Ellen Rossiter refused to lunch with Larry Harrow-gate because of a business engagement he became so angry she thought their friendship was ended. But that very evening Larry came to see her, deeply repentant. Ellen forgave him, as she always did.

Larry's gaiety made him an amusing companion, but his changing moods caused Ellen frequent heartaches. Their romance is told in the new serial "The Dime-a-Dance Girl." It begins Wednesday, Feb. 3, in this newspaper.

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CRANFILL AND REYNOLDS CO. SELLS TRACT

Is Largest Deal Ever Made In East Texas Oil Fields. HOUSTON, Jan. 26.—Sale of 1,400 acres of their East Texas acreage to the Atlantic Oil Producing company for \$3,000,000 was announced today by J. H. Reynolds of the Cranfill-Reynolds company. At the price involved the acreage brought slightly more than \$2,100 an acre. The Atlantic purchase is one of the largest transactions to take place in East Texas acreage.

Demented Man Is Killed By Guard

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 26.—A demented man today shot and wounded four persons in the lobby of the Capital National Bank before he was killed. D. J. Mead, police said, drew a gun and without warning or reason began firing. One of the men he wounded returned the fire, killing Mead.

Employees Of One Railroad Accept Cut In Salaries

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 26.—Approximately 3,500 employees of the mechanical department of the St. Louis, San Francisco railroad, have accepted a 10 per cent reduction in wages effective Feb. 1, according to President J. M. Kurn.

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BILBO SETS PARDON RECORD

JACKSON, Miss.—Governor Theo Bilbo issued 552 pardons in 1931, the largest number issued in one year in the history of the state. Most of the released men were liquor law violators.

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THE RADIO REVOLT.

For two years there has been muttering in the ranks. More and more owners of radio receiving sets have become irritated and disgusted with the increasing volume of sales talks squeezed in the hands of a small group of interrelated corporations broadcasting endless repetitions of the same old croonings, warblings, blues and jazz interspersed with ardent descriptions of all kinds of commodities and annoyed and angered even more listeners as the months rolled by.

In radio broadcasting the rights of the listener should be paramount. In transmitting apparatus and studio equipment the average radio broadcasting station has an investment, at the average rate of \$50,000 per station, of less than 30 millions; at an average cost of \$60 the 13,000,000 receiving sets represent an investment of \$780,000,000, almost 20 times the cost of the transmitting equipment, yet the owners of the transmitters have acted, are now acting as though their end of the business were the important one and the only part worthy of consideration.

Now the revolt of the listeners has found a voice in congress. Senator James Couzens of Michigan, a straight thinker whose actions are based solely on his conception of the public welfare, has introduced a resolution asking the federal radio commission for a survey and report on the commercialization of radio programs, the possibility of limiting or eliminating direct advertising from the air and on the feasibility of government ownership of radio.

In the house Representative Horr is asking for an investigation of the tendency toward a broadcasting monopoly and of the acts and policies of the federal radio commission.

Both resolutions deserve the support of congress. They will get it if radio listeners will let their representatives in congress know that they are heartily in favor of all efforts to improve broadcasting conditions and prevent a radio monopoly.

BILBO SNUBBED BY HIS SUCCESSOR.

Over in Mississippi they call their new governor Mike Comer. He is 40. He is a planter-lawyer and a fighting politician. Democrats of Mississippi elected him successor of Theodore Bilbo. Well, inauguration day came and Mike refused to ride in the chariot reserved for the outgoing and ingoing chief magistrate. He would have none of it. He had fought Bilbo to a finish and Bilbo returned the compliment in three bitterly contested campaigns. Bilbo was game. Under the big dome of Mississippi he mounted the platform and introduced the chief justice to the incoming governor, the oath of office was administered, and then Bilbo was on the outside looking in. There are many types and brands of democrats. They fight like cats at a Kilkinney fair and yet they hope to sleep in the Jeffersonian bosom when they pass out.

HEALTHY CHILDREN

How to Provide Proper Food and Care at a Minimum Cost

By SISTER MARY. Especially for NEA Service and This Paper.

Probably the first requisite for appetizing low cost dinners is an understanding of the seasoning and combining of foods. It is really surprising to discover what savory dishes can be prepared from "meat to nothing."

With this ability goes a knowledge of food values and the needs of growing bodies. If one knows that the cheaper forms of vegetables will supply the same nutrients that are found in bothhouse and shipped luxuries there is less danger of an inadequate diet.

The accompanying menus are typical of balanced low cost dinners. Each contains the necessary kinds of food materials—protein, fat, carbohydrates, minerals and vitamins.

SISTER MARY'S DINNER MENUS

Dinner No. 1—Beef and vegetable stew, dark rye bread, shredded leaf lettuce and apple salad, milk for children.

If the food allowance permits a simple dessert, such as plain rice pudding with raisin sauce or sliced bananas with molasses cookies can be added to the menu.

Dinner No. 2—Casserole of beef liver with macaroni and tomatoes, grated carrot and cabbage salad, bread, milk, stewed prunes.

Dinner No. 3—Baked potatoes, creamed yellow turnips, kidney bean-carrot and onion salad, lemon gelatine with custard sauce, milk, bread.

Dinner No. 4—Split pea soup, bread, banana and peanut salad, old-fashioned bread pudding, milk.

Dinner No. 5—Rice cooked with canned tomatoes and onion, canned spinach with hard-cooked egg slices, stewed prunes, milk, bread.

SMELT RUN STARTS EARLY

PORTLAND, Ore.—The smelt run, sure herald of spring, is on in the Crowlitz and Columbia rivers, providing many of the unemployed with work at the dip nets. According to old fishermen the run is unusually early and of excellent quality. Portland can no longer take its place as a smelt market as low as three pounds for 25 cents.

A school of 500 porpoises was discovered cavorting in the Conneticut river. With things as they are, they probably didn't want to get into deep water.

Unlisted By-Products of the "Machine" Age

Illustrated article with five exhibits (A-E) showing various by-products of the machine age, such as 'Unofficial Figures Estimate', 'Padded Cell Builders Report 32% Increase in Construction', 'Millions of Cases of Hikers Thru', 'Family Quarrels Show Big Increase', and 'Auto Driving Has Increased Vocabulary of Average Man 1000%'.

NOVAK TO OPEN GYM IN RANGER

Bobby Novak, who created a sensation at the Elks Athletic show Monday night by his speed and stamina on the mat, has decided to start in Ranger and conduct gymnasium classes, if enough pupils can be secured to make it pay.

CLINT DAVIS OPENS SHOP IN RANGER

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A BRIDGE FOURSOME COULD PLAY 24 HANDS EVERY DAY FOR A PERIOD OF 6,123,828,480,455,803,565,917 YEARS, AND NEVER HAVE THE SAME DISTRIBUTION OF CARDS.

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Judge J. E. Hickman Is Candidate For Supreme Court Bench

EASTLAND, Jan. 26.—Chief Justice J. E. Hickman of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals today announced his candidacy for



the democratic nomination for associate justice of the Texas supreme court. "I am formally submitting my candidacy, I am deeply sensible of the dignity and importance of the high office to which I aspire, and shall conduct my campaign in keeping with its traditions," he said in a brief statement.

Picture of Co-Ed Lures Man on a 5,000 Mile Trip

ABILENE, Texas.—A picture of a Simmons college co-ed lured A. L. Van Assenderp on a 5,000-mile trip to see her. Today he is on his way back home to The Hague, Holland, after having visited with the co-ed here. The girl, Miss Carol Johnson, of Bogalusa, Ala., a senior this year, was one of the five beauties in the feature section of the 1930 Broncho, Simmons college yearbook. Simmons college bandmen toured Europe that summer and one showed young Van Assenderp a copy of the annual. He became interested in the picture of Miss Johnson and wrote to her. The co-ed replied and when he finished his studies at Leyden university recently, Van Assenderp decided to visit her before entering the Dutch Indies civil service. The six-foot Hollander spent five days here escorting Miss Johnson to chapel, picture shows and other attractions in the manner of a Simmons undergraduate. He can converse in five languages, including English.

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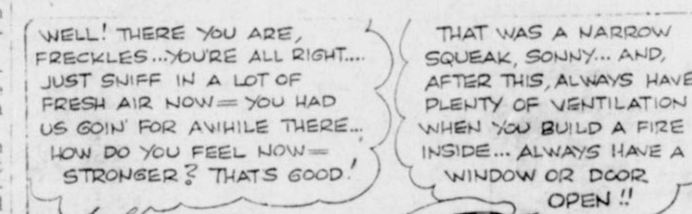
MANILA, P. I.—R. Stanley Dollar, president and general manager of the Dollar Steamship Lines, on a round-the-world tour, declared upon arrival here that the shipping business in the Far East is better, comparatively speaking, than in the United States. While here, Dollar looked into the feasibility of expanding inter-island shipping of the Dollar interests, having visited important southern islands of the archipelago. At present, the Dollar interests operate one inter-island vessel. Dollar made an inspection tour of Dollar Line offices in other countries of the Far East before coming here. Further development of American shipping facilities on the Pacific was forecast by Dollar as a result of the merger of American shipping interests represented in the Dollar-Roosevelt-Dawson combine. He said the interests represented in the combine will operate practically all American carriers in the Orient. Shipping business has shown good volume, he said, but freight rates are low, although it is believed improvement in rates will come after the prevailing business depression.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS By Blosser



San Antonio Mayor Has Bridge System

SAN ANTONIO.—The bridge-conscious world today welcomed to their card tables a new system, designed and perfected by San Antonio's Mayor C. M. Chambers. He calls it the "reproach-forensic" method because under its peculiar rules partners are so often forced to reproach one another. Some of the rules: 1. When a poor hand is dealt, signify it to your partner by exclaiming "who death this mess?" 2. If you have a poor partner, keep score yourself. 3. At every other round ask what is trump; it will show you're interested in the game. 4. Take your time; try several cards on a trick until you decide which you prefer. 5. Lead from your own hand or the dummy as convenient. 6. Always explain your plays after going set; it will impress others with your bridge knowledge.



Girl Flies 160 Miles Daily To Lessons

OAKLAND, Calif.—Every day, Helen Day, 19-year-old Sacramento girl, travels 160 miles by airplane to take a flying lesson here. She claims a world record for aerial commuting. Each morning, Miss Day boards a passenger plane at Sacramento, arrives here shortly afterward, then climbs into the cockpit of an instruction plane for an hour's lesson with Lieut. Charles Stone. The lesson over, she flies back to Sacramento in another passenger ship.



Contest Winners To Visit Austin

AUSTIN.—The six winners of the citizenship essay this spring will be given trips to Austin where they will be guests of Gov. R. S. Sterling and Chief Justice C. M. Cureton. The contest is sponsored by the first district, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.



"TOO MANY CROOKS" SPOIL THE BETROTHAL



Hallam Cooley, the well-meaning friend, almost upsets the engaged bliss of Dorothy Lee and Bert Wheeler in "Too Many Crooks" now at the Columbia theatre.

THREE KINDS OF LOVE by KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

BEGIN HERE TODAY Ann and Cecily Fenwick have for years supported themselves, their younger sister, Mary-Frances, and their grandparents, known as "Rosalia" and "Grand." Because of this financial responsibility, Ann, who is 26, is unable to marry Phil Ecroyd, young lawyer to whom she has been engaged for eight years. Cecily, 22, loves Barry McKeel, an engineer, but when he proposes she refuses to name their wedding date for the same reason. Mary-Frances, 15, and still in school, believes herself in love with Earl DeArmont, vaudeville actor whom she has met without the knowledge of her sisters. He urges her to leave home and become his stage partner. Ann and Phil quarrel when she hears of his refusal. She comes home to find a note telling her that "Grand" and "Rosalia" have gone to spend the day with friends. Ann is frightened because she has had no word from Cecily. Mary-Frances and DeArmont leave in his car. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLII Mary-Frances sighed and found a pine nut, deep in a lousy corner of her coat pocket, and ate it. A man with a piece of red cloth in his hand stepped out into the street and stopped them. Mary-Frances, for a minute, was frightened; but it was only that road work was going on and that one-way traffic rules were being enforced. They had to wait there for 15 minutes, and then the man gave them the piece of red cloth to deliver to another man, who took it at the far end of the bumpy stretch. "It is getting late," said Mary-Frances, "and Mendel Springs is so far." "Want I should let her out to sixty, hon? She can do it, and better," said Earl. "I guess so," said Mary-Frances. Soon they came to a town named Cutter and sped through it like a streak; but just beyond Cutter there was a long detour, and the road was very bad, and they barely moved along for miles and miles, until finally, they reached a little place foolishly named India. Here Earl bought gasoline, and he straight he was going to treat her and reminded her again that she was going to thank him to her dying day. Mary-Frances answered. She said, "Yes, twice, and I know a time or two; but her gray eyes were wistful, and her sighs were deep drawn. On the highway once more, Earl said, "Listen, sweetie baby, I'm going to idle along a ways, and you and I are going to have a little talk—see? You act like you was kinda worried or something—see? I want to tell you I'm crazy about you—see? And you are about me, and all. Just the same, I'm going to treat you like a pal and a buddy—see? And if I don't I hope I get mine. Here's another thing. A loving, trusting little sweetie like you is just about going to be the making of me, and I'm—"

Government Wants A Woman Dentist

WASHINGTON.—The Federal Industrial Institution for Women at Alderson, W. Va., is in need of a dentist and a woman is wanted for the job. Applications will be accepted by the United States Civil Service Commission until Feb. 16. The entrance salary will be between \$2,600 and \$3,200 a year. The duties require that the appointee be qualified to perform operative and mechanical dentistry, there being no dental mechanic at the institution. Full information may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission or from the secretary of the United States Civil Service Board at the post office in any city. (To Be Continued)



Sore Throat?

Not if he gargles when he gets home, with Bayer Aspirin! Three tablets crushed in a little water, one good gargle, and the soreness is gone; the danger of infection reduced. If your throat ever tickles after you've been out in the cold or damp, gargle as soon as you can find some Bayer Aspirin. Take it for any cold; two tablets at the first sniffle. For headaches, neuralgia, neuritis, or rheumatism. Instant relief from all such pain. Perfectly harmless, if it's genuine aspirin; the tablet stamped Bayer will not depress the heart. All druggists.

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Advertisement for Texas and Pacific Railway featuring a large '3 4c PER MILE' graphic and text: 'ONE WAY COACH FARES REDUCED MORE THAN Half! WHEN YOU RIDE THE TRAIN YOU CAN Relax!'

Table with fare rates: 20 miles . . . 35c, 100 miles . \$1.75, 40 miles . . . 70c, 150 miles . \$2.65, 60 miles . . \$1.05, 200 miles . \$3.50, 80 miles . . \$1.40, 250 miles . \$4.40

Advertisement for Doan's Pills: 'Bothered with Backache? It May Warn of Kidney or Bladder Irregularities. A nagging backache, with bladder irregularities and a tired, nervous, depressed feeling may warn of some distressful kidney or bladder condition. Users everywhere rely on Doan's Pills. Praised for more than 50 years by grateful users the country over. Sold by all druggists. Doan's Pills A DIURETIC FOR THE KIDNEYS'

Advertisement for Wolf's: 'Next Door to Post Office WOLF'S For the Woman Who Cares! Eastland'

Advertisement for 666: '666 LIQUID - TABLETS - SALVE 666 Liquid or Tablets used internally and 666 Salve externally, make a complete and effective treatment for Chills. Most Speedy Remedies Known'

SOCIAL AFFAIRS and CLUB NEWS

MARY ELIZABETH HARRIS Editor Office Phone 500 Eastland

Mrs. Willman's Circle Met Monday Afternoon. Mrs. Ed F. Willman's circle of the Methodist Women's Missionary society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, with Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite and Mrs. Willman as co-hostesses. The meeting was opened with Mrs. Willman presiding. "Give of Your Best to Your Master" was sung as an opening song. Mrs. Willman appointed Mrs. W. A. Cathey, Mrs. Roberson and Mrs. Frank Castleberry on the telephone committee. Mrs. Frank Castleberry was elected secretary pro tem. Sick committee, Mrs. M. H. Kelly, Mrs. B. M. Collie and Mrs. W. W. Kelly. An announcement of the joint program to be held on Feb. 12, was made. Mrs. Iola Mitchell conducted the devotional from the twelfth chapter of Romans. Stewardship was presented by Mrs. W. W. Kelly. Mrs. F. M. Kenny presented the Missionary Bulletin News. The following officers were elected: Circle leader, Mrs. Ed Willman; treasurer, Mrs. T. M. Collie; secretary, Mrs. Iola Mitchell; reporter, Mrs. J. C. Stephen. During the social hour games and contests were played with Mrs. H. O. Satterwhite and Mrs. Ed Willman in charge. "Hearts" were played by the entire group. Delicious refreshments of chicken salad on lettuce, cheese niblets, bread and butter sandwich, candy hearts and hot tea were served. Those present were: Mmes. B. M. Collie, T. M. Collie, T. J. Haley, J. C. Stephen, W. W. Kelly, M. H. Kelly, Ed Graham, G. W. Shearer, Frank Jones, R. E. Sikes, Frank Castleberry, F. M. Kenny, Mae Marrison, Iola Mitchell, E. C. Satterwhite, Ed F. Willman, H. O. Satterwhite, Braly, and one new member, Mrs. Carl Hoffman. First Quarterly Conference To Be Held Wednesday Evening. Rev. Cullum H. Booth, presiding elder of the First Cisco district, will hold the first quarterly conference Wednesday evening, Jan. 27, at 7:30 o'clock, at the First Methodist church. All officers and members of the conference are urged to be present. To Preach At Baptist Church. Rev. B. P. Milburn, of Lubbock, will preach at the 11 o'clock morning service and the 7 o'clock evening service, at the Baptist church, Sunday, Jan. 31. The choir under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Campbell and the 10-piece orchestra under the direction of A. J. Campbell will render special music at both services. Mrs. T. J. Pitts will be the accompanist. Sunday school will begin at 9:45

OUT OUR WAY



BAD FOR THEIR GOOD

SIX NATIONS TO COMPETE IN BIG AIR RACE

By United Press. BERLIN.—Six nations will be represented at the International Round-Europe Flight of 1932, according to the Aero Club of Germany. The event is tentatively scheduled for August. France, Italy, Germany, Poland, Switzerland and Czechoslovakia have given assurance of participation in the flight, which will be over a distance of 7,500 kilometers, to be covered in three laps of 2,500 kilometers each. Prizes totalling 300,000 French francs, to be contributed by the participating countries, will be offered. First prize is 100,000 francs. The tentative itinerary is Berlin to Rome, via Poland, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Hungary and Yugoslavia; Rome to Paris via Southern France, Switzerland, Germany; Paris to Berlin via Holland, Germany, Denmark, Sweden. The final lap, over which maximum speed is to be judged, will be flown over a triangular course of 250 kilometers between the Staaken and Tempelhof airports here. Pilots will be required to cover the three major laps within two days, or the entire flight within six days. A day of rest in Paris is contemplated upon completion of the second major lap. The announcement of the Aero Club of Germany, as organizer of the flight, voices its regrets at the failure of England and Spain to participate this year. England's non-participation is explained by the fact that her light planes are "hors concours" owing to their weight. The announcement points out that the Aero Club of Germany was not in a position to adjust the weights of British planes to those required under the rules of 1929.

Ready for War on "Depression"



When we begin on important work, it is not the time to talk about it. When we have accomplished the job, it's not necessary. . . . That was the terse interview General Charles G. Dawes gave after he had been named to head the \$2,000,000,000 Reconstruction Finance Corporation. Here the former Vice President is pictured in a characteristic pose after his appointment.

Forest Fires Cost Michigan \$243,000

By United Press. LANSING, Mich. — Michigan paid \$243,000 to impressed labor for fighting forest fires during 1931 season, the department of conservation report shows. Impressed labor includes only those who are compelled to answer to the summons of fire marshals and not the fire wardens, or 800 "keymen," who are experienced fire fighters. Impressed labor receives 30 cents per hour.

LYRIC THEATRE advertisement for 'Blonde Crazy' featuring James Cagney.

Six things a telephone will do for busy women



If you haven't a telephone, we suggest that you learn first hand what an aid one can be

It goes to the grocer for you. To the baker, the butcher. Even the children will use it in planning parties, hiking trips and the like. It orders . . . quickly . . . bandages and disinfectants for bruised fingers and toes. It brings the doctor hurrying to look after youthful ailments.

Try a telephone. See how it enables you to do more work in less time, to enjoy leisure more thoroughly, to meet emergencies promptly . . . all for a few cents a day.

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ROOK GAME EXCITES TOWN

COWICHE, Wash. — This is one community that cared nothing at all about the Culbertson-Lenz bridge tournament in New York. Reason: Thirty-seven Cowiche men are engaged in a Rook game that will run until March. The whole town's excited.

Had Melancholy Blues

Wanted to die . . . she felt so blue and wretched! Don't let cramps ruin your good times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound gives you relief.

WHEAT PAYS MARRIAGE LICENSE IN MICHIGAN

By United Press. CHESANING, Mich. — Two bushels of wheat were accepted recently for a marriage license. While the grain was worth little more than \$1, Justice William Volkmer said he would hold the grain in hopes the market would soar. A marriage license costs \$2.

a. m., under the direction of J. C. Allison, superintendent. All members are urged to attend the services. Methodist W. M. S. To Meet Feb. 1. The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet Monday, Feb. 1. Study theme, "The World is Interdependent." Song, "Lead On O King Eternal." Prayer. Introduction of study book. "The Turn Towards Peace," Mrs. W. P. Leslie. "The World is Intellectually Dependent," by Mrs. Joe Stephen. "The World is Economically Dependent," by Mrs. Ed F. Willman. "World leaders of thought express themselves upon the economic ends of war." Closing thought and assignment of lesson. Closing prayer, Mrs. F. L. Drago. Elizabeth Pettit Circle Met Monday Afternoon. The Elizabeth Pettit Circle of the Methodist Women's Missionary society met in its first social meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. J. Frank Sparks, at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon, with Mrs. O. O. Mickle and Mrs. J. J. Mickle co-hostesses. Mrs. W. P. Leslie was program leader for the afternoon. Mrs. Fred Davenport led in prayer. Mrs. Leslie conducted the devotional on the "Vital Message of Jesus" (The Kingdom of God). The following officers and committees were announced: Assistant circle leader, Mrs. D. J. Jobe; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Guy Dunnam; publicity, Mrs. J. Frank Sparks; telephone committee, Mrs. T. M. Johnson and Mrs. W. E. Coleman; car committee, Mrs. O. O. Mickle and Mrs. Guy Parker; visiting committee, Mrs. W. P. Leslie. The group voted to call the circle Elizabeth Pettit Circle in honor of Mother Pettit, who has been a faithful and active member of the church. Mrs. T. M. Johnson presented "Stewardship." At the close of the business session the Lord's Prayer was repeated in union. During the social period many amusing and clever games and contests were engaged in. Refreshments of salad, sandwiches, and coffee were served to Mmes. W. P. Leslie, Guy Dunnam, W. E. Coleman, Harris, W. C. Marlow, J. J. Mickle, T. M. Johnson, Fred Davenport, Mckall, Sparks, O. O. Mickle, Guy Parker, Earl Bender, J. U. Johnson, and Claude G. Stubblefield. Mrs. Don Brewer Hostess To Circle 1 of the Baptist Women's Missionary society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Don Brewer as hostess and Mrs. Charles Seed as co-hostess. Mrs. Mayes brought the devotion from the 44th Psalm. Prayer, Mrs. P. L. Parker. Minutes were read and the personal service report was given. Rev. Muston taught the lesson from the fifth and sixth chapters of Galatians. Hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake was served to Mmes. Frank Lovett, William Sheriffs, Norton, Roark, Mayes, Gourley, F. L. Parker, Nora Andrews, Irons, Drinkard, Pritchard, Brewer, Seed S. C. Walker and Rev. Muston. A doctor told a Senate committee that beer is indispensable. And that is precisely what people used to think about money.

Advertisement for Eastland Telegram featuring a man holding a newspaper and text: 'TODAY'S NEWS THE BIGGEST SCOOP IN MONTHS', 'FREE TICKETS to LYRIC THEATRE', 'The Daily Telegram is Now 10 CENTS A WEEK Delivered To Your Home!', 'EASTLAND TELEGRAM Phone 500'

Large advertisement for Lucky Strike Cigarettes featuring a woman's face and text: 'Cream of the Crop', 'Lucky Strike Cigarettes', 'I know my LUCKIES', 'It's toasted', 'Your Throat Protection - against irritation - against cough'

Vertical text on the far right edge of the page, including 'VOL. I', 'C', 'GR', and various small notices.