

Pleads for Life



Thirteen-year-old Oscar Hahn, whose mother, Marie Hahn, is condemned to die in the electric chair at Columbus, O., Dec. 7, pleads for mother's life in hearing before Governor Davey's secretary.

Garner Lauded as Movement to Elect Kim President Opens

DETROIT, Texas, Dec. 6. — Declaring that John Garner's record of public service "is without blot or stain, a matchless record seldom equaled and never surpassed in the annals of American history," Roy Miller of Corpus Christi, democratic leader and long-time friend of the Vice-President's, delivered the principal address at the nation's first Garner-for-President rally here today.

Thousands of Texans of all ages, from old-timers who "knew him when" to youngsters who aspire to emulate his faithful service to country, converged upon this historic community to present their most distinguished native son to the nation as "the best qualified American to succeed Franklin D. Roosevelt as President of the United States."

The meeting was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the new gymnasium of the Detroit high school, situated only a few miles from the mud-chinked log cabin in which John Garner was born 69 years ago.

Bands played and the crowd cheered as the speakers, many of them childhood friends and baseball teammates of the Vice-President, extolled a half-century ago, extolled the old-fashioned American virtues of thrift, self-reliance, and hard work exemplified in the life and political career of the youthful "Chaparral Statesman" who went to Congress 35 years ago.

Liberalism Here to Stay, FDR Advises

Implied Warning Given Dictators By the President

CHAPEL HILL, N. C. Dec. 6 (AP) — President Roosevelt served notice on the South and the nation at large Monday that he would go forward with a "liberal" program of government despite New Deal election reversals.

Addressing a University of North Carolina student forum, he also declared what America does or fails to do in the next few years "has a far greater bearing and influence on the history of the human race for centuries to come than most of us who are here today can ever conceive."

In an implied warning to dictators, he asserted the United States was "not only the largest and most powerful democracy in the world, but many other democracies look to us for leadership that world democracy may survive."

"You undergraduates who see me for the first time," Roosevelt said, "have read in your newspapers and heard on the air that I am, at the very least, an ogre—a consorter with communists, a destroyer of the rich, a breaker of ancient traditions. You think of me perhaps as the inventor of the economic royalist, of the wicked utilities, of the money changers in the temple. You have heard for six years that I was about to plunge the nation into war, that you and your little brothers would be sent to the bloody fields of battle in Europe; that I was driving the nation into bankruptcy, and that I breakfasted every morning on a grilled millionaire."

"Actually, I am an exceedingly mild mannered person—a practitioner of peace, both domestic and foreign, a believer in the capitalistic system, and for my breakfast a devotee of scrambled eggs."

He reaffirmed his faith in the political philosophy of liberalism by saying: "You have read that as a result of the balloting last November, the liberal forces in the United States are on their way to the cemetery—yet I ask you to remember that liberal forces in the United States are on their way to the cemetery—buried with the inevitable result that in short order they have come to life again with more strength than they had before."

Wife of Ex-Midland Man Is Killed, He Hurt in Accident

Harry J. Neblett, former Midland man, was injured and his wife lost her life in an automobile accident yesterday, it was learned here by friends. Burial of Mrs. Neblett was at Stephenville where they recently moved from Harlingen. Mr. Neblett was taken to a Stephenville hospital suffering chest injuries. Charles Still, still in the car, sustained a fractured jaw and Mrs. Still escaped without injury.

LEWELLEN HERE Gerald Lewellen, who has been in Arizona and California for several months, training polo and saddle horses, is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lewellen. His brother, Rick Lewellen, has returned from Olney, Ill., where he has been engaged in the oil well drilling.

SAFETY COUNCIL TO MEET. Members of the Safety Council will meet at the chamber of commerce office tonight at 7:30. Mrs. Don Sivals, president, announced today.

O'Daniel Program Endorsed By Advisory Council Members

PORT WORTH, Dec. 6 (AP) — Unanimous endorsement of Governor-Elect W. Lee O'Daniel's legislative program was voted by his board of advisors here Monday.

This program includes payment of old age pensions as advocated by O'Daniel, drastic curtailment of state operating expenses and industrialization of the state. The board also commended O'Daniel for setting up the advisory board and called on the citizenship of Texas to cooperate with his administration. Thirty-two of the 36 men and women appointed on the board by O'Daniel attended the all day session. Carr P. Collins, Dallas insurance man and close friend of the governor-elect, also attended. O'Daniel announced after the meeting that all were in accord that the pensions should be as he had advocated. Many of the advisors who spoke

"Crisis" Scene



Black portions in above map show French territory demanded by Italy during tumultuous demonstration in Italian Chamber of Deputies. The names Tunisia, Corsica, Savoy and Nice were shouted from side to side of the legislative chamber by the deputies.

O'Daniel Dinner Slated Dec. 14; Tickets \$100 Per

PT. WORTH, Dec. 6 (AP)—An appreciation dinner with tickets to cost a minimum of \$100 each will be held here December 14 honoring Governor-elect O'Daniel. Reverend Leslie Fimmel, pastor of the Magnolia Avenue Christian church, announced today.

Proceeds of the event will go to help retire the indebtedness of the church in which O'Daniel and his family are members, the pastor said.

O'Daniel was recently ordained a deacon in the church.

Directors Elected, Officers Named for Midland Town Hall

The following board of directors was elected by members of Midland Town Hall, Miss Fannie Eldridge, organizer, announced today: Leonard C. Thomas, Mrs. Alma Thomas, R. I. Dickey, R. C. Conkling, Dr. W. E. Ryan, Fred Wempe, Ronald D. DeFord, Georges Vorbe, George Abel.

Elected by the board were the following officers for the club: Leonard C. Thomas, president; Dr. W. E. Ryan, vice president; Ronald K. DeFord, vice president; Mrs. Alma Thomas, secretary-treasurer. Appointed on the speakers' committee were: Ronald K. DeFord, Fred Wempe, R. I. Dickey, Miss Corinne Freeman, Miss Marguerite Hester, P. D. Moore, E. H. Ellison, Mrs. W. E. Ryan.

This committee will meet this afternoon, Miss Eldridge said, and will approve between 15 and 20 speakers who are considered desirable for the Midland group. From this number the Associated Town Halls will select seven speakers who will be available to the club. Georges Vorbe heads the arrangement committee as chairman with J. L. Green and Dr. W. E. Ryan committee members.

Persons of the reception committee has not been announced.

RETURNS TO OHIO

Miss Edith Ford has returned to Dayton, Ohio, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ford, 1209 W. Indiana.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Richman on the birth of a daughter in a Midland hospital this morning. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces and has been named Dolores.

Indict 6 for Violation of Neutrality Act

Former Head of Air Corps in Among Ones Charged

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 6 (AP) — The federal government today indicted General Robert Fierro, former head of the Mexican air corps, and six other Mexicans, including a general and two colonels, two Americans and a Mexican aviation company for conspiring to violate the neutrality act.

The indictment named as a co-conspirator, but did not indict, Felix Gordon Ordaz, Spanish Ambassador to Mexico. The bill charged 19 airplanes were transported from the United States to Mexico for trans-shipment to loyalist Spain.

CLEVENGER SENTENCED TO FEDERAL PRISON.

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 6 (AP) — Cloyd P. Clevenger, New York aviator, today was sentenced to 18 months in prison by federal judge C. B. Kennamer. The flier admitted he transported two airplanes from the United States to Mexico to be used in the Cedillo rebellion.

Immediate arrest of General Cedillo, the general's personal pilot Major Adolpho Pina, Mexican known only as "Mansivais," and an unidentified Mexican aviator, was asked by George John, assistant United States attorney. The government asked that bonds of the four Mexicans be set at \$5,000 each.

Late today John said Clevenger had informed him that Mansivais recently was killed in an airplane smashup in Mexico. American authorities in Mexico reported that Major Pina, arrested several months ago near Nuevo Laredo, Mex., had been released from jail and San Luis Potosi, Mex. General Cedillo whose family is at McAllen, Texas, was reported hiding in the mountains of Mexico.

Morren Selected as New Night Watchman

Dave Morren, city traffic officer, this morning was named night watchman to succeed R. D. Lee, Constable-elect, after the first of the year.

Morren was named at a meeting of merchants of the city at the chamber of commerce office. The meeting was called by the merchant's retail committee of the organization, with all merchants of the city being invited to attend.

A successor for Morren has not yet been named by city officials.

PWA Contracts for Area up This Week

West Texas towns are coming in for Public Works Administration projects for which bids are being received this week. The county commissioners' court of Upton county is letting contract for a swimming pool and park, with \$34,300 available. The bids to be opened Friday at the Rankin court house.

Mother of Midland Man Dies Monday

E. B. Patterson notified today of the death of his mother, Mrs. J. H. Patterson, in Santa Ana, Calif., last night. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon in Santa Ana. Patterson was unable to attend final services for his mother because of illness.

Singing School to Be Opened Tomorrow Night

Evangelist H. Norman Gipson, of the South Side Church of Christ, is to conduct a singing school beginning Wednesday night, December 7. Sessions will be held each night at 7:00 p. m. The school will be in session each night, except Sunday, through Saturday, December 17, and longer if interest demands. Expenses of the school will be paid by the South Side Church of Christ, and it is who care to may attend the school at no cost whatever.

New Demonstrations-- MARCH ON TUNISIA IS PREDICTED



Symbolic of rough going in European diplomatic channels, this unusual picture shows Prime Minister Chamberlain (right) and Lord Halifax, British Foreign Minister during a stormy sea trip to France.

Nazi Good Will Plane Sinks as Motor Conks Out

MANILA, Dec. 6 (AP) — Unable to hold altitude after one of its four motors had stalled, the big German Goodwill plane made a forced landing and sank in Manila harbor today as it neared the end of a non-stop flight from Tokyo. The crew of five and one passenger were rescued uninjured. The plane recently completed a goodwill flight from Berlin to Tokyo.

Attend Funeral of Father at Marfa

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bruns have returned from Marfa where they attended the funeral of her father, T. M. Wilson, veteran banker and ranchman of that section. The service was held Sunday afternoon, with burial in the Marfa cemetery. Mr. Wilson lost his life Saturday at the Meade Wilson ranch, 40 miles south of Marfa, where he had gone on business in connection with some land. Wayne Carlidge and son, Wayne Jr., later made bond of \$2,500 on charges of shooting the Marfa man to death, it was announced at Marfa.

Wildlife Conservation Group to Meet Saturday

A meeting of Texas Wildlife Conservation members will be held Saturday at noon in the Blue Room of the Hotel Scharbauer dining room, it was announced today by John House. Members and all others interested in wildlife conservation are urged to be on hand to hear Alex Lillico, assistant manager of the Texas Wildlife Association, Austin, talk on the federation's program and other subjects of interest to sportsmen.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL

N. R. Kennamer, aged Midland man, was admitted to a local hospital Monday afternoon for treatment.

Half-Interest in Lea Sand Tracts Brings \$92,500 for Midland Firm

BY FRANK GARDNER.

Sale of half-interest in 320 acres of producing leases in the Lea sand of southeastern Lea county, N. M., for consideration of \$92,500, part cash and the balance out of oil, was reported today. Buyer was Sun-Ray Oil Company, which purchased from National Drilling and Production Company of Midland, its one-half interest in the leases. There are three producing wells on the two 160-acre tracts. Culbertson & Irwin, Inc., of Midland, owns the other half interest in each of the 160's. The Henry lease, consisting of the southwest quarter of section 26-25-37e, already has one producer, and location now is being made for a second test, the Culbertson & Irwin and Sun-Ray No. 2 Delia Alston Henry, 330 feet from the south, 1,650 from the west line of section 26-25-37e. The other quarter-section is the George W. Dabbs estate lease, described as the northwest quarter of section 35-25-37e, with two producing wells. Farther northwest in the Lovington area of Lea, Skelly Oil Company No. 1-N State, wildcat two miles north of the Westmont gas discovery well, this morning was drilling at 2,040 feet in red rock. It is in section 36-168-36e. Royalty in section 6-178-37e, adjoining the Westmont section to the northeast, was reported to have been sold yesterday by a Midland broker to Fort Worth interests for consideration of \$100 per acre, base. Amerasia No. 1-LA State, diagonal northwest offset to the Westmont gasser, is drilling at 1,750 feet in red rock. Stanolind No. 1 State, north offset to the discovery, is drilling plug from surface pipe, bottomed at 320 feet in red rock. Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1 Humble-State, wildcat three miles northwest of the Westmont strike, is drilling past 4,549 feet in lime (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

14 Lose Lives In Nova Scotia Mine Tragedy

SYDNEY, Nova Scotia, Dec. 6 (AP) — Fourteen men were known to have been killed and many others injured today in Nova Scotia's worst coal mine disaster in 20 years. Fourteen bodies were brought to the surface two hours after 26 mine cars carrying 250 workers broke loose and plunged down a mile long incline into the mine. It was feared other bodies were at the bottom of the shaft. The tragedy occurred in the Princess colliery of the Nova Scotia steel and coal company.

Daladier Ignores Labor Peace Move In Fight on Strike

PARIS, Dec. 6 (AP) — The government of Edouard Daladier ignored labor overtures for peace last night and ordered naval detachments to Le Havre to break the strike that has tied up the huge liner Normandie and other shipping. The government determined to use the same heavy-handed methods in the shipping strike that it employed last week to crash the metalworkers' walkout in northern France and the one-day nation-wide strike against its economic decrees.

Three naval lieutenants and 126 sailors left Lorient for Le Havre to take the places of strikers. Other groups of sailors were sent from Cherbourg and the naval bases. The merchant marine ministry refused to receive a delegation of the strikers who sought a compromise by dismissal of charges against four of their leaders and the rehiring of 60 of their number who took part in the general strike last Thursday. Approximately 1,500 of the Normandie crew, 2,000 workers on the liners Paris and Ile de France and 1,500 dock workers and port handlers refused to work Le Havre in sympathy with the 60 discharged employees. Military requisitions threatening them with martial law for failure to disobey work orders had failed to break their strike.

Plane Landed After One Motor Falls Out

WACO, Dec. 6 (AP) — A motor fell out of a bi-motored passenger plane Monday as the ship was en route from Fort Worth to San Antonio. John Hurst, pilot, brought the ship to a safe landing here without injury to any of the five passengers aboard. Another ship picked up the passengers and proceeded southward. The 750-horsepower motor, weight about 750 pounds, dropped into a farmer's lot 6 1/2 miles north of Waco. Trouble first developed 15 miles north of here, near West, Tex. At Dallas headquarters of the Airways Passenger Service it was explained that the cause of the accident could not be determined until company representatives and federal aeronautics experts study the motor.

Is Entertained in College Head's Home

Miss Jean Bodkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bodkins of Midland, was one of the new students of Mills College entertained by Dr. Aurelis Henry Reinhardt, president of the college, at a breakfast in her home, Sunday morning, Dec. 4. Miss Bodkins enrolled in the California school for the first time this fall. She was one of 20 new students invited for the breakfast.

Party Leader Says Fascists To Make 'Trip'

Attempted March On French Embassy Turned Back Today

ROME, Dec. 6 (AP) — Anti-French demonstrations in the streets of Rome reached a climax today in the declaration of a fascist party leader that Italian would go to Tunisia, France's North African protectorate.

"There's no need of talking of Tunisia—we will go there," snarled Andrea Oppolito, provincial secretary of the party, in response to cries of "Tunisia" by fascist students. The students, agitating support of Italian claims to French territory, were turned back by police when they attempted to reach the French embassy.

Of the Italian press campaign and chamber of deputies' demonstration regarding France and French possessions, Premier Daladier said: "There is no need to state that strong opposition against the cession of any territory over which the national flag floats."

He said the loyalty demonstrations in Tunisia and Corsica were "the best response that could be made" to Italian cries for French territory. He noted that the Italian government had answered a French protest by stating the fascist colonial claims were not formulated by the government.

British Prime Minister Chamberlain announced in London he had received assurance the Italian government "did not associate itself with fascist territorial demonstrations against France."

FRENCH AND GEAMANS SIGN 'NO WAR' PACT.

PARIS, Dec. 6 (AP) — France and Germany today signed an accord, widely termed a "war renunciation pact," which pledged them to amicable discussion of difficulties instead of resorting to armed force. The agreement declared the government recognized the present boundaries and that no French-German territorial question exists. Foreign Ministers Georges Bonnet of France and Joachim von Ribbentrop of Germany signed the agreement.

Citizens Urged to Buy Book Review Tickets at Once

Citizens planning to attend the book review to be sponsored by the Senior class at the high school auditorium Wednesday evening are reminded that by purchasing tickets from students either in high school or junior high, they may aid the students in earning a free ticket. A free ticket is given to each child selling a certain number of tickets. Miss Evelyn Oppenheimer, popular reviewer who has made appearances over a large area of the South and Southwest, will be presented in a review of Margaret Armstrong's "Fanny Kemble, A Passionate Victorian." The story tells the exciting and colorful life history of Fanny Kemble and switches from England to America of the abolition days and back again to London. Proceeds of the review will accrue to the high school annual fund. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained from students or at the door.

16 Shopping Days Till Christmas



LOOKING BACK TO CHRISTMAS 16 YEARS AGO—Italy was rumored in control of Mussolini. . . . Three inventors were demonstrating novel "talking movie" almost simultaneously. . . . Announcement that electric light current instead of batteries might soon be used for their receiving sets added to holiday cheer of radio fans. . . . Administration concerned over "bootleg boom" in New York radio amateur picked up program from Vancouver.

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Hollywood Sends Regards To Adolf and Benito

By BRUCE CATTON.

It is useless for America to try to let the people of Germany and Italy know how the actions of their governments are regarded on this side of the Atlantic, because those people aren't allowed to get any news that the men on top don't want them to get.

Nor would it make very much difference if that news did get to them, because they don't have anything to say about governmental policies anyway. So all the American government can do is make its protests to the head men in Berlin and Rome and hope that some day a change will be made.

And in this job a good deal of efficient help is being provided by Hollywood—of all places.

Hollywood does it deftly, quietly, and where it hurts. A little more than a year ago Vittorio Mussolini, son of Il Duce, went to Hollywood with some grand plans. He was going to make a thorough study of American film methods, so as to improve Italian film production on his return. He was going to negotiate with an American film magnate to produce films of Italian grand opera. He was going to do divers big things and make a profound impression on the whole movie colony.

But the whole business quickly turned out to be a flop. The movie colony resented the presence of Il Duce's son and was pretty blunt in letting him know about it. After a series of snubs, culminated by the appearance in a trade paper of a full-page ad attacking him, Vittorio shook the dust of California from his shoes and departed for the homeland, unwept.

Now another drama of the same sort has been enacted, this time with Leni Riefenstahl in the leading role.

This German actress seems to be a talented and pleasing young woman, but she came here—unfortunately—traded marked as Hitler's girl friend. So Hollywood warmed up to her no more than it did to Vittorio. Most of the studios refused to let her in. A night club refused to sell reservations to her. The chill was put on in a big way, and her visit turned out to be quite as unhappy an affair as did Mussolini's.

All of this is considerably less than important, except for one thing.

It happens to be about as direct and effective a way as can be imagined to let the two great dictators know just how their policies are regarded in America.

There is an ironic justice in having the message delivered by Hollywood. For those dictators are actors—first, last and all the time. More than any other men alive, they ought to be sensitive to the reactions of the world's capital of drama.

World opinion beats in vain upon the closed gates of Rome and Berlin. If any group can get a message inside the walls it ought to be Hollywood. And Hollywood—be it remembered in its favor!—is in there trying.

Observer, 96, Advises Youth to Sleep More

WILLIAMSTOWN, N. J. (U.P.)—Christian L. (Uncle Chris) Sharp, 96-year-old Civil War veteran, has a different idea regarding what is wrong with the younger generation.

"The young people of today are no worse than the young folks of my days," he said. "Their only

trouble is that they don't get enough sleep."

Sharp, who lost an eye at Fredricksburg, doesn't object to a woman taking an occasional highball, but he dislikes their smoking. He recalled visiting a young girl in his youth and seeing her mother walk into the room smoking a corn cob pipe.

Still active, he takes out a hunting license annually.

The Capitol Jigsaw

By Howard Marshall
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Dec. 6. (AP).—No charge of immodesty will be brought against the memorial to the pioneer woman set for dedication today on the campus of the State College for Women at Denton.

The 13-foot figure in stone represents a woman clothed from neck to ankles, in sharp contrast with the nude which aroused such a furore during Texas' Centennial celebration in 1936.

A tight-fitting blouse or jacket, ornamented with a long row of buttons straight down the front, tops a flowing, very full skirt which extends to the laces of high, heavy shoes of the brogan type.

The uncovered hair, drawn away from the forehead and piled low on the neck, sets off a face with strong features. Some might say it was not a beautiful face; others that it was.

A woman of similar proportions and appearance probably would be of medium height, about 130 pounds in weight and anywhere between 25 and 35 years old.

She is depicted walking, the left foot foremost, while the eyes look far away.

On the base of the memorial is carved the following tribute to the pioneer woman, composed by L. H. Hubbard, president of the State College for Women:

"Marking a trail in a pathless wilderness, pressing forward with unswerving courage, she met each untrodden situation with a resourcefulness equal to the need; with a glad heart she brought to her frontier family her homeland cultural heritage; with delicate spiritual sensitiveness she illumined the dullness of routine and the loneliness of isolation with beauty and with life abundant; and withal, she lived with casual unawareness of her value to civilization. Such was the pioneer woman, the unsung saint of the nation's immortals."

The memorial cost approximately \$25,000, the money being a part of \$2,000,000 the legislature appropriated to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Texas' declaration of independence from Mexico.

Donald Nelson of Dallas was the architect; Leo Friedlander and Piccirilli Brothers, both of New York City, the sculptors and carvers, respectively; and the Georgia Marble Company of Dallas, the fabricator and erector of the base.

The architect drew the plans for the base and general construction and saw that the work conformed to the architectural plans. The sculptor designed the figure of the woman and stood by to see that the carvers, the men who actually wielded mallets and chisels, produced each contour and wrinkle he wanted.

Here is the technical description of the memorial supplied by the state board of control, which supervised the centennial building program:

"The memorial is supported on a monolithic slab and double capping foundation, upon which is erected a ring base of Georgia White Cherokee marble.

"Above this base is a great horizontal 22-ton monolithic die of Georgia White Cherokee marble, with bevelled top, on the front and back of which is carved the inscription.

"On this die is erected the sculpture, which is carved from a single 30-ton monolith of Georgia White marble.

"The sculpture is 13 feet in height, anchored to the base with a great viper fish lives far down in the icy waters of the ocean. It wears two rows of phosphorescent spots along its body.

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triangular bronze pen.

"The entire memorial is axed finish."

Claude D. Teer, board of control chairman, said the memorial is a fine piece of artistry and the whole state should be proud of it.

He termed it one of the most outstanding achievements of the centennial observance and one that would endure longest.

"If there are those who find fault with it," he said, "that is with the figure, or the clothing, or the expression of the feature, they remember it is not intended to depict a pioneer woman, but it is a memorial to the pioneer woman."

In the course of the preparation of the memorial, Col. John V. Singleton, chief of the centennial division of the board, made several trips to New York to inspect the work and make sure insofar as possible it met every specification and nothing was done which would draw criticism.

The board is a little gun-shy of criticism, it must be admitted. All who remember the uproar over the memorial of nudes originally projected will understand why.

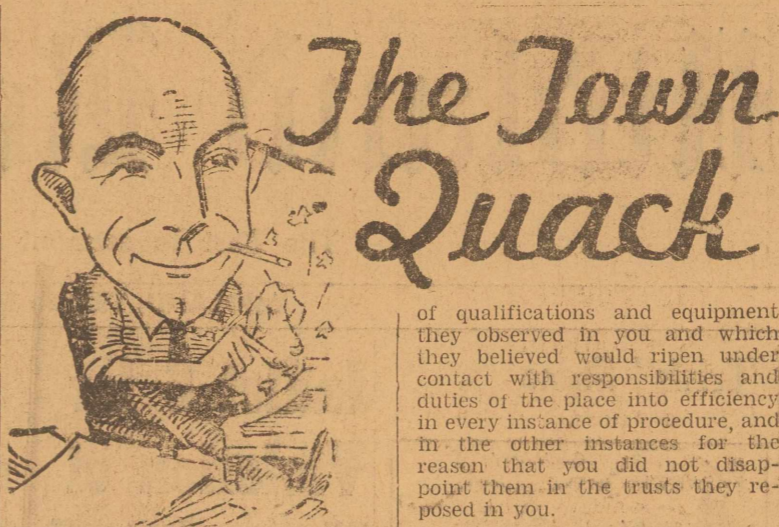
The storm over the propriety of presenting a pioneer woman without a rag on her back gave many Texans and out-of-staters a good laugh, but not the board of control. It was just another headache and the board already had plenty as a result of its involuntary stewardship over the spending of Centennial money and Texas' sudden venture into the acquisition of "objects d'art."

Museum Soon to Have Pioneer Printing Shop

CANYON, Tex. (U.P.)—A typical pioneer printing office is being re-created in the museum of the Panhandle-Pains Historical Society.

The printshop will be complete, even to the dirty apron, coal oil lamp and spittoon. It was announced by Frank Hill, Topeka newspaperman, who is sponsoring the project. Hill is aided by Clyde W. Warwick, secretary of the Panhandle Press association.

Equipment already procured includes an old G-Wash hand press formerly used by the Canyon



The Town Quack

Fed yearling steers brought \$13.50 a hundred on the Kansas City market yesterday, setting a new high mark for the season. As any rancher will tell you, the cattle business has been mighty good this fall, and apparently is on a stable basis. Heifer calves find a ready market at seven cents a pound, right off of the grass, and steers are an easy cent better, some of them bringing eight and a half. And they are pretty scarce. The feeder territory is no longer confined to the Corn Belt, but farmers over the north plains and the southern states are after good cattle to stabilize their farming. Even right here at home, feeding is being done on a more successful basis than ever before. Things look pretty good for the cattle producers.

Appreciation of Judge Chas. L. Klapproth, whose voluntary retirement from a twelve-year period on the bench will take place January 1, has by no means been confined to his home county. As district court ended at Big Spring Saturday, attorneys of that city drew up the following resolution in praise of the Midland judge, copy of which appeared in the Big Spring Daily Herald:

"The citizenship of this district has three times chosen you to be their judge; once, because

News, eyeshades, typosticks, old type, nail kegs, and other relics of frontier journalism.

The recreators also are assembling pictures of pioneer and modern publishers for display in connection with the exhibit.

of qualifications and equipment they observed in you and which they believed would ripen under contact with responsibilities and duties of the place into efficiency in every instance of procedure, and in the other instances for the reason that you did not disappoint them in the trusts they reposed in you.

"There is no reason for conjecture that your office tenure could not be perpetuated for you, if you had desired it should be. We remember that you have been punctual in attendance at the court terms; have been open minded on issues and causes; have been considerate of jurors and fair to counsel and clients; that your management in every way has been for the best interests of the county economically, the county's interest well protected and maintained.

"You leave with us agreeable memories of your patience and tolerance of persons and conflicts connected with court proceedings, all the way. We cherish these memories.

"The official court reporter, L. P. Boone, chosen by you, has been faithful and helpful as an assistant to the court, and those connected with its proceedings. We commend him for faithfulness and proficiency.

"We want you to have a copy of this writing. We wish that it could more adequately express to you our appreciation of you, personally and of your official acts.

"We want the clerk, Hugh Dubberly, always efficient, faithful and reliable, to write a copy into the court minutes, and we want editors of our newspapers to have copies so that they may carry the recitals herein to readers."

What I called attention to was

Love, Diana.

JOHN T. FLYNN

A NUMBER of letters of protest have come to me in reference to a stand I took some time back on the American Federation of Labor's proposed goal of \$4000 a year for every American family.

The protests take the form of lashing out against anyone who thinks a laborer should not try to improve his condition or anyone who opposes labor's efforts to organize to do that. Why, they ask, should not a workman try to earn \$4000 a year.

Of course there is no reason why a workman should not want to earn \$4000 a year and every reason why he should organize in a union to advance the interests of himself and his fellow workers. No one is more for that than I am.

What I called attention to was

Letters to Santa Claus

Midland, Texas
Dec. 4, 1938.

Dear Santa Claus:
I have been very good apart of this year but yesterday and today I have been bad. Now Santa I would love to have a Shirley Temple dollie and cook stove, sewing machine, doll buggy and some cooking utensils. Remember my brother Red and the others boys and girls. I'll be better now.

Love,
Diana.

ony on Pitcairn Island is in need of trousers.

Larry Spencer of this city, in response to a letter he had previously sent Christian, has received a reply asking that he be sent a pair of dungarees, size 42 waist and 32 length, or, as he expresses it—"for a small man like me."

The dungarees are on the way. Since the man is only about 239-000 miles away, and the sun is about 92,900,000, the enormous difference in their respective sizes is not readily apparent.

the proclaimed goal of the A. F. of L. to establish an income of \$4000 a year for every American family. And I did so not because I would not like to see all American families enjoy such good fortune but because American workers who have so many serious and important objectives to achieve are merely diverted from them by these futile objectives.

But there is another reason for calling attention to it. I did so because I thought this announced plan characteristic of what I consider a weakness of the A. F. of L. That weakness is found in the fact that the A. F. of L., according to my views, is not interested in every American family, but only in the small group of families which belong to the A. F. of L. The only way to get \$4000 for American workers now is at the expense of other American workers.

GET GOAL STRAIGHT.

AT present three out of every four American workers earn less than \$2500 and over a third of the workers earn less than \$1000. The great goal of labor now should be to meet the grave and difficult problem of raising the wages of these forgotten groups who earn less than \$1000 a year—and this means, remember, in many cases as low as \$500 a year. The only way this can be done is by organizing all the workers.

Laws like workmen's compensation, old age pensions, unemployment insurance and minimum wage laws are made for the protection of the great unorganized groups more than any others. But if we have not had laws like these for years, I believe it was partly because the A. F. of L. was not interested in the low wage workers.

A LOOK AT RECORD.

SAMUEL GOMPERS opposed even workmen's compensation for years. Years ago the A. F. of L. fought health insurance along with the Civic federation and the insurance companies. The A. F. of L. opposed unemployment insurance until 1932. It fought for years the minimum wage law and it opposed old age pensions at one time.

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SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

G. A. Girls Receive Armband Awards at Missionary Meeting

An executive meeting presided over by Mrs. Myrtle Scarborough-Smith preceded the regular business meeting of the Baptist WMU at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Singing of the Women's Hymn opened the general meeting, followed by prayer by the Reverend Gonzales, Mexican resident missionary. Mrs. S. L. Alexander then introduced Mr. Gonzales.

Devotional for the afternoon was brought by Mrs. H. B. Brazeale. After prayer was offered by Mrs. Bruce.

Invitation was given by a business firm to the members of WMU to register at its opening and thereby receive a bonus for each name signed.

Following the business session G. A. girls, under sponsorship of Mrs. Chas. Skinner, were presented with armbands as the first forward step—Handmaidens to the King. Those receiving the badges were: Dorothy Shelburne, Lena Fay Shelburne, Irma Tunnel, Jean Ann Preskitt, Wanda Lee Tindle, Patsy Ruth Pope, Evelyn Jean Brittain. Two G. A. members, Geneva Thompson and Annie Aycock, were absent.

Mrs. Joe Mims sang "A Child of God" as a special number.

The closing prayer was offered

Mrs. Fromhold Is New President of Methodist WMS

Installation of officers for the new year marked the business meeting of the Methodist missionary society at the church Monday afternoon.

Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor, was in charge of the installation program when the following officers assumed their duties: President, Mrs. Fred Fromhold; vice president, Mrs. J. M. Prothro; recording secretary, Mrs. Karl Ratliff; corresponding secretary, Mrs. S. P. Hezlip; treasurer, Mrs. Rea Sindorf; assistant treasurer, Mrs. Oliver Haag; superintendent of study, Mrs. J. M. Haygood; superintendent of supplies, Mrs. Bill Wyche; superintendent of local work, Mrs. Terry Elkin; superintendent of baby specials, Mrs. P. A. Nelson; superintendent of children's work, Mrs. Iva Honeycutt; superintendent of Christian social relations, Mrs. S. H. Hudkins; secretary of young women's work, Mrs. T. L. Morgan; superintendent of publicity, Mrs. J. L. Tidwell; World Outlook agent, Mrs. Stacy Allen.

Following the installation, Mrs. J. M. Prothro, retiring president, made an address of appreciation for the cooperation shown during her tenure of office. Mrs. Fromhold, incoming president, also spoke.

Opening prayer for the day was offered by Mrs. J. M. Prothro.

Circle reports were heard and names were drawn for circle membership for next year.

Announcement was made of the WMS Harvest Day meeting to be held at the First Methodist church, Sweetwater, Wednesday of this week.

Rev. Hinds dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Reading of Play in Christmas Theme Features Program

Mrs. Chas. Brown read the play, "The Other Shepherd," as the high point of the program presented by Circle No. 3 at the meeting of the women's council at the First Christian church Monday afternoon.

"The Other Shepherd" is a Christmas story and accompanying the reading were special musical numbers consisting of carols sung by a choir composed of Misses F. C. Cummings, B. W. Stevens, M. A. Park, Z. T. Reader, J. E. Pickering, Mrs. John Crump was piano accompanist.

Mrs. A. Van Kampen, a guest, spoke on behalf of the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale now in progress.

Mrs. John Casselman brought the devotional for the afternoon and Mrs. F. R. Schenk spoke on "Stewardship."

A short business session was also held.

A social hour followed the program and refreshments were served.

Present were four guests, Misses Van Kampen, E. I. Bailey, Rex Sackett, W. N. Fleender, and 35 members including: Misses L. A. Arrington, Chas. Brown, Glenn Brunson, L. L. Butler, W. M. Blevins, John Casselman, John Crump, F. C. Cummings, J. W. Campbell, J. K. Graves, Frank Ingham, Charles Klapproth, S. E. Mickey, M. A. Park, L. B. Pemberton, J. E. Pickering, Ella Ragsdale, Geo. Ratliff, Z. T. Reader, B. W. Reecer, F. R. Schenk, D. B. Snider, W. B. Standerfer, B. W. Stevens, Louis Thomas, John Thomas, R. D. McBrian, Chas. Sherwood, L. A. Denton.

Unlucky in Love, Etc.



Ely Culbertson "kibitzes" divorced wife's game at national bridge championships in Cleveland.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

There's no satisfying cattle raisers. First they sought heavier, larger cattle. Now in Oklahoma, they are breeding midget cows, much smaller than the ordinary milk cows. The theory is that these smaller animals eat much less than do the normal-sized cows but that they produce as much milk. Ergo, there is a saving on the feed account for the dairyman.

It's a topsy turvy world. It seems that humans are utterly incapable of being contented with what they have but must always be striving for something different.

The midget cows are a case in point.

Cordette bags for ordinary day use are now being enlivened with a flower or a dainty pin when they go out to more dress-up affairs.

We rather like the idea of employing fruits as candle holders or flower holders for table decorations. Tall red candles thrust into partially cored bright red apples make colorful and pretty table lights. Grapefruit or oranges may be employed in the same way for a different color scheme.

We know a Midland hostess who, liking blue and yellow, put blue candles into such grapefruit holders to light her party table.

The autumn pumpkin filled with fruits has been a favorite for years but a different interpretation of the same idea may be found by using the hollowed-out shell of a fresh pineapple as a container for either fruits or flowers.

Rather a specialty in gifts is the doll house, complete with needle butler at the door, real electric lights, and a piano and radio that work by means of music boxes inserted in the doll house. The doll house is advertised in a big-city store at the modest sum of \$50.

It's a little bit heart-breaking

St. Thomas Club Studies Vestments

"The Sacred Vestments" was the subject of study at the meeting of the St. Thomas Study club of the Catholic church at the home of Mrs. Fred Wright, 1010 W. Texas, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. F. H. Schouten was study leader. She was assisted in presentation of the subject by Mrs. Allen Tolbert, Mrs. Jas. H. Chaplin, and Mrs. Henry Wolcott.

Approximately nine women were present.

to read of such luxurious gifts when one reflects how many parents are striving to select gifts for perhaps half-a-dozen children on a tenth that much money.

No wonder people sometimes go in for socialism or anarchism or revolution. At times there seems justification for it—the going in, we mean, not the actual isms.

Did you ever hear of a perfume tree? No more did we until recently when we discovered that such a tree, in blue, with red electric candles has been thought up by some one as the last idea in table decoration or super-luxurious gifts. The tricky thing about it is that each candle is shaded by a gold star on which is a bottle of perfume.

Such a gift, with the perfume in eight fragrances, would be worthy of a princess.

As a gift tree for distributing favors at a Christmas party it would be equally smart—that is if you don't have to watch your budget.

Home in Baffin Land For Aged Eskimos Seen

TORONTO, Ont. (U.P.)—An "Old Folks' Home" for Eskimos may be built in Baffin Land by the Church of England.

The plan was disclosed by Right Rev. A. L. Fleming, bishop of the Arctic, before the congregation of St. Paul's church here.

The bishop said the Canadian government was prepared to assist with grants if the church would erect the buildings.

He said a home for aged Eskimos was a vital necessity because of the custom of younger generation of pagan Eskimos of deserting the aged members of their families. The custom, he said, was appalling, but was considered a necessity because if the aged Eskimos were taken along on dog sleds it impeded the progress of hunting expeditions.

Injured Child Refuses To Ride With Stranger

CLEVELAND, O. (U.P.)—Seven-year-old Marian Tesar, being a girl who minds her mother, does not accept rides with strangers—even when they are trying to help her when she is injured.

Struck down by an automobile, she refused to get in with the driver, and instead ran three blocks to her house. The frightened motorist pursued her and, with her mother, rushed her to the hospital, where Marian was treated for cuts and bruises.

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Namesakes Get Together

OMAHA, Neb. (U.P.)—Marion Jeanne Barry, Omaha, saw Marian Jeannette Barrie's (Seward, Neb.) picture in the paper and a "pen pal" correspondence began. They have a mutual friend, Marian Jean Barrie of Red Oak, Ia.

by Mrs. Brazeale.

About 42 persons were present.

Presbyterians Have Business Meeting And Bible Study

Meeting at the church, the Presbyterian women's auxiliary held a combined business session and Bible study Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Butler Hurley presiding.

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Ruby Braden after the opening hymn.

Mrs. A. P. Shiray taught the Bible study on the first chapter of Philippians.

During the business hour, reports were made by officers and by cause secretaries.

Reports were also made on clothing donated to needy families and plans were discussed for Christmas social relations activities at Christmas time.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Episcopal Group Discusses Business, Sews for Tree

Fifteen members and three guests attended the business meeting of the Episcopal auxiliary at the home of Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, 1110 W. Texas, Monday afternoon.

Plans for the new church were exhibited and routine business conducted.

Officers for the coming year were discussed.

No program was presented and the afternoon was devoted to sewing in preparation for the Christmas tree to be given for the Episcopal Sunday school.

Mrs. D. C. Sivalls reported the sending of the mission supply box to the Pute Indian mission.

A social hour with the serving of refreshments closed the afternoon.

Present were the guests, Misses Richard Gile, C. G. Cooper, Jack McDonough, and the following members: Misses John P. Butler, I. E. Daniel, J. D. Dillard, E. H. Ellison, Geo. Kidd Jr., R. E. Kinsey, Robert Muldrow, Don Sivalls, R. C. Tucker, R. M. Turpin, C. D. Ver-trees, W. A. Yeager, Chas. Reed, D. R. Carter, and the hostess.

St. Anne's Altar Society to Sponsor Food Sale Saturday

Mrs. C. C. Duffey presided at the business meeting of St. Anne's Altar society held at the home of Mrs. Fred Wright, 1010 W. Texas, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Plans were made for the Fifth Monday meeting in January at which time the Altar society will be host to other missionary societies of the town.

Announcement was made that a food sale will be held at M System grocery Saturday morning from 9 o'clock until noon. Mrs. Allen Tolbert and Mrs. Wright are in charge of the sale.

Father John J. O'Connell was present.

About 12 members attended.

Jimmie Reven Is Honored at Party On Sixth Birthday

Jimmie Reven, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Reven, was honored at a birthday party given by his mother at their home 809 N. Weatherford, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Birthday gifts were presented to the honoree.

Boys and girls spent the party hours playing outdoor games until the refreshment hour.

Jimmie's birthday cake was iced in white and lighted by six blue candles.

Candy hearts were favors for guests.

Present, beside Jimmie, were: Richard Reagan, Milton Lynn Reagan, Lucile Dixon, V. L. Feazel, Ben Louis Hedges, Johnnie K. Parker, Sandra Smith, Juanita Boyett, Hazel Smith, Junior Reven.

Two Are Hostesses For Palette Club Christmas Party

Mrs. G. H. Butler and Mrs. Ben W. Golladay were cohostesses for the annual Christmas party of the Palette club held at the home of Mrs. Butler, 933 N. Baird, Monday evening.

An unusual decorative note was the novel Christmas tree made of a thorn shrub and decorated with such gaudies as gumdrops, popcorn, ribbon and tinsel.

Games were played under direction of the hostesses. In one of these, a contest in which questions were answered with words ending in "ice," Mrs. Mary S. Ray was awarded the prize.

Mrs. R. W. Rochon presided as Santa Claus for the distribution of gifts. Names had been previously drawn and each member of the club had brought a gift for some other member. As all gifts were pictures, an impromptu exhibit was held after packages were opened.

A visitor, Miss Addie May Langdon, was presented with a gift.

Miss Nell Shaw was also presented with a special gift, Mrs. Mary S. Ray, in a brief talk, explaining that this was a token of appreciation for the help she had given in the food sale will be held at M System grocery Saturday morning from 9 o'clock until noon. Mrs. Allen Tolbert and Mrs. Wright are in charge of the sale.

Father John J. O'Connell was present.

About 12 members attended.

Mrs. Abbott Is Hostess to Party Honoring Daughter

Mrs. T. R. Abbott entertained at her home, 310 N. Weatherford, Monday afternoon with a party honoring her daughter, Matilda, on her fourteenth birthday.

A pink and white color scheme was employed.

Various games were played, both indoors and outdoors, by the group during the afternoon.

At the tea hour a candle-light birthday cake was cut and refreshments were served to: The honoree, Colleen Oates, Bobby Jean Gibbins, Zella Winkler, Juanita Jones, F. D. Reven Jr., Henry Beth Abbott, T. R. Abbott, Mamie Abbott, Minnie Abbott, Hazel Smith, Juanita Boyett, Jimmie Wales, Oran Louis Jones, Mrs. Oran Jones.

Old Toys Are Price Of Admission to Yucca for "Kids"

All Midland children today were reminded of the two tree moving picture shows that will be held for their tomorrow afternoon at the Ritz and Yucca theaters here.

From two until four o'clock tomorrow afternoon, any child can enter the Yucca, paying his admission with old toys. Any kind of toys will be accepted at the office in lieu of cash. Later, they will be given to the welfare association for distribution to needy children.

The free picture show at the Ritz is being offered to the members of the safety patrol of junior high school here. The show starts at four o'clock.

Mrs. Joe Mims Is Cohostess at Party Given at Lamesa

LAMESA, Dec. 6. (Special)—To reveal the engagement and approaching wedding of Miss Eleanor Ragle and R. H. Huddleston Messiams E. R. Yates, Joe Mims of Midland and Miss Helen Massingale of Pampa, former teachers of Lamesa schools, entertained with a tea Saturday afternoon from three to five o'clock in the home of Mrs. Yates on South Bryan.

Miss Connie Zell Barnes presided at the bride's book. Misses Ida McCain and Lorraine Wilkowske rendered piano numbers throughout the entertaining hours, interspersed with two vocal numbers "Indian Love Call" by Mrs. Noble H. Price and "I Love You Truly" by Mrs. Joe Mims.

Four tall ivory tapers, in silver candelabras, furnished light for the tea table which was lovely with lace cloth over silver centered with a huge reflectory—on which a floral wedding ring design of white candy-tuff and ferns encircling a miniature bridal couple. Misses Florence Lawson and Leona Gelin presided at the silver services.

The announcement was enclosed in scrolls of blue with silver, the bride-to-be chosen colors, and were placed on refreshment plate. Introducing Miss Ragle in her new role as a play entitled "His Wife," was presented. The wedding will take place at Ralls December 23.

tion for Miss Shaw's helping with programs during the year.

Tables decorated with poinsettias and other Christmas emblems were laid in the sunroom for the serving of refreshments.

An unique feature of the sunroom is that Mrs. Butler has decorated the walls by painting a woodland and mountain scene on them.

Present were Miss Langdon and the following club members: Misses F. H. Lanham, J. G. Gossett, Berte Haigh, N. W. Eigham, John W. Hix, Mary S. Ray, R. M. Barron, J. M. Gilmore, Ben W. Smith, D. B. Snider, R. W. Rochon, Clarence Hale, Miss Shaw and the hostesses.

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Callahan, Wink
Medanich, Pecos
Wright, MIDLAND

Second Team
Griffin, Pecos
Thorp, Kermit
Gamel, Pecos
Ford, Midland
Weir, Monahans
Ellkins, Pecos
Ballew, Wink
Armstrong, Pecos
Pendleton, Crane
West, Kermit
Aberding, Wink

If any of the "All" teams picked by writers and others around the district for the past few weeks is to be called the "official" one it should be that above. The above teams were selected by the seven head coaches in a meeting at Odessa last night and are probably nearer right than any others—although some will argue about it. We are willing to call it official, although it disagrees with our own selection of three spots.

One of the peculiar things about the first team picked above is that only two seniors were able to make it. There are eight juniors and one sophomore to complete the team. The voting was close throughout on choosing the linemen, with very few of them having shown to any great advantage this season.

In the backfield, however, Francis of Midland and Callahan of Wink were almost unanimous choices for their positions and Wright made the club by several votes. After all votes were counted, it was found that Medanich of Pecos and Pendleton of Crane were tied for the fourth place in the first team backfield and Medanich was the winner when the coaches decided between the two boys.

An outstanding end, lineman and back were chosen by the coaches with Beekman Ezell of Wink winning the award at end, Scott winning the outstanding lineman award and Callahan winning out as the number one back. He voting was close between Scott and Klatt of Midland for the lineman award, between Callahan and Francis of Midland for the backfield award.

Two surprises greeted at least all the sportswriters present when it was discovered that Hary of Monahans and Don Ezell of Wink both failed to make either the first or second team. General opinion was that Ezell failed because of a leg injury that kept him out of the last two games of the year. The reason for Hary failing to gain a position is not clear to this department. However, the system of choosing the

backfield men had a lot to do with it. Instead of just naming four backs, the coaches named a quarter-back and three halfbacks. Hary at first was nominated for the quarter-back position, along with Francis. His name was then withdrawn and entered as a halfback. Armstrong's name was entered as quarter-back, giving him a claim for the second team field general honor. Hary failed to get as many votes as six of the other halfbacks, thereby losing out all around.

Francis of Midland came the nearest of being a unanimous choice of any other choice, getting six votes and a second of the seven votes cast.

Blame Carelessness For Forest Fires

COLLEGE STATION, (AP).—Hunting and carelessness with fires in the wood are a poor combination, says E. O. Siecke, director of the Texas Forest Service at A. & M. College. "True sportsmanship necessitates not only that hunters observe game laws but exercise the same careful measures in preventing forest fires," he declared.

The director said most hunters appreciate the necessity of keeping the woods "rough" to furnish food and protection for game, but unfortunately some hunters are careless. "This combined with the fact that the fall hunting comes when there usually is the greatest danger of forest fires, it often results in many destructive fires that ruin the hunting and destroy the forest, especially the young growth, he explained.

Many wildlife specialists favor burning small open areas in timbered regions to encourage the production of certain food relished by various kinds of game. Wherever this practice is advisable the Texas Forest Service is ready to lend assistance in cooperation with the landowner and wildlife agencies. However, it should be emphasized

Basketball League Will Be Formed at Meeting Tonight

All persons interested in seeing a basketball league, possibly two leagues, organized here for play during the winter were reminded today to be at the high school gymnasium tonight by seven o'clock.

The meeting will be in charge of "Bud" Taylor, high school coach, who will probably enter the high school team in one of the leagues. Particularly are persons willing to sponsor a club urged to attend the meeting. It has been several years since Midland has had a basketball league but it is the belief of fans that one would be thoroughly supported by the citizens of town since a place of play has been made available.

CCC Youth in Hills Unable to Start Fire

SEASIDE, Ore. (U.P.).—Fred Ladieu, CCC worker, may have had a good CCC training, but he was sadly lacking in that of a Boy Scout.

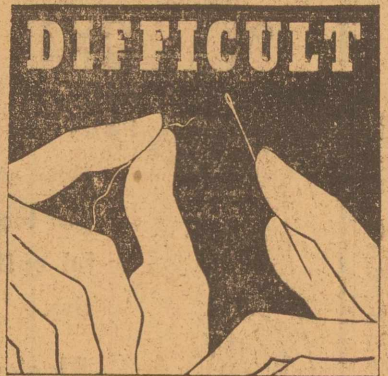
While wandering about the hills, Ladieu fell, struck his head on a rock, and was knocked unconscious. He came to in the midst of a drenching rain, but found a cave in which to take refuge. Later he shot a deer, but having no matches and knowing nothing of the fire starting methods of Boy Scouts, he lived off raw venison for two days until searching parties found him.

The first silk mill in the United States was erected in 1810 at Mansfield, Conn., by Rodney and Horatio Hanks.

That such a procedure, carried out with the active cooperation of the landowner, is a conservation measure and in no way affects the importance of safeguarding forests from fire started through inexcusable carelessness and in many instances resulting in widespread destruction.

Cigarettes are the cause of many fires. "Burned or burning cigarettes," Siecke said, "are discarded at the rate of 170,000 a minute in the United States according to the best figures available. Every one not extinguished before it is thrown away is a potential source of fire. In ignition tests with spade and dry grass it was found that burning cigarette butts, with a wind velocity of three to four miles an hour, would start a fire in 90 per cent of the cases."

Siecke suggested as precautionary measures that hunters, first, break their matches in two before throwing them away; second, knock pipe ashes out into fresh dirt and be careful to drop cigarette stubs on bare ground and crush them with the foot; third, build camp and warming fires on mineral soil where all needles, leaves and grass has been cleared away; and fourth, soak all camp fires with water and cover them thoroughly with dirt before leaving them.

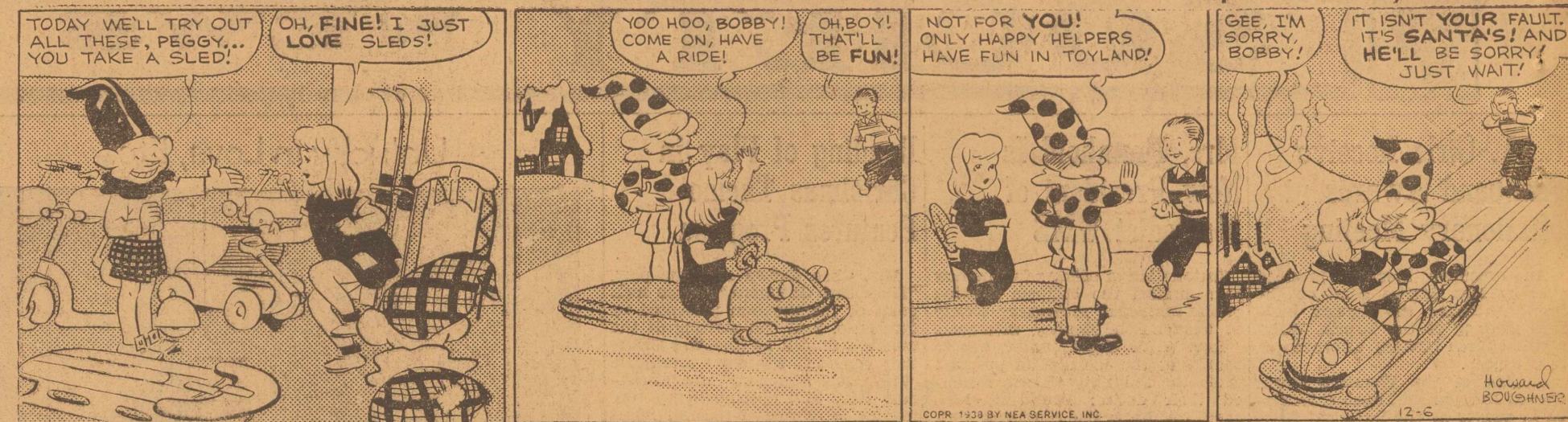


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BOBBY'S CHRISTMAS DREAM



Coaches, Officials Hold Annual Banquet in Odessa

ODESSA, Dec. 6.—Approximately 106 coaches, sports writers and school officials of West Texas met in Odessa last night for the annual Trans-Pecos Coaches' and Officials' Association banquet at the high school cafeteria.

Principal speaker of the evening was "Dutch" Smith, assistant coach at Texas Tech. Other speakers were Thad Steele of Midland, Lay Turner of Wink.

Taylor Rushing, Odessa high school principal, served as toastmaster for the evening, introducing all the speakers. Added entertainment was furnished through band selections by the Odessa high school band and two songs by Miss Donivee Purkey, Odessa's famed majorette.

The meeting was called to order by Rushing, who introduced Steele as the first speaker of the evening.

Steele took the "officials side" in his short talk, explaining purpose of the association and some of the workings of it. He was followed by Turner, who spoke from a coach's viewpoint regarding the association. His talk was short and humorous, with praise going to the officials for creating the organization and the improvement in their work that had been noted since its inception.

Turner was followed as speaker by Smith, who praised the organization by saying he, along with others, were attempting to create such an organization in the Lubbock area, then recited may incidents that occurred during the past season that affected the undefeated Tech team. Smith told of how he and Pete Cawthon, Tech head coach, took over the coaching duties at the school in 1930, winning only two games their first year, and the building up process that has finally enabled them to come through a season without a loss. Smith injected much humor into his talk, but throughout stressed one idea for the coaches: "Treat your boys." He readily admitted the prominent part Lubbock had played in the success of the Tech team this fall and declared the team was due for a let-down next year since good and bad teams come in cycles. He warned all coaches not to become "stuck up" when they reached the top because a couple of bad breaks could quickly drop them to the bottom. He ended his talk by declaring the Tech team would be "playing for West Texas" in the Cotton Bowl game with St. Mary's on January 2 and asked support of Tech by all West Texans.

Following Smith's address, the constitution of the organization was subjected to a change that allowed for the election of the next year's officers last night. Taylor Rushing was elected president, Thad Steele vice president, "Froggie" Lovorn of Odessa treasurer and Phil Harvey of Wink secretary. Leonard Hill, Odessa, a member of the association, made a motion that all coaches and officers contribute to a "purse" to be used in purchasing a Christmas present for Russell Wilkins, Odessa football lineman who suffered a broken neck in a game at El Paso a few weeks ago. Members unanimously agreed to the suggestion.

Following adjournment, coaches of all 7-B schools met and selected an "all-district" team. The selections can be found in the sports column of today's issue.

The first airmail trip in the United States was on May 15, 1918, between New York City and Washington, D. C.

Montreal Services Cost Less Than Its Interest

MONTREAL, (U.P.).—The city of Montreal spends more of the taxpayers' money paying interest on its debt than on the services.

Figures issued by the finance department show that interest on the "regular" debt of the city costs \$14,626,172 for the current year, as against only \$13,672,287 for all the administration expenses and salaries and wages of civic employees. The interest item takes 29.60 per cent of the city's annual income, while the administration of the city only takes 27.38 per cent.

Garner---

(Continued from page 1) and duty of government in a democracy is to assure every citizen an equal chance with his neighbor. "This is the essence of John Garner's political philosophy." Miller was introduced by J. I. McWilliams, W. P. Cornelius, mayor of Clarksville, presided over the meeting.

Harvesting Up, Department Store Trade Off Because of Weather

DALLAS, (AP).—Weather conditions, including high temperatures, in the first half of October was favorable for harvesting, but brought about a sharp decline in department store trade, says the Monthly Business Review of the Federal Reserve bank of Dallas.

Cooler weather in the latter part of the month, however, was accompanied by increased buying but total sales for the month showed a counter-to-seasonal decline from the preceding month and were 9.5 per cent under the volume in October, 1932. The reduced volume of department store buying for the month as a whole, the review says, "was reflected in a decline of 5.4 points in this bank's adjusted index of sales."

The index figures for October, which stood at 99.7 per cent of the 1923-1925 average, was close to low level of the year reached in April and compared with 100.8 per cent in October, 1932, the review says. The improvement in buying noted in the latter part of October extended into November, sales of representative firms in the first two weeks of this month being about three per cent higher than in the corresponding period of last year.

Favorable weather, which permitted completion of harvesting, was offset by the absence of rain which

reduced yields of several crops and retarded fall plowing and seeding of small crops in the eleventh district. The department of agriculture, the review says, estimates production of cotton, corn, grain sorghums and peanuts were lower Nov. 1 than a month earlier, but with the exception of cotton and peanuts, the latest estimates indicate harvests about as large or larger than in 1932.

High temperatures and insect damage earlier in the season affected the Texas cotton crop more extensively than was apparent Oct. 1, resulting in prospective production to 3,125,000 bales on Nov. 1, compared with 3,200,000 bales a month earlier. Vegetable crops in South Texas suffered a severe set back from cold weather the first week of November. The department of agriculture reports that, except for harvested crops in the Winter Garden and Laredo sections which were housed and protected, there will be little tonnage available for shipment from the affected areas.

Livestock ranges showed further deterioration in October as a result of the abnormally dry weather in various areas, but rain in October or early November greatly improved conditions in the coastal plains and northwest high plains

of Texas. However, cattle and sheep generally are in good condition and are going into the winter in better than average flesh. Receipts of livestock at the Fort Worth market in October were considerably larger than a month earlier and in the year ago, due chiefly to the record October marketing of calves and sheep.

The number of commercial failures in the district increased modestly from September to October and liabilities of defaulting firms rose sharply. The 21 insolvencies reported for October by Dun & Bradstreet, Incorporated, had liabilities totaling \$316,000.

The condition figures of Federal Reserve bank of Dallas showed little change between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15. The value of construction contracts awarded in the eleventh district, which had declined considerably in September, increased sharply in October, the total for the month being 67 per cent above that in September and 62 per cent larger than in October last year. The value of contracts in Texas awarded in October for privately financed projects constituted 61 per cent of the total, the same proportion as in the first nine months of the year.

Augmented by exceptionally low valuation of permits issued, Houston the total of permits issued at 14 principal cities in the district the first ten months of 1933 was approximately \$62,000,000 or 16 per cent higher than in the corresponding period of 1932.

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picks her up and "dunks" her in the swimming pool. But when Stretch is gone, Mary discovers something strange: she, too, is in love—with the handsome cowboy she met on a "blind date." She rushes out of her house and catches up with him on the Galveston steamer. But her entreaties fall on deaf ears, until they collide on the deck and she takes a bad fall. Stretch is all solicitousness and soon forgets that he was a jilted man

that very morning. He is still impressed with Mary as a girl of sterling character, having believed her story of the previous night that she was the sole support of four sisters and a drunken father. Mary realizes the strength and honesty of the cowboy and is ashamed of her cowardice in not telling him the truth about herself. As evening falls, the romance of the southern sea

draws them closer together. Stretch knows that he can no longer resist the girl and Mary realizes that he is the only man in the world she wants. Mary goes to Stretch's cabin for a drink—and then the cowboy makes a decision. They are to be married on the sea immediately. The ship's captain performs the ceremony, with Mary still masquerading as the servant...

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 Woman's Wednesday club will meet with Mrs. Andrew Pasken 303 W. Kansas, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
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 Slam club will meet with Mrs. Theo Ferguson, 513 W. Wall, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
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tion club will meet with Mrs. Dick Midkiff Wednesday in an all-day session to make Christmas candy.
 Junior Wednesday club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Geisler, 1304 W. Ohio, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.
 Harvest Day program of this Methodist missionary conference will be held at the First Methodist church in Sweetwater Wednesday. It will be an all-day meeting.
 Miss Evelyn Oppenheimer will review "Penny Kemble, A Passionate Victorian" by Margaret Armstrong at the high school auditorium Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Tickets at 50 cents each may be obtained from any member of the Senior class which is sponsoring the review.
WEDNESDAY
 Sans Souci club will meet with Mrs. B. L. Hoffer, 1110 W. Missouri, Wednesday afternoon.
THURSDAY
 The 1923 club will meet with Mrs. C. C. Duffey, 1407 Holloway, Thursday afternoon at the usual hour.
 Lois class of the Baptist church will meet at the church Thursday morning at 9 o'clock for an all-day quilting and business session. A covered-dish luncheon will be served at noon.
THURSDAY
 Twelve-ite club will meet with Mrs. W. B. Harkrider, 1306 W. Texas, Thursday at one o'clock for a bridge-luncheon.
 Needlecraft club will meet with Mrs. Niles Winter, 905 W. Michigan, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.
FRIDAY
 Joie de Vie club will meet with Mrs. Frank Williamson, 911 W. Tennessee, Friday afternoon.
FRIDAY
 Women's Golf Association will meet at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the Country Club for play, free lessons preceding the hour. At one o'clock luncheon will be served at the clubhouse. Reservations should be made with the hostesses, Miss Dorothy Henderson and Mrs. Curtis Inman.
 Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. C. A. Travelstead, 311 W. Florida, Friday afternoon at the usual hour. Mrs. Murray will be co-hostess. Memory verse will be II Chronicles 7:14.
 City-County Federation will hold its regular business meeting in the county courtroom Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. John W. Skinner will be the guest speaker. All members are urged to be present.
 Slitch and Chatter club will meet with Mrs. Fred Klatt, 910 W. Florida, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
SATURDAY
 Study Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.
Dean Mathews Worried
 PASADENA, Cal. (U.P.) — Dean Shaffer Mathews, head of the Divinity school of the University of Chicago, told the Pasadena town-hall meeting that America's three greatest contributions to the world are being threatened. These he said are religious liberty, a written constitution and written guarantees of treaties between nations.

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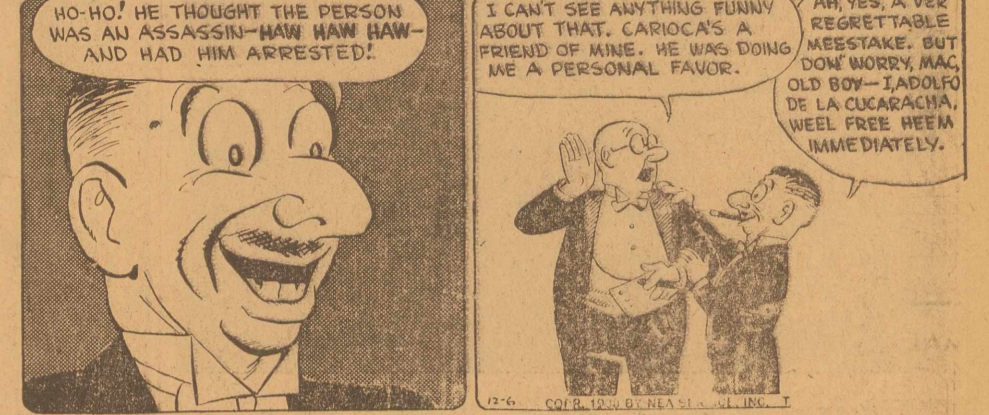
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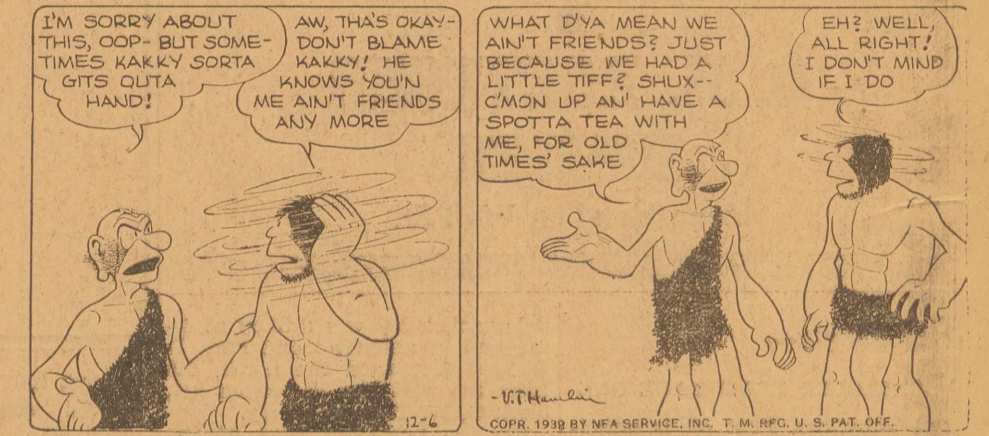
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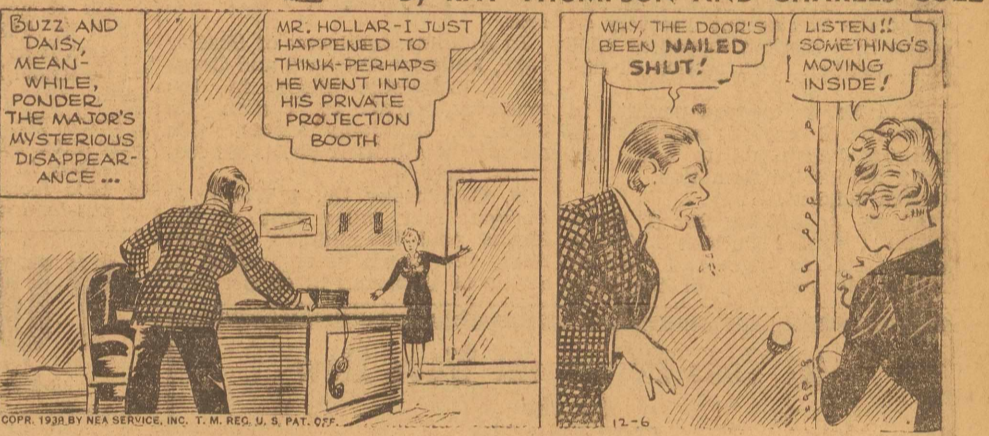
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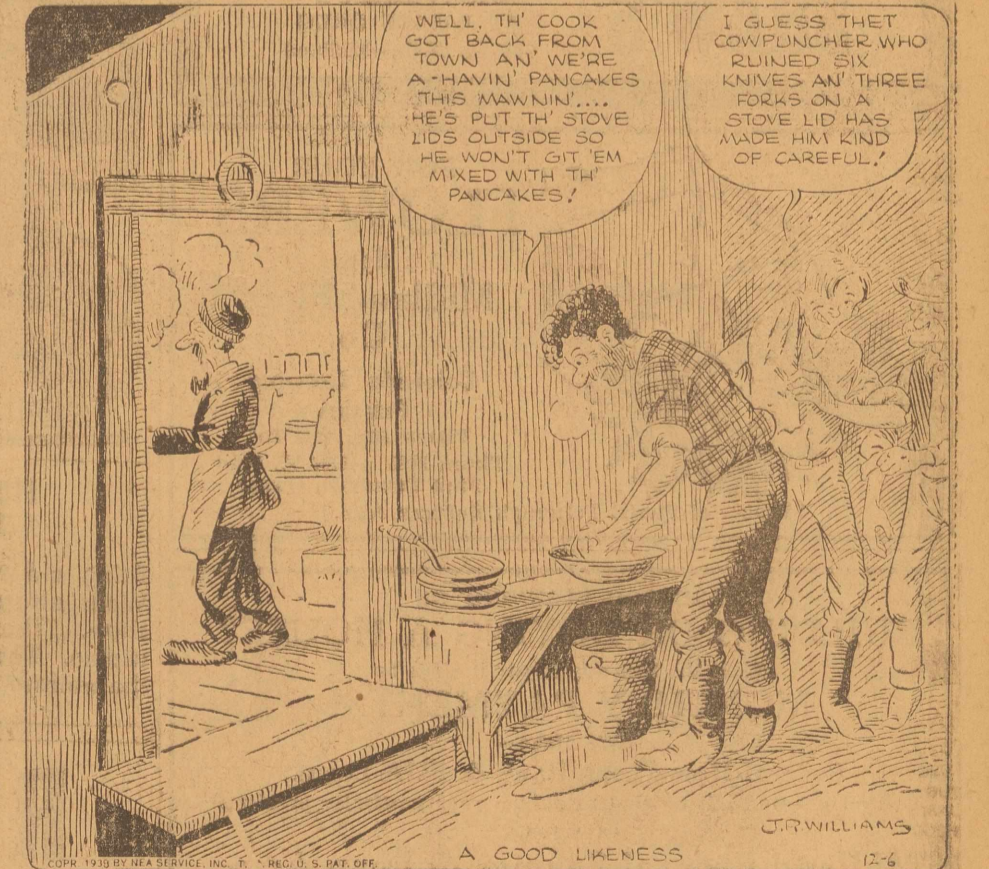
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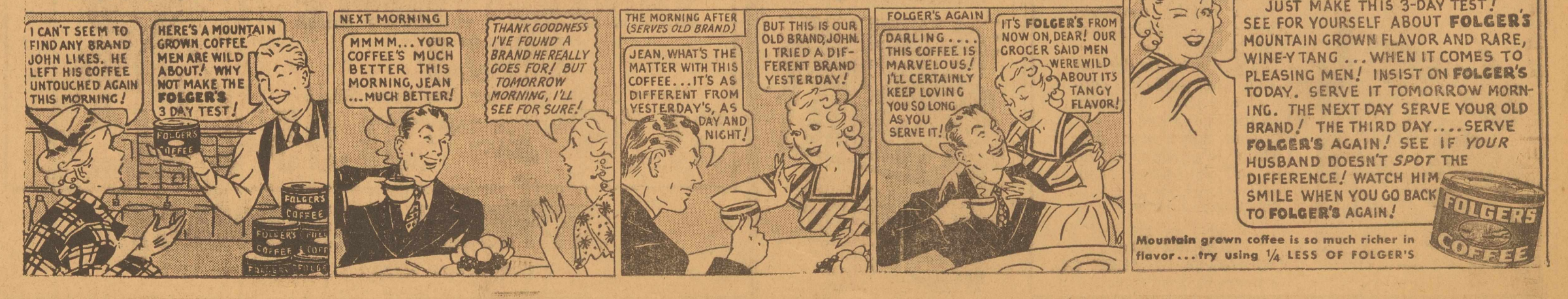
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Oil News--

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and anhydrite. First oil is anticipated at between 4,700 and 5,000 feet. The well logged showing of gas from 4,100-10. It was 48 feet low to the Westmount discovery on brown lime marker, topped at 3,350 feet. Location is in section 33-108-37c.

Shell No. 1 Harwood permit, in southern Roosevelt county, this morning had cored to 4,763 feet in an unreported formation. Gaines Wildcat.

Adams & Bradley No. 1 Ohio-Glen Crain, important. Gaines wildcat seeking three and one-half mile north extension of the Semi

nole pool, today was drilling at 4,742 feet in anhydrite and lime. It is 1,900 feet from the north, 600 from the west line of section 216, block G, W. T. R. R. survey.

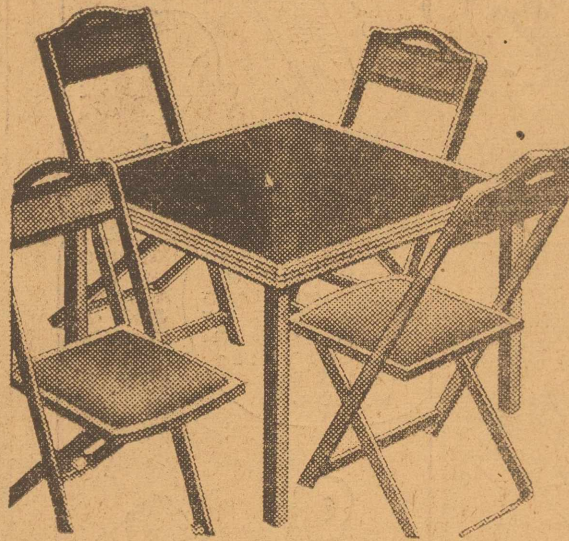
On the northwest edge of the main body of the pool, Amerada No. 2 T. S. Riley is drilling at 2,790 feet in anhydrite, salt and red beds.

In Andrews, southwest of Shafter Lake, Anderson-Prichard and Osage No. 1 University, wildcat in the southeast corner of section 13, block 14, University survey, this morning was drilling past 1,680 feet in red rock.

H. C. Wheeler No. 1 White & Shelton, four miles west of the Means pool in Andrews, is shut down for orders after bailing at a rate of 15 barrels of oil per day.

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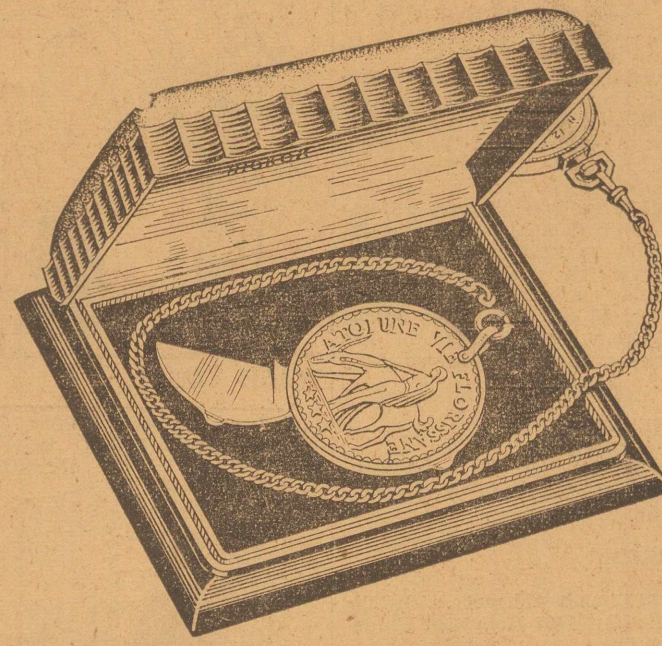
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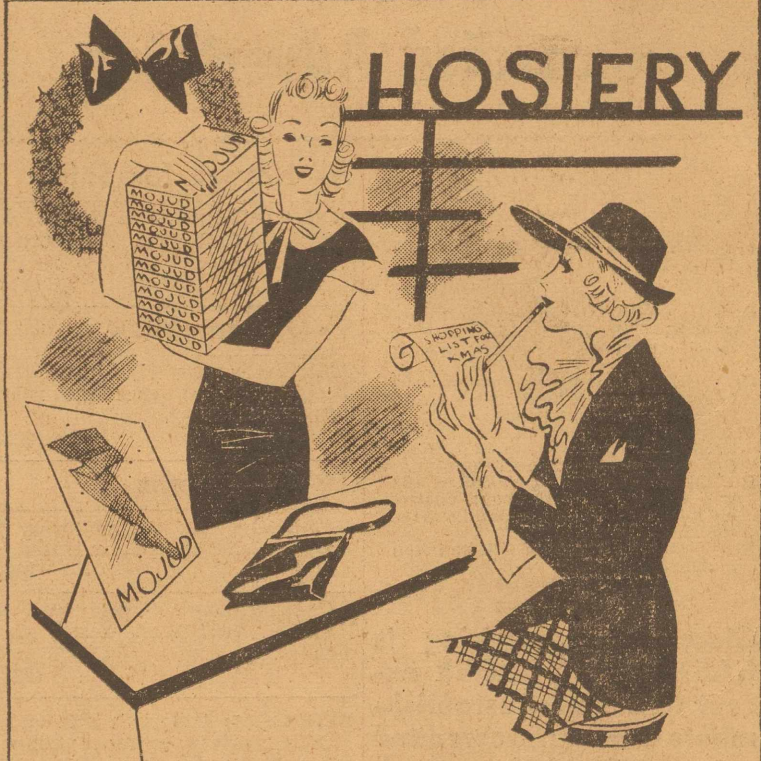


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At least half of the production is believed coming from 4,650-72, where saturated lime was drilled. The hole also is making from eight to 10 barrels of salt water per day, struck at around 4,500 feet. Total depth is 4,681 feet in lime, and location is in section 18, block A-36, public school land, on farmout from Gulf.

Texas No. 1-H State, Shafter Lake area wildcat which failed in the lime in going to total depth of 4,856 feet, successfully shut off bottom-hole water by plugging back

to 4,450 feet. It now is bridging hole back to bottom of 7-inch casing at 4,101 feet, preparatory to gun-perforating pipe opposite zones in the Yates sand horizon at 2,945-52, where it blew out with an estimated 4,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily. The test is in section 4, block 14, University survey.

Shell Ruyts Re-Treated. Shell No. 1 J. M. Ruyts, extension test a mile southeast of the Bennett pool in Yoakum, pumped eight barrels of fluid, 30 per cent drilling water, on four-hour test, then pulled rods. It was re-acidized with 1,500 gallons, allowed to stand for 30 minutes, and now is unloading hole. Bottomed at 5,368 feet in lime, the well previously had been acidized with 500 gallons.

New completion for the southeast portion of the Bennett pool is Mag-nolia No. 5 Bennett, which rated 24-hour potential of 740.80 barrels of 33-gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 908-1. Pay between 5,195 and 5,254, total depth, first was shot with 190 quarts, then acidized with 3,000 gallons.

Shell No. 4 Bennett is drilling at 935 feet in red rock.

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Mustang Boys Club Column

The Mustangs had a big day Saturday. The corral and pastures swarmed with frisky colts throughout the day. The Broncs were thrown to their haunches, however, in the morning, when the Mexican boys lassoed them in a close football game to the tune of 6-0. The winning touchdown was made in the early part of the first

quarter when one of the Mexican backs received a long forward pass at the goal line. Both teams fought desperately to cross the magical line again but with no success.

Those playing on the Mexican team were—Mateo Sotelo, Cruz Reyes, Armando Gutierrez, Modesto Munoz, Trevi Arnez, Jesse Castillo, Joe Benividos, Gregory Callaso, Sacorus Gutierrez, Jesse Moreno, Martine Benividos, Valentine Moreno.

Playing for the Mustangs were—W. J. Lackey, captain; Louis Wingo, Don Bishop, Joe Whitmire, Monroe Patton, David Kinnebrew, John Olliff, Charles Forrest, Hershel Parks, Jimmy Slaughter, Murray Howell, Jack Walding, Buddy Bledsoe, Carroll McKinney, Eugene Lackey, Leo Merriman.

Saturday night, the various herds stamped to the corral. The greater part of the evening was devoted to "Dizzy Derbies." Four herds savagely competed in 12 events of speed, skill and hilarity. In order to compete, these four herds were required to qualify throughout the month of November. About 40 colts qualified. The following boys were in the winning herd—Jack Walding, Harold Cates, William Anderson, Glenn Brunson, David Kinnebrew, John Stanley, Robert Blalock and Don Bishop.

After the "Dizzy Derbies" a "Glow-Wow" was held around a huge pot of steaming Pinto beans by all the herds. It was worth the price of anybody's admission to witness how fast this staggering stack of beans could fade away, but seer-ness in believing. The Mustangs are indebted to George Phillips of the Scharbauer Coffee Shop for preparing this delectable touch.

Mustang Jack Kenney staged a venison barbecue at Cloverdale

Sunday with a ten point deer which he recently killed in the mountains. The old war horse was sorry he was unable to attend.

At the meeting next Wednesday night a surprise will most likely be announced to the Mustang boys.

Twenty-five young mavericks were branded and admitted to the Mustang Boys Club during the past three weeks. This makes 125 colts gathered into the herd since the club was opened last June.

The following friends visited the outfit during the past week: Mr. Percy Mims, Mr. Ed Stanley, Miss Ruth Garver, State recreational authority, Mr. Charles Vertrees, Mr. Herbert Voelcker, architect for the new high school gymnasium who lives in Wichita Falls and who is connected with the large boys' club of that city and Prof. W. W. Lackey.

The Midland recreational programme, sponsored by the government, together with the Midland Rotary Club, are mutually conducting the Mustang Boys Club project with Harold H. Kendrick as supervisor, Louie A. Cure, Superintendent and James Phillips, counselor.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT NEWS

Last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, the entire staff of the Midland Recreation Department, Louie A. Cure Supt., James Phillips, Perry Sewell, Albert Montemayor, Jewel Hedges, Pat Chaillette, Juanita Hernandez, and Alberta Marshall, all directors, went to Big Spring to a music training school held by Miss Hobden. Ideas and training for rhythm bands were

given by Miss Hobden.

The girls of the south ward playground have already begun on their rhythm band. The girls of the Mexican and Negro playgrounds have been making flowers and learning to piece quilts. Also the boys and girls of the Mexican playground have been practicing singing and guitar playing.

The boys of the Mustang Club and the Mexicans have been putting most of their time in with the football. And then Saturday morning, the Mexicans and Mustangs got together for a good old ruff and tumble game.

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erintendent, and James Phillips as counselor.

It seems that the Mexicans put out a pretty god one man team as they trampled over the Mustangs for a 6 to 0 victory. This one man back field of the Mexicans, Martin Benividos, fullback, seemed to put a bombshell in the passing attack of the Mustangs. Every time the Mustangs threw a pass, Martine seemed always to be able to appear from nowhere and snatch it or knock it down.

But Joe Whitmire, fullback for the Mustangs, seemed to become the man from the flying trapeze as he tried to hurdle the entire Mexican team each time he carried the ball. But Joe soon found out there was no net for him to land on when the Mexicans did finally bring him down.

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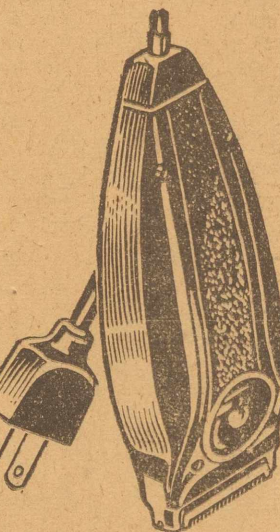
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