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## 3,397 POLL TAXES PAID TO NOON SAT.

## Six Army Airmen Killed in Plane Collision

Through the Editor's Spectacles  
By GEORGE

First she bubbles and then she boils. The political pot is at the bubbling stage now. It should be boiling within the next month or so. The city lists, in which three commissioners are to be chosen, have entrants. The incumbent commissioners are in the race for re-election. Their announcement will be found in this issue with the promise of formal statements to come. Joe Clements has jumped into the race for county commissioner for this precinct, opposing Arch Bint, incumbent. Bint has not yet announced, but he said he will be a candidate.

Contested races are in prospect for practically every office that will be filled by election this year—even that of president of the United States. It seems that a great many people are not satisfied with Mr. Roosevelt.

Watching Howard Moyer cast and machine babbitt bearing for an automobile is fascinating to a layman. Moyer built his own machine to dress the bearings to a precision measured in fractions of thousandths of an inch. The ingenuity of a machinist need not be restricted to the business of using the machines with which he works. It may also, as Moyer has demonstrated, be turned to the construction of his very implements. A bearing dressing machine, such as he used Saturday to trim to precise size and fit a couple of castings, would have cost him almost half a thousand dollars. He has also constructed his own lawn mower sharpening machine as well as numerous other devices which he uses in the course of his business.

The schedule which the Cisco Lobos must follow next fall in the conference play of the Oil Belt district presents a study in the impossible. Of the nine games that Coach Shelley and Supt. Cluck scheduled in a meeting at Abilene Saturday, eight are conference games. Most of these are with tough opponents. The Lobos for the first time since they started making history in the Oil Belt, will not play the Abilene Eagles on Thanksgiving day. They were nudged out of that spot by the San Angelo Bobcats who are again members of the Oil Belt. Instead, the Eagles will come to Cisco on October 30 for their annual gridiron argument with the Lobos.

### 150 DEAD IN WINTER SEIGE

DALLAS, Jan. 25. (AP)—Winter today massed its forces for a freezing thrust at Texas as a slight moderation was forecast for most of the rest of the nation. The north half of Texas was due to get most of the cold. Over one hundred and fifty persons are dead as result of the nation's worst sub-zero seige in the twentieth century.

### Weather

WEST TEXAS—Sunday, partly cloudy and continued cold, with livestock warnings sent out to the north and east portions.  
EAST TEXAS—Colder in the southeast Sunday.

### TWO BOMBERS CRASH WHILE IN MANEUVERS

#### Two Members of Crews Parachute Safely to Earth

HONOLULU, Jan. 25. (AP)—Six army airmen were killed today in a collision of two big bombers which crashed last night in flames at the Luke field military air base on Ford island. Two others in the planes were able to bale out and escaped injuries. An immediate investigation was ordered. The bodies of the victims were burned beyond recognition. The planes fell like two torches within an hundred feet of the naval air base gasoline tanks, but the flames were quickly extinguished. Honolulu, nine miles away, heard the terrific roar and the glare of the flames were visible at Waikiki beach, ten miles distant. The planes were among three of a group of nine flying in formation. The cause of the crash is unknown.

### THREE MEN DIE IN PLANE FALL

ITASCA, Tex., Jan. 25. (AP)—Three men, the pilot and two Dallas business men, crashed to death today through a dense fog in a pasture southwest of here in an airplane tragedy. The dead, all between 35 and 40 years of age, were Ralph Kirk, Grand Prairie, the pilot; Albert Boren, Dallas architect, and Geo. Carter, a Dallas salesman.

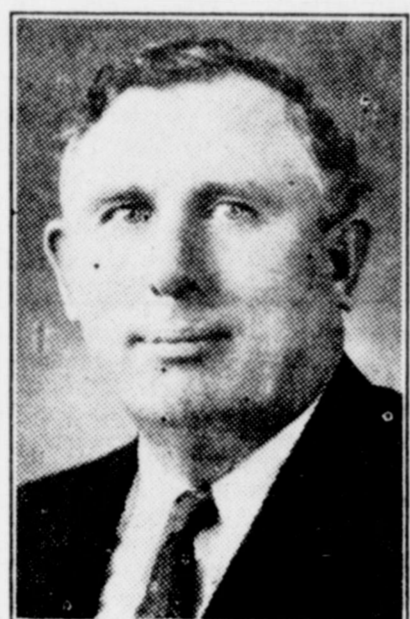
### Here to Take Charge of Father's Store

R. H. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williams, arrived Friday night from Prescott, Ariz., to take charge of his father's grocery store during the elder Williams' illness. Mrs. Williams and their baby accompanied him from Prescott. They will be here until the elder Mr. Williams, who is recovering satisfactorily from a light stroke, is able to resume his duties at the store at L. avenue and Eighth street.

### High Degree of Liquidity Shown By Southwestern Life Statement

Unusual conditions of the past five years have had a marked effect on the investment portfolios of life insurance companies. While few companies have increased in size, measured by total insurance in force, changes in the character of assets of some companies are apparent. A brief analysis of the balance sheet of Southwestern Life, the first of the large Texas companies to publish its annual statement, reveals a high degree of liquidity. The net liability to policyholders is less than 27 millions. The company owns securities valued conservatively at 30 millions. Of this amount 15 millions is represented by U. S. government bonds, cash, and the highest grade state, county, and municipal obligations, which could be sold on today's market for a million dollars more than the amount at which they are carried in the balance sheet. The remaining 15 millions is invested in first mortgage loans on Texas real estate. In addition the company owns real estate, including its

### Candidate



H. C. Henderson, one of the three retiring city commissioners who Saturday announced for re-election. The others are J. R. Burnett and W. R. (Bob) Winston.

### Three Announce For Re-election To Commission

The Cisco Daily Press Saturday was authorized to announce the candidacies of the three retiring city commissioners for re-election at the April general city election. The commissioners are J. R. Burnett, H. C. Henderson and W. R. (Bob) Winston. Their names appear in the political announcement column. Formal statements of their candidacies will appear later, they said.

### European Royalty to Honor Dead King

LONDON, Jan. 25. (AP)—European royalty converged on London today to pay their last respects to the dead King George at the funeral services Tuesday. Over one hundred thousand subjects have viewed the body since it was placed in state.

### WARREN DOING WELL

L. A. Warren, Cisco oil man who was injured in an east Texas highway accident several days ago, was doing nicely at Graham sanitarium Saturday after an operation was performed two or three days earlier to restore a torn knee cap.

### Grand Jury Probe of Fight Called

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Jan. 25. (AP)—Solicitor Melvin Hutson announced today that a grand jury investigation of the fight between the "Scottsboro" negroes and officers, which left Ozie Powell, one of the nine defendants, in a serious condition, will be called at Decatur Feb. 17.

### IS IMPROVED

Lynn Farries, who was admitted to Graham sanitarium a week ago suffering with an intestinal blood disorder, was reported better Saturday.

### LOBO BANQUET WILL BE HELD TUESDAY NITE

#### Bear Wolf, T. C. U. Coach, to Be Speaker at 7 o'Clock

The annual Lions-Rotary club banquet for the Lobo football team postponed from last Friday evening when Coach Homer Norton of Texas A. and Mr. was unable to be present for the address, will be held Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock on the roof garden of the Laguna hotel, it was announced by the committee in charge.

Bear Wolf, athletic director of TCU and varsity line coach at that institution, will be the speaker. Wolf is probably the best line coach in the Southwestern conference. He is used as an instructor at practically all coaching schools in the southwest.

P. R. Warwick will be toastmaster for the evening. The program details are being worked out by a committee headed by R. L. Maddox. Other members of the general committee are H. Brandon, J. C. McAfee and Dick Giles.

Tickets will sell for \$1.00 each.

### WAIT WALLACE WORD ON BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25. (AP)—Still doubtful of its constitutionality, the senate agricultural committee today deferred final action on the administration's subsidy-soil conservation farm plan until after Secretary Wallace and legal aides present their judgment Monday.

The text, as made public, showed that it retained the broad powers that were contained in the original draft for the secretary of agriculture to make grants to farmers for improving the soil and economically using the land.

### Couple Assessed Death in Slaying Of Wife of Man

MINEOLA, N. Y., Jan. 25. (AP)—A jury today voted death in the electric chair for Mrs. Frances Creighton and Everett Applegate for the poison slaying of Applegate's wife, Ida. The state contended that the victim was poisoned after she discovered her husband's relations with Mrs. Creighton's daughter, Ruth, aged 15 years.

### Warning Results In Clue, Perdue Told in Letter

A warning issued by Chief M. L. Perdue of the Cisco police force against persons claiming to be employed by nationally known companies to pick up and service vacuum cleaners, has resulted in a clue to the identity of these persons which was expected momentarily to lead to their arrest, a letter from the Better Business Bureau at Dallas to the chief said.

### Warning Results In Clue, Perdue Told in Letter

"We carried a broadcast over local radio stations on January 17th, the letter said, "and received a telephone call this morning from a citizen of this city (Dallas) who had heard our radio broadcast." The citizen, the letter continued, gave the authorities a positive clue to the identity of the party. The bureau turned the report over to the Dallas police.

### Eight of Nine Games on Lobo Schedule Conference Tilts

Nine games were scheduled for the Cisco Lobo football team next fall, eight of them conference games, in the meeting of the district committee of the Oil Belt Class A district at Abilene yesterday, attended by Supt. R. N. Cluck and Coach Dexter Shelley. The opening game, with Electra high, to be played at Electra, is the only contest so far scheduled which will not count on the Cisco standing. An open date October 23 offers chance to schedule another non-conference encounter.

The enlargement of the Oil Belt district to nine schools, making it the largest in the Interscholastic league organization, makes necessary the playing of eight conference games by each team. Cisco will not play Abilene on Thanksgiving day this year for the first time in many. San Angelo gets that spot on the Eagles' schedule.

The Cisco schedule is: September 18—Electra at Electra (non-conference); September 25—Breckenridge at Cisco;

October 2—Sweetwater at Cisco (night game);

October 9—Big Spring at Big Spring (night game);

October 16—San Angelo at Cisco (night game);

October 23—open;

October 30—Abilene at Cisco (probably night game);

November 11—Ranger at Ranger;

November 20—Eastland at Eastland;

November 26—Brownwood at Cisco.

### BOTH SIDES 'VICTORIOUS'

Ethiopia today claimed that the Ethiopians had encircled Makale, wiped out two Italian columns and killed, wounded or captured thousands of the Italians in the "biggest battle of the war."

The Italians, however, claimed the exact opposite, saying the Ethiopians attempted to encircle the Italians, but were repulsed with heavy losses.

### Warning Results In Clue, Perdue Told in Letter

The League of Nations council members left Geneva to await two meetings—the committee to determine the effectiveness of existing sanctions against Italy, and the assembly of the experts to consider the imposition of the oil embargo.

### Warning Results In Clue, Perdue Told in Letter

"Sixty per cent of this amount will remain in Eastland county which will be used for underprivileged school children. "We are planning to begin the drive earlier next year. One reason why the sales were not larger is that we commenced rather late, and the Red Cross and Will Rogers drives were on," she said.

Mrs. P. Pettit was chairman of the Cisco sales and Mrs. James Haynie and Mrs. W. C. Clough, assisted her. Other chairmen were Dr. T. L. Lauderdale, Ranger; Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin, Eastland; Mrs. Nix, Morton Valley; Dr. M. L. Stubblefield, Gorman, and Dr. T. J. Jackson, Carbon.

### CROWDS WAIT THEIR TURNS AT WINDOWS

#### Predict Record Number by End of Paying Period Friday

Presaging a more than usual interest in the political races this "election year" the offices of the county tax collector Saturday were being crowded this early in the tax-paying period by applicants for poll tax receipts.

Up to noon Saturday, the number of payments had totalled 3,397 with crowds awaiting their turns in the corridors of the courthouse of Eastland to reach the windows and qualify for participation in the primaries and general election.

It was predicted that by midnight next Friday, when the paying period ends, the number would approach a record for payments in the county.

To assist the public in paying these and other taxes, deputy collectors are usually stationed for periods at the larger towns outside the county seat, and it was expected that a collector would be sent to Cisco some time during the current week.

### Funeral for J. H. Kilborn to Take Place at 2 P. M.

Funeral services for J. H. Kilborn, 69, retired Cisco merchant who died at his home, 207 East 17th street at noon Saturday, will be held at the Lane Funeral chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. J. Sturat Pearce, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood.

### NYA Projects Offer Training for Youths

"The NYA has a half million dollars to spend in the state of Texas on projects that will give employment to youths from relief or WPA families," Mrs. A. J. Olson was told in a letter asking her assistance in securing registration of eligible youths. Registration, she said, must be with the national re-employment service.

"The projects," the letter said, "will provide job-training and, when completed, will be of use to all youth in a community. These youths may earn from \$1 to \$4 per day, depending upon their skill and the wage scale in the county in which they are employed. A youth may work only 46 hours each month on these part-time NYA projects, but by using three or four groups a projects may be operated continuously.

"In order to be eligible, these youths must be certified by the case worker or the Texas Relief commission, and must also be registered with the National Re-employment service."

Any youth in Cisco or surrounding territory who can qualify according to the above is requested to register at the chamber of commerce, Mrs. Olson said.



### SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Phone Numbers 535 and 608

#### Mrs. W. J. Leach Is 1920 Bridge Hostess

Mrs. W. J. Leach, 501 West Seventh street was hostess to the members of the 1920 Bridge club Thursday afternoon. A red and white theme suggestive of St. Valentine was used in the bridge accessories and prize wrappings. Prizes were won by Mrs. T. F. O'Brien and Mrs. Charles Trammell. A salad course was served to the prize winners and Mmes. Charles Brown, R. L. Ponsler, J. H. Brice, Rex Carrothers, F. D. Wright, J. R. Henderson, H. E. McGown, Nick Miller, K. H. Pittard, and B. E. Allison of Tulsa, Okla.

#### Marigold Club Meets With Mrs. Hittson

The Marigold club met Wednesday with Mrs. S. E. Hittson as hostess. Three tables were arranged for the players. Mrs. W. W. Moore made high score for the afternoon. Refreshments were served to Mmes. P. P. Shepard, J. Moriarity, Sam Kimmell, J. E. Spencer, C. Owen, W. W. Moore, W. P. Lee, G. B. Kelly, George D. Fee, C. H. Fee and T. J. Dean.

#### The Notebook

##### FRIDAY

The Twentieth Century club will meet at the club rooms at the library at 3 p. m.

The Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club will meet with Mrs. E. C. McClelland at 8 p. m.

The Crescent Bridge will meet with Mrs. K. N. Greer, 500 M avenue at 3 o'clock.

##### SATURDAY

The County Council P.-T. A. will meet at the high school in Rising Star at 2:30 p. m.

Zelmyra Blackburn of Olney was in Cisco on business Thursday.

Mesdames E. H. Phillips, J. E. Walters, A. E. Jamison, William Heltzel and P. R. Warwick spent Wednesday in Ranger.

#### Classified Ads

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#### D. and M. Club Has Luncheon at Home Of Mrs. Warwick

The Darning and Mending club was entertained at an informal luncheon Thursday by Mrs. P. R. Warwick at her home on West Twelfth street. Potted narcissuses decorated the living room. The guests were seated at one large table which was covered with an Italian cut work cloth and centered with a gum drop tree. Yellow candles in silver holders decorated the serving table. The invited guests were Mmes. W. W. Wallace, R. B. Carswell, A. E. Jamison, W. J. Armstrong, F. J. Borman, E. H. Phillips and S. E. Hittson.

### Personals

Howard Smithwick of Lampasas was a business visitor in Cisco Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Sikes of Amarillo is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson and her sister, Miss Helen Williamson.

Mrs. E. Mayer and Mrs. L. H. Quills spent Thursday in Abilene with friends.

Mrs. O. K. Beckler and Mrs. Lewis Starr spent Thursday in Abilene.

#### Church of God to Begin Revival Sun.

The Church of God will begin a two weeks revival meeting Sunday, January 26. The services will be conducted by Rev. G. B. Walters of Big Spring, Texas. Rev. Walters has had many years of experience as an evangelist and has been very successful in his work. He is a forceful speaker.

The services will begin at 7:30 each evening at the church located 1008 F avenue.

The public was cordially invited to attend these services.

Visitors to the Texas centennial celebrations this year will see grapefruit growing on trees in the Lower Rio Grande valley, garden spot of North America.

#### Randolph Badgers Tie Atwell Quintet

The Randolph college Badgers tied the Atwell all-star independent team last night 35 to 35 in a game marked by the poor playing of the collegians who were without the services of Red Blaylock, star forward. Blaylock was suffering from injuries.

Roberts, Randy forward, was high point man for the game. He was pressed for the honor by D. F. Hutchins of the Atwell team, who rang up a total of 15 points.

#### League Seeks to End Russia-Uruguay Row

GENEVA, Jan. 24. (AP)—The League of Nations council adopted a resolution today, supported by Russia and Uruguay, to settle the dispute between the two countries arising from Uruguay's charges that the soviet legation at Montevideo directed subversive activities in South America.

#### Suit Seeks---

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lease capable of producing approximately one and a half million feet daily and another was drilled about half a mile south of the lease capable of producing five or six million feet, the plaintiff declares.

It is further asserted that several times during 1934 production from the lease ceased entirely, no gas at all being run, while several other months during the year small quantities, not enough to pay for operating and maintaining the wells, were produced. The allegations charge that this gas was run as a "mere camouflage" to prevent terminating the lease. The plaintiff also alleges that the defendants Gilman and Simmons gave the Lone Star Gas company and the Lone Star Gasoline company the exclusive right to market gas and operate the property, but that these companies are subsidiaries of the Lone Star Gas Corp. which, "in order to maintain a monopoly on the gas supply" of this section "have endeavored to stifle development and marketing of gas in this particular area."

It is charged that at the time the Lone Star was failing to market any gas from the wells on the lease it was drilling other wells on smaller leases in the immediate vicinity of the lands involved.

The suit is of great interest to this section because of its bearing upon the probable future development of oil and gas leases in this territory.

The plaintiff claims that had the company marketed gas from the wells already existing with "reasonable diligence" during the past four years, he would have received \$20,000 in royalty not received, and had drilling of the property been carried on with "reasonable diligence" a well would have been drilled on every 20 or 40 acres and that there would have accrued from gas diligently marketed from this drilling the additional sum of \$200,000 in royalties.

The petition seeks the \$225,000, alleged due from failure to develop the property and market the gas, and also prays for a court order requiring that three strings of tools be allocated by the Lone Star to carry out development of the property with reasonable diligence until a well is drilled on each 20 or 40 acres. Failing in that, the petition seeks forfeiture of the lease in whole or in part.

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#### Helen Isn't Sure She Spelled "Help" Right When She Called, But She Meant It Anyway

Miss Helen Williamson, daughter of former Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Williamson, who had the misfortune to break her hip when she fell at the Williamson home last Saturday about noon, is recovering nicely at Graham sanitarium. The injury was caused by slipping on the floor after returning into the house from a trip into the yard. The soles of her shoes were coated with snow, which caused the mishap.

She is now in a plaster cast at the sanitarium, but will likely be removed to her home early next week.

She manifested wonderful fortitude following the accident. Her parents were in San Angelo at the time, and she was in the house alone. After calling for help, with no response, she dragged herself about the house in search of a match to light the gas. Finding none she managed to reach another room and gathered up a bunch of rugs with which she covered herself to keep warm, in which position she remained for several hours until assistance came, about dark.

Joe Carrothers, who lives just west of the Williamson home, in passing heard her cries for help, and came to her rescue. He immediately called an A. C. Green ambulance and had Miss Williamson taken to the sanitarium.

She would not allow anyone to telephone her parents, as she knew this would cause them worry, that might have resulted in another accident, as the highways were covered with ice.

Reports from the hospital this morning were to the effect that she is doing as well as could be expected, and that her usual good spirits are standing her in good stead, which will no doubt speed her recovery. She stated this morning that she is not sure that she added the letter "p" to the word "help" in her cries for aid.

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#### P.-T. A. Thankful for Aid on Wonder Car

The P.-T.A. met Wednesday afternoon at the grammar school with Mrs. H. J. McArdle, president, presiding. Mrs. E. L. Smith acted as secretary pro tem. The association expressed its appreciation to the Cisco Daily Press and Daily News for publicity given them on the Wonder Car. A. C. Bradley thanked the association for the books given the school library. Mrs. A. J. Olson gave a talk on "Money Management in the Home."

#### Will Not Contest Reprive Legality

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 24. (AP)—Hauptmann's attorneys today said they would not contest the governor's legal right to grant a reprieve in an effort to save him from the chair. It was reported that the defense would do this in order to gain a few months more time.

#### Rites Saturday---

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at the First Methodist church in Fort Worth. The Rev. C. O. Shugart, formerly presiding elder of the Cisco district, will officiate and burial will be in Rose Hill burial park. Wreaths from the Goodfellows class and from other institutions and persons with whom Miss Kramer left a warm friendship, will be sent to Fort Worth for the service.

The Rev. Mr. Kramer came to Cisco in 1933 and served two years as Twelfth Street pastor. From here he went to Comanche for one year and last year was transferred to his present charge. Miss Dorothy was the only child of he and Mrs. Kramer.



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SYRUP, Pure East Texas Ribbon Cane, 1/2 Gallon 29c  
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Quart Jar 16c

No. 2 1/2 Can HOMINY,  
3 Cans 25c

No. 2 1/2 Can KRAUT,  
3 Cans 25c

No. 1 Can Kurer's GARDEN  
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APPLE BUTTER,  
2 lb. 6-Oz. Jar 23c

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5 Pounds 10c

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3 Cans 25c

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### Teachers End Abilene Adult Meeting

Abilene, Jan. 25.—Eighty-nine teachers who give instruction in reading, writing, music, art and vocational subjects, to 1,999 adults in 13 classes from their nine counties Thursday to conclude their annual meeting with their supervisor, C. W. Huser, state director, on the work of the works progress administration program.

Teachers are working in emergency education projects which provide employment for 2,561 teachers in Texas in this district of 12 counties receive approximately \$4,000 monthly.

The Nursery School, under the adult schools, has a six-point program, there are 20 nurseries in the state, said Director Huser. They care for 3,000 children under age while their parents are unable to find a job.

The following year an English publisher brought out "Plain Tales From the Hills," and his reputation was made. Manuscripts that jammed his trunks made a rapid succession of successful books.

His second visit to New York brought romance. He married Caroline Balestier, the sister of an American writer he had known in London. They settled in Brattleboro, Vt. There he wrote more

### American Celebrity-Stalkers Sent Kipling Off to London

By CHARLES NORMAN  
NEW YORK, Jan. 25. (AP)—Story-teller to the world, Rudyard Kipling brought the glamor of empire-making out of India and sent over the threshold of East and West, in prose and verse, a procession of lovable characters and unforgettable phrases. He died recently in a London hospital.

The author of "Kim," "Captains Courageous," "Gunga Din" and "Recessional," who was 70 years old December 30, 1935, found as much popularity in America as elsewhere in the English-speaking world.

In 1890, after writing "Departmental Ditties," "Plain Tales from the Hills," "Soldiers Three," "The Phantom Rickshaw" and other now-famous volumes, he left India for England, via the United States.

Famous as he had become in India, the New World had not heard of him. In "The Light That Failed," he told of his months of discouragement going across the American continent from San Francisco to New York, an author whose works were unwanted, and unable to find a job.

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His second visit to New York brought romance. He married Caroline Balestier, the sister of an American writer he had known in London. They settled in Brattleboro, Vt. There he wrote more

than 20 books, and there his children were born. One, Lieutenant John Kipling, died in the World war. His daughter was married in London in 1925.

Dr. James Conland, of Brattleboro, was the physician of the Kipling household, and it was he who introduced the author to the ways of the Gloucester fishermen, which resulted in "Captains Courageous."

The Kiplings fled the American scene because of the importunities of hundreds of autograph seekers and "lion" hunters who would not let him alone. In his home at Burwash, Sussex, moats and walls kept strangers away.

### Among The Derricks

**CALLAHAN COUNTY OIL NOTES**

BAIRD, Jan. 25.—Wittmer Oil & Gas Co., W. G. Bowls No. 1, in west Baird is drilling at 651 feet.

John L. Reeves, I. N. Jackson, west of Clyde, formerly E. P. Campbell, is closed down for casing at 1440 feet.

R. F. St. John, H. Kniffien No. 3, drilling at 530 feet.

John L. Reeves, J. R. Curtis, location.

Andrew Urban John Crowley, location.

J. F. Jacobs has a rig on the J. R. Reed block in west Baird. He will commence drilling as soon as he can secure a permit from the railroad commission.

Blocks are being secured in

Baird, on drilling contracts, and several new wells have been contracted to be spudded in by Feb. 15th and March 1st, respectively.

### SEVEN DRILLING PERMITS ISSUED

GRAMAM, Jan. 25.—Seven drilling permits were issued last week, the majority for shallow holes in north Young but including the Roberts offset to his McCarrall. The new hole is in the Garmes survey on the Brogdon land.

Following are the new locations as listed with Geo. W. Tilley at Olney:

Luncan and Holt and Jasper L. Wilson, W. W. Benson No. 1, T. E. and L. company survey No. 1391; location 450 feet from west and 150 feet from south lines of west 40 acres of south 70 acres of survey.

Underwood Drilling company and Campbell R. Campbell No. 6, T. E. and L. Co. survey No. 1376; location 614 feet from west and 165 feet from south lines of east 60 acres of south 120 acres of survey.

Underwood Drilling company

and Campbell, R. Campbell No. C-16, T. E. and L. company survey No. 3401; location 2807 feet east and 565 feet south of southwest corner survey No. 1376, but in survey No. 3401.

Robert Oil corporation, Ann Brogdon No. 1, Henry Garmes survey.

R. Bullock, R. Bullock fee No. 1, Mary Hamilton survey, abstract No. 138; location 270 feet each way from southwest corner of east 143 1/2 acres of north 230 acres of survey.

Wichita Production company, E. C. Keith No. 9, T. E. and L. Co. survey No. 267; location 250 feet west of No. 8.

Cato Oil company, Inc. G. B. Hamilton estate No. 8, T. E. and L. Co. survey No. 1393; location 300 feet east of No. 7.

The first Christian marriage ceremony performed in Texas in 1686 united the Sanadian Bargier and a French girl, name unknown. The wedding supper consisted of wild meat and a "fancy pudding."

Nine years after Columbus discovered America, Pope Alexander, the Sixth, granted to the Spanish crown all of the new found lands upon condition that they would convert the natives to Catholicism. The Spanish kings accepted the grant on this condition. Visitors to Texas centennial celebrations this year will find ruins of early seventeenth century missions which were built by Spanish colonists for this purpose.

Texas was the scene of the first of the series of cross country records. Cabeza de Vaca landed on Galveston island on Nov. 6, 1528, and finally reached the Pacific ocean in eight years. That time has now been reduced to almost eight hours and the centennial celebration in Texas this year will reflect that progress.

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Bonds of the State of Texas . . . . .	930,266.39
Texas County and Municipal Bonds . . . . .	6,151,129.06
*Total Bonds . . . . .	\$13,793,320.17
First Mortgage Loans on Texas Real Estate . . . . .	15,354,627.39
†Home Office Building . . . . .	1,500,000.00
†Other Real Estate . . . . .	1,405,976.95
Cash . . . . .	828,537.93
Reinsurance Premiums Paid in Advance . . . . .	170,082.00
Interest on Investments Accrued but not yet due . . . . .	784,703.30
‡Unpaid Mortgage Interest . . . . .	342,317.80
Loans Against Cash Value of Policies . . . . .	11,793,360.03
Total Assets . . . . .	\$45,972,925.57

### LIABILITIES

Policy Reserves . . . . .	\$38,079,689.09
Interest and Premiums Paid in Advance . . . . .	398,896.51
Reserve for Taxes and Other Liabilities . . . . .	533,896.54
Total Liabilities . . . . .	\$39,012,482.14
§Surplus Funds for protection of Policyholders:	
Capital Stock . . . . .	\$ 2,000,000.00
Unassigned Funds . . . . .	4,960,443.43
	6,960,443.43
To Balance Assets . . . . .	\$45,972,925.57

\*No bond purchased by the Company has ever defaulted as to principal or interest. Since purchase the bonds have so increased in value that current market value of these bonds exceeds by \$1,046,756 the values used above.

†The Company carries no real estate in excess of current market value. The write-down in real estate values was \$228,480 during 1935.

‡During 1935 unpaid interest was written down \$200,000 in pursuance of the Company's policy of using conservative values.

§After valuing the assets conservatively and after setting up all possible liabilities, these additional funds held for the further protection of policyholders are sufficient to guarantee payment of policy obligations under abnormal as well as normal conditions.

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of the number of students in the adult education program increased with PWA last year also indicates that making courses would be popular. There are 1,100 enrolled in the various classes, nearly 510 men, nearly 600 women.

receiving employment under two scales, vocational courses—work of school or college level; remedial courses, work of elementary or junior high school level.

In Eastland, Stephenson and Nolan the scale is \$42 per month for professional, and \$38 for unprofessional.

agents of the county were County Superintendent Virginia E. Stanfield, Eastland county; Superintendent Frank Snyder, for Scurry county; Superintendent B. C. Baird, Callahan county; Superintendent R. N. Cluck of schools, Eastland county; Superintendent Green of schools, Taylor county.

Attendants attending the conference were Eastland county: Lou Etta Frazer, Hillard Hill, Mrs. Cley Kennedy, Mrs. Mae Mrs. M. L. Powell, Mary H. L. Harmon.

county: Mrs. Maude Connie Bryant, Florence Althea Carter, J. F. Conchum, Neva Dean Dill, V. Doyle, Glenn Fowler, Carrie Holder, Lee Mrs. Ina Lee Jones, Mrs. Mrs. Ruby Lasater, Mrs. E. S. Martin, Mrs. Blanche Mc-Mrs. Bessie Pass, Mrs. Patterson, Elsie Powell, Mrs. Corinne Rountree, Muriel Shook, Lil Smith, Juanita Smith, Stube, Derlia Surles, Tomlinson, Etta Nursery school: Della Mrs. L. E. Morris, Jose-Albraun, Mrs. Charlotte Mrs. John Vernon.

the battle of the Civil war on Texas soil. It was the Hill near Brownsville the mouth of the Rio Grande several weeks after Appomattox. Centennial visitors will find the battlefields marked, and distant are the famous war battlefields of Palo Verde and Palo Alto.

first governor of Texas was appointed in 1691. Allred, the youngest in U. S., will welcome to the centennial celebration this year.

first white man ever to set foot on Texas soil was Fathmet who, with De Leon's men, came to Texas in 1689.







C. W. Trammell Editor

SOCIETY and CLUBS

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Mrs. P. P. Shepard Real Pioneer in Educational Service



Mrs. Fannie M. Ripley, mother of Mrs. P. P. Shepard of Cisco, who is still active in San Antonio public schools. She would rather "wear out than rust out."

of educational service and is still serving as a story writer for children of the elementary grades in San Antonio. An unusual record in her teaching lies in the fact that no pupil of hers, as far as she knows, has had a criminal record after reaching maturity. Who can tell how much her patience and wise counsel has contributed to this record? Mrs. Ripley was a mother of eight children of which only two remain. The last one she lost was Major Roy S. Ripley, her pride and joy, who passed away with the ill effects of the World War. Her husband died in 1930. The Pauline Nelson school in San Antonio was named as a tribute to her mother, a teacher for many years in Texas and today Mrs. Ripley's sister, Miss Mollie R. Nelson, is principal of that school. Besides serving her family and school so faithfully and gloriously she has served in many civic organizations in San Antonio. Even today she is still active secretary in the War Mothers and historian for the American Legion Auxiliary. She has her own car which her maid drives. She attends church regularly on Sunday mornings at the First Baptist church, where she has been a member for forty years. Her motto is "To wear out rather than to rust out." Her greatest ambition has been to keep abreast of the times, to lead on and on—and finally reach the Master of All, still carrying on within the harness bright and shining. Today she is alert and she does all tasks assigned her to as near a degree of perfection as is possible. (Her handwriting is almost incomparable.) To her anything that is worth doing at all is worth doing well and she never puts off until tomorrow what can be done today. Everyone loves Mrs. Ripley because she believes to have a friend is to be one.

Mrs. Wood Bride of Kentucky Man Saturday Morning

Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. West, and Mr. George Swinebroad of Lancaster, Ky., were married Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of her parents on West Fourth street. The ceremony was read by Dr. David Tydal pastor of the First Christian church. Jas. Qualls greeted the guests at the door and invited them into the living room which was decorated with sweetpeas and calendulas. Miss Adelle Anderson played Lohengrin's Wedding March as the bride and groom entered preceded by Lillian Spears and Allan Wood, ring bearer. Mrs. Swinebroad wore a coral crepe ensemble trimmed with fur and brown accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias. The couple left immediately for Lancaster, Ky., where they will make their home. The bride's traveling suit was of green cloth worn with brown accessories. Only neighbors and a few intimate friends were present for the wedding.

Miss McKissick Bride of Anton Moe in Ceremony Saturday

Miss Olivia McKissick, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. McKissick, 1 avenue, became the bride of Mr. Anton Moe, son of Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Moe of Glendive, Montana, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock when Dr. McKissick, president of Randolph college and father of the bride, read the marriage service before an improvised altar at the McKissick home. The house was decorated with chrysanthemums, gladioli and sweetpeas, the altar being of trailing vines, palms and ferns and lighted by white candles in brass holders. Preceding the ceremony Mr. Marion Bruce sang "O Promise Me" accompanied by Mrs. Lee Clark, who played Lohengrin's Wedding March. The bride and groom entered together and were unattended. The bride's dress was of blue and ivory spring print with harmonizing accessories. Mrs. Moe is a former student of Randolph college, and of T. C. U. at Fort Worth and is a graduate of William Woods at Fulton, Mo. Mr. Moe is a graduate of the University of Montana School of Law, is a member of the Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity, a Mason and is also a third cousin of Aton Dvorak, the famous musician for whom he is named. At the informal reception held after the wedding, the refreshment table was laid with lace and centered with a silver basket of sweetpeas flanked by white candles in silver holders. Mrs. Robert McKissick presided at one end of the table where she served the three tiered wedding cake which had been cut by the bride. Miss Ida Mae Collins served coffee from a silver service at the other end of the table. The young couple left immediately for Pecos where Mr. Moe is in the legal branch of the immigration and naturalization government service. Mrs. Moe traveled in a Lanvin model of fern green with red fox trim worn with brown accessories and a shoulder bouquet of white gar-

Mrs. Atkins Crescent Bridge Club Hostess

Mrs. George Atkins was hostess to the members of the Crescent Bridge club Friday afternoon. A Valentine motif was emphasized in the decorations, tallies and refreshments. Mrs. H. L. Dyer won the high score and Mrs. J. B. Pratt high cut prizes. Those present were Mmes. O. S. Leveridge, L. C. Moore, D. Ball, R. A. Bearman, Vance Littleton, H. D. Gorham, H. L. Dyer and J. B. Pratt.

China Is Studied by XXth Century Club

"When China Dons Its Armor" was the subject of the lesson at the meeting of the Twentieth Century club held Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Leach was hostess. Mrs. P. P. Shepard read a paper written by Mrs. J. J. Butts on "War with Japan in 1894." Mrs. J. E. Spencer gave a paper on "The Boxer Uprising of 1900." Mrs. T. J. Dean discussed the "War Lords of Today." The club will entertain with a tea on February 27 honoring Mrs. Volney Taylor, state president of Women's Federated clubs. Members present were Mmes. J. T. Anderson, Charles Brown, J. R. Burnett, J. B. Cate, J. B. Curry, E. P. Crawford, T. J. Dean, C. H. Fee, S. E. Hittson, C. C. Jones, G. B. Kelly, W. J. Leach, P. Pettit, William Reagan, H. Seale, P. P. Shepard, J. E. Spencer, John Shertzer, A. Spears and a guest, Mrs. Charles Shertzer, of Tulsa, Okla.

The Notebook

MONDAY The regular meeting of Charles Crawford chapter R. A. D. has been postponed until the 4th Monday in February. The circles of the Baptist W. M. S. will meet at 3 o'clock at the following places: Circle 1, Mrs. P. P. Shepard, 705 West 7th St. Circle 2, Mrs. Stephens, 609 West 2nd street. Circle 3, Mrs. W. H. Hayes, 609 West 9th street. Circle 4, Mrs. E. C. McClelland, 1008 West 7th street. Circle 5, Mrs. Lee Elkins, 701 West 10th street. Circle 6, Mrs. Jack Jones, Humboldt. Mrs. Charles Shertzer of Tulsa, Okla., is the guest of Mrs. John Shertzer. Mrs. J. W. Love of Jackson, Miss., is the guest of Mrs. W. T. Graham. Mrs. Love formerly lived here. The wild turkey is called the "king of upland game" in North Carolina. Daily Press want ads click.

Church Services In Cisco Today

- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Young People's meeting, 6 p. m.; organ and piano concert, 7 to 7:15 p. m.; evening service, 7:15. Theme of the evening service will be a continuation of "Outstanding Characters." The young people's choir will furnish the music during the evening service.—J. Stuard Pearce, Pastor. FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Church school, 9:40 a. m.; morning worship, 10:50 a. m.; evening worship, 6 p. m.; Epworth League, 5:15 p. m.; Choir practice, Wednesday at 7 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Obscure Performance."—W. H. Cole, Pastor. FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sunday school, 9:45; preaching service, 11 a. m. when the subject will be "Rebuilding Jerusalem;" Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; preaching service, 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Coming King." Prayer service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—D. F. Tyndall, Pastor. CHURCH OF CHRIST Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m., subject, "Dealing with God's Children in the Land of Canaan;" evening service, 7:30.—L. L. Hanks, Pastor. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. W. P. Connor, of Fort Worth, will preach at the First Baptist church at 11 o'clock this morning. The pastor will preach at the evening hour, taking for his theme "The Brazen Serpent." Sunday school at 9:45; B. Y. P. U., 6:30.—E. S. James, Pastor. GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH Sunday school at 10 a. m. German service with Holy Communion at 10 a. m. English service at 11 a. m. There will be no evening service.—E. H. Riese, Pastor. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE "Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 26, and the First Christ at Eastland. The Golden text is: "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth" (Isaiah 25:1). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth" (II Timothy 2:15). The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The question, What is Truth, is answered by demonstration,—by healing both disease and sin; and this demonstration shows that Christian healing confers the most health and makes the best men. Truth is revealed. It needs only to be practised" (pages VIII and 174).

Church Services In Cisco Today

- PERSONALS Mrs. Leon McPherson and Mrs. E. C. McClelland spent Friday with friends in Ranger. Mrs. S. E. Sisk has returned from a visit in Plainview. Charles Brown left Saturday on a business trip to west Texas. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson are spending the week-end in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Henderson. ONE SWIFT AND SAFE PRESCRIPTION FOR RHEUMATISM One supremely good prescription for rheumatism, when caused or aggravated by excess uric acid—as most rheumatism is—is well and favorably known to live pharmacists all over America. Just ask for 8 ounces Allenru prescription and take as directed—it is swift and safe—often the pain and agony leave in 48 hours—Costs about 85 cents. Cut this out and save it.

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Select Honored Shower Friday

Women's Council of the Christian church entertained a miscellaneous shower for Miss Olivia McKissick of Mr. Anton Moe, at the home of Mrs. Charles Brown following a surprise party given by Mrs. McKissick. The bride couple, Bouquet of chrysanthemums, gladioli and stock. A Valentine motif was carried out in party appointments and refreshments. High scores were made by Mrs. H. C. Henderson and C. E. Moore and lows by Mrs. Sam King and Blair Clark. The players were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Sam King, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland. Mrs. L. M. Dyke has returned to her home in Dallas after a visit with Mrs. E. P. Crawford.

McClellands Hosts To Friendly Twelve

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland, 1008 West Seventh St., were hosts to the members of the Friendly Twelve Forty-Two club Friday evening. The rooms were decorated with carnations, chrysanthemums, gladioli and stock. A Valentine motif was carried out in party appointments and refreshments. High scores were made by Mrs. H. C. Henderson and C. E. Moore and lows by Mrs. Sam King and Blair Clark. The players were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Sam King, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McClelland. Mrs. L. M. Dyke has returned to her home in Dallas after a visit with Mrs. E. P. Crawford.

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# NEVER MIND THE LADY

by David Garth

Chapter 44  
**BLACK WATER**

Corrigan had lanterns lighting the way from the storehouses to the dam. They were shielded by steel guards at that their light was uncertain. That dam!

Willett plowed through to the edge of the river. The dam was going, all right. He went into action on the spot.

"Sandbags!" he shouted. "And matting! On the run! Come on, Bucky, chase 'em along. The women too."

He was in six places at once, directing, ordering, slinging the heavy sandbags around as though they were filled with cotton, and the gang got into it as though they were fighting for their lives. The women joined the fight too. There was a worse fury than the storm abroad tonight—it was the fury of that tall figure who snapped back viciously at the wildly surging river.

How they fought! Sandbags buttressing the dam at vital points to withstand the tremendous pressure of an unchecked river. Water was spilling over the top. That was all right, the half-finished construction work below could stand anything but the sudden wild break of the whole river.

Willett was out on the dam, the water swirling all around him, black water that sucked at his knees, and poured into his face as he knelt and gripped the edge.

And as Willett fought, he thought of the girl back in the hut with only Rosa, saw her hand groping for his, felt a deeper courage somehow. But if she didn't make it—!

"Look down, look down that lonely road—!"

He knew how his father had felt. Life had gone out of his father too, left him staggering, stunned. He'd never been able to love anybody else but Vic, and Terry knew from the moment he'd seen Allaire she was the only girl he could never love either.

Fight, you quaking wretches! Your boss has to be strong no matter what happens. He has to look down that lonely road and he has to travel it alone, gallant and strong.

And so they strained through the hours, Corrigan a wild man with the Chaikis hopping before his blasts, and Willett keeping

the rescue work traveling surely and swiftly. Governor, you're going to be served this job in Valhalla, and you can thank a girl for it.

But he dared that surging river's force once too often out there on that quivering dam. His grip was torn loose as he tried to get a sandbag into place.

He felt himself spun around in the wild water and an instant later his head was driven against the dam with stunning force. Lights flashed before his eyes as a terrible dizziness overcame him.

He gasped for breath and the water poured into his throat. He was going down, exhausted, stunned, half dead.

The water seemed very soft suddenly, soft with the heavy muffling feeling of a woolen quilt thrown over the head. And the bottom of the river was soft too, oozy, shifty, soft muck that had been stirred into a putrid cloud that blinded and strangled and obscured his senses. Terry Willett could find no breath, no strength.

His strength was ebbing fast. You'll have to look down, Allaire, look down a lonely road—the guy you married is through.

Allaire! He seemed to see her hand as it had reached out for his in those shadows caused by the flickering lamp. A girl who had followed him to Pluto's Playground and was standing between life and death herself now.

Allaire!

Willett stopped right on the threshold of unconsciousness. With a terrible effort of will he roused himself to battle, to find some more strength from somewhere. He couldn't leave her alone, he

couldn't. Allaire was fighting for her life too.

From somewhere his dispersed forces rallied. He snapped the mind-paralyzing spell of the water that whirled him around and blinded and deafened him; he fought for the surface, holding grimly to the last of his ebbing strength, straining for what seemed to him a white hand stealing toward him out of the stormy shadows.

It was closer, that hand, closer—closer, beckoning him out of the Dark Places, showing the way. He reached out for it and held on.

His fingers were gripping the edge of the dam, and as he hung there, his body was flayed against its surface as though caught between the Immovable Object and the Irresistible Force.

Let go, let go, something whispered. Let go, and Nature will take care of her own.

But Willett wasn't holding desperately to the edge of a groaning shaking dam that was ready to break up. He was holding to the white hand of a girl, and he came out of the shadows to fight again, get a foothold and shove.

He pulled himself slowly, laboriously out, struggling to get free of that sucking, swirling water. He got up halfway and then as a hand gripped his shoulder and pulled him the rest of the way, he lost consciousness.

He came to lying on the ground with the rain pelting into his face and the thick slimy silt of the river oozing up under his clothes.

Bucky Corrigan was leaning over him, Bucky, with his face white and his hand shaking as he held up Willett's head and stuck a flask at him.

"It almost got you, fella," he said hoarsely. "When you were

knocked loose I thought you were finished."

Corrigan's square fighting Irish mug was twisted with the agony of his memory. A man had lost his grip in that black water, sure death, and yet a man had fought his way back again.

The Chaikis were huddled all around him, staring, their black hair in drenched mops over their brown faces. Willett took a deep breath. He waved the flask aside; too much liquor inside of him already.

He started to get up.

"Take it easy," ordered Corrigan. "You can't strain yourself, fella—"

Willett flung off his restraining hands. He stood up and eyed the paralyzed construction gang all around him. Work had ceased! And the river was still threatening to break through at any minute. What the hell were they standing around for?

"Come on, Bucky, let's go!"

"Hey!" yelled Corrigan, "you can't go back there. That thing's ready to break up. By God, if you try it, I'll slug you, Terry, so help me, I will!"

He drew back his great brawny fist and his face was wild. Terry Willett, wasn't going back to flirt with death again, job or no job.

"Come on, you Irish lump," he shouted. "Chase these guys along. Let's go!"

And he grabbed up a sandbag and went back on the dam, stumbling a little on his precarious path, but back in the battle again, and the trembling Chaikis looked after him with eyes popping out of their heads. The man wasn't human, por Dios!

And how grew stronger with the passing hours. They staggered through with that creaking, patched structure to do what Corrigan wouldn't have thought

possible—bulwark it against the adverse decision of the river.

But then Corrigan hadn't foreseen the possibility of Terry Willett sticking with it right on the brink of eternity, holding on the job by the skin of his teeth, with the law of averages and the odds of Nature against him.

He had fought, and he had made them fight, as the Crusaders must have fought before Jerusalem, inspired, with the inspiration that ignores the law of averages.

With the light of dawn they knew they were coming through. The river would be held back. The storm had spent itself, its fury gone, and in its place was only the stolid rain.

Willett's hands were torn and bleeding, he was drenched and muddy and he stumbled with exhaustion as he stepped on shore.

Allaire and Terry start on a long journey, Monday.

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He rubbed a hand across his face and took a deep breath.

"We'll beat it now, fella," Corrigan was saying at his shoulder. "Over the wire, and a hip, hip, hooray!"

Willett nodded mechanically.

"Bucky, my thanks to you—and to all." He put out his hand. Corrigan gripped it briefly, and then saw him turn toward the hut, and it was the longest, hardest, most agonizing trek Terry had ever made.

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2. THIS PLACE IS GETTING AS BAD AS THE KLONDIKE, HEINIE! LOOKS AS IF WE STARTED SOMETHING!

3. YAH! VEN DER NEWSPAPERS GOT DER STORY EFFRY FORTUNE HUNTER IN DER WORLD HEADED FOR BIRCH BAY!—TODAY I PAID TEN DOLLARS FOR A PLATE UP HAM UND EGGS!

4. HERE COMES THE MINE SUPERINTENDANT! HE'S GOT A REPORT ON HOW THE LAFARGE LODE IS GOING!

5. GUTE MORNING, MINE HERR!—HA! HEINIE MAKES A CHOKE!

6. HOW'S THE NUGGET BUSINESS BY THIS TIME?

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2. DID YOU BRING A NOTE FROM YOUR FATHER THIS MORNING?

3. NO M.

4. INTO THE ASSEMBLY ROOM!

5. THAT'S ME!

6. SEND HIM DOWN TO ME!!

7. THUMP THUMP!

8. GOOD MORNING, MISS BROWN. HOW IS YOUR CLASS GETTING ON?

9. DEEP VOICE OF PRINCIPAL

10. VERY WELL, MR. DUGAN—EXCEPT FOR ONE BOY.

11. O-DEAR G-GOD—THIS IS TIMMIE PRAYIN' PLEASE HELP ME! THOU KNOWEST HOW HARD BOILED MR. DUGAN CAN BE AT A TIME LIKE THIS.

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## Ben Webster's Page

BY EDWIN ALGER

WHAT'RE YOU GITTIN' BACK INTO INDIAN DUDS AGAIN FER, BEN? BECAUSE THAT'S THE PLAN, ELMER—



### THE DEVELOPMENTS!

BEN WEBSTER'S PLAN WAS SIMPLE — ELMER AVERY WOULD AWAIT THE COMING OF PETER BRYAN, THE WEALTHY MINING ENGINEER, AND HIS FAITHLESS BUTLER, BEVANS — THEN —

YOU BRING THEM TO THIS EXACT SPOT, WAIT AND YOU'LL SEE THE FUN —

DURNED IF I AIN'T GOT A NOTION IT'S GOIN' TO BE FUN, TOO!



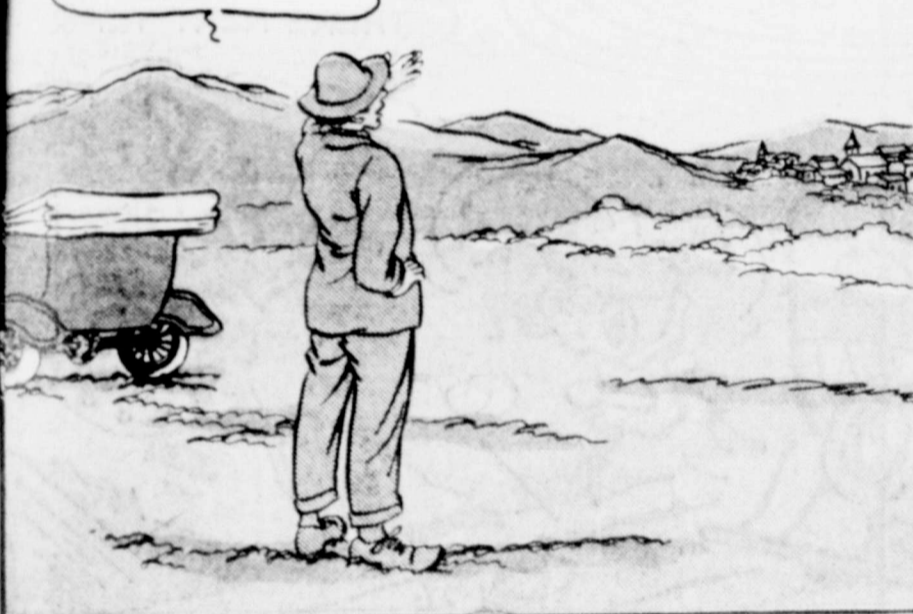
YOU BET IT IS, ELMER, BECAUSE BRUCE AND BRIAR AND I ARE GOING BACK TO HIS TRIBE. BUT WHEN YOU FOLKS ALL SHOW UP, YOU'RE GOING TO SEE PLENTY OF ACTION! TIP OFF BRUCE'S DAD TO KEEP QUIET — YOU, TOO!



NEVER SEEN A BODY WHO'D COMPARE WITH BEN WEBSTER — RIGHT NOW I'M GLAD I'M JEST ELMER AVERY AN' NOT THIS BIRD BEVANS!



RECKON THIS IS MR. PETER BRYAN, THE DADDY O' BRUCE — HE SURE AIN'T LOST NO TIME!



YES, I'M PETER BRYAN — WHERE IS MY SON? AND WHO ARE YOU?

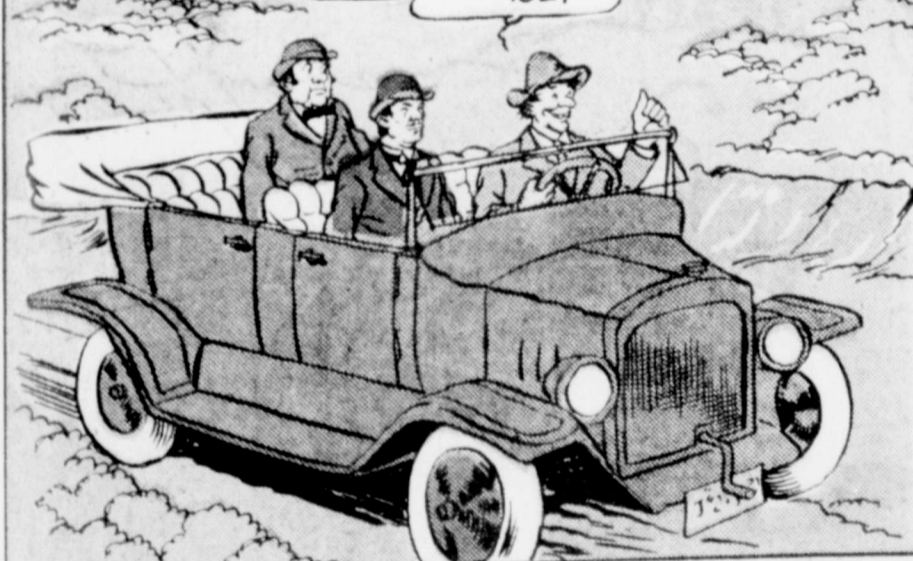


HOLD ON! TAKE IT EASY, BROTHER! THE NAME'S ELMER AVERY — I'M THE GENT WHO WIRED YOU AN' YOUR BOY IS —

— WHERE I'M A TAKIN' YOU — AN' IF YOU AN' THIS THING HERE 'LL HOP INTO MY ROLLS ROUGH I'LL BE A TAKIN' YOU THERE —



T' THE LEFT IS WHERE THE HIGHEST BUILDIN' IN THE WORLD WOULD BE, PROMDIN' IT WAS THERE — BUT IT JEST AIN'T, I'M SORRY T'TELL YOU!



WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS, AVERY? THIS IS A WILDERNESS! WHERE IS MY BOY?



VERY STRANGE THIS, MR. BRYAN — TAKING US OUT HERE!

MR. BRYAN, I WIRED YOU T' COME AN' GIT YOUR BOY — NOW, SIR, YOU'LL BE A GITTIN' HIM RIGHT SOON — THAT'S ALL THE CHIN MUSIC I'LL INDULGE IN FER THE TIME BEIN' —



INDIANS! INDIANS! WE'LL BE KILLED!



TRICKERY, EH? GET INTO THAT CAR, YOU RAT, AND TAKE US AWAY FROM HERE!



WELL SPOKEN, SIR!

PUT DOWN YOUR POPGUN, MR. BRYAN, 'CAUSE YOU'RE A GOIN' TO SEE SOME FUN. AN' FURTHERMORE AN' NOTWITH- STANDIN' YOU'RE A SOON GOIN' TO BE THE HAPPIEST PAPPY IN THE HULL O' NORTH AMERICA!



NEXT WEEK: WHY HE WAS!



# THE BOOMERANG CLUE

BY AGATHA CHRISTIE

## CHAPTER ONE IN THE CHASM

**B**OBBY JONES teed up his ball, gave a short preliminary waggle, took the club back slowly, then brought it down and through with the rapidity of lightning. Did the ball fly down the fairway straight and true, rising as it went and soaring over the bunker to land with an easy mashie shot of the fourteenth green? No, it did not. Badly topped, it scudded along the ground and embedded itself firmly in the bunker!

There were no eager crowds to groan with dismay. The solitary witness of the shot manifested no surprise. And that is easily explained—for it was not the American-born master of the game who had played the shot but merely the fourth son of the Vicar of Marchbolt, a small seaside town on the coast of Wales.

Bobby uttered a decidedly profane ejaculation.

He was an amiable-looking young man of about eight-and-twenty. His best friend could not have said that he was handsome, but his face was an eminently likable one, and his eyes had the honest brown friendliness of a dog's.

"I get worse every day," he muttered dejectedly.

"You press," said his companion.

Dr. Thomas was a middle-aged man with grey hair and a red, cheerful face. He himself never took a full swing. He played short, straight shots down the middle and usually beat more brilliant but more erratic players.

Bobby attacked his ball fiercely with a niblick. The third time was successful. The ball lay a short distance from the green which Dr. Thomas had reached with two creditable iron shots.

"Your hole," said Bobby.

They proceeded to the next tee.

The doctor drove first—a nice straight shot, but with no great distance about it.

Bobby sighed, teed his ball, re- teed it, waggled his club a long time, took back stiffly, shut his eyes, raised his head, depressed his right shoulder, did everything he ought not to have done—and hit a screamer down the middle of the course!

He drew a deep breath of satisfaction. The well-known golfer's gloom passed from his eloquent face to be succeeded by the equally well-known golfer's exultation.

"I know now what I've been doing," said Bobby—quite untruthfully.

A perfect iron shot, a little chip with a mashie, and Bobby lay dead. He achieved a birdie four, and Dr. Thomas was reduced to one up.

Full of confidence, Bobby stepped onto the sixteenth tee. He again did everything he should not have done, and this time no miracle occurred. A terrific, a magnificent, an almost superhuman slice happened! The ball went round at right angles.

"If that had been straight—whew!" said Dr. Thomas.

"If—" said Bobby bitterly.

"Hullo, I thought I heard a shout! Hope the ball didn't hit anyone."

He peered out to the right. It was a difficult light. The sun was on the point of setting, and looking straight into it, it was hard to see anything distinctly. Also there was a slight mist rising from the sea. The edge of the cliff was a few hundred yards away.

"The footpath runs along there," said Bobby. "But the ball can't possibly have travelled as far as that. All the same, I did think I heard a cry. Did you?"

But the Doctor had heard nothing.

Bobby went after his ball. He had some difficulty in finding it, but ran it to earth at last. It was practically unplayable—embedded

in a furze bush. He had a couple of hacks at it, then picked it up and called out to his companion that he gave up the hole.

The Doctor came over towards him since the next tee was right on the edge of the cliff.

The seventeenth was Bobby's particular bugbear. At it you had to drive over a chasm. The distance was not actually so great, but the attraction of the depths below was overpowering.

They had crossed the footpath, which now ran inland to their left skirting the very edge of the cliff.

The Doctor took an iron and just landed on the other side.

Bobby took a deep breath and drove. The ball scudded forward and disappeared over the lip of the abyss.

"Every single dashed time," said Bobby bitterly, "I do the same dashed idiotic thing!"

He skirted the chasm, peering over. Far below the sea sparkled, but not every ball was lost in its depths. The drop was sheer at the top, but below it shelved gradually.

Bobby walked slowly along. There was, he knew, one place where one could scramble down fairly easily. Caddies did so, hurling themselves over the edge and reappearing triumphant and panting with the missing ball.

Suddenly Bobby stiffened and called to his companion: "I say, Doctor, come here. What do you make of that?"

Some forty feet below was a dark heap of something that looked like old clothes.

The Doctor caught his breath. "By Jove!" he said. "Somebody's fallen over the cliff. We must get down to him."

Side by side the two men scrambled down the rock, the more athletic Bobby helping the other. At last they reached the ominous dark bundle. It was a man of about forty—and he was still breathing, though unconscious.

The Doctor examined him, touching his limbs, feeling his pulse, drawing down the lids of his eyes. He knelt down beside him and completed his examination. Then he looked up at Bobby, who was standing there feeling rather sick, and slowly shook his head.

"Nothing to be done," he said. "His number's up, poor fellow. His back's broken. Well, well, I suppose he wasn't familiar with the path and when the mist came up he walked over the edge. I've told the council more than once there ought to be a railing just here."

He stood up again. "I'll go off and get help," he said. "Make arrangements to have the body got up. It'll be dark before we know where we are. Will you stay here?"

Bobby nodded. "There's nothing to be done for him, I suppose," he asked.

The Doctor shook his head. "Nothing. It won't be long—the pulse is weakening fast. He'll last

another twenty minutes at most. Just possible he may recover consciousness before the end—but very likely he won't. Still—

"Rather," said Bobby quickly. "I'll stay. You get along. If he does come to, there's no drug or anything—?" He hesitated.

The Doctor shook his head. "There'll be no pain," he said. "No pain at all."

Turning away he began rapidly to climb up the cliff again. Bobby watched him till he disappeared over the top with a wave of the hand.

Bobby moved a step or two along the narrow ledge, sat down on a projection in the rock and lit a cigarette. The business had shaken him. Up to now he had never come in contact with illness or death.

What rotten luck there was in the world! A swirl of mist on a fine evening, a false step—and life came to an end. Fine, healthy-looking fellow too—probably never known a day's illness in his life.

The pallor of approaching death couldn't disguise the deep tan of the skin. A man who had lived an out-of-door life—abroad perhaps. Bobby studied him more closely—the crisp curling chestnut hair just touched with grey at the temples, the big nose, the strong jaw, the white teeth just showing through the parted lips. Then the broad shoulders and the fine sinewy hands.

The legs were twisted at a curious angle. Bobby shuddered and brought his eyes up again to the face. An attractive face, humorous, determined, resourceful. The eyes, he thought, were probably blue—

And just as he reached that point in his thoughts, the eyes suddenly opened.

They were blue, a clear deep blue. They looked straight at Bobby. There was nothing uncertain or hazy about them. They seemed completely conscious. They were watchful and at the same time they seemed to be asking a question.

Bobby got up quickly and came towards the man. Before he got there the other spoke. His voice was not weak—it came out clear and resonant.

"Why didn't they ask Evans?" he said.

And then a queer little shudder passed over him, the eyelids dropped, the jaw fell . . .

The man was dead.

Bobby knelt down beside him, but there was no doubt. The man was dead. A last moment of consciousness, that sudden question and then—the end.

Rather apologetically Bobby put his hand into the dead man's pocket and rawing out a silk handkerchief he spread it reverently over the dead face. There was nothing more he could do.

Then he noticed that in his action he had jerked something else out of the pocket. It was a photograph, and in the act of replacing it he glanced at the pictured face.

It was a woman's face, strangely haunting in quality. A fair woman with wide-apart eyes. She seemed little more than a girl, certainly under thirty.

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A stranger happens along, to-morrow.

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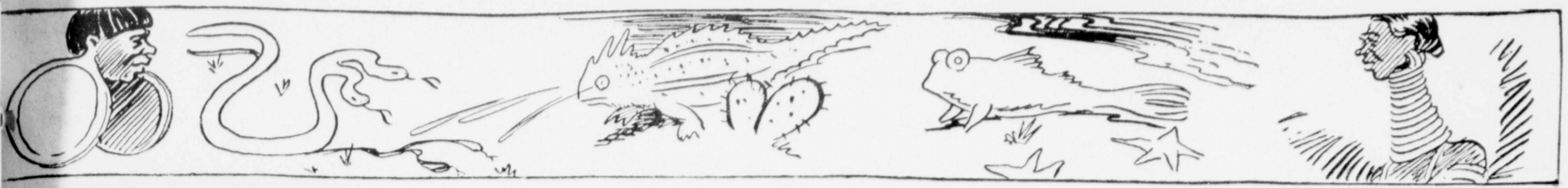
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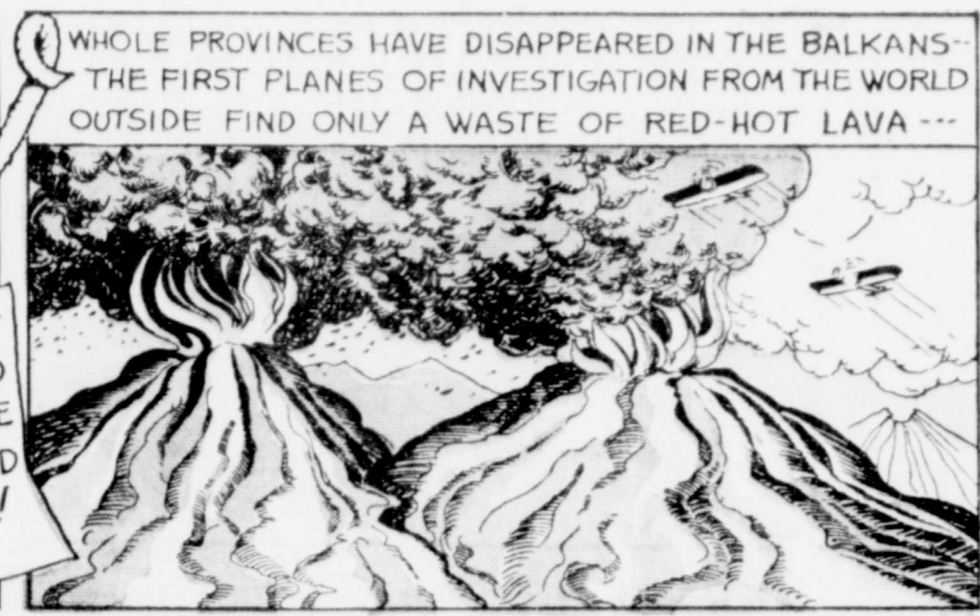
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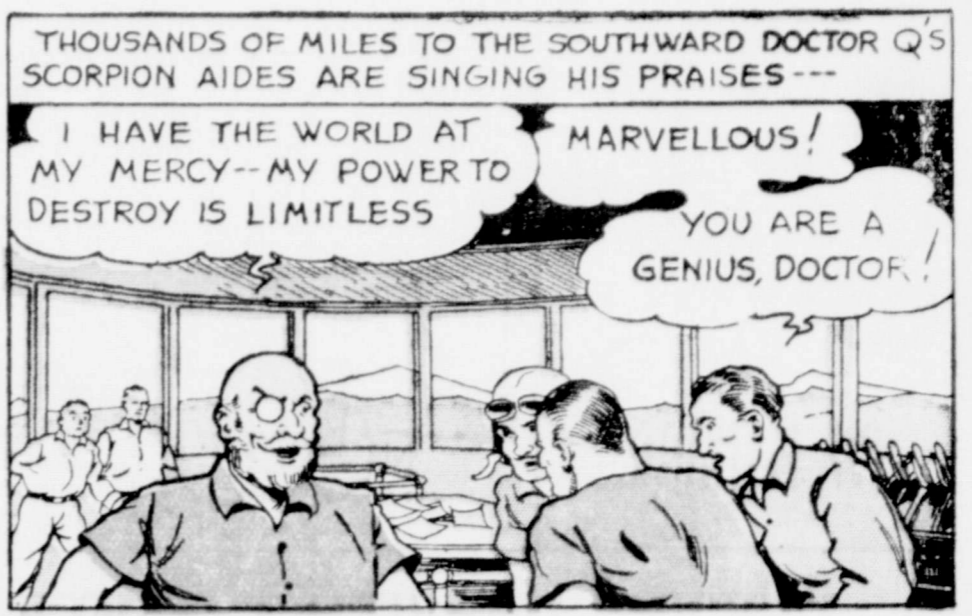
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WHOLE PROVINCES HAVE DISAPPEARED IN THE BALKANS-- THE FIRST PLANES OF INVESTIGATION FROM THE WORLD OUTSIDE FIND ONLY A WASTE OF RED-HOT LAVA ---

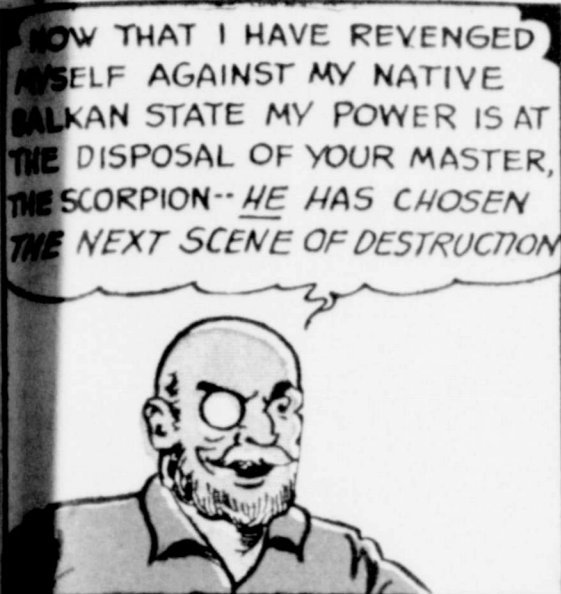
DOCTOR Q'S FIRST BLOW--LAUNCHED FROM HIS JUNGLE BASE--REACHED ITS MARK !!



THOUSANDS OF MILES TO THE SOUTHWARD DOCTOR Q'S SCORPION AIDES ARE SINGING HIS PRAISES ---

I HAVE THE WORLD AT MY MERCY--MY POWER TO DESTROY IS LIMITLESS

MARVELLOUS! YOU ARE A GENIUS, DOCTOR!



NOW THAT I HAVE REVENGED MYSELF AGAINST MY NATIVE BALKAN STATE MY POWER IS AT THE DISPOSAL OF YOUR MASTER, THE SCORPION--HE HAS CHOSEN THE NEXT SCENE OF DESTRUCTION



IT IS TO BE AMERICA'S PRIZED POSSESSION-- THE PANAMA CANAL!

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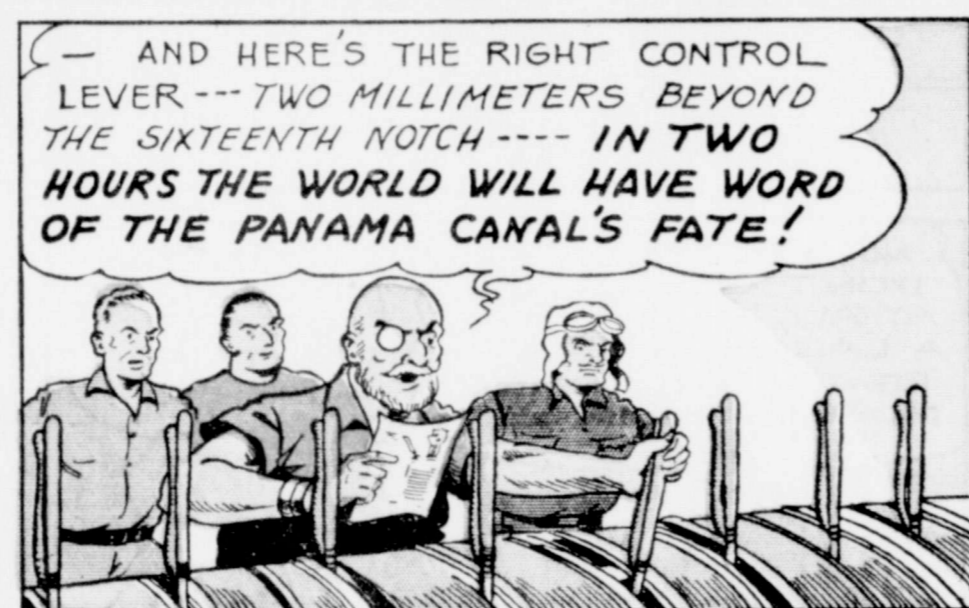
I HEARD IT, ALL RIGHT--WE'VE GOT TO STOP THAT MANIAC!



THEY'RE SO EXCITED OVER THERE THEY'VE FORGOTTEN US AND I SEE A CHANCE TO GUM UP THE OLD MONSTER'S SCHEME THIS TIME !!



NOW LET'S SEE--WHERE ARE MY WATER-DIVERSION CALCULATIONS FOR PANAMA?--AH! HERE THEY ARE--



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DON! WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

SH!! DON'T ATTRACT THEIR ATTENTION--I'M GOING TO CHANGE THAT LEVER!

WHAT WILL RESULT FROM DON'S DESPERATE ACT? DON'T MISS THE NEXT EPISODE !! 1-26

# BOS'N HAL

SEA SCOUT  
by LIEUT. COMDR F.V. MARTINEK U.S.N.R. and LEON A. BERO TH



WITH DISMAY DAWN, HAL AND TED WATCH THE STRANGER'S BIG CAR DISAPPEAR DOWN THE PORTLAND ROAD ---

OH! I'VE RUINED EVERYTHING--LEAVING OUR LOG BOOK IN THAT MAN'S AUTO!

BUT MAYBE WE CAN GET IT BACK, HAL!



HE WAS HEADED FOR PORTLAND

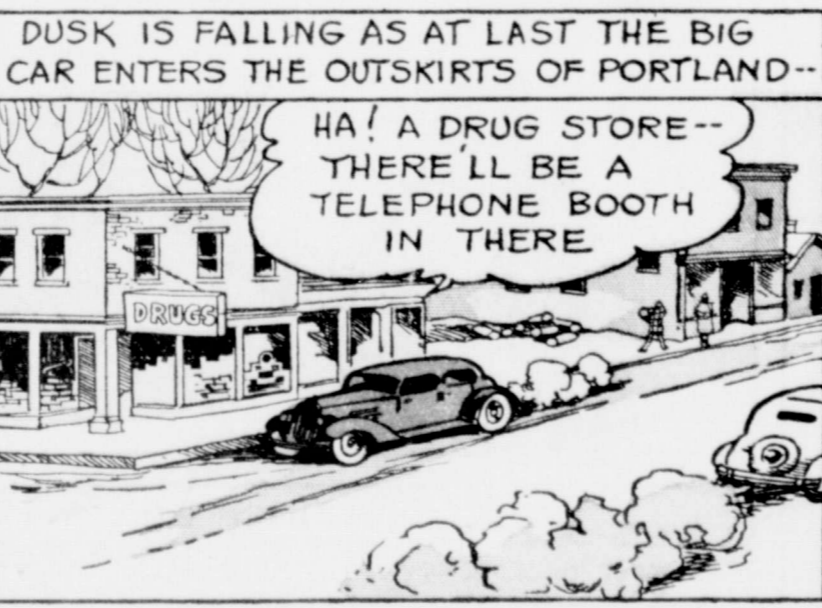
WE CAN PUT AN AD IN THE PORTLAND PAPERS-- HE MAY SEE IT

THAT'S RIGHT!



MEANWHILE LET'S FOLLOW THE STRANGER'S COURSE AS HE SPEEDS SOUTHWARD--UNMINDFUL THAT HE IS CARRYING AWAY THE PRECIOUS LOG BOOK OF THE "ELLEN BELL"

BLAST IT! I HATED TO GIVE THOSE KIDS A RIDE AND A GOOD LOOK AT ME --- ANYHOW, THEY PUT ME BACK ON THE RIGHT ROAD--



DUSK IS FALLING AS AT LAST THE BIG CAR ENTERS THE OUTSKIRTS OF PORTLAND--

HA! A DRUG STORE-- THERE'LL BE A TELEPHONE BOOTH IN THERE



HELLO--SIMON? LISTEN--THIS IS THE PROFESSOR--- YES, I'M DRIVING--- BE READY TO LET ME IN

A FEW MINUTES LATER DOWN AN ALLEY-WAY THE DOOR OF A SMALL GARAGE SWINGS OPEN--



OKAY--COME AHEAD



HOWDY, PERFESSER-- ANYBODY FOLLER YUH?

HAVE ANY TROUBLE AT THE BORDER?

NO, MY FRIENDS-- I SEEMED TO AROUSE NO SUSPICIONS--



LOOK! SOMETHIN' FELL OUT PERFESSER-- A BIG BOOK!

EH? WHY, SO IT IS!



HM-M--- WHERE DID THIS COME FROM? MY WORD! A SHIP'S LOG BOOK!! WHY, IT MUST HAVE BELONGED TO THAT KID!

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