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RADIO BEDTIME STORIES

George H. Payne, member of the Federal Communications Commission, declares that radio programs are overdue for reform in the matter of the fare they offer children. He objects particularly to the blood-curdling tales of gangsters, detectives and straight-shooters.

"I have had many communications condemning them," says Mr. Payne. "I had a man in here the other day who said, 'My child had a nightmare thinking he was being kidnapped and tortured after he had listened to one of those programs.'"

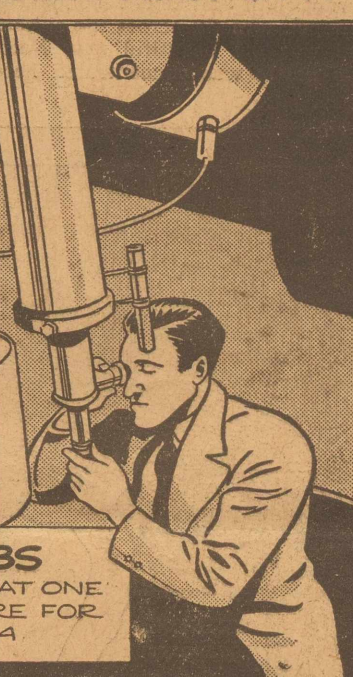
Most parents probably agree with Mr. Payne wholeheartedly. After all, one does not need to be an expert psychologist to realize that nerve-racking, fear-creating thrillers can be an over-stimulating emotional diet for a youngster.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



The THISTLE
WAS THE FIRST NATIONAL FLOWER!
SCOTLAND ADOPTED IT DURING THE REIGN OF KING JAMES II.

A PHOTOMETER, RECENTLY INSTALLED IN THE STEWARD OBSERVATORY, AT TUCSON, ARIZONA, IS CAPABLE OF DETECTING LIGHT FROM A 100-WATT ELECTRIC LIGHT BULB, PLACED AS FAR AWAY AS NEW YORK CITY.



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WERE USED AT ONE TIME AS A CURE FOR ASTHMA

The photometer at the University of Arizona is used for measuring the light from distant stars. Equipped with photographic plates, the instrument could record the light of a 100-watt bulb placed in New Zealand, if only it were possible to see around the curve of the earth.

U. S. Federal Judge

HORIZONTAL

1,5 Recently appointed U.S. judge.

10 Pertaining to wings.

11 Made of oatmeal.

12 Greek letter.

13 Oat grass.

15 Sudden fright.

17 Ready.

19 Bone.

21 Cover.

23 Therefore.

24 To say.

26 Eye tumor.

28 Document.

33 Pedal digits.

34 Low spirits.

36 Withered.

37 Possessed.

38 Cedar trees.

40 Dutch measure.

41 Monkey.

43 Ey.

44 Sailor.

46 Road.

48 Corded cloth.

50 Mire.

51 Musical note.

52 Insect's egg.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

22 He is a keen of political economy. Scatters. To spill. 12 months. Like. To stay. To exist. Senior. To eat sparingly. Collection of breeding horses. Measure of area. Paid publicity. Dreadful. Mexican dollar. Bill of fare. Word. Light brown. Organ of hearing. Male pronoun. Golf device. Mother. Pair.

54 Crew teeth. 2 Rubber tree. 57 X. 3 Pistols. 58 Battering machine. 4 Those who reveal God's utterances. 60 South America. 5 Plank. 61 Into. 6 To bathe. 62 By. 7 Devoured. U. S. — 8 Principal meal of the day. 63 He was a Roosevelt appointed him 14 He comes from — U.S. 16 Ozone. 18 Peak. 20 Portico.

VERTICAL

1 Laughter sound.

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The PAYOFF

BY JESS RODGERS.
To some Dan Cupid may be not only the best marksman in the world but a swell fellow, to Bryan Henderson he is a blanket-blank-so-and-so who needs more clothes on and sense enough to keep out of other folks business.

"Hendy" was getting along swell with his Stanton team; the boys were showing improvement, daily and he had hopes of doing something this year he had not been able to do since leaving Midland for the Martin county seat—beat the Midland Bulldogs in a football game—when the little man with the bow and arrow showed up and knocked Bryan's dreams into a cocked hat.

All season long Hendy has heard

THREE ACT PLAY Act One.



Dan Cupid is shown cutting down on Eugene Graham, ace ball carrier of the Stanton Buffaloes.



Here's how Graham came out using a football against a bow and arrow.



Stanton coach, after he tried to find some one to replace his sole scoring threat.

a lot of praise dished out for a passing combination on his team made up of Eidson and Graham. Eidson threw the ball and Graham usually managed to be under it when it came down. But Cupid evidently got on a glorious binge in celebration of Stanton's victories over Kermit and Coahoma and started firing his arrows around promiscuously, one of them catching Graham and pinning him to the wall. The next thing Henderson knew Graham had ambled down a rose strewn path (the thorns were left for Henderson) and had taken unto himself a wife.

In only a few short hours Graham found out that the old tale about two could live on love was a lot of hooey originating with some cold blooded machiavel. The next thing was to quit school and find a job. And that is just what Graham did.

Even if the laws governing printed matter would allow me to tell you what Henderson said, I wouldn't. Regardless of the loss, the Stanton head man is going to bring a bunch over here next Thursday afternoon that will be out to win, Graham or no.

The Payoff on whether or not the Buffaloes are going to be after the game came Saturday when Henderson's wife, not very big, but very very nice and one who could still come out on top in many a beauty contest, and a football fan from the word "go", informed the Stanton team from the sidelines that if they would forget about Midland for a few minutes and devote their time to Crane that the score would probably look different in a very short while.

Stanton's efforts against Crane offensively were not very serious all day, but their defense was plenty rough. Crane had a barrel of luck on some of the left-handed passes thrown by Brandon and these led to their downfall. Also, the boys were severely handicapped by a bad case of "fumbllitis." Just when they thought they were headed somewhere a fumble would ruin them. Crane made three touchdowns out of possibly a dozen scoring chances. It didn't mean a thing for the Buffaloes to be backed up to within a few feet of their own goal line. Oftener than not, when Crane had exhausted their four downs they found themselves further from the goal than they were on the first down.

And if you think the Stanton boys haven't got plenty of real fight in their system ask directions

Hearsay



"I heard someone say"

Not so long ago, people depended upon tales of returned travelers for their information about distant lands. Even when true, these tales were frequently misunderstood and misquoted. Often they were tall tales to begin with . . . There was no way to check up on these stories, no agency devoted to the accurate reporting of what really happened around the world.

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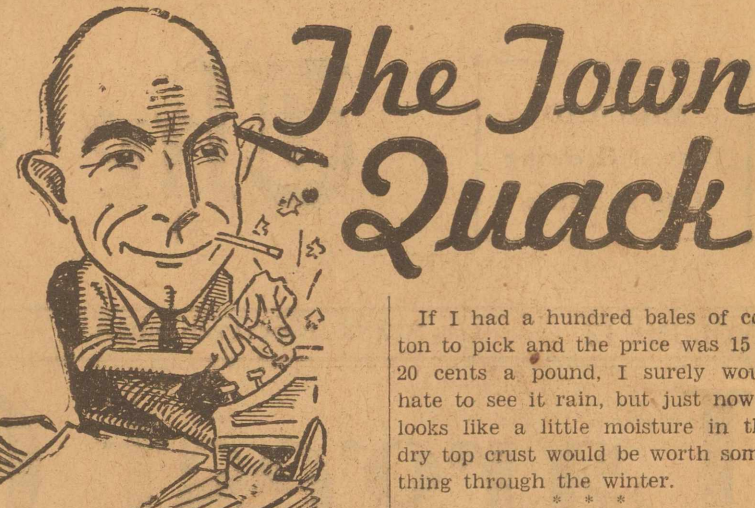
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posterior part of one of the Stanton boys and tossed him from the game. Along with the dismissal, Crane got a 35 yard penalty. That would have satisfied most boys, but not the Stanton kids. No sooner had the game ended than he took up where the official left off. What might have been a darn good battle was ruined by pacifists.

All afternoon Saturday the eligible Stanton pass receivers were just about a step behind Eidson's rifle shots. They just couldn't get out that extra yard that Graham had been doing. But they may be able to when they get on the smooth field that the Bulldogs justifiably boast of.

I wouldn't say that the Stanton field appeared as if it had been training grounds for the Japs and Chinks but it is a pretty good example of what the government points out as the result of soil erosion. A short legged man would have got along swell in part of it, especially in some of them canyon-like parts.

Some belated thoughts from over the week end: The Kermit pep squad put on a show between halves Friday night that really brought them a lot of cheers. If only they had a football team. Incidentally, the Midland pep squad has been offering a swell show during the half of each game. I am sorry I haven't given them any publicity because they have done their part whether the club was winning or losing. Kermit now has a new head coach. He is "Bo" Galloway, a Trinity grad. Thompson resigned the post to devote all his time to his job as principal. Loss of the Thanksgiving Day games is going to ruin the chance to establish a Class-A district in this area. "Where does Wink get all their football players?" asked Superintendent Bankston of Crane. "I don't know but Lee Johnson told me he could give me his starting line-up for the opening game in 1940 right now if I wanted it," replied Superintendent Blackwell of Pecos. Jay Francis' mother told him Friday she would give him \$2.50 for each touchdown he made—he only made five. One of the boys said that when Kermit kicked on the Midland 10-yard stripe early in the game Francis said "Gimme that (s) (s) (s) ball, I need the cash." And all he did was run the 90 yards in one jaunt. Other members of the backfield couldn't claim Jay was letting them carry the ball down, then taking it



Thought upon awakening this morning: "Tidwell's in town." I didn't know whether he could bring a rain in the fall or just in the spring.

I don't believe I want to go into the subject of this defeat of Baylor by Texas, except that it's not the 20 points I gave the society editor that is bothering me. It's the 3 points Texas made with Wolfe's toe.

Stephenville surely has been getting in print with the high school team getting right up to the top and being nosed out by Abilene then a Waco sporting goods house tied up their part of the Abilene gate receipts to satisfy a \$500 debt, and then this Wolfe boy from Stephenville kicked the Baylor Bears off the top rung of the ladder.

across for the monetary part because three of them were of more than 50 yards. Wonder if Toby Greer of Monahans will use Connell against Midland?? Odessa told Toby before the Odessa-Monahans game that if he was used they would protest, win, lose or draw. Mr. Fly says Connell is ineligible and he will offer proof to anyone that is interested. Anyhow, Connell didn't play against Odessa. A crack that hit our funnybone was pulled Saturday when a Stanton kid about 12 years old popped up with the following: "Look at that fool that tried to catch that pass; he wrapped his arms around the Stanton halfback's head." Bryan Henderson taped a helmet on to one of his boys Friday after the youngster had been refusing to wear one all season. At the half off came the helmet for keeps. Marvin Douglas almost buried what he calls his car over at Stanton. He drove off into a hole in which water had been dripping from a hydrant all season. If I don't get some golf tournament publicity the boss is going to wonder what the hell he bought a trophy for. How about some more of you mugs turning in qualifying scores? Before the Saturday game Billy Patterson had averaged over 40 yards on his punts. A cloud over the 1938 football (See PAYOFF, page 6)

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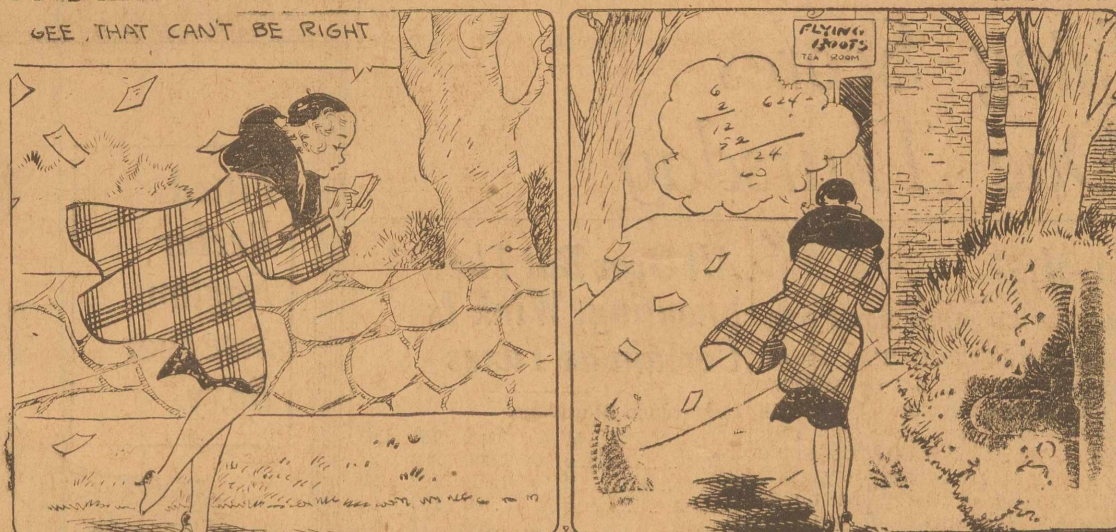
Some day Tyler Groselove may be big enough to fill the shoes of one of the present Willanova football players but right now this little Oakmont, Pa., elementary school youngster finds the collegiate regalia a bit too roomy. He put on one of the big fellow's armor when his team took in a Wildcat workout.

Best Booter-Inner



Race to be America's No. 1 jockey for 1937 generally was supposed to be between Johnny Adams and Baby Face Will Johnson, but from the smaller tracks, including fairs, has come a veteran, Willie Robertson, above, to lead with more than 200 victories. All three are riding at Bay Meadows, near San Francisco, Calif.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



A Pleasant Way to Look at It

By MARTIN

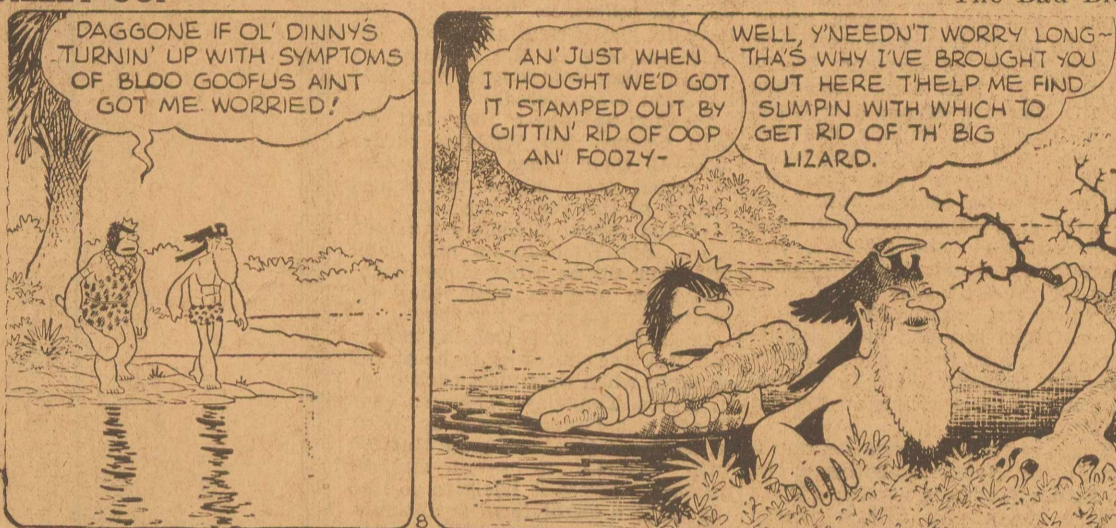
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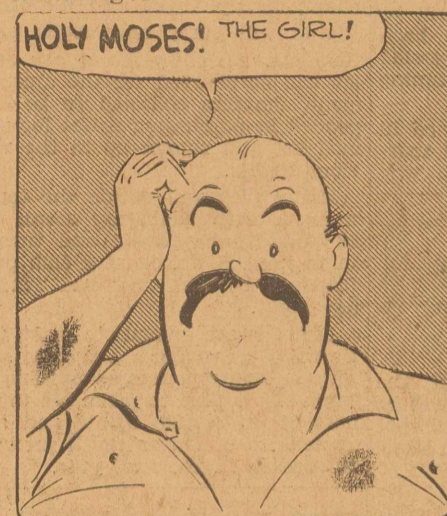
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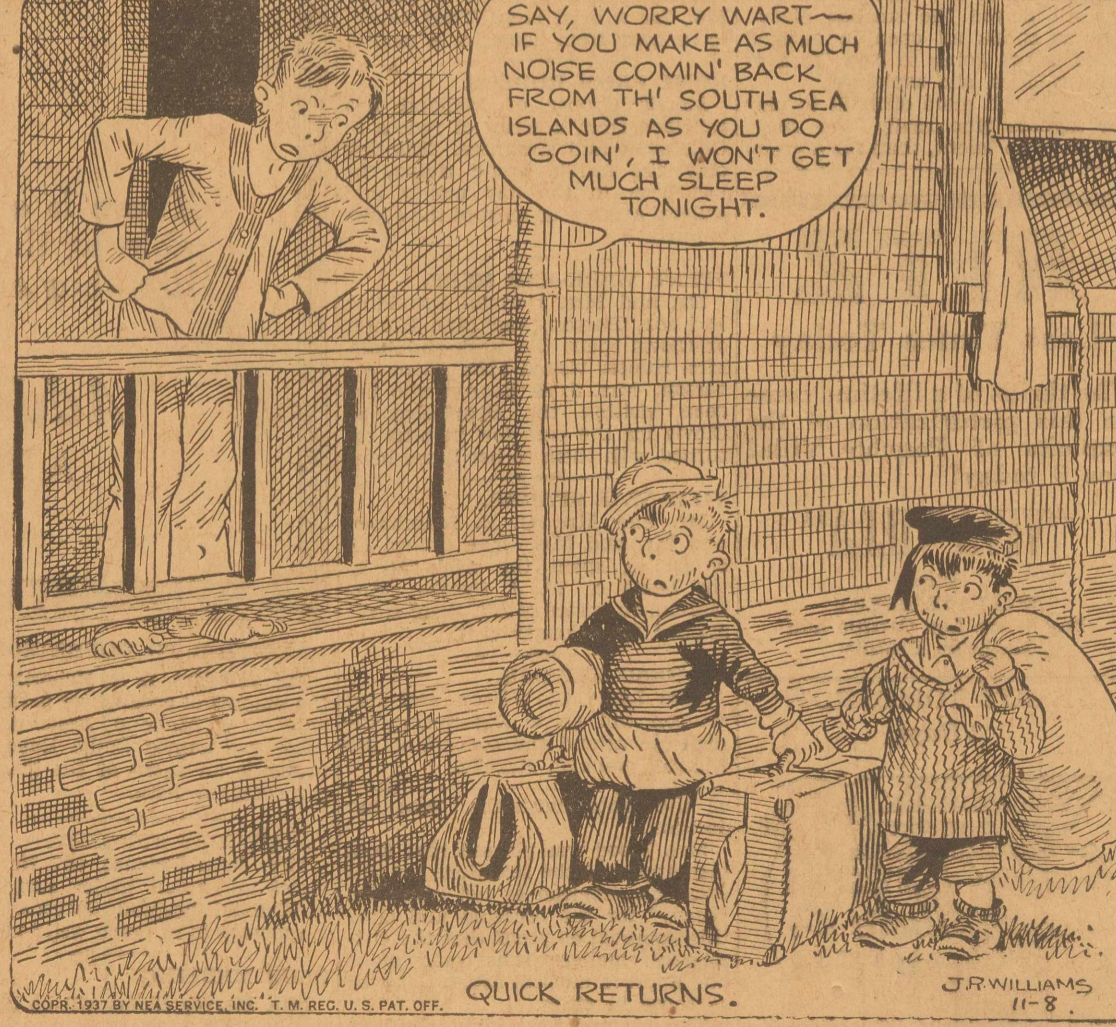
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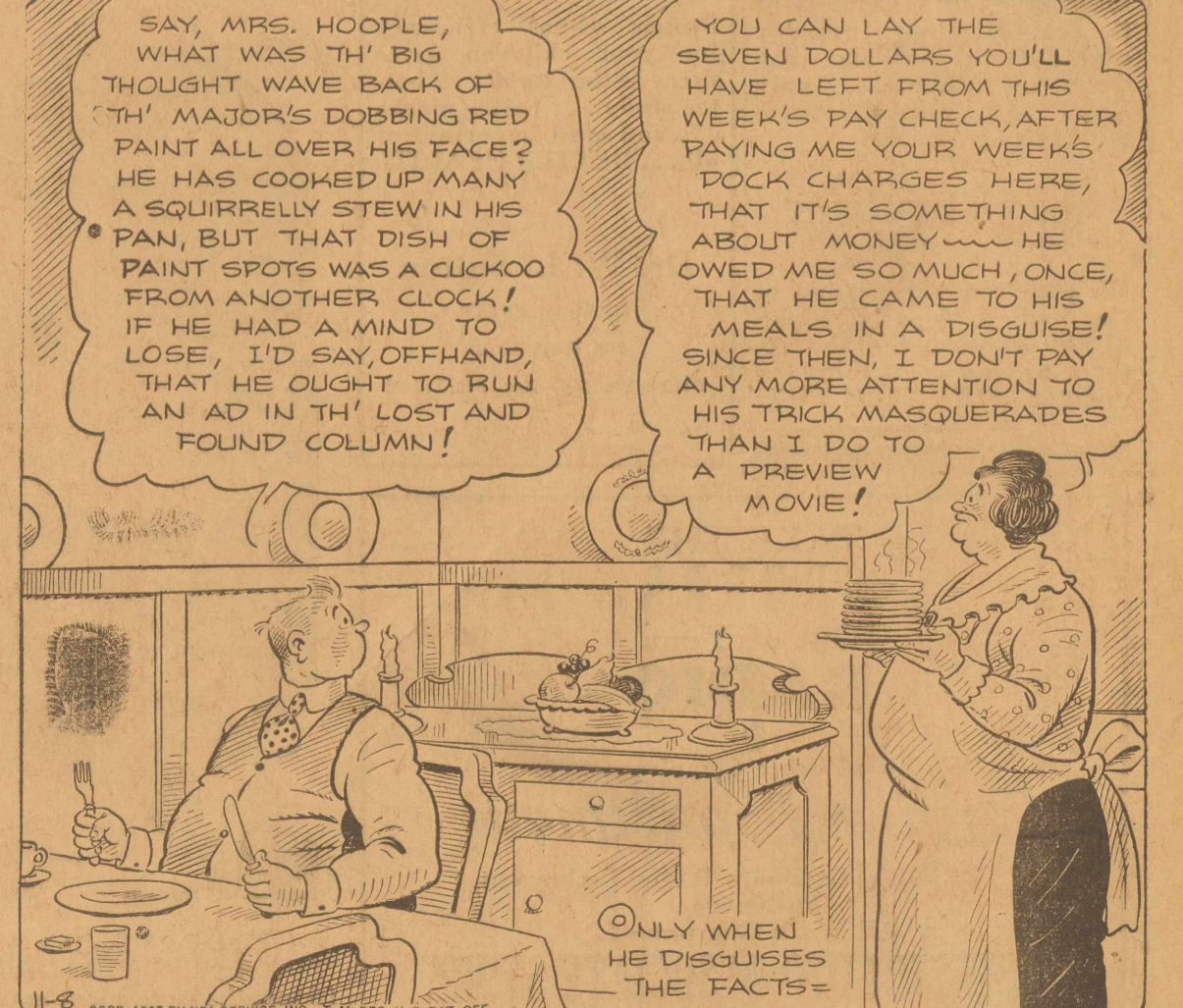
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