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The Memory of War Gives the World Pause

What was it, in the long run, that prevented Europe's leaders from opening the sluice-gates of slaughter and turning millions of the brightest and best of its youth into dead men?

Was it Chamberlain's dramatic play for time, which gave reason a chance to exert itself? Was it the extraordinary patience and restraint of the Czechs? Was it the dawning realization of Hitler that a long World War on the scale of 1918 would drag him down in general ruin? Was it President Roosevelt's calm appeal?

All of these things were factors, of course. But the biggest factor was a great ground-swell of murmuring from the people of all the world that they did not want and would not have war.

Let no man suppose that because there were no street-corner meetings in Germany and Italy, peace sentiment had no effect in those countries.

Hitler knows, and Mussolini knows, that after the first flush of excitement for a war come the casualty lists. And after the first 50,000 come the second 50,000, the stream of telegrams telling families that Eric or Antonio isn't coming home any more.

Mussolini knows that there was far less enthusiasm for the casualty lists from Ethiopia and Spain than there was for the embarkations. Hitler may remember, himself.

Britain has a large and vocal pacifist sentiment. Britain will fight, but only for a situation that unquestionably and directly threatens Britain.

France can scarcely afford any more lavish gestures than a determination to fight under similar conditions.

The crisis passes, the world draws a deep breath. The question of whether strict justice has been done to Czechoslovakia merges into the question of how strict justice was done when her border lines were drawn in 1918.

The Spanish war, it is rumored, may be liquidated soon. They are tired of the killing theme, and there is a rumor that in Japan they are tired too, tired of that endless stream of little black lacquer boxes that pours in from China with the ashes of Japan's best youth.

How much of the world's woe today is due to the fact that between 1914 and 1918 we killed off eight and a half millions of the best, strongest, most talented of the world's young men?

As the World War was largely fought in vain, so this crisis, only less terrible than war itself, will have been in vain if the people of the world do not insist more and more strongly: "This is not good enough! We insist on leadership in the world that is wise enough, and strong enough, and sane enough to see that this does not happen again!"

Zoologists exploring Tasmania have found an insect with a hollow leg. More than one woman right here in this country suspects she married one.

CHINESE FOOD GRASS

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pictured cereal grass.
- 5 It is grown on low land, easily.
- 15 Clay huts.
- 14 To entice.
- 15 Metallic rock.
- 16 Voluble.
- 17 To scrutinize.
- 19 Prickle.
- 21 Ell.
- 22 King of beasts.
- 23 Pillar of stone.
- 24 Senior.
- 25 Elevator.
- 26 Metrical composition.
- 27 Toward.
- 29 To diversify.
- 30 Sour in aspect.
- 31 Evergreen tree.
- 32 Amphitheater center.
- 34 South African farmer.
- 35 Paths of

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 9 Piece of correspondence.
- 10 Sheep's coat.
- 11 Eccentric.
- 12 Beasts' home.
- 18 Folding bed.
- 20 Skirt's edge.
- 22 Italian coin.
- 23 Acid.
- 24 It is very rich in.
- 25 Farm.
- 26 Bard.
- 28 It is a staple diet in the
- 29 Blood feud.
- 30 Bride's property.
- 31 Haze.
- 33 Stream.
- 34 The soul.
- 35 Gibbon.
- 37 Face cover.
- 38 Small twig.
- 40 Tiny.
- 42 Eagle's nest.
- 44 To jump.
- 45 Thin.
- 46 To plant.
- 48 Three.
- 49 Postscript.
- 51 Northwest.

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Written Leases On Eight Farms Signed By FSA Landlords

Written leases on eight farms in Eastland county have been signed this fall by landlords who are renting to Farm Security Administration borrowers, George I. Lane, county rural supervisor, said Saturday. Four of these contracts were on the flexible farm lease form preferred by FSA officials. "This lease does not necessitate any change in the customary rental arrangements," he commented, "but it does make possible a variety of agreements for improvements on the place, for specialized crops on which customary arrangements have not yet been established, and for continuing the contract over a period of years if it is agreeable to both parties. Storage space for food and feed is an example of what may be provided for under this lease."

Alameda Club Has Elected Officers

The Alameda Home Demonstration club met recently in the home of Mrs. R. R. Browning in an all-day meeting. Some of the members quitted and some embroidered until the noon hour, when a covered dish luncheon was served to two visitors, Mmes. Monroe Ainsworth and L. C. Love, and the following members: Mmes. Cain Lee, B. E. Thomas, Harvil King, Joe Blackwell, John Love, Richard Tucker, G. O. Smith, Obie Elrod; Miss Maydelle Thomas and the hostess, Mrs. Browning. The business meeting was held in the afternoon. Election of officers for another year was held. Mrs. John Love was elected president; Mrs. Harvil King, vice president. The members will please take notice of the change of date of this meeting.

What's Left When a Locomotive Blows Up



Three men were killed, the boiler was hurled 300 feet, rails were torn up and a great hole dug in road bed when a railroad locomotive exploded between Elgin and Alton, Ill. The above picture shows the tangled and broken metal that was left when the locomotive of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific railroad let go with a roar. A fireman, an engineer and a brakeman were in the wreckage.

Bible Appears In A Novel Version

LONDON.—Publication of a new translation of the New Testament in the form of a half-crown novel is expected to cause a sensation in religious circles. Printed in modern type with a two-color dust-jacket and colored binding, the translation has just been placed on sale. The publishers are the United Society for Christian Literature. But the appearance of the book, unusual though it may be, will not cause half so much controversy as the wording of the translation. The Rev. R. Mercer Wilson, general secretary of the Religious Tract Society, who is the translator, has made many striking changes in the text, and some of his interpretations. To get what he declares to be the true meaning of many passages, he has reverted to early Greek manuscripts and Tyndale's Bible. Wilson, who has been working 14 hours a day for a year on his new version, explained some of the changes and brief omissions he has made. "For instance, the passage in St. Luke XVIII, 'It is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye than for a rich man to enter into the Kingdom of God,' becomes in our modern version, 'It is easier for a rope to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of God.' 'The Aramic word for 'camel' is the same as for 'rope', and this translation makes the passage intelligible without altering the sense." Wilson also explained by his translation what he considers is meant by the phrase "publicans and sinners."

Beware Cough from common cold That Hangs Around

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New Hope and Bass Lake Clubs Meet

The New Hope and Bass Lake Home Demonstration clubs met in the home of Mrs. C. L. Rogers on Thursday, Oct. 13. "Add salad to menus for variety and food value," said Ruth Ramey, county home demonstration agent. "A damp cloth around cabbage and lettuce will keep it crisp if you do not have an ice box." "A good salad is to take one

For Speedy Relief from Pains of NEURALGIA GET GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN

Tennis Beauty Leaves for Home



It was pretty much an international affair when English tennis star Kay Stammers, above, wearing a chic Scotch bonnet, left America's shores for home on the French liner Normandie. Miss Stammers had just completed extensive tournament play in the United States.

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SERIAL STORY
MURDER TO MUSIC BY NARD JONES

CAST OF CHARACTERS
MYRNA DOMBEY—heroine, victim of the sensational swing band leader.
ROBERT TAIT—hero, newspaper photographer—detective.
ANN LESTER—Myrna's closest friend.
DANNIE FEELEY—one of the gang, assigned to investigate Ludden Dombey's murder.

Yesterday Myrna and Bob were to be discharged. Rogers from membership of the band in order to stop the record.

CHAPTER XII
WITH Myrna's check and the note to Rogers, Tait immediately sought the manager of The Swingers. As Myrna had indicated, it was going to be an unpleasant business—yet Tait found himself looking forward to it with a certain relish.

He announced himself through the lobby telephone in Rogers' apartment building and was told to come to the room. There Harris Rogers met him with a wide smile and ushered him inside. "Well, Tait, I suppose you've come to tell me that you've been thinking over what I said."

"I have been thinking it over," Tait admitted.

"And you're going to take my advice, I hope?"

Tait shook his head. "I'm afraid not, Rogers." He reached into his pocket and brought out Myrna's note. Rogers colored when he saw the check, and he did not really need the note to tell him what had happened.

"We may as well get it over with, quickly," Tait said. "I can take the records with me."

Rogers' face grew livid. "You can't do this, Tait."

"I'm not doing it, Mrs. Dombey is doing it, and I'm simply carrying out her orders."

"But you were the one who suggested it to her," Rogers said.

Tait shrugged. "I won't deny that."

HARRIS ROGERS took a step forward. He was beside himself with rage. "You're being a fool. If you know what's good for you, Tait, you'll get out of here right now. Without me as a manager, the band hasn't got a chance—and if Myrna insists on going through with this I'll blow things higher than a kite by telling what I know about Lud Dombey."

ALAMEDA

Mr. Obie Elrod and family have moved to Ranger to be near his work.

Mr. Ernest Calvert went to Fort Worth this week with a load of cattle for the market.

Mr. Luther Shelton of Ranger is hauling the farmer's peanuts to market for them.

Mr. Leroy Rogers and family have gone to Coryell county to visit Mrs. Rogers' brother, Troy Melton. Troy was raised at Cheaney, but wandered off and we sure do miss him in our community.

Mr. Joe McNeely and wife of Kokomo, visited their sister, Mrs. B. E. Thomas and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crafton, mother, father and son, Mr. Joe Blackwell, wife and daughter, Mrs. King and son, Misses Martha and Allie May Howard and some other girls I did not know, myself and wife sure did enjoy a birthday dinner last Sunday in honor of Miss Other Thomas. All wish her many more happy birthdays. Mr.

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll

THEN EVERYTHING'S ARRANGED, LIEUTENANT, PLEASE BE SURE YOUR SUPPORTING SQUADRON FLIES HIGH AND OUT OF SIGHT TILL WE NEED YOU.

EQUIPPED WITH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT PART OF THE SPIDERS' HIDE-OUT IS REALLY IN U.S. TERRITORY, JACK AND WHITEY PREPARE FOR A BOLD ATTACK...

OHAY, AND GOOD LUCK!

YE-OW! IS THIS BABY A REACH?

YEAH--BUT DON'T FORGET YOUR REAL WORK IS TO BE DONE ON THE FOOT!

THAT'S VER' NICE! I SHALL HATE TO SEND LOVIE BACK TO HER STUDIO!

BUT WITH LITTLE MYRA HERE IS DIFFERENT--SHE'S NOT WORTH MUCH CASH TO ANYONE, NO?

HUH?!

MEANWHILE, MYRA AND LOVIE LAVERE ARE PUTTING ON A GAY ACT FOR THE SPIDER AND BENSON AT THE VILLA.

"OUT OUR WAY" By Williams

I'LL TELL YEW WHY I CAMPED HEAH, EF YORE TOO DUMB TO SEE-- BECAUSE IT'S CLOSE TO WATER... I HAIN'T PACKIN' WATER A-MILE FER NO COWPLUNCHER A-LIVIN'!

HE'S GOT ALL TH' ROCKS TO PROP TH' COOK OUTFIT-- IT'S HARD TO FIND ONE FER TO PROP UP HIS UP.

THIS WON'T WORK--ER, I MEAN I CAN'T.

I FOUND ONE FER ME AN' ONE FER AN' ONE FER-- THEY'LL HOLD UP MY BED TONIGHT.

HEROES ARE MADE NOT BORN

Quiz Men Friends of Murdered Girl

Freckles has been "benched" indefinitely for breaking training rules.

I GUESS I WON'T EVEN PLAY OFFEN ENOUGH THIS YEAR TO EARN A LETTER, MOM, AND---

THERE GOES THE FRONT DOORBELL!

PACKAGE FOR FRECKLES M&G GOOSEY! SIGN HERE, PLEASE!

WHY IT'S FROM DUDLEY WANGLE!

A PILLOW! WELL, DOGGONE THAT GUY! I'D LIKE TO---

THERE'S WRITING EMBROIDERED ON IT! WHAT DOES IT SAY?

WHEN A FOOTBALL PLAYER HAS TO SIT ON THE BENCH, THAT'S WHERE THE RUB COMES!

Women Are Called The Best Cheaters By Bridge Keeper

By United Press
ST. LOUIS.—Women are better cheaters than men.

Take the word of James E. Fisher for that. He ought to know, for after 45 years of toil collecting on the busy Eads bridge across the Mississippi River, he's "learned all the tricks by this time."

Fisher, who is 66 and has just retired—regrettably—suspects that "if all the phony coins that have been handed me, were laid end to end they would reach clear across St. Louis."

Fisher can detect a false move by men motorists, he says, for they usually have a guilty gleam in their eye. But he has to be more alert with women.

"They have a tricky little habit of wrapping the coin for an extra fare in their pink toll ticket. After they've gone and I've opened that paper, I'm just as likely to find a piece of chewing gum or a rock."

It was difficult for Fisher to detect a position which enabled him to enjoy two types of travel which always have interested him.

"I watched the automobiles roll by the steamboats below. There was a candy factory nearby and the smell of fresh licorice was always in the air. The sun was in my face, when there wasn't too much soot, and altogether I had a pretty good time. I sort of hate to see it end."

ALLEY OOP -- By Hamlin

WHEW! I THOUGHT WE WERE DONE FOR--AND WE WOULD'VE BEEN IF IT HADN'T BEEN FOR YOUR LITTLE KAKKY!

AND YOU SAID HE WOULDN'T FIGHT FOR ME LIKE DINNY DOES FOR YOU.

YEH--AND I SAID HE WAS DUMB, TOO--AND NOW HE'S OUT THERE GIVIN' HIS LIFE TO SAVE OURS--BUT I WON'T LET HIM DOWN! NO SIR!!

I'M GOING OUT THERE AN' SAVE KAKKY FROM THAT KILLER!

NO, OOP! AS KAKKY'S MASTER, THAT'S UP TO ME! I'LL SAVE HIM!

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KAKKY!

By HARRY GRAYSON

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 Sports Editor, NEA Service

CLEVELAND.—Arthur Lewis, a West Virginia farm boy, is the talk of professional football.

Lewis, in his first assignment as head coach, assumed command of the demoralized Cleveland Rams of the National League and on successive Sundays trimmed two of the greater and unbeaten powers of that high-powered organization, the Detroit Lions and Chicago Bears... the best that money can buy.

"I loosened up our offense a bit," explains Art Lewis, simply. "I tucked the backs back a yard and a half, so the interference could get in front of the play."

This is only Lewis' third fall out of Ohio University, where he helped Don Feden to an undefeated campaign in 1935, which included a victory over Illinois. He served with the New York Giants in 1936, coached the Ohio Wesleyan line last season, and came to the Rams as a playing assistant to the veteran Hugo Bezdek this autumn.

He took charge of the Rams when the wolves and fox birds gored Bezdek after the club suffered its third consecutive defeat of the season... making it 13 reverses in 14 league starts since the outfit entered the loop a year ago.

LEWIS does not profess to know all there is to know about the game and coaching it.

The country boy who outkicked the big time slickers... the great clutch Clark of the Lions and the ameb George Halas of the Bears... next spring plans to study first the tactics of several coaches he admires and attend coaching schools next summer.

Lewis contends that there is as much difference between college and professional football as there is in the jump from high school to college.

He points out that money teams pass more than college combinations other than those of the south-west.

Lewis wisely chooses to perfect a few plays rather than monkey with a lot of them.

Lewis believes that he could do a better job of coaching from the bench, but admits that it's an advantage to be in the thick of things yourself when the going is toughest. He halted the Bears' final drive by recovering Ray Buivid's fumble.

At 26, Lewis, who stands 6 feet 2 1/2 inches and weighs 220 pounds, is the youngest coach in professional football coaching the youngest money team in the dodge.

Lewis was raised near the little town of Middleport, W. Va., which is situated below Parkersburg, on the Ohio River. He matriculated at Ohio University at Athens, 40 miles away, because his high school coach and most of his buddies went there.

Because he plays only one way to win... he hasn't given up the idea of putting the Rams in the National League playoff.

His ambition at the moment is to beat Steve Owen and his former New York Giant teammates at the Polo Grounds, Nov. 13.

"I'd like to hang one on old Steve," he beams.

Art Lewis, the farm boy who simplifies football, is going to hang one on a lot of big shots before he's through.

WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER
 NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Grateful for European peace, the U. S. government nevertheless looks askance at the new continental situation and is determined to keep its powder dry.

The Munich agreement, strengthening the dictator nations and weakening at least the prestige of European democracies, has left misgivings. Private comment from high administration officials is disheartening to those who hoped the four-power conference was a forerunner of permanent peace.

Naval-military preparedness will be pushed if the present frame of mind continues. Officials will watch carefully to see whether Germany and Italy are willing to stop piling up armaments and direct productive energies into peaceful fields.

Nothing fundamental has happened to remove from the minds of Mr. Roosevelt and Secretary of State Cordell Hull the fear of a world dominated by great war machines which eventually would menace the United States. Although Roosevelt especially is regarded as a "big navy" man, Hull is no less so and naval policy actually is directed from the State Department.

Some of Roosevelt's advisers urged him, before his second message to Hitler, to call for an international conference for revision of the Versailles Treaty in which this nation would at least offer its

"good offices." Realization of the popular preference for isolation was at least one deterrent. But the President still has hankering for a great international conference at which the world might work out a self-help program.

Whatever the merits of Premier Chamberlain's deal with Hitler, the United States is perhaps at least indirectly responsible for it because there might not have been any Chamberlain government when the crisis came if it hadn't been for this government.

When Roosevelt was considering ending the American embargo to Spain last spring, he was dissuaded largely by the assurances of Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy and others that Chamberlain was seeking to break the Rome-Berlin axis and preserve peace. Breaking the embargo, he was told, would ruin the Chamberlain-Mussolini negotiations and cause the Chamberlain government to fall and be succeeded by one which would take a firmer stand against the dictators.

Private advice to the White House and State Department from observers recently returned from Europe indicate Chamberlain's persistent policy of placating Germany was chiefly due to reluctance to ally England with Russia. One man in whom officials repose faith reports that the British Labor Party used to talk so much about "class struggle" that it instilled the Tory ruling class with a much greater fear of Communism than of Fascism.

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Alley Oops Defeat Faircloth Mustangs

The Alley Oops defeated the Faircloth Mustangs by a score of 20 to 0 here in a "Pennut Bowl" football game.

The first half ended with the Oops leading 6 to 0. The Oops' second quarter came in the third quarter, the touchdown was made by a plunge after a continuous march down the field.

The third quarter came in the last quarter, by a pass throw to a hideout. The two extra points were made by passes.

This was the second game between the Oops and Mustangs, the first having ended in a 0-0 tie.

Claude Floyd and James Ferris were referees.

"My Lucky Star" Brings Sonja Henie and Richard Greene In New Triumph

Sonja Henie and Richard Greene shown in a scene from "My Lucky Star" playing today for the last time at the Arcadia theatre. It is a \$240,000.00 Movie Quiz contest picture.

Society

Bridal Shower
Honors Mrs. W. E. Cox
Mrs. W. E. Cox was honored with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. W. O. Cox, 207 Gard street, by Mrs. W. T. Hagar and Mrs. R. D. Mace, Tuesday, Oct. 11. Games were played, then the gifts were presented to the bride by the hostess. The gifts were opened and passed around for everyone to see.
Sandwiches, cookies and iced tea were served to the following: Mmes. Nettie Mace, J. W. Burch, John Usery, May Dell Mace, L. J. Burnett, Leroy Thomas, Mattie Brown, J. T. Cawley, Mellinger Jacoby, Gid Faircloth, M. Wilson, F. E. Crabb, W. O. Cox, Miss Lu-

elle Brown, the hostess, and the honoree.
Those sending gifts but not present were Mmes. Pink Stafford, Pearl Young, Tom Fox, Lucille Wallace, Pearl Russell, J. W. Weaver, J. D. Weaver, George Murphy, Opal Burnett, Bertha Pace, H. Brashears, L. G. Powell, T. E. Pope, Eastland; Lena Patterson, Loven Burnett, and Misses Imogene Powell, Delma Burch and Frances Usery.
Son of Former Ranger Residents Weds
Mr. Harold Randolph and Miss Lucile Scott were married Wednesday, Oct. 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reimund, Sinclair camp, Wink, Texas.
Mr. Randolph is a graduate of Ranger high school and the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Randolph, formerly of Ranger.
The bride is from Illinois. They were childhood sweethearts.
The ring ceremony was read by Rev. J. L. Rhoden of Wink. The


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only attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Reimund.
Mrs. Randolph wore a gray suit with navy accessories.
After a honeymoon in Old Mexico and points in New Mexico, they will be at home at Gal, New Mexico, where Mr. Randolph is a district foreman for Sinclair-Prairie Oil company.

Board Meeting of First District of Texas Congress of P.-T.s. To Be Held Tuesday
The first district of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will hold its annual fall board meeting Tuesday, Oct. 18, at the First Methodist church of Ranger, at 9:30 a. m.
The board is composed of the elected officers, chairmen of the standing committees and city and county presidents. This district is composed of 17 counties and there will be representatives at the meeting from each.
At 12:15 p. m., there will be a luncheon complimenting the board of managers at the home of Mrs. Edwin George, T-P camp. The hostesses for the luncheon will be Mrs. E. T. Eubank, Mrs. Carl Heinlin, Mrs. Ross Staton, Mrs. Lottie Herring, Mrs. C. E. Madlocks, Mrs. E. R. Green and Mrs. F. E. Jacobs, district president.

Cooper P.-T. A. to Meet Tuesday Afternoon
Cooper P.-T. A. will meet Tuesday afternoon, at which time there will be a short program and a speaker.
An important business meeting will be held after the program and lecture. The membership is urged to be present, and the public is invited.

Boys and Girls of Intermediate B. T. U. Return from Dallas Saturday Night
There were 60 boys and girls of the intermediate B. T. U. of the First Baptist church that went to Dallas Saturday and presented a program over KRLD radio station. After sight-seeing over Dallas, they returned home at 10:30 p. m.

Officers and Sponsors of B. T. U. to Meet Tuesday Night
Tuesday night, officers and sponsors of the B. T. U. of the First Baptist church will meet at 7:30, at the church.
Deacons of First Baptist Church Meet Tonight
The board of deacons of the First Baptist church will meet tonight at 7:30 at the church.

Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge Attend Meet at Baird
A group of members of Ranger Rebekah lodge No. 244 motored to Baird Saturday afternoon for a

called meeting which was held at 2:30.
The president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, Miss Jennie Bain, was a special visitor, who made a talk on Rebekah Odd Fellowship which was enjoyed by those present. The Baird members demonstrated the seating of the officers and bringing in the flag, and in appreciation of Miss Bain's visit presented her with a pair of beautiful silhouettes.
At the close of the meeting, punch and cookies were served to all present. At four o'clock the Ranger members and Miss Bain went on to Abilene, where a meeting was called for 8 o'clock. After talks by Miss Bain and other members the meeting was adjourned and refreshments of ice cream, angel food cake and lemonade were served. Miss Bain was presented a lovely gift by Abilene members.
Those from Ranger who were present at both meetings were Mmes. Lillie Wilson, Eula Blackwell, Ruby Greer and Anna Mae Robinson.

Rebekah Lodge Has Meeting Tuesday Evening
Members of Ranger Rebekah lodge No. 244 met at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday evening with the noble grand in charge. The hall was prettily decorated with late garden flowers.
The regular routine of business was taken care of and plans made for a called meeting, which was held at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday at 2:30 in honor of the president of the Rebekah Assembly of Texas, Miss Jennie Bain.
A group of members from Gorman were present and everyone enjoyed Miss Bain's talk on Rebekah Odd Fellowship. At the close of the meeting refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were passed to about 25 present. The members honored Miss Bain's visit with a useful gift, which she greatly appreciated.
On Thursday, Mrs. Lena McDonough was hostess to the members at her home, Elm street, with an all-day covered dish luncheon.
Those present were: Miss Jennie Bain of Dallas and Mmes. Eula Blackwell, Lillie Wilson, Bessie Harris, Kate Marrs, Ruby Greer, Avanel Burke, Mollie Patterson, Laura Melton, May Eyley, Nona Weeks, Anna Mae Robinson and Effie Clemmer and daughter, Arretta. The afternoon was spent in needlework and conversation. Vases of flowers were used as decorations. Luncheon was served on quartet tables.

Just a Bit Personal
Mr. and Mrs. Julian Brazelton of New York City, accompanied by Mrs. G. G. Brazelton of Tyler, are visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Burns, 714 Young street. Mr. Brazelton, a brother of Mrs. Burns, is a well-known artist in New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roper and daughter, of California, formerly of Ranger, are visiting in the home of Mrs. Roper's aunt, Mrs. Dora Cox. Mr. Roper is a Baptist preacher in California.

Mrs. Tom Watt was quite ill at her home on Walnut street Sunday night, but is feeling much better today.

Miss Jennie Bain of Dallas, Texas, state president of Rebekahs Lodge, who has been in Ranger, Eastland and Cisco the past week transacting business with the lodge, spent several days with her cousin, Mrs. Bob Hansford and has left for Abilene, Monahans and El Paso in the interest of the lodge.

Mrs. R. A. Disney of Monahans will be at her home in Ranger for a few weeks.

Bob Hansford, who is working in Brownwood, visited his home this week-end.

Miss Nell Sheppard, who teaches in Young school, spent the week-end with her parents and friends in Ballinger.

L. R. Pearson, C. B. Pruet, W. F. Creager and E. T. Eubank, Ranger Rotarians, visited the Rotary club in Eastland today, making up their regular attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jensen went to Oklahoma, Sunday, to visit her mother, Mrs. H. F. Grossman, and returned today.

Mrs. Saunders Gregg left Sunday for Waco to visit her sister, Mrs. Cherry Kelly.

Miss Anita Crawley, who teaches school in Desdemona, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawley, Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan of Dallas were week-end visitors at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. E. Matthews, 224 Hunt street. Mrs. Matthews accompanied her husband to Oklahoma today where he made a business trip.

Homer Schrimsher of Abilene, special agent for the Commercial Standard Insurance company, was a business visitor in Ranger today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burch of the Gholson hotel, motored to Abilene, Hamlin and Stamford, Sunday. At Hamlin they visited the Hasen department store and stopped in Stamford for lunch at the Stamford hotel.

Ross Hodges visited in Mingus and in the Flatwood community, Sunday.

Frank Walker, 117 Mesquite, has returned from a three weeks business trip to Hot Springs, and other points in New Mexico.

Bryan Roach, brother of Mrs. Bob Disney, is in the Baylor hospital in Dallas, seriously ill.

Credit for Improved Business Condition Attributed to Ward

Upswing in business conditions during the past few months may be largely attributed to Montgomery Ward and other leading companies, according to G. L. Drake, manager of the Ward store here, who announced the opening of his semi-annual Ward Week sale today.
"Last summer, Montgomery Ward planned ahead and placed tremendous orders for all types of merchandise," Drake said. "At that time many factories were operating only part time. Wards huge orders set hundreds of factories humming, and saved jobs for thousands of men and women. Because these men and women were thus able to spend more freely, sales were stimulated in their communities. The circle of buying spread wider and wider, improving general business conditions."
Mr. Drake explained that many of the orders that his company placed last summer were for the Ward Week sale, which begins today in Montgomery Ward stores all over the country.
"By buying during dull times," Mr. Drake said, "Wards were able to secure bottom prices from the mills and manufacturers. By planning ahead, we were able to arrange carload shipments — thus cutting costs even further. All these savings are passed on to our customers during Ward Week."
Ward Week merchandise has been pouring into the store during the last few days; and, believe me, we're all plenty excited about it.

GRANTS DIVORCE
Divorce was granted Monday by 88th district court to Julia Lindner from Jesse Lindsey. Custody of five children was granted to the plaintiff.

Comes a flash that Florida has produced two million pounds of tung oil in the last year. If that's an item about the Chambers of Commerce the spelling's not very good.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mills of Gatesville, Texas, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Webb of the Joseph apartments. Mrs. Mills is Mr. Webb's sister.

Mrs. Owen Bray of Fort Stockton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cook, Caddo road. Mr. Bray's mother, Mrs. T. O. Bray, Odie street and other relatives in Ranger.

Mrs. Bob Norman, who is now living in Desdemona, was a visitor in Ranger Sunday night.

Mrs. Mae Healer, visited her son, Leo, who is attending the University of Texas in Austin, over the week-end.

Football Tickets Are Placed On Sale

H. C. Wilkinson, school tax assessor-collector, announced today that tickets for the Ranger-Breckenridge game to be played here Friday night, had been placed on sale at all drug stores in Ranger.
All who intend to go to the game have been urged to purchase their tickets early, in order to avoid any rush at the ticket windows at Bulldog Stadium.

Farm Oil Incomes Reach 200 Million

By United Press
WASHINGTON.—Oil is not a "crop" but it represents a \$200,000,000 annual source of income to American farmers.
Under the common law, farmers are owners of all minerals found beneath their lands. Instead of developing oil lands themselves, farmers generally have been content to receive rentals and royalties representing one-eighth of the value of production, the American Petroleum Institute reports.
In many states these payments vastly exceed federal government aid. Oil rentals and royalties in California for 1937 were worth \$28,203,000 as compared with AAA checks totaling \$6,082,000. In Texas, constituting about one-twelfth the land area of the United States, "oil money" totaled \$105,000,000 compared with government farm payments of \$38,226,000.

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