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BACCALAUREATE SERMON WILL BE TONIGHT

Colorado Man, Murder Suspect, is Arrested in Eastland

HAD ELUDED CAPTURE IN CASE 2 YEARS

Waives Extradition and Taken Saturday to Face Complaint.

Loren Hanby, 25, short-time Eastland resident, wanted by Colorado authorities for two years in connection with a charge of murder, was arrested Friday afternoon while fishing at a lake near Eastland.

Undersheriff Swift of Walsenburg, Colo., left Saturday morning to return Hanby to face the charge. Swift said Hanby is charged with murdering a filling station attendant at Walsenburg in an attempted robbery in 1937 which netted nothing.

City officer Ed Sparr made the arrest.

Case Like Another
Arrest of Hanby Friday afternoon at Eastland brought to mind officials today the fact that another man, wanted on a murder charge in another state, when arrested last year near Eastland also was fishing.

Though all was coincidental, the conclusion was drawn by observers that a man may be found at the locale of his leisure interest.

Sheriff Loss Woods stated that Hanby, who had been going by the name of Shaw, yet receiving mail from Colorado which was addressed in his believed truthful name, waived extradition.

Undersheriff Shaw arrived Friday afternoon in Eastland when Hanby recognized him immediately as the person whom he sought.

Hanby denied the charge.

Investigation by Sheriff Woods and city officers disclosed that Hanby, his wife and a sister had been living for two weeks at an expensive hotel in Eastland.

Hanby, as far as was known, was unemployed. They came to Eastland from San Antonio, officers stated.

Correspondence of Hanby, his wife and sister with Colorado residents was said to have led to the apprehension.

The Colorado officer said that Hanby was charged with shooting the service station operator at Walsenburg after he became nervous during the attempted slaying. He also declared that the suspect wanted in the murder case fled as soon as the shot was fired which resulted in the death.

The sheriff's office and city police department cooperated in the investigation.

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Champions in Courage



Three years ago Jessie Simpson of Hackensack, N. J., was "Miss New Jersey," a beauty queen. A railroad accident took both her legs, and since then, she has won fame for her courageous fight against the handicap. Fate dealt a similar hand to Monte Stratton, Chicago White Sox pitcher. He lost a leg in a hunting accident, but is carrying on as coach of the team. These two are pictured at a New York hotel, where, meeting for the first time, they found each other's courage had inspired the other.

MEDALS GIVEN FOR EASTLAND HONOR PUPILS

Medals for outstanding students were presented Friday night at exercises in the high school auditorium at Eastland.

The awards were given by the Rotary, Lions and Lac Lesales to the "best all around students" in each school.

Those receiving the "best all around" awards were as follows: Emily Jean Grissom, South ward; Billy Brasher, West ward; Edith Mae Allison, Junior High, and Austin Furse and Julia Parker, high school, both an outstanding boy and girl are honored.

P. B. Bittle, superintendent, presented the awards.

Medals also were given in the high school for students in each class who had made the best grades for the past nine months. These were: Helen Lucille Lucas, freshman, 92.7 average; Virgil Seaberry, Jr., sophomore, 96.3; Winifred Pitzer, junior, 96.8, and C. W. Dennis, senior, 97.2.

Senior diplomas were awarded by K. B. Tanner, school board chairman.

Those getting perfect attendance and non-tardy certificates in the high school were the following:

Pete Andrews, Marlin Cagle, Horace Gibson, Helen Lucas, Ruby O'Neill, Gene Petros, Pauline Scott, Sidney Scott, Elouise Sherrill, E. M. Threat, Robert Wynn, Kimble Young, Virgil Seaberry.

SPECIAL COURT TO REORGANIZE THE RAILWAYS

By United Press

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The senate today approved and sent to the house a bill creating a five-man special court to handle railroad reorganizations in line with President Roosevelt's rail rehabilitation program.

The court, whose members would be appointed for life by the president, would have jurisdiction over reorganizations both under Section 77 of the bankruptcy law and under equity receiverships.

Approval came after Senators William Borah, republican, Idaho; Bennett Champ Clark, democrat, Missouri; Pat McCarran, democrat, Nevada, and George Norris, independent, Nebraska, expressed opposition to it on the ground that the United States ought not to create "a special court for special interests."

Proponents of the measure argued that it would insure the soundness of the financial structures that would emerge from reorganizations and would speed up reorganization proceedings to the benefit of the railroads.

Earlier in the week the senate approved another railroad aid bill, redrafting the interstate commerce act and placing water carriers under interstate commerce commission regulations, as well as railroads and other common carriers.

Counsel Withdraws His Resignation

By United Press

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Joseph Kelly said today that he has withdrawn "for the moment" his resignation as special counsel for the securities and exchange commission, in charge of the temporary national economic committee's study of investment banking.

Kelly resigned yesterday after it had been announced that hearings of investment banking would be postponed indefinitely.

"I withdrew my resignation at the request of the committee, which assured me hearings would go on in the near future," Kelly said.

School Principal At Ranger Bitten By A Rattlesnake

J. R. (Dutch) Ervin, principal of the Cooper school in Ranger, was given medical treatment at the Ranger Clinic Saturday afternoon for rattlesnake bite on his right thumb.

Reports received at the clinic were that he had some men doing plowing at his place near Ranger and went out to see how they were progressing. As he passed a small clump of Johnson grass he reached down to pull it up and the snake, which was coiled in the grass, struck him on the right thumb.

Doctors, at first, had trouble finding snakebite serum, but some was located by Harry Henry, employe of Lone Star, who sent it to the clinic.

After he had been given the serum doctors stated that he was not in a serious condition.

KING, QUEEN TO GET TASTE OF NEW DISH

By United Press

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The two dogs which President and Mrs. Roosevelt serve to King George and Queen Elizabeth at Hyde Park will be the first that they ever ate under that name, British Ambassador Sir Ronald Lindsay, said today.

"—but under any other name they taste just as good," he added.

Sir Ronald conducted the second press conference of his career today, in preparation for the royal visit here, June 8 and 9.

Sitting on a table in his study, the ambassador was decidedly more at ease than a week ago when he held his first conference in 10 years of Washington service.

Only once, today, was there an awkward moment. That was when a photographer started to take pictures. Sir Ronald held up his hand with a request, "please don't" and the photographer complied.

A reporter asked if he could explain what the king's attitude would be when he lays a wreath at George Washington's tomb.

Sir Ronald must have remembered that an earlier British king, George III, had some trouble with George Washington because he paused a long time and then said, "No, I do not think there is anything I can say about that."

Raymond Pipkin Will Get Degree From Texas A. & M.

By United Press

Raymond Grady Pipkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin of Eastland, will receive his bachelor of arts degree at Texas A. & M. College exercises Friday, June 2, at College Station.

Pipkin took a business administration course, majoring in accounting and minoring in accounting and statistics.

He was a member of the freshman swimming team 1935-36, the glee club, economics club and accounting and statistics society. He was first vice president of the Oil Belt A. & M. club; manager of intra-mural athletics 1938-39, for Battery D coast artillery; member of the Ross Volunteers; Colvelud trophy contestant for the best drilled man in A. & M., and first lieutenant in Battery D, coast artillery.

Pipkin arrived Saturday in Eastland for a week-end visit and will then return to College Station for final events in connection with graduation.

Local Preacher's League To Convene

A meeting of the Methodist Local Preacher's League of the Cisco district has been announced for today at Bethel.

GRADUATES OF LOCAL SCHOOL FOR YEAR '39

The following list of graduates of Ranger High School was compiled by J. Cleo Powell, principal of the school, Friday afternoon, at which time Powell stated that there may be several names added to the list as soon as a few, who have not as yet been able to complete their school work, do so. Those whose names were omitted from the list were expected to complete this work Saturday or Monday.

The list of graduates, as compiled by Powell, follows: Jeannette Adams, Genie Lowe Bartrug, H. L. Baskin, M. L. Baskin, Corvis Beck, Jo Belknap, Mona Vee Brawer, Dorothy Bryberry, James Brown, Herman Bryan, Pauline Bryan, Travis Bryan, Dorothy Byas, Dorothy Campbell, Marise Chastain, Evelyn Childs, Marian Cooper, Dill Cox, Habb Edmonds, Donald Ervin, Hazel Fondren, John Ford, J. A. Goodrum, Lloyd Howton, Kathryn Hinman.

Frances Johnson, Buford Jordan, Yvonne Kribbs, Morris Lovelle, Howard Luckett, Doris May, Dorothy Mathena, Fern Allen Meroney, Velma Miller, Elsie Morgan, Bob Murphy, Emma Leta McCleskey, Margaret McCleskey, Cecelia McDowell, Rozelle Nicholson, Bob Palmer, Helen Patterson, Electra Pearson, Waitell Phillips, Murrel Quinn, Josephine Robinson, Mildred Rogers, Bessie Lu Ortheron, Lois Squyres, Nauwana Stafford, Clifton Stringfellow, Thomas Strong.

Sue Turner, Buford Waggoner, Nona Sue Watson, J. M. White, Jr., Charles Whitefield, Mary E. Williams, Muri Wilson, Betty Jo Woods, Mettama Woods, Laverne Woolley.

A picnic at Lake Worth and a radio program were enjoyed by members of the Ranger National Youth Administration center in Ranger and members of the Variety Club of Fort Worth Friday.

The radio program was at 4 o'clock with T. G. Culver, Ernest Teon Folk, James Porter, John H. McDaniels and Clarence Reese, all of Ranger, taking part. Charles L. Sutton, of Ranger, was music director of the program and the group was accompanied by Charles R. Squires, Ranger supervisor.

At the picnic music was furnished by the Soroptist Club of Fort Worth. Members of the Pilot club also attended. H. A. Ziegler, district supervisor for NYA was sponsor of the picnic and the radio program, assisted by Mrs. Forest Smith.

Ranger NYA Boys On Radio Program Attend A Picnic

By United Press

DETROIT, May 27.—Police clashed in minor skirmishes with pickets at Briggs Stadium today as several thousand United Automobile Workers paraded before the Tigers Baseball Park in a demonstration calling attention to their strike at Briggs Manufacturing Company plants.

At least 200 uniformed police were on duty, attempting to keep the pickets across the street from the stadium. Nine men were arrested.

One picket carrying an American flag, and flanked by two stalwart companions, attempted to advance to the stadium walls. Police seized the flag and a brief fight followed. No one appeared to be injured.

Police Skirmish With Strikers At Detroit Saturday

High School Seniors To Get Diplomas At Exercises On Monday

By United Press

Commencement exercises for the graduating class of Ranger High School will be held in the Recreation Building Monday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock, with Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, as the principal speaker of the evening.

A list of 63 graduates has been made out by J. Cleo Powell, principal of the school, though he said when the list was compiled that several more would likely be listed before the graduation exercises, as there were several who had a small portion of their work to make up and probably could do among the graduates before Monday night. He said that the list would probably be swelled to 65 or 70 when the work was completed.

The program for the commencement exercises at the Recreation Building Monday, has been outlined by the class sponsors, Mrs. O. B. Denney and L. B. Tipton, as follows:

Invocation, Rev. K. C. Edmonds.

Prayer of Youth, Doris May.

Permanent Values of Education, Buford Jordan.

Play Gypsies, Dances Gypsies, Girls Chorus.

Address, Dr. L. A. Woods.

Presentation of Class, J. Cleo Powell.

Awarding of Diplomas and Honors, W. T. Walton.

Recessional, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick.

Officers of the class are: Bob Palmer, president; Dorothy Campbell, vice president; Habb Edmonds, secretary; Cecelia McDowell, treasurer; Doris May, reporter; Mrs. O. B. Denney and L. B. Tipton, sponsors.

Honor graduates include Betty Sue Blanton, Herman Bryan, Dorothy Byas, Dorothy Campbell, Marise Chastain, Marian Cooper, Hazel Fondren, John Ford, Lloyd Howton, Kathryn Hinman, Doris May, Fern Allen Meroney, Velma Miller, Emma Leta McCleskey, Cecelia McDowell, Rozelle Nicholson, Sue Turner, Nona Sue Watson, Mary E. Williams, Betty Jo Woods and Laverne Woolley.

Double Duty



Max Beer takes little Mary Ann Grossinger for a breeze while doing road work at Grossinger Lake, Reensdale, N. Y., where the ex-champion is training for his battle with Lou Nova at Yankee Stadium, June 1.

Attendance Contest Planned At Calvary

By United Press

Beginning this Sunday and continuing for four Sundays, the Calvary Baptist Sunday school will conduct an attendance contest with a three-day trip to Carlsbad Caverns as the prize.

Each person who brings eight people to Sunday school, who have not been attending regularly, will be eligible for the trip. Rev. F. A. Lovell, pastor of the church, has announced. All ages are eligible for the trip.

Trades Days Still Draw Big Crowds

People of Ranger and the Ranger territory are still interested in the weekly trades days, held each Saturday, it is apparent from the crowds that attend each of the events.

Saturday another big crowd was present to participate in the event, as has been the case each Saturday for more than a year. Prior to these trades days crowds in Ranger on Saturdays had dwindled considerably, but after a few of the trades days had been sponsored they began swarming back to town in large numbers.

Time has not dimmed their enthusiasm, it was noted Saturday when large numbers again appeared for the weekly event.

Queen's Condition Is Much Improved

By United Press

LONDON, May 27.—Queen Mary's condition was sufficiently satisfactory today for physicians to announce that no further bulletins would be issued until Monday. She suffered bruises, including an injured eye, and shock when her motor car was struck by a truck recently.

Credit to anyone writing articles for the edition will be given by the Times, when desired.

WEST TEXAS—Sunday fair.

GRADUATES OF TWO SCHOOLS TO BE GUESTS

Services To Be Held At Recreation Building Tonight At 8 o'Clock.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating classes of the Ranger High School and Ranger Junior College will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the Recreation Building, it has been announced by W. T. Walton, superintendent of the Ranger schools and president of Ranger Junior College.

Members of the two graduating classes will be honor guests at the service, as will parents and friends of the graduates of the two schools.

Both schools are graduating large classes, there being more than three score on the list of high school graduates compiled by J. Cleo Powell, principal of the school, and 13 listed as graduates by H. L. Baskin, dean of the junior college.

The program tonight will include the baccalaureate sermon, which will be preached by Rev. Charles Tilden Tally, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, with invocation by Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Ranger, and benediction by Rev. H. B. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church of Ranger.

The complete program for the baccalaureate services will be as follows:

Invocation, Dr. L. B. Gray.

Hymn, "All Hail the Power," Sermon, Rev. Charles T. Tally, Jr.

Benediction, Rev. H. B. Johnson.

Recessional.

The public, and particularly the patrons of the Ranger schools, are cordially invited to attend.

Material For Times' Historical Edition Is Still Solicited

Work is progressing on the 20th anniversary and historical edition of the Times, which is due to be published early in June.

The Times, with the assistance of people both in Eastland and Ranger, has been compiling some interesting data on the town, the county, some of the civic organizations, churches and other phases of life in Ranger in the past, and up to the present.

Any contributions that anyone would like to make, giving the history of this portion of the state will be greatly appreciated.

Although much material has been gathered more is needed and the cooperation of the public will be appreciated. Copy should be sent to the Times as soon as possible in order to assure insertion in the edition, which will go to all parts of the country.

Credit to anyone writing articles for the edition will be given by the Times, when desired.

WEST TEXAS—Sunday fair.

THE WEATHER

By United Press

WEST TEXAS—Sunday fair.

POSTAL JOB TESTS TAKEN AT EASTLAND

Thirteen applicants for appointment to fill the position of postmaster at Eastland assembled Saturday morning in the high school for Civil Service Commission written examination.

Percy Harris, secretary of the Civil Service board at Eastland, was in charge of the examination, held in the west study hall on the second floor of the high school.

Those taking the examination were J. Y. Jordan, P. L. Crowley, Guy Parker, Garner Kinard, J. C. Allison, Mrs. A. C. Simmons, Mrs. May Harrison, Frank Pierce, Frank A. Jones, E. E. Layton, Donald Kinnaird, Walter Gray and R. L. Perkins.

Under the terms of an act of Congress, approved June 25, 1938, the Civil Service Commission will certify the names of the highest three qualified eligibles to the postmaster general who shall submit the name of the one selected to the president for confirmation. Confirmation by the senate is the final action.

Beside the written test, applicants will be rated on their education, business or professional experience, general qualifications and suitability.

The position pays \$2,700 each year.

Ranger Pastor Is On A Leave Of Absence

Dr. L. B. Gray, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Ranger, has been granted a three-month leave of absence from his duties at the church, in order that he might recuperate from a throat ailment.

Dr. Gray stated Saturday that he would remain in Ranger for a time to rest and later might leave the city in order to seek relief from his ailment.

Scouters Of This District To Gather Tuesday At Carbon

Scouters of this city are expected to attend a "pow-wow" for the north district of the Comanche Trail scout area Tuesday night at the Carbon High School auditorium.

The north district includes the following towns: Breckenridge, Ellaville, Caddo, Ranger, Olden, Eastland, Cisco, Woodson, Deudemonia, Carbon and Gorman.

Those on the program include the following: H. M. Conley, Clegg; F. M. Wood, Carbon; J. E. Bunes, Breckenridge; Jack Dwyer, Eastland; Marion Thomas, Ranger; and Marion Smith and Delbert Brown, Breckenridge.

Dedication Of A Veteran's Plot To Be Held In Ranger

Dedication of a plot in Evergreen Cemetery, Ranger, which will honor deceased veterans of all wars who lived in Eastland county, will be conducted at the plot, just inside the cemetery gate, this afternoon at 3:30. It has been announced by officials of the Legion Auxiliary and the Carl Barnes Post.

Veterans from all over this section of the country have been invited to be present.

The plot was secured by the Legion Auxiliary unit and has been improved by them. A flag pole, around which exercises can be held, a tablet to Carl Barnes, who was killed in the World War, and a white cross bearing the name of each deceased veteran of each of the American wars is the ultimate aim of the sponsors. A number of such crosses have already been installed and others will be placed whenever names of the veterans are received.

Invocation—Rev. Charles T. Tally, Jr.

America—Ranger High School Band.

Memorial Address—Rev. G. Alfred Brown.

Patriotic Address—W. T. Walton.

Roll Call of Deceased Veterans.

Star Spangled Banner—Ranger High School Band.

Prayer and Echo.

At the conclusion of the services the Auxiliary will place a poppy wreath on the cross in the Memorial Plot that has been dedicated to Carl Barnes.

Valedictorian Of Ranger High Gets Magazine's Award

J. Clee Powell, principal of Ranger High School, has announced that the Reader's Digest award for scholastic achievement has been won by Cecelia McDowell, valedictorian of the 1933 graduating class of Ranger High School.

She will receive an engraved parchment certificate upon graduation.

The Reader's Digest confers this annual award as encouragement to young men and women throughout the nation who, by their scholastic achievement, give promise of growing into leadership in their communities.

Principals of progressive preparatory and high schools increasingly advocate an interest among students in the most significant articles which appear in current magazines. Their belief is that vital contact with the living, quickening thought of our day is essential to education, both before and after graduation.

RANGER LETS CONTACT ON DERRICK NEON

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce entered into a contract with the Corn Sign Company of Fort Worth Friday night, for outlining the derrick at the foot of Main street in neon lights and placing a sign reading "Ranger" in three foot neon letters on top of the derrick.

Work of building the sign started this morning in Fort Worth and estimates are that the sign will be completely installed within two weeks.

The contract calls for green neon on each of the legs of the derrick, with two green stripes around the top.

A red, V-shaped sign, with the point of the V facing Highway 80, so it can be seen from both approaches to the town, will be placed at the extreme top of the derrick with "Ranger" in letters three feet high.

The entire project calls for 470 feet of neon.

The contract carries a one-year guarantee against defective workmanship and a neon sign insurance policy is to be taken out on the sign when completed, members stated today.

Members of the committee appointed to negotiate the contract were E. E. Garner, Harry Wheelon, A. N. Larson and B. A. Tunell.



Hand raised, Dudley P. Gilbert, New York socialite and reported "financial angel" of alleged anti-Semitic drive, defends himself before Dies committee on an-American activities at Washington. Chairman Dies, accusing Gilbert of starting whispering campaign against President and Mrs. Roosevelt, termed evidence "too vile for publication." Gilbert declared purpose in supporting plot was to thwart "red revolution" in U. S.

GASSER REGISTERED IN CISCO DEEP TERRITORY

An estimated 3,000,000-foot gas well and start of operations on two semi-shallow projects in Eastland county, plus staking of a deep test in Stephens County, gave impetus to oil interest in this section Saturday.

The gas well was reported in the territory northwest of Cisco and was the Lone Star Gas company No. 2 G. P. Mitcham, section 476, SPER survey, which was estimated for approximately 3,000,000 cubic feet of gas at total depth of 3,314 feet. Total time was topped at 3,890 feet. Completion, it was also reported, followed use of 1,000 gallons of acid.

Liquor Agent Is Freed In Slaying Trial at Ballinger

BALLINGER, May 27.—Trial of Bill Strickland, liquor board inspector, on a murder charge in connection with the slaying of Dan Liverman ended suddenly here Friday when District Attorney O'Neal Denny joined the defense in asking an instructed verdict of not guilty.

Denny said he was satisfied, to his own knowledge that bullets fired by Strickland did not kill Liverman, fatally wounded last October 21, and that there was not sufficient evidence available to connect him with any other officer or person in the killing.

Strickland, last person on the stand, had described incidents before Liverman was slain. He testified, as had other witnesses, that he fired only two shots and that neither struck Liverman as the latter ran.

The case of R. H. Gamhell, also charged with murder in connection with the shooting, has been continued until the November term of district court. He also was a liquor board inspector at the time of the shooting.

Collin Gilbreath Injured In Mishap

Condition of Collin Gilbreath, son of J. R. Gilbreath of Eastland, who was injured in a gas explosion near Wink, was reported satisfactory Saturday.

Gilbreath, employed by the Atlantic Refining Company, was removing a joint off a high pressure gas line when the explosion occurred.

Both of his legs were broken, one in two places and the other in three places. He is in a hospital at Odessa. He works from Odessa.

The injured man is a former resident of Ranger and Eastland.

Eastland Boy On T. C. U. Grid List

Billy Jones of Eastland is included in Texas Christian University's 1933 tentative football squad list, a notice received Saturday from Fort Worth disclosed.

Jones will be a candidate for a guard position, weighs 195 pounds and is five feet nine inches in height, is 20 years of age and a sophomore, the notice stated.

He played on the high school team at Eastland formerly.

Area Production Hiked 450 Barrels

The American Petroleum Institute reported Saturday that daily crude oil production in West Central Texas averaged 31,350 barrels for the week ended May 20, an increase of 450 barrels over the preceding week.

For the four weeks ended May 20 daily average was 31,050 barrels as compared to an average of 28,090 barrels for the week ended May 21, 1932.

BEGINNING OF LEAGUE GAMES IS SET MONDAY

Official beginning of the Eastland municipal softball league play is scheduled Monday evening at Fire Department Field, according to announcement Saturday.

Teams in the league are Carbon, Clover Farm, Texas Electric, Lone Star Gas, Modern Dry Cleaners, Gunsight, and T. P. Oil Company.

Practice games Friday night were rained out.

This week's schedule is as follows:

Monday, May 29—Carbon vs. Clover Farm Grocery; Texas Electric vs. Lone Star Gas.

Wednesday, May 31—Modern Dry Cleaners vs. Gunsight; Carbon vs. Texas Electric.

Friday, June 2—Clover Farm vs. Lone Star Gas; Modern Dry Cleaners vs. T. P. Oil Co.

Ships Tied Up By Seamen Strikes At New York Harbor

NEW YORK, May 27.—The 14 ships of the Eastern Steamship Lines and associated companies were being tied up today as the result of a strike called by the International Seafarers' Union, because of its failure to obtain a new working contract calling for higher wages.

The ships ply between Atlantic ports. Holiday excursions between New York and Boston, New York and Norfolk, New York and Bermuda and Boston and Yarmouth were affected.

The old pay schedule ranged from \$55 a month for stewards to \$72.50 for seamen and firemen.

Company officials claimed that their employees had voted three to one against a strike, but that it had been called anyway. The union is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Melon Growers Will Meet At Rising Star

A meeting of the Rising Star Watermelon Growers' Association, which assists farmers in the Rising Star territory to market watermelons, fruits and cantaloupes, has been called for Friday night, June 2.

The meeting will be held in the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce office, according to George Goss, president.

Freshman Numeral Is Awarded Siebert

General Siebert of Eastland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Siebert, has been awarded a freshman track numeral at A. & M. College in College Station, it was announced Saturday.

Ford Declines To Be A Candidate

LANCASTER, Pa., May 27.—Henry Ford is not interested in becoming a candidate for president of the United States, he said in a telegram here today.

The Lancaster League for Better Government, composed of Franklin and Marshall College students had asked for his attitude.

Lone Star Man Is Winner Of Prize

A device for opening of tank car oil outlet valves, conceived by F. H. Townsend, plant superintendent for the Lone Star Gas Company at Gordon, won first prize in its class at the nation-wide gas association of American meeting recently in Tulsa.

In the current Oil and Gas Journal an explanation and picture of the device is printed.

Gorman Resident's Father Is Buried

Funeral services were held this week at Temple for R. T. Whately, father of Mrs. J. L. Glasson of Gorman. He died at his home in Temple.

Survivors are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. A. C. Bostick of Waco, Mrs. R. T. Dowdy of Waco and Mrs. Glasson of Gorman; and three sons, W. A., T. J., and R. J. Whately, all of Houston.

CARRIERS TO MEET

Rural letter carriers of the local postoffice have been advised of a meeting of the 17th and 21st Rural Letter Carrier's Association Tuesday in Coleman.

Sidewalk Project Is Given Approval For Breck Citizens

BRECKENRIDGE, May 27.—Federal approval for a large sidewalk project for Breckenridge was announced this week by City Engineer Davis of this city.

Work will begin on this project as soon as WPA workers have completed projects on which they are presently employed.

Costs of the sidewalks, which approximate 3,000 lineal feet, are to be borne jointly by the government and the city of Breckenridge. The federal quota will approach \$4,700.00 to which the citizens of the town will add \$1,800, or a total of \$6,500.

Included in the plan is the construction of two bridges and a section of gravel road.

Poland Resorts To Drastic Measures In Event Of War

WARSAW, Poland, May 27.—The Polish government today resorted to drastic legislative measures to set up machinery for a military dictatorship to become automatically effective in event of war.

A bill, sponsored by the cabinet, sponsored by Premier Felicjan Slawok-Skladowski and therefore assured of approval next week, was introduced in parliament to give President Ignace Moscicki power to authorize the dictatorship without the consent of parliament by declaring the country to be in a state of war.

Dictatorial powers would be constitutionally conferred on the supreme military commander.

British Protest Japanese Plan To Control Far East

LONDON, May 27.—Foreign office experts today prepared a strong note to Japan underlining the danger to British interests if Japan's threat to force to insure her program against all opposition in China.

The note was said to reject Japan's claim to the right of forcing a naval blockade off China and to rebuff the Japanese claim to control of international settlements in China.

The note was prepared at the British Embassy at Tokyo, reported the Japanese government had assumed responsibility for statement by a foreign office spokesman threatening to force to force to bring about a change of administration in the form of settlements.

DIVORCE GRANTED

Ninety-first district court today granted a divorce to Mrs. Burrows from L. C. Burrows awarded custody of a child to plaintiff.

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Just a Bit Personal . . .

Miss Edna Mae Rogers, who for the past few months has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ludia Greenfield in Dallas, returned to her home this week-end.

200 Present At Jewell Gathering Held Last Sunday

Approximately 200 persons attended a reunion of former residents, their friends and others Sunday at Jewell community, between Carbon and Gorman. Many were former students of the school at Jewell which now no longer operates.

The reunion was the first held in the community but those attending decided to make it an annual affair. The 1940 meeting will be the third Sunday in May. The school at Jewell is still standing. It was built in 1904, it was stated. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mullings of Eastland taught at the school at one time. Other ex-teachers present were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boucher of Gorman and M. C. Moon of Carbon. Among those attending were the following: C. C. Chaney; R. R. Brooks,



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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Canada, Montreal; Alaska, Juneau; Mexico, Mexico City. The late F. W. Peck, of General Electric Co., estimated the power of the average lightning flash at about a thousand billion horsepower.

How to Fly the Flag

"FLAG DAY" will be celebrated on June 14th in more than 1,500 cities throughout the United States by Elks lodges. Joining them in these and in many other cities, will be large numbers of religious, civic and patriotic organizations and citizens. The Elks are the only national patriotic organization which makes the observance of "Flag Day" mandatory on its subordinate branches. In connection with this occasion, and with other days throughout the year when the flag is flown, such as "Decoration Day" and "Independence Day," the simple instructions illustrated above, are given for the use of householders, members of local committees and others charged with flying the flag during local celebrations. Incidentally, the Army and the Navy both fly the flag in the rain, but use special storm flags. To fly the ordinary type of flag is considered disrespectful. In flying the flag, but one rule, generally speaking, obtains: whenever and wherever it is flown, it should be flown in a manner indicating respect for the flag.

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PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were had Friday in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Affirmed
Sig Faircloth vs. L. H. Flewellen, trustee, Eastland.

Affirmed in Part and Reversed and Rendered in Part
Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. vs. C. O. Smith, Stephens.

Dismissed
J. M. Waltrip vs. The State of Texas, Taylor.

J. P. Williams, et al. vs. John H. Arnett, et al. Mitchell.
Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. Southland Life Ins. Co., et al. Hidalgo.

Motions Submitted
Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. Southland Life Ins. Co., et al. motion of plaintiff-in-error to dismiss writ of error.

R. L. Reeves, et al. vs. Betty Jane Tittle, a minor, by next friend, C. R. Tittle, motion for rehearing of appellant, Commercial Standard Ins. Co.

Lee Eaton, et al. vs. R. B. Eaton, appellants' motion to amend brief. Carrie-Ella Tipton et vir, vs. Josephine Tipton, et al. appellants' motion to strike unauthorized documents from transcript.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. vs. C. C. Smith, motion to dismiss appeal in relation to The Independent Eastern Torpedo Co.

Motions Granted
J. P. Williams, et al. vs. John H. Arnett, et al. motion of appellants to dismiss appeal.

Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District vs. Southland Life Insurance Co., et al. motion of plaintiff-in-error to dismiss writ of error.

Motions Overruled
Joe Lee Ferguson, Reitor, et al. vs. J. F. Lindsey, et al. Respondents' motion for extension of time for filing motion for rehearing out of time.

A. M. Ferguson, et al. Relators, vs. Joe Lee Ferguson, et al. Respondents, Relators' motion for permission to file motion for rehearing out of time.

Motion Dismissed
Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. vs. C. O. Smith, motion to dismiss appeal in relation to The Independent Eastern Torpedo Co.

Cases Submitted May 28, 1939
Mrs. Opal Johnson vs. Blanche Bill Brown, et al. vs. Mrs. M. Henderson, et al. Taylor. ex rel. A. H. Cox, et al. Stephens. Cases to be Submitted June 2, 1939.

Frona Ames, et al. vs. W. Ross Hodges, Guardain, et al. Eastland.

D. Wheat, et al. Comanche. Woodson Independent School District vs. The State of Texas, DeLeon, Eastland.



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Where Government and Business Co-Operate

Those who are seeking fields where government and business may co-operate without clashing, with a view to further stimulating the business revival which must come this year, might look a little more closely at the Federal Housing Administration.

For the past few months about 2500 new single-family houses have been begun every week under FHA auspices. But not with government money—with the same private capital which is currently accused of being over-easy.

By April 30, 1939, the FHA had written insurance of almost a billion and a half dollars on small home mortgages, co-operating with 7000 housing institutions, unfreezing their funds, employing men, causing materials to be bought.

Big money? But it is not money. It is credit. A Treasury reserve of \$25,000,000 has been sufficient to cover possible losses, which have been small. In fact, of 357,000 houses with FHA-assured mortgages, only 690 have "bounced back" according to FHA officials.

Result? Perhaps as many as 8,000,000 citizens have in one way or another, by new homes or by repairs and improvements, bettered their living arrangements.

The construction industry, railroads, factories, mines, lumber companies, equipment builders, the housing institutions themselves, have all profited. The building industry leads such recovery as has yet been achieved. Efforts are now being made to increase the scope of FHA at this season before it closes.

So much for housing. But isn't this technique worth looking into? The FHA establishes standards for its work. It guarantees against loss. But private money and private initiative do the actual work.

May not this be a key to the closed books of other fields?

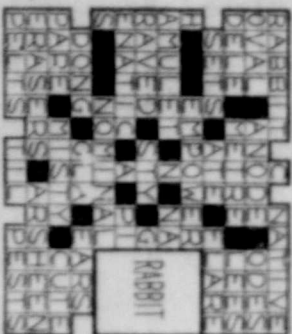
So many of the efforts to stimulate directly certain fields of production have foundered in the red tape and stultism or impractical theories of the best-intentioned administrators.

Here the government stands behind the private producers with a hand on the shoulder, and says, "Go ahead!"—seems to have worked better than getting out in front and saying, "Stand aside! Let me do this!" or shouting the exhortation in the jargon and yelling, "Get in there!" Co-operation which has left both parties happy has succeeded where coercion failed and left both parties sore. There seems to be a valuable key here. Maybe it could be tried in some other locks.

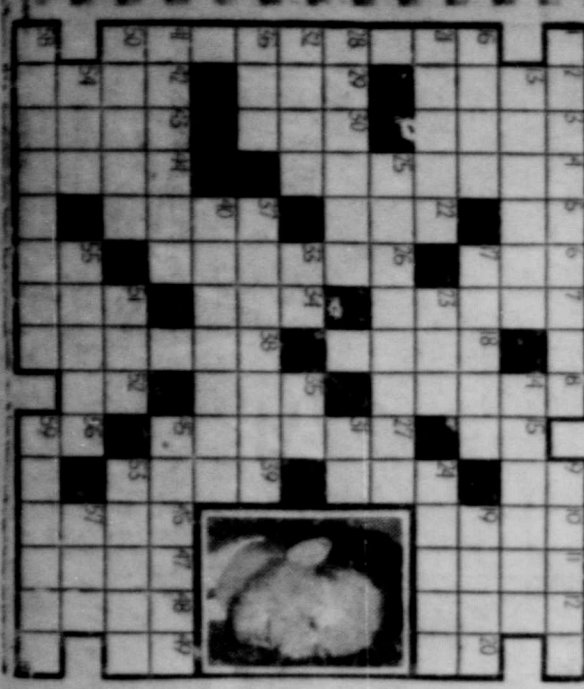
When examination of facsimile newspapers fails from time to time, leaving out sections of printed matter, father will be used to it. Now the picks up his evening paper and finds the family has cut holes in it.

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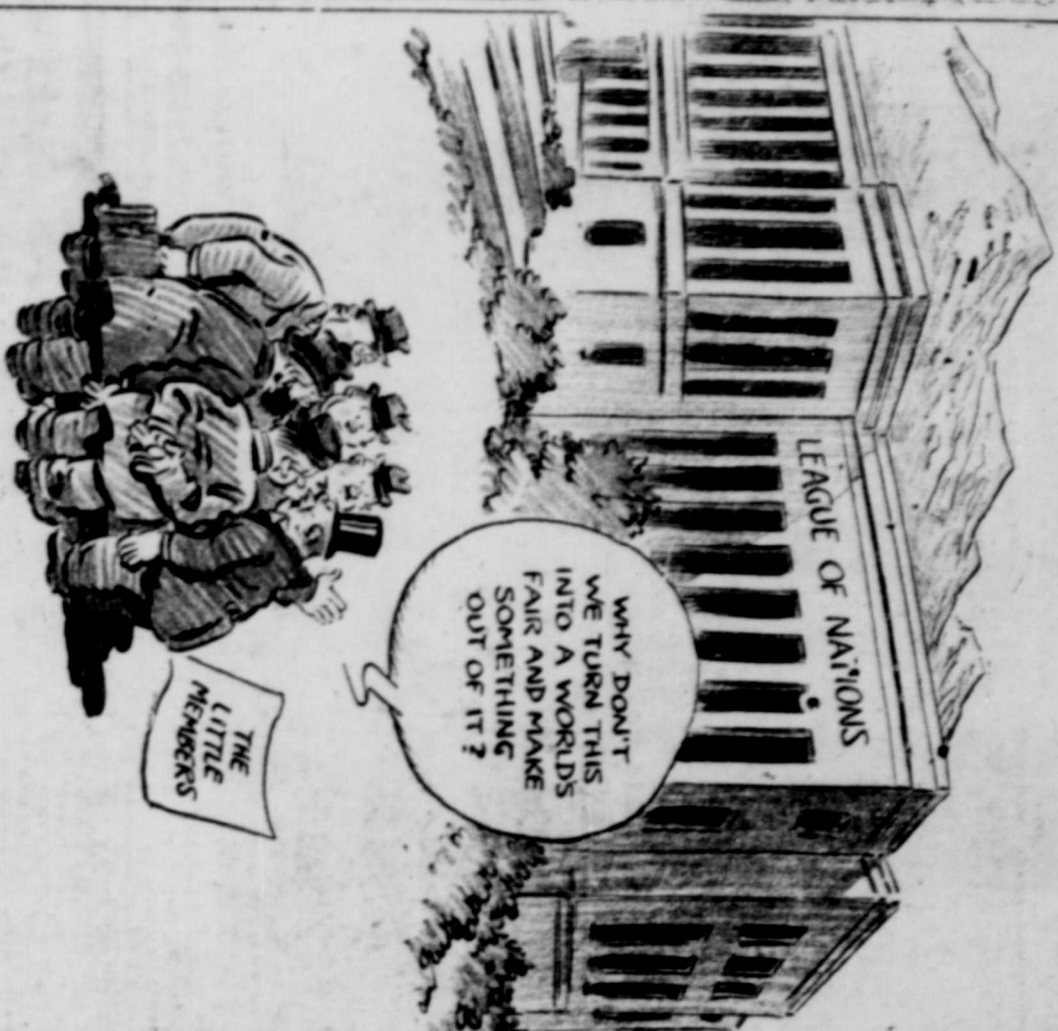
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By Williams

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON

SEA SERVICE Special Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—The movement to scrap the central part of the administration's farm program and set fixed prices at a level which would guarantee the farmer against loss is by no means dead. The Senate's recent passage of the \$1.21 billion farm bill has not helped the movement.

For the fixed-price plan has a looking point, it does not require heavy annual payments or loans to farmers. Nor, for that matter, does it require subsidizing of exports. It finances itself out of taxes on the processor—and, under the present plan, the processor is the farmer. Under the fixed-price plan, the farmer would get the price for his crop, a figure which would be based on his farm's average production over a period of years.

If this production basis was 2000 bushels, for instance, he would get no price for 1600 bushels and no price for 4000 bushels. The domestic allotment plan has a sliding-scale provision which would try to reserve more of the domestic market for the small farmer; the cost-of-production plan does not.

The fundamental idea in all of these bills is that it is profitable to raise the price of production of a given farm commodity and that the average normal amount of that commodity which is consumed annually in the domestic market, with those two figures worked out, the proposed is to fix a domestic price minimum, proportion to each with cotton, both are based by the minimum price level. What the National Grange has indicated the plan where would be sold in the cost-of-production bill.

Dairy Industry Is Seen at High Over March Production

AUSTIN, Texas.—The dairy industry in April is expected to show a production for March that is much above the level of the same month last year, University of Texas business investigators said today. Warmer weather in recent weeks coupled with relief of rain tends to improve the situation, they added.

Manufacture of ice cream, which reflects urban consumer conditions rather than production conditions, which primarily influence butter and cheese output, gained over both March and April, 1938. Production is estimated by the University Bureau of Business Research at 770,000 gallons during April, 21.2 per cent above March and 11.9 per cent above April last year.

Soil Conservation Leaders Will Meet In Temple May 29

TEMPLE, Texas.—More than 4,000 soil conservation leaders from over 20 states are expected to gather in Temple, May 29, for the 10th in a series of national meetings of the new Soil Conservation Act.

Dr. H. H. Bennett, Washington, D. C., chief of the U. S. Soil Conservation Service, will be the principal speaker at the rally which will be held in Woodson Field. Inductors are that representatives will attend the meeting.

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel has accepted an invitation to make a short speech and introduce Dr. Bennett. Representatives from all agricultural agencies of the state including the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service, and others will be here.

Singing Scheduled At First Christian Program At Breck

BRECKENRIDGE, May 27.—One hundred and thirty-two students have been announced by Principal John P. Bailey as candidates to receive diplomas at the Senior High School commencement exercises which will be held Monday evening.

Seniors Due To Get Diplomas In Program At Breck

Seniors were conferred upon Monday evening at the First Christian Church of Breck. The program was conducted by Rev. Austin J. Mitchell, Jr., President-Chairman, and prayer by Rev. Austin J. Mitchell, Jr., President-Chairman, and prayer by Rev. Austin J. Mitchell, Jr., President-Chairman.

HAD ELUDED

(Continued from Page 11) The case. After being notified that Walden's father had been arrested, the woman, Mrs. Mary Kay, who was following that the arrest was a mistake, she was released. The woman had been eluding the police for some time.

Paul Pleads His Own Case

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D. Knowledge of the details of Paul's life and for the dear sake of his own reputation, Paul had returned from his mission to a similar degree, as Paul had returned from his mission to a similar degree, as Paul had returned from his mission to a similar degree.

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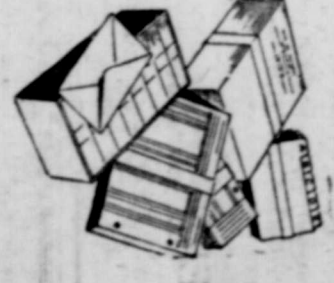
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Personal

Mrs. Nettie S. Myers, Assistant Chief of the Division of Child Welfare, Austin, is a business visitor in Ranger.

Mrs. Lela Smalley and son, Kenneth, of Hamburg, Iowa, arrived Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rigby of Eastland Road. Mrs. Rigby and her guests left Saturday for a visit to the Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. H. E. Brown and daughter of Austin are guests in the home of her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brown.

Miss Georgia Beall Burchill of Mineral Wells has returned to her home after completing a year's work in Ranger Junior College.

Elton Jennings has returned to his home, having completed his studies at Ranger Junior College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Heston of Fort Worth are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hill.


Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Webb and son, James, have as their guests this weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDaniel and son Dudley, of Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles of Levita, Mr. Morris Webb and Miss Jerry Stem of Woodboro.

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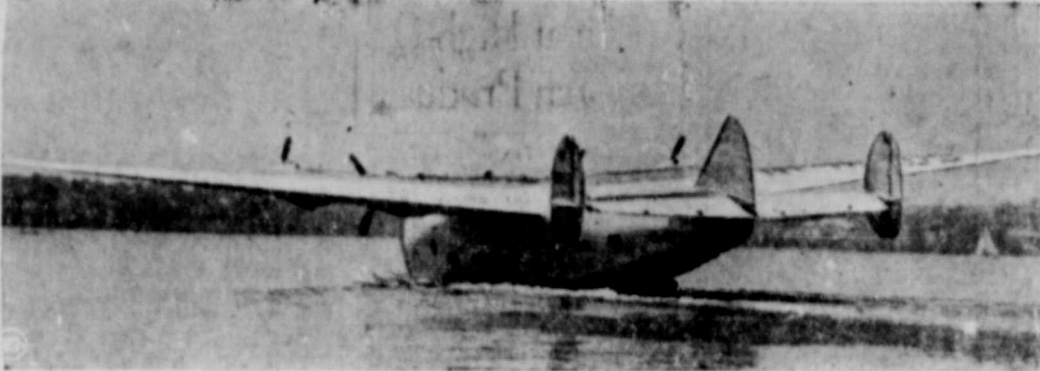
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WASHINGTON LETTER

By BRUCE CATTON
SEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—You can find "most anything" in Washington if you look long enough. You can even find a farmers' spokesman who doesn't think that you can cure the farm problem by a simple act of Congress.

Fred Breckenman, who represents the National Grange in the capital, is interested in farm legislation, of course. But he sees the farm problem as just one aspect of the broader national problem. And he has a hunch that, until the national economy is running smoothly, the farm problem is going to remain unsolved.

"America has between 10 and 11 million people out of work," he says. "Count in their dependents, and you have 20 or 30 million people who have practically no money coming in. How can you expect farm prices to be good if that many people have no source of income?"

"Look at it another way. Our national income was \$81,000,000,000 in 1929 and \$60,000,000,000 last year. Meanwhile, the population has increased by nine million since 1929. Hence the national income is really down by more than one-fourth."

"Now then: for the five-year period, 1925 to 1929 inclusive, the farm income averaged \$10,000,000,000 a year. Last year it stood at \$7,625,000,000 including benefit payments."

"If we could get the national income back to the \$80,000,000,000 level, farm prices would go up. There's no way to correct the farm problem overnight. We've got to get our system of private enterprise to work and get it functioning again."

All of this, to be sure, doesn't mean that Mr. Breckenman wouldn't like to see a bit of the right kind of farm legislation passed, just in case.

If you think government offices are full of lost motion and clock-walkers, you ought to talk

to Paul Ellerbe, who works in the information section at WPA headquarters. As a government worker from way back, he can remember when government offices really did have lost motion.

"Once, before the war," he remembers, "I got a job over in the War Department. Our office was supposed to make a file of incoming and outgoing correspondence. Well sir, this is a literal fact: all my boss ever did was read the rheumatism ads in the papers and stand on one foot in the middle of the office and swing the other leg around in circles. He claimed it kept his circulation up."

When the war came, Mr. Ellerbe became assistant chief of the Americanization section of the Council of National Defense. He was supposed, he says, to think up ways by which the government could help the alien get on with the war.

"I wrote lots and lots of reports," he says. "They were fine reports. They piled them all up in an office and put a paperweight on top of 'em. Nobody ever read 'em. Then after the war was over, they called me in and said 'I'd done such a good job they'd like to make it permanent. I said no thanks and got out and went to writing for the magazines for a living.'"

Mr. Ellerbe also spent several pre-war years in charge of government naturalization service in Denver.

"We were ruled by red tape and my superior was the most completely incompetent man I have ever known. He used to send me letters beginning, 'The bureau in its wisdom having decided that—'"

All of which, says Mr. Ellerbe, makes him sore when people talk about lost motion and general boondoggling in government jobs, including WPA. The service now, he says, is a thousand per cent more efficient, enlightened and conscientious than it was a quarter-century ago. And that, he adds, goes for WPA too.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Woods returned from San Marcos today. Their son, Bob, who has been a student in the academy there, returned with them. He will spend

DEANNA DURBIN BETTER THAN EVER IN NEW HIT



Nan Grey, Deanna Durbin, Helen Parrish and Charles Winninger in universal's lavish dramatic production, "Three Smart Girls Grow Up." It is Deanna's fifth consecutive success establishing a phenomenal record for the 16 year old singing star. The new picture combines gay romance, beautiful music and sparkling comedy.


Mr. and Mrs. Bob Yeager and little daughter, Dorothy Jean, left Saturday for a trip through South Texas and Atlanta.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Jackson and family were in Fort Worth Saturday where Dr. Jackson attended the Shriner's convention. From there they went to Nocona for a visit to Dr. Jackson's mother. They will return Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. M. Myers who last week was removed from the West Texas Clinic to her home, is reported to be resting very well.

RANGER PERSONAL
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashcraft and little son, Venicell, of Langview, are visiting in the home of Mr. Ashcraft's sister, Mrs. Sallie Rogers, and in the home of his brother, Charles Ashcraft. They will attend the graduating exercises of their niece, Miss Mildred Rogers, who is finishing Ranger High School.

Mrs. W. G. Founds and daughters, Misses Oleta and Billie Faye, spent Friday in Moran, where they went to pay their first visit to a new granddaughter and niece. The baby girl, who weighed seven pounds at birth, has been named Virginia Lela and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Belknap, who formerly lived in Ranger.



WE SAY — BEST WISHES

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SERIAL STORY

DATE WITH DANGER

BY HELEN WORDEN

Yesterday Mary Franklin meets the Duke, Glen and Jack returning from Chinatown. She wonders Jack the Duke is such company for him, then says she'll meet the Duke at the Justice French inquest!

CHAPTER XV

"I HATE INQUESTS," Mary Franklin told Tuckie Thompson, as the two waited in the Medical Examiner's office next morning.

Mary, in dark street clothes, looked self-contained, but Tuckie, as usual, was an animated bird of paradise.

"It's an adventure," she chirped, "like slumming or something—"

Her voice trailed off aimlessly as Thomas Robinson walked in. He bowed slightly as he saw Tuckie, then shook hands gravely with Mary.

"You're a good reporter, Miss Franklin. I recall your interest in Miss French at the Duke, when Jim Shirley and I asked you to join us. You must have sensed this tragedy."

"The story has just begun," Mary said.

Mike, the policeman, humored in his heavy shoes creaking self-consciously. After him came Marie, Justice's maid, then Mrs. Meadows, and Jim Chase, the detective. Dr. Morris, the medical examiner, hurried in last. He bowed to the group clustered about his desk, set down, thumbed a few papers and adjusted his pince-nez glasses.

"This will be a very important hearing," he began. "I want to prove the cause of the death of Justice French, the corpus delicti. We must establish the fact that such a person as Justice French existed. Dr. Bateman, were you present when a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward French?"

And, as Dr. Bateman finished his testimony, "Next, Mrs. Finlay Draper."

A tall, fashionably dressed woman inclined her head. "Yes, Dr. Morris."

"Mrs. Draper, what is your profession?"

"I own the Draper Finishing School at Aiken."

"Did you ever hear of Justice French?"

"She was a student in my school from the time she was eight until she was seventeen."

Mary and the other reporters scribbled furiously.

"Thank you, Mrs. Draper. I believe that is all," Dr. Morris said to the French lawyer. "I understand you represent the family. Mr. Robinson, was Miss French dependent upon her parents for financial support?"

"Not after her 18th birthday."

"Did they settle an income upon her?"

"No. She inherited \$20,000 a

year from her paternal grandfather."

"The door opened abruptly and Duke Martin and Nick entered, followed by Police Commissioner Fensel.

Martin settled in his place with a sudden grimace at Fensel's expression. Nick sidled back to Fensel.

"May I interrupt, Dr. Morris?" the commissioner asked. "Since you're conducting an informal investigation I thought I might bring in a witness who may clear up some small details." He waved a hand in the direction of the Duke.

"Allow me to introduce Mr. Martin."

Dr. Morris rose and shook hands with the police commissioner, nodded at the Duke, then sat down, again.

"We've simply been trying to trace the major events in Miss French's life, Commissioner, establishing her birth and so forth."

Mrs. Robinson, the French family lawyer, has just been telling us that Miss Justice inherited an income of \$20,000 a year from her grandfather when she was 18."

"Was she living with her parents at the time, Mr. Robinson?" asked Fensel.

"She was living with her parents at the time, sir," said Martin.

"That is all, thank you, Robinson. Will you tell us, Mrs. Thompson, when you first introduced Mr. Martin to Miss French?"

Tuckie glanced at the Duke. She looked Fensel but she looked Martin more.

"I don't remember when she met Mr. Martin. Maybe he introduced her to me. No, that couldn't have been. Oh dear—"

Her hands fluttered. "Will I go to jail if I can't recall?"

Laughter rippled through the office.

"Quiet!" ordered the medical examiner. "We'll give you time to refresh your memory."

"While we're waiting for Mrs. Thompson to remember we'll call on Mr. Martin," said the commissioner. "Can you tell us when you first met Miss French, Mr. Martin?"

Fensel didn't insist. "We will return to Mr. Martin later, Dr. Morris. Go on with your witnesses."

"Robert McCann," called the medical examiner.

"Here, sir."

"Was Miss French a tenant at 45 East 70th street?"

"From March 23, 1937 to the present, sir."

Mélie de Faville, Justice's maid, corroborated McCann's statement.

"Miss Franklin, I'm going to call on you to tell us where you met this girl."

"May I interrupt?" Robinson sprang to his feet. "As attorney for the French family, I object. This is supposed to be an inquest to determine the cause of Miss French's death."

Fensel shrugged his shoulders. "We're trying to get at the cause, Miss Franklin, I repeat, when did you first see Marie de Faville?"

"In Justice French's apartment at 45 East 70th street."

"What was the date?"

"February 17."

"See anybody else there?"

"Yes, Nick Hart."

"I believe you were the one who identified Miss French's body here at the morgue?"

"Yes, I did."

"On what date?"

"Shortly after midnight on the morning of February 18."

Jim Chase was called next, then Mike, the cop.

After this, Mrs. Meadows was asked by Fensel to tell when she had last seen Justice French.

Mrs. Meadows looked defiantly at the Duke.

"Mrs. Thompson," Fensel remarked, "I hope your memory will not fail you. Did you see Miss French at Mr. Martin's night club that evening?"

"I did see," Tuckie's voice squeaked at his surprise.

"Do you deny the statements of these two witnesses, Martin?"

"No, Commissioner."

Fensel scribbled a note to the medical examiner. "Give the cause as drowning and call the case closed."

"Drowning," announced the medical examiner. "I'm satisfied to dismiss the case."

Mary was puzzled. "What did you say for Commissioner?" she asked as they were walking out.

"During the war, Miss Franklin, when my regiment succeeded in making the enemy believe it was retreating in one direction, I sent up a smoke screen and picked the biggest short cut to attack at another point."

"Well, that's all there is to that," commented Nick, as he climbed into the Duke's car. "Fensel is a lousy police commissioner."

"I'm not so sure," said Martin.

"What's the matter, Martin?"

"That post-mortem carving."

"Well, what about it?"

"I'd like to know if anything else showed up in the autopsy."

(To Be Continued)

RED RYDER

By Fred Harman FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



Sisters of the Dead



This rare picture of the funeral procession of a nun at New Britain, Conn., shows sisters of the Pointe order of the Daughters of Mary of the Immaculate Conception carrying the casket which holds body of Sister Mary Hyacinth.

Yankee Clipper Is Back In America After Atlantic Hop

By United Press

PORT WASHINGTON, N. Y., May 27.—The Pan-American Airways Yankee Clipper landed at its Port Washington base at 12:48 p. m. CST today, completing the first round trip commercial flight to Europe.

The 11-ton Yankee Clipper left Horta, Azores, yesterday to fly non-stop to Port Washington. A low-pressure area developed, however, and the craft was diverted to Bermuda, where it landed this morning.

The Yankee Clipper, commanded by Capt. Ashby E. Folje, refueled at Bermuda and flew on with the mail from Europe.

Passengers will not be carried on the Trans-Atlantic flights until five round-trip crossings have been completed. Today's flight was the first.

Pendergast Draws Prison Penalty

The Supreme Court age level is getting lower. But there was a time, not so far back, when the height of insults was to send a birthday greeting to a justice.



Given 18-months prison term and \$10,000 fine, Thomas J. Pendergast, political "boss," is shown leaving federal court at Kansas City, Mo., where he was sentenced for evasion of income tax laws. Attempting to console him is his attorney, John Madden, right. In foreground is his son, Thomas, Jr.

ALLEY OOP

By Hamlin



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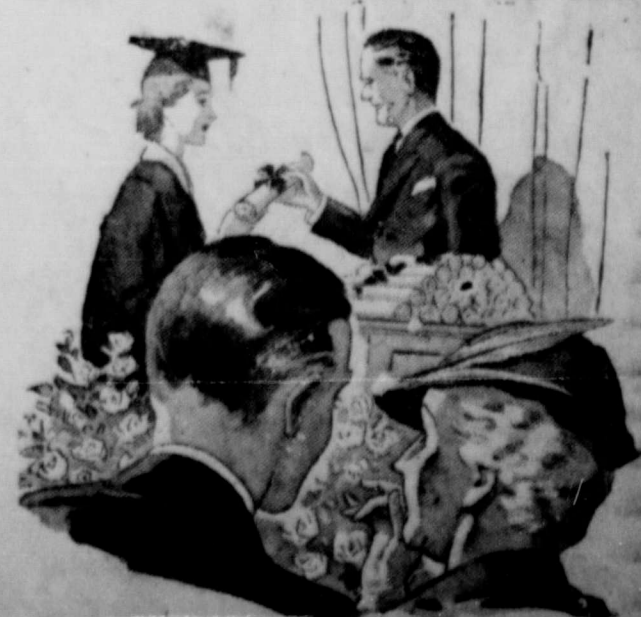
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1920 Club Has Luncheon At Gholson Hotel

The 1920 Club entertained Friday at 1 o'clock at the Gholson Hotel with a luncheon for members and guests.

The table was decorated with bows of nasturtiums and Queen Anne's lace, and was lighted by blue candles which stood in sprays of fern placed in the center length of the table. Places were marked by hand-made cards designed as an open book. Cones of sweet peas were given to each guest.

The following program was presented: Billie Ross Hodges, violin solo, accompanied by Miss Dolis May; Cecelia McDowell, dance, ac-

companied by Mrs. Weldon Webb; Jane Lauderdale, reading, accompanied by Marie Conway, and Mrs. C. Alfred Brown, a description of her visit to the home of Robert Louis Stevenson.

Mrs. C. D. Woods presided at the luncheon and at a short business session which followed in which the club voted membership to Mrs. Nell Carlin. The club also voted to assist in purchasing sweaters for the high school debaters.

Members and guests who attended the luncheon were: Meses, Leslie Hagaman, L. B. Gray, C. L. Jackson, W. L. Jackson, S. P. Boon, F. S. Pearsall, H. O. Strickler, Shenandoah, Va., Arthur Marrell, Virgil Seaberry of Eastland, Weldon Webb, Grace Taylor, C. E. May, Carl Hill, B. A. Tunnel, D. Joseph, Joby Hasen, Bob Hodges, Alvin Strange of San Antonio, Ross Hodges, J. E. Matthews, P. M. Kaykendall, Charlie Dean, J. S. McDowell, Saule Perlestein, Fred Warren, C.

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Margaret Hardin lands beauty in Neals creek in Mount Mitchell Game Refuge, Yancey county, N. C., set aside for exclusive use of trout fisherwomen.

Turner, Electra Pearson, Marise Chastain and Bessie Roberson. Other guests will be graduates next year and were: Meses Jane Lauderdale, Helen Gholson, Frances Gholson, Maucie Fay Turner, Fannie Dell Swaney, and Marie Conway.

Martha Dorcas Class Has Monthly Social

The Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist Church held its monthly social Thursday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. M. Brown.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, president of the class, presided over the business session, at the close of which the group enjoyed games directed by Meses, G. O. Strong and A. N. Larson.

The following members and guests were present: Meses, G. D. Nicholson, J. F. Killingsworth, F. S. Pearsall, Mrs. H. O. Strickler of Virginia, Cicero Harris, Edna Williamson, G. O. Strong, Elmer Rogers, J. C. Powell, A. N. Larson, R. S. Balch, J. A. Johnson, Lillian Wolf and W. M. Brown.

Mrs. Don McCarthy Honored

Mrs. Don McCarthy, who left Saturday to make her home in Austin where her husband is employed, was honored with a handkerchief shower Thursday afternoon in the home of W. N. Bourdeau. Hostesses were Mrs. Bourdeau, Mrs. M. G. Martin and Mrs. Edgar Cotton.

Guests invited were: Meses, R. E. Gallagher, Ida Hunt, James O'Neil, E. A. Grigolett, George Fenger, Charles Michael, Charles A. Campbell, Nell Carlin, Jewel Green, Sam Kirkpatrick, Clyde Anderson, Dean Wilson, A. E. Ernst, Sig Faircloth and Ann Jenkins.

Cooper School Graduates Entertained

Following the graduation exercises for the Cooper Elementary School last Thursday evening, the graduates and faculty members were entertained with a lawn party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Lanier, hostesses with Mrs. Lanier were Meses, Lemma, Martin, Croom, Davenport, Martin and Jones.

The lawn was brightly lighted for the games which all enjoyed. Refreshments were served from bridge tables placed about the grounds.

Members of the graduating class were: Jack Boney, Avon Brown, Kenneth Cole, James Croom, Billie

Montague Over 14-Club Limit



John Montague shovels out of sand trap because galleries like to see feats that made "Mysterious" Montague national figure in Hollywood. But the erstwhile mystery man of screen colony would rather be known as just a good golfer and, as such, attempted to qualify in Chicago district for United States Open. He picked up.

Marie Davenport, Robert Grogan, Bonnie Hagar, Holland Hardin, Eugene Benson, Lowell Hunt, Mack James, Margaret James, Harold Jewell, Keith Jones, La Voie Kim, Mary Allan Lanier, Schley Lemma, Wanda Sue Martin, Edna Jean Mayton

Faculty members attending were: Mr. J. E. Ervin, principal; Mrs. Claudia Jervis, Misses Clara Weaver, Johnnie Young, Dora Rawlings and Dora Baskin.

Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hazard, and Miss Hazard, Mrs. W. F. Hicks and Miss Lee Hicks of Eastland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meroney.

Miss Crawley to Teach in Houston

Miss Anita Crawley left this morning for Houston where she will be a teacher in the Mary Burnett School for Girls. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crawley will accompany her to Houston and on the return trip will visit their son, Deane, who is a student in the Texas A. & M. College at College Station.

Sub-Deb Club Entertains With Hay Ride

The Sub-Deb Club culminated the year's activities with an old-fashioned hay ride Thursday evening, May 25. The club members

and their guests met at the high school, and from there went on wagons to Powell Ranch below Winsett Springs, where they enjoyed a picnic lunch of hot dogs, potato chips, fudge squares, and drinks.

The following club members and guests enjoyed the outing: Vera Ann Vaughn, Jane Matthews, Bessie Roberson, Alice Louise and Dorothy Henry, Margaret Watt, Marie Conway, Maucie Fay and Sue Turner, Lois Bragg, Doris Dudley, Ann Cooper, Marise Chastain, Jane Lauderdale, Yvonne Kribbs, Electra Pearson, Helen and Frances Cholson, Bettie and Billie Jean Gorman, Mary Claude Blacklock, Fannie Doll Swaney, Catherine Murray, Billy Smith, Harold Owen, Harold Luckett, Bueford Jordan, Carroll Boon, Hubert Anderson, James Ratliff, Cicero Harris, Babb Edmonds, Billy Ross and Dickie Hodges, Gentry Warden, Travis Bryan, Bob Murphy, M. L. Baskin, J. R. Beard, D. A. Roberson, Bob Palmer, Jerry DeVore, Bob Hunt, W. G. Pounds, Francis McHenry, Lee Roy Pearson, Mary Frances and Bob Hamrick, Mrs. Harry Henry, Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick and Frank Prock, driver.

Just a Bit Personal...

L. H. Flewellen was a visitor in Dallas the last of the week.

Mrs. Annabelle Neill will arrive Monday for a visit with her friends in Ranger. Mrs. Neill taught in the Ranger High School for a number of years and has a host of friends here. She is now teaching in the Kilgore Junior College.

Mrs. Alvin Strange of San Antonio is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bob Hodges.

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Ranger Rebekahs Meet in Gorman

Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met at Gorman Thursday evening for a call meeting and initiated a candidate, Mrs. Velma Bennett, for the Gorman Lodge, No. 345.

Initiating team members were dressed in pink and green taffeta evening dresses.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served to eleven club members and the following visitors from Ranger: Meses, Lucille Wallace, Mable Souther, Laura Todd, Frances Butcher, Doris Fox, Clara Whit, Jewell Wallace, Emma Stiles, Mae Eyley, Pearl Patterson, Ruby Greer, Yvelia Robinson, Eula Blackwell, Nellie Patterson, Edna Williamson, and Anna Mae Robinson.

The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the IOOF hall.

Mrs. Townsend and Mr. Jones Married

Last Sunday evening at 6:00 o'clock the Rev. H. B. Johnson read the marriage vows for Mrs. Mary Lou Townsend and Mr. Sam W. Jones.

The ceremony was performed in the home of Mr. Jones and was attended by a large group of friends.

Miss Myrick Ranking Student

Miss Marie Myrick of Ranger, who is taking a general business administration course in Draughton's Business College of Abilene, was one of the sixteen highest ranking students whose names appeared on the honor roll of the school for the past term.

Attend Announcement Party

Mrs. J. F. Donley and Mrs. B. E. Rigby last week attended a shower and announcement party for Miss Thelma Gordon, deputy grand matron of section 4, Eastern Star, whose marriage to Mr. Charles Hemphill of Rankin will take place on June 4.

Miss Jane Matthews Gives Breakfast

Miss Jane Matthews entertained Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock with a breakfast at her home honoring a group of girl graduates.

The breakfast was served on the sun porch from quartet tables which were appointed with red crystal and decorated with sweet peas. Places were marked by miniature diplomas and each graduate present was presented with a gift.

Honored guests were: Meses Cecelia McDowell, Doris May, Sue



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home of her sister, Mrs. Frank S. Pearsall.

Mrs. David Nichol of Kilgore and formerly of Ranger is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Myers.

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