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Did We Learn Anything? We Shall See!

"We learn from history that we learn nothing from history."

Cynical thinking! But never mind the cynicism. Is it correct thinking? We are going to find out.

Once again, the United States is faced with the heavy task of trying to remain out of a widespread European War. As in 1914, the great majority of the American people want none of it. They feel instinctively that the age-old hatreds which underly all Europe's wars are alien to us; that they are something we have been trying to get away from for generations. But like skeletons in the closet of our past, they will not let us be.

It is true that American feeling is much stronger than in 1914. Then, most Americans were genuinely indifferent to the bloody brawls of Europe. Now we are not indifferent. We cannot be. That works to the disadvantage of the effort to stay clear.

Against it we must set the advantage that we know more of what underlies these wars; we know more of the deliberate efforts that are made to embroil us. We have the war debt; in 1938 we admitted 182,946 World War veterans to hospitalization, half of them neuro-psychiatric. We have not forgotten our 4,000 battle dead, our 90,000 dead of wounds and disease.

As the President has pointed out, we must try resolutely to draw a line between what we think and what we ask our government to do. We must look skeptically at every effort to rouse passion and hatred, and calmly and even coldly consider what is best for us.

Thus it seems clear that Anthony Drexel Biddle, the Philadelphia socialite who happens at the moment to be the U. S. ambassador to Poland, has done his country no great service in implying that German aviators bombing Warsaw were practically aiming at him.

It seems that several bombs were dropped near Biddle's summer home in the Warsaw suburbs, damaging the house. Biddle was quoted as saying that the attack was "deliberate." If by that he means that the German aviators took pains to inform themselves of the location of the Biddle home, and then aimed their bombs at it with special intent to kill the American ambassador, then the only answer is that any such idea is fantastic.

In the first place, we might as well recognize once for all that a bombing pilot, harassed by anti-aircraft fire, can never be sure within a matter of three city blocks just what his bomb is going to hit. The hellish part of air bombing is not that the aviators coldly choose hospitals and old ladies' homes for their targets, but simply that when the bomb drops they have only the vaguest idea of where it will fall.

It is not the deliberate choice of defenseless targets, but the sheer abandoned recklessness of bombing that makes its horror.

The United States has the right to except from its official diplomatic representatives a special wariness against thoughtless accusations and inflammatory talk in general. The wariness is a duty which every American ought to impose on himself. But it is a duty which the government must impose on all those who officially represent it.

Indians, the WPA discovers, bathed rarely. When they did, it was probably only to wash off the dust they just missed biting.

• BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—No one who returns to Washington at this time, after a tour through the country, can fail to be impressed by the thought that it will be a tremendous tragedy and a colossal blunder if the leadership down here does not find some way of keeping America entirely out of any catastrophe which may befall Europe.

Any trip out into the nation today is bound to give a thoughtful person two firm convictions—
First: in spite of our unsolved problems, we still possess an empire whose riches are almost untapped, comparatively speaking.
Second: the human material the country has to work with is made up of as fine a set of folks as any nation could possibly ask for.

The sheer physical richness of the country fairly hammers on your eyes as you travel.
Your train flashes by great mining areas whose only fault is that they produce too richly. Your car winds through fertile lands whose one flaw is that they are too fertile. Your plane goes over an industrial empire which would be without a flaw if only it wasn't equipped to make more things than the country can handle right now.

After you have looked at such things day after day, you begin to understand as you never understood before how much our attention and our effort ought to be turned toward, and across the

seas—and what a tremendous, lasting boom will get under way once we get the knack of making all of this richness work for us and not against us.

Then there are the people. . . . They're just a matter of their being friendly. There's a competence to them, an industry, an in-born desire to get on with one another, which sticks out even in a country which has to worry about strikes and relief labor and economic royalists.

Those young marines on the train bound for the Camp Perry, O., rifle matches. . . . the stewardess on the airliner. . . . the milk strike farmer in upper New York, lean and muscular. . . . that Boston banker who joked about his own Yankee caution. . . . the politician in Detroit who put his feet on his desk and talked about the piney lakes in upper Michigan. . . . the North Carolina newspaper publisher who wasn't above inviting a comparative stranger to stay over a day and go deep-sea fishing.

They're pretty grand people, those, and the 130-odd million like them.
We don't know our luck. We've got everything. Over in Europe the thunder-heads are blotting out the sunset; maybe it's going to be night over there for a long while, a night filled with terrible things, the flames of stricken cities and the cries of anguished children.

But we—we can miss it, we must miss it, we've got to miss it—because, over here, we're waiting for the dawn.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



HORSES SERVED MAN AS FOOD LONG BEFORE THEY BECAME BEASTS OF BURDEN.



HERE IS THIS CURIOUS FORMATION LOCATED AND WHAT IS IT CALLED?

ANSWER: It is an exposed volcanic core in northeast Wyoming, and is known as the Devil's Tower. It was set apart in 1906 as the first U. S. National Monument.

CHEMISTS HAVE LEARNED TO MAKE FABRICS FROM FISH.



England's King in War Feathers



Wearing uniform of Royal Air Force, King George VI, with gas mask kit strapped to his body, visits headquarters of R. A. F. Fighter Command. Picture was taken from London to New York.

Birds Have Killed Many Grasshoppers

AUSTIN, Tex.—Birds are being given considerable credit for the lack of grasshoppers in West Texas this year. Hordes of hoppers destroyed crops last year, but large flocks of Swainson's hawks and horned larks, as well as thousands of burrowing owls moved in on them and destroyed many of the pests, according to word received by the Executive Secretary of the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission from his game managers in the affected areas.

Not only did birds destroy vast numbers of grasshoppers, but one game manager observed a flock of Swainson's hawks numbering more than 1,000 feeding on mature hoppers last week and also scratching and digging around in the ground. After the flock flew away he checked the large field closely and was unable to find any egg pods. Thus is shown another good reason why the wildlife of Texas should be protected and why it is worth millions of dollars to landowners as well as portmen, the Executive Secretary pointed out.

Late Claude Teer Was Hard Worker For 10 Years

By United Press
AUSTIN.—One of the most respected men in official Texas life was the late Claude D. Teer, who served 10 years as chairman of the Board of Control before his death last week in San Antonio.

Under Teer's chairmanship, it became almost an axiom to "turn over to the Board of Control" any difficult job. It was the board that got the ticklish job of spending millions in 1936 for memorials in the Texas Centennial year. More recently, the board was given administration of old age assistance after a clamor to "take pensions out of politics."

Teer's friends said that hard work hastened his death. He was an indefatigable worker who set the pace for his office and carried an unproportionate share of duties himself. Besides the vexing old age pension problem in a period of big promises and fading revenues, the board had its hands full with ordinary duties.

Alabama Report Reduced Illiterates

By United Press
MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Illiterates in education have been made in Alabama in the past few years.

A comprehensive legislative survey of state education from 1933 through 1938 discloses that the number of illiterate adults has been reduced by 21,000. White teachers with four more years of college training increased from 3,674 to 5,792. Transported pupils increased from 66,499 in 1930 to 187,219 in 1938.

U. S. treasury officials fear new war will make it harder to collect World War debts from European nations. We thought everybody had concluded by now that debts would never be paid.

GOLFER SHOTS FROM TREE

By United Press
PITTSBURGH.—When Bill Mercer's tee shot landed in a tree bordering the 18th fairway, he was undaunted. He did a "Tarzan," climbed the tree, braced himself between the limbs and hit the ball from its high perch. Mercer's scorecard for the hole showed a "nine."



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Dog Enjoys Soda, Doesn't Use Saucer

By United Press
EVANSVILLE, Ind.—Muggsy, the 9-year-old mongrel dog owned by Ada White of Evansville, is more than just a mutt—he's a canine companion.

First among his accomplishments is the ability to drink from a bottle. He accompanies his mistress to a soft drink stand and waits patiently for the bottle. When she hands it to him, he wraps his forelegs around it and drinks directly from it. No straw or saucer is necessary.

Cost of University Training Estimated

AUSTIN, Tex.—Cost of attending The University of Texas was today estimated by University officials at about: \$75 (maximum) in fees for both semesters (\$13.50 optional); between \$15 and \$40 in books per year; \$200 and \$400 in room and board annually; about \$100 per year in incidentals.

If we are still worried about the U. S. cotton surplus, we might try selling it to Europeans for ear stoppers in the war zone.

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PERC WESTMORE, make-up expert for Warner Bros., says it takes the right combination of color, line and contour to bring out the best features of all stars. Here you see him with glamorous ANN SHERIDAN who is currently starring in "THE ANGELS WASH THEIR FACES" a Warner Bros. picture.

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OUT OUR WAY By Williams



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

Disney, Okla. Is Expanding Under Dizzy Rule

By TOM W. MILLER
United Press Staff Correspondent
DISNEY, Okla.—It was nearly sundown and at her home on Sweet Home avenue, Alice Stephens, Disney's "dictator," was entertaining visitors.
The gathering wasn't unusual, because Alice has visitors often. She encourages them, and the townfolk like to drop around and chat.
A big, dark-haired woman with a ready smile, Alice—that's what all Disney calls her—is as well-liked as anyone in town. Aside from her "dictator" job, a sort of mayorship, she operates a beer parlor and often serves foaming mugs herself to the workers on the \$20,000,000 Grand River Dam after hours.
Alice is typical of the people who live in this hilly boom town that sprawls over a neck of land bounded on three sides by the Grand River. She works hard, but she doesn't neglect recreation. She has a firm conviction that the future of Disney is a prosperous one and enters readily into publicity schemes to further the town's progress.
The whole town has entered into an amazing co-operation concerning "booster publicity."
Election Was Stunt
For instance, last year when the "Capers vs. Curfew" election caught the eyes of newspaper editors, the entire population of 800—now 2,500—were "conspirators" in the scheme.
Outwardly, the election was an above-board one between Billy Baker, advocate of all-night stamp dances "to let these darn workers have their fling," and Vera Silar, who said the town should be closed at 9 p. m. "so the working men can get the sleep they should have."
The winner was to run the town and her platform was to decide Disney's evening social schedule. Billy won. Alice defeated her in a re-election campaign.
The entire affair was a stunt. It was hatched by the two men who have made Disney the lusty little place it is—C. D. Armstrong, Disney's founder, and Hap Haggard.
Of course, the Disney dizziness soon was exposed, but by that time people liked to read about it anyhow. They were amused by the originality of its press campaign.
Veteran Booster on Job
Armstrong, the man behind the town is an old-time "town booster." He staked out Berger, Texas, and cleaned up selling townships there only to lose everything he had in oil. Disney is his comeback.
He is known to most of the Disney residents as "Mr. Armstrong." Alice calls him "C. D."
The town is so linked with publicity dizziness that it now accepts it as part of the daily routine.
Miss Baker, also a tavern operator, remarked last week during a violent wind storm:
"I'd almost bet this was one of Mr. Armstrong's gags."
The town is reached by passing over some of the bumpiest roads in northeastern Oklahoma. Most of its streets—optimistically including the names Wall and Broadway—are merely scraped places in the rocky hillsides. Some penetrate thick woods and an occasional stump requires a detour. The woods are to be cut and homes erected.
Main street is bordered by unpainted, wooden structures. Part of the town is composed of rows of tent houses. Workers on the dam rent them for \$3.50 a week. Small, rudely constructed houses are full with renters paying to \$32.50 a month.
"Shoreline" Sites Sold
Who now extend wooden tracts on the edge of the town, the backwater from the mile and a quarter dam will form a lake. It will almost surround Disney. Armstrong has estimated the height of the reservoir water and the limit of the shoreline so that he sells lots which now are on a barren hillside with the assurance that a year from now "you can fish from your front porch."
The town is ready for boisterous night life and has it aplenty. The beer tavern-dance halls far outnumber the groceries. The patronage is good.
More than 2,200 men work on the dam and they like entertainment. A boxing arena has been built and occasionally a road show brings a movie or stage acts to town.
Disney now even has a newspaper—the Independent. It has printed two issues since its founding in mid-summer.
University of Texas associate professor of journalism, warned today.
Reddick, after a two-year study of American newspaper coverage of the 1914 war, pleads for definite labeling of news sources in 1939 war correspondence, and more intelligent reading of those reports by the public.
While remarkably accurate in 1914-18, American papers he claims must identify more plainly the source of each piece of news—German war office, Polish military headquarters, eye witness account, rumor.
Each paper, too, must train its own readers to watch for these labels in order to give each item its

LEGAL RECORDS

New Cars Registered
Ford sedan, Walter I. Dixon, Gorman; King-Bull Motor Co., Eastland.
Ford coupe, E. L. Johnson, Eastland; Harvey Chevrolet Co., Eastland.
Ford coupe, B. L. Campbell, Cisco; Nance Motor Co., Cisco.
Ford tudor, W. D. Stoker, Gorman; King-Bull Motor Co.
Dodge, J. V. Freeman, Eastland; Burnside Motor Co., Eastland.
Plymouth coupe, Joan Johnson, Eastland; Carroll Motor company, Cisco.
Ford truck, Mrs. M. E. Harrell, Ranger; King-Bull Motor Co.
Chevrolet sedan, R. C. McHaffey, Gorman; Gorman Sales Co.
Chevrolet sedan, W. E. Carter, Eastland; Harvey Chevrolet Co., Eastland.
Chevrolet coupe, Dr. M. L. Stubbinsfield, Gorman; Gorman Sales Co.
Chevrolet sedan, Dr. H. C. Brown, Cisco; A. G. Motor Co., Cisco.
Chevrolet sedan, Miss Gerce Graham, Olden; Harvey Chevrolet company.
Ford, J. B. Coats, Cisco; Nance Motor company.
Marriage Licenses Issued
Luther S. Baker and Mrs. Juanita Margaret Lindsey, Eastland.
J. G. Lockhart and Mrs. Emma Cox, Snyder.
Mack Ervin and Edith Reese, Rising Star.
F. T. Fisher and Miss Lydia L. Giddwell, Mineral Wells.
Woodrow W. Smith and Thelma Rachel, Sipe Springs.
Edmond Max Satterwhite and Miss Zelma Mazelle Knight, Breckenridge.
Suits Filed
Dist district court: Marion C. Stewart et al vs. J. Z. Phillips et al, trespass to try title; Gerdes Hodges et al vs. H. V. Hodges et al, partition.
As a pre-doctorate research project, he made a scientific study of American newspaper's treatment of the French occupation of the Ruhr—a penalty assessed the German people which actually provided the "breeding ground" for the 1939 crisis, he said.
Had it not been for the recentment caused by the French occupation army, the German people would not have become receptive of Der Fuehrer's rise to power, he explained.

WORKING WIVES SERIAL STORY BY LOUISE HOLMES

CHAPTER VIII
TEN days passed, days in which Marian was forced to put a continuous curb on her nervous irritability. Once she had felt satisfaction in her work, once pride of achievement had lent color to the long hours. Now the days dragged, accented by disturbing occurrences, harassed by ever-increasing doubts and worries. Dan was morose, quick-tempered, not at all himself. Marian had accustomed herself to using him as a blotter to absorb her moods. Of late her irritability had bounded back to seethe and add to her unrest.
The days were filled with trying incidents. Marian felt a cockiness about Sally Blake which she knew should be curtailed. She called the girl to her desk, pointing out several errors in a typewritten letter.
"Mr. Fellows expects perfection, Sally," she said crisply. "I've worked for him a long time and I know that he won't put up with mistakes."
"I'm sorry, Mrs. Harkness," the girl said contritely. "I'll do the letter again."
It was difficult to discipline one so humbly willing. "And, Sally," Marian went on, "your place is in the outer office. You will only endanger your chances for advancement by finding too many errands in this office."
Sally smiled, a wise little smile. "Mr. Fellows sends for me when I don't come," she said. "He's teaching me to be a secretary."
"Whose secretary, if I may ask?"
"His," Sally answered calmly.
Marian nervously tapped her desk. "I'm sure you are mistaken," she observed coldly. "You are allowing your wishes to get the better of your good sense."
The girl said sweetly, "I only hope that some day I may be as wonderful a secretary as you are, Mrs. Harkness. I watch you all the time, trying to learn."
Marian looked her straight in the eye. If Sally could be frank, so could she. "What makes you think that my position will be open?" she asked.
Sally's smile was disarming. "I don't think so, really. But you have a husband, a very nice, handsome husband—I've seen him at the building entrance—some day you may want to keep house for him—"
"I do keep house for him," Marian answered harshly.
It has been discovered that the Romans ate sandwiches. This is not hard to believe, for how could a gladiator contest have a success without hot dogs?
A western town has installed a signpost with the four compass points for tourist aid. Reports are that inebriated natives also find the directions useful.
What with food prices soaring because of the war, it's getting so we can't afford to buy any more over here than Hitler rations to his subjects.

until it became a pitched battle, reinforcements being commanded by both sides from the past, present, and future.
Starting with Dan's casual inquiry as to the whereabouts of the morning paper, it worked up by rapid degrees to his shout, "You know I enjoy the morning paper, I only have a chance to scan the headlines at breakfast. Is that why you discontinued it?"
And Marianne's angry retort, "I have no time to read it. If you're so crazy for the paper, why don't you pay the boy once in a while?"
"I have always paid the boy."
"How about these receipts in my desk?" jerking a drawer open. "I pay everything. If it wasn't for me—"
"Cut it. Perhaps I was not here once or twice. I shall certainly reimburse you." He flung a dollar bill on the table. "Marian, you're selfish to the bone, worse than selfish, deliberately small and cruel."
She laughed, it was a nasty imitation of a laugh. "You can talk of being cruel, you, who can't provide a home for your wife, who never have been able to provide a home for me."
"Can I grow old and tired, working my fingers to the bone so that you may live in a nice home, so that you can have your morning paper?"—this last with biting scorn.
"Let me see your fingers—let me see the bones." He taught her hand, a soft, beautiful hand with manicured nails and cool skin. "Bah," he said, dropping it. "I'd rather it was red and rough with keeping house." Clenching his fist, he shook it. "It was your idea to work your fingers to the bone, not mine. If I'd had the backbone of a canary—"
"Yes, but you hadn't—you haven't now!"
THEY had forgotten the newspaper, it had been but the vehicle for a swift ride to ruin. The quarrel left Marian exhausted and mentally ill. Again and again, she assured herself that Dan was contemptible, that she hated him. Contradictorily, she longed for the feel of his arms about her. It had been a long time since they had cared enough to quarrel. While despising Dan, it roused her old love for him. But, for the first time in their married life, there was no reconciliation. The antagonism gradually wore itself away.
And then, to add to the general upheaval, Dolly went to the country for the week-end. Beds had to be made, dishes washed. The apartment was stuffy and uncomfortable. Sunday was a day of dark moods, sketchy meals, and simmering discontent.
(To Be Continued)

ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



RED RYDER By Fred Harman



Rainey Will Speak At Oil Meeting At Houston Oct. 5
WICHITA FALLS, Tex.—Dr. Homer Price Rainey, president of the University of Texas and widely known educator, is to be a principal speaker on the program of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association's annual convention, to be held at Houston, Oct. 5th, 6th and 7th, according to Charles P. McGaha, president of the Association.
"We are particularly fortunate in obtaining Dr. Rainey's acceptance to our invitation to have him address Texas oil men at our Houston convention," said McGaha. "and I know that he will have a message of vital importance to the oil fraternity."
Dr. Rainey is a keen student of economic conditions in Texas and the nation and a strong advocate of vocational training of the youth of Texas, McGaha stated. He also visualizes the possibility of making the University of Texas a veritable clearing house of public information concerning Texas' industries and natural resources, McGaha added.
Several other prominent speakers, to be announced later, are scheduled on the Mid-Continent Association's convention program and plans are rapidly being completed to make the Houston convention the outstanding event of the year in Texas oil affairs. An unusual program of entertainment for oil men and their wives is being sponsored by the Houston Wildcat Committee and this year's oil men's golf tournament is already arousing the interest of oil men from every section of the State, according to committee reports being received by McGaha.
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Miss Wheat and Mr. Johnson Wed
Mr. and Mrs. Nuge Sudderth have announced the marriage of their daughter, Bobby Jo Wheat, to Mr. W. T. Johnson. The ceremony was performed Sept. 8 in Breckenridge, and the young couple are making their home at 261 Hunt street.

The bride attended Ranger high school and the groom, who is a graduate of Ranger High school, is employed by the Western Auto Associate store.

Y.W.A. Has Personal Service Meeting

Members of the Y.W.A. of the First Baptist church met Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the church for their personal service meeting. Those present visited Bernice Stevens and presented a program for her entertainment. Following the program games were played.

The following were present: Misses Thelma Compton, Francis Casary, Velma Brown, Eunice Proslar, Margaret Stevens, Mona Robinson, Lennie Powell, Dorothy Neville, Mildred Stevens, Mary Jane Todd, the sponsor, Mrs. Fline King and J. B. Robinson and Winifred Morgan.

Royal Neighbor Camp to Meet

All members of the Royal Neighbors Camp, No. 9059 are urged to be present this evening at a meeting at 7:30 o'clock in the I.O.O.F. hall. Plans for the district meetings in Graham, Oct. 5, will be discussed and all communications in connection with the meeting will be read.

Ruth Class Entertained In Home of Mrs. Cole

The Ruth Class of the First Baptist church entertained Tuesday at luncheon at the home of Mrs. Odell Cole, with Mrs. Weaver Ashman assisting the hostess.

The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Dan Neville and was followed by a business meeting in which new officers for the class were elected. Installation of the officers will be held Thursday evening, Sept. 28 in the home of Mrs. R. A. Brown. Those elected to office were: President, Mrs. Odell Cole; 1st. vice president, Mrs. M. G. Martin; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Lee Russell; 3rd vice-president, Mrs. Guy Quinn; 4th vice-president, Mrs. Jim Brimberry; secretary, Mrs. O. V. Merriman; treasurer, Mrs. T. J. Hankston; reporter, Mrs. R. E. Brown; song leader, Mrs. Johnnie King; and extension chairman, Mrs. Weaver Ashman.

Present at Tuesday's meeting were: Mmes. M. G. Martin, Reg-

Donkey Softball Charity Game Is Scheduled Friday

A donkey softball game between Bill's Ice and Pete's Beer team from Mingo and the Ranger NYA team will be played Friday night for charity, the proceeds going into the Ranger Christmas Cheer fund, it was announced here today by Fire Chief G. A. Murphy, promoter of the game, and Day Mace, schedule director of the softball field.

An admission price of five cents is to be charged for all who enter the field to operators, it was stated, and an additional five cents will be charged for grandstand seats. Those who buy the five-cent tickets can secure seats in the bleachers along the third base line.

Arrangements for the game were completed Tuesday afternoon when the two teams agreed to play the game and the donkeys were secured. All the donkeys have been trained for softball games, and have been used on a number of occasions throughout Texas.

Ranger Lumberman Attends A Meeting

Calvin Brown, manager of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., in Ranger, attended a meeting of the Central West Texas Lumber Dealers' association at Sweetwater Tuesday night.

Luttrell, state director of the Federal Housing Administration, from Dallas, was the principal speaker at the banquet, explaining "Title 1, Class 3 loans" the new setup of the housing administration which goes into effect within the next 10 days.

There were 45 lumber dealers from the area present at the banquet, and the next meeting was awarded to Haskell. It will be held the second Tuesday in November.

Meeting Scheduled At Baptist Church

Teachers of the First Baptist Church Sunday school will meet tonight at 7 o'clock, it was announced today and each teacher has been urged to be present. Prayer service and the church conference will be conducted at 8 o'clock. It has been urged that all members of the choir be present. Aid Nelson, H. J. Raino, E. J. Taylor, Dan Neville, O. V. Merriman, Weldon Webb, R. V. Robinson, George Hazard and the hostesses.

Torpedoed Britons Toast U. S. Rescuers



(NEA Cablephoto)

Part of the crew of the torpedoed British freighter Olivegrove is shown aboard the S. S. Washington drinking a toast to their rescuers. With their canary mascot, the entire crew of 33 was saved by the American liner about 200 miles southwest of Bantry, Ireland, where the torpedo sent the Olivegrove to the bottom.

Triumph's Triumvirate of Stars



Hot headed young romance, turbulent as the times, headlines Irving Berlin's "Alexander's Ragtime Band." Above, the stars of the picture, Lyrene Power, Alice Faye and Don Ameche playing for one day only at the Arcadia Theatre.

Blind Farmer Says "I'm Getting Along"

HUBBARD, Ia.—Although he can scarcely remember what crops look like, Gus Duberke, 52, blind for 42 years, helps his brother farm 240 acres near here. Gus' hands are calloused, yet sensitive. He farms by "touch." "I get along all right," said Gus. "Of course, it might be better if I could see... but it's nice here on the farm; always plenty to do." He has full charge of 137 hogs and six milk cows. His constant companion is a shepherd dog, but Gus insists he leads the dog around the farm rather than vice versa.

And the actors over here are thinking of giving up their war with the stagehands now that the real thing is being produced on the European front.

FOOTBALL SPECIAL
Ranger vs. El Paso, September 15th. Special bus for fans; will leave Thursday, Sept. 14, 6 p. m., return Saturday afternoon at 6. Tickets on sale at Oil City Pharmacy, Round trip \$5.75. Don't delay, get your tickets now. Ticket sales close Thursday, 2 p. m.

IMPORTANT! Good personal appearance means so much in every way to a man these days. And neatly trimmed hair is necessary to good appearance. Have your hair trimmed frequently—and have it done here where we know how to make it look its best.—GHOLSON BARBER SHOP, L. E. Gray, Owner.

Society Personal

Mrs. W. C. Palmer received word this morning of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Corine Palmer Garner, in San Francisco.

Dr. J. E. Smith attended the district medical meeting in Mineral Wells, Tuesday.

Miss Nancy Martin will leave Thursday to resume her studies in T.C.U.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pearson have received word that their daughter, Electra, had arrived in St. Charles, Mo., where she has enrolled in Lindenwood College.

Bob Davenport has returned to Houston to continue his work after recovering from serious injuries received in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Pat Johnston and grandson, Beryl, have returned to their home in Henrietta, Okla., after a two weeks visit in the home of her brother, Frank Arrandale.

A French actress shouted "Hail Stalin" and started a riot in a cafe. Von Ribbentrop merely shook hands with the Russian and all Europe is in upheaval.

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—LODGE NOTICES
Royal Arch Chapter stated meeting Thursday night, 8 o'clock. J. F. Donley, High Priest, B. C. Johnson, Sec.

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