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Well...
I Dunno,
But...

Heard recently of a MA: that gets a yen in the spring time to rearrange the furniture and we quickly called this to the attention of the male in our family, who always lays stubbed toes and body bruises to the rearranged furniture.

A recent visitor to Ranger was Mrs. Grace Pool, veteran oil woman who got her start in the oil business during the Barkburnett boom where she engaged in leasing for herself. She has headed an oil company and at present is one of the firm of the Stuckey Construction company of which her brother, Clyde Stuckey, directs operations in the Panhandle. At one time she engaged in buying and selling railroad tank cars.

So thorough a business woman is she that she requires her husband to enter into written contracts with her in any business venture. He good naturedly signs and pays legal fees involved.

She and her career in the oil business were the inspiration for the character, Barbara, in Rex Beach's Flowing Gold.

The current business boom in Ranger recalls the old saying that history repeats itself and while the boom today in no way compares with the world famous oil boom which followed World War I, it is a better type of boom in that it is not one of speculation.

New business coming into Ranger is substantial and while it will not produce the fabulous incomes of the last boom, it will mean a steady and sound income in the town.

Now if payrolls in the town can meet the recently inflated rent levels and other increases in living costs everybody may be able to pay the rent as well as the grocery bill.

T. C. Wylie says that the last death knell has been sounded for the NYA in Ranger with the tearing down of the sign designating the residence center and re-naming of the addition as a residential center for the town.

Wylie has named the addition Park Place and now has eight houses occupied and one ready for occupation. The attractive rock cottages have been improved for family occupation and are being rented as fast as they are ready for occupancy. Families now making their homes in Park Place are the Bobby Powells, Jimmie Houghtons, P. T. Smiths, Glen Masseys, Earl Jollys, V. T. Woods, Wyles and J. W. McKinneys.

New businesses continue to come into Ranger and there are rumors of more looking for locations here.

B. B. Simms of Denison has announced that he will open a wholesale candy and tobacco house in Ranger on the first of the month. The new firm will be located in the building across in front of the Recreation building and will handle all kinds of tobacco and candies, including boxed candy. Paper products, such as paper cups, etc., will also be handled by the company.

The wholesale house will be a branch of the Simms Wholesale Candy and Tobacco Company of Denison and will be one of twenty such houses being established over the state.

Two trucks will begin making the towns in this area and more trucks will be added as soon as they can be bought. Number of persons employed will be determined by the volume of business, but will likely include at least four at the start.

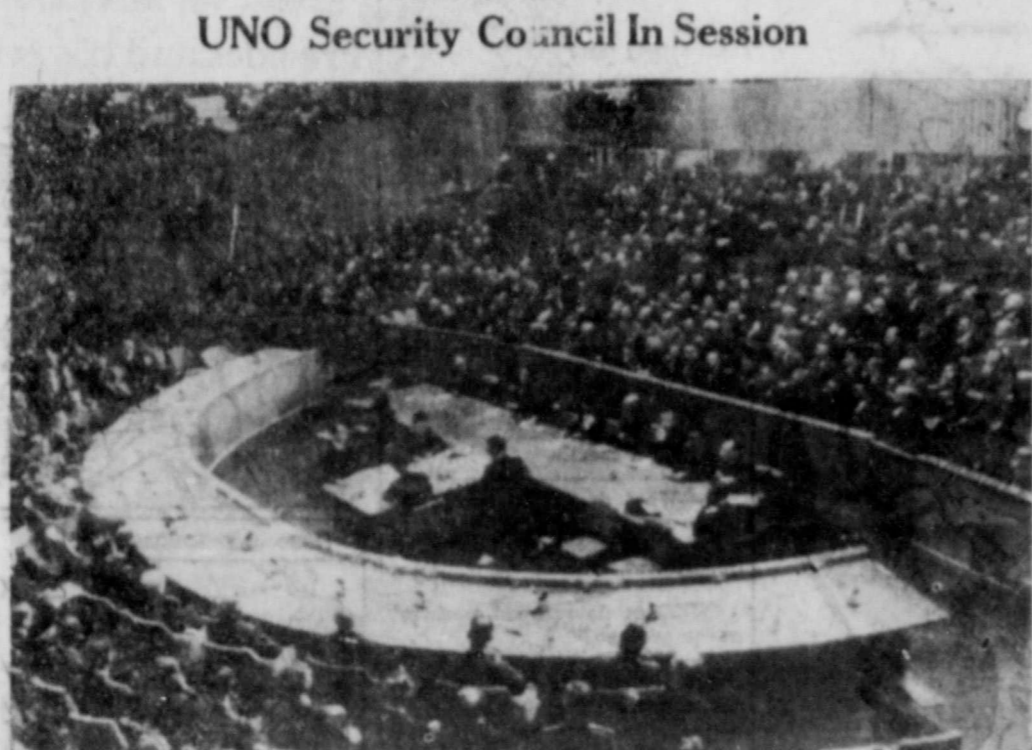
The firm will do wholesale business only.

Simms has other business interests in Zanger, being a partner in the Ranger Peanut Company.

NOT A 'BEEF' IN 13,000 PUEBLO, Col. (UP) — Nearly 13,000 men were inducted into the armed services through Pueblo draft boards, but not one has returned with a "beef" over having to serve, according to Chief Clerk Joe R. Gillespie of the Selective Service office.

Do You Know?

That some of the surface sands in Eastland County are well suited for making glass.



Secretary of State James F. Byrnes, standing, as he addressed the opening session of the UNO Security Council at Hunter College, New York. At his immediate right is Trygve Lie, United Nations secretary general and to his left, Governor Dewey of New York and Dr. Quo Tai-Chi, Chinese president of the council. (NEA Telephoto).

RANGER LACKS \$150 ON RED CROSS QUOTA

Mrs. Jewel Green, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, reported today that Ranger's Red Cross funds drive is still lagging with \$150 to be contributed before the quota is met.

Four teams of workers have reported on their work and all who have not made reports are urged to do so at once so that the final report can be made to the county.

Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Eastland county chairman of the Red Cross, stated today that the county as a whole is over the top with \$150 reporting more than \$150 dollars over the quota and Eastland and Rising Star also reporting over the top collections.

Mrs. Perkins also stated that several communities have not yet made their reports to the county treasurer, Earl Woody at Eastland, and asked that all turn in collections so that the final county report can be made.

The county office at Eastland reported today that Eastland has a total of \$2575.89; Cisco reported Saturday night a total of \$2650 with more to come; Rural communities reporting showed a total of \$120.65; Humble Oil and Refining Company \$119 to county Gorman more than \$1,000 and Rising Star over \$800.

Last Rites For Mrs. Arney Held Mon. Afternoon

Last rites for Mrs. T. A. Arney were held Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church with Rev. David C. Ham officiating. Interment was in the Evergreen cemetery with Morris Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. She died Saturday March 23, 1946.

Mrs. Arney who had resided in Ranger for the past 21 years, was born in Missouri June 2, 1881. She was a member of the First Baptist church and until failing health prevented was very active in the work of the church. She was the daughter of the late Isaac and Ann Neff of Missouri, and was married to Mr. Arney February 4, 1899.

Survivors are her husband, Thomas A. Arney of Ranger, five sons, M. V. Arney of Greggton, F. G. of Alameda, T. A. Arney, Jr., of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Bert L. Arney of Pampa and Billy L. Arney of Ft. Worth. One son, Jackie L. Arney died in infancy. Eight grandchildren also survive.

Fullbearers were Felton Brasher, Aaron Stiles, George Robinson, O. R. Gafner, Joe Graham, and W. A. Lewis.

STRIKE THREAT MOVES SURPLUS CLEVELAND (UP) — Regional WSC deputy director F. E. Brickel reports that the recent threat of an electric power stoppage in Ohio resulted in the sale of about 100 gasoline driven generators declared surplus by the government, which were valued at about \$65,000.

Eastland To Be Host To Medicos Of N-W District

Eastland will be host Thursday, March 28, to an all-day meeting of the Northwest Texas District Medical Society (13th District). The Society and Auxiliary will meet jointly.

Officers of the Northwest Texas District are: A. M. Roberts, M. D., Fort Worth; Frank C. Hodges, M. D., Abilene, vice-president; Joe R. Wise, M. D., Fort Worth, secretary - treasurer; O. B. Kiel, M. D., Wichita Falls, concilor.

Following is the program for the Eastland meeting:

Morning Session 9:30 to 10:00 a. m. Registration at Connellie Theatre. Meeting at Connellie Theatre. Welcome Address — Dr. A. W. Branda, President Eastland-Callahoun Medical Society, Ranger.

The Diagnosis and Treatment of Urinary Frequency in the Female — Dr. James P. Bridges, Abilene. Surgical Intervention in Cholelithiasis — Dr. W. Burgess Sealy, Fort Worth.

Nephrositis — Dr. V. J. Donnelly, Bowie.

Noon Luncheon Noon Luncheon 12:30 p. m. at Connellie Hotel. Election of officers.

Afternoon Session Diaphragmatic Hernia, Traumatic Origin, with case, Report — Dr. W. Harry Ledbetter, Wichita Falls.

Restoration of the Hand — Dr. J. R. Cochran, Fort Worth.

A General Consideration of the More Common Ano-Rectal Disease — Dr. T. Wade Hedrick, Abilene. Injuries of the Intestines — Dr. J. W. Tottenham, Jr., Fort Worth.

Location Made For Oil Test In Erath County

Location has been made for a 2,500 foot oil test east of Russell in the corner of Erath county adjacent to the Eastland County line.

The test is being made by J. E. Cheek of Ulysess, Kansas, a n d supervision of the work is being done by Glen Pool of Wichita Falls, operating out of Ranger. C. M. Echols of Breckenridge has the drilling contract and drilling will be done by a spudder.

The well is located on a 54 acre tract, 390 feet from the west and 555 feet from the south line on the Lucy Russell land. It was stated that at least two wells will be drilled on the property.

PLANKS RIP CAR PUEBLO, Col. (UP) — William O. McGee drove his car into an abutment of a bridge here, two three-by-eight inch planks pierced the car through its entire length. McGee escaped unhurt.

Parker Tells Rotarians Of County Hospital

At a meeting of the Eastland Rotary club Monday noon, Don Parker, Eastland County Auditor, spoke on the City - County Hospital located at Ranger, which was established in 1924 and since 1928 has been under the superintendency of Miss Anna B. Kennedy.

Erected at a cost of \$60,000, the City-County Hospital, recently renamed the Ranger General Hospital, has 16 room and 32 beds and is well and modernly equipped. It is operated jointly by the County of Eastland and the City of Ranger, and until recently the two shared the expenses but now the County pays the operating expenses and the hospital makes no charge for charity cases. It does a general hospital business.

The governing board for the hospital is composed of Dr. C. L. Jackson, brother of the late Dr. W. L. Jackson, who for many years headed the hospital staff; Dr. J. H. Cason of Eastland, Dr. F. T. Ibbell of Eastland and E. E. Crawford and L. L. Bruce of Ranger. The hospital is on a sound financial basis. Mr. Parker said and plans for its improvement are being considered.

American Legion, Auxiliary Plan Birthday Dinner

Officials of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary announced today that they will entertain with the annual birthday dinner at the Legion clubrooms Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Robert Ray Herring of Breckenridge, Air Corps veteran of the Pacific war, and a candidate for the office of representative from the 17th congressional district, will be the guest speaker.

Gorman Man On Way To States

MANILA — Private First Class Harvey R. Files, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Files of Route 2, Gorman, Texas, is now enroute to the States from the 5th Replacement Depot near Manila for his discharge from the Army under current readjustment regulations.

Pfc. Files arrived overseas at Manila last October to serve with the Headquarters Company, 100th Highway Transportation Service. For his Army service he is authorized to wear the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal ribbon.

GETS DISCHARGE It has been announced by the Separation Center at Fort Bliss, Texas that TS Glynn A. Wilson of Ranger, Texas has been honorably discharged from the Army.

AGREE ON SPAIN PARIS (UP) — France today agreed to hold up temporarily for demand for United Nations Security Council action on Spain but called for immediate cessation of all trade with Spain and withdrawal of her ambassador from Madrid

Russia Asks UNO To Dismiss Iranian Case

MAC L. COKER CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER

DALLAS, March 26.—Mac L. Coker, 35 year old World War II veteran and consulting geologist, has announced his candidacy for the Texas Railroad Commission.

Coker's platform calls for a Railroad Commissioner qualified by education, training and experience to return the Commission to its legal and logical place as guardian of the people's rights; and for energetic and progressive policies to replace the present inefficient and antiquated procedures of the Railroad Commission.

Coker was born in Abilene, attended the Dallas public schools and the University of Texas and received his science degree from the Southern Methodist University in 1933. He was employed in the petroleum engineering department of the Railroad Commission at Kilgore and Corpus Christi from 1934 to 1936; later he became geologist and drilling superintendent for an independent oil company in Corpus Christi; and in 1939 he opened offices in Austin for statewide practice as a petroleum geologist.

Of the 41 months Coker spent in the Army, 25 months were served in the Southwest Pacific. He was awarded the Distinguished Unit Citation; the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with four battle stars for campaigns in New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Leyte and Luzon; and the Philippine Liberation ribbon with a battle star. He said, "I volunteered my services to our country to fight against the threat of world dictatorship, and now I offer my services to our state against the dictatorial administration of the affairs of the Railroad."

Coker favors prompt adjustment of freight rate differentials and other transportation barriers which place Texas at an economic disadvantage. He states that the Railroad Commission's policies relative to oil and gas conservation have a direct effect on the amount of revenue received by the Old Age pension fund, the Public School fund, Texas University, Texas A & M College and the Teachers Retirement fund.

Coker, who has had ten years experience in Texas oil and gas fields, pledges that he will work for the efficient conservation of our natural resources, and will conduct the Commission's business so that Federal interference will not be necessary. He also pledges to stop the waste of two billion cubic feet of gas daily.

Gas rates in the Texas homes will be investigated under Coker's administration, and he will oppose any measure designed to raise the gasoline price paid by Texas automobile owners.

As for the old people, who get part of their pension money from the petroleum industry, Coker favors prompt and full payment of all old age pensions. He believes further that fair wages should be paid all workers, both in private industry and public service.

Coker makes this declaration: "The present closed-door policy of the Railroad Commission has put it beyond the reach of the vast majority of our citizens who need its protection. Land and royalty owners are not notified before oil and gas hearings affecting their property. My policy will be to give wide publicity to all oil, gas and transportation hearings so the general public can know what the Commission is doing."

Says Fund Cut Would Curtail Atomic Research

WASHINGTON (UP) — Maj. Leslie R. Groves, chief of the Army's atomic bomb program, told a Senate appropriations subcommittee today that a contemplated cutback of \$50,000,000 in war department funds would seriously limit atomic research and bomb production.

ELEVEN NEW MEMBERS JOIN JAYCEES MON.

Eleven new members were added to Ranger's Junior Chamber of Commerce when that group met Monday night at 8:00 o'clock in the blue room of the Gholson Hotel.

New members are James P. Morris, Gene Falls, Earl Pittman, A. C. Loper, Frank Shepard, Truman Harper, Bob Riggs, Sam Ward, S. S. Faircloth, Jr., C. C. McKeever and Everett North.

In the business session in which Price Crowley, president, presided, possibility of holding a rodeo in Ranger this summer was discussed. It was also voted at the meeting that on the first Monday in each month the Jaycees will have a luncheon.

At the close of the meeting Monday night refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Arthur Shelton and Arlie Carver.

Ranger Gets 1.02 Inches Of Rain During 64 Hours

During the last 64 hours Ranger has had a total of 1.02 inches of rainfall according to the gauge at the Weather Bureau station gauge at the Ranger Daily Times.

A total of .79 of an inch fell Saturday night and early Sunday morning and another .95 of an inch fell in a shower early Tuesday morning and which was measured at 8:00 A. M. From 8:00 o'clock this morning until 1:30 this afternoon an additional .26 of an inch had fallen and rain was still falling.

A trace of hail fell during the middle of the morning.

'MICKY' GETS IN VFW DENVER (UP) — "Mickey," a German Police dog who saw action on several Pacific fronts with the Coast Guard, claims the distinction of being a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Although Denver VFW officials couldn't find a loophole to allow Mickey full status in the organization, he was made official mascot of Jay Junior Brunaman Post No. 3971.

Tries To Prevent Son's Marriage



Mrs. Hilda Carling Ochsner, Oakland, California, looks at a picture of her son, Seaman 1-c John G. Ochsner, heir to oil field millions, whose marriage to Marguerite Faye Human, 18, of New Orleans, she is trying to forestall through official aid. (NEA Telephoto).

COAL WORKERS TO STOP WORK SUNDAY NIGHT

WASHINGTON (UP) — President John L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers announced today that a nation-wide work stoppage would begin in the bituminous coal fields at midnight Sunday.

His announcement was made at a press conference after the union had notified soft coal operators that it was exercising its option to terminate the present wage contract at that time.

Lewis made public copies of letters to all local unions notifying them of the action and saying that "each member will be governed accordingly."

Lewis told reporters contract proposals submitted by the operators yesterday were a "monstrous jumble entirely unsatisfactory on every point."

He said the union was not interested in settling questions of wages and hours until demands were satisfied for improved health and safety conditions.

Predicts Big Meat Shortage In Six Months

WASHINGTON (UP) — Livestock experts told Congress today that city customers are threatened with the most acute meat shortage in history within the next six months.

H. M. Cooney, research director of the National Livestock Producers Association, told the House Agricultural committee that unless something is done, meat supplies will be extremely short or non-existent.

As a remedy, he urged the removal of all price ceilings and subsidies on livestock on June 30 — present expiration of the price control act. He said the immediate effect of the removal of these controls would be an increase in the price of high-grade cattle and a decrease in the price of poorer grades.

Marine engineers of General Electric Co. predict higher-speed ocean travel as a result of extensive wartime research and new developments in marine propulsion equipment.

Chemist Admits He Gave Formula To Communist

MONTREAL (UP) — Prof. Raymond Boyer, wartime chemist at McGill University, admitted today he gave details of a secret Canadian explosive to Fred Rose, Communist member of Parliament and that he knew the formula was sought by Soviet Russia.

Boyer, one of the suspects arrested in connection with the Soviet espionage ring in Canada, made the admission at resumption of preliminary hearings for him and Rose. Both are charged with violation of the official secrets act.

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The committee's report accompanied legislation recommending an additional \$253,179,153 to operate government departments and agencies during the fiscal year ending June 30.

TELLS COUNCIL AGREEMENT IS REACHED BY IRAN, RUSSIA

Security Council Chamber, New York (UP) — The Soviet Union today demanded that the United Nations Security Council dismiss the Iranian case without discussion but faced certain defeat when it met immediately and strong opposition from the United States, Britain, Australia, Egypt, the Netherlands and Mexico.

Only Poland, which usually votes with its Soviet neighbor, supported the Russian move made by Soviet Ambassador Andrei A. Gromyko after he officially notified the council of Soviet Iranian agreement.

Soviet Ambassador Andrei A. Gromyko officially notified the United Nations Security Council today of an agreement between the Soviet Union and Iran for the removal of Russian troops and asked the council therefore to remove the Iranian case from its agenda.

Secretary of State James F. Byrnes immediately objected to the Russian proposal and asserted firmly that "I cannot agree with the view of the Soviet government."

Gromyko revealed that negotiations between Russia and Iran started on March 2—the date on which Russian troops were supposed to have been out of Iran under the 1942 tripartite treaty. But he did not give any details beyond the statement made by Moscow Radio Sunday that all Russian troops would be out of Iran within five or six weeks.

It was the first notification to the Security Council that an agreement between Iran and Russia had been reached. But Premier Josef Stalin told President Hugh Huddle of the United Press in a cable last night that the Soviet-Iranian dispute had been "positively settled" by an agreement.

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THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS — Cooler and clearing in the north and west. Cloudy with showers and thunderstorms in the southeast this afternoon, tonight and Wednesday. Cooler tonight. Southerly winds on the coast shifting to fresh to strong northeasterly this afternoon, diminishing Wednesday.

Maximum	82°
Minimum	48°
Maximum	48°
Minimum	44°
Hour's Reading	46°

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EDITORIALS By James Thrasher

BACKING OUR OWN HORSE

Few if any speeches by a private citizen ever matched in political repercussions the address which Winston Churchill delivered at Fulton, Mo. It was hard to realize that this was a retired, defeated statesman speaking, and not the first minister of the British Empire.

The policy that Mr. Churchill expressed is probably not too different from that held by his successor at the head of Britain's government. For Britain, beset by strife throughout her empire and by privation at home, badly needs American help.

Mr. Churchill's blunt speech, through unofficial, came in significant sequence to the recent and almost equally blunt statements by Senator Vandenberg and Secretary Byrnes regarding Russia.

Less significant, in retrospect, was the proposal of a close military alliance between Britain and the United States. Here Mr. Churchill spoke more as an Englishman deeply concerned for the future of the empire than as a world statesman.

The community of language, interest and political philosophy which binds the people of the two nations promises to be stronger and more enduring than any written agreement, and more important than the continued operation of the Combined Chiefs of Staff or the sharing of military bases by the forces of the two governments.

Mr. Churchill professed belief in certain freedoms which are not actualities throughout the empire, and which he did nothing to advance as Prime Minister. He and his successors will surely find that, without a binding military agreement, the American people will be better friends of Britain as things stand now than they would be if they might be called upon to enforce some of Britain's imperial policies by force of arms.

All this may sound as though the UNO did not exist. But at present the infant organization is unable to walk unassisted. It is dominated by three great powers. And to date at least two of them have spent more time in quarreling over its custody than in trying to guide its first steps on a straight path toward peace.

America has the opportunity, and at last is showing some inclination, to step in and try to pacify the quarrel. Our government's policies may not be perfect, but they do seem more moral and disinterested than those of Russia and Britain.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—No one point in current negotiations between John L. Lewis's United Mine Workers and the coal operators is apt to be more kicked around and misunderstood than the question of organizing the so-called supervisory employees.

It will be represented as "an attempt by labor to usurp the powers of management." It will be tied in with the drive against the foremen's union in the automobile industry. There is no connection, except that both grew out of short-sighted policies which did not give the foremen and supervisory employees their proper place in the industrial scheme of things, thereby forcing them to break away from top management and join forces with rank-and-file labor.

In the first place, it is the contention of the United Mine Workers that it does not seek, and never has wanted, to organize the mine superintendents, foremen, fire bosses, lippie foremen, or others who have the right to hire and fire and are recognizably a part of management.

Organization of supervisory employees in the mines grew out of mechanization of the mines. Before coal cutting and loading machinery came into use, there were only a few foremen in a mine. With the introduction of mining machinery, a crew of 10 men had to be assigned to each unit, and, naturally enough, one man out of the 10 had to be boss.

At first the supervisors were paid a dollar a day more than other miners, or they were paid a straight salary instead of an hourly rate and, being a part of management, were expected to work overtime without compensation. When they became dissatisfied with this deal, they began to talk of organizing their own union.

As soon as the new supervisors' union began to show signs of strength, representatives of the operators came to Washington to protest to John L. Lewis against having to deal with two unions. It is the United Mine Workers' contention that the operators asked that supervisors be admitted into the U. M. W.

Then, in May, 1943, in the celebrated Maryland Dry Dock case, the National Labor Relations Board handed down a ruling forbidding, in effect, the organization in labor unions of foremen and supervisory employees.

With that ruling behind them, the coal operators did an about-face, charged the miners with trying to take over management, and the fight was on. Opposition only made the union stronger. The whole matter came to a head last fall in a series of unauthorized strikes of supervisory employees, which U. M. W. district officials found it impossible to check until Lewis postponed to a later date his negotiations with the operators in October.

But now, on the eve of resuming negotiations with the operators for a general new contract, Lewis is handed a beautiful break in a National Labor Relations Board decision in the Jones and Laughlin case. It is a specific ruling that supervisory employees in coal mines who wish to join a union for collective bargaining are eligible to do so under the Wagner Act.

COLORADO LIKE ANDES CURAY, Col. (UP)—When Antonio Portuaria of Lima, Peru, visited this southwestern Colorado town on an engineering study tour, he said the country surrounding it struck him as the most pleasant he had seen in the United States because it reminded him of the native South American Andes.

Aw, C'mon, Joe, Let It Cool Off!



Q—Is lumber production meeting needs in the United States? A—Forestry Service estimates top for next decade at 3,000,000,000 board feet a year, and demand up to 4,000,000,000 board feet within three years.

Q—What was the atom bomb death toll at Hiroshima? A—80,000. Population was 318,000 prewar.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON NEA Sports Editor

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.—(NEA)—Bobby Brown, 21-year-old short-stop signed by the Yankees for a reported \$35,000, is a real Tom Laird Special. A Tom Laird Special is so called because of the way the former sports editor of the San Francisco News used to rave about one.

Laird, now rapidly becoming affluent as a bowling alley proprietor in Sacramento, was rarely wrong. A Laird Special had to play in the Pacific Coast League, of course, and his sponsor waxed even more eloquent in the case of a native son. There was a long line of Laird Specials leading up to Joe and Dominic DiMaggio and Ted Williams.

Now, Bobby Brown has not played in organized baseball, but I am positive that if he were writing of the game today, Tom Laird would be beating the drums for the youngster.

Young Brown could double for Frank Merriwell. At 16 he had feelers from the Yankees, Indians, Dodgers, Athletics, Tigers, and Reds, and was brought east from California on a paid vacation so they could look at him. When he became a Navy V-12 premed freshman at Stanford, he was the recipient of new offers from the Pirates and Braves. When Merriwell saw him play softball and hard ball at Tulane early last year, the Giants entered the field, swelling the total of major league clubs seeking his services to nine.

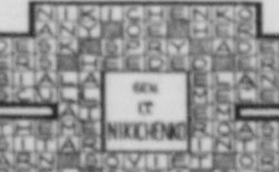
Bobby and his dad, William C., were guests of the Yankees and Giants at the World Series last fall. Capt. Dan Topping, one of the New York owners, then visited the boy at San Mateo, Calif. Scout Wish Egan spent two weeks with him in New Orleans.

Crossword Puzzle

U. S. Official

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Answer to Previous Puzzle



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Q—How long will the nation's coal supply last? A—Around 3000 years. (No hoarding, now!)

Q—About how much of business is big business and how much is small business? A—About 92 per cent is small, 8 per cent big. But big business accounts for two-thirds of total business in the nation.

Q—What are temperature extremes on the moon? A—242 degrees below zero at night, 214 above in daytime—no wind, no rain, no snow. Nights last half a month.

Q—What do textile workers' wages average? A—\$33 a week, says Commerce Department.

Q—What do railroad workers' wages average? A—\$50.21 a week was last October's figure, says a railway announcement.

Q—How many coal mines are there in the nation? A—7000.

Q—Where did we get the name shamrock? A—From an erroneous Gaelic name for oxalis, seamrog (pronounced shamrock), popularly believed to be shamrock. Proper

Gaelic name for oxalis is seamrog, says Rev. Hugh O'Neill of Catholic U. Furthermore, he says, shamrock is not oxalis at all, but is a yellow-flowered species of clover.

Q—How many people will be taken to Bikini for the atom bomb test? A—About 35,000.

Q—Where were Bikini natives moved to make way for atom bomb tests? A—Rongerik Atoll, 109 miles from Bikini.

Q—What portion of Indonesia population is comprised by the Anamese who recently won autonomy from France? A—About three-fourths. Indonesia's population is \$25,000,000.

Freckles and His Friends

By Merrill Blosser



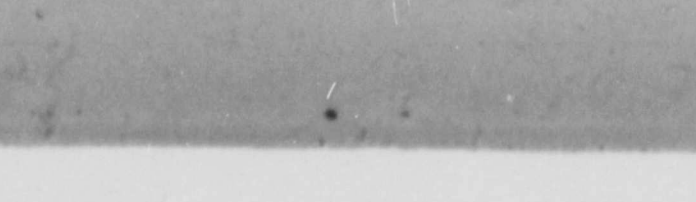
Red Ryder

By V. T. Hamlin



Alley Oop

By Fred Harmon



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FOR SALE

CUSTOM made seat covers our specialty. Furniture upholstery. Wiesen Bros., Cor. Pine & Rusk.

FOR SALE — Boys bicycle, excellent condition. Phone 532.

FOR SALE — Baby chicks, one day to three weeks old. Also pullets and cockerels. Turkey poulters every Friday from brood breasted baby beef U. S. approved Polorum tested flocks. Place your order today for immediate or future delivery. Mosley's Hatchery, Phone 933, 802 W. Hubbard, Breckenridge, Texas.

BABY CHICKS and Custom Hatching. Dudley's Hatchery, 105 South Marston.

FOR SALE — Blue Manuscript Stock Covers, Ranger Times.

FOR SALE — Two Milk cows. Julia McCleskey, Vivian's Cafe.

GOOD Milk cows for sale. Cox's Jersey Farm, Ranger, Route 1.

FOR SALE — Cheap, nice 6-room house. Large lot, double garage. Best location. 207 Sue Street.

FOR SALE — 7 room house to be moved. Bargain. See Lewis Godwin, Godwin Furniture.

FOR SALE — 1941 Plymouth house trailer. All built in fixtures. 401 Travis Street.

FOR SALE — 5 room house. L. E. Melton, Ranger, Route 1.

FOR SALE — Plants of the blue-eyed African Daisy, 2¢ apiece. Mrs. Simer, Olden.

LOTS for sale — Hodges Central addition. Block Number 6 - No. 1-3-6-9-10-11-12. \$50. Each. Call 420.

Game population on Forest Service land for deer, elk and bear for 1944 was 2,300,000 head, with game doubling during each 10 years of co-operative management.

FOR SALE — Piano, good condition. Phone 275 or 435 after 6.

FOR SALE — Wood range, white leghorn hens and good milch cow. Mrs. J. B. Griffith, Route 1, Ranger.

FOR SALE — 4-room house newly decorated. Bathroom fixtures. On Two lots, Young Street and 4-room newly decorated house to be moved. Also 4-gallon milk cow. Don Butlor, Vivian's Cafe. Phone 245.

FOR SALE — RCA Victor Cabinet Radio. C. L. Dinsmore. Phone 282R.

FOR SALE — '34 Standard Chevrolet, good condition. Terms. 223 South Commerce.

FOR SALE — 1941 factory trailer house. Call at 5:00 o'clock, 429 Hunt Street. J. D. Cheney.

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FOR RENT — Apartment 311 1-2 Walnut Street.

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WANTED

WANTED — Cess pool, septic tanks and outdoor toilet cleaning. Lee Jackson, General Delivery, Ranger Postoffice.

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HELP WANTED

WANTED — Ladies to work in Garment Factory, ages 20 to 45, apply to O. K. Gray, 225 South Rusk.

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The Governor of New Hampshire received a 101-pound watermelon as a gift. He divided the giant fruit with the state house employees.

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LOST — Two hound dogs, one black and one brown. Scar on face of largest, dragging chain. Write P. J. Scott, Gordon, Texas.

Political Announcements

This newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the Democratic primaries.

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Mrs. Ruth (Garland) Branton

FOR SHERIFF
W. W. (Sheeny) Eddleman
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J. B. Williams

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T. E. Castleberry
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The East Side Kids are at it again! A scene from "Come Out Fighting" with Leo Gorcey, Huntz Hall, Billy Benedict and Gabriel Dell.

Dog—And Copy Cat



Little Dale Noble of Oakland, Calif., unconsciously sticks out her lower lip as she studies the profile of "Bomber," 65-pound, blue-ribbon bulldog at the Golden Gate Kennel Club's annual show in San Francisco.

Spring Cleaning Begun In London Underground

LONDON (UP)—Spring cleaning of London's Underground or "Tubes" has now begun, for the first time in six years.

During the Blitz the Underground stations were more often used as protection than the regular shelters. Some families whose homes were bombed out, lived in the Underground for months on end.

Every night after the last train had run—about 10:30 p. m. during the war—the station platforms became dormitories. Thousands carried cots or blankets with them; later on the Army supplied folding beds and these were un-

stacked and put up each night. So it is expected that the spring cleaning workmen will have something of a job.

NO PEEPING ALLOWED
TACOMA, Wash. (UP)—Tacoma police will scratch their heads in wonderment for a long time to come.

A police dispatcher broadcast the command: "All cars—go to South Jay St.—a horse is peeping in the window."

Officers, armed with lariats, departed for an investigation of a new type "peeping Tom," but when they arrived the horse was gone.

The shipside cotton warehouse of the port of New Orleans is the largest in the world, with a capacity of nearly 500,000 bales.

Love! It's Wonderful



Marguerite F. Human, 18, of New Orleans, La., who stowed away aboard a transport ship from the west coast to Honolulu to marry Seaman 1-c John G. Ochsner, 19, heir to the Kettleman Oil fortune Miss Human, a former San Francisco night club singer, declared they will go through with the wedding although Ochsner's mother is taking steps to prevent it. (NEA Telephoto).

The Louisville and Portland Canal at Louisville originally was built by slave labor in 1830 as a cost of \$740,000.

WIDOW GETS GOLD HUSBAND SWALLOWED

COLOMBO, Ceylon (UP)—The 42 pellets of gold which a smuggler swallowed to evade the customs authorities were awarded to the man's widow in a recent decision by Ceylon's chief justice who reversed a lower court's order that they be handed over to the collector of customs.

The smuggler, Pannampalam Mylvaganam of Nallore, Ceylon, arrived from India with the gold. When confronted by customs authorities he followed a well-known practice among smugglers by swallowing the gold with the intention of recovering it later.

He was released after no gold was found on him but the next day he died. A post-mortem revealed that death was due to results of swallowing the 42 pellets of gold.

A dispute arose over ownership of the gold and the magistrate at Jaffna ordered the gold delivered to customs. The widow appealed.

The chief justice heard the appeal and he directed that the gold be handed over to the widow. He said there had been no trial or inquiry into any offense with regard to the gold and since there had been no seizure by customs authorities the gold belonged to the widow.

OVERLOOKS NOTHING
MONTROSE, Col. (UP)—Montrose County Republican Chairman Herbert L. Strang used this quip to summon party members to a Republican gathering: "Now is the time for all good men (and gals) to come to the aid of their party."

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WACs Can Get Nylon Hose In Johannesburg

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (UP)—The nylon stocking rush in Johannesburg, South Africa's biggest metropolis, has been

solved here by the only department store which has had any to sell.

The store decided that until adequate supplies arrive regularly the limited supplies will be allocated only to service and ex-service women.

Directors of the firm said they think service women "deserve a break" on their return to civilian life. Service women from all parts of the world are eligible if they are in Johannesburg when the stockings are being distributed.

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FIESTA TO BE REVIVED
RIVERSIDE, Cal. (UP)—De Anza Days, festival which relives the days of California's discovery and exploration by conquistadores and don, will be revived May 2-4 after four years of colorless war-time lull.

The colorful celebration, when Californians wear Spanish fiesta-type garb and participate in street dances and horseback parades, honors the trek of Capt. Juan Bautista de Anza, first white man to blaze an overland trail from Mexico to the Pacific in 1774.

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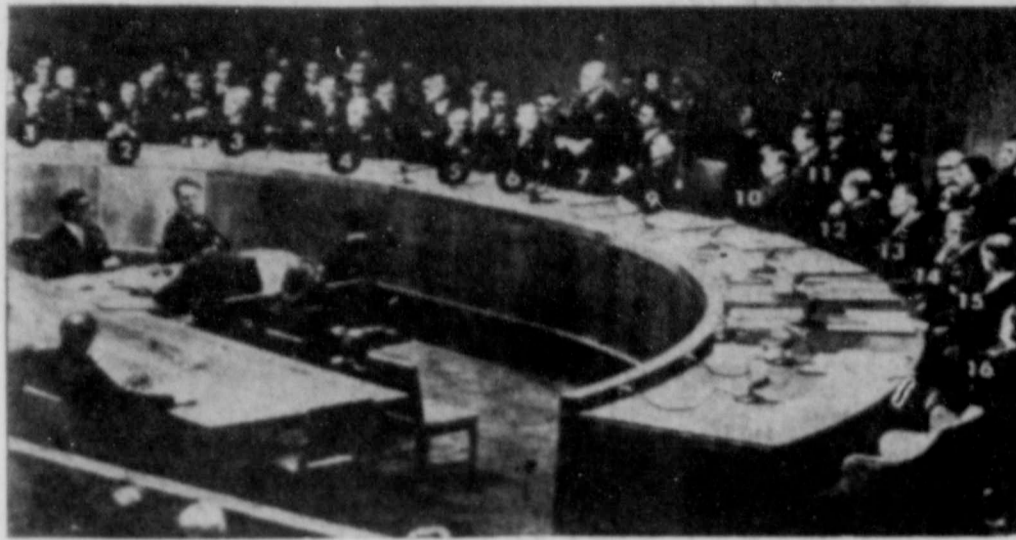
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SOUTH AFRICA STUDIES DDT ON INSECT BALANCE

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (UP)—The effect of DDT sprays on the balance of insect and plant life are being studied in experiments in South Africa.

The primary object of the investigations is to determine to what extent spraying DDT from the air will destroy the tsetse fly and thus eliminate the dread nagana cattle disease.

Officials of the veterinary department of the South African government are carrying out the work in the Mkuzi area of Natal province, but Dr. L. B. Ripley of the Cedara Agricultural College is working with those officials in trying to determine whether the use of DDT will upset the balance of insect and plant life.

Dr. Ripley's work is also important for another reason. The effect of DDT on the malaria-carrying

mosquito is of the greatest importance because in order to open up the country to farming it would be of little value to safeguard the cattle if human beings are in continual danger from malaria. Preliminary investigations indicate almost certainly that the malaria mosquito is susceptible to DDT in both the larva and adult stages.

South African bees and butterflies seem to be impervious to the spray but there is heavy mortality among parasites of moths and caterpillars, suggesting that the continuous use of the "wonder insecticide" might in these insects and widespread stripping of leaves from trees and plants.

Cicadas and grasshoppers continue their normal life of destruction and do not appear to suffer from the spraying. The parasites

of beetle grubs suffer heavily pointing to a possible increase in the beetle population. Large numbers of houseflies and blowflies succumb to the effects of the spray.

Among other interesting points established are that two species of water spiders have disappeared completely in the area sprayed. Of 16 different types of ants, most have been found to be unaffected by the spray but those of the scavenger type which prey on other insects were killed in large numbers after eating dead insects which had been destroyed by DDT.

Dr. Ripley sets insect traps in streams (in some cases with hipopotami threatening to upset them) and under large flowering trees, and uses traps of light for night work. The insects caught in the traps are sent to the laboratory in sealed glass tubes, the produce of each trap being labeled separately. The laboratory identifies, counts and tabulates the contents of each tube and over a period this gives a clear picture of what insects may be expected in each trap under certain conditions.

Then DDT is sprayed from the air and 15 minutes later the traps are inspected at regular intervals until it appears that the effect of the spraying has worn off. By various intricate comparisons of these results the susceptibility of various types of insects to the insecticide can be assessed.

SQUIRRELS ELUDE POLICE
DANVERS, Mass. (UP)—The Danvers police have admitted officially that they are up a tree on their recent hunt for the grain thieves who ransacked a River St. grain storage bin recently.

The thieves are also up a tree. The culprits have been exposed as a family of squirrels living in trees near the storage bin.

TRUCK PLAYS WRONG ROLE
CONCORD, N. H. (UP)—While en route to sand icy roads to eliminate the danger of skidding, a state highway department truck skidded across the road and caused a mile-long traffic tie-up.

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RASON GIVES BUREAU EYES BEHIND CLOUDS

WASHINGTON (UP)—The old "ring around the moon, storm soon" type of weather prophesy is giving way more and more to scientific methods.

Newest to the weatherman, is "rason."

It's a war-developed system of learning the precise speed and direction of upper air winds by the use of radio devices.

Previously this information could be gathered only in clear weather. Plotters computed the course of winds by observing the flight of balloons.

Now rason gives meteorologists eyes with which to see behind clouds and penetrate fog to follow these same scientifically-equipped weather-reading balloons.

For airmen, for farmers, for all whose lives are affected by the weather, this is an important step in forecasting.

"It means we will be able to make better and longer range weather predictions," B. C. Haynes, chief of the observations sections, United States weather bureau said.

"Obviously, the more exact information we have the more accurate our forecasts," he said.

Since 1937, he continued, observers have been attaching miniature radio broadcasting stations to helium-filled balloons and sending them aloft.

Ground stations have been picking up signals from these stations which they translated into temperature, pressure and humidity readings. These continued as the balloons ascended until they burst from excess internal pressure usually about 10 miles in the air.

Now, through a development of a higher frequency transmitter, and responding ground equipment the weatherman at the same time can get information on winds, speed and direction during the balloons' ascent.

It is an adaptation of the radar principle and was developed by the Army Signal Corps and the Farnsworth Television and Radio Corp. to aid in the Allied air assault on Europe.

A plotter on the ground, tunes in on the balloon radio's ascent. Attached to his receiver is an antenna which looks for all the world like an old-fashioned bedspring.

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There it is forwarded by teletype, along with the temperature, pressure and humidity readings, to the nearest of the bureau's 25 forecasting stations where experts use it in arriving at their predictions.

"Our forecasts are ready for the public about six hours after the balloon is released," Haynes said.

"Rason is helpful chiefly because it will tell us more about the behavior of winds."

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

Real Estate Transfers, Marriages, Suits Filed, Court Judgements, Orders, Etc.

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments have been filed in the County Clerk's office:

W. W. Anderson to W. M. Bailey, warranty deed.

Johnnie Aaron to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way.

A. B. Allen et ux to C. C. Pippen, warranty deed.

G. E. Boland to Roxie Fox, warranty deed.

Charles A. Bobo to Mrs. Gertrude Love, warranty deed.

W. L. Boggs to Charles Rutherford, warranty deed.

Floyd Brewer to Premier Oil

Refining Company, warranty deed.

Bula B. Butler to Jack Murihead, right of way.

Orrville Battenfield, et ux to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.

T. L. Hinton to G. E. Blanton, warranty deed.

A. L. Brin to Abe Cohn, warranty deed.

Z. Z. Bowen to R. J. Rains, warranty deed.

Elsie Birdsong v. Peyton Birdsong, judgement.

J. N. Cone to E. W. Cotten, warranty deed. Natalie Cunningham to F. L. Kelly, release.

City of Cisco to Mrs. K. H. Pittard, deed.

Virginia Joan Clarke to J. W. Jones, warranty deed.

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L. B. Cozart to D. B. Cozart, release.

D. B. Cozart to Charles D Witherspoon, warranty deed.

William H. Cole to Mrs. Virginia Quinn, deed of trust.

P. L. Crossley to G. E. Blanton, warranty deed.

J. W. Coates to Roy Wells, quit claim deed.

Dave E. Carter to J. M. Sherrill, warranty deed.

Mrs. Rose V. Coplin to E. D. Thomas, release.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to Cities Service Oil Company release.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to J. M. Davis, release.

City of Ranger to Don Butler, warranty deed.

L. H. Choate to Robert S. Davis, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Cinda L. Duncan to The Public, affidavit.

M. J. Eppler to J. L. Turner, warranty deed.

Eastland National Bank to Cecil Sylvester, et ux, release.

J. F. Edmondson, deceased to The Public, proof of heirship.

J. F. Fore to T. B. McCracken, warranty deed.

First Federal S&L to I. E. Talley, et al, release.

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First National Bank, Cisco, to L. L. Walker, release.

A. E. Guy et ux to James P. Byrd, warranty deed.

Lois T. Groves to I. E. Talley, correction deed.

E. J. Gilbert et al to Texas Electric Service Company, right of way.

J. T. Hendrix to W. O. Guy, release.

J. W. Graham et ux to Jess F. Kirk, warranty deed.

Gladys Reed George to A. d. Gordon, warranty deed.

J. H. Hyatt to James H. Bryant, warranty deed.

Ira L. Hanna to Lone Star Producing Company, right of way.

Burk B. Hunt to C. D. Simpson, warranty deed.

Minnie L. Hill to G. T. Brown, warranty deed.

W. W. Hill to G. M. Hill, warranty deed.

Mrs. Myrtle Huffman to L. Shelton, release.

J. A. Hancock, et ux to Olan C. Lee, warranty deed.

Mrs. Nannie Jones to William H. Cole, warranty deed.

C. E. Leatherwood to First National Bank, Strawn, transfer.

Mrs. Bera Leszar to J. J. Beck, release.

C. P. Mosley to D. J. Weathers, warranty deed.

Henry R. Mayberry to J. F. Haynes, warranty deed.

W. H. Mayhew to Harry Walkins, Jr., notice of L. P.

M. L. Miller to N. W. Usery, warranty deed.

M. L. Miller to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of vendor's lien.

W. J. O'Neal to W. E. Love, warranty deed.

C. C. Pippen to Federal Land Bank, Houston, assignment.

Guy Patterson to The Public, affidavit.

George L. Parrack to J. W. Coates, warranty deed.

R. J. Rains to J. P. Morris, warranty deed.

E. T. Reames to E. C. Moorman, warranty deed.

C. E. Robertson to B. G. Marshall, release.

J. F. Robertson to First State Bank, Rising Star, transfer of vendor's lien.

C. E. Sims et al to O. L. Seal, quit claim deed.

H. C. Short to J. E. Wittie, warranty deed.

V. T. Seaberry to The Public, affidavit.

Luther Shelton to Z. Z. Bowen, warranty deed.

State of Texas v. Thomas J. Bray, judgement.

L. J. Tullos to Cisco Independent School District, sheriff's deed.

Bela Tucker to E. C. Moorman, warranty deed.

A. B. Taylor to R. W. Smith, judgement.

E. D. Thomas to R. W. McCauley, warranty deed.

E. D. Thomas to First National Bank, Cisco, transfer of vendor's lien.

A. A. Webster to Texas Electric

Service Company, right of way.

T. E. Warden to F. R. Wolverton, mineral deed.

Hall Walker to Mrs. Gladys Reed George, agreement.

Johnnie Woods to A. A. Taylor, warranty deed.

Mrs. J. W. Wallace to L. H.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week:

William L. Phelps to Oma Belle Parker, Eastland.

C. L. Downs to Mrs. Myrtle Lavender, Cisco.

Harlan Glevis to Mattie Lee Glevis, Temple. J. E. Rachel to Mrs. Cora Belle Siddall, Cisco.

George A. Stuard to Bernice Rachel Etuand, Cisco.

SUITS FILED

The following suits were filed in the 91st District Court last week:

Ruby Pearl Underwood v. Homer N. Underwood, divorce.

W. H. Mayhew v. Harry Walkins Jr., damages.

Mildred E. Green v. Marvin L. Green, divorce.

Lois Bryant v. J. B. Bryant, divorce.

Jud Fields v. Patricia Fields, divorce.

Elna Ruth McGinnis v. Marian Leslie McGinnis, divorce.

ORDERS AND JUDGEMENTS

The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court last week.

Order for Jury Commissioners for March Term, 1946.

State of Texas v. Mrs. N. N. Elliott, et al, judgement.

State of Texas v. Connie Davis, judgement.

D. Clark v. C. A. Clark, judgement.

Hazel Irene Milford v. C. C. Milford, judgement.

Wash O. White v. Juanita White order appointing attorney.

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Wash O. White v. Juanita White, judgement.

Margaret Louise Lawrence v. Robert O. V. Lawrence, judgement.

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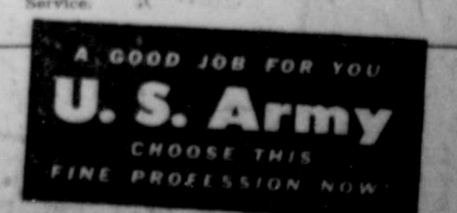
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Miss Jones Becomes Bride Of Mr. Shipman In Saturday Ceremony

Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock Miss Bettye Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Strawn became the bride of Mr. Richard Shipman of San Angelo, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shipman of Abilene. Rev. H. B. Johnson officiated.

The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Phillips, and the marriage service was read at an improvised altar before the fireplace in the living room of the home. Seven branch floor candelabra on each side of the altar held white candles which lighted the scene and two white floor baskets held peach colored gladioluses and fern. Palms flanked the center of the altar.

Mrs. Mamie Ruth Hamrick played pre-nuptial music at the piano as Miss Nancy Phillips, cousin of the bride, lighted the altar candles. Mrs. Hamrick also played the

wedding march from Lohengrin as the bridal party entered and I Love You Truly during the ceremony.

Mrs. David Tripp of San Angelo attended the bride as matron of honor. She wore a black afternoon dress with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of gladioluses. The bride wore a black crepe dress with front bodice and peplum of plaid taffeta and black accessories. Her black hat had a short veil attached and she carried a Bible topped with a purple archid with shower of satin ribbons in the same shade.

Mr. Howard Kemper of Abilene attended the groom as best man. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held and the bride and groom joined in cutting the wedding cake. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth

Iranian Delegates To UNO Security Council



The Iranian delegation to the United Nations Security Council takes its place as first session opens in New York. Left to right, John Lord O'Brien, advisor, Hussein Ala, head of delegation and Dr. A. A. Daftari, councillor. (NEA Telephoto.)

with the three tiered wedding cake which was topped with a miniature bride and groom, at one end and the crystal punch bowl at the other. Peach colored gladioluses outlined the base of the wedding cake. Mrs. Phillip presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Howard Kemper of Abilene presided at the cake.

Following the reception the bride and groom left to spend a short honeymoon in Abilene after which they will make their home in San Angelo.

The bride is a graduate of Ranger high school and Ranger Junior College and TSCW at Denton, and for the past few years has been a teacher, having taught at Strawn and Water Valley.

Mr. Shipman is a graduate of Abilene high school and was attending Texas A & M College when he entered the service of the Army Air Corps. He is a veteran of the war in the Pacific. At San Angelo he is employed with the Texas Unemployment Compensation Bureau.

Out of town guests at the wedding were the grooms parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shipman of Abilene, his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Gardener of Abilene, the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kemper and daughter, Dorothy Jean of Abilene, Mrs. W. O. Kemper of Abilene, Mrs. Ethel Horton of San Angelo, Rev. Dale Medeiros of Ft. Worth, Miss Mae Marshall and Miss Mollie Brooks both of Strawn and Mrs. David Tripp of San Angelo.

—READ THE CLASSIFIEDS—

Gleaners Class Meeting Is Held

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained Friday evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. H. A. Shockley with Mrs. E. P. Mayfield as co-hostess.

Mrs. O. K. Gray lead the religious service and installed the following officers: president, Mrs. G. H. Gay, re-elected; membership vice-president, Mrs. W. B. Emfinger; fellowship vice-president, Mrs. J. B. Houghton; class minister, Mrs. E. P. Mayfield; stewardship, Mrs. Owen Bray; secretary, Mrs. O. L. Stiles; birthday chairman, Mrs. E. H. Brooks; reporter, Mrs. G. E. Harper.

The class presented a serving tray to Mrs. G. H. Gay as a token of appreciation for her work as president of the class.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. J. E. Brown, Vernig Long, R. O. Bray, W. H. Gay, J. N. Graham, A. J. Blevins, F. M. Denton, A. L. Eyles, H. E. Brooks, J. T. Shirley, O. K. Gray, G. H. Gay, Miss Anna McEver, Laura Kay Gray, and Barbara Jane Harper.

MARtha DORCAS CLASS TO HAVE LUNCHEON

The regular monthly luncheon for the Martha Dorcas Class of the First Methodist church will be held Thursday at 1:00 o'clock in the dining room of the church.

All members are cordially invited to attend.

NEW ERA CLUB TO MEET ON WEDNESDAY

The New Era Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. E. E. Green. A group of high school students will be guests and all members are urged to attend.

LADIES TO SEND EGGS TO ORPHANS

It was announced today that the ladies of the First Christian Church will pack eggs for shipment to the orphans home Wednesday afternoon and those who contribute eggs are asked to have them at the church by 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

PERSONALS

Miss Mary Jo Wilson has returned to her studies at Texas Wesleyan College in Ft. Worth after spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson of Ft. Worth visited with Ranger friends during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLaughlin and children of Ft. Worth were the week-end guests of Mr. McLaughlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin.

Calvin Brown is in San Antonio where he was called because of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. M. E. Brown.

WILLING WORKERS TO HAVE PARTY

The Willing Workers class of the First Methodist church will be entertained Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the church basement with an April Fool party. One feature of the party will be a Goofy Hat Contest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Browning have received word of the birth of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Browning of Abilene. The baby was born in the Hendrick Memorial hospital in Abilene Tuesday, March 19 and has been named Michael. This is the Brownings' first grand baby.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By Boyce House
No telephone pole ever struck an automobile except in self defense.

Abraham Lincoln was writing straight-from-the-shoulder when he penned this letter to a ne'er-do-well relative:

"When I came into Charleston day before yesterday, I learned that you are anxious to sell the land you have and move to Missouri. I have been thinking of this ever since and cannot but think such a notion is utterly foolish.

"What can you do in Missouri better than here? Is the land any richer? Can you there, any more than here, raise corn and wheat and oats without work? Will anybody there, any more than here, do your work for you? If you intend to go to work, there is no better place than right where you are; if you do not intend to go to work, you can not get along anywhere.

"Squirriling and crawling about from place to place can do no good. You have raised a corn this year; and what you really want is to sell the land, get the money and spend it. Part with the land you have and, my life upon it, you will never after own a spot big enough to bury you in. Half you will get for the land, you will spend in moving to Missouri and the other half you will eat, drink and wear out, and no foot of land will be bought.

"Now do not misunderstand this letter; I do not write it in any unkindness. I write it in order, if possible, to get you to face the truth, which truth is, you are destitute because you have idled away your time. Your thousand pretenses for not getting along better

He Must Decide



Approval or commutation of the court martial death sentence imposed on Pfc. Joseph Hicson, of Wallington, N. J., rests completely in the hands of Maj. Gen. Arthur McK. Harper, commander of the 98th Infantry Division, now in Japan. Pfc. Hicson, a member of the 98th Headquarters Company, was convicted of fatally stabbing two Japanese civilians.

are all nonsense; they deceive nobody but yourself. Go to work; it is the only cure for your case."

Did you know that the wind in the center of a tornado sometimes reaches a velocity of 500 miles an hour? And that coffee is the berry of a bush found originally in Arabia and Abyssinia and that the beverage, coffee, was introduced into Europe in the 16th Century? And that the cassowary is a member of the ostrich family, has three toes, lives in New Guinea and Australia and can outrun a horse? Did I hear you say, "So what?"

Latin American Culture To Be Stressed At Meet

AUSTIN, Texas — Latin American culture, which is so much a part of Texas, will be emphasized when the Texas Folklore Society holds its twenty-eighth annual meeting at the University of Texas May 17-18, Frank Goodwyn of Austin, president, announced today.

The hispanic element in folklore as characterized in folk tales, songs, music, and dances, will make up the program for the meeting, Mr. Goodwyn said. Focal meetings only were held by the Society from 1942 through 1945, but this year the state-wide meeting will be revived, with several hundred members expected to attend.

CHANCES MODE OF TRAVEL DENVER (UP) — George W. Bauer, 26 left Denver in style, but returned in quite the opposite situation.

Bauer, according to authorities here, left Denver by air for an extensive tour of the South—with \$2,000 acquired through forged checks financing the trip. Four months later he came back to Denver—in a boxcar—and gave himself up.

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