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CIO Serves Notice Of Another Wage Demand

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

We guess that times are getting bigger and better and that we're slipping up a mite, because when we were in school if anybody would have proposed a trip to New Orleans for the senior class, we'd have laughed and our parents would have done worse than that.

When we were in school we thought it was something to get to go to the nearest country spot for a picnic. When our daughter was a senior in high school, we nearly broke the traces when she announced that her class was going to Fort Worth for a day.

And now bless you, the seniors this year are planning a trip to New Orleans. Next thing you know, some class will take a flyer to Europe.

But it's just like the old saying, "hitch your wagon to a star," etc. and we're for the seniors and their ambitious plans.

Incidentally, they're giving an entertainment Thursday night as part of their plans for raising money for the trip and you're invited to attend and help get those kids off to New Orleans.

Thanks to Steve Preslar of Washington, D. C. formerly of Ranger we have a souvenir edition of the Washington Post, the paper that was put out the day President Truman was inaugurated. Also, Steve sent along a January 21 edition which tells more about the "Nation's greatest inaugural celebration."

Thanks, Steve. We'll save those our grandchildren.

You know it's a funny thing. When a guy's winning everybody is for him. Just like Mr. Truman. All through those two Washington papers they say the nicest things about him and it can't have been too many weeks back when everybody, practically, was cursing him and praising Dewey.

And right on the heels of looking over the praise for President Truman, we get a story over the wire about the Republicans snubbing Tom Dewey. Yes sir, they're mad at him because he didn't get elected and are going to be conveniently occupied otherwise Tuesday night when he's supposed to speak at some big blowout up in the capital neck of the woods.

Now can you beat that? Just because the American people didn't want Dewey for president of the United States, and said so at the polls on November 2, the party leaders get mad at him, and make it a point of letting him know it.

And if we were Mr. Dewey, we'd do a little nose-thumbing our selves.

Somethin' we read the other day, reminded us that gardening time is just about here and that reminded us of some of our sad experiences in the field of gardening.

And there's one thing sure. While we may not have found out just what it is that the good Lord intended for us to do in this life, he sure didn't intend for us to be a gardener.

We made a number of attempts with never much luck. So one year we decided that we'd have a garden or know the reason why. Well, we found out all right.

First we took down the Almanac. We read every thing it said about gardens. And then we copied the Almanac in one hand and planted seeds with the other. Every day we consulted that garden Bible.

Well, the potatoes were up, bright and green, and potatoes never had more attention nor were ever hoed more. Then one afternoon late, a blue black cloud appeared in the north. And while we practically froze to death we robbed the beds and took everything that would cover, a potato vine out to cover those plants. Quick as the north wind passed on, we took a look at the crop. They looked all right. They continued to grow and you never saw prettier potato plants.

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GRATITUDE SHIP PARADE



Crowds watch along lower Broadway, in the Wall St. business section, as the French "40 and 8" freight car, loaded with gifts and art treasures for New York, passes during the "Gratitude Ship" parade. Other freight cars are being sent to the various states with gifts.

(NEA Telephoto)

U. S. PLANS TO SOFT PEDAL FRANCO-SPAIN UN DEBATE

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. Feb. 5 (UP)—The United States hopes to sidetrack a new debate of Franco Spain in the coming session of the UN General Assembly, officials said today.

Despite a growing tendency in some western countries to erase some anti-Franco UN resolutions from the books, American officials have decided a revival of the touchy Spanish question in UN would work to the west's advantage.

If, however, certain Latin American countries insist on debating the question, it was understood, the United States and Great Britain probably will support proposals for annulling the disputed 1946 general assembly condemnation of Generalissimo Francisco Franco's Spanish dictatorship. His assembly resolution called on UN countries to withdraw their ambassadors and ministers from Madrid, and refrain from sending them to the Spanish capital if they have none stationed there.

An earlier UN resolution bars Spain from UN membership until Franco steps down.

Repeal of the UN membership resolution is out of the question, American officials said. They doubted that a majority of UN countries would vote for such a move.

There has been growing sentiment among Latin Americans and some other UN countries, however, to write off the later general assembly decree on ambassadors and ministers from Madrid, and refrain from sending them to the Spanish capital if they have none stationed there.

Large segments of the population in countries whose support America values harbor strong feelings against Franco and active American support of any friendly move toward the Spanish dictator would, it was believed, result in bad propaganda effects.

Seeks Lost Purse

Billy Ray Johnson, one of the TIMES carriers lost his purse Saturday and he's looking for an honest finder who'll return the purse.

The purse contained a check for \$1.00 made out to the TIMES and Billy Ray needs that check.

If you find it won't you please return it to the TIMES office.

Lions, Ladies Due At Zone Meeting Monday

Lions and their ladies from Ranger will go to Stephenville Monday night to attend the meeting of Zone Six at John Tarleton College dining hall. Each Lion is asked to arrange for transportation for himself and his lady.

A dinner will precede a program on which Arthur (Art) F. Briesse of Hot Springs, Ark. will be the guest speaker. Briesse is widely known for his humorous talks and is much sought after as after dinner speaker.

At a recent speech in Memphis, Tennessee, Briesse is reported to have given the following definition of humor:

"Humor is the button on the pants of life to which we fasten our civic suspenders; what a sorry spectacle we make of ourselves when we lose that button."

When reporters asked him just what it is that makes people laugh, and how his brand of humor differs from that of the Marx Brothers or the late Will Rogers, Briesse replied "The Marx Brothers blow up huge bubbles of ridiculousness that burst of their own weight; Rogers pricked the tiny little bubbles of human vanities with a sharp-pointed needle of satire." Pressed for a statement as to his own methods, the humorist smiled wryly, with "O, I use an axe and let the chips fall where they may."

Affectionately known from coast to coast as "America's Knight of Satire", Briesse is in constant demand among large Trade Associations conventions nationally. Saye Oren H. Ellis, President of the Stephenville Lions Club, "We look forward to one of the most entertaining and at the same time stimulating evenings in many years in presenting Art Briesse as our annual dinner speaker for the Zone Six Lions Club dinner in the Tarleton College Dining Hall Monday evening, February 7th."

Mrs. Don Butler, president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ralph McKinley Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, stated today that she has received notice of the adoption of rules governing the student nurses loan fund of the VFW in Texas.

Scouters Meet Due Monday Nite

As a kick-off to National Scout Week, Feb. 6-13, Ranger Scouters will be hosts at a Scouters Pow-wow to be held at the Ranger Scout House Monday night at 7 o'clock.

Guests at the pow-wow will be Scouters from the northern section of the Comanche Trail Council.

It was pointed out today that finances of the trail will be discussed at the meeting and all finance chairmen are especially urged to attend.

Wilson Guest and Price Crawley are Ranger chairmen and they have named the following men as captains, J. A. Winder, Joe Graham, Gaston Dixon, A. N. Layson and J. A. Bates. All of these men are especially urged to be at the meeting Monday night.

Those who are planning to be at the meeting are asked to notify H. A. Shockey by noon Monday.

Collections Of Poll Taxes Off

Neil Day, Eastland county tax assessor and collector, announced today that a total of 4,153 persons paid poll taxes this year.

This figure falls short of last years paid taxes by 2,746. Ranger voters fell short of last years paid taxes by better than one half. A total of 1,300 taxes were collected last year as compared with 619 this year.

The above figure does not include over age exemptions nor first time voters.

Public Invited To Senior Party

Members of the senior class of Ranger High School have extended an invitation to the public to attend a bingo party at the Recreation building Thursday night. The party will begin promptly at 7 o'clock and proceeds from the entertainment will go to finance the senior trip this year.

Mr., Mrs. Bruce To New Orleans For Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd L. Bruce of Ranger, Texas, will leave Sunday to attend the convention being held in New Orleans, Louisiana, February 8, 9 and 10, by Reserve Loan Life Insurance Company of Texas.

The outstanding record which Mr. Bruce made during the qualification period, November 1, 1947 through December 21, 1948, earned the convention trip for both him and his wife, according to an announcement by B. Hicks Majors, president of the company. Qualification requirements were based upon new business written and delivered and upon the high renewal rate for all his business in force.

Mr. Bruce has been associated with Reserve Loan Life as general agent since November 4, 1943. Headquarters for the Bruce agency is in Ranger, Texas.

This will be the first convention held by Reserve Loan Life Insurance Company of Texas since the war. Qualification requirements were such that after an underwriter had made his personal qualification requirements, he was privileged to qualify his wife by increased performance. There will be 156 qualified Reserve Loan Life underwriters and their wives in attendance at New Orleans. These underwriters come from 47 different cities located in 11 states Cuba and Hawaii.

Student Nurses Loan Fund Rules Are Received

Mrs. Don Butler, president of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Ralph McKinley Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, stated today that she has received notice of the adoption of rules governing the student nurses loan fund of the VFW in Texas.

The fund is available to boys and girls who wish to secure training as nurses but who lack sufficient financial means.

She stated that any boy or girl interested in securing such a loan should contact her for further information.

Following are the rules which have been set up:

1. Applicant must be recommended by local auxiliary.
2. Applicant must be an American citizen.
3. Applicant must be between 17 and 30 years of age.
4. Applicant must attend a state accredited school of nursing.
5. Loans will be granted irrespective of race, religion or sex.
6. Loans to be made for one semester at a time.
7. Parents must sign contract of applicant under 21.
8. Applicant must contact school and be qualified to enter before applying for loan.

Job Vacancies At Air Force Base

Scott Air Force Base, Scott Field, Illinois, announces examinations for filling vacancies in the positions of Instructor, Fixed Wire Communications, and Instructor, Communications General, at entrance salary of \$3,727 per year. No written test is required for these examinations.

Applicants will be rated on the basis of their training and experience. Applicants must have reached their 18th birthday but must not have passed their 62nd birthday on the date of filling applications. These age limits do not apply to persons entitled to veterans preference. Applications should be filed with the Personnel Officer, Scott Air Force Base, Scott Field, Illinois.

Application forms may be obtained from any first or second-class post office in which this notice is posted or from the Director, Fourteenth U. S. Civil Service Region, 210 South Harwood Street, Dallas, Texas.

INCREASE FIGURE NOT REVEALED AS UNION HEADS CALLED TO MEET

John Shirley Top TCU Debater

A graduate speech-drama student from Ranger will be Texas Christian University's defending champion in oratory when the snocoos launches its 1949 debate and oratory season Feb. 11 at Abilene Christian College.

John Shirley, who won first for T. C. U. last year at the meet, will be defending his title against orators from schools throughout the state.

He also was awarded first in oratory at a pre-season tournament in November at East Central State Teachers College, Ada, Okla., and at T. C. U.'s Gough Oratorical Contest in May at Fort Worth.

Shirley is credited with having piled up the highest individual score of the entire 1948 forensic squad in combined points for oratory, debate and extemporaneous speaking, according to Dr. E. L. Pross, T. C. U. director of forensics.

He is a debate team member again this year, and is secretary of Texas Zeta chapter of Pi Kappa Delta, debaters' national honorary society.

A 1947 graduate of Ranger Junior College and former president of the school's Ex-Students Association, Shirley received his B. A. degree last month from T. C. U. Currently working on his M. A. degree in speech-drama, he plans to enter Ohio State University in September.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shirley, formerly of Ranger and now living at 4303 Polk St. Houston.

Rodeo Dates Set

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce announced today that tentative dates for the annual Jaycee Rodeo have been set for July 20-23.

At the same time it was announced that \$3,000.00 in prize money will be awarded to winners in the rodeo events.

It is expected that the show this year will draw the top rodeo performers of the country and plans are to make this show the biggest and best yet presented.

TURN-ABOUT



Feeling quite safe in her New York City apartment, with barricaded door, guarded by two armed men, Mrs. Edith Maria Reuss Lord arranges flowers in her living room. Mrs. Lord, once Philadelphia socialite, said it was a case of turn-about against her husband, Robert A. Lord, attorney and millionaire manufacturing tycoon. Mrs. Lord's separation suit, filed in Supreme Court on February 3, said her husband had locked her out of the lavish apartment for two months, and that she had recaptured it by force. She has been living there for 11 weeks now. The man seated at right has shotgun, and man at left has a rifle, and a pistol in his hip pocket. The 41-year-old Mrs. Lord charged in her suit that her husband had extra-marital ventures with three beauties, one of whom bore him a son, now three years old. (Copyright News Syndicate Photo Via Acme-NEA Telephoto).

Rites For Miss Stiffler Held

Funeral services were conducted at Killingsworth's Chapel Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for Miss Betty Gene Stiffler who died at her home in Ranger Thursday. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery with Rev. David C. Hay and Rev. H. O. Pinson officiating.

Miss Stiffler was born in Ranger, December 12, 1923 and had resided here all of her life.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. F. F. Maupin and stepfather, F. F. Maupin, both of Ranger and a brother Wesley Stiffler of Rager. Her grandmothers Mrs. J. D. Arthur of Dublin and Ms. S. E. Stiffler of Ranger also survive.

Calves six to 15 days of age are especially subject to attacks of scours.

THE WEATHER

By United Press

East Texas—Partly cloudy in west, mostly cloudy in east portion this afternoon, tonight and Sunday. Rain in southeast this afternoon, in east portion tonight and in northeast and along the upper coast Sunday. Warmer in north portion tonight. Moderate northeasterly winds on the coast.

West Texas—Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Sunday. Cooler in Panhandle and South Plains Sunday afternoon and night.

Temperature at 1:00 p.m. today. Maximum 67. Minimum 53. Hour's Reading 63. Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today. Maximum 57. Minimum 29.

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Getting Monotonous
Boston (UP)—Six times within 10 months Louis Wiperman, a South End liquor store clerk, has been held up by robbers.

Cattle get the "trembles" from eating poisonous white snakeroot plants.

Abraham Lincoln was offered the first governorship of the Oregon territory, but declined, whereupon it was taken by Gen. Joseph Lane.

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ADVENTURE that's Scouting!

39th Anniversary
FEBRUARY 6 TO 12
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

In every part of the nation more than 2,200,000 boys and their adult leaders, will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6th to 12th, marking the 39th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. The theme of the celebration is "Adventure—that's Scouting!" This year the movement is emphasizing the fun and fellowship its members get out of the game of Scouting. More high adventure is planned in the out-of-doors. Their adventure in citizenship will find Scouts emphasizing civic service activities, emergency service training and world Scouting relationships. During Boy Scout Week, Scouts, their parents and countless communities will honor the volunteer adult leaders of the nation's 59,999 Cub Packs, Scout Troops and Senior Units. Above is the official poster marking the Scout birthday.

Eight Die When Bomber Hits Lake
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5. (UP)—There were no survivors of eight Air Force men aboard a B-25 bomber that crashed in Lake Ponchartraine here late yesterday, authorities said today.
Two bodies were recovered soon after the bomber, one engine in flames, struck the water and exploded. The search for others was to be resumed when fog lifted from the lake today.
The plane, with six officers and two enlisted airmen aboard, was enroute from Keesler Field, Miss., to Carswell Air Force Base, Tex.
Only a few minutes before the crash, the plane was reported to

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Russian Escapees On U S. Tour

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 5 (UP)—Virginia gained a couple of converts from behind the Iron Curtain today and a former American Navy Cadet found out at last what that Russian girl said to him back in 1943.
That's the way things started as two former Russian Air Force Lieutenants began to realize a dream that began months ago when they heard a voice of America broadcast describing the charms of old Virginia.

The Russians—Anatol Barsov and Peter Pirogov—arrived here last night as guests of the Dominion State Chamber of Commerce. It was the end of a journey that began last October when they "bored" a Red Air Force plane and flew to the American zone of Austria.

One of the first to greet the travel-weary pair when they arrived here for a week's tour in Virginia was Ralph Turner, who was a Navy Cadet on the early wartime Murmansk Convoy supply run.

Now a University of Richmond student, Turner said he had a problem—what that Soviet maiden said to him that day in Murmansk.

In faltering Russian, Turner repeated what the girl had said and asked what it meant.

Pirogov grinned and said: "means I don't understand."
Gov. William Tuck dropped in to welcome his state's guests. He made a little speech about Virginia.

have contacted the airport here with a "all's well" message.

nia's proud history and said: "always glad to welcome converts."
Barsov said the most remarkable thing he'd seen so far in the United States was a red and green neon sign on the outskirts of Richmond. It reads:
"Cabins \$2 and up."
"Even in Moscow," he said, his eyes shining, "there is not such as this. It is like fairyland."

The Russians will tour the state for a week, examining stores, home and factories. And tonight they will see their first American basketball game.

Death Asked in Cardinal Case

BUDAPEST, Feb. 5 (UP)—Hungarian state prosecutor Gyula Alapi demanded today that the "heaviest punishment"—death—be imposed upon Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty for crimes against the government.

The demand was made in a prosecution summation of the case against the Cardinal and his six co-defendants.

"There is not a law in the whole world which would not strike with the heaviest punishment for the crimes of the defendants," Alapi said.

"Hungarian democracy has the same right. I as a prosecutor would be guilty of sabotaging my office if I did not proceed accordingly."

The maximum penalty for the crimes charged against Cardinal Mindszenty is death.

Court officials said they expected sentences to be pronounced Monday.
"The verdict should be a hard-

hitting example," Alapi told the five-man people court trying Mindszenty on charges of treason, espionage, black marketing and plotting to overthrow the government.

"In bringing in a verdict, take into consideration Mindszenty's position renders his guilt heavier because his crimes make the church appear as an enemy of the Republic.

"Not one of the defendants denied that the letter, documents, et cetera (presented as government evidence) are valid.

"They plotted against the Republic. They were spies."
The prosecutor also attempted to link Americans with the mon-

archist conspiracy charged against the cardinal by bringing in the name of American Minister Selden Chapin.

"Mindszenty asked Chapin for help and Chapin promised it to him," Alapi said.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS
BL MERRILL BLOSSER

Well I Dunno...

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But brother, when harvesting time came, our face must have been a sad sight. Those potatoes looked like oversized marbles. We gave the same loving care to tomatoes but the worms got them.

And right then and there we resolved to buy potatoes and tomatoes, or anything else that had to come out of a garden.

The monthly luncheon for members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday at noon at the Gholson Hotel at 15 o'clock and if the invitation sent out by the secretary doesn't draw the crowd we'll lose our bet. It reads like this:

Calling all Junior C Men Regular Monthly Jaycee Lunche at 12:15 P. M. Monday Feb. 7 Gholson

A TERRIFIC, GARANTUAN, ATOMIC, AND SUPER COLOSAL SOCIAL OCCASION

Well, as a matter of fact, you can't tell. Could be.

You'll never know but what it was unless you're there

MAKE A POINT OF IT. BE THERE

Some Can Hold It

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (UP)—Circuit Judge William B. Brown refuses to permit admission of the drunko-meter tests in intoxicated driving trials "because some drivers can hold their liquor better than others."

Texas Democrats Reverse Policy

FORT WORTH, Tex. Feb. 5. (UP)—Decision of conservative democratic party leaders last spring that Texans should control the purse, strings in fund-raising activities in the Lone Star State stood reversed today.

Such action was taken last night at a meeting here of current party leaders, nearly all of whom were identified with the Truman-Barkley ticket during the campaign.

At the same time, national committeeman Wright Morrow was given complete authority to make decisions on Jefferson-Jackson day dinners in Texas this year to raise money for the party.

Action last spring was to the effect that the party in Texas should raise its own funds, determining any contributions to the national committee. This was a complete reversal of past policy, whereby money raised through the dinners was allocated by the national committee to the Texas party.

Morrow confirmed a newsmen's question that last night's action meant a return to the original method of fund raising. However, he indicated an effort will be made to have a specified sum allocated to the Lone Star State.

Tenor of last night's meeting was that two or three principal dinners will be held in sequence over Texas. Mentioned prominently in the discussion were Fort Worth, Austin, and Corpus Christi. Morrow added that he would like for the initial dinner to be held in Fort Worth.

Definite dates were not discussed, although Morrow expressed belief that the first dinner would be held prior to April 1, and others shortly afterwards.

For several decades after 1606, English sovereigns made land grants to colonies, and Nebraska lay in claim of three British colonies: Massachusetts, Connecticut and Virginia.

Nanking Peace Talks Scheduled

NANKING, Feb. 5—(UP)—Two Nationalist peace missions have been granted permission to enter Peking to discuss peace with the Communists, the Central News Agency reported today.

One mission composed of eight Nanking professors has been waiting two days in Singtao for Communist permission to enter Peking, it was reported.

Permission was granted today by Communist Gen. Yeh Chien-Ying on condition that six Chinese correspondents accompanying the professors be left behind. The mission was instructed to leave Singtao at 2 P. M. tomorrow. The terms were accepted.

The second mission, composed of three Shanghai civic leaders, also was given permission to come by Gen. Yeh. This mission will leave by plane for Peking tomorrow.

The Shanghai mission originally contained five members but two

dropped out because of private business. The mission of three members will be accompanied by Shao Li-Tze, one of the top government peace delegates. It was said he would make the trip as a private individual, not as a government peace delegate.

Acting president Li Tsung-Jen meanwhile ordered the central bank of China in Shanghai to cease shipments of gold and silver bullion and silver dollars to Formosa and South China.

The shipments were ordered by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek when Communist armies were marching on Nanking two months ago, before his retirement as president.

Too Realistic

MILAN, Wash. (UP)—Anita Button couldn't play the lead after all in her senior class this year. She had the top role in the play, "Mountain Mumps." But she came down with the mumps.

More than 300,000 babies were born in New York City during the past two years.

Entirely New Pontiac For 1949



The Pontiac Chieftain line of which the four-door deluxe sedan is shown here has a 120 inch wheelbase. Roof lines have been lowered without sacrifice of comfort. Trailing pattern of the Chieftain series consists of two gracefully arched steps from roof crown to trunk deck to lower edge. Both Pontiac Streamliner and Pontiac Chieftain lines average 38 percent more glass area. Visor on car pictured is an accessory.

Sunday Menu

- Soup— Cream of Green Pea or Fruit Juice
- Salad— Pear Salad
- Entrees— Baked Young Hen, Savory Dressing
Golden Brown Fried Chicken
Small Club Steak
Chicken Fried Steak
Ham Steak, Raisin Sauce
Roast Pork, Dressing
Grilled Pork Chop, Apple Sauce
Fried Perch, Tarter Sauce
- Vegetables— Snowflake Potatoes
Creamed Cauliflower
- Dessert— Home Made Pie — or Ice Cream
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For each Option sold a new seat will be built, which we expect to have ready for the 1949 football season starting October 1, 1949, with the SMU-Missouri game.

The registered holder of an Option will have the right to purchase one ticket, for each Option owned, to each football game played in the Cotton Bowl Stadium for which reserved seats are sold, for a period of twenty (20) years, at the regular

printed ticket price, subject to the terms of said Option. The Option may be sold or assigned, but must be registered in the name of each new owner, for which a charge of \$1.00 will be made for each new registration.

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- Nov. 12—S.M.U. vs. Arkansas
- Dec. 3—S.M.U. vs. Notre Dame
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Deaf Mute Stops Robbery Attempt

NEW YORK, Feb. 5 (UP)—Frank Niewiadomski, 23, couldn't hear what the man said. But the gun poking into his ribs told him he meant business.

Niewiadomski, a deaf mute, thought of the \$4 in his pocket and swung a hard right that floored his assailant. Seized the gun, then sat down on the would-be robber's chest, pulled out his note book and proceeded to make conversation.

The incident took place last night on the Williamsburg Bridge connecting lower Manhattan and Brooklyn.

According to police, the conversation between the pair went like this:
 Q. What's your name?
 A. Joe Smith.

News From Olden And Community

Mrs. Matlock, Peggy and Shirley, Mrs. Bess Fox, and Mrs. Betty Sue Gibbs and Joyce Ray, Mrs. Hutto and son Charles and brother and Mrs. Clifford Nelson attended the Youth Meeting in Eastland at the Baptist Church Tuesday night.

W. R. Burns' brother Rev. Hurley Burns of Hartley, Texas is ill in an Amarillo Hospital.

Don Butler came home last Tuesday afternoon quite ill with a cold. If the weather improves he is expected to return to school Monday.

Mrs. Dave Vermillion has spent word from the Dallas Hospital she is in an improved condition.

Sunday February 6 is regular preaching day here at the Methodist Church by Pastor Reverend Hugh Dalton at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Young people meet at 6 P. M. and all are cordially invited to attend.

The W. S. C. S. meets at the Methodist Church here each Tuesday at 1 P. M.

Mrs. Mary A. Wright is visiting in the home of her daughter Mrs. Howell Baggus while her children are ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Phillips of Meridian and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coleman and children of Gordon visited their mother Mrs. Willie Bockman last week.

Jimmie Jarrett and bride from Lubbock are here visiting his mother Mrs. Stella Jarrett. They were both mid-term graduates of Texas Tech.

Assassin Shoots Iranian Shah

TEHRAN, Feb. 5 (UP)—Mohammed Reza Pahlavi, 30 Shah of Iran, was reported by court attaches to be in satisfactory condition today after being wounded twice in an attempted assassination.

The Shah was shot in the back and through the face late yesterday on the steps of Tehran University by an assassin disguised as a newspaper photographer.

Three bullets passed harmlessly through the Shah's hat even though the assassin fired at point-blank range, court attaches said. They said the Shah was hit in the mouth but that the bullet did not injure any bone. The wound in the back was superficial, they said.

Martial law and a curfew was imposed immediately in Tehran. Similar measures were expected to be imposed in the provinces.

The assassin was set upon by the Shah's aides and police. He was beaten so seriously he had to be hospitalized.

Republicans To Snub Dewey Talk

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 (UP)—Several veteran Republican members of Congress will deliberately stay away from a dinner here next week at which Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York will be the main speaker, it was learned today.

"I wouldn't say the boys are boycotting the dinner," said one House Republican leader. "But it



Q. What's going on here?
 A. I got a sick mother and this will kill her.
 Police arrived and took the gunman to the station house where he was identified as Sika Sokokoff, 17, a student at a Brooklyn Vocational High School.

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is true they are not trying very hard to get there. They have conveniently made other engagements."

No GOP member questioned by the United Press would admit publicly that he is intentionally passing up the dinner next Tuesday night. But even Rep. George A. Dondero, R, Mich., arrangements chairman for the affair, admitted having heard that some Republicans will stay away.

Dewey's speech will be made at a Lincoln Day dinner sponsored by the League of Republican Women for the District of Columbia. Proceeds from the \$7.50-a-plane affair will go to finance the league's absentee voters bureau here.

It has been reported that Dewey will take off the gloves in his speech and blast some of the top GOP members of Congress.

Mayor Helps City Grow
 Nashua, N. H. (UP)—Dr. Oswald S. Maynard not only is mayor of this city but also is personally responsible for bringing one-sixth of its citizens into the world. Maynard just delivered his 5,500th baby in 44 years of practice in this city of 33,000 population.

The biggest earthquake ever recorded was at Assam, India, on June 12, 1897. There was complete destruction over an area of about 9,000 square miles, while the area of moderate destruction covered 150,000 square miles.

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SOCIETY <>> CLUBS <>> CHURCHES

Officers Elected By 1920 Club

At the regular meeting of the 1920 Club held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Community Clubhouse, Mrs. M. L. King was re-elected president of the club and Mrs. A. W. Brazda re-elected first vice-president.

Other officers elected were Mrs. J. Floyd Killingsworth, second vice-president; Mrs. Hugh Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. C. B. Bush, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. B. Pruet, treasurer; Mrs. R. H. Hodges, student loan treasurer; Mrs. Saule Perlestein, federation counselor; Mrs. John Ducker, reporter; Mrs. McLaughlin, parliamentarian, and Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, historian.

Mrs. McLaughlin was in charge of the program for the afternoon and presented a skit entitled "On The Parliamentary Beam." Parliamentary procedure was pictured through errors made by those participating in a "mock" meeting. Parts were taken by Mrs. King, Smith, Glenn West, Pruet, Hagaman, Perlestein and Killingsworth.

Mrs. King reported at the meeting that the March of Dimes at the last meeting had totaled \$10.50.

New Era Club To Have Party Wed.

The New Era Club will be entertained at a valentine party in the home of Mrs. James L. Turner who will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Archie Robinson.

All members are invited to attend.

1947 Club To Meet Tuesday Night

The 1947 Club will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Community Clubhouse, and all members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wynn and family have returned from Gladewater where they attended the wedding of Mr. Wynn's brother, Chester Wynn and Miss Jo Ann Goodson. The couple will make their home in Henderson, Ky.

Leslie Thomas Honored Friday

Leslie Thomas was honored on his fifth birthday Friday when his mother, Mrs. L. L. Thomas entertained at her home with a party for a group of his friends at 3 o'clock.

During the afternoon guests were entertained with a series of games after which refreshments were served.

Those attending the party were Jim Robinson, Paula Angus, Mike Houghton, Dona Dall Bridges, Duke Dixon, Dan Dixon, Johnnie Bob King, Artie Beck, Keith Beck and Glen Thomas.

Spanish Club Has Pinata Party Wed.

A meeting of the Spanish Club of Ranger High School was held Wednesday with a Spanish pinata party highlighting the gathering.

In keeping with the custom of the Spanish, two pinatas were filled with candy and chewing gum and suspended from the ceiling. Members of the club were blindfolded and given a stick with which to break open the pinatas while still blindfolded.

Roy Lindsey and Champ Pearson, succeeded in finding the pinatas and with stout thumbs sent the candy and chewing gum flying.

The remainder of the club members engaged in a mad scramble for the flying morsels.

The party was supervised by Margaret Meacham, the club sponsor.

OES Officers To Have Practice

An important practice meeting of officers of the Ranger chapter of the order of the Eastern Star will be held Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at the Masonic Hall.

All officers are urged to attend and to be on time.

Child Study Group To Meet Thursday

The Child Study Association will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Lee Russell, 1114 Desdemona.

All members are urged to attend.

Church Services For Week Listed

The following schedule of services for the week at the First Baptist Church has been announced:

SUNDAY—Sunday school—9:45 A. M. Training Union—6:30 P. M.

The nursery will be open during all services of the church.

Fellowship will meet immediately following the evening worship.

MONDAY—W. M. U. will meet at the church for a business meeting and Bible Study.

Bible study—3:00 P. M. Sunbeams will meet at the church—3:00 P. M.

Jr. G. A.'s will meet at the church—4:00 P. M.

Int. G. A.'s will meet at the church—4:00 P. M.

R. A.'s will meet at the church—4:00 P. M.

Brotherhood meeting at the church—7:00 P. M.

Bible Conference—Hardin Simmons, February 7-9.

TUESDAY—Boy Scouts will meet at the church—7:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY—Youth Choir Practice—6:30 P. M.

Sunday School teachers meeting—7:00 P. M.

Prayer Meeting—7:30 P. M.

THURSDAY—Choir rehearsal—7:00 P. M.

WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

Jesus Fulfilled All That Was Promised

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

JESUS began His ministry at home, which was the proper and natural place to begin, but also the most difficult.

His sayings, "A prophet is not without honor, save in his own country," and "A man's foes shall be those of his own household," express a truth widely exemplified in human experience. How many men of genius have had to win their way and fame against the strong opposition of parents, who designed them for something else! How many men of achievement and fame won in the outside world have received belated honor from communities that regarded them with suspicion in their youth!

Jesus, of course, did not have the embarrassment of the average youth, who rises to preach in his own home town. He had lived an exemplary life. As Luke tells us, He had increased in favor with men, as well as with God. There were no unsavory escapades, or unworthy incidents, such as might become all too vividly remembered by a youth speaking even in deep sincerity to those who had known him well.

BUT to preach in Nazareth, nevertheless, was not easy for the Master. His own brothers, as we know from John 7:1-5, did not believe in Him, or His professed mission, although at least two of them later became earnest Christians and leaders in the church.

The favor with which His fellow townsmen had viewed Him soon

disappeared as Jesus announced that mission and ministry; and with the blindness and prejudiced zeal that have been the curse of the otherwise religiously earnest all through the history of religion, they not only rejected Him, but they sought to throw Him from the brow of a nearby hill and kill Him.

Jesus must have sensed these dangers, for "He knew what was in man." But He dared to face them, and to declare in the place where He was brought up, the consciousness of the mission and ministry to which He had been called, to fulfill the prophecy of Isaiah: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because He hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; He hath sent me to heal the broken-hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovery of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, to preach the acceptable year of the Lord."

Why should such words, or such a claim, have moved anybody to anger? If He who announced such a ministry could not perform it, where was anyone the worse? Gamaliel had much better sense and wisdom, "If the work be of man it shall come to naught; if it be of God ye cannot prevail against it."

The Gospels tell the story of how those words spoken in Nazareth, and the ministry begun there, were vindicated in all that the Master said and did. In teaching, preaching, and healing He fulfilled all that a great prophet had declared of God's plan and purpose.

VFW Auxiliary Meets Thursday

Mrs. Charles Stafford was hostess to the Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW post Thursday night when members of that group met at her home at 7:30 o'clock.

Inasmuch as February has been designated "Patriotic Month" by the Auxiliary, rules on the proper use of the United States Flag were read from the Auxiliary rules book.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served.

It was announced at the meeting that Mrs. J. W. Elder Jr. will entertain the Auxiliary with a Valentine party at her home Tuesday night. Each member is to take a gift for a Valentine exchange of presents.

The next regular meeting of the Auxiliary will be held Feb. 17 in the home of Mrs. Charlie Worden.

Rev. Walker To Speak Here Sunday

Rev. W. B. Walker, district superintendent of the Abilene District of the Church of the Nazarene will deliver the sermon at the Ranger Church of the Nazarene Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend the service. The church is located on the corner of Main and North Oak Streets.

Meet the Missus



Mrs. Dan Topping, wife of the president of the New York baseball and football Yankees, picks another winner from the veranda of Hialeah Park.

Rev. Pitts To Speak Here Mon.

It was announced today that Rev. Charles Pitts pastor of the First Baptist Church in Cleburne, will be the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church Monday night at 7:00 o'clock.

He will be accompanied to Ranger by Coy Sims, educational director of the Cleburne church and formerly of Ranger, who will sing on the program and Danny Harris, organist of the Cleburne church will give organ numbers.

All men of the Brotherhood are especially urged to attend.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Spirit" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, February 6.

The Golden Text is: "What man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God" (1 Corinthians 2:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth" (John 4:24).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "In the vast forever, in the Science and truth of being, the only fact are Spirit and its innumerable creations" (page 479).

Altar Society To Meet Monday At 3

The Altar Society of St. Rita's Catholic Church will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. N. Bourdeau.

Important matters are to come before the group and all members are urged to attend.

Three Buried In Snow Avalanche

OGDEN, Utah, Feb. 5 (UP)—A huge snowslide roared down a mountain slope on three Union Pacific railroad workers and buried them or pushed them into Bear River Reservoir, fellow workers said today.

Officials feared the men were smothered or drowned but crews were digging frantically early today, trying to find them in the snow.

The railroad said the men were brakemen, James A. Moran, 35, Salt Lake City; Walter C. Rodgers, Salt Lake City, and an assistant roadmaster named Rush, also of Salt Lake City.

The three men were part of a work train crew stationed at River Canyon near Wheelon, Utah, 45 miles north of here to watch for avalanches. They were inspecting snow on the tracks caused by earlier slides when the big torrent of snow bore down upon them late last night.

Crews were working from both ends of the snowbank, attempting simultaneously to reach the men and clear the tracks for traffic today.

CHURCHES

CHURCH OF GOD
Tiffin Road
JOHN M. LEWIS, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Service 11:00 A. M.
Preach by pastor,
Evening Service 7:30 P. M.
Tuesday evening 7:30 P. M.
Everyone cordially invited to attend.
A revival will start at the church on October 18 and will be conducted by Evangelist Charles Monroe.

HOLY TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
710 South Seaman St. Eastland, Texas
The Rev. James W. McClain, Priest
Services today—11:00 A. M.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
(Regular observance of Services)
JASPER MASSELEE, Pastor
J. D. Nichols, Sunday School Supt.
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Training Union 7:00
Evening Worship 8:00
Prayer Service 8:15
A Welcome To All.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday Night
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p.m.
Friday Night
Young People to Meet at 8:00

CHURCH OF NAZARENE
Main and Oak Streets
W. M. Wilson, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 A. M.
Worship Service 11:00 A. M.
Young People's Service 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.
You are invited to join us in Christian fellowship and service.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
Preaching—11:00 A. M.
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Evangelistic Service—7:15 P. M.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting—7:15 P. M.
Young People C. A. Meeting—Saturday 7:15 P. M.
Woman's Missionary Meeting Tuesday.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
417 Elm St.
Cecil M. Ellis, Pastor
9:45 A. M. Sunday School
10:50 A. M. Worship
6:00 P. M. Vespers - Religions Film
6:30 P. M. We, Vespers Choir
7:45 P. M. Wed., Choir Practice

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Mass Sunday at 8:30 A. M.
Evening Devotion, 7:30 P. M.
This schedule replaces another announced earlier.

MERRIMAN BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. H. O. Pinson, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service for young people 7:00
Sunday Evening service 7:30

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
404 W. Main
EARL BISSEX, Minister
9:45 A. M. Church School
11:00 A. M. Morning Worship
6:30 P. M. Christian Youth Fellowship
7:30 P. M. Evening Worship
8:00 P. M. Monday, Women's Circle Meetings
7:30 P. M. Monday, Pastor's Class. Everyone is invited.
8:30 P. M. Monday, Choir Practice.

HARMONY BAPTIST CHURCH
(Morton Valley Community)
Services April 25
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00
Subject: "What To Do With Trouble."
Training Union 7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 8:30
"Can You Do Everything?"
Visitors always welcome.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
207 Mesquite Street
Floyd J. Spivy, Minister
Bible Study 9:45 A. M.
Preaching 10:45 A. M.
Communion 11:45 A. M.
Young People's Class 6:00 P. M.
Evening Worship 7:00 P. M.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday
Ladies' Bible Class, Thursday—1:30 P. M.
You are invited to attend every service. You will find a hearty welcome and a fine spirit of fellowship.

Strong Man on Job
CHENEY, Wash. (UP)—School officials do not have to worry about Sutton Hall on the Eastern Washington College of Education campus next quarter. They believe it will be the most orderly on the campus. Students elected Herman Pein, Pacific Coast intercollegiate boxing champion, sergeant-at-arms.

First Baptist Church
WALNUT AT MARSTON
WELCOME MORNING
Sunday School 9:45
Worship 11:00
"The Bible—Our Only Creed"
Training Union 6:30
Evening Service 7:30
"Joshua—Who Served The Lord"

Sunday Special
Choice—
Chicken Noodle Soup - Tomato Juice
Head Lettuce - Russian Dressing
Entrees—
Baked Chicken and Dressing
Select Tenderloin Steak-AU-JOS
Thick Center Cut Pork Chop
Southern Fried Chicken
Roast Leg-of-Lamb, Mint Sauce
HOME MADE HOT ROLLS
Vegetables—
Sweet Potatoes Souffle
Buttered Golden Corn
Whole Green Beans
Dessert—
Fruit Jello, Whipped Cream
or
Chocolate Sundae
Coffee --- Tea
Home Made Chili 25c
Paramount Coffee Shop
Punk - Chief

First Methodist Church
417 Elm St.
9:45 A. M. Sunday School.
10:50 A. M.—Sermon: "The Door to the Kingdom"
By Pastor
PRESENTING
"THE WAY OF SALVATION", a religious film, at the 6:00 P. M. Vesper service.
WELCOME!

First Christian Church
EARL BISSEX, MINISTER
9:45 Church School
11:00 Morning Worship
"Christ, Our Cement"
7:00 Youth Fellowship
7:30 Evening Worship
"Our Unconscious Judgement"
8:15 Fellowship Period
YOU ARE WELCOME!

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