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ROBERTS GIVEN 99 YEARS IN SLAYING

GRIPINGS AT PL

By THOMAS MEIGHAN

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CHARLEY MOORE OF RANGER MADE FIRST SOLO FLIGHT IN AIRPLANE YESTERDAY.

A solo flight is one which the pilot goes up alone, circles around a while and then makes a landing. It is necessary to get a government permit to make solo flight and certain requirements must be met before the permit is issued. Charlie had finished all the preparatory work and it must have given him quite a feeling of achievement when he took to the air and brought it down without someone along to tell him that to do.

If anyone in Ranger has taken an active interest in Ranger's airport it has been Charlie Moore. He was the leader in the movement to establish the port, helped solicit funds for it and did some of the actual manual labor in its construction. Only recently Charlie took a grubbing hoe and cut down small growths of shrubbery from the landing lanes so as to make for greater safety. Charlie is lazy in a way just like some of us, but the work needed to be done and the city funds wouldn't permit hiring labor to do it. Charlie issued a call for help and got one response (and I've forgotten his name), but anyway the objectional shrubbery was removed.

Any vote of thanks the town might give Charlie wouldn't help him sell any more automobiles, but he is due some recognition for his efforts and if this column can cause you to appreciate them in any way, it won't be wasted type.

DO-X IS ON WAY BACK TO SWITZERLAND

By United Press. SAINT JOHNS, N. F., May 19.—The giant German flying boat DO-X enroute to Altenrhein on Lake Constance, Switzerland, after nearly a year in the United States, headed for Newfoundland at a steady pace today for a refueling stop before starting on the long Atlantic stretch to the Azores, the next stop.

The DO-X left New York at 4:03 a. m. eastern standard time and was expected here about 4 p. m. eastern standard time. The DO-X was reported making from 90 to 100 miles an hour up the Mass. coast.

By United Press. HALIFAX, N. S., May 19.—The Dornier DO-X passed here at 10:30 a. m. After circling over the city the airplane headed for Harbor Grace.

LONE STAR'S PROPERTY IS EVALUATED

By United Press. AUSTIN, May 19.—Reproduction value of the properties of the Lone Star Gas company in Texas was put at \$47,355,144.77 in a report filed with the state railroad commission today by engineers and auditors.

The report is to be used as a basis for determining fairness of gas rates. The company, with approximately 4,000 miles of main lines and gathering lines in Texas, serves more than 250 municipalities.

Valuation of the property as carried on the books of the company is put at \$72,182,299.34. This company valuation includes both Texas and Oklahoma properties. The report here covers only Texas properties. It is estimated from 10 to 15 per cent of the property is in Oklahoma.

FIXING THE BLAME

This is a story about a little boy, a group of gangsters and a nation of 120,000,000 people.

The little boy was born with a silver spoon in his mouth and died in a lonely thicket off a country road in New Jersey.

The gangsters slid up out of the underworld, stole the little boy from his parents, killed him—and made \$50,000 out of the job. And the nation of 120,000,000 people helped to call the gangsters into existence, helped to support them while they waited the chance to pull the job, and helped them, all things considered, to get away with it.

It did it without meaning to, without knowing what it did, without knowing, indeed, that it was doing anything except follow the easiest course.

It makes a House-that-Jack-built sort of story, when you stop to think about it.

The House that Jack Built, of course, is that broad, charming, energetic, upright and occasionally thoughtless country known as the United States of America. If you'll read to the end of this little story, you'll see why the House that Jack Built is a good name for it.

This, then, is the House that Jack Built.

Next, of course, we have the little boy who lived in the House that Jack Built.

Then we have the gangsters who stole and murdered the little boy who lived in the House that Jack Built.

Back of them we have the underworld that produced the gangsters who killed the boy who lived in the House that Jack Built.

Next in the line come the rackets—the booze racket, the gambling racket, the vice racket, the thousand and one allied rackets, but first and last and most important the racket—the racket that supported the underworld that produced the gangsters who killed the boy who lived in the House that Jack Built.

Then there are the crooked cops who tolerated the rackets—tolerated them partly because they got paid and partly because the higher-ups told them to—tolerated the rackets that supported the underworld that produced

the gangsters who killed the boy who lived in the House that Jack built.

Next we have the bootlegger—the ordinary, undistinguished bootlegger, who sometimes peddles his liquor from a suitcase and sometimes maintains a speakeasy or a beer flat—the bootlegger who paid the Big Shot who fixed the politicians who controlled the cops who tolerated the rackets that supported the underworld that produced the gangsters who killed the boy who lived in the House that Jack Built.

And then, last of all, looking quite innocent, we have the ultimate consumer—the bootlegger's customer, who gave the bootlegger the money which the bootlegger passed on down the line to the Big Shot, and which the Big Shot used to fix the politicians—

It's clear now, isn't it?

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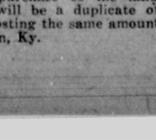
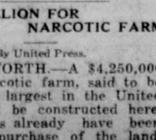
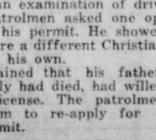
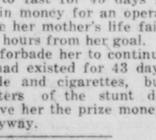
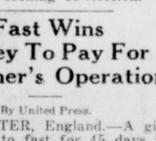
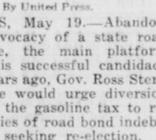
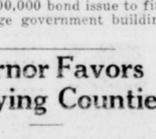
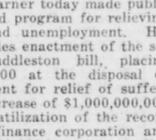
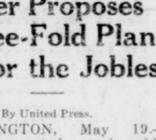
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STATE TO ASK DEATH IN W. S. PHILLIPS TRIAL

FORT WORTH, May 19.—The state will ask the death penalty for W. S. (Stoney) Phillips, one-armed filling station operator, charged with murder, Assistant District Attorney Will Parker announced today.

Parker will go to Breckenridge tomorrow to oppose bond for Phillips, asked in a habeas corpus proceeding. Phillips is charged with the fatal shooting of E. L. Churchill, oil drilling contractor, in a hotel lobby here. He was granted a change of venue to the Breckenridge court.

POLICE QUIZ NEGOTIATORS IN KIDNAPING

HOPEWELL, N. J., May 19.—New Jersey state police and their colleagues of national and metropolitan forces followed, today, in the Lindbergh kidnaping case, trails, many of which had grown cold with time.

Their most helpful aid, Dr. John F. "Jasie" Condon, rested in his home, fatigued by the strain of many hours in the search for an identification to help trace down the murderer of Colonel Lindbergh's baby, Charles, Jr.

John Hughes Curtis, whose fabricated story of "contacts" with the "kidnapers" had landed him as prisoner No. 13 in Flemington city jail after waiving hearing, was still a subject for examination, and his colleague, the Very Rev. Dean W. Dobson-Peacock of Norfolk, is likely to undergo sharp interrogation at his home.

Gov. Harry Moore of New Jersey let it be known today he is anxious to have a New Jersey authority cross examine Dobson-Peacock, who has virtually defied the state police in efforts to bring him to face confront Curtis. The latter, remorseful over the roles he played in the hope of gain has bitterly denounced Dobson-Peacock as a publicity seeker.

FORT WORTH, May 19.—John Hughes Curtis, held in connection with the Lindbergh baby hunt was "brighter than the average" as a 12-year-old boy, S. G. Dickerson, Fort Worth railroad official, recalled today.

IS CONVICTED IN DEATH OF OLLIE PARKS

By United Press. BRECKENRIDGE, May 19.—Harry Roberts, 27, of Throckmorton who was tried in the 90th district court here on a charge of first degree murder in connection with the slaying of Deputy Constable Ollie Parks at a dance hall on the night of March 16, was assessed a penalty of 99 years in prison by the jury, deliberating the case.

The jury received the case at 12:30 Wednesday and returned the verdict of guilt and assessed punishment at 99 years in the penitentiary late that evening.

Arguments in the case started Wednesday morning after completion of taking testimony.

County Attorney Robert E. Bowers opened for the state and spoke thirty minutes. He was followed by E. H. Reynolds, member of the defense counsel, who also spoke thirty minutes. Jeff A. Fowler closed for the defense in a one hour's address. Dean closed for the state, speaking from 11:30 until 12:30 o'clock.

Fowler asked that the jury not send the youth to the electric chair, as "there was no malice aforethought in this slaying."

The trial was brought to an abrupt ending at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when the defense closed after putting the defendant and three other witnesses on the stand. Several rebuttal witnesses were used by both the state and defense to close the testimony. Testimony in the case did not start until Tuesday morning.

Roberts testified that he was twenty-eight years old, married and had one child and two step-children.

He admitted he was at the dance the night of the slaying and that he and Bybee were there together.

Ticket Sale On Golf Tourney To Start Immediately

The ticket committee of the second annual invitation golf tournament of the Ranger Country club met this morning and made plans for the immediate sale of tickets for the tournament. The committee, composed of Pete Jensen, Sam Gamble, B. E. Garner and Morris Leville, urged that all members of the club register and get their tickets as soon as possible and that the entire membership of the club would obtain their tickets as soon as possible in order to make the work of the committee easier.

The committees in charge of the tournament, the barbecue, the dance and the ladies' bridge tournament announced that every person who pays his registration fee, which is nominal, is privileged to participate in the barbecue, the dance and the bridge tournament, in addition to the golf tournament. The wives, sisters, mothers or companions of all who register will be invited to take part in any of the events and for those who do not have an escort with a tournament ticket a charge of \$2 for dance scrip or 50 cents for a ticket to the bridge tournament will be charged.

It has also been announced that tickets will be required for the barbecue and dance as well as for the bridge tournament.

RANGER SENIORS OBSERVE CLASS DAY AT SCHOOL WITH FITTING EXERCISES TODAY

The senior class of the Ranger High school held their annual class day exercises at the high school auditorium this morning between the hours of 10:30 and noon.

Boy Stevens, president of the class, presided at the exercises. His introduction of the various members of the class as they presented their parts on the program was worthy of a toastmaster of a much older group of representative citizens of the town.

R. F. Holloway, superintendent of the Ranger public schools, opened the exercises with a prayer, following which he explained the nature of the gathering and the objective of Senior Day.

Claire Dyer presented the salutatory for the class, followed by the history of the class by Mary Jane Dreinhofer and the reading of the class poem.

An octet, composed of members of the class sang a selection, "Love Greetings" which was enjoyed very much by the seniors and visitors.

Garner Proposes Three-Fold Plan For the Jobless

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Speaker Garner today made public a three-fold program for relieving distress and unemployment. His plan includes enactment of the so-called Huddleston bill, placing \$100,000,000 at the disposal of the president for relief of suffering. An increase of \$1,000,000,000 in the capitalization of the reconstruction finance corporation and a \$1,000,000,000 bond issue to finance a huge government building program.

Governor Favors Repaying Counties

DALLAS, May 19.—Abandoning the advocacy of a state road bond issue, the main platform plank in his successful candidacy two years ago, Gov. Ross Sterling said he would urge diversion of part of the gasoline tax to relieve counties of road bond indebtedness, in seeking re-election.

Girl's Fast Wins Money To Pay For Mother's Operation

LEICESTER, England.—A girl who tried to fast for 45 days in order to win money for an operation to save her mother's life failed only 48 hours from her goal.

Doctors forbade her to continue after she had existed for 43 days on lemonade and cigarettes, but the promoters of the stunt decided to give her the prize money, \$1,000, anyway.

Sixth Victim of Train Crash Dies

PORT ARTHUR, Tex., May 19.—Miss Mattie Lee Freeman, 18, Woodville, died in a hospital here today raising to six the death toll in a grade crossing crash near Port Neches Tuesday night.

Three small children who were hurt in the crash were reported improved at the hospital.

A single funeral for the six victims will be held this afternoon at the camp grounds cemetery in Tyler county.

Private Building Plans Depression's Brightest Spot

WASHINGTON.—One of the bright spots in the Rumanian economic situation is the slight boom in private building that is foreseen for the early summer.

Reports received here from Bucharest by the commerce department state that there have been more than 4,000 building contracts granted in the Rumanian metropolis since Jan. 1, 1932.

Final Second 5 Year Plan Figures Due In August

MOSCOW.—Final figures for the second five year plan must be in the hands of the council of people's commissars by Aug. 20, according to a decree.

By that date the state planning commission must submit detailed plans for the 1933-1937 period, including a more elaborate outline of control figures for 1933.

Automobile Driver Inherited License

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—State highway patrolmen found an automobile driver here who had "inherited" his operator's license.

During an examination of drivers, the patrolmen asked one operator for his permit. He showed one that bore a different Christian name from his own.

Negro To Die In Electric Chair

HUNTSVILLE, May 19.—Unless Gov. Stinson intervenes, James Williams, 30, Hunt county negro, will die in the state's electric chair shortly after midnight for the murder of Joe West, Hunt county farmer.

British Debt Per Capita In Lead

LONDON.—Great Britain's public debt totals \$160, 19, 11, per head of population, compared with Germany's public debt of \$69. 9, 3, per head. These figures are revealed in the new stock exchange official intelligence, just published.

Ruling on Natural Gas Taking Asked

AUSTIN, May 19.—Request for a ruling on whether use of natural gas from Panhandle fields for making gasoline and carbon black accords with "public welfare" was before Attorney General James V. Allred today.

The request was made by the Texas railroad commission, which has on file applications for permits to use the natural gas for other than fuel or light purposes.

WEATHER

By United Press. THE WEATHER West Texas—Partly cloudy tonight and Friday.

U. S. MAILS

(Mail for Fort Worth or beyond 10:00 a. m.) Daily West—12:00 p. m. Daily East—1:18 p. m. Airmail—Night planes, 4:00 p. m. Day planes, 8:30 p. m.

SDAY, MAY... ley's Wor... Got R... AGO—Both... are being held... Hurley refused... course we'll get... it is as... w. Hurley... meeting of the entire year... pitulist, and... on committee... democratic... was saying... before time... committees to... ets looked... Chicagoans... sed for money... and policemen... or months... ple who had... to keep close... umstances... talked over... Little by... guarantees... interest among... As... program arranged... to be a... by the program... is a dem... presented to... At... This added attraction... following... "Apple Blossoms" Louise... reading, "All Dressed... Minnie Lee Shirley; violin... "Melody of Love," Misses... Long and Merle Dean Mur... reading, "Mummy," Dorothy... reading, Daisy Marie Bar... song, Mrs. Pauline Fry, accom... on guitar by Mr. Dun... With the conclusion of the well... guardian... returned office and present... Mrs. Exa Niver with a 25-year... in. With the presentation of this... the National president, filled... with praise for the long period... service given by this member... Mrs. Helen Murrell, a member... one-time guardian... was in charge of the awarding... of the proficiency certificates to... the following: Mrs. Exa Davis, guard... an; Mrs. Viola Cash, past guard... an; Mrs. Ruby Greer, advisor;... Mrs. Loretta Young, chaplain; Mrs... ada Neville, banker; Mrs. Frances... outor sentinel; Mrs. Claude... Barney, inner sentinel... This forms a record of 100 per... cent officers. Acher expression... of appreciation and congratulation... came through a message received... from Mrs. Mary E. La Rocco, Na... tional president... Members of the Julia Alexander... grove are happy to know they are... soon to have a new headquarter... building at Omaha, Neb... This meeting was attended by 40... members and visitors and has been... marked in a prominent way by... rapid steps of progress... Mrs. Brumett Is Honored... With Shower at Nichol Home... A delightful surprise awaited... Mrs. E. L. Brumett when she, with... a large number of afternoon guests... called at the home of Mrs. D. W... Nichol, Wednesday at 2 o'clock... Following the gathering of the... party members, Mrs. Brumett was... invited to be seated at a dining... table appointed in pastel hues and... centered with a fragrant cluster... of vari-colored roses... Gifts reflecting balls of white... ness and tied with bows and bits... of ribbon were presented by the... hostess. Each gift was unwrapped... and passed for the guests together... with the honoree to enjoy... As the clock pointed to five... linen laid trays held a dainty and... pretty pink ice course served with... slices of angel food cake. Match... ing appointments aided in stress... ing the choice of color scheme... used by Mrs. Nichol... The party was attended by 33... ladies. The absence of 15 guests... was graciously expressed through... the sending of well selected re... mementances... Freshly Appointed Party... Celebrate Seventh Birthday... A prettily appointed party, carry... ing out a color tone of apple... green and rose, honored in the... form of a celebration the seven... th birthday of the young Miss... Beaunitta Kathleen Gordon, daugh... ter of Mrs. Jeannette Gordon, 513... Strawn highway, yesterday after... noon from 3 till 5 o'clock... A mix of diversion of out-door... and indoor games were enjoyed by... the gay group of party members... Refreshments of ambrosia, iced... chocolate and cake were served to... Jeannette Willa Lee, Ruth and Vera... Johnson, Travis Smith, Vera Lee... Hall, Betty Jo Hooks, Dorothy Pa... rish, Alta Hooks, Albert Owens,... Polly Seymour, Mary Lou Hall,... Marie Owens, Wanda Smith, Royce Lyons, Dan Davenport, Douglas Cox and S. S. Faircloth, Jr... Lesson Is Conducted... By Mrs. Maddocks... The Missionary program com... posed of interesting chapters was... led by Mrs. C. E. Maddocks this... week when Mrs. Sam Thompson... retained the Presbyterian... half hour... A short business and social was... held after which lovely refresh... ments were passed by the hostess... Mrs. Donald Johnson was an... nounced hostess for the next meet... ing to be held on the afternoon of... May 24... Dance Recital To... Be Beautiful Affair... The presentation of Ranger... dance students in a colorful recital... promises to be one long remember... ed. The curtain for this spring... review will rise at 8 o'clock Satur... day evening in the high school au... ditorium... Each number of tap, toe, ballad... and aerobic will be given by stu... dents of splendid training. Elabo... rate costumes are being given fin...

Ranger Society and Club News

ARRITTA DAVENPORT Editor Ranger

Princess Ileana Awaiting Stork



European royalty waits to acclaim the birth of a great-grandchild of England's Queen Victoria as Princess Ileana of Rumania, pictured above, wife of Archduke Anton von Hapsburg, enters a Vienna hospital to await the stork's arrival. The princess is the daughter of Queen Marie of Rumania, whose grandmother was the famous Victoria.

HERE--- AND THERE

Written by Mrs. W. K. Jackson, Editor Eastland Telegram

Again Memorial or Decoration Day draws near, and the usual thought comes uppermost, of the last resting place of those we know no more, and of the beautiful sentiment, that sets this day apart from all other national holidays in the year.

In an interview with Dr. H. E. Tanner, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, some original suggestions were made by the Doctor, always keenly interested in the prideful look of Eastland, and ever ready to pay due respect and honor to those who have served their country, who have marched in the soldiers step, who fought and died.

The Doctor would like to get the lot owners of the cemetery interested in their space, and have it cleaned and reasonably improved. He has been promised the assistance of the mayor, who will see that the cemetery caretaker, has a general house cleaning of the grounds.

The Doctor has received a United States government headstone free of cost, to be placed on the unmarked grave of a Confederate soldier. This will be a memorial to Horace H. Gray, whose mortal remains are in our Eastland cemetery. A beautiful informal unveiling ceremony, with a short talk, possibly by Judge Clyde L. Garrett, will be set for the morning hour.

Several of the old settlers here will assist in marking the graves of the soldiers, with flags, and Mrs. Harrell, sponsor, will be with the Camp Fire Girls, when they, too, help with this beautiful service, and strew flowers over the grave, just as was their pretty custom last year.

The afternoon will be given over to a little ceremony on the bridge over Lake Eastland, on the old Breckenridge road. Flowers will be dropped on the water, a short patriotic talk will be made, the Boy Scouts will sound "taps" in honor of the sailors who lost their lives and were buried at sea.

Horace Conditly will marshal the Boy Scout troops, and assist in many ways, with this beautiful program for Decoration Day.

Our secretary of the chamber of commerce will have minutia outlined after the lawyers of Eastland return from the Mineral Wells convention.

The chamber of commerce will furnish the flags, about 60 to 70 being required.

With his usual thoughtfulness, Dr. Tanner plans to place flags in nearby cemeteries on the soldiers graves.

We remember, the Decoration Days of good old Missouri. In daysdays long past, flags and bunting fluttering over the wind-swept streets, blown clean, by the breeze from the old Missouri river. Hot sunshine—farmers with wagon loads of noisy, happy children and women—the huge "Studebaker" drawn by fat, sweating horses. People on foot—on horseback, in carriages and dogcarts—all streaming out towards the beautiful Mount Mora cemetery. "Old Sam Pryor," in his gaudy uniform, with his tall beaver hat, marching proudly at the head of Pryor's Famous band, a-twirling his brass baton, throwing it high in air, and catching it adroitly as he turned and marched backward up the road, leading his "boys." One boy in particular, we admired, for his puffed-out cheeks as he blew lustily on his big brass horn. The boy, who is the famous Arthur Pryor, now known all over Europe and America, the boy who had the undying admiration of a curly-headed girl, dressed in her plaid silk and bronze, tasseled shoes, who sat with her sedate, old-young mother, in the family landau, surrounded by picnic baskets, bouquets of flowers, jugs of lemonade, and on their way to the "family lot," the soldiers graves, and the public speaking!

Glady days! Sad days! Memorial days!

Miss Elizabeth Pitzer of El Paso is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Louis Pitzer and brother, Sid Pitzer. This attractive woman is a successful radio artist, also singer, reader and mimic. She provided a charming group of friends group of numbers for the women of the Bethany class of the Presbyterian church at their recent meeting.

ishing touches this week by capable designers.

The group of dancers together with Miss Maxwell, teacher, extends a cordial invitation to friends and the public to attend this hour of entertainment.

There will be no admission charge for this colorful recital.

Piano and Expression Recital At Young School Auditorium This Evening

Mrs. W. C. Gorman and Miss Lota Wolford will present talented expression and piano students in a recital to be given at Young school auditorium this evening at 8:15 o'clock.

The program will be presented from a stage artistically decorated by Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Golden, the florists.

Friends and music lovers are invited by Mrs. Gorman, Miss Wolford and pupils to be present.

Important Civic Chorus Rehearsal at Methodist Church This Evening

The civic chorus will rehearse this evening at the First Methodist church at 8 o'clock. This rehearsal holds matters of marked importance and all singers are urged to be present at the designated hour.

Singers will be placed in respective order which will remain permanent throughout the remainder of practice.

Excellent work is being done by this choir and Ranger people will be given a rare musical treat next Sunday evening at the baccalaureate exercises of the Ranger high school and Junior college.

This accomplishment has been made possible through the capable directing of Carl Brumelow, organist and pianist.

Cotton Dresses To Be Worn At Country Home Demonstration Meet Saturday At North Star

Cotton dresses will be worn Saturday at the County Home Demonstration meet to be held at North Star and all members planning on attending this important event are asked to please abide by this suggestion.

Ranger Co-Workers Home Demonstration Club members will meet at the Cliff Henry filling station at 9 o'clock. Transportation will be furnished for anyone not having made plans for same.

A dish of food will be furnished by each member for the joint luncheon to be served at noon.

Many outstanding features will aid in composing the day's program.

Merriman To Have Cemetery Working

There will be a cemetery working held at Merriman on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, to which the public of this community is cordially invited. All candidates for office are requested by the citizens of the Merriman community to be present as well as all the residents of the community.

Several matters will be discussed at the meeting which is to be held in connection with the cemetery working, the announcement states.

Prices Here As Low As Anywhere

Many Eastland people prefer to eat here but they suspect our prices are high.

Our prices are as low as any place can offer and a trial meal will convince you.

Come in and eat here... regularly... you'll agree that you've made a wise selection.

Try Our Special Lunch Connellee Coffee Shop Eastland, Texas

RANGER PERSONALS

Fred Owens of Monahans visited Ranger friends yesterday.

Norman, spent yesterday in Dallas. Harry Wheatley of West Texas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wheatley, of the Sinclair camp.

Mrs. H. C. Barney and brothers, Bill and Jesse Strong, accompanied by Mrs. Pauline Fry, are guests of Stephenville relatives this week.

C. E. Maddocks, who has been ill at his home 700 Sixth street, for the past two weeks, is improving.

LET PLANT CONTRACT. MÜNSTER, Texas.—Contract for a municipal water plant to cost \$30,000 has been let and work on the reservoir and water mains will begin shortly.

MUNICIPAL CLERK 52 YEARS. BOSTON.—Edward J. Lord is serving his fifty-second year as clerk of the Boston municipal court. He thinks he is the dean of American clerks.

EXTRA United Sale-News EXTRA SALE STARTS TONIGHT

MAY 1932 FOURTH ANNIVERSARY SALE VOL. 4 NO. 1

UNITED'S GREAT 4th BIRTHDAY SALE!

VALUES MORE SENSATION! HUGE SALE ITEMS FOR Starts Tonight at 8:00 LOCAL STORE EXTRA STAGES METIN

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Sale of Ladies' Hosiery OPEN MESH These are made of a dull lustre chardonize. Our buyers made a special purchase for this event. A real United value. This is one of the finest numbers we have been able to select. 3 pair for \$1.00

Men's Summer Shirts To clear our stock of Men's Shirts, we've gone through and selected shirts from \$1.25 to \$1.98 and put them in this group. Many pretty patterns and beautiful materials. Stock up now for summer. Each Men's Fancy Broadcloth Shirts that are much better value than the price indicates. You will be amazed when you see the beautiful patterns and their high quality. Special Fourth Anniversary price, each 44c 78c 49c

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Men's Hosiery New styles and patterns in Rayon Hose. The best there is in hosiery value. They are good looking hose and wear well. A real United value, per pair 15c Men's Summer Suits Tropical Worsted Summer Suits with two pair pants. Summer is just starting. Take advantage now of this special offer. No alterations. Values to \$27.50. Your choice \$1.125

Wash Frocks CHILDREN'S A special promotion we have obtained for our Fourth Anniversary Sale. They are outstanding in both quality and patterns. Materials of sheer prints and batistes. Past colors. Each 44c LADIES' In order to give our customers an outstanding value we have selected Wash Dresses made up in chic styles in materials of eyelet batiste, limes, organdies, flock dots and printed voiles. Each \$1.00

Stetson Hats Bang!!! You never heard of it before. Stetson dress hats selling at such prices. Dressy styles, popular colors. Priced as low as \$3.24 Men's Shoes We've taken a drastic reduction in our well known brands such as Brown-bilt and other makes, in order to give you a special Anniversary value. Prices as low as \$1.71

Shoes! Shoes!! Shoes!!! One table of Ladies' Shoes in Patents, Kids, and Gunmetal leathers in good styles, both high and low heels, in blacks and browns. A special Anniversary promotion. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8. Your choice \$1.00 Our newest arrivals in Ladies' Shoes will be placed on sale regardless. You will find the newest styles such as mesh pumps with combination trims, the Delhi Panama sandals, Gilhe ties, blond straps, black kid pumps and sport oxfords for summer wear. Special \$1.98 All Children's Shoes Reduced! \$1.00 \$1.98

Ladies' Hats Just arrived. Five dozen Panama hats in new shapes and trims. Sport and tailored styles. An outstanding value for our Anniversary Sale. \$79c Dresses OUTSTANDING. Our buyers have purchased for our Anniversary Sale, dresses in the newest of fashions, consisting of Sunday night chiffons and some white and pastel washable silk sport dresses. Special \$3.84 Sale Opens Thursday Nite, 8 p. m.

The Greatest Sale Event of the Year The UNITED

Ranger Thanked For Reception of Dallas Trippers

E. F. Anderson, chairman of the city's first annual good will tour of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce has written to the Ranger Chamber of Commerce, thanking the organization for the reception given on the Dallas good will trippers on their visit in Ranger last Saturday.

The letter reads:

"Thank you for the wonderful attention we received in Ranger last Saturday. Won't you convey our thanks to your entire citizenship."

"Ranger and Dallas have always been great friends but we hope this recent visit will be the means of cementing this friendship closer."

"Come to see us real soon and we will try to repay the many courtesies shown us."

"E. F. ANDERSON,
Chairman, 31st Annual Good Will Tour."

The senate holds up its hands in horror at the suggestion that the United States take silver in payment of war debts. Well, we'd give silver as better than nothing.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This paper is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primary election July 23, 1932:

- For Judge 88th District Court: J. D. BARKER, BURETTE W. PATTERSON, FRANK SPARKS
- For Sheriff: GEORGE FOSTER (re-election), W. A. (Kid) HAMMETT
- For District Clerk: T. L. (Lewis) CROSSLEY, W. H. (Bill) McDONALD
- For County Clerk: W. C. BEDFORD
- For Tax Collector: T. L. COOPER (Re-election, second term)
- For Representative, Eastland County: J. W. COCKRILL
- For County Judge: CLYDE L. GARRETT (Re-election)
- For Justice Peace, Precinct 2: T. W. (Pony) HARRISON, T. N. McFATTER
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: V. V. COOPER, Sr.
- For Tax Assessor: JOHN HART
- For Constable, Precinct No. 2: J. MOORE, JOHN BARNES

LOST—German police dog; answers to name of "Colony." Phone 253, Ranger, for reward.

—HELP WANTED MALE SALESMAN to work Ranger and local county. Selling business necessity. Only local man considered. Nationally advertised line. Permanent connection. Merchants Industries, Inc., Tower Bldg., Rockford, Ill.

YOUNG MEN—Large organization will qualify ambitious men over 18 for positions in salesmanship. Must be willing to study in spare time until ready to start at good salary. Write Box AAA, care Ranger Times.

—SPECIAL NOTICES

O. L. WAVES guaranteed, \$1 up. Phone 9515, Loflin Hotel, Ranger.

MONEY TO LOAN on automobiles. C. E. MADDOCKS & CO., Ranger.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT RANGER TRANSFER & STORAGE CO., Phone 117.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Blackberries and dewberries. Mrs. John Young, 617 W. Texas.

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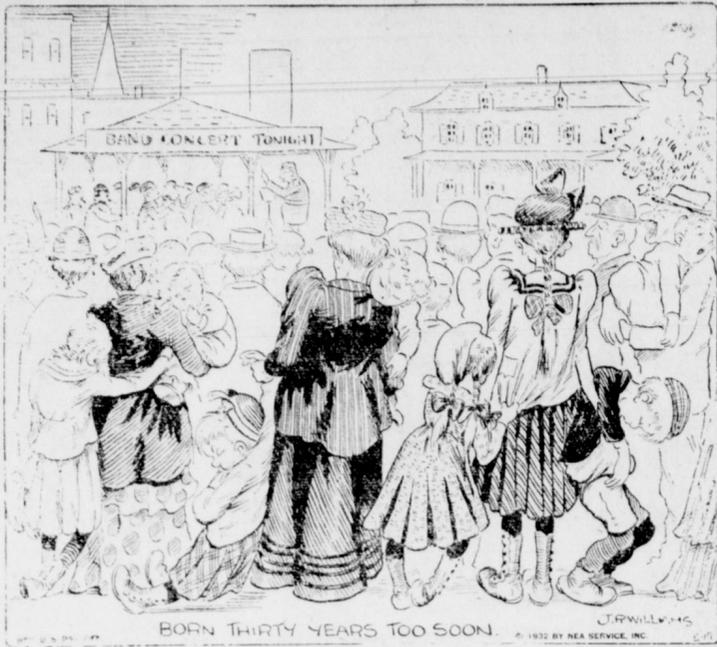
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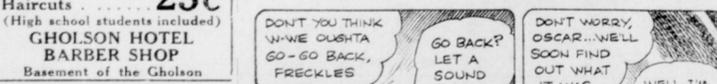
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The Newfangles (Mon 'n' Pop) By Cowan



FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS—By Blosser



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Ranger, Texas

the man HUNTERS

BY MABEL McELLIOTT

MEAN HERE TODAY

SUSAN CAREY, 20 and beautiful, is in love with BOB DUNBAR, son of a millionaire although she is engaged to ERNEST HEATH, her former employer. She believes Bob is engaged to DENISE ACKROD, a society girl. BEN LAMPMAN, former partner of Susan's, shoots at Heath and wounds himself. After his recovery Heath goes on an early wedding. He arranges for Susan's aunt, who has been ill, to go south. JACK WALKING advises Susan not to go through with the marriage stressing the difference of her age and Heath's. At a masked ball Susan meets Bob and her love for him flares again. Denouncing her fiancé, Bob finds Susan at her home and urges her to elope with him. Heath overhears.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XLIV

THIS was the letter Heath had written to Susan:

My Dear: I hope you are going to understand what I am trying to say. It may seem at the eleventh hour an absurd gesture on my part. But after giving the matter a great deal of thought I have decided this marriage of ours is not wise. I am asking you to release me, feeling a quiet certainty that the release will actually be yours. Susan dear, you are much too young for me. I knew it from the start, but I deluded myself into thinking we could surmount that obstacle. Now I have come to the conclusion it is too serious to be taken lightly. I am afraid I have been selfish through all this. I have been trying to recapture my own youth through your eyes, and that is neither natural nor fair.

I am hoping you will marry soon, someone of your own age or thereabouts. Be sure the man you choose is worthy of you. No, I take that back. Be sure you love him enough. Everything else will follow. I don't mean, my dear, to sound like a fatuous old dotard but perhaps you will forgive me for offering you all this advice.

There's another thing. It was on my account that you left gainful occupation. It may be difficult for you to find interesting and well paid work just now. For that reason I am asking you to accept in good part the arrangements I have made through my lawyer. A trust fund which will pay you a modest weekly income has been placed in your aunt's name. You see, I have been so sure that you would try to refuse this that I have tied it up hard and fast. You can do nothing about it. It is, anyhow, a small fact to grant me.

You may think this in any way you like to those who have known our plans. I am sailing the day after tomorrow. If I were not sure this was the wisest course, believe

me, I should not be acting as I am. I wish you, as always, the very best life has to offer. Ernest Heath.

Susan read the letter through again, dazed. Then she folded it mechanically and put it beside her plate. Mrs. Milton bustled in. "That coffee's cold, child," she said chidingly. "Let me get you a fresh cup."

Susan heard the words as in a dream. She sipped the steaming liquid, grateful for the burning sensation it afforded her. She felt numb.

"What's the matter, child? Don't you feel well?"

"Yes, perfectly. Only I've just remembered I have an errand to do."

She flung on her hat and coat and tore out of the house. There was a pay station at the corner drug store. She fumbled the pages of the telephone book and called a number.

"Is Mr. Dunbar in?"

A shadow of disappointment flitted over her face. "No, thanks, no message. I'll call him later."

Susan paused, irresolute, at the stand where the telephone directories were kept and reread the pages again. There was a chance Bob might be at his father's office.

Again she was doomed to disappointment. Young Mr. Dunbar was not in, the operator said. She had no idea when he might be. He seldom came to the office on Saturdays. There was just a chance that madam might find him at the country club. Did madam know the number? If she would wait a minute it could be found for her. Susan held the receiver, the blood pounding in her ears. After a long wait the operator's mechanical voice came back over the wire. No, Mr. Dunbar wouldn't be at the club today. The operator had just learned Mr. Dunbar was leaving on the Century for New York.

Susan thanked her and stumbled out of the booth. So he had meant what he said yesterday about leaving town. She had thought it the feeblest sort of threat. Bob had spoken recklessly about shipping on a tramp steamer for Central America. Oh, she must stop him before it was too late!

"The Twentieth Century leaves at 12:40 from the LaSalle Street station, doesn't it?"

The clerk behind the counter stammered, "I'm sure I don't know, Miss."

THE huge clock in the corner testified to the fact it was 10 minutes past 10. Susan had not realized that breakfast had been so late. She flew back to the house.

"I'm going down town," she told Mrs. Milton. "I don't know when I'll be back."

"What time is it your aunt gets in?"

"Tonight at eight." The girl laughed aloud. She had completely forgotten about Aunt Jessie. Well, that was all right. She would have plenty of time for that later. The thing to do now was to catch Bob at the station. She changed her clothes and dressed with meticulous care. The fawn-colored suit hanging in the closet tempted her but she ignored it. Instead she put on her old blue coat with the beaver collar. It was a cold, damp day and the moisture brought out the waviness in her cloudy dark hair. She smiled at herself in the glass, not ill pleased at the reflection. She was shabby, it is true, but some how it didn't seem to matter. She was conscious of a deep surge of happiness within her.

She was dressed and ready with time to spare, but in spite of the fact she became horribly nervous as the trolley jerked and dawdled its way down town. What if she should miss Bob? What if he should change his plans and leave from another station? She paled at the thought. It was not quite 12 o'clock when Susan reached the station. All at once her errand seemed undignified and foolish. He might be traveling with other people. He might not want to see her after their quarrel yesterday. Her face grew hot and her palms icy.

The wait seemed interminable. The big station with its rows of wooden benches, its gloomy reaches of space, oppressed her. She watched, fascinated, a little group of foreigners who had alighted from an eastern train and now stood, ill at ease and restless, waiting for tardy relatives. One of the women wore a yellow scarf tied around her graying hair, gypsy fashion.

Susan was interested in them for a few minutes but soon her nervousness was uppermost again. She had an almost overwhelming desire to run away. She had come on a fool's errand. With fast beating heart she assured herself that Bob would be remote and cool for her. He would not forgive her for things she had said the day before.

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OF course he had been angry but what if he had really meant it? The girl shivered, and the woman wearing the scarf who had been envying and admiring the tall miss

in the furred coat looked curiously.

Susan wandered out to the back of the train gates and stood there. The minutes ticked and forth. The minutes ticked and forth. Several well-dressed couples briskly with laden porters in wake. A rakish looking man, romantic, wide-brimmed hat, by, carrying a brief case, was the bustle and subdued movement attendant to the departy in the crack train.

Twelve-twenty. Twelve-twenty-thirty-five. Susan's was like lead in her breast. Had lost him—she had lost Trainmen began to shout. Minute stragglers came through the gates, impatient delay over tickets.

Her eyes raked the crowd of tall young men in dark coats. No fair head, or stern jaw, or in sight. The clock's hands crept inexorably ahead. Then all of a sudden he came. He was tall, saw him. He was straggled rapidly as his long legs would him through the swinging doors. A liveried chauffeur was at his heels, a blue ticket in his hand. The girl stood frozen. "All aboard!" came the call. "All aboard!" came the call. The girl just as Bob Dunbar came of the gate, intent on the Henry of getting through, he heard voice call his name.

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ALAMEDA NEWS

The farmers are very busy work.

Several from here visited the man on third Monday.

Misses Minnie Walton and Mabel Melton were guests of the Katharine Griffith Sunday night out cant, for the proud parents of a baby Motors.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall and Mrs. Nancy Ackery of were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Monday evening.

A large crowd attended party at Mr. and Mrs. Emery's home Friday night. one enjoyed himself.

The program for the school will start Wednesday, May 18. Then there will be grams Thursday and Friday also.

Miss Faith Elliott is visiting sister, Miss Billye Elliott, week.

CHICO, Calif.—Profit of \$1,490 on a 40-cent investment is good business, A. A. Babby believes.

He purchased a painting for 40 cents at an auction. When art critics saw the painting they valued it at \$1,500. They said it was the work of W. L. Conztag, recognized early American artist.

Depicting three miners digging on a knoll, the painting bore the date 1855. It has been taken to Los Angeles for exhibit at the Jonathan club.

PORTLAND, Ore.—The time when a dog's ears were cropped in order to make him look smart virtually passed, according to Mrs. F. W. Swanton, general manager of the Oregon Humane society.

She Reduced 38 Pounds The Safe Way

"I have been taking Kruschen Salts for 4 months and I think they are wonderful. I am 32 years old and 5 ft. 2 in. tall. I was very fat. I weighed 165 lbs. and now I weigh 127 lbs. and feel fine. If I stop taking the Salts one morning I feel lazy and heavy." Mrs. Florence Loftus, Salts' morning letters we get every month—Kruschen not only causes you to lose fat but while you are losing it you gain in health—in vivaciousness—you lose fat where fat is most prominent and at the same time keep stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels functioning naturally.

Any drugstore in the world will sell you a jar of Kruschen for a trifling sum—take one-half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water every morning—go light on fatty meats, potatoes and sweets. But for your health's sake demand and get Kruschen Salts—imitations are numerous. It's the little daily dose that does it.

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New National Committeeman



Frequently mentioned as a candidate for governor of Wisconsin, C. E. Broughton, editor of the Sheboygan Press, was elected as Wisconsin's member of the Democratic national committee at a meeting held in Milwaukee. He already has been elected delegate-at-large to the Democratic national convention.

Overnight Hike.

Scouts of Troop 15 in company of Otha Venable, scoutmaster; Benny Gayle, Busbee and H. H. Jones, member of the local camping committee, had an overnight camp at Blake, Friday, May 6.

After the usual procedure of making the camp had been followed, most of the scouts went swimming in spite of the only mildly warm water.

Courts of Honor.

Nine Dublin scouts received their second class badges at a court of honor held at the First Methodist church last Tuesday night. Rev. M. Bradford, chairman of the scout of honor, presided, assisted by Andrew Urban, W.

Another court of honor will be held one month from that date. Judge Eugene Lankford presided at the court of honor held in Cisco last Friday night at the First Presbyterian church. He was assisted by George Irvine Sr., and Frank Reid. A beautiful candle ceremony was presented by the higher rank scouts to 14 new tenderfoot scouts at the beginning of the program. A number of mothers and fathers were in attendance. The following scouts came up for various awards: Billy Wallace, Mackie McCowen, Wagner Fields, Victor Lawson, Enders Huey, L. B. Campbell, Melvin



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10¢ and 35¢ at dealers.

36 CARS OUT OF 990 STILL BUILT

By United Press. STROIT.—Of 990 automobiles which have been "sent to the scrap heap" since the start of the...

1903, the Ford Motor company started production, and in 1904 the Marmon family started for Auburn, Ind., where it...

Stutz Started. In 1911 Cunningham, named "D. Grimes," its builder, was introduced...

General Motors announced La Salle in 1927. Mrs. Ernest De Soto was founded in 1928 the De Soto was founded...

oman Bowling Champ Started With Baseball. KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Miss Audrey McVay, recent winner of the...

Users Paid State 179 Million In Eleven Years. HARRISBURG, Pa.—Gasoline taxes have paid Pennsylvania (ROUND...

BRUSHING UP SPORTS . . . By Laufer



POOR TOM'S FACE WAS RED! WITH THE BASES LOADED AND 2 OUT IN THE NINTH INNING, A CLEVELAND BATER SENT A LONG FLY TO TOM JENKINS...

SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By RALPH HEINZEN, United Press Staff Correspondent. Bid in Grand National. John A. Drake, of Chicago, one-time partner of "Bet-a-Million"...

Harvey Knows Better. Darcy was roared down. Governor Whitman of New York barred him from fighting in the state...

New Air Service Crosses Country In Only 31 Hours. SAN ANTONIO.—Witte Memorial museum here has been presented with a two-tailed lizard...

Police Dog and a Pal Killed Ducks. PORTLAND, Ore.—When 22 wild ducks which became so tame they remained with a huge band...

Golf Tournery Will Be Held at Houston. HOUSTON.—The Texas Municipal Golf association state championship tournament will be held over the Herman Park course...

HOKY AND SLIDES Henry L. Farrell

Australian Tragedy. THE death of Phar Lap recalls poignantly the tragedy that ended the career of another great Australian, Les Darcy. There was this difference: Phar Lap died from eating too much, and Les Darcy died from a broken heart...

Besieged by Managers. THE ship was bound for a South American port. They transferred to an oil tanker bound for the United States. Every night manager in New York wanted to get a "piece" of Darcy. Many of them chartered launches to go out and meet the boat bringing the fighter...

O'Rourke Already There. HARVEY'S craft beat Rickard's in the jockeying, and Charley boarded and made a dash for Darcy. But he was met by Tom O'Rourke with a good-natured grin. O'Rourke, with a borrowed newspaper pass, had come aboard hours before...

Two-Tailed Lizard Given to Museum. SAN ANTONIO.—Witte Memorial museum here has been presented with a two-tailed lizard which grew a second tail from a point on the original tail where it was injured...

Police Dog and a Pal Killed Ducks. PORTLAND, Ore.—When 22 wild ducks which became so tame they remained with a huge band the year around at Laurelhurst park lake here disappeared recently, park attendants set a watch...

LA PRYOR.—752 carloads of spruce shipped from here during season. Taxation also is divided into categories consisting of wage-workers, professional men and merchants. Simplified Tax. The whole taxing system of Italy has been greatly simplified by the last tax law, which eliminated the local customs which municipalities could levy on commodities entering the city limits...

BASEBALL

TEXAS LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams. Team— W. L. Pct. Beaumont 20 13 .606 Houston 20 13 .606 Fort Worth 19 14 .576 Dallas 19 14 .576 Wichita Falls 17 16 .515 San Antonio 16 18 .471 Galveston 14 19 .324 Tyler 10 24 .294

Yesterday's Results. San Antonio 3, Dallas 1. Beaumont 5, Tyler 4. L. Galveston 5, Fort Worth 3. Houston 5, Wichita Falls 1.

Today's Schedule. Fort Worth at San Antonio. Dallas at Galveston. Wichita Falls at Beaumont. Dallas at Galveston. Tyler at Houston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams. Team— W. L. Pct. New York 19 6 .760 Washington 19 9 .679 Cleveland 18 14 .563 Detroit 15 12 .556 Philadelphia 13 14 .481 St. Louis 15 17 .569 Chicago 9 19 .321 Boston 5 22 .185

Yesterday's Results. New York 3, Cleveland 2. Boston 13, Chicago 10. Philadelphia 8, Detroit 2. St. Louis 11, Washington 7.

Today's Schedule. Washington at New York. Boston at Philadelphia. Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. Standing of the Teams. Team— W. L. Pct. Chicago 21 9 .700 Boston 17 10 .630 Cincinnati 18 16 .529 St. Louis 15 16 .484 Philadelphia 13 17 .433 Brooklyn 12 16 .429 New York 10 14 .417 Pittsburgh 9 17 .346

Yesterday's Results. Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 2. New York 9, Cincinnati 3. Chicago 6, Philadelphia 4. Boston 5, St. Louis 3.

Today's Schedule. Brooklyn at Pittsburgh. Chicago at Cincinnati. Only games scheduled.

Texas Amateur Golf Players Will Meet Out Of The State

By United Press. TEXARKANA, Ark.—This year's Texas amateur golf association tournament will set history in that it will be played on an out-of-state course. This is a by-feature, the parallel of which a check of state tournament histories of this or any other state fails to produce.

For the links of the Texarkana Country Club, which will be host to the event on May 24-28, are not in Texas but in Arkansas. They lie approximately one-half mile across the state line which divides this twin city in two equal parts.

The fact that the course lies as far removed from the "center of population" of Texas golfers as it is possible is bound to raise scores since few of the contestants will have played it before the short-allowed preceding actual match play. With this in mind, perhaps, the course has been played during recent weeks by many prospective entrants of a mind to get the jump on opposition.

The course itself, admittedly outstanding among southwest links, almost defies description. Built over terrain that might have been ordered for the purpose, its airways carved from virgin growths of pine and oak, and owned by people who were willing to make the required outlay to achieve their object, it is a fitting scene for the 1932 Texas classic.

Italians Face Heavy Taxes On Earnings

By THOMAS B. MORGAN, United Press Staff Correspondent. ROME.—Nearly one-fourth of the income of a married man making \$5,000 a year goes to the Italian government in taxes.

This comprises, only the income and house tax. When indirect taxes are added to these, it is safe to say that the \$5,000-a-year man pays close to \$1,500 in tribute to the government in some form or other.

The direct taxes are based solely on income and the house rent. There are indirect taxes of all kinds, such as tobacco, liquor, drugs, amusements, sales, meat, sugar, coffee, etc., electricity and gas consumption and hotel bills.

Based on an income of 100,000 lire per year, which would be a fair equivalent of the \$5,000 salary at the present exchange, a man with a family would pay: Income tax, 12 per cent . . . 12,000 Supplementary tax over incomes 6,000 4,000 Super-tax, such as tobacco, liquor, House tax based on 24,000 lire—annual rent 5 per cent 1,200 Domestic, pianoforte, radio, dog 350 Total 22,500

American Indian Princess a Hit

By United Press. BERLIN.—Although Europe has its share, and more, of exotically, and princesses ordinarily stir little notice, a personage from the Western Hemisphere can still attract interest, as was demonstrated by the appearance in mid-April of the American Indian Princess Lushanya.

Lushanya, who is 24, a granddaughter of Silver Eagle, of the Chickasaws, was well received not only for her music, but for her own personality, which quickly established a bond of understanding with her German admirers. She appeared before a well-filled house, including many Americans, in a recital of American Indian, German and English songs.

Her Indian costumes, and her varying changes for the varying character of her program, pleased the Germans. Taxation also is divided into categories consisting of wage-workers, professional men and merchants. Simplified Tax. The whole taxing system of Italy has been greatly simplified by the last tax law, which eliminated the local customs which municipalities could levy on commodities entering the city limits. This medieval survival was substituted by a general tax on house rent from which the municipalities now get their principal revenue.

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Installation of Three P. T. A. Boards

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the three boards of the Eastland Parent-Teacher associations were formally installed by Supt. P. B. Bittle of the public schools, with ceremony held on the stage of the high school auditorium, before an interested audience.

Junior and high school officers of last year were re-elected, with the exception of Mrs. A. J. Campbell, who requested relief from duties of first vice presidency.

Mrs. W. P. Palm was elected to this post. Other officers include president, Mrs. J. M. Perkins; second vice president, Mrs. Glenn Stire; third vice president, Mrs. W. D. R. Owen; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank Lovett; recording secretary, Mrs. J. Leroy Arnold; treasurer, Mrs. L. J. Lambert.

The West Ward School Parent-Teacher association retiring officers were Mmes. Ernest Jones, J. C. Patterson, Guy Parker, Claude Stubblefield, Frank Crowell, in the foregoing order of officers; succeeded by, president, Mrs. Paul McFarland; and balance of officers, Mmes. W. P. Leslie, W. C. Marlow, A. M. Hearn and David Eubanks.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. U. Johnson, succeeded herself. The additional office, chairman of health work, formerly filled by Mrs. O. O. Mickie, is supplied by Mrs. J. C. Patterson.

Retiring officers of the South Ward School Parent-Teacher association, in the usual routine, were Mmes. J. L. Cottingham, P. P. Pool, J. Frank Sparks, Earl Bender, Frank Pierce, Frank Bida; succeeded by president, Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, and officers Mmes. Johnnie Hart, Louis Crossley, Earl Bender, J. Frank Sparks, Lewis Pitzer, who succeeded herself, and J. Hapeman.

All incoming officers were seated in semicircle on the stage, which was decorated in flowers, purple and gold, the Parent-Teacher association colors.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Perkins. Report of the P. T. A. banquet was submitted by Mrs. A. J. Campbell, and formal thanks were voted, Davis bakery for punch bowl and rolls; Mrs. W. P. Leslie for the beautiful flowers; Mrs. C. U. Connelley for the use of her home for the banquet; Mr. and Mrs. Belcher, for Connelley show entertainment for guests; Mrs. K. E. Tanner for candles and pencils, and Mrs. W. K. Jackson, for the year's publicity for the P. T. A.

The retiring president of the South Ward Parent-Teacher association, Mrs. Cottingham, expressed grateful thanks for the chairman of publicity's service, and assistance of officers and patrons.

Mrs. Perkins in graceful fashion, also expressed appreciation for the splendid co-operation last year.

Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, incoming president of the South Ward Parent-Teacher association, acknowledged reference to her new office, and asked that members of her association remain for conference.

Superintendent Bittle took charge at this point, stating that the choice of the officers indicated the faith of the parents in their selection, and that no matter how well duties might be discharged, success could not be achieved without the parents' aid and interest.

His charge to the officers was given earnestly, and showed the Parent-Teacher association as non-political, non-sectarian and non-personal.

His individual charge to the finance chairman of the boards included instructions: To secretaries, to keep records in permanent form, and that their privilege was to serve as aides to their presidents. That they should inform themselves thoroughly in P. T. A. precepts.

The presidents were charged with the responsibility of their posts; that leadership determines in a large measure the value of their work, just as a whole school room is judged by the contact of the individual pupil; that they must direct work in harmony of ideals of P. T. A. work, and asked if they would acknowledge their acceptance of their places.

The three presidents responded in unison:

"In undertaking the services, which this office implies, I pledge a fair portion of my time, thought, interest, and labor, for myself, and for these my fellow officers." Then turning to the audience: "We believe in the Parent-Teacher movement; we believe in its great objects; we ask you members to give us that measure of your support, which will insure the success of Eastland Parent-Teacher associations."

Mrs. Perkins assumed charge, and "America the Beautiful" was sung in unison. W. C. Tucker.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. A. J. Campbell, the retiring program chairman, who introduced the following numbers, given in their order:

Piano solos, Anna Joe Tableman, Billy Gage; Mrs. F. O. Hunter's pupils.

Readings, by Virginia Garrett, and Melba Ruth Woods, pupils of Miss Oneita Russell.

Piano solo, Ray Mildred Hearn, and piano trio, Marie Plummer, Frances Lane, and Ruby Lee Pritchard, pupils of Mrs. A. F. Taylor.

These young people were greeted enthusiastically.

Adjournment was taken to the cafeteria, where an attractive refreshment plate was served by the committee hostesses, Mmes. R. E. Sikes, Lison, and Elliott.

This closes the Parent-Teacher association season for this year. Meetings resumed in September.

"Anne of Old Salem" Bows To Audience Tonight

A charming colonial play in three acts, "Anne of Old Salem," will hold the boards of the Warner Memorial auditorium at 7:45 o'clock tonight.

The public is invited. The entertainment is complimentary and deserves a big house, not only on account of the beauty of the production but in encouragement of the efforts of the dramatic club of Warner university.

The cast includes: Anne, Miss Nina Smith. Ezekiel Brown, J. W. Great-house.

Rev. Cotton Mather, W. C. Nobles. Captain Hardeman, Ed White. Roger Hardeman, his son, Aubrey Forrest.

Nathan Ellinwell, brother of Anne, Elmer Kardatzke. Mrs. Hardeman, Irene Smith. Goodwife Ellinwell, mother of Anne, Beatrice Smith.

Phyllis, English visitor, Ruthe Hamon. Piety and Truth, "two souls with but a single thought," Mabel Abernathy and Frances June Seth.

Pence Atkins, Nina Mae Williams. These characters are historical. Play based on fact.

The play is the closing feature of university commencement week. A free will silver offering will be accepted.

Bethany Class Has Delightful Meeting.

The Bethany class was charmingly entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Hennessie at her residence, corner of Valley and Green streets, and co-hostess Mrs. M. Q. Taylor.

The afternoon program was opened by Mrs. W. J. Peters, president, with routine business presented by recording secretary, Mrs. V. A. Thomas.

The Lord's Prayer in unison prefaced an interesting devotional by Mrs. James Horton, a discussion, based on selection from Proverbs, and concerning the training of children.

The program proper opened with a voice solo, "Carry Me Back to Virginia," by Mrs. J. L. Cottingham.

A noted radio entertainer, singer, of El Paso, delighted with song and reading.

Games and contests were enjoyed and awarded Mrs. Horton.

Refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream, with mints, were served by the hostesses to Mmes. J. J. Tableman, A. W. Stokes, J. Leroy Arnold, M. C. Hayes, Jack Meredith, C. W. Geise, J. L. Cottingham, Lewis Pitzer, James Horton, W. J. Peters, Hennessie, M. Q. Taylor, and guests not members, Miss Pitzer and Mrs. R. L. Perkins.

Adjourned to June 15, with Mrs. Lewis Pitzer.

Book Club Holds Annual Election of Officers.

Mrs. Milburn McCarty opened her home to the Book club, Wednesday noon, for their annual Dutch treat luncheon, and election of officers.

The luncheon table was attractive in its setting of flowers.

The business session was conducted by the retiring president, Mrs. Loftin V. Witcher.

Officers elected were, president, Mrs. E. E. Freyschlag; vice president, Mrs. Harry H. Porter; recording secretary, Mrs. L. E. Edwards; treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Chaney; librarian, Miss Jane Angstadt, re-elected.

The officers whose terms expired were Mrs. Freyschlag, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Armstrong, in the order of election.

The new book committee, personnel, was elected as follows: Mmes. Witcher, Russell, Ferguson, and Porter, vice the retiring committee, Witcher, Freyschlag, Harry Brelsford and Scott W. Key.

The books the club have been reading under the direction of their class lecturer, Mrs. Key, were drawn by the members, and become their permanent property.

The lesson for the afternoon, "American Art and Craft," was developed in Mrs. Key's usual talented fashion.

The club will meet next Wednesday at 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. Freyschlag, the closing session for this season.

Resumption of club meetings will be in September. Those present, Mmes. J. M. Armstrong, L. E. Edwards, Oscar Hudson, Harry Porter, Loftin Witcher, W. E. Chaney, E. E. Freyschlag, Scott W. Key, P. G. Russell, Theo Ferguson, and Miss Jane Angstadt.

Recital.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor and Miss Lorraine will present their piano and expression pupils in the main auditorium of the Methodist church Friday, May 20, at 8:15. The public is invited. The following pupils will be presented in piano solos, readings, duets and trios: Johnnie May Murphy, Sybil Patterson, Jack Stubblefield (Carbon), Mary Page, Johnnie Lou Hart, Frankie May Pierce, Emma Lee Hart, Wilma Dean Pierce, Alda Ray Sissons (Carbon), Marjory Murphy, Betty Jo Newman, Ruby Lee Pritchard, Gladys Hoffman, Francis Lane, Sam Stone, Jo Camille Lobaugh, Johnnie Rozille Foster, John Edward Trimble (Carbon), Annie Jane Taylor, Joyadine Greer, Neva Wilson, Marie Plummer, Fay Tucker, Nell Ruth Kallet, Fay Stone (Carbon), Johnnie Hazel Reese, Ray Mildred, Joyce Newman, Josephine Murphy, Marjory Ray (Carbon), L. G. Tucker, Jennie Johnston, La Rue Ussery. The South Ward rhythm band will be presented in three numbers, "The Wooden Soldiers," the China Doll," a song with action; Margarette Ann Hapeman, the little

Ranger High School Notes

MISS JEWELLE JUDD

Editor

Ranger High Trio Organized.

The Ranger high school trio for next year has been organized. The sponsor is Mrs. Mae Healer and the members are Merle Stuart, pianist and alto; Reba Calloway, soprano; and Marjorie Clark, tenor. Several practices have been held.

All regular classes of Ranger high school will be held tomorrow on regular schedule. Examination papers will be corrected by the students.

All final examinations were completed in high school today at 3 o'clock.

China doll bride; Jack MacDonald, will be the wooden soldier groom. Frankie May Pierce will sing and Virgil Seaberry will be the preacher.

Music Club Picnic Tomorrow.

Mrs. Glenn Stire will be hostess to the Music Club of Eastland at her home, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, when an assembled basket lunch picnic in her beautiful garden will feature the meeting, the last to be held this season.

A short business session will obtain. To the intense regret of the club, the incoming president, Mrs. W. T. Root, will be unable to serve, as her residence has been established in Ranger.

Mrs. Root is not only a finished musician, but a young woman of great charm, and very popular.

All Music club members are urged to be present.

Leaves for Father's Bed.

Mr. Randolph, manager of the local Western Union office, left yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock for Huntsville, Texas, on a sudden distress journey, summoned by the dangerous condition of his father, W. M. Randolph, who has been ill for or three weeks with stomach trouble.

Mr. Randolph stated that but little hope was held out for his father's recovery. The sympathy of friends is extended.

To Meet With Mrs. Myers.

The Home-Makers class of the Baptist church will have their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Morgan Myers, 401 South Dixie street, Tuesday afternoon, May 24. Group No. 2 will entertain.

Christain Churches Of State To Hold Ft. Worth Meeting

FORT WORTH. — Some 30 Christian church leaders from various Texas points, and five national leaders will be presented on the program of the forty-seventh annual Texas Christian convention, to be held at Texas Christian university June 7 to 10.

Rev. Claude E. Hill, pastor of the First Christian church of Tulsa, Okla.; Rev. R. H. Miller, pastor of the Independence Boulevard Christian church, Kansas City, Mo.; Rev. Alexander Paul, oriental secretary of the United Christian Missionary society, Indianapolis, Ind.; Rev. Abe Corey, director of the brotherhood's pension fund, and James A. Crain, secretary of the church's board of temperance and social control, will be the chief out-of-state speakers.

Among the Texas ministers who will have a place on the program are: Rev. Marshall D. Masters, Iowa Park; Rev. Robert Austin, Seymour; Rev. William R. Vivrette, Denton; Rev. Ben Parker, Breckenridge; Rev. Glen Hutton, Longview; Rev. E. L. Milley, Cisco; Rev. Paul Campbell, Weatherford; Rev. H. L. Wood and Rev. J. E. Montgomery, both of Wichita Falls; Rev. J. K. O'Heeron, Waco; Rev. E. C. Chambers, Marshall; Rev. E. W. Harrison, Harlingen; Dr. F. L. Jewett, Austin; Rev. L. D. Anderson, and Dr. Clinton Lockhart, both of Fort Worth.

Rev. K. C. Snodgrass and Rev. H. A. Shaw, both of Amarillo; Rev. Paul Preston, Dallas; Rev. Harry Knowles, Houston; Rev. Newton Robinson, Center; Rev. Harvey M. Redford, Arlington; Rev. Thurman Hillsboro; Rev. E. D. Henson, Commerce; Rev. E. T. Cornelius, San Antonio.

Subsidiary state organizations that will hold annual meeting during the convention include the Texas Christian Missionary society, Texas Board of Religious Education, and the Texas Women's Christian Missionary society.

Annual reports will be made to the convention by Texas Christian university, President E. M. Waits; Juliette Fowler home, Dallas, Boyd Keith; Texas Christian Missionary society, Patrick Henry and J. H. Holmes, Fort Worth; Christian Courier, E. D. Hammer, editor, Dallas; women's work, Mrs. Bertha Mc Masters, Fort Worth; religious education, Charles Marion Ross, Fort Worth; Jarvis institute, President J. N. Erwin, Hawkins; Mexican work, E. T. Cornelius, San Antonio.

"It's Spiritual Daybreak" has been announced as the convention theme.

Harry Hines, Wichita Falls oil man, is president of the convention. Rev. L. N. D. Wells, pastor of the East Dallas Christian church, is vice president, and Rev. Patrick Henry, executive secretary of the Texas Christian Missionary society, Fort Worth, is secretary-treasurer.

BLIND, PARALYZED — HE WINS SUCCESS AS AN AUTHOR



Blindness and paralysis haven't erased the smile from the lips of Dean Van Clute, former ball player, shown upper right in a close-up view. Below you see him as friends brought him the news that a publisher's check for royalties had saved him from eviction from his New York book-shop. Denied a life of physical activity, he has found happiness in dictating articles and fiction from his sick-bed.

Colony Goes Back To Land

WALL HILL, Miss.—On a 35-acre plot of land near here, a little group is putting into practice the "back to the land" theory of unemployment relief and also acting as an experiment in the single tax theory.

The plan was originated by Abe Waldauer, Memphis, attorney, who gained the support of Col. Kenon Taylor, honor of the land.

The colony started with seven persons of two families, and several other families have joined them.

For the use of the land, Waldauer explained, the colonists will pay the economic rent, about six per cent of the value of the land.

Out of this all taxes will be paid. "I'm not putting these people on a dole; I'm giving them the right to apply their labor to land," Waldauer explained. "We plan to incorporate the colony, and the corporation will hold the title to the land."

"We are going to raise about five or six acres of cotton as our cash crop. There will be a two-acre truck plot. Enough produce will be packed to supply the colony."

An expansion of the plan is contemplated for the future, but that time, they saw 84 prisoners lined up and executed by Russian machine gunners.

"For 30 days we rode in stock cars," the minister said. "We were unloaded at Omsk, Siberia, facing a 3,000-mile march to our prison camp just 150 miles below the Arctic Ocean."

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Minister Tells of Horrors of A Siberian Prison

By United Press.

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The misery of life in a Siberian prison camp was described vividly here by the Rev. Carl W. A. Anderson, of Helsinki, Finland.

The minister, ordained into the Finnish Baptist Church, was sentenced to 10 years in the barren wasteland for "spreading religious propaganda" among the Russians.

Anderson, sent to Russia in 1925, was touring the northern section with a small group of missionaries, preaching to prisoners and doing as much relief work as possible with his scanty supplies, with him were his wife and two small children, Elsie, eight years old, and George, six.

"We saw prisoners being worked from 12 to 16 hours a day and being fed only black bread and water," the minister said. "At night, they were forced to huddle together in low-roofed sheds, with nothing but filthy rags for warmth."

"Families were separated. Husbands were literally driven from one prison camp to another, leaving behind their wives and children."

Anderson and the members of his family were arrested in Leningrad, only a few days before they intended to return to America. They had been in Russia more than 11 months then, and had been allowed to travel unmolested and hold their services. In Leningrad, however, their services had been secret.

For six months, Anderson and the members of his family were forced to remain in an underground prison before being taken to Siberia in stock cars. During that time, they saw 84 prisoners lined up and executed by Russian machine gunners.

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Former Texan to Be Speaker At Lawyers Meeting

By United Press.

MINERAL WELLS. — Martin W. Littleton, who as a youth walked the Texas & Pacific tracks near here, will return Thursday night as one of the most famous attorneys of the country to address the 51st annual convention of the Texas Bar association.

Littleton, attorney for the defense in the Harry Thaw, Harry Sinclair, and other celebrated cases, will speak on the subject "What Price Progress." Many of his boyhood acquaintances from Weatherford are expected to hear him.

Littleton began his rise to fame by self-education and the reading of law in the county attorney's office at Weatherford. He went from there to Dallas in 1894 and became an assistant county attorney.

With only \$100 and a letter of introduction Littleton left Dallas for New York with his wife, the former Miss Maud Wilson of Beaumont. Four years later he was elected president of Brooklyn borough and later was a member of Congress.

His securing of a verdict of insanity for Harry K. Thaw and a resulting acquittal after an array of more famous attorneys failed established Littleton's national fame as a criminal lawyer. Thaw had killed Stanford White, famous architect, in the presence of Thaw's wife, the beautiful Evelyn Nesbit.

Guy A. Thompson, St. Louis, president of the American Bar association, will be another notable on the program. He will speak at the Saturday morning session.

Other speakers will include:

Chief Justice R. W. Taft, as a delegate to the court of civil appeals, Samuel, Fort Worth; Trade Lawther, Dallas; W. H. B. Fort Worth; Judge George Austin; and Judge J. E. Eastland.

The Fort Worth association joint hosts to the annual program of golf, becomes dances as scheduled.

EAGLE PASS—Municipal swimming pool opened.

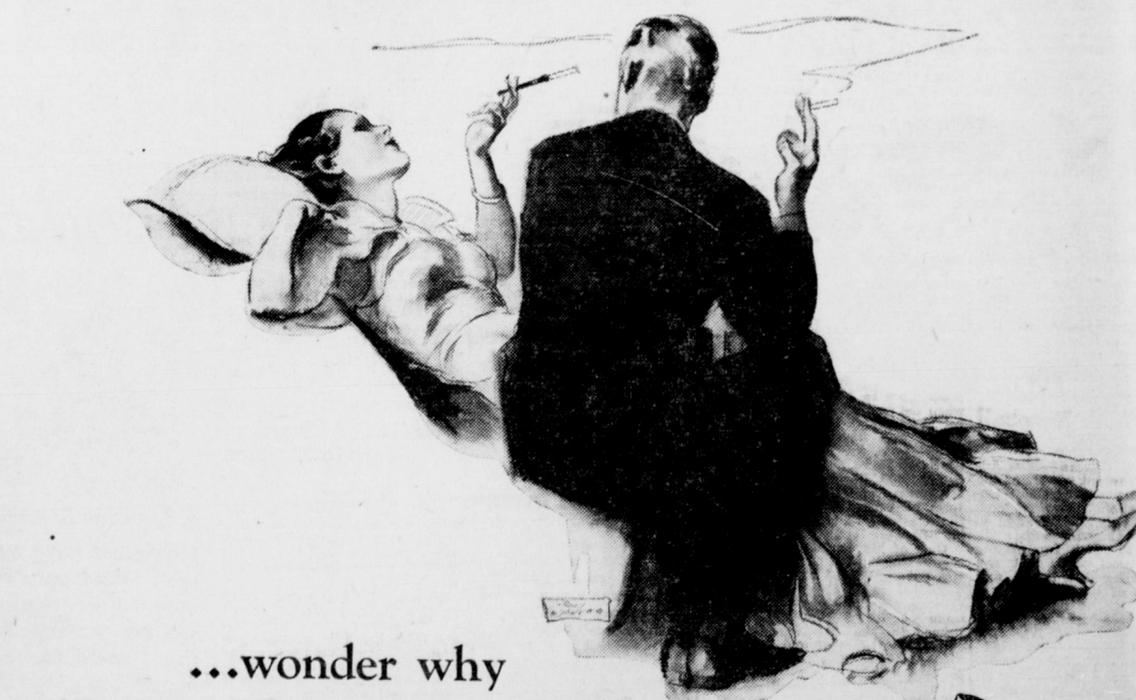
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