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Jews, Arabs Sign Truce In Jerusalem

County Hospital To Hold Open House Wednesday

Miss Anna Bell Kinney, superintendent of the Ranger General Hospital, a county tax supported institution, announced today that National Hospital Day will be observed next Wednesday with an open house from 10 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock in the evening. The occasion will observe the 25th anniversary of the hospital which was opened in the spring of 1923.

In speaking of the open house, Miss Kinney, who has been with the hospital for 26 years said, "This hospital belongs to the people of Eastland County and I want them to see it." She added that it is designed for the use of the people of the county and is open to all doctors.

Located on a high hill overlooking Ranger, the hospital is one of the finest in this part of the country. It has a 50 bed capacity, has recently been redecorated and has added much new equipment of the latest designs. The new equipment includes a new operating light that has brought doctors from all over the country to inspect it and a new operating table that has every innovation.

Recently a nurses home, rebuilt from an Army surplus nurses home, has been placed on the side of the hill below the hospital. It is complete in every detail and now houses some of the 22 members of the hospital staff.

Building of the home replaced the third floor of the hospital for hospital use and will give an added six private rooms, two wards and a nursery.

Maddreys Now Make Their Home In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Maddrey moved to their new home in Fort Worth 3517 Harwen St., Wednesday. Mr. Maddrey will be division engineer for the new Fort Worth Transmission Division of the Texas Electric Service Company.

They have resided in Eastland for some time and have been active in Church and Civic affairs. Mr. Maddrey was an active member of the Rotary Club and Mrs. Maddrey was a active member of the Thursday Afternoon Club, and the Civic League and Garden Club.

Mr. Maddrey was with the Texas Electric Service Company Transmission department. His new position is a promotion.

Baptist Young Folks Going To Rising Star

The First Baptist Church is sending a bus load of young people to Rising Star Monday evening for a youth meeting. The group will leave the church at 6:30.

Rev. L. M. Chapman, pastor of the Eastland church, will be the speaker at the Rising Star meeting.

Band Concert This Afternoon At 3:00 O'clock

An outstanding Band Concert will be given by the Eastland high school Band Sunday at 3:00 p.m. at the high school auditorium under the direction of T. R. Atwood.

The Eastland Music Study Club of which Mrs. T. E. Richardson is president, is sponsoring the concert. Mr. Atwood and the Band members have been working on the program for some time and a good crowd is expected to attend.

Rail Leaders Confer



Leaders of the three strike-threatening railroad unions confer over lunch at a Washington hotel before going to the White House for a meeting with John R. Steelman, Presidential assistant. Left to right the men are: A. J. Glover, Switchman's Union; David B. Robertson, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers; and Alvaney Johnston, head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. (NEA Telephoto.)

Mother's Day Be Observed At Nazarene Church

Mother's Day will be observed Sunday Morning at both the Sunday School hour and the morning worship at the Church of the Nazarene. The Sunday School will present a short program of poems, etc. The main portion of the program will be conducted at the eleven o'clock hour with readings, awards being given to the oldest mother present, the youngest mother present and the mother present with the largest family, as well as the following songs, rendered by trios, duets and solos, "Precious Memories, If I Could Hear My Mother Pray, Heaven Is Nearer Since Mother is There, and My Mother's Prayers."

The pastor, Reverend William C. Emberton will deliver the morning message in keeping with the theme of the service. The church extends to its many friends an invitation to come worship during this service.

"The Christian Home" Pastor's Sermon Subject

The Christian Home will be the sermon theme at the local Church of Christ Sunday morning, Claud C. Smith, local minister, in announcing this subject, said, "There has perhaps never been a time in our national history when there was a greater need for emphasis on the Christian home. To whatever extent the sanctity of the home is lost, the morals of the nation perish. Right now we stand on the brink of peril unless we rebuild the proper respect for the Christian home."

Sunday night the minister will speak on the subject, "The Second Coming of Christ: When will he return, and what will he do when he comes." Everyone is cordially invited to hear these sermons.

Miss Harrell Is General Sunday School Secretary

Miss Hazel Harrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Harrell, has been elected General Secretary of the First Methodist Sunday School. She is taking the place of Mrs. J. W. Turner.

Miss Harrell, an active member and worker of the First Methodist Church, is the sister of Mrs. Bill Walters. She will keep all records, order all literature, etc. for the Sunday School.

EASTLAND VS WEATHERFORD THIS P. M.

This afternoon at 3:00 o'clock the Eastland Mavericks (hardball team) will meet Weatherford at Firemen's Field, just off North Seaman street in Eastland.

The Maverick management says they have a splendid team backed by a good pitching and catching staff and that they mean to really play ball and win, not only this afternoon's game but others also. The Mavericks really feel that this is their opening game of the Brazos Valley League schedule since they have just now got their grounds in readiness and a new top on the grand stands.

An opening ceremony with talks, etc., will precede the games' opening this afternoon.

Monthly Sunday School Meeting Well Attended

The regular monthly Sunday school meeting of the First Baptist Church held Friday at the church was attended by some 35 or more officers and teachers. Edgar Altom, Sunday School Superintendent, was in charge. The program emphasized "Loyalty."

It was decided to secure more teaching materials for the teachers. It was also decided that since this particular meeting was so interesting, to make a drive to induce others than teachers and officers to attend.

A committee composed of Mmes A. J. Blevins, Jr., E. M. Prechard and Koch, was named to organize the two nurseries and cradle roll departments.

Three Hundred Attend Hickman Reception

About 300 people attended the reception honoring Judge and Mrs. J. E. Hickman of Austin and formerly of Eastland at the Woman's Clubhouse Friday afternoon from 3:00 to 6:00 and from 7:30 to 11:00 Friday evening.

Judge Hickman, former Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals in Eastland and later a member of the Commission of Appeals, is now Chief Justice of The Texas Supreme Court.

225,000 Ready To Walkout On Jobs Next Week

By United Press, May 8 (UP)—More than 225,000 railroad and auto workers were ready to strike next week but the White House was confident it could at least stay the blow of a crippling rail walkout.

Top labor experts prepared to spend the week-end in personal attempt to settle strikes and disputes which threaten to paralyze the nation's economy.

In the government's main drives to knock the top off the wave of labor unrest.

1. President Truman's labor adviser, John R. Steelman, was scheduled to hand officials of the American Association of Railroads the latest union proposals for settling the dispute.

2. Federal mediators called negotiators for the CIO packing-house workers and the big four packers into a new meeting at Chicago today to seek an end to the 52-day old meat strike.

3. Cyrus Ching, chief of the U. S. Conciliation Service, was on the scene at Detroit where mediators were attempting to resume negotiations to head off a strike by the CIO United Auto Workers against Chrysler Corporation next Wednesday.

4. Ching demanded that Boeing airplane company officials comply "fully and promptly" with his request that they meet with mediators in Washington Monday for negotiations with striking mechanics.

4th Quarterly Conference Be Monday Night

The Fourth and last Quarterly Conference of this Conference year will be called into session at 8:00 o'clock Monday evening. All reports are to be in writing and all members and friends of the church are cordially invited to this business session. Rev. Oran Stephens, District Superintendent of the Cisco District, will be in charge of the service.

The conference will receive reports of work done by the various departments of the First Methodist Church for the past year, and will lay plans for the work to be done in the ensuing year. Approximately 60 officials who will lead the work of the church next year are to be elected by this conference. It is to be a very important meeting.

The seedless apple had its origin from a freak tree in Virginia.

Oil Association Elects 50 New Directors

Fifty new directors, the maximum number allowed under the new by-laws of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, were elected to office by the association members Wednesday at the organization's annual meeting at Possum Kingdom Lake.

The election of directors followed the election of V. C. Perini, Jr., president, French M. Robertson, first vice president; and Lester Clarke of Breckenridge second vice president.

Nominating committee members were J. D. Sandefer, J. R., acting chairman in the absence of M. G. Cheney; R. M. Ponsler, John Byram, J. C. Hunter Jr. and Joe Weaver.

The new directors are: Ed T. Graham of Graham, R. L. Ponsler of Cisco, Luther Hedrick of Wichita Falls, L. F. Hooker of Albany, P. S. Hendrick of Abilene, Carl Springer of Abilene, E. A. Ungreen of Abilene, Harold G. Neely of Fort Worth.

J. E. Matthews of Ranger, O. B. Stephens of Abilene, P. W. Pitzer of Breckenridge, S. B. Roberts of Abilene, C. K. West of Breckenridge, J. F. West of Stamford, W. E. Tyler of Rising Star, Horace White of Brownwood, R. M. Wagstaff of Abilene, and L. A. Warren of Cisco.

W. J. Hyer of Eastland, E. R. Marchand of Graham, M. M. Meek of Abilene, H. L. Pinkerton of Coleman, George Richte of Mineral Wells, Art Frazier of Abilene, M. G. Cheney of Coleman, John Bryan of Abilene, W. J. Murray, Sr., of Abilene, and Harley Sadler of Sweetwater.

L. R. Pearson of Ranger, C. M. Caldwell of Abilene, Frank Conzelman of Abilene, Edgar Davis of Abilene, Dave Dean of Cisco, Charles Kleiner of Cisco, G. R. Whitney of Breckenridge, F. H. Dunigan of Breckenridge, C. W. Hoffman of Eastland, and J. C. Hunter Jr. of Abilene.

T. F. Grisham, Abilene, J. D. Sandefer, Jr., of Breckenridge, W. J. Rhodes of Breckenridge, Jack B. Robert of Breckenridge, Norman Fitzgerald of Abilene, E. M. Funkhouser of Abilene, W. R. Ransome of Dallas, and J. E. Whiteside of Brownwood.

The meeting was held at the lakeside camp of the Independent Eastern Torpedo Company and Chemical Process Company.

Mother's Day Program At Olden Baptist Church

Following is the program to be presented this morning at the Mother's Day service at the Olden Baptist church:

- Song—By Congregation.
- Prayer.
- Welcome—Neal Crossan.
- "A Tribute To Mother"—Intermediate Boys.
- "Our Love For Mother"—Primary Girls.
- Song—By Intermediate Girls.
- "Mother's A Chum Of Mine."
- Poem—Lucy Norton.
- "Somebody's Mother"—Poem poem—Sandra Harrell.
- "On This Special Day"—Primary Class.
- "Gift For Mother", playlet.
- "In Remembrance", a poem—Betty Smith.
- Special Music.
- "Broadcast"—Kay Dodson.
- Presentation of flowers to the oldest and youngest mothers present.

Communists In Italy Raise Row

ROME, May 8 (UP)—The Communists touched off an uproar in the newly-elected Italian Senate tonight just three minutes after Ivanhoe Bonomi was seated as its president.

In a surprise move the Communists demanded asylum in Italy for green Communists expelled from Argentina. It caught the government off guard, and brought Senators to their feet for a five-minute clamor of name-calling and jeering over international politics.

DRIVE FOR SCOUT FUNDS TUESDAY A. M.

Kick-Off Breakfast 7:15 A. M. At Methodist Church

Tuesday morning at 7:15 o'clock there will be a "kick-off" breakfast in the First Methodist church basement launching the annual drive for funds for the Comanche Trail Council of Boy Scouts of America.

Eastland is one of the eight counties composing the Comanche Trail Council and the fund to be raised here Tuesday is Eastland's part of such funds to be raised in the County.

It is planned to make the drive, which starts with the breakfast for these composing units, short and snappy. It is hoped to complete the drive within two or three hours.

Local organizations having committees working on the drive include The Lions, Rotarians, and the American Legion. The captains and members of the committees follow:

LION'S COMMITTEES
Aubrey Van Hoy, Captain; H. L. King, W. G. Womack, E. E. Woody, N. P. McCarney, H. G. Vermillion, G. P. Poe, R. T. Nelson, Grady Pipkin, Pat Owen, James Reid.

Bud Ranney, Captain; H. J. Tanner, Robert Vaughn, Homer Smith, W. B. Harris, Guy Parker, E. E. Freyschlag, J. P. Kilgore, L. E. McGraw, Theo. Lamb, Jack Chamberlain, Ed Wittrop.

ROTARIAN'S COMMITTEES
Geo. I. Lane, Captain; Pat Miller, Jim Horton, R. Norris Wilson, Dr. Kenneth Cowan, Walter Payne, Sam Gamble, Jack Muirhead, Bob Chapman, Jack Frost, Frank Eayre.

Earl Bender, Captain; Joe Stephen, I. C. Inzer, Ben Hamner, Pearson Grimes, Frank A. Jones, W. H. Taylor, H. T. Weaver, Dr. W. S. Poe, "Skippy" Shultz, Geo. A. Fox, Jr., T. L. Fagg.

AMERICAN LEGION TEAMS
John Ernst, Captain; Henry Pullman, Don Parker, James T. Pipkin, Lewis Crossley, Morris Keasler, Bill Coppock, James Fields, Ray Pryor, Frank Hernandez, Jack Collins.

Neil Day, Captain; W. Q. Verner, Frank Sparks, Emmett Powell, George Fields, Pete McCoy, Everett Plowman, Bill Pryor, Earl Frances, Oscar Avera, Philip Ziesel.

Emberton Accepts Three Year Call By Local Church

Reverend William C. Emberton, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene for the past nine months has received a three year call from the local congregation to serve as pastor.

Coming here from Crystal City, Revena and Mrs. Emberton have been well received by the church and the town. In commenting Reverend Emberton said, "We have accepted this call to serve our church and look forward to greater things in the future. Our work is growing along all lines with a very good increase in the Sunday School department. We have appreciated the kindness of the friends of our church and assure you that we are here for services and to do the will of God. If at any time we can be of service to anyone, please, feel free to call upon us."

Special Mother's Day Program At Baptist Church

Mother's Day is to be emphasized in many of the programs for the various departments at the morning worship services this morning at the First Baptist church.

Pastor L. M. Chapman will preach on the subject, "A Mother's Counsel To A King," at the Morning worship hour.

Denies Rumor 20 Day Delay In Strike Proposed

WASHINGTON, May 8 (UP)—The White House today denied that any proposal has been made for a 20-day postponement of the threatened nationwide railroad strike.

The statement came from White House Press Secretary Charles G. Ross after minutes before Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman met with four representatives of the railroads. Steelman conferred twice yesterday with chiefs of the three unions which have called a strike for 6 A. M. Tuesday.

Asked if Steelman had a specific plan to present to the industry representative, Ross said, "I am not at liberty to talk about that."

He also was asked if there was any greater or lesser degree of hope today for a settlement. Ross said the President is always hopeful that a settlement may be reached and the strike averted.

If no settlement can be reached by Monday, the government is expected to seize the railroads and put them under normal control of the Army.

A high official expressed confidence that the unions would cancel their strike call and continue at work if the government takes over.

The four top representatives of the railroads went into conference with Steelman at 3:15 A. M. CST. The presidential assistant was prepared to explore with them the proposals which the union leaders gave him yesterday as their minimum terms of settling the dispute.

Threat Of Rail Strike Boosts Food Prices

CHICAGO, May 8, (UP)—The threat of a nationwide railroad strike started food prices climbing today.

Embargoes on perishable shipments sent fruit and vegetable prices shooting up in New York and Chicago. Experts said it would be only a matter of time until the increases spread to the rest of the country.

With the walkout set for Tuesday, many railroads notified shippers that perishables and livestock would not be moved until the crisis passed.

Girl Confesses Murdering Father



Francis Korbelik, sixteen, confessed to the murder of her father after taking lie detector test in Wheaton, Ill. Sheriff Elmer Hoffman, left, and Investigator Allan Meyers conducted the test. Her father, William Korbelik, was a CIO union official. (NEA Telephoto.)

NOT A SHOT FIRED AFTER CEASE FIRE ORDER GIVEN

JERUSALEM, May 8 (UP)—Peace came to Jerusalem today for the first time since last November when a truce between the warring Jews and Arabs became effective at noon.

Not a single shot was heard throughout the city in the first hours after the cease fire agreement came into force. The Holy City had not known such a lull since the partitioning decision touched off the hostilities in Palestine.

The littersy people, Jews and Arabs alike, feared it was a mere pause in the battle. They believed fighting was likely to be set off again by the slightest provocation from either camp.

Each faction was holding its fire, waiting for the other to move. The Arabs agreed in talks with the British yesterday to stop fighting if the Jews did. Jewish leaders said they had heard nothing direct from the British government. Their only intimation of a cease fire agreement, they said, was a broadcast by the Jerusalem radio last night.

Jewish military and political leaders adopted a wait and see attitude pending a conference with Sir Alan Cunningham, the British high commissioner. It was scheduled to be held at Government house tomorrow.

Jack Bourland, Retired Farmer, Buried At Carbon

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Baptist church in Carbon for Jack Bourland, 60-year old retired farmer who passed away early Friday at his home in Carbon.

Interment was in the cemetery at Carbon.

The deceased is survived by his widow, who is the former Miss Jim McCall, sister of Ed McCall and Mrs. E. R. Yarbrough of Carbon.

He had lived in the Carbon-Okra community and at Carbon since about 1931.

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(This is the first of two dispatches on the new International Trade Organization.)

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Background of ITO Charter Reveals Global Maneuvering

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Congress will not be asked to ratify the new International Trade Organization charter if present thinking in top State Department levels is followed. The issue is considered too big and too important to try crowding it in before election.

Also, renewal of Cordell Hull's pet Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act is now before Congress. It expires June 12.

The ITO charter is the 54-nation fair trade agreement concluded after four months of tough negotiating at Havana. There were three years of preparation before that. The final charter is nine chapters and 106 articles long. It is an exceedingly complicated technical language, which only foreign trade experts can understand. But the guts of it is important to every American businessman and consumer.

There is some feeling that the U. S. delegation gave away the American shirt at Havana. This the American experts hotly deny. They say they got into the document all the major suggestions made by such conservatives as the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers, as well as those the Senate Finance Committee made after extensive hearings.

The ITO story is best understood by the average reader by tracing the international political maneuvering back of the charter. The basic idea is American. First proposals were made to the British in December, 1945. These were expanded into an American version of the charter in September, 1946.

U. S. trade experts took this draft to principal trading countries to get their reaction. They were varied.

The draft charter was next submitted to the United Nations Economic and Social Council. An 18-nation Preparatory Commission was named. It met in London, February, 1947, to study the charter. Here new objections appeared. Under-developed countries demanded guarantees of financial assistance to promote their own growth. India wanted safeguards against exploitation by foreign capital and freedom from foreign political interference. Other countries wanted the U. S. to give up its practice of subsidizing or dumping its surpluses on the world market at reduced prices.

After the London conference, more revisions were made at Lake Success. The draft charter was also submitted to U. S. business through a series of nation-wide public hearings to bring out all possible objections and suggested revisions.

All these ideas were then taken to Geneva, Switzerland, where a fourth draft of the charter was written by delegates from 23 countries, meeting from April to August, 1947. In addition to revising the charter, they hammered out a huge trade agreement. This was done in a series of over 100 separate negotiations between various countries. They reduced tariffs on thousands of items which account for over half the total trade of the world.

Back in the United States, the work of the Geneva conference was received with some misgivings. American business interests wanted more protection for capital invested overseas. There was suspicion of lowered tariffs. There was fear that state socialism was being promoted in other countries. There was concern over sacrificing U. S. sovereignty to a world super-government that might control and restrict or even throttle U. S. foreign commerce.

The Geneva documents agreed upon by the 23 nations were then bundled up and sent to all of the United Nations for their consideration. They had three months in which to get ready for the Havana conference which opened last Nov. 21.

It had been hoped to wind up the Havana conference in two months. It took four.

THE SCOREBOARD



Longshot Stabbers Remember Bimelech's Defeat in Derby

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

LOUISVILLE—(NEA)—With My Request the only challenger of the Calumet Farm pair, Citation and Countdown, there was the threat of a minus pool in the Kentucky Derby.

Bimelech in 1940 and Count Fleet in '43 were next to the shorter-priced favorites in the history of the Run for the Roses at 3-10-5.

Bimelech and Himyar, the latter held at 1-10-4, "way back in 1937, ran second, but it was Bimelech's race that the boys discussed before this edition of the big heat at Churchill Downs.

Now they were saying Citation was a colt that would make old-timers forget Man o' War. Not a few even contended Countdown superior to his stablemate.

A stronger hand was never held in the Derby, not even when C. Edward Riley Bradley ran one-two with Behave Yourself and Pleasant Servant and Hubbling Over and Bezenbaggie in 1921 and the

1922 year. Bimelech cleaned up everything as a juvenile and picked up his first win in his three-year-old year, coming in second in 1937. He had never seen a horse like him, and stuck to it, you mentioned the immortal Sycamby, unbeaten Colin and Man o' War.

Mighty few suspected Bimelech would be defeated in the Derby, certainly not by the maiden Gallahedian at 23-20-1.

But Bimelech, first in motion, went wide throughout, and when Bradley-bred moved into command nearing the final quarter he bore out on the stretch turn. He held the lead approaching the final furlong, but was unable to hold Gallahedian, when C. Edward Riley Bradley slipped through on the rail to prevail by a length and a half.

Gallahedian won with little left, had accomplished little but did less after. The owner of the son of S. Gallahedian III, Ethel V. Mars, thought so little of his chances that she didn't bet to run down to Louisville from Chicago.

But Gallahedian had enough then after in going to the front and horsemen are still trying to figure out Bimelech's race, bounced right back to capture The Derby and the other races.

The distribution of the \$100,000 added—\$16,900 to second \$32,000 third, \$25,000 to fourth—assures the race four stars. The winner and the second and third horses received \$25,000, \$10,000, respectively.

Direct Transportation To The White House



At Ten, Boy Becomes Fire Engine Owner

NAPA, Cal. (UP)—David Hotelling, 10, believes he may be the youngest owner in the United States of a genuine fire engine.

He submitted the only bid when the Napa city council offered to sell two pieces of antiquated fire equipment—a 1926 model rescue

car and a 1914 pumper. David bid \$25 for the rescue car. The council delayed briefly to check legality of the transaction, then awarded him the vehicle. David's father drove the fire truck home for him. Fire Chief Vernon Van Sant added a bonus by presenting David with an old fire hat.

David earned the \$25 selling Christmas cards and doing odd jobs in the neighborhood. He's too young to drive, but still thinks he got the biggest bargain on earth. He sits in the truck and plays he's a fireman.

Two new refrigerator accessories are a plastic divider for ice cube trays that is described as non-sticking, and a plastic, stain-proof vegetable tray with hinged lid.

The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann
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THE STORY: Charlotte's performance is a tremendous success, but her costumes are so scanty and her dances so daring Patience decides neither must see the show. During the interval, Roger introduces Patience to his friends; they remark on her astonishing resemblance to Charlotte. Patience longs for Paul. After the show is over, Roger escorts her backstage.

XIX

PAUL watched Patience disappear. When he'd first looked up from his seat in the stalls and seen her there in the box above him he'd told himself he must be dreaming. And then that it wasn't of course Patience at all. It was someone very much like her. But she'd turned her head at that moment to speak to Roger Dickson who was with her. She'd made a quick little movement with her hands.

Oh, yes, it was Patience all right. He knew those little gestures. Only it was a Patience he'd never seen before. A Patience who was quite lovely. True that time he'd seen her at the train she'd seemed transformed by her new clothes. But tonight in that clinging chiffon dress, with her hair done in that new way—why, tonight she was ravishing! And what the devil was she doing with a fellow like Roger Dickson? How in the name of fortune did she meet him?

Suddenly it struck him that it must have been Dickson she'd been with that day at the station. The day that man and the girl had seen her off at the train. He'd not recognized him then. He'd probably not have recognized him tonight had not the people he was with pointed him out. He wasn't up on stage celebrities.

They had gone out through the pass door. Paul wondered if he were attending the party he'd heard a little group of people in the bar discuss during the interval. It was taking place on the stage after the show.

He wished to heaven he knew someone in the company so that he could cudge an invitation. He'd rather like to confront Patience and ask her what the dickens she thought she was doing.

A thought occurred to him. He might gate-crash. Of course, it would be extremely embarrassing if he didn't bring it off. If someone came up to him and asked his name and inquired from whom he'd received an invitation. But at a gathering like that, was this in the least likely to happen? He'd been to stage parties before. There was always such a crowd and invariably so many people handed out haphazard invitations that no one knew who was supposed to be there.

THE more he thought about it, the better the idea seemed to him.

Funny, when he had first seen Patience sitting in that stage box, he'd not wanted even to speak to her. He'd felt so darned angry that he'd told himself he never wanted to have anything more to do with her. But now he felt he'd got to see her and have things out.

He begged off joining the people he was with for a late supper and went around to the stage door. A crowd was collected outside it. Autograph hunters and gallery first-nighters waiting to see their idols leave. Only tonight they wouldn't be leaving for quite a while. Tonight there was a large party. Great numbers of people were streaming in.

With a muttered apology, Paul pushed past a little group standing directly in the doorway and walked briskly down a long stone corridor. At the far end he could see a wide entrance giving onto the stage.

An enormous number of people were gathered. Voices were raised

in high excited chatter. There was the sound of music and laughter. He hesitated and then walked right ahead, hoping that no one would ask him any awkward questions. He stood on the fringe of men and women looking around him. He recognized various celebrities. The world and his wife seemed to be here this evening. It was an astonishing place in which to be tracking down Patience.

SUDDENLY he saw her. She was standing some distance off, obviously looking for somebody. Roger Dickson, he supposed angrily.

The sight of her standing there, so utterly different from the Patience he'd known and loved, filled him with a burning anger. He wanted to snatch her away from all these people. To say this wasn't the sort of place for her. She didn't belong here amongst this stage crowd. She belonged to the country. To the quiet peace of green fields and little woods. This was quite the wrong setting for her.

Or was he perhaps mistaken? Because she was looking at him coolly and seemed really very much in her element. As if a huge party like this was something to which she was quite accustomed.

And now she was coming toward him. He smiled uncertainly. "Excuse me," she said and would have pushed past him for all the world as if she didn't know him, but he barred her way.

"Are you cutting me by any chance?"

"I beg your pardon."

"I suppose you're looking for Roger Dickson?"

She stared at him, an odd expression on her face.

"Well, yes, I am."

"Can't you do without him for a moment?"

Her eyes flashed angrily. "What is all this?" she demanded.

"You wouldn't know, of course. You'll be trying to pretend you don't know me next."

"Well, I don't, do I?"

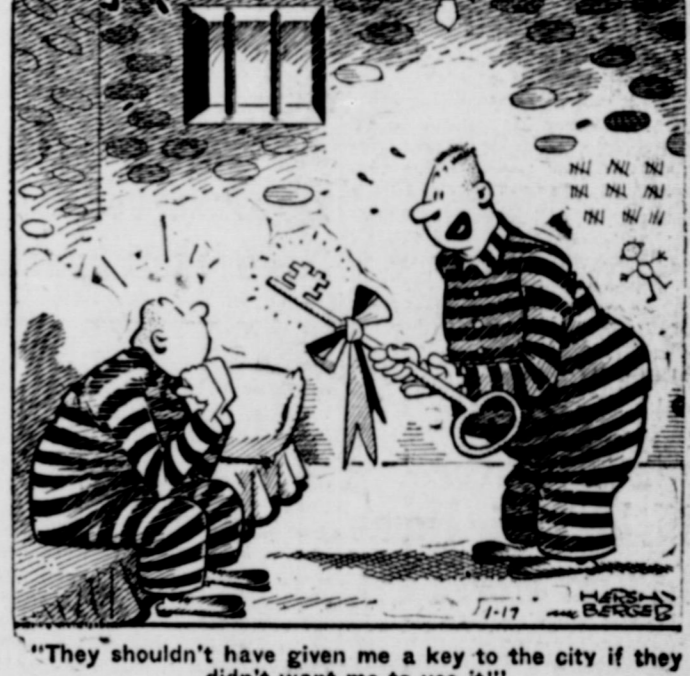
(To Be Continued)

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



FUNNY BUSINESS



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



THIS CURIOUS WORLD



CROSSWORD PUZZLE

U. S. Official

- HORIZONTAL
- 1.5 Pictured U.S. assistant secretary of state
- 11 Get up
- 13 Uncover
- 14 Nested boxes
- 15 Type of fur
- 17 First man
- 19 Compass point
- 20 Foot (ab.)
- 21 Ostrichlike bird
- 22 Endure
- 24 Ages
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DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—P. J. TEACHERS 24

Teachers College Started 69 Years Ago This Month

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)—Sixty-nine years ago this month, Gov. O. M. Roberts placed his approval on the creation of what today is known as Sam Houston State Teachers' College at Huntsville.

That was only the beginning—a start that today has mushroomed into a total of seven teachers college, all under a single board of regents, that have been founded to serve their regions.

Dr. D. C. Butler of Commerce, president of the system's ex-student association, said that in the seven decades the schools have undergone tremendous development into a network of progressive institutions offering vocational, professional and pre-professional training.

After Sam Houston, more colleges were established in proportion with Texas' growth in population and wealth. North Texas and Southwest Texas were created in 1899. West Texas was established in 1910, while East Texas, Sul Ross and Stephen F. Austin were created in 1917.

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lead to a small island of the Costa Rican coast. Discoveries made during the last visit, in March of 1947, have them feeling confident that this trip will be successful.

Forbes discovered the map among some papers belonging to his great-grandfather, a sea captain who befriended an aged sailor in South America and was given a treasure map in return.

The great-grandfather married a short time later and never did look for doubloons, Spanish dollars, bars of silver and pouches of jewels supposedly buried on the island. Neither did several other descendants.

Forbes was enchanted by the idea, however, and is eagerly waiting to make his fourth attempt. The island, descriptions corresponded exactly with the map on his last visit, even though the spot where the treasure was supposed to be buried was in the middle of the bay. An electric mine detector failed to locate anything at all on the island.

It was by chance that Forbes carried the detector from land back to the sloop anchored in the bay. As they passed over the terminal indicated by the correct latitude and longitude readings from the old description, the detector leaped to life and the bell clanged over water many fathoms deep he said.

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College Students Help Burned Out Farmer Rebuild

HANOVER, N. H. (UP)—Fifteen Dartmouth College students have joined professional carpenters in rebuilding the burned home of a Lebanon farmer.

They donated their services and expect to finish Thurman Martin's house by July.

A spokesman for the group, all members of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, said they probably would be credited with points in Dartmouth's interfraternity competition system.

The youths spend their time salvaging charred materials, helping the carpenters and installing plumbing fixtures.

MELBOURNE, Australia (UP)—Trees to be removed from a roadway are being poisoned before being cut down. Poison past is put into holes bored in the trunks to prevent the roots from "suckering."

Ohio has a statute that requires beds and bedding in hotels to be of a certain size. Top sheets must be at least 90 inches long.

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Says Russia May Risk Showdown At Any Moment

WASHINGTON, May 8. (UP)—The House armed services committee, appealing for prompt enactment of the draft, said today Russia may "risk a showdown" with the United States at any moment.

gambles on a show down now "on the assumption that the future can bring only a worsening of the Soviet position."

"It is in order to deter any such rash decision on the part of the Soviet government," the committee said, "that it is now imperative for the United States to transform a reasonable measure of its armed strength for potential to actual."

The committee called for speedy congressional action on the two-year 19-through-25 draft bill which it approved Monday.

The United Press (UP) sends news to newspapers and radio stations 24 hours a day at the rate of a word a second.

Russia Will Withdraw Troops From Korea

SEOUL, Korea, May 10 (UP)—Lt. Gen. P. G. Korotkov, Soviet occupation commander in northern Korea, announced today that Russia has completed arrangements for the immediate withdrawal of Russian troops from northern Korea. He did not specify when they would leave.

The Russian announcement was made in a letter to the Soviet puppet of northern Korea, Kim Doo Bong.

It said that the Russian command repeatedly has sought a joint withdrawal of Soviet and American occupation forces from Korea but that the United States has refused.

The new Soviet demand for withdrawal from Korea followed organization of a puppet government in the north

All Hail Queen Shenandoah XXI



Queen Shenandoah XXI, otherwise Gretchen Merrill, America's top figure-skater, receives her crown from Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, chief of staff of the U. S. Air Force. Queen Shenandoah will reign over the Winchester, Va., Apple Blossom Festival.

The crater is 150 feet deep and more than half a mile in diameter. It is on the edge of a desert basin, 400 miles from the town of Broome, and 61 miles south of Hall's Creek, the nearest large airport.

It first was noted June 21, 1947, during an air reconnaissance flight by Frank Reeves, Standard Vacuum Oil Co. geologist, and N. B. Sauve, a geophysicist. On Aug. 27, 1947, Reeves and another companion, Dudley Evans, traveled by jeep to the crater.

They decided after two hours' inspection that it was of volcanic origin.

Later, however, Reeves and Evans were shown pictures of the famed meteorite crater in Arizona

as depicted in the June, 1928, issue of the National Geographic magazine. With Dr. H. G. Raggatt, director of the commonwealth bureau of mineral resources, they decided that the Australian crater actually was of meteoric origin, also.

Standard Vacuum Oil, in collaboration with the Australasian Petroleum Co. and Island Exploration Co. is conducting an extensive

oil search in Australia and New Guinea.

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Truman Observes Birthday Quietly

WASHINGTON, May 8, (UP)—President Truman observes his 64th birthday today with a quick lunch in a basement dining room at the White House.

His doctor said the President weighs 174 pounds, and is in good physical health. The President's staff said his emotional well-being is just as good and that he continues to take his troubles in philosophic stride.

His schedule was typical of the troubled, sometimes hectic three years he has spent in the White House. The threatening railroad strike kept him near his telephone.

Huge Meteorite Crater Found

SYDNEY, Australia (UP)—What is believed to be one of the world's largest meteorite craters has been found in Western Australia, reports from an oil exploration party indicate.



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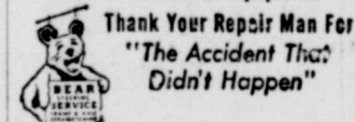


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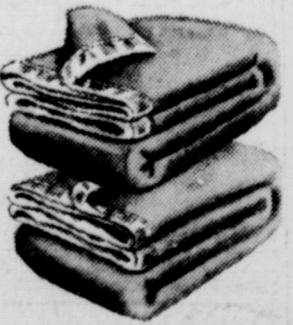
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WHAT DOES *Mother's Day* MEAN TO YOU?

What Does Mother Mean To You? Are You Remembering—As She Does—The Long Long Years Of Your Childhood And Your Youth? Are You Remembering Her As The Heartwarming Center Of Home? Your Shield And Buckler Against The World. She Was The One Who Could Heal Your Little Hurts, Your Heartaches—Solve Your Problems. Remember? Always The Strength And Purpose Of Her Love Was For Your Protection. Always Her Dream, Was—and is—Your Happiness, Your Fulfillment As A Man Or Woman. On This, HER Day, Remember To Show Her Your Tender Concern For Her Comfort. Your Thoughtful Gifts Will Let Her Know That She Is In Your Heart As You Have Been—And Always Will Be—In Hers.

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WHY IS MOTHER'S DAY

Sunday's world-wide observance of Mother's Day had a modest beginning. The first Mother's Day celebrated resulted from the inspiration of Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia, who felt that one day a year should be set aside as a tribute to her Mother. She incorporated this idea into the church she attended. . . plans were made to hold special services, dedicated to mothers, on the second Sunday of May 1907. . . and everyone was to wear a white carnation in honor of his or her mother.

It's unlikely that Anna Jarvis, herself, dared dream of the far reaching influence of Mother's Day. The idea caught on and spread like wild-fire. By 1911 every state in the union, Canada, South America, China and many other countries had adopted the custom.

In 1912 an International Mother's Day Council was formed . . . the custom of wearing a white carnation was modified. In 1914 Congress asked the President to issue a proclamation designating the second Sunday in May as a National Mother's Day.

Church... Society ... Clubs

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School Children Present Music Week Program

Children of South and West Ward schools under the direction of Mrs. Harold Durham, Mrs. He... Bennett and Mrs. Ruth P... Herring, were presented in Musical Rhythm Games at the program of the Thursday Afternoon Study Club, Thursday afternoon at the Woman's club, in observance of National Music Week. Mrs. Grady Pipkin was program chairman for the afternoon, who is music

chairman for the Club. The Children gave a beautiful program according to those attend in. A good crowd was in attendance. The program was presented at the Senior play at the high school.

Mrs. Ben Hamner, president, presided over the business session when annual reports of the officers were heard, and yearbook committee composed of Mrs. Frank Crowell, Mrs. W. F. Dav... enport and Mrs. Jack Frost was announced.

Being the last business meeting of the year plans were made for the "Play Day" which is a picnic at the Childress ranch with Mrs. Childress Chairman.

CHURCHES

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.
Maurice B. James, pastor.

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West Main At Connellee St.
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Sunday Bible School—9:45 A. M.
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
Junior Society and Rhythm Band—6:30 P. M.
Young People's Service—7:00 P. M.
Evening Evangelistic Service—7:45 P. M.
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 P. M.
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Personals

Mrs. Ina Jones and daughter, Mrs. Leon White, Mr. White and their little son leave this morning for a vacation at Carlsbad Caverns the Davis mountain and Monahans At Monahans they will select a place for Mr. and Mrs. White to reside. They are being transferred there June 1st.

Lloyd Jones, attending Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, is at home for the week-end.

Mrs. Jim White, wife of the late Jim White, founder of Carlsbad Cavern, visited in Eastland this week. She was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy. Mrs. White has a History Concession near the Cavern. Mr. White died several years ago. He explored the Cavern at the age of 19.

Judge and Mrs. J. E. Hickman of Austin were house guests Thursday of Mayor and Mrs. Dan Childress at their ranch home and Friday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Frost, Sr.

Larry Don DeBusk, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. DeBusk of Burkett is a medical patient in the Eastland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Bright of Redesa, California, is visiting their daughter, Mrs. V. W. Williamson, employed at the Eastland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ammer, and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watson and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Landry and their son and daughter are moving to Monahans in June. Mr. Ammer, Mr. Watson and Mr. Landry, employed by the Texas Electric Service Company, are being transferred.

MEETING MONDAY
The WSCS of the First Methodist Church meets at the church at 3:00 Monday afternoon. For continuation of the Mission Society, "We The People."
Mrs. D. E. Frazer will bring the lesson on Russia. A good crowd is expected to attend.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their acts of kindness and for the beautiful floral offerings at the death of our husband and father. May God bless each of you in our prayer.
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*** SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

Making Reform Stick Is an Old Problem

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D.D.

ONE of the really vital problems of human betterment and progress is that of making reforms stick.

Under the influence of a great leader, a Moses, an Elijah, an Ezra, a Savonarola, or a D. L. Moody, a community or a people rises to a height of religious enthusiasm and moral quickening, even though religious enthusiasm and moral quickening have not, unfortunately, always gone hand in hand.

Under this awakened fervor new impulses and attitudes are established. Evil ways and habits are renounced. Harmful and questionable institutions and practices are purged. New generousities and sacrificial devotions are easily fostered, and it looks as if a new day had dawned.

Sometimes the reform and quickening are induced by some outstanding event. A great disaster falls upon some community, and selfish motives become lost in united action of a very noble sort. Even war, with all its horrors, as we have seen in two world wars, may unite a people in high endeavor and devotion to the common defense, welfare and safety.

THEN, as we have seen also in two world wars, relapse sets in. People return to their old ways. Selfishness becomes evident where yesterday there was a sense

Fly Snake Skins To New York For Milady's Shoes

NEW YORK (UP)—Flying snakes need not necessarily signify a hangover.

A \$20,000 shipment of cobra skins from Siam and India was landed at LaGuardia airport as the latest of a lengthening line of exotic cargoes flown by Seaboard & Western Airlines from remote corners of the globe.

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Pet Sparrow Likes Practical Jokes

ST. LOUIS (UP)—A sparrow that indulges in practical jokes has been brought up like a baby by a St. Louis couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farrar took 'n Foxy two years ago when they found him at their front door after a heavy rainstorm. Since then he has picked up several tricks, such as flying off with Mrs. Farrar's needle and thread when she is darning and sneaking up behind her husband and give him a friendly peck on the head.

He is a constant companion of Mrs. Farrar, hopping along beside the vacuum cleaner when the floor is being cleaned and making for the front door every time the doorbell rings.

Fish Catches Boy



This 38-pound striped bass was headed for Oregon Inlet and up the Roanoke River in North Carolina when it was intercepted by a fisherman just outside the inlet. Billy Brown tries to show how big the fellow is. He'd look bigger on the end of our line, too.

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