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PROCEEDINGS 11TH COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS

The following proceedings were held Friday in the Court of Civil Appeals, Eleventh Supreme Judicial District:

Affirmed: Henry Hager, et al. vs. Leonard L. Hager, et al. Jones, et al. vs. M. Ferguson vs. Haskell National Bank, et al. Taylor.

Reversed and Remanded: Texas Employers' Insurance Association vs. Texas & Pacific Railway Company, et al. Howard.

Motions Submitted: State of Texas, Ex Rel, et al. vs. James F. Adenhead, et al. joint motion to advance. Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. vs. J. D. Preley, appellant's motion for rehearing. Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank of Dallas vs. T. C. Colbert, appellant's motion to substitute attorneys. C. R. Elliott vs. A. M. Ferguson, Temporary Administrator of the Estate of Kate F. Morton, Deceased.

Motions Granted: Mandy Gardner White, et al. vs. Mrs. Meda Sene, et al. appellees' motion to leave and additional time to write brief in support of motion for rehearing. State of Texas, Ex Rel, et al. vs. James F. Adenhead, et al. joint motion to advance.

Motions Overruled: Burton-Lincoln Co. vs. Mrs. B. Morton, et al. appellees' motion for rehearing. International Harvester Co. vs. Clyde Bagley, et al. appellees' motion for rehearing. Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. vs. Citizens National Bank in Abilene, appellee's motion for rehearing.

Cases Submitted April 7, 1939: Smith, Jr., vs. The San Antonio Joint Stock Land Bank of Antonio, et al. Jones.

Cases to be Submitted April 14, 1939: Cecelia Butler vs. The Abilene Mutual Life Ins. Assn. Jones, Louise Walker, et al. vs. C. C. Koger, et al. Dawson. Joe Lee Ferguson vs. A. M. Ferguson, et al. Haskell.

Raymond Pipkin Is Prince At Annual A. & M. Ceremonies

Raymond Pipkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin of Eastland, is taking part in the Spring holiday ceremonies of the Ross Volunteers, crack honorary military unit of the Texas A. & M. College at College Station.

Pipkin is prince of the R. V. Court. The festivities began on Thursday and continue until Saturday.

The Ross Volunteers, named in honor of former Gov. Lawrence Sullivan Ross, who later became president of A. & M., was organized in 1887.

George Brogdon Condition Grave

George Brogdon, Eastland contractor, was in a critical condition Friday at Payne Hospital in Eastland.

His condition was summed up as being "very bad."

Improvement had been noted recently and he was removed to his home. This week, however, he re-entered the hospital.

He experienced a paralysis stroke several weeks ago.

High blood pressure also was a contributing factor in his illness, it was stated.

Brogdon has been active in work of the Methodist Church.

Yeast Breads Are Subject Of Kokomo H. D. Club Meeting

The Home Demonstration Club Kokomo met at the home of Mrs. William Bryant April 5. Yeast bread variations were demonstrated by Miss Ruth Rasberry, county home demonstration agent.

Visitors present were Mrs. T. D. Taylor, Mrs. G. S. Reynolds and Mrs. W. B. Reynolds.

Business discussions were ways to raise money to send delegates to College Station in July. Plans were made to present a play, arrangements to be made later.

Ten members were present.

THE WEATHER
By United Press
WEST TEXAS—Fair, not quite cold. Probably frost in south portion tonight. Saturday fair and warmer.

ITALIAN TROOPS ARE MEETING RESISTANCE FROM THE ALBANIANS

TIRANA, Albania, April 7.—Italy today invaded Albania, hurling infantry, tanks and warplanes against the outnumbered, but fiercely resisting soldiers of King Zog.

Aerial bombardment, shells from fascist warships, and machine gun bullets of the crack Bersagliere Grenadiers, marked the Italian offensive. Severe fighting took place in several Albanian coastal towns including Durazzo, Alessio and Valona.

Albanians rushed from fields and workshops to repulse the first four Italian attacks at the Adriatic port of Durazzo. Official messages said that they gave way only after inflicting much damage to the fascists, when the invaders opened up with their overpowered land, sea and aerial forces.

King Zog, in a radio proclamation, called upon his people to defend their independence to the end. His half-American queen, Geraldine and her two-day-old son were reported to have been sent into Greece for safety.

Fighting along the coast was described in official messages as being so severe that part of Durazzo and Valona were destroyed and the town of Alessio was "devastated" by Italian aerial bombardments.

Four times the government reported Albanian troops, aided by volunteers, threw back Italian forces. Other messages received said the first Italian forces landing at Valona and Santi Quaranti also were repulsed. Later advances said the Albanian resistance had been overcome and fascist columns were marching on the interior. Riflemen and even boys with only rocks for weapons were reported harassing the Italians, who pressed on.

At Grandisi, Italy, it was estimated a total of 60,000 Italian troops would land in Albania in the next day or two. Albania's regular army numbers only 12,000.

It was reported that 140 Albanians had been killed and several hundred wounded up to 4 p. m., with 25 Italians killed and 60 wounded.

The majority of Albanian casualties were described as having occurred among the so-called Albanian "minute men," who took out their old rifles and joined armed bands attempting resistance. The minute men were engaged in sniping from trees and rooftops, especially around Durazzo.

City-Wide Paving Project Planned By City of Ranger

The Ranger City Commission engaged R. D. Green, Jr., of Abilene, as city engineer on a city-wide street paving project, it was announced today by Mayor Hall Walker.

By plans being worked out, and on which WPA aid is to be sought, anyone can have the street in front of their property paved for the cost of materials alone.

Any type paving can be secured, Walker pointed out today, from Caliche, gravel, asphalt or brick. The only requirements being made are that the property owners furnish materials, and that everyone on both sides of a complete block sign up for the paving before any will be done on that block. No gaps on a block will be left unpaved.

Or, if the property owner prefers, Walker stated today, curbs or gutters can be installed without the paving, or sidewalks can be built. The same requirements prevail for curbs and gutters or sidewalks as do for the paving project.

Almost any combination, paving without curb and gutters, curbs and gutters without paving, sidewalks without any paving or any combination of the three can be worked out, provided everyone on a block agrees on the type of work to be done and the type of paving wanted.

Yugoslavia Has Italy's Assurance About Interests

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, April 7.—Italy today assured Yugoslavia that its military measures against Albania were "provisional in character" and that Yugoslav interests would be respected.

Italian assurances to Yugoslavia said that normal relations with Albania would be re-established as soon as Italy "has received satisfaction in Albania and has made her interests there secure."

The Italian government hopes to liquidate the conflict quickly and the solution to be found will take into consideration "the best interests of both Albania and Italy," official sources said.

Breckenridge Elks To Install Ranger Officers At Meet

Breckenridge Elks will assist in the installation of officers of the Ranger Lodge tonight, it was announced today by Ranger Elks Lodge officials.

Officers to be installed include L. H. Flewelling, exalted ruler; Delbert McClister, esteemed leading knight; W. A. Blackmond, esteemed loyal knight; H. H. V. A. G. H. N., esteemed lecturing knight; W. A. Leith, secretary; J. B. Heister, treasurer and Bob Durkum, tiler.

Appointive officers are to be named by the new exalted ruler. Visiting Elks have been invited to attend.

Bridge Club Cites A 45-Year Record

GREEN BAY, Wis.—Mrs. Joseph Rollin of Green Bay challenges any one to tie the record of her bridge club.

She and six other women have played bridge together weekly for 45 years without a break. They all came to the United States as immigrants from Brussels, Belgium, in 1891.

The honor roll: Mrs. Rollin, Mrs. Antonie Seymour, Mrs. Octavia Delaruelle, Mrs. Hortense Glim, Mrs. Sylvia Collard, Mrs. Josephine Brice, and Mrs. Flora Allen.

LOST FLIER IS SOUGHT ALONG TEXAS BORDER

EL PASO, April 7.—An air and land search from El Paso to Del Rio along the Mexican border was underway today for Lt. Robert Grantham, commander of the coastguard headquarters here.

Lt. Grantham, flying a coast-guard plane, left Biggs Field yesterday morning, bound for either Del Rio or San Antonio. Today he had reported at neither city.

At Del Rio the border patrol reported his plane last was seen near Alpine, Texas. Patrol details were ordered out to search that region.

Planes were sent out from El Paso to follow the lieutenant's route eastward. Other planes were expected to be ordered out from San Antonio to join the search.

Hinges Flier officials here declined to give any information concerning the lieutenant's flight. His wife said she believed he was accompanied by one or more members of his command.

Easter Service To Draw Large Crowds Sunday

Hundreds of people will assemble at scenic Point, seven miles east of Ranger, Sunday morning to share in the following program to be given by the various pastors of the district.

Program
Call to worship—6:30 a. m.
Congregational singing conducted by Mr. Don Minnick.
Opening prayer—Rev. Lambert, Christian Church, Cisco.
Scripture Lesson—Rev. W. H. Rucker, Baptist Church, Strawn.
Sermon—Rev. W. P. Walker, Methodist Church, Eastland.
Benediction—Rev. L. B. Scott, Church of God, Gorman.
Dr. L. E. Gray of the Ranger Presbyterian church and presiding officer of the Ranger Ministerial Alliance will preside.

Arrangements have been made to take care of parking space by Fire Chief G. A. Murphy, but it would be well for each person to bring along a folding chair. However the services will not be lengthy.

Easter services of this sort have become popular over all parts of the nation. Some of these services have been elaborately planned and are attended by thousands of persons. It is hoped that the services at scenic Point will grow in importance each year. There is something vastly stimulating and effectively worshipful in such services. If you fail to be at scenic Point Sunday morning you will miss a wonderful religious experience. Make this a real Easter for you by attending this great service, and your own church service at home.

(Signed)
Ministerial Alliance of Ranger.

Woman Expects 300 Of Kin at Party

GONZALES, Texas.—Mrs. Mary Jane Skinner is looking forward to her birthday party on April 23. She expects to have more than 300 children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren present to help her celebrate her 100th birthday.

The party will be held at the old Skinner home 12 miles west of here, where "Grandma" Skinner has lived since 1870, shortly after her husband returned home from the Civil War. Her husband died in 1899.

At Mrs. Skinner's 99th birthday party last year a check on the number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren in the family revealed there were 283 of them, an increase of 45 over the previous year.

Mrs. Skinner, who was married when she was 14, has eight children living.

Old Age Pension Rolls Are Increased

AUSTIN, April 7.—Texas old age pension rolls for April will be increased 1,091 to a total of 116,288, the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission announced today.

The checks for April, which will go out as usual, will amount to \$1,630,899, making an average distribution of slightly more than \$14.

EASTER EGG HUNT PLANNED HERE SUNDAY

A big Easter egg hunt for all the kiddies of Ranger will be staged at the Ranger Country Club Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, to which all children under 10 years of age are invited.

Thousands of eggs are being secured, as donations from various organizations in the town, and are being dyed and boiled by girls at the NYA training project, under the supervision of Mrs. Bragg. The NYA girls will also be present to help mothers look after the children during the hunt, so they will be well supervised.

The hunt is to be staged between the clubhouse and Lake Hagaman, where a natural slope and native beauty make it an ideal setting for the hunt.

Motion pictures of the event are to be made by the Amateur Service Production Company, which is making a feature-length picture about Ranger.

Colleges Offering Scholarships For 'Home Town' Talks

ABILENE, Texas.—Seven West Texas colleges and universities are offering scholarships to the winner in the "My Home Town" speaking contest at the 21st annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Abilene, May 16-17.

These schools are Baylor University, Waco; Daniel Baker College, Brownwood; Abilene Christian College, Abilene; McMurtry College, Abilene; Howard Payne College, Brownwood; Texas Christian University, Fort Worth and Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

The Thomas Etheridge loving cup, other special scholarships and cash prizes also are offered to the winner.

Thirty-four entries have been received in the contest to date. They are from the following towns: Winters, Hamlin, Jacksonville, Sweetwater, Lubbock, Wichita Falls, Cisco, Memphis, Vernon, Dalhart, Georget, Johnson City, Pecos, Roswell, N. M.; Stephenville, Mineral Wells, Midland, Breckenridge, Ranger, Meridian, Bowie, Colorado, Slaton, Snyder, Del Rio, Santa Anna, Brownwood, Rising Star, Kalls, Hawley, Lorraine, Fort Worth, Clyde and Denton.

Safety Lock Made Keyless Knobless

LONDON.—An amateur lifesaver, who has rescued 29 people from drowning, hopes to save thousands more from death by a safety lock which he has invented and patented.

He is F. Revall, Nottingham hotel owner, and his invention was inspired by the death of a friend, Sir John Rees, who was killed when he opened the wrong door of a railway car.

Fool-proof and simple, the safety lock can be applied to railway trains, planes, cars, or anything with a door on it. It enables a driver of a train to lock every door securely by operating a lever. Plots of planes will be able to lock the doors of the plane from the cockpit, and motorists will be able to do likewise by moving a lever on the dashboard.

The lock dispenses with keyholes, knobs or spindles.

Driving Licenses To Expire In September

AUSTIN, April 7.—Present driving licenses held by Texas motorists will be good until September, the state department of public safety announced today.

The current licenses, issued three years ago, were to have expired April 1, 1939.

Movie Executive Has Highest Salary

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Louis B. Mayer, motion picture executive, was the highest paid American in 1937. He received \$1,296,593, one of the largest individual salaries ever reported.

This was revealed today when the house ways and means committee reported its annual listing of salaries and bonuses of \$15,000 paid by U. S. corporations.

GENERAL CHAIRMAN NAMES COMMITTEES IN CLEANUP DRIVE

Lee Dockery, chairman of the civic committee of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce and general chairman of the Greater Ranger Cleanup Campaign, today announced committees which will work in the five sections of the city, during the cleanup campaign next week.

At the same time he announced the boundaries of the cleanup campaign sections, into which the town is to be divided to facilitate the work.

Committees named include:

Young School
Mrs. O. L. McGahey, chairman; Mmes. L. H. Flewelling, Roy McCleskey, B. E. Garner, T. J. Anderson, W. L. Downtain, Archie Robinson, F. S. Pearmail, J. T. Killingsworth, A. J. Lowe, Joe Dennis, Jessa Haney, L. B. Gray, Dave Cooper, A. N. Larson, H. O. Woods, A. H. Allison, S. P. Boone, W. T. Walton, Chas. Surbrook, Nath Firkie, O. B. Denney, C. E. Maddocks, Blanche Murray, Bob Hodges, Arthur Deffebach, J. J. Kelly, Raymond Doyle, L. R. Pearson, F. E. Moore, Lester Crossley, F. G. Yonker, Johnnie Ogg, A. H. Powell, T. L. Lauderdale, Stanley McAnelly, Arthur Murrell, Edwin George, Johnnie Boyd.

High School
Mrs. P. M. Kuykendall, chairman; Mmes. K. E. Ambrose, Pete Jensen, C. E. Pruet, J. F. Champion, W. W. Layton, Vernon Deffebach, Jim McLaughlin, Willard Swamy, Homer Smith, R. A. Steele, J. E. Brown, Hal Hunter, E. R. Green, W. H. Clarke, W. F. Cramer, Harry Henry, W. C. Palmer, George Murphy.

Cooper School
Mrs. L. R. Herring, chairman; Mmes. J. C. Carothers, L. E. Gray, Flenon Brashear, Jimmie Burrage, Nell Carlin, Chas. Conley, A. H. Williams, C. D. Hartnett.

Hodge School
Mrs. Ed Zubank, chairman; Mmes. Ross Hodges, J. H. Hoyt, A. J. Ratliff, Lee Dockery, E. F. Arterburn, W. D. Conway, C. D. Woods, Chas. T. Tally, Jr., Odell Cole, C. E. May, Carl Hill, G. D. Chastain, C. H. Martin, J. B. Houghton, R. S. Balch, E. E. Crawford, A. E. Ernst, W. A. Lewis, W. M. Brown, W. L. Jackson, Sable Perlstein, Helen M. Clister, D. Joseph, D. A. Tunnell, Calvin Brown, H. T. Schooley, John Tibbles, Ike Griffin, Ada Gordon.

Catholic School
Mrs. John Ducker, chairman; Mmes. Bill Mayes, Chas. Hamilton, Onis Littlefield, Geo. Fongier, J. E. Matthews, Philip Kribbs, Tom Yonker, Jack Bowen, B. S. Lemma.

LIONS CLUB TO SPONSOR MOVIE ABOUT RANGER

Moving pictures of every organization in Ranger and many of the individuals and personalities, will be made into a film by the Amateur Service Production Company, under the sponsorship of the Ranger Lions Club. Actual shooting of scenes will begin tomorrow, and will continue for a week.

The film, which is designed to run between one hour and 25 minutes and an hour and a half, will be shown at the Recreation Building, Friday and Saturday, April 21 and 22, according to tentative plans.

Miss Margaret Yost, representative of the company, who will be in Ranger until the scenes are finished, was conferring today with members of the Lions club upon scenes to be taken.

First scenes are to be made of the streets of Ranger, Saturday, during Trades Day, when members of the cast of "Grandma Says Yes," the play to be presented April 11 by the local P.T.A., will be on the streets in costume to advertise the play.

Sunday scenes at the local churches will be taken, showing people arriving for services, or leaving the churches. The Sunrise Easter service, to be held at scenic Point early Sunday morning will also be taken, as will the Easter egg hunt, to be staged at the Ranger Country Club Sunday afternoon.

After the scenes are taken Sunday the photographer will be busy all next week taking moving pictures of the leading industries in and around Ranger, including scenes at the school, NYA projects, Lone Star and many of the business organizations in the city.

Complete details of the continuity of the film have not as yet been worked out, but this will be done as the photographing of scenes progresses.

Senior Class Play Will Be Repeated

Because of popular request the senior class play, "Aunt Susie Shoots the Works" is being repeated tonight in the Recreation building.

This farce proved so highly entertaining to those who saw the first performance that requests for a return performance prompted a second engagement.

Proceeds from the play, admission to which is only 10 cents, will go toward purchasing a gift to the school from the senior class of 1939.

Democratic Boss Of Kansas City Is Indicted Today

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 7.—Tom J. Pendegast, boss of the Kansas City Democratic political machine for a quarter of a century, was indicted today on a charge of failure to pay income tax on \$135,000 which he allegedly received when a fire insurance case was settled.

Pendegast's close friend, R. M. O'Malley, who was state insurance commissioner when the settlement was made, also was indicted by the federal grand jury. O'Malley was charged with getting \$62,500 of the settlement funds and failing to pay income tax on that amount.

There were two counts in the Pendegast indictment.

The federal report followed by a few weeks a county grand jury investigation in which prominent members of the Pendegast organization were indicted.

Coach Has System For Howling Wolves

FORT WORTH, Texas.—Mike Brumblow, of the Texas Christian University coaching staff, has a rule for "keeping off the spot."

"Don't win too many games unless you want to be put on the spot," he says. "We won 'em all in football, and now the wolves are going to howl if we don't do so well next fall. We lost 'em all in basketball, and if we win one or two next year the fans will think we're great."

In order to try to win a few in basketball, Brumblow—who is head coach in that sport—has ordered spring basketball practice for the first time in the school's history. He planned a six-week program, with three practice sessions a week.

German Movements Of Troops Reported

PARIS, France, April 7.—Authoritative French quarters received reports tonight of extensive movements in various parts of Germany. No details were available regarding the direction of the movements or their purposes.

LEGISLATIVE 'EASTER TRUCE' BEGINS TODAY

AUSTIN, April 7.—An Easter truce began today in the battles of the 46th Texas Legislature.

When the house and senate return Monday from a three-day holiday over the Easter weekend they will have 26 working days in which to finish their business during the 120-day regular session.

The tempo of the session picked up sharply this week, climaxed by a constitutional amendment to let the people decide whether they want to pay a two per cent sales tax to finance social security. The measure was defeated once in the senate and the house conclusively beat down a similar proposal.

When the legislature resumes Monday, however, the constitutional amendment method of paying for pensions, teacher retirement, aid for dependent children and needy blind will be very much alive. The sales tax resolution received sufficient senate support to pass it finally.

The house will take up, today, a resolution to levy a gross receipts tax on retail and wholesale merchants, money-lending concerns and newspapers, exempting the smaller income brackets.

Governor's Sunday Broadcasts Are Functions In Austin

AUSTIN, Tex.—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's Sunday morning radio broadcasts from the executive mansion have become an important part of Austin's activities.

The broadcasts begin at 8:30 a. m. with the strains of "Home Sweet Home" and a portable organ like that commonly used by itinerant evangelists. An audience begins gathering much earlier.

The event is open to all. The crowd, numbering hundreds, can very definitely be classified as enthusiasts, persons mildly interested, and those who go for the novelty of the affair.

A state ranger without boots acts as doorman and admits all without any difference in his welcoming smile. As the hallway fills, members of the governor's secretarial staff retreat up the stairway so they can look over the heads of the crowd and see who is entering.

If a legislator comes, he is beckoned to the south front room from which he can pass through other rooms into the "parlor" where the actual transmission takes place.

The scene in that room is one of activity. The governor leans on the grand piano with a yellow paper copy of his script. A secretary walks in and mentions that Representative So-and-so has arrived and the governor makes a note to mention his name in the broadcast. Sometimes two secretaries notify him of the same arrival. Rep. Bob Woods of Marshall was mentioned twice on a recent Sunday in the same broadcast.

Pat and Mike, the governor's handsome sons, strike chords on their instruments, violin and guitar. Radio equipment men bustle around with their cases marked in letters big enough for a billboard, and a network of rubber-enclosed wires trails across the floor from microphones.

After the broadcast ends, the organ gives out some concluding strains from "Home Sweet Home" and the governor hurries to the front door.

There he shakes hands with each departing guest. He pats the children on the shoulder, comments on the little girls' new frocks and puts a reassuring pressure in his grip as he clasps the hand of a white-haired caller. He never fails to look persons directly in the eye as he shakes hands with them.

The noise of the closing door is the signal for a rush of the O'Daniel family to the dining room, for the O'Daniels do not breakfast on Sunday until after the governor has finished his broadcast. "Molly O'" comes bounding down the stairway and Mrs. O'Daniel comes to the dining room door. As it opens it reveals that there is a heaping plate of biscuits for "pappy" to pass.

Saleman 84, Own Driver

CLEVELAND, O.—M. A. Rathbun, 84-year-old salesman, still drives his own automobile in crossing his territory, which includes Ohio, Indiana, and Michigan. "I've had 15 cars," he says, "and the first one I purchased 25 years ago cost me \$2,500."

Phi Beta Kappas Disprove Theory About Studying

By United Press

AUSTIN, Tex.—Seven University of Texas students recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity, disprove the theory that the best students study all the time.

The honor students have a variety of outside activities, a survey showed—probably more than the average student who makes lower grades.

Patricia Jane Marshall of Anahuac was nominated as a campus yearbook beauty, is a member of a social sorority, and is an expert aquaplane rider.

Nancy Pearce of Abilene works in the student publications office, is adviser to underclassmen in her dormitory, and belongs to two campus societies.

Theodore Epstein, born in Russia and reared in Mexico City, is an applicant for naturalization as an American citizen, and finds enough spare time between studies to do considerable writing. He has written several plays and novels, including the play that was part of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's inauguration ceremony.

J. Glenn Sanders of Ft. Worth is a correspondent for a Fort Worth newspaper, is music critic for the university newspaper, and is a devotee of concerts and recitals.

Alfred Schulman, law student

Motorist King Killed in Crash



Victim of his favorite hobby, automobiles, 27-year-old King Ghazi I of Iraq, above, was killed in accident near Baghdad. Automatic successor to throne is the Emir Feisal, his son, born in May, 1935.

from Bryan, belongs to a social fraternity and wrote an outline for one government course now being used in the university.

Ruth Woods of Devine is a soprano singer in a campus sextet.

Eugene Lahey, pre-medical student from Fort Worth, is a student assistant in biology, and plays the piano in a campus dance orchestra.

The End of Another Chapter



Congressional Register of Expression



Film star Robert Montgomery, right, is getting a drastic lesson in facial expression from Senator Ellison (Cotton Ed) Smith of South Carolina. They met at a Senate committee hearing on a motion picture trade practice bill. Montgomery testified that block booking of pictures is necessary to the industry.

World Premiere Of Picture Is Held

HOUSTON, April 7.—In typical Hollywood fashion further glorified by the personal appearance of Richard Dix, Gail Patrick, Joan Fontaine, its three stars, and with a host of other celebrities, including Judge James Allred, R. J. O'Donnell, Mayor Oscar Holcombe, Raymond Willie and members of local and out of town press, the world premiere of "Man of Conquest," Republic's great motion picture based on the life of Sam Houston, was held at the Majestic Theatre, Houston, last night before a turnaway crowd of thousands.

Audience reception was great and the press high in its acclaim.

Was Christ A Jew? Is Sermon Subject

Although the Calvary Baptist Church is to have a two hour singing Sunday night, they are to have another very special service, which will be the prophetic adult Bible class, conducted by the pastor, J. A. Lovell, at 7:30 p. m., at which time he is to speak on a very much discussed, but so often misunderstood topic, which is, "Was Jesus a Jew?"

Full Bible proof will be given that he was not a Jew, but rather a Judean, the Son of God. G. F. Landtroop will offer a \$50 cash prize for anyone in Ranger who will bring any scripture from the Bible which says that Christ was a Jew, or which says that the Jew is God's chosen people.

in traction while her hip bone knits, suffers greatly. She fell last Saturday and injured her hip.

Miss Lorene Harrell left this afternoon to spend the week-end with friends in Austin.

Mrs. W. H. Mayes, who has been visiting her mother in Dallas, returned home Thursday afternoon.

Just a Bit Personal . . .

Mrs. Harry Henry and daughter, Alice Louise, returned from Port Arthur, Thursday afternoon. They report Mrs. Lou Jacobs, mother of Mrs. Henry, who has been placed

THIS VALUABLE BOOK GIVEN TO BOYS

For long an ever limited supply of the new book explaining the secrets of electrical energy tests. It will be given free to every boy who purchases two Little Six or one Twin Six BURGESS BATTERY.

The book contains many illustrations and diagrams for measuring electrical power—how to make telegraph, burglar alarm, electric lights, magnets or a dynamo using electrical devices. Every boy who wants to know how to handle electricity should arrange to have his copy of the book as early as possible. There are only a limited number available at once—buy yours.

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For chaps from four to twelve years old, there's nothing finer than a complete outfit of junior slacks, shirts, bush coats, and pull-over "In and Out" shirts. With the scheme in gobblerSanforizedShrunk Herringbone Twill, for instance, you have all the wardrobe possibilities of mother's "basic dress." And the moderate prices make plenty of variety possible.



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HAPPY RELIEF FROM PAINFUL BACKACHE

Many of those queuing, sagging, painful backache people blame on colds or strains are often caused by tired kidneys—and may be relieved when treated in the right way.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisons waste matter out of the blood. Most people pass about 2 pints a day or about 2 pounds of waste in their urine.

Prevention of kidney trouble with smarting and burning aches there may be something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

If the 13 signs of kidney trouble and there don't work well, potassium waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging backache, rheumatic pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headache and dizziness.

Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Dr. Duke's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 13 signs of kidney trouble that are common waste from the blood. Get Duke's Pills.

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Calvary's Singing Planned For Tonight

Closing a very successful two week's school, the Calvary Baptist Church plans to have many visiting friends and singers present tonight for a big singing.

Though the pastor usually speaks each Friday night he will yield the entire time to the singing. Mr. Webb, the singing school teacher, announces there will be no lesson, only singing.

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Cleveland contestants stormed when a food contest first prize went to a cake baked by a cafe employe.

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TO THE Voters of Ranger

I wish to express my sincerest appreciation to each one who voted for me to be your Police and Fire Commissioner for the next two years. I certainly do thank each one for their active support. Your splendid vote of confidence gives me much joy and will ever be a source of pride to me. The fact that I led the ticket spurs me on to greater effort, not only to lead the ticket in the run-off, but to lead our City in its best yet most economical administration. I also want to thank my opponents for the gentlemanly manner in which they conducted their campaign. I harbor no ill feelings—knowing full well the utmost sincerity of each one voting, whether they cast a ballot for me or one of my opponents. In soliciting your support and vote in the run-off election I pledge a fair, impartial and economical administration of the affairs of our City. I will co-operate most heartily and to the fullest with our Mayor and the City Commission in continuing the excellent work of adjustment of the City's Bonds. I will work most heartily to reduce our water rates, and the speedy building of our Lake. I am not committed to any man for any appointment and will enter the office, if and when elected, without any strings whatsoever to any group or clique. I am most certainly opposed to any relative being on the payroll and assure you that my candidacy is based upon nothing save a desire of being of service to the City which has done so much for me and has been my home all these years and which I love. Being a taxpayer I appreciate the taxpayer's position; being a business man I appreciate the businessman's position; having had to work hard all these years I also appreciate the working man's position. I am going to see everyone I can between now and the time for the election, and will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

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New Era Club Tuesday Evening
The Junior New Era club met in their session Tuesday evening in the Blue room of the Ghoson club.

Officers for the coming year elected: President, Gladys Weeks; Vice President, Ruth May; Secretary and Treasurer, Helen Dawley; Reporter, Catherine Young; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Bynum.

Plans were made for a picnic for the next meeting, Tuesday, April 18th.

A very interesting program was given by Miss Catherine Young, guest speaker and Miss Ruth Black.

Those present were Charlotte Burrage, Sally Thomas, Bessie Wickens, Arles Bynum, Ruth Shirley, Annette Westmoreland, Catherine Young, Gladys Maddocks, Ruth Black, Helen Dawley and Ruth Ritchey.

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Shreveport Has Good Ball Club Is Early Belief

By United Press
SHREVEPORT, La.—Shreveport, which re-entered the Texas league last year, flirted with the cellar for most of the season, and finally wound up in sixth place, believes this spring that it has a baseball club.

Homer Peel, the Sports' new manager, is convinced that he has a first division team, and Shreveport fans are practically 100 per cent in their belief that the team has a first division manager.

Peel won a Texas league pennant and the Dixie series for Fort Worth in 1937, and during that year led the circuit in batting with a .370 average. He started 1938 with Fort Worth, then something went wrong, he was dismissed on July 8, and he wound up with Toledo, of the American Association. He was purchased by Shreveport at the winter meeting of the minor leagues, and in spite of the fact that he has spent considerable time this spring in bed with the flu, Shreveport fans are pulling for him strong and believe he has what they've been wanting.

In exhibition games so far the Sports have looked good in pitching but weak at bat. Peel, however, believes that he has a bunch of potential hitters.

The Sports' infield probably will be the same as that which finished the 1938 season, with Chester Manning at first; Joe Vitter at second; Salty Parker at short, and Joe Valenti at third.

There is keen competition, however, for the jobs at third and shortstop. John Gerlach, a likely young Chicago White Sox farm hand, is bidding for Parker's berth. Bob Kennedy, also from the Sox, has been used frequently in exhibition games and wants to displace Valenti. Kennedy is only 18 years old.

Besides managing the club, Peel will play left field. Vernon (George) Washington, bought from St. Paul of the American Association on his reputation as a slugger, will play right field. Center field is a toss-up between Jerry Moore, holdover from 1938; Jess Landrum, who belongs to the White Sox, and Dave Short, recruited from the East Texas league.

All catchers who played on the 1938 team were released and the backstopping will be completely reorganized.

The best prospects at present appear to be Tank Horton, who was the leading catcher in the Southeastern league last year; Tex



Above are scenes from "Ice Follies of 1939", Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's spectacular production starring Joan Crawford, James Stewart and Lew Ayres. In the above layout Stewart and Ayres are shown at the upper left, with Crawford and Stewart at the upper right. In the lower right a portion of the spectacular Ice Follies is seen; while at the lower extreme right is Joan Crawford aka Sonja Heini. The Arcadia gets this film today.

Chandler, who is trying a comeback after being injured during the 1938 season, and Hank Miller, who managed Lubbock, the pennant-winning team of the West Texas league, last year.

There are four holdover pitchers and several likely-looking rookies from which to build a mound staff.

The holdovers are Jim Bivio, veteran righthander who won 15 games and lost 14 last season; Bobby Combs, who won 12 and lost 11; Vallie Eaves, who won six

butting, and finished in a three-way tie for last place in fielding. It has a lot of room for improvement, but Peel thinks it has the stuff to finish considerably higher up the ladder.

Television broadcast of operations is a possibility. What a cheerful thing to tune in on from a sick bed.

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Spanish War Echoes in America

The war is over in Spain. The million dead are rotting on the torn battlefields, the 30,000 who were assassinated or executed lie in their quicklime graves, the 15,000 civilians killed by air-raids, the 50,000 men, women, and children who died of disease and starvation have rest for their shattered and emaciated bodies.

It is to be hoped that the uncompromising zealots who started the war, and the foreign intruders who prolonged it, all sleep well o' nights. Perhaps they do not rest as quietly as the dead, however. There may be nights when they wake startled from nightmares, dreams of starving and bloated little children, innocent but dying, dreams of mangled bodies trying to drag themselves to shelter on a bomb-swept pavement.

It is all over now, as far as the fighting and dying goes. But it is not finished. Nothing is ever finished. The smallest act is part of a chain of cause and effect that goes on down through the long ages. And immediate effects of the Spanish war are going to be felt in the Americas.

Alfonso Miranda Esteve, head of the Spanish Falange, a Franco party, in Puerto Rico, has been good enough to reassure us that Franco does not aim to go on and recover for Spain the lost possessions in the Americas. That is very decent of Miranda, and shows good sense, too.

But Miranda goes on to something more tangible. Franco does aim to regain for Fascist Spain the cultural and spiritual leadership of Latin America, Miranda says, as well as to increase mutual trade relations.

Mexico is typical of the problem raised. Spanish Loyalist refugees, fearing for their lives, or facing an intolerable life in Fascist Spain, are already beginning to filter into Mexico. There will be many more later on. The Mexican government, being on the left side, is generally favorable to them.

But there are also powerful forces in Mexico who have always favored Franco. And as Spain is reorganized, resumes functioning in trade and cultural fields, the Franco government will be exercising a continually greater influence in Mexico. Franco's partisans are already heartened by military victory and are showing signs of greater activity.

What is true in Mexico is true in greater or less degree in all the Latin-American countries of Central and South America.

This does not mean that any of them is to be another Spain riven by open combat. But underneath the surface the essential conflict will continue in the Americas.

This is the time of year Mother wonders whether it's spring fever or whether Junior is just acting normal when he "runs" errands.

RELIGIOUS LEADER

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Defined name of an Indian philosopher.
6 He was a religious (pl.).
13 Half an em.
14 To rove.
16 Broad chisel.
17 Musical note.
19 To prick painfully.
21 Glided.
22 Lock parts.
24 Soap substitute.
26 Kind of cheese.
28 Portrait images.
30 Antecedent.
32 To repurchase.
34 Sals.
35 Diner.
37 Geographical drawing.
38 Like.
40 Valleys.
42 Palm lily.
43 Wood spirit.

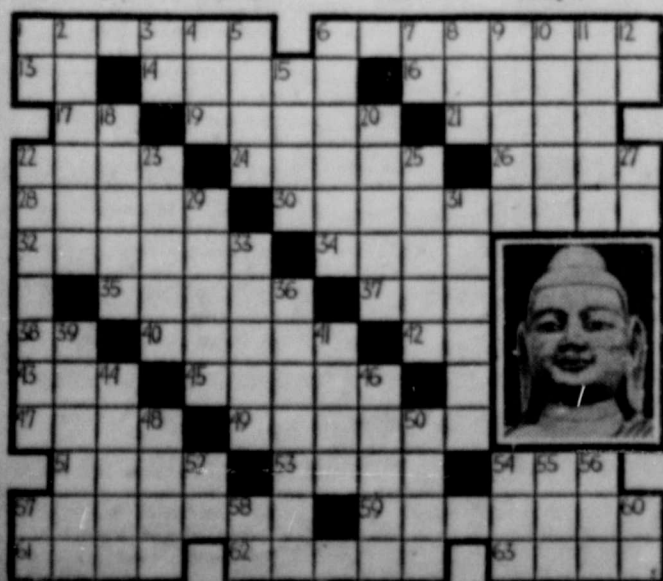
Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 45 Easy gait.
47 Melodies.
49 Those that saw.
51 Dormouse.
53 Girdle.
54 English coin.
57 He was the
58 of
59 The name of this sage.
61 Branches of learning.
62 Partitioned.
63 Jewel.

VERTICAL

- 1 To subvert.
2 To undo laces.
3 Doctor.
4 Possesses.
5 Pier.
6 Singing voices.
7 Position in time.
8 Kind of lettuce.
9 Drove in a hole.
10 To nullify.
11 Fortified work.
12 Senior.
13 Strong fibrous.
18 Dwelling.
20 To glitter.
22 Release from existence (Buddhism).
23 Seythe handle.
25 Orientation.
27 Mountain.
29 Pertaining to sets.
31 Watches.
33 Musical term.
36 Restores.
39 Mariner.
41 Stitched.
44 Fish.
46 Woolen fabric.
48 Crimes.
50 Street.
52 Road (abbr).
54 Indian.
55 Knock.
56 Wine vessel.
57 Note in scale.
58 Babylonian deity.
60 Dye.



"OUTOURWAY"

SO YOU WANT YOUR OLD JOB BACK - WELL, I DON'T KNOW - THINGS ARE A LITTLE SLACK RIGHT NOW - I THOUGHT YOU WERE PRETTY WELL FIXED AFTER YOU INHERITED THAT FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS!

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BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—What American foreign policy is depends in the long run on public opinion. Neither Presidents nor secretaries of state really make foreign policy. Any time the American public refuses to go along with them it can cancel statements of profound plans—as Woodrow Wilson learned after the World War.

No discussion of American foreign policy today means much unless the things that have been happening to public opinion at home in the last few months are taken into account. Basically, of course, the American people's idea on foreign policy is beautifully simple: they want peace with justice and prosperity with security.

The administration today is committed to the thesis that this goal can be reached by justifying isolationism and has undertaken to co-operate with democracies to restrain dictatorships. It believes the country at large will support it in this regard.

Look at the sequence of events since the first of the year. 1. On January 4 President Roosevelt told Congress that "no nation can be safe in its will to peace so long as any other single powerful nation refuses to settle its grievances at the council table."

2. Three weeks later Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles made a speech before the New York Bar Association in which he sought further to mobilize public opinion. He said that since the World War we have been witnessing "a progressive and ever more rapid deterioration" in international relations.

3. Less than a fortnight later a military plane crashed in California, and the public learned the government was enabling the French to buy brand new American fighting planes which had been designed for U. S. Army purchase.

4. Then came Hitler's occupation of Czechoslovakia. 5. Acting with the approval of President Roosevelt, Undersecretary Welles (Secretary Hull being absent) issued a statement condemning Germany as having acted with "wanton lawlessness" and implying that America looked on the extinguishment of Czechoslovakian independence as a temporary thing. Simultaneously, the Treasury Department slapped a 25 per cent penalty on goods imported from Germany.

6. Three days later the American government sent a formal note of protest to Germany, and Senator Pittman moved to extend and modify the neutrality legislation in such a way as to enable England and France to buy arms and other supplies in America if case they were at war with Germany and Italy.

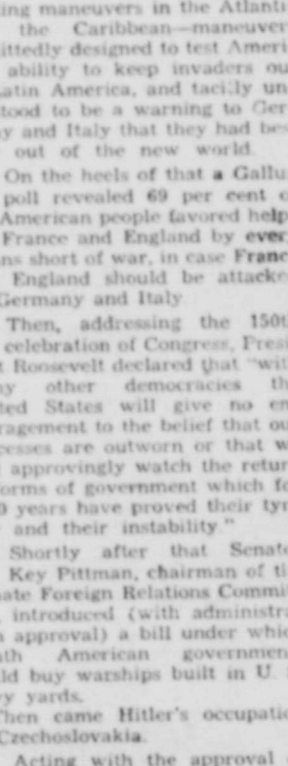
7. Add up all this and you get a clear picture of the direction in which the United States is moving in European affairs. There are in dictations—not yet conclusive—in the main the public is prepared to follow the lead of the administration.

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Washington Sees Franco's Banner

Following U. S. recognition of the Spanish Nationalist government, the new regime's red and gold banner appeared for the first time on the Spanish embassy in Washington.



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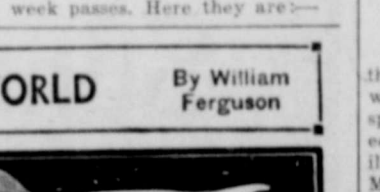
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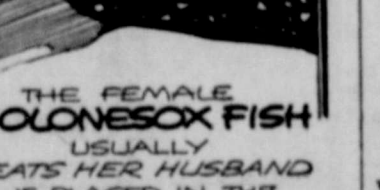
By Williams ALLEY OOP



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AT THE NORTH POLE, WHICH WAY WOULD THE COMPASS NEEDLE POINT?



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Curried Pineapple for Meat
Two tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons curry powder, 2 tablespoons pineapple syrup, 6 slices canned pineapple.

Heat butter in frying pan. Stir in curry powder and pineapple syrup. Lay 6 slices pineapple in this mixture and cook very slowly for 10 minutes. Turn slices frequently. Instead of slices of pineapple use small pieces, if you prefer. This is good also with chicken or fish.

Picnic Cherry Cake
(1 cake 9 by 2 inches)
The suggestion of picnics is in the spring air. You'll want a special cake recipe. Here is a brand new one.

One-quarter cup butter or other shortening, 1-2 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1-4 cups cake flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1-8 teaspoon salt,

1 cup and 2 tablespoons Flour (or other purpose flour)
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup milk
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 cup seedless raisins (ped)

3 cups Quaker or Mother's Oats (Quick or Regular, uncooked)
Cream the shortening and sugar thoroughly. Beat in the one at a time. Sift together flour, baking powder, cinnamon. Add to the mixture alternately with the Stir in the vanilla. Add raisins and Quaker's Oats from a teaspoon on cookie sheet and bake in erately hot oven 375 deg. approximately 15 minutes.

FLAX RIVALS DAKOTA WHEAT

FARGO, N. D.—Wheat, Dakota's principal crop, has a back seat this year, according to Harry G. Anderson of the Dakota Agricultural College, who is coming to the front as a crop and may net North farmers more than wheat.

Tomorrow's Menu
BREAKFAST: Baked pies, French toast, jam, milk.
LUNCHEON: Black soup, cabbage and celery ad, picnic cherry cake, milk.
DINNER: Grapefruit halibut au gratin, co pineapple, steamed rice, parsnips, rhubarb tarts, wafers, coffee, milk.

1-3 cup milk, 1-4 teaspoon extract, 8 marshmallows, 1-4 cup shredded almonds. Cream butter and sugar. Add egg and be fluffy. Sift and measure. Then sift flour, baking and salt together. Add creamed mixture alternately with milk. Add vanilla and a well-greased heat-resistant cake dish, 9 by 2 inches. Bake in modern (375 degrees F.) for 30 min.

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SERIAL STORY BORDER ADVENTURE

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CHAPTER I

THE cold, forbidding aspect of the gray stone police headquarters in El Paso, Texas, suddenly was intensified by contrast as trim Betty Mary Jordan walked in.



They had dared her impulsively, and Betty Mary, pointing across the border to Mexico and the defiance of its No. 1 smuggler, accepted the challenge.

Technically, Betty Mary was an efficiency expert from Washington, sent out with an official reprimand for Inspectors Starr and Kildare of the U. S. Border Patrol. She didn't look it. She was a dainty person whose left dimple flashed at the slightest provocation. Her hair was the color of brass. Her eyes china-blue. They, and her height, suggested that Betty Mary ought to be somewhere skipping rope or, at most, preparing for a junior prom.

Nevertheless, her lips were set in what she fully believed was a firm, purposeful line. She was still stinging a little from the challenge thrown at her by big Sheridan Lanford Starr, and echoed—at least by a nod—from his close friend and fellow officer, Hope Kildare. She was also trembling a little, inwardly, at her own temerity in accepting their challenge.

"If you think Luis Barro is so easy to catch," Sherry Starr had rumbled, indignantly, "then—then—why don't you help catch him yourself? You're an efficiency expert. At least Washington said they were sending one out!"

He had blurted it much as a college boy would blurt something at a co-ed with whom he was quarreling. And Miss Jordan had answered in kind. "All right, maybe I will!" she

had snapped. "Efficiency is simply getting a hard job done properly. You two men have been trying for a year. And Luis Barro is still called the Smuggler King of the Mexican Border. Only a few nights ago he sent over a dozen alienated shipments of narcotics, while you hid peacefully in the flags 10 miles down the river!"

"We had a false tip!" Hope put pleadingly, watching her blue eyes.

"That's your business to get accurate information before acting," she declared. "Isn't it now?"

One word had led to another. Talk, talk, talk; details, details. When Officers Kildare and Starr had dutifully reported their failure again to capture Luis Barro, words of all border smugglers, an extremely busy department chief in Washington had sent his efficient secretary out for a first-hand report. (She had carried out more than one assignment like this!) And the officers had dared her to demonstrate her efficiency!

They had dared her impulsively, as boys would, hence they were alarmed when she accepted. There had been a new prisoner in the city jail, named Salazar, in whose pockets had been some cocaine wrapped much like Luis Barro's man?

"Sure, you can see him!" the police chief told her when she had presented her credentials. "Anything the federal boys want. You on the Border Patrol now, miss?"

"Just briefly, and unofficially," Betty Mary dimpled at him, and that was entire enough. "I don't want him to see me."

Salazar sat for 10 minutes with two detectives in an inner office. They questioned him in Spanish but learned nothing, while Betty Mary peered at him unobserved. She noted every minute detail, mentally photographing him.

Next she asked the jailer to show her the man's personal effects—knife, gun, coins, handkerchief, packaged narcotics, all the things found in his clothing.

"What would he be doing with a cartridge like this?" she asked, casually thumbing it. "This doesn't fit his gun. This cartridge is a .22 long rifle."

"Dunno," said the jailer. "Found one like it on another Mexican arrested last month. And some poor boys had one in their pockets. Rabbit hunters, I guess."

"Interesting," murmured Betty Mary, and stared at the thing a long time. It was dirty, and greasy, but seemingly unimpressive.

She conferred then with the police chief again, in private. He told her a great many things. The chief was a man of 60 with daughters of his own. He even showed her photos of his grandchildren, discussing them proudly. When she left he had agreed to a detailed plan. In the alley back of her hotel at 3 a. m.?

MEANWHILE, Inspectors Starr and Kildare of the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service—young teammates in the service who had chosen this most fascinating (but dangerous) work for their careers—were anything but comfortable. After Betty Mary left they talked earnestly in a welter of mutual sympathy, then left the conference room to stride down the street, friends side by side as they had been since high school days. Gloom enveloped them because Luis Barro had indeed brought a peculiar genius

into his smuggling operations, was heightened now because a woman—a girl!—had been sent out to discipline them. They had not taken seriously her promise to help catch Barro.

"She has gone on back to her hotel, I reckon," Sheridan Starr said. "Prob'ly whistle us up again tonight."

"Yeamp," Hope Kildare agreed. "What say we go back, drive down and pump this prisoner, Salazar?"

"Okay." They lingered at their office for an hour, first, however, studying Salazar's fingerprint record, and mapping a new course of action which might trap Luis Barro. But they weren't satisfied with any plan they could evolve. Two other officers came in and conferred with them at length, so that it was late afternoon when they finally took a government car and drove to the city police headquarters.

"We want to see this Salazar you got on a dope charge," Starr requested.

The desk sergeant himself got keys from the jailer and led them back to a cell. "That's him," the sergeant said, pointing. "But—uh, we was a little crowded, and had to put old granny in with him for a few hours. You wanta talk to him alone?"

"No, thanks, just want to be acquainted. Howdy, Salazar."

"Howdy, granny, what you in for? You hittin' the dope, too?" Starr was looking closely at Salazar, but Kildare stared at the woman. She appeared quite old; a faded Mexican in a black skirt, and a black shawl that came up over her head to be pinned under her chin, then draped down over narrow stooped shoulders, a common type. Her face looked pale in the gloom of the jail cell.

"No, senor, only a little," she whined, and sobbed a bit, bowing so that only her forehead was seen. Starr was ignoring her, intent on the man. But Hope Kildare's mouth dropped open.

Hope's keen ears had detected what his eyes had missed! Behind the man Salazar, the poor old woman eyed Hope for an instant, then slowly shook her head.

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CHAPTER II

TALKING things out and acting together Sheridan Starr and Hope Kildare had been close associates since they were 10 years old. As schoolmates they had lived on adjoining ranches near Henderson, Texas, and as "buddies" still later they had written their names jointly on Texas Christian University's hall of football fame. Next they had naturally moved together after graduation and so found themselves both working for Uncle Sam.

Work on the U. S. Border Patrol, a dignified career, held the freedom of outdoors plus the zest of action. It was a public service spiced heavily with danger, and it left little or no time for the gentler social affairs. Content now with their friendship anyway, Hope and Sheridan had remained thorough bachelors; often they had boasted good-naturedly that they were "immune" to feminine wiles. But that was before Betty Mary Jordan came along.

Sitting together now on an iron bench in front of the El Paso police headquarters, the two young officers were in better mood than they had been two hours earlier. Initial resentment at Betty Mary's arrival had changed to a feeling of responsibility.

"There's not a thing to do but wait," Sheridan was saying. "You darn sure it was Miss Jordan!"

"Positive! She gave me the high sign herself," Hope spoke intently. "Um. Nothing slow about that gal. And great-a-a-a-at day. Hope, my son, she's pretty, that little trick!"

"I'm not blind," said Hope. "When do you reckon she'll come out?"

"No telling. And while I don't know what you aim to do, Hopsy, me, I'm going to camp right here!"

"I'll watch the back door," said Hope, departing.

"Right," Sherry agreed.

THEY had begun their vigil about 5 p. m. At 7, Sherry bought a dozen tamales from a passing peddler, sent another to the alley back of the building to his friend.

At 10:20 o'clock Sherry walked to the corner of the building, gazed up at the crescent moon as if bored. Then he yawned and patted his hat on light-pat, pat, pat, walked back and sat down again. In five minutes Hope joined him, coming through the building. The hat tapping was his private sign meaning "come on" or "it's time to move." They got in their government car and drove away.

"Where's she?" demanded Hope instantly, peering at the dimly lighted sidewalk.

"About three blocks yonder. They drove a mile and came up behind her, an old Mexican woman, face bowed deeply in a black shawl. A few other Mexicans loitered up and down the semi-residence street.

"She's got to see us, but we can't recognize her," Hope avowed. "Stop a minute at that Mexican botica yonder."



They trailed her for half an hour. Then she walked into an alley back of El Paso's famed hotel, looking furtively to right and left.

minutes. Then she looked right and left, slowly, saw no one, and entered the hotel kitchen door.

IT took Sherry 20 minutes to arouse the Marcial ranch owner and arrange for the saddled horses. Old Don Mario Marcial was a staunch friend of the Border

Patrol, had aided them on numerous occasions. But he was so meticulous and polite in conversation that one could never do business fast with him. He really lived the traditional languor of the Spanish southwest.

"Anyway Betty Mary's safe in the hotel," Hope mentioned, when they were back in their car, heading out. "That's off our minds."

"Yep, for a fact." "It looks to me like she called our bluff, 100 per cent. We dared her to help catch Barro, and she pitched right in."

Hope's tone held definite pride. He reached to thump his hat far back on his head. He was not quite as large as Sheridan Starr, nor quite as tall, but he was every bit as handsome. And he could outshoot Sheridan a little in target work. Youngest of the 300 or so officers who guard Uncle Sam's southwestern frontier, these two also were perhaps the most audacious.

"Tell you what, Sherry," Hope Kildare grinned a bit, in strange embarrassment. "There's no need of us kiddin' ourselves. Now—uh—"

"Huh?" "I say we might's well understand each other, Sherry. We aren't either one dumb. Now, the fact is, this Betty Mary's got what it takes. And—uh, well, I tell you, I'll match you to see which one asks her for a date first. Say Saturday night, huh?"

Sheridan Starr smiled broadly. He kept staring straight ahead through the windshield.

"No soap," he finally drawled. "I already asked her for a date. For Saturday night. I, uh, while we was setting there at the police station waiting, I phoned—I was going to tell you, Hope—I phoned up some fowers for her, and sent a boy with a note to go 'em. She's probably smelling 'em by now, I imagine."

Hope didn't say anything. He was driving, and the road was very rough now anyway. He didn't even smile.

"Right. Let's get at it."

"Yep. Now listen. We'll phone out to the Marcial ranch to have a couple of horses ready. It's still six miles from there. We couldn't go more than another mile in the car, and after that horses would come in plenty handy."

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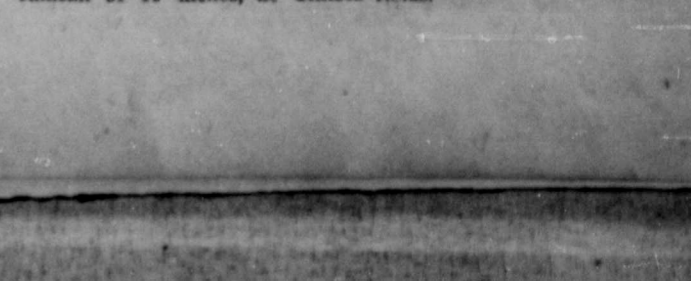
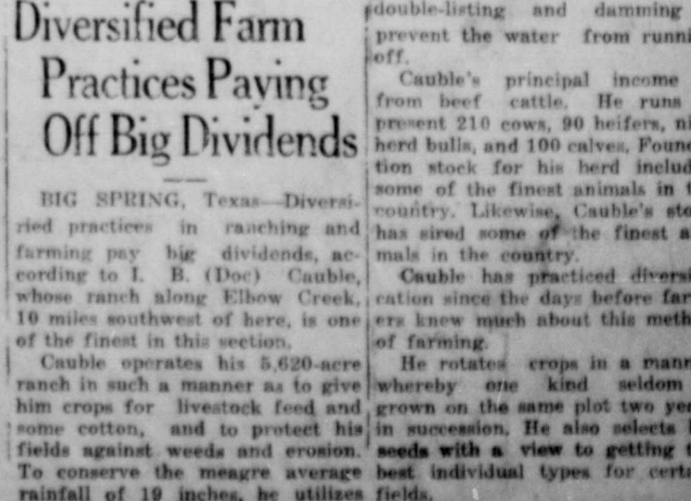
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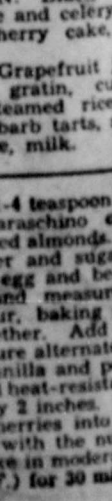
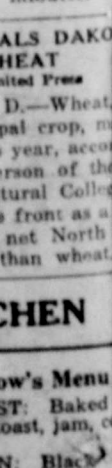
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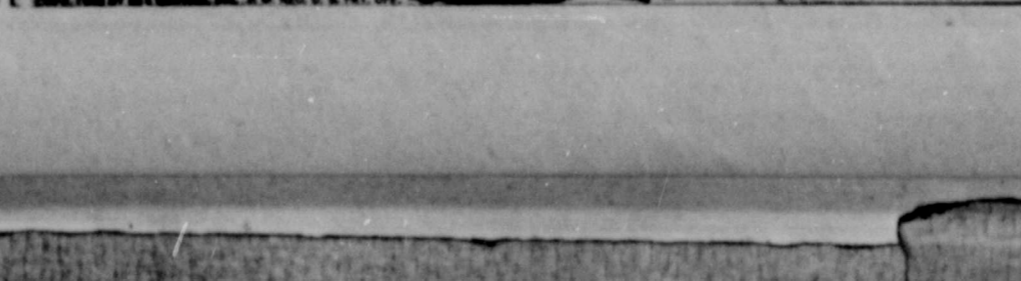
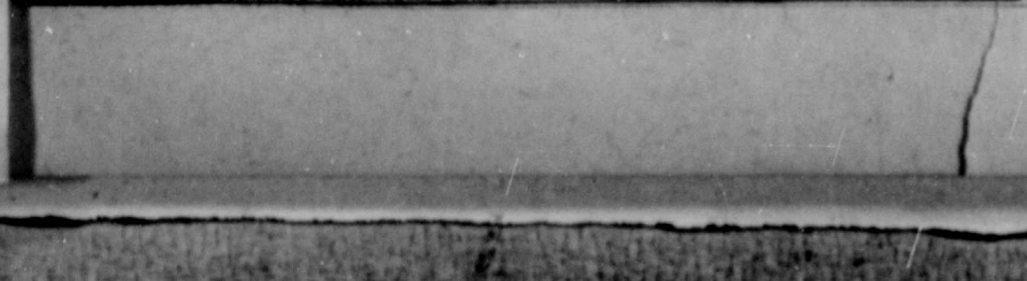
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Diversified Farm Practices Paying Off Big Dividends

BIG SPRING, TEXAS—Diversified practices in ranching and farming pay big dividends, according to I. B. (Doc) Cauble, whose ranch along Elbow Creek, 10 miles southwest of here, is one of the finest in this section.

Cauble operates his 5,620-acre ranch in such a manner as to give him crops for livestock feed and some cotton, and to protect his fields against weeds and erosion. To conserve the meagre average rainfall of 19 inches, he utilizes double-planting and damming to prevent the water from running off.

