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Stalin Optimistic Over Peace Outlook

Averill Harriman To Replace Wallace



Former Ambassador to Russia, W. Averill Harriman, right, chats with Henry Wallace at a Russian War Relief dinner in New York City in March of this year. Harriman succeeds Wallace as Secretary of Commerce. The announcement of Harriman's appointment was made by President Truman following Wallace's resignation at the President's request. (NEA Telephoto).

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

Lt. Bill Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Moore of Dallas, formerly of Ranger, is making the most of his service with the Army in Germany. He attended the Nuremberg trials has been in Vienna and has seen Hitler's home at Berchtesgaden.

He is studying both the Russian and German languages while serving with General Mark Clark's unit. Only 19 years of age, Bill is as undimmed by intellectual mountains as ever and can be counted upon to go places in whatever he attempts.

It isn't unusual for strange planes to land at the Ranger airport but in this particular instance, C. C. McKeever, manager of the port, says it was unusual.

For when the strange plane landed at the airport recently a man stepped a Mexican who couldn't speak a word of English. Through the sign language he got it over to attendants that he wanted something. So one of the boys was dispatched to look up a Mexican that could speak both Mexican and English.

When the interpreter arrived Mack learned that the Mexican had flown all the way from Mexico to get a propeller. He was promptly supplied and went on his way.

Yep, Mack thinks advertising pays. The Mexican made the trip here after reading an advertisement put out by Mack.

Entertaining it is to watch expression on people's faces at the window shop. Some are wistful, some show signs of distaste and some register approval.

A Ranger merchant told us Monday that she gages the effectiveness of her window displays by the expressions on the faces of people that stop to look. A pretty good gauge, too.

Lewis Gregg, son of Mrs. Saunders Gregg, who represents an American firm in Europe and who is getting about in the countries over there recently did a very fine thing for a Gold Star mother, formerly of Ranger.

His letter to Mrs. Sam D. Bray tells the story and here it is:

"Recently I was in Italy for a vacation and one day I had the opportunity to join a pilgrimage to Salerno. I knew that some Ranger boys had been lost there and I was especially interested in seeing the beachhead, the country in general, and the cemetery where our boys are.

Salerno is a little fishing village about thirty-five or forty miles from Rome. In normal times the little town is populated in summer by the upper middle class who have summer homes there, but in the year round population is simple fishermen and farmers. The summer houses are very attractive, but not in the least elaborate.

Their locations, on hills overlooking the harbor, are their only recommendations. The drive from Rome is over a narrow paved road rough in spots, very much like the highway leading out of Ranger called the Caddo Road. As soon as the country side opened up, after leaving the city limits of Rome the highway was lined with small farms and vineyards. I don't believe a single house or village on the entire route is free from damage caused by the war. None of the houses had any window glass and so many were only shells. The roof, etc., all gone. But the fields were in cultivation, and the crops and vineyards looked abundant. As we neared Salerno it was the same general feeling one always has approaching a coast line. We went directly through the village to the American Cemetery and there in the office I found a book listing all Texas boys and the Ranger number I found was S-Set. Harold D. Bray.

The enclosed map of the cemetery was furnished me and after locating the grave I took these pictures, for you. I apologize for being in the pictures, but regulations require it. I was able to make one picture without anyone but that was not supposed to have been done.

I can't tell you how very impressed I am.

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SON SUCCEEDS FATHER AS COURT CLERK

Hiram Childress has been appointed to succeed his father Dan Childress, as clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland.

Mr. Childress was born at Sweetwater and moved with his parents to Eastland in August, 1927. He graduated from Eastland High school in 1934. He attended Texas University and Southern Methodist University Law School, where he graduated in 1940.

He practiced law for a year and one-half at Sweetwater, then volunteered his services to his country as an aviation cadet. He served four and a half years in the Air Corps, two of which were in England, France, and Belgium. He was in Germany at the time it surrendered to the Allies.

He was with the 9th Air Corps as an intelligence officer where he served with distinction. He returned to the United States and was discharged in December, 1945. Upon returning from overseas he again entered the private practice of law at the place of his birth and has continued his practice until he was appointed by the court to fill his father's place on the court. This is the first time in the annuals of the State's Judiciary that a son has followed his father as clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals. His appointment came entirely as a surprise to Hiram Childress, as well as his father, Dan Childress, who recently resigned after 19 years service as clerk of the Court of Civil Appeals. The appointment was wholly unsolicited by either of them. The citizens and the lawyers of the 23-county district will no doubt approve the appointment of this distinguished young man by Chief Justice Clyde Griswold, Associate Justice Milburn S. Long, and Associate Justice Courtney Gray.

Hiram Childress has many friends throughout West Texas and over the state who will be glad to learn of his appointment and wish for him much success in his new and honored position.

Light Company Workers Strike In Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Independently organized employees of Duquesne Light Co. struck today in defiance of a court restraining order and power supplies for the 817-square mile greater Pittsburgh area began dwindling slowly.

The company said that "quite a few" of its 3,500 workers had left their jobs. The company reported operations at two of its four big generating plants only "partially." The others still were "practically at capacity."

Veterans Get 600 Specially Equipped Fords

DEARBORN, Mich.—Prior to passage of the bill by which Congress recently appropriated \$30,000,000 to provide automobiles for amputee war veterans, Ford and Mercury dealers throughout the nation had delivered more than 600 specially equipped 1946 cars to disabled veterans.

Records of Percy Jones General Hospital in Battle Creek, Mich., show that 85 per cent of all new cars delivered this year to its patients who have lost arms and legs in the war, have been either Fords or Mercurys. This special driving equipment was installed without charge by the Ford Motor Company.

In addition to equipping new 1946 Ford and Mercury cars without charge to amputees, special controls also have been made available at no cost to amputee veterans for installation on 1940, 1941 and 1942 Ford and Mercury models.

Orders for 3,300 kits, representing various driving aids to accommodate a wide variety of amputations and impairments, have been placed by the Ford Motor Company. These kits are being installed on amputee cars by dealers as rapidly as they are received from suppliers.

Country Club To Have Dance At Club Saturday

Members of the Ranger Country Club announced today that they will entertain with a dance at the club Saturday night beginning at 9:00 o'clock.

Tickets for the dance will be placed in downtown business houses and the public is invited to attend. Jimmie Metcalf and his orchestra will furnish the music for dancing.

The dance marks the opening of the winter schedule of dances and is a part of the postwar activities at the club.

Allen Smith Added To Ranger Bank Employees

Officials of the Commercial State Bank have announced the association of Allen Smith with the bank.

U.S. TO URGE SPEEDING UP OF PARIS WORK

PARIS (UP)—The United States, it was learned today, will urge Russian Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov at the Big Four session to put pressure on nations in the Soviet sphere to speed up the work of the Paris Peace Conference to meet the October 15 deadline.

The American decision came as the Big Four met for the first time in more than three weeks in an atmosphere regarded as the most promising in some time.

Generalissimo Stalin's statement that he does not fear a new war encouraged conferees to hope that real progress might be made.

Ranger Woman's Cousin Victim Of Crash Burns

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OIL FORMS FILED FOR AREA LISTED

Following is a list of oil operations taken from forms filed with the Railroad Commission office at Abilene:

September 16 - September 21 - Form 1's—Notice of Intention to Drill, filed this week include the following: T. G. Jackson, Box 436, Longview, Texas will deepen the J. W. Taylor et al lease, well number 3, located the S. C. Rankin Survey in Eastland and Erath county, five miles NE of Desdemona. This well was completed in January, 1942. It has never produced any oil and has been standing with the pipe in it since completion. Total depth was 3475 and plan to deepen to 3960 feet. Tom Potter et al will drill well number 3A, E. Hatchett lease, in section 33, Orphan Asylum land survey, 14 miles SW of Breckenridge in Stephens County in the Eolian field. Propose to drill to 4300 feet.

Form 2's, Well Records, were filed by Texas Pacific C & Oil Co., on the J. W. Hill well number 22 in Stephens Co. This well started drilling 5-11-44 and completed 6-22-44 as a dry hole and plugged and abandoned 6-24-44. Recheck of data gave indications of a chance for production previously overlooked. The original hole was redrilled and completed as a producer, with an initial production of 936 barrels of oil. Rosser & Pendleton, Inc., of Ft. Worth forwarded data on their Brooks Heirs well number 1 in Stephens County, located in Block 7, section 41, T&P RR survey, in the Manning - O'Connor field. Drilling commenced Aug. 1, 1946 and was completed Aug. 23, 1946. This well is located 340' from the South line and 350' from the east line of E. 1-2 of Sec. 41. Total depth was 3315, and the initial production of oil was 476.40 barrels per 24 hours. Total depth of the Fred M. Manning, Inc. C. J. O'Connor well number 5 (formerly B-1) was 3338. This well is located in block 7, section 52, T&P RR survey, in the Manning-O'Connor field. Initial production of this oil well was not reported. Drilling was completed Sept. 11, 1946.

Applications to Plug and Plug-in Records have been received from the following this week: Robert McIntyre plugged the W. C. Williams et al No. 1, located in the Elsey Russell survey, 3 miles NE of Desdemona in Eastland Co. This was an old well, but had been cleaned out in July, 1945. Total depth of this dry hole was 1012. Tom Potter et al have completed plugging the Hatchett number 3 in the Orphan Asylum land section 33, Stephens Co. 1946 at a depth of 4225' with a show of oil. The Railroad Commission of Texas at a formal conference held Sept. 16, 1946 approved the application of Snowden Oil & Gas Co. for a special allowance for its Donovan Well number 1, Eastland County. An allowance of 100 barrels per day and exemption from the gas-oil ratio rule had been requested.

By United Press

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George Dressler, executive secretary of the National Association of Retail Meat Dealers, said in St. Louis that a survey had borne out his earlier prediction that 90 per cent of the country's butcher shops would be closed half of each work week.

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SAYS WORDS OF STALIN, EDEN CHEER WORLD

WASHINGTON (UP)—Former Secretary of Commerce Henry A. Wallace said today that statements by Russian Premier Josef Stalin and former British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden have "brought hope to those millions all over the world who are hungry and thirsting for peace."

Wallace, who was ousted from the cabinet last Friday after his Go-East-On-Russia speech, issued a formal statement from his hotel apartment.

"Differences of opinion caused by various national responsibilities and viewpoints should not stop the search for practical expressions of the deep spiritual longing of all the people of all the nations for a permanent world peace," Wallace said.

Last Rites For Henry L. Burden Held On Sunday

Funeral services for Henry L. Burden, 72, were conducted at the Second Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Rev. J. C. Manages officiating. Interment was in the Evergreen Cemetery with arrangements by Killingsworth's Funeral Home.

Mr. Burden died in a Ranger Hospital Saturday, September 21, 1946. He was born in Tennessee, August 16, 1874 and had resided in Ranger for the past 10 years.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. H. L. Burden of Ranger, one son, Clyde F. Burden of Ft. Worth; a daughter, Mrs. J. Gabirardo of Barcelona Spain; a sister, Mrs. Florence Rodgers of Houston; two brothers, R. W. Burden and Charles Burden, both of Dallas; two grandsons, one granddaughter and one great grandchild.

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Gustav Schwarz, director of the War Assets sales and planning division, said the sale was made by the Hallcrafters Co., of Chicago. He said it sold some government-owned mobile radio trucks at \$4,500 instead of the authorized price which was "in the neighborhood of \$7,500."

FUNERAL FOR MRS. WHEAT HELD TUESDAY

Last rites for Mrs. Mary Anne Wheat were conducted at the First Baptist church in Ranger Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock with Rev. J. Dannelley, pastor of the Harmony Baptist church at Morton Valley and Rev. Mark Agnew of Cisco officiating. Interment was in the Bullock Cemetery and arrangements were by Killingsworth's Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wheat died at her home in Ranger Monday, September 23, 1946. She was born in Mississippi December 23, 1860 and had resided in Eastland County for the past 43 years. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church at Floresville, Texas and had been a member of the church for 58 years.

She was the wife of the late J. F. Wheat.

Survivors are four sons, Levi Wheat, Route 2, Ranger, Joe Wheat of Ranger, T. L. Wheat, Route 2, Eastland, C. E. Wheat of Ranger; two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Shahan, Route 2, Eastland and Mrs. Virgie Fulcher, LeFors, Texas; one brother, Johnnie Merchant of Floresville; 46 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

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27 Sentenced In Car Black Market Cases

DETROIT (UP)—Fines totaling nearly \$100,000 and prison sentences ranging up to two years were imposed on 27 used car dealers involved in a government-smashed \$2,500 black market ring.

Federal Judge Arthur Kocinski levied fines from \$1,000 to \$10,000 on the defendants, passing the heaviest sentence of two years imprisonment and \$10,000 fine on Ben Finkel, Cairo, Ill., designated chief of the widespread ring.

Sentencing virtually wound up the government's case against the defendants who were charged with operating the largest used car black market in the history of the OPA. The ring obtained cars in Detroit which were sold to western and southern dealers at over-ceiling prices in Cairo and Murray, Ky.

Twins Strike Black Gold

LEWISTON, Idaho (UP)—Twins Ronald and Donald Myint were playing "service station" and digging a hole for a gasoline tank in a vacant lot when their shovels struck gold.

There find was two 50-gallon barrels of cresote, which, although not Spanish bullion, was worth enough to assure them of new bicycles for their eighth birthday.

Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today.

Maximum 72
Minimum 54
Temperature at 1:00 p. m. today.
Maximum 75
Minimum 62
Hour's Reading 76

HAS NO FEAR OF OUTBREAK OF ANOTHER WORLD WAR

LONDON (UP)—Premier Josef Stalin said today he does not believe there is danger of a new war but urged that the atom bomb be outlawed.

Stalin revealed his optimistic personal views on relations between Russia and the Western World in a series of exceptionally frank answers to questions submitted Sept. 17, by Alexander Werth, Moscow correspondent of the London Daily Times. The exchange was broadcast by Radio Moscow.

"I do not believe in the danger of a new war," Stalin answered unequivocally when Werth asked the question which has been disturbing the entire world.

I do not consider the atom bomb a serious power, as certain political persons are wont to think," the Soviet premier said. "The atom bomb is meant to frighten the weak-nerved, but they cannot decide the fates of war since atom bombs are by no means sufficient for this purpose."

Werth asked if Stalin considered the United States monopoly on the atom bomb a chief threat to peace.

"Certainly monopolistic possession of the secrets of the atomic bomb does create a threat," Stalin replied, "but at least two remedies exist against it—

"Monopolistic possession of the atom bomb cannot last long and use of the atomic bomb will be prohibited."

"I unconditionally believe it is possible" to have friendly cooperation between Russia and the Western Democracies for a long time.

Russia has no intention of using Germany as a weapon for any Soviet aspirations against Western Europe.

United States troops should get out of China.

Further progress of the Soviet Union toward Communism may increase, and certainly will not decrease, her peaceful cooperation with the other world, Communism in a single country is quite possible.

Sponsor Back From Conference At Sweetwater

Mrs. Charles Ashcraft has returned from Sweetwater where she attended a school of instruction for sponsors of girls' club work. The trip was sponsored by the Ranger Chamber of Commerce.

Sessions of the meeting were conducted by Miss Jane Farwell of New York and included morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Instructions in recreation and the procedures for meetings were given and the delegates were entertained at a round of luncheons given by the Rotary Club, Lions Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Texas Labor Commissioner Is Married



Mrs. and Mr. Gordon Surratt, surrounded by friends, pause briefly in the hallway of the Governor's Mansion at Austin, Texas where they were married Saturday night, September 21. Mrs. Surratt is the former Mrs. Maureen Moore, who is the State Commissioner of Labor Statistics. The bride was given away by Governor Coke Stevenson. (NEA Telephoto).

The Weather

Partly cloudy to cloudy. Warmer tonight northwest north tomorrow.

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★ EDITORIALS By James Thrasher

REVIEW OF AN INTERLUDE

Now that our 71 OPA-less days have passed into history, a backward glance at them might be in order. There is no complete set of figures and analyses on the period, but such information has come to hand might prove interesting.

Everybody knows, of course, the main event of those 71 days. Prices went up. This was inevitable, since subsidies were removed. But in several cases prices didn't go as high as expected, and in others they receded after the initial jump.

Some ardent advocates of price control scoffed at the idea that a housewife, armed only with a shopping bag and determination could influence prices. It appears, however, that individual, unorganized buyers' resistance was quite potent, while organized "buyers' strikes" didn't cut much of a swath.

The most nearly national figure on this subject at the moment is on the price of butter in a large chain of food stores. Chain officials thought the price might go to 90 cents or a dollar a pound. Instead it went to 80, then dropped to 73.

In Pittsburgh, food retailers gave prices the gun after first trying to absorb the loss of subsidies. Then came a buyer's slow-down. Prices leveled off about 15 or 20 cents above the old ceilings.

These are typical examples, though not the only ones. Nobody liked paying even the reduced prices, of course. The shock of paying subsidies over the counter made it even worse. But the pleasure of being able to buy almost anything over the counter helped to ease the shock.

Food supplies in Dallas increased 78 per cent while prices were going up 25 per cent, with part of the increase reflecting the removal of subsidies.

Food was almost the only commodity that showed a marked price increase when ceilings were lifted. And food costs, high as they were, certainly did not bring the "ruinous inflation" that some officials predicted.

Now the OPA is faced with the tough job of rescuing a large percentage of our food supply—especially meat—from the black market, where it will be sold for well above its costs in the no-ceiling interim.

OPA's 6,000 investigators undoubtedly face a harder task than the prohibition sleuths ever encountered. There are more sources of food than there were stills. There are surely almost as many black marketers as there were bootleggers. With the war over, there is less opprobrium connected with buying on the black market than there was with buying bootleg liquor.

★ WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—For the last few years American shipping interests have had reason to believe they would be able to move in on the world passenger business with the revival of tourist trade after the war.

Before the war it was never considered fashionable to travel or American lines. That feeling demonstrated America's second-rate position on the high seas as far as passenger lines went. The Dutch, Swedish, French and English lines were considered better and got most of the business.

Then during the war the Maritime Commission went ahead with plans to build some new liners which would be able to compete in luxury and speed with foreign passenger ships. It proceeded with approval of President Roosevelt and under authorization of the Maritime Act of 1936. Part of the plan was to help ease the shipping industry back to a peacetime basis.

But the other countries had the same idea. England started building new and faster passenger liners before the war ended. Sweden got new luxury ships launched even before peace came and they're carrying passengers right now.

THEN a couple of weeks ago came the blow which now has the American shipping industry all in a lather. Reconversion Director John R. Steelman suddenly ordered construction halted on two U. S. superliners which would have been used for South American trade. He said the work was taking materials away from the veteran housing program.

H. Gerrish Smith, president of the Shipbuilders' Council of America, wrote a sharp letter to Steelman charging him with striking a "serious and unwarranted blow at the shipbuilding industry, as well as the American Merchant Marine, at a most critical time."

Steelman's answer made it clear that he had President Truman's backing in the move and that he had no intentions of backtracking. He further explained what apparently will be Truman's future policy on the whole question. He wrote:

"Frankly, it seems clear to me that a healthy United States Merchant Marine will be developed, not by the government taking the initiative and sole financial responsibility for building and operating uneconomic vessels, but by private operators developing, with the aid of the shipbuilders, vessels in which they are willing to invest their capital."

TRUMAN'S position on this matter is all right if he would have America remain a second- or third-rate nation in the passenger line field, officials at Maritime Commission say. U. S. passenger lines cannot compete with foreign lines on a profit and loss basis. It is known that the English and Swedish governments feel it important enough to have top-flight passenger lines to the extent that they underwrite losses.

The ships on which Steelman ordered construction stopped were to be America's first bid for the big money in the passenger business. The whole dispute is likely to result in another re-evaluation of just what America's basic policy should be toward its passenger and merchant fleet.

Call for ExSPARS

WASHINGTON, (UP)—The U. S. Coast Guard is trying to get the addresses of several thousand ExSPARS to send them copies of a history of the SPARS, entitled, "Three Years Behind the Mast," written by the former Spar lieutenants, Mary C. Lyne and Kay Arthur.

All ExSPARS who have not yet received a copy of the book should send a request, including name, rank and serial number, to the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, Washington 25, D. C.

Another Displaced Person



Fish Dropped by Parachute — MOUNT VERNON, Wash. (UP)—A total of 55,000 grevling fry were dropped by parachute into the upper Skagit River to restock the mountain waters. This is the second parachute drop for fish in this area.

This Curious World



ANSWER: The Mississippi.

NEXT: Where did jeans get their name?

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

BOB HIGGINS' case is typical of that of college coaches this fall. It has been a long time since the Penn State veteran has eaten so little, and he admits football is to blame for his uneasy stomach. Nothing much was expected of the strategist during the war, especially those who did not have Navy and Marine trainees, but with all schools loaded they are again shaken by competition jitters.

"I sat in these mountains for four long years waiting for boys to come back," says Higgins. "I had letters from them from all over the world. They wrote only about football, and the day they'd be back together again on the campus."

"Well, they're back now—and it's been just a little too much for me. I'll settle down, of course. I'll have to, but for the moment, at least, I'm all excited and wondering what the future holds."

The Nittany Lions, a power following World War I, have a typical postwar squad.

TYPICAL of other college football situations is the presence of more players' wives than you could shake a stick at. The boys are far ahead of World War I veterans in the matrimonial league.

Some what chary at first, Higgins has arrived at the conclusion that the new women in his life may be a help, rather than a hindrance.

Only a handful of Higgins' boys are 1945 holdovers. The others are prewar boys, or, in a half-dozen instances, lads who performed for Penn State during the war as Navy or Marine trainees or 17-year-olds, and who are back as civilians. But the bulk of the 35-man squad is of 1941-42 vintage. Only two have not played for State.

There's Larry Joe, for example. Much bigger, but still the speedy young man who beat Pennsylvania and Pittsburgh almost single-handedly in '42.

It easily could turn out to be a happy dream, for everybody's heavier, and it would be no trick at all for Bob Higgins to field a full team of 200-pounders, with even a few reserves to match.

If only because freshmen are lacking and holdovers are few, this Penn State team will stand watching as one of the most typical of the new, bright postwar football era.

Building Codes Urged To Cut Loss By Fire

BOSTON, (UP)—Building codes are almost essential to insure the safety of the public according to Percy Pidgee, general manager of the National Fire Protection Association, sponsors of Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 6-12.

The codes of many cities are antiquated and could stand revision, Pidgee warned, adding that the basic elements of fire protection must be retained in all new and remodeled structures, or slums and conflagration areas inevitably will be created.

"The proper spacing of buildings, fire-stopping of walls, adequate exit facilities and fire-retardant roofing impose no serious financial burden upon the public, and do safeguard life and property from destruction by fire," Pidgee declared.

"Des Moines, for example, had only one-eighth as many building fires caused by sparks on inflammable wood shingle roofs in 1945 as it had in 1933, the year after an ordinance was passed prohibiting the use of wood shingles on roofs. The drop was from 469 fires so caused in 1933 to 57 in 1945 and building fires from all causes fell from 1,119 in 1933 to 744 last year."

All Wool Blankets — Gordon Dry Goods Co — Gordon, Texas.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

WHEN you're saving something for that rainy day, it seems to keep the sun shining.

The popularity of short skirts with both men and women is probably due to their being free and kneezy.

There was a time, writes a scientist, when people did not have ears. What a help it must have been to the corn-on-the-cob fend.

The law of supply and demand makes polite people popular.

An alibi is something a husband is silly enough to think his wife believes.

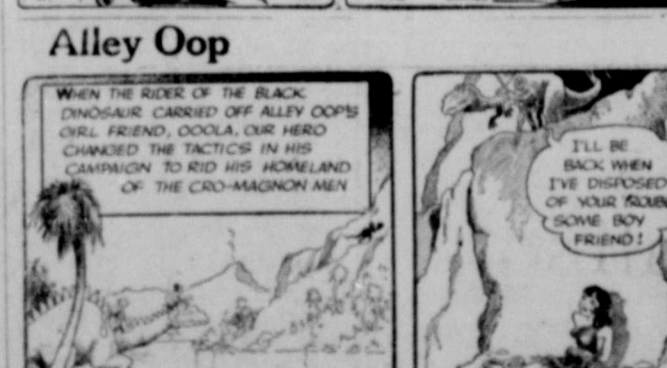
WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

Film Scene taken from the picture showing at Arcadia



Roy Acuff and His Smoky Mountain Boys team up with Allan Lane and Adele Mara in "Night Train To Memphis."

Red Ryder



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Freckles and His Friends

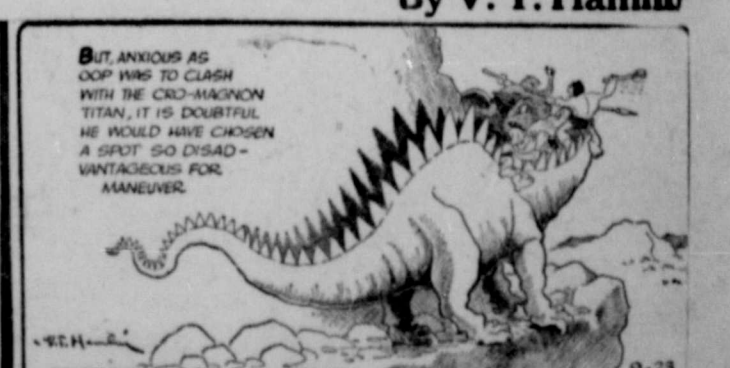
By Merrill Blosser



By Fred Harmon



By V. T. Hamlin



Men's and Boy's Wool Coats — Gordon Dry Goods Co. Gordon, Texas.

Navy To The Rescue SEATTLE, Wash. (UP) — Mosquitoes in two Seattle-area swamps are being fought by modern warfare tactics. After a continuous land-borne DDT attack, the city health department borrowed a landing craft from the Navy to permit a flanking water-borne mopping-up assault on the pests.

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BUSINESS LOANS TO VETS ARE AVERAGING \$2,257

Business loans being made to veterans through the Dallas Regional office of the Veterans Administration average \$2,257 and will be repaid in slightly more than three years, a survey announced today disclosed.

Generally, the VA learned, business loans were being used to buy the tools with which to earn a living. Purchase of dump, other construction and general hauling trucks was the use to which more than 29 per cent put their credit.

flying schools, oil testing and drilling, machine shops, printing establishments, miscellaneous manufacturing and professional fields.

Survey charts showed that 54.8 per cent of the approved business loans were for less than \$2,500 and less than 18 per cent exceeded a \$4,000 value.

Corn And Lots Of Butter Appeals To This Bird Dog

COLUMBUS, O. (UP) — Sweet corn time in the fall has a special appeal to "Tiny," a 14-year-old Llewellyn bird dog owned by James S. Clutter.

"Tiny" likes the taste of corn almost as much as she likes the scent of a pheasant in the field. And she demands butter and proper seasoning.

Well, I Dunno... (Continued From Page 1) preside the cemetery is, I felt so much closer to a Divine Spirit in that lovely open green field than I did in the pomp and glory of Vatican City.

The hard red spring wheat breeding program of North Dakota has put an extra 600,000,000 bushels into the state's bins in the past 30 years.

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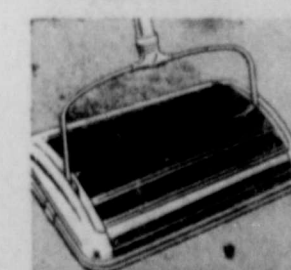
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Freak Tornado Damages Homes



Curious residents of Aus tell, Ga., look at the wreckage of one of the homes destroyed by a freak tornado which injured four persons as high winds blew down several buildings. (NEA Telephoto).

Would Keep 'Em Down On Farm

LINCOLN, Neb. (UP)—Nebraska, third largest corn producing state, is having trouble "keeping the boys and girls down on the farm," according to H. C. Filley, University of Nebraska rural economist.

Filley has compiled an eight-point program for fighting the city lure.

The points, with the general heading: "How to Keep the Boys and Girls Down in the Farm," are:

1. Offer agriculture courses in high school.
2. Home economics courses should be taught more.
3. Encourage 4-H Club work.
4. Rural leaders should know the special needs of rural life and particularly of rural youth.
5. The farmer who wishes his boy to follow him needs to show more pride in tilling the land. He who calls himself a "clothopper" cannot expect his son to follow in his steps.
6. Farm homes must be modernized.
7. Emphasize farm business.

After 3 Burglaries Householder Fed Up

FALL RIVER, Mass. (UP)—Urban Leblanc would like to know what there is about his house that has such an appeal for burglars. His home has been broken into three times within three months.

The first time, thieves pried open a lock and took family valuables and a precious pound of but management.

8. Persons interested in rural life must promote the things essential to progressive rural communities.

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ter. Exctely one month later prowlers broke in again, this time through a window, but finding nothing to their liking they left empty handed. A month later, two days ahead of schedule, the house was entered again; thieves taking a ring, compact, and other small articles. Leblanc says he will be waiting the next time.

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Drunk Pedestrians Found Vulnerable

COLUMBUS, O. (UP)—The drunken pedestrian, who supposedly weaves through traffic and never gets hit, actually leads no more charmed life than the drunken driver, a State Highway De-

partment analysis of 1945 accidents showed today.

One-third of the pedestrians killed in 101 fatal pedestrian accidents on Ohio's rural highways last year had been drinking just before their deaths.

GOING PLACES



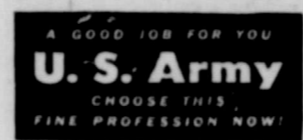
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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week: R. A. Bledsoe to May White, warranty deed.

A. L. Butler to Seth Bowles, warranty deed.

Seth Bowles to J. B. Maxey, warranty deed.

G. E. Blanton to E. H. Tandy, quit claim deed.

G. E. Blanton to E. H. Tandy, warranty deed.

J. A. Beard to James Ward, warranty deed.

A. C. Brown et ux to The Public, proof of heirship.

W. T. Chambers to R. J. Seale, warranty deed.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to J. P. Morris, partial release of vendor's lien.

Frankie Lou Cook to W. G. Garrett, warranty deed.

City of Ranger to Homer Landtrog, warranty deed.

B. A. Cameron to Ellis Herring, warranty deed.

Mary Coffman to City of Ranger, warranty deed.

City of Ranger to Roy McGaugh, quit claim deed.

L. B. Cozart to Royce Rusk, warranty deed.

L. B. Cozart to Royce Rusk, release of lien.

Mary Coffman to City of Ranger, warranty deed.

C. M. Cox to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust.

H. L. Clements to E. C. Meroney, warranty deed.

Church of God to Church of God, warranty deed.

W. M. Dohy to Charlie B. Troxell, release of MML.

Gordon T. Davis to R. A. P'Pool, special warranty deed.

Jesse D. Davenport to R. C. Mehaffey, warranty deed.

John A. Earnest to First State Bank, Rising Star, deed of trust.

J. H. Evans et ux to J. S. Hulm, warranty deed.

Eastland National Bank to Raymond G. Warren, release of lien.

Earl Edwards to Carlos J. Turner, bill of sale.

Earl Edwards to Carlos J. Turner, warranty deed.

First State Bank, Rising Star to Carl Alford, release of judgement.

First Federal S&L to Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co., transfer of deed of trust.

First State Bank, Rising Star to M. G. Joyce, transfer of vendor's lien.

H. B. Fields, Jr., to H. P. Pruitt, warranty deed.

Ada Gordon to C. B. Pruitt, warranty deed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following couples were licensed to wed last week: Dale E. Mahaffey to Faye Hart, Eastland.

Isaac J. Hart to Dorothy Le Fray Reid, Ranger.

Garland Gassett to Mrs. Melva Fay Newton, Rising Star.

Melvin G. Morris to Billie Faye Mitchell, Eastland.

Henry W. Burkman to Georgia Mae Casey, Lueders.

Frank E. Oakley to Imogene Ledbetter, Ranger.

Keneth C. Dixon to Vada L. Morris, Strawn.

PROBATE G. P. Mitcham, deceased, application to probate will.

M. B. Osburn, deceased, application for probate of will.

SUITS FILED The following suits were filed for record in the 91st District Court last week:

B. E. Hanson v. Joyce Hanson, divorce.

Lillie Mae Parnell v. Walter Parnell, divorce.

A. C. Nichols v. Loreine Nichols, divorce.

Nellie Jane Cotton v. Charles L. Cotton, divorce.

M. L. Blackwell v. Ada E. Blackwell, divorce.

Crystal Truax v. John Truax, divorce.

Silas Clay v. Mary Price Clay, divorce.

Marine Hose v. Elmer P. Hose, divorce.

M. V. Tickner v. Arelene Tickner, divorce.

Mary Price Clay v. Silas O. Clay, divorce.

J. C. McKinney, et al v. A. W. Hartfield, damages.

ORDERS and JUDGEMENTS The following orders and judgements were rendered from the 91st District Court last week:

State of Texas v. Mrs. J. C. Plumlee, judgement.

State of Texas v. Leslie Haganman, et al, judgement.

State of Texas v. Tilman Stubbsfield, judgement.

City of Eastland v. Alanzo Dunn et al, order of dismissal.

Alfred Webb v. Martha C. Webb, judgement.

Bertha Williamson v. Austin Williamson, dismissal.

Vivian Capers v. R. V. Capers, divorce and custody of child.

J. R. Cagle v. Mary Grace Cagle, judgement.

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Veda Johnson v. L. E. Johnson, order of contempt. Pearl Baker v. Willard W. Baker, order of contempt. L. E. Clark et al v. Mrs. S. J. Holder, et vir, order. J. C. McKinney et al v. A. W. Hartfield, order.

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W.S.C.S. District Meeting Held In Ranger On Tuesday

Women of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church in the Cisco District met at the First Methodist church in Ranger Tuesday for an educational seminar based on the theme, "The Day of Dawning Brotherhood Breaks Before Our Eyes."

Following is the program followed at the meeting:
10:00-10:15 — Opening worship—Mrs. Elmer Berry, Dist. Spiritual Life Sec.; 10:15-10:30—Words of welcome—Mrs. A. J. Ratliff, Pres. Ranger W.S.C.S. Response—Mrs. Geo. E. Cross, Pres. Eastland W. S. C. S.; Announcements and introductions—Mrs. T. E. Robertson, District President.
10:30-10:50—Discussion period—Mrs. E. L. Reid, Conf. Sec. of Missionary Education; 10:50-11:20—The Christian and Race—Mrs. Chas. Culbertson, Conf. Sec. of Chrs. Social Relations; 11:20-11:40—India—Mrs. E. L. Reid,

Conf. Sec. of Missionary Education; 11:40-12:00 — Playlet — "Sera of the Punjab"—DeLeon W.S.C.S.; 12:00-12:05 Offering, Lunch.
1:15-1:20 Hymn Prayer; 1:20-1:45 Achievements within Cisco Dist. and Present Conf. and Dist. Goals—Mrs. H. E. Fisher, Dist. Sec. of Organization and Promotion; 1:45-2:10 — The Christian and the Problem of Reverse Alcohol—Mrs. Gus Vincent, President of Weatherford District; 2:10-2:30—The Stewardship of Life—Mrs. W. J. Cole, Conf. Sec. of Spiritual Life; 2:30-2:45—Consecration Service.

W. M. U. Observes Week of Prayer

The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church in observance of a Week of Prayer met from 10:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m. at the church Monday. Mrs. Roy McCleskey was leader for the day. The program, a study of home missions, was presented by Mrs. Arlie Carver, Mrs. J. B. Houghton, Mrs. L. L. Bruce, and Mrs. Lee Mitchell.

At the business meeting it was decided to collect an offering for the Mexican mission. Anyone who would like to give food, clothing or money for this cause is asked to take the gift either to the church or to Mrs. T. C. Jordan at 320 Walnut street.

At noon the group was served a covered dish luncheon.

Ladies Bible Class Meets On Monday

The regular meeting of the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ was held at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. A large group was present for the class which was taught by Mack Stirman, pastor of the church, who spoke on the reign of King Solomon.

Following the meeting members paid visits to the sick and shut-ins.

MRS. TUNNELL TO BE CLASS GUEST TEACHER

Mrs. M. H. Hagaman announced today that Mrs. B. A. Tunnell will be the guest teacher for the Willing Workers Class of the First Methodist church Sunday, and all members are urged to attend and to bring with them a prospective member.

An unusually large attendance was recorded at the Sunday morning session.

WOODMEN CIRCLE TO HAVE LUNCHEON

Members of the Woodmen Circle will be entertained at a luncheon at noon Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ted Dott, 600 Mes-

Supports Brown



Sen. Alben W. Barkley, in his hotel room in Cincinnati, Ohio, said he would stump Kentucky in support of John Y. Brown, Democratic candidate for U. S. Senator from Kentucky. Barkley's first speech will be staked at Mayfield, Ky. (NEA Photo).

PERSONALS

Mrs. Mary Young and Carl Young were in Big Spring for the weekend.

Arthur Deffebach and Vernon Deffebach are in Snyder where they were called by the serious illness of their mother.

Mrs. H. C. Croom had as her guests during the week-end, her daughters, Mrs. Berniece Brewer of Marlin, Mrs. Scott Neal of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Fred Smith and Mr. Smith of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. A. W. Brazda has returned from New Orleans where she accompanied her daughter, Elaine, who entered Sophie Newcomb College.

Mrs. Saunders Gregg has returned from several weeks vacation in Maine.
Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Moore and

daughters, Betty and Patty, of Dallas visited relatives and friends during the week-end. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Houghton and her son, Mike.

Mrs. Mary Joy Wilson, a senior student at Texas Wesleyan College in Ft. Worth, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wilson.

Mrs. H. C. Croom has received word that her son, Pvt. Louis Croom who just recently entered the Army has been transferred from Ft. Sam Houston to Ft. Dix, New Jersey where he will receive his basic training.

Mrs. M. H. Bivens and daughter, R. C. of Dallas, formerly of Pangee are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Calloway and other relatives and friends.

Betty Stiffler who has been a patient in St. Joseph's hospital in Ft. Worth is recovering from surgery at her home on Caddo highway.

Ivo Novakovich of Santa Fe, New Mexico, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. N. J. Novakovich.

Mrs. J. R. McLaughlin has returned from a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. A. E. Crawley, Miss Billy Jeanne Crawley, Mrs. Dean Crayley and Mrs. Harry Henry spent Monday in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Georgia Bumpers of Gainesville is here for a visit with relatives and friends.

B.C. "Dust Bowl" Feared
NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C. — (UP)—Fear that British Columbia might become another "dust bowl" was expressed here by Frank Putnam, minister of agriculture. Putnam warned farmers that the clearing of large areas of brush on the prairie land has set up conditions that result in blowing of dust. He recommended that shelter belts of brush be left standing to protect the land.

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At Cameron's 100th anniversary celebration, your columnist had the honor of speaking and the pavilion stood on the spot where the immortal James Stephen Hogz and his rival, George Clarke, once spoke. The original stand yielded to the years but the new one is a duplicate.

Interesting signs in Children: "We trim the car—not the customer"

In Bowie, a faded sign—perhaps 40 years old—on the wall of a building, "Buggies and Wagons."

The history of Texas is not just the Alamo and San Jacinto. The story includes circuit riders, pioneer physicians, teachers of one-room schools and early-day editors, with their hand presses. Texas was built by heroes in homespun and heroines in sun-bonnet and calico.

It is a story of hard work, and sweat, and calloused hands, of danger and hardship and prayer. It is the story of people, the kind of people that Lincoln loved—the plain people, like those who "heard the Master gladly"—the great rank and file who are the hope and the strength of our nation.

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