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Lewis Asks For Extensive Mine Inspection

Well... I Dunno, But...

We guess that one irate citizen had something to be mad about this morning and something could be done about his complaint. He is one of the law abiding citizens that has provided a covered garbage and trash container for his place of business, and he says that this morning after the collector had removed the trash from the box to the garbage wagon, they drove off down the alley with the papers whirling in all directions from the wagon.

We hear of more and more people that are interested in seeing a permanent cemetery trust fund provided in Ranger. According to the way the thing works, or the way we understand it, the fund is set up by those who have lots or who want lots in the cemetery, and the fund provides the means of permanent upkeep of plots in the cemetery. Anyone can participate in the plan which would assure those with lots that they will always be kept in good condition.

Many who are no longer residents of Ranger but who have relatives buried in Ranger cemeteries, have expressed their approval of the plan. This, they point out, would be beneficial to them in as much as they cannot personally see that lots are kept up.

While we're on the subject of the cemeteries, one of the things that we'd like best to see done would be the beautification of the route to the cemeteries. The route to Evergreen cemetery has many possibilities for being made a beautiful drive. Hardy shrubs don't cost much and we'd like to see that drive lined with shrubs and trees.

It's a rather picturesque drive, with winding hill roads, etc., and the addition of the planned planting on each side could make of it something of which Ranger could be proud.

The Rotary Club with the help of some others is really doing something concrete about keeping Ranger clean. Notice, we said "keeping" the town clean.

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The First Christian Church has made a timely improvement to (Continued on Page 8)

Zephyr Derailed Near Chicago



Speeding through the suburban city of Downer's Grove enroute to Chicago the Burlington Railroad speeding Twin City Zephyr was derailed when the engine struck a piece of freight which fell from a train. Volunteer rescue workers remove one of the injured through the window of the train after it crashed into the Downer's Grove railway station. (NEA Telephoto).

BIG 4 AGREE ON CENTRAL GERMAN UNIT

MOSCOW—The Big Four agreed for the first time tonight on the principle of the earliest possible establishment of a central administrative agency for Germany, but failed to iron out any important details of that first step toward economic unity.

The agreement came at a quiet Big Four meeting which followed a coordinating committee session that was highlighted by an angry exchange between Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky and U. S. Ambassador Robert Murphy.

The council, presided over by Secretary of State George C. Marshall, began a paragraph by paragraph consideration of its coordinating committees report on the future provisional government of Germany.

After agreeing to set up as soon as possible central agencies in such fields as transport, communications, finance, industry and food and agriculture the council decided to send the whole question back for further study when it became impossible to agree on some of the functions and powers of those agencies.

The principal stumbling block was the Soviet insistence that the four military commanders retain a veto over these agencies—a system which both the British and the Americans contend would make the central agencies useless.

TRUCKS, HELP NEEDED TO GATHER TRASH

V. V. Cooper, Jr., who will have charge of the trucks for the collection of trash in Ranger during the clean-up campaign, today appealed to all who have trucks and pick-ups that can be used in the drive to have them at the high school building Tuesday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

Cooper stated that many trucks and pick-ups will be needed and he said that pick-ups will be especially useful in getting into places where the larger trucks cannot go.

Saturday morning only nine vehicles had been volunteered and more are needed. Men and boys who can assist in collecting the trash are also urged to be at the school at 9:00 o'clock.

Firms and individuals who have offered trucks and pick-ups are County Commissioner Ed Castleberry, A. J. Ratliff, Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., city of Ranger, Alvin Woods, Southern Ice Company and H. G. Adams.

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TWO BOYS IN STOLEN CAR TAKEN HERE

A brief fling at crime ended in Ranger at noon Saturday for two 15-year-old Dallas boys who were arrested in downtown Ranger by Chief George Murphy, and Capt. Johnnie Boyd.

Ranger police, notified shortly before by Weatherford police that the pair were headed this way in a stolen 1942 Chrysler, had driven out the highway to await the boys.

The Chrysler turned off the highway at the Main street intersection and swung into North Commerce and parked at the curb. The two boys jumped out of the car and ran into a deserted filling station at the corner of Main and Commerce.

By this time the boys had so far outdistanced the police that they had lost track of them. Dwayne Dennis and Bobby Woods had seen the boys round the corner driving "at least 65 miles an hour" and run from the car.

The boys gave their names as Earnest McComb and Wayne Johnson. The latter admitted that he had been picked up before on car pilfering charges.

91ST DISTRICT COURT GRAND JURY REPORTS

A session of the grand jury of 91st District court has just closed and following is the report returned by the grand jury.

"We have returned 39 indictments in which over three-fourths of the Grand Jury concurred in voting same, and have examined 250 witnesses.

We find no evidence of any violation of the statutes governing weights and measures in Eastland County.

We find evidence that certain municipalities have usurped the jurisdiction of the County Court in trying Liquor Violation Cases; in Cases where a person is alleged to have operated a motor vehicle on a public highway or road while he was under the influence of an intoxicating beverage; and cases involving the swindling statutes.

We recommend that the City responsible for such actions be made to give an accounting to the County for fines collected for such violations and pay them over to Eastland County in accordance with law.

We find that certain local city officials knowingly permit violation of the gambling statutes; permit the sale of beer by the bottle; and permit nuisances to operate in open violation of law under the guise and excuse that the profits go to charity.

Ample evidence has been presented that in certain night spots in the County, minor children become intoxicated therein and that liquor is consumed after hours, that traffic from said places constitutes a public menace and is the recommendation of this Grand Jury that proceedings to abate said nuisance be brought at the earliest practicable date.

Construction Of Summer Cottages Not Permissible

Persons who are contemplating the erection of summer cottages or other seasonal dwellings this year, were reminded today by William F. Chamberlin, Ft. Worth representative of the Office of the Housing Expediter, that such construction is not permitted under the Veterans' Housing Program.

"An acute housing shortage continues to exist," Chamberlin said. "It is estimated that at the beginning of 1947, more than 2,500,000 families were in the market for homes, and that about 1,000,000 additional families will be in the market during this year.

Chamberlin pointed out that until there are enough building materials on the market to build the year-round houses needed by veterans and others, it will not be fair to permit a drain on scarce supplies to erect recreational and other luxury-type housing.

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COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERSHIP IS REOPENED

Officials of the Ranger Country Club announced today that the membership of the club will be opened to new members with a view to building the membership up to 100.

The drive will be handled by three membership teams, captained by Felton Brashear, M. L. King and Price Crawley. The team turning in the fewest new members will be obligated to provide a "full sized" barbecue for the entire club, according to one official.

Besides the attractive clubhouse, there is a home for the course manager and his family. The club has a lease on the fishing rights to Lake Hagaman which is adjacent to the club property and all permits are sold through the club.

During the war years when activities at the club were curbed, the club was maintained without any indebtedness being incurred.

The club has been the center of social activities in Ranger ever since its organization.

The committee made public a detailed report on the near east crisis to back up its unanimous recommendation for approval of President Truman's \$400,000,000 aid program.

The diplomatically worded report did not name the source of the "external pressure".

IS CHARGED WITH USING DISASTER TO BOLSTER SELF

John L. Lewis today asked the government to keep all except two of the nation's bituminous mines closed until they have been re-examined by federal inspectors.

The mine union president made his request in a letter to Secretary of Interior J. A. Krug and Capt. N. H. Collison, coal mines administrator.

Lewis is under court injunction not to call any strike as long as the government is in control of the mines. But the impression of observers was that after union members hear about his letter today, few will report for work Monday.

Lewis' request represented an effort to put on the government the entire responsibility for determining which mines are safe to reopen on Monday. That is the expiration of the one-week "mourning" period which shut down all mines this week.

Krug and Collison worked out another plan by which they hoped to reopen many mines Monday. But the whole outlook for mining next week was thrown into confusion by Lewis' latest move.

Only yesterday, Dr. R. H. Sayre, director of the bureau of mines, told a news conference that the bureau has 171 inspectors and needed at least 250 to keep up with its work.

It would take 171 inspectors many weeks, at least, to inspect the 2,529 mines as Lewis' asked.

Four Killed As Tornado Strikes Oklahoma Area

POTEAU, Okla. —Four persons were killed and an undetermined number injured today when a tornado slashed through a sparsely settled area in the hills near the Arkansas border south of Poteau.

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Many Features Planned For All Western Days

LUBBOCK, Tex. (UP)—Two all-college rodeo performances, a downtown parade and coronation of a rodeo queen at a western-style dance will be featured as part of the traditional All-Western Days at Texas Technological College April 11 and 12.

Mayors from a number of surrounding towns have accepted invitations to ride in the colorful opening parade April 11.

Visitors from throughout the Panhandle and South Plains are expected to attend rodeo performances at 8 o'clock Friday night and at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Chinese Raiders Identified As Communists

PEIPING—U. S. Marine headquarters announced that the Chinese raiders who killed five Marines and wounded 16 during an attack on the Tangku ammunition dump before dawn today had been identified as Communists.

Identification was established through papers found on the Chinese soldiers left dead on the Tangku battlefield.

Marine headquarters said the Communists had captured little or no ammunition in their raid. The dump is situated outside Tangku, about 30 miles east of Tientsin and the main port for American troop movements in northern China.

Department Tags AYD As Arm Of Communist Party

WASHINGTON—The justice department has officially tagged the front organization known as American Youth for Democracy as an arm of the Communist party of the United States.

That should interest parents and educators in the District of Columbia and 14 states where AYD maintains 60 chapters, or thereabouts. Some say more, some say fewer.

Director J. Edgar Hoover of the Federal Bureau of Investigation has been hollering foul at AYD for a long time. Hoover's FBI is part of the justice department. But the department has taken the position that the department, itself, may not officially advise the public of the list of subversive organizations contained in Hoover's ample files.

Two Die In Nursery Fire



A nurse in a Columbus, Ohio, hospital holds one of the eleven children burned in a children's boarding home fire. Two of the tiny tots were fatally burned. (NEA Telephoto)

The Weather

Partly cloudy and cooler this afternoon and tonight. Tomorrow partly cloudy with little change in temperature. Fresh to occasionally strong winds, diminishing tomorrow.

Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today
Maximum 69
Minimum 57
Hour's Reading 69
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today.
Maximum 83
Rainfall .24 of an inch
Minimum 52

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—A new tax-reduction plan that would give every taxpayer the equivalent of a 3 per cent increase in pay has made its appearance in Washington as a substitute for the Knutson flat 20 per cent tax cut across the board.



Edson

In simplest possible terms, the proposed new plan would work like this. Suppose you are the bread-winning head of a family with two dependents and a net income of \$3000 a year as shown on your tax return.

Under present law, federal income tax on \$3000 for a married man with wife and one child is \$190. Subtract this \$190 from the \$3000. It leaves \$2810, which is take-home pay. A 3 per cent increase on that amount would be \$140.50. Subtract that from the present tax of \$190. The remainder of \$49.50 would be the taxpayer's new tax. The \$140.50 tax reduction would be his 3 per cent pay increase, compliments of Uncle Sam.

One catch in the plan is that the lowest income brackets might not get the full 3 per cent increase. For instance, the head of a family with two dependents making \$2500 a year now pays \$95 taxes. His income after taxes would be \$2405. Five per cent of that would be \$120.25, which is \$24.75 more than his tax bill. Asking the government to refund this amount might be a bit tricky. But all such low income taxpayers would at least have the satisfaction of knowing they wouldn't have to pay any income taxes at all.

THIS is a far better break than low income taxpayers would get under the Knutson plan. The 20 per cent cut in taxes would reduce the \$2500-a-year wage earner's burden by only \$19—from \$95 to \$76.

The "3 per cent pay increase tax plan" has other things to commend it. It sounds almost as good as "330 every Thursday" and other ham-and-eggs movements.

In the hands of employers it would become a powerful argument. Suppose a union agent demands a 10 per cent pay increase. "Look it," the boss would be able to say. "If you get a 3 per cent pay increase from the government, how about settling with me for another 3 per cent to make your 10?"

While the top-bracket boss himself wouldn't do as well under the 3 per cent pay increase plan as under the Knutson 20 per cent tax plan, he would still do all right. The two plans would give about equal tax relief for single taxpayers earning \$5000 a year, or taxpayers with two dependents earning \$6000. Above those figures the benefits would decrease.

Take the case of some big wheel with two dependents making \$50,000 a year. Under present law his taxes are \$24,111, his take-home pay after taxes \$25,889. Five per cent of this latter figure would be \$12,944, which would reduce his taxes to \$22,817. Under the 20 per cent reduction plan the tax would be only \$19,289.

The 125,000 U. S. taxpayers who last year reported incomes of more than \$50,000 would benefit even less, percentage-wise, though more in dollars.

WITHOUT taking time to figure all the angles, tax experts say that this proposed 3 per cent pay increase plan would reduce tax collections between \$4 billion and \$5 billion a year. The Knutson plan would probably cost the Treasury only \$3.5 billion. With a 30 per cent tax cut on net incomes of under \$1000, the cost to the Treasury would be \$3.8 billion.

Administratively, from the Bureau of Internal Revenue point of view, the 3 per cent pay increase plan would be difficult, but it could be done. Any tax reduction plan adopted will mean the preparation of new tax schedules for each income group and new tax-withholding schedules for payroll deductions.

In the windup, every taxpayer will have to do some new calculating on a new form, and there will be a lot of headaches. The big job is to make tax reduction as painless as possible.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Athletic director Ralph H. Young of Michigan State listing the nation's veteran track coaches, and establishing William L. Hayward as the dean, takes a lot of us back a long way.

Bill Hayward was a big man at Oregon when I was a kid running around in mud puddles out there. In the business 52 years, Hayward, weather-beaten part-Indian, is still in fine shape.

For years Hayward trained Oregon football teams, including two that appeared in the Rose Bowl, one of which employed no more than 15 players during the entire campaign. He could take an ailing athlete and get him ready to go in a hurry.

Under him the slogan of Oregon football players was "Don't be the first to get hurt." The result was mighty few injuries.

In recent years, Hayward has devoted full time to track, having been relieved of heavy training duties.

Hayward, an old-time professional quarter-miler, never received an academic degree from any college, yet has always been a cultured, polished, soft-spoken man who made and kept many friends, a grain companion with a keen sense of humor.

An ingenious sort, Hayward devised many types of special athletic gear. His first job was as assistant to Walter Cuestle, another former professional runner, at California. There followed two years at Pacific University, Forest Grove, Ore.; two more at Albany, Ore. College; and then Oregon, where he has been for 43 years.

At Pacific University, it was Hayward's good fortune to have A. C. Gilbert, and vice versa. Gilbert, destined to become a New Haven manufacturer, went on to be the daddy of Yale pole-vaulters.

Under Hayward at Oregon, June 23, 1906, Dan Kelly was first to run 100 yards in 9.6. The then world record was questioned, but recognized. Kelly was an even better broad-jumper, credited with 23 feet, remarkable in those days.

HAYWARD greets include Boyd Brown, former NCAA javelin record-holder despite a crippled right hand, which forced him to toss the spear between his index and middle fingers. Others were Walter George Varoff and Ralph Hill, who ran the disputed 5000-meter race in the 1932 Olympic Games in Los Angeles.

Lester Steers' 8 feet, 11 inches remains the world record in the high jump.

Little wonder athletes of other institutions and those affiliated with none long since have sought Bill Hayward's advice.

30 per cent of students questioned placed informal discussions at the top of their preferences for spare-time activity.

Runners - up were sports, preferred by 20 per cent; attending a movie, 15 per cent; drinking coffee or coles at a campus eatery which also includes bull sessions, 10 per cent; playing chess, five per cent; doing odd jobs around home, four per cent; and just sitting and thinking, three per cent.

Bull Sessions Get Votes Of College Students

MOSCOW, Ida. (UP)—"Bull sessions" are still the most popular diversion among college students.

A survey conducted at the University of Idaho by Prof. Robert L. Ormsby, head of the philosophy department, revealed that

Thrilling, Isn't It?



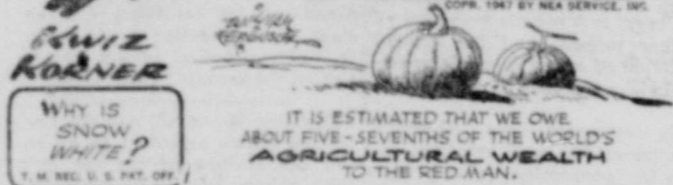
German Scientific Mind Returns To Ingenious Peace-Time Studies

BERLIN (UP)—The German scientific mind, which turned out such ingenious war instruments as the V-weapons and super-submarine, is at work again.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



AND HIS EFFORTS AT SURVIVAL ARE SUCCESSFUL! TEXAS ONCE HELD ALL NORTH AMERICAN MEMBERS OF THE RACE! NOW THEY ARE TO BE FOUND IN NEW MEXICO, MISSISSIPPI, OKLAHOMA, LOUISIANA, ARKANSAS AND FLORIDA.



ANSWER: Because light striking it is diffused by the tiny crystals composing it.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for 'Archbishop', 'Horizontals', and 'Verticals'. Includes a small portrait of a man.

Take the Laughter by Karen DeWolf

THE STORY: Peter calls to see Sherry, bringing her flowers. After he leaves, the three boys build cloud-castles to amuse her. Tony says he and Sherry will live in a mountain lodge; Sandro says that's impossible since he intends taking Sherry to France; and Kris promises Sherry will go back to Denmark with him as his wife, the Countess Von Hainmann.

and called Kris all kinds of dreadful names. Kris had said, "Whenever you get off the soap box, you Wiener Schnitzel, you can get the food out of the car," and Tony and Sandro had spent the next 10 minutes unpacking boxes. KRIS told Sherry what had happened. He had met the man who was in charge of the technical end of the Swedish picture, and the man had told him that he might as well start the next day as there was a lot of preliminary work to be done. The salary was \$150 a week, and Kris had simply touched him for the first week's pay.

Carl H. Nordstrom, acting chief of the American Military Government's scientific control branch, disclosed that Germans have "howered his office with more than 400 requests for permission to conduct research in "peaceful" fields as permitted under the four-power control council's scientific research directives.

The Germans now want to study everything from the manufacture of penicillin which they did not have during the war, to a process for making potato skins edible so there will be no food wastage.

One German asked permission to study a way to find an adequate substitute for feeding bees. Another application, which won military government approval, said studies would be made on the recovery of animals from syphilis during their "winter sleep."

Nordstrom said the military government turned thumbs down on a plan submitted by a Bavarian engineer for the restoration of fertility in the Sahara Desert and in its re-settlement by displaced and homeless persons in Europe and elsewhere.

The Bavarian claimed he headed an organization known as "Atlantrop" which seeks to build a power net of 500,000,000 horsepower in North Africa.

The application was rejected on the ground that it violated the meaning of the control council law forbidding any research for military or apparent military purposes, including atomic research and experiments.

Nordstrom also announced that as of last Jan. 1, American authorities had located and investigated 28 establishments built by the Nazis primarily for war research. All of the specialized equipment in these establishments and specialized buildings either has been destroyed or removed.

Among the research projects approved by the military government were those designed to: Manufacture artificial leather with a wood pulp base; study weather-resisting properties of materials for the manufacture of prefabricated houses; manufacture wood-burning automobile engines; develop a new chemical process for manufacturing fertilizers and manufacture of light artificial limbs.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS OUT OUR WAY By J. R. Williams



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS BY MERRILL BLOSSER



RED RYDER BY FRED HARMON



ALLEY OOP BY V. T. HAMLIN



BUT THAT'S VERY APT TO BE SOME TIME YET



**British Collectors
Irrked By King's
Head On Stamps**

LONDON (UP)—A petition to reduce the size of the King's picture on British postage stamps and "beautify" them with pictorial scenes has been started by stamp collectors.

L. Sydel, secretary of the Stamp Collectors' Association, said British stamps were "the ugliest in the world" and blamed "government old fogies" for continuing a tradition that went out of date years ago.

Sydel hastened to add that he was not being disrespectful to King George, whom he considers "quite a good-looking monarch"—it was just the "unimaginative-ness" of stamp designers.

—BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS—



The new Spring model Lincolns, soon to be shown by dealers throughout the country, include several running changes in both external and internal appointments. A new chromium hood ornament, superimposed on a brass sphere, ten new exterior colors and pull-out-type exterior door handles are features of the new Lincoln, T. W. Skinner, Lincoln Mercury general manager, announces.



A new Chrome grille frame is one of several changes added to the new Spring Mercury, now rolling off the assembly lines at the rate of 500 a day. Other changes in the new models, as announced by T. W. Skinner, Lincoln Mercury general manager, include eleven new exterior colors, a new hood side nameplate, new hub caps, new extended nameplate on the rear deck and re-styling of the interior trim, plus new dials on the instrument panel.

Dogcatcher's Life Tough—In Texas

HOUSTON, Texas (UP)—Two Houston dogcatchers said "never again" when a pistol-packed 27-year-old housewife got through with them after they tried to take her four dogs to the pound.

What 98-pound Mrs. A. B. Cowan lacks in weight she makes up in a Texas band of fighting determination. Her neighborhood was the scene of a small-scale battle with guns and pistols displayed freely.

Mrs. Cowan, even defied the command of a policeman armed with a sawed-off shotgun to appear at the police station. Mrs. Cowan may be little but she's not timid.

The dogcatchers won the fray, although she faced charges of "rudely displaying a pistol" and "letting dogs run loose on the street."

Mrs. Cowan admitted she rescued two dogs from the truck and said she wielded the pistol after one of the dogcatchers threatened to kill Lady, her three-year-old chow.

She said she arrived in front of her house just as the dogcatchers were calling her dogs out of the yard. Duke was first into the wagon and then two Pekes followed.

"I told the dogcatcher to take Lady because I knew she'd bite him," Mrs. Cowan said. Lady did as predicted.

The dogcatchers brought up Patrolman J. B. Elkins as a reinforcement. Mrs. Cowan said Elkins had a "sawed-off shotgun in his hands" and ordered her to come out of the house and go to the station with him.

Although outnumbered three to one, Mrs. Cowan retorted: "I'm not going anywhere."

The three men had to admit defeat. They got only one dog out of four. Mrs. Cowan said it wasn't long, however, before Judge Tom Maas telephoned her and told her that charges had been filed. She said the judge said "come in at your convenience" and post \$100 bond.

"But first of all I'm going down to the pound and get Popeye back," Mrs. Cowan said.

Tres Bien



Pretty Georgette Thiolierre of Chamonix, France, smiles triumphantly after winning the Harriman Cup for a clean sweep in the slalom, downhill and combined ski races at Idaho's Sun Valley.

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OHIO COLLEGE OPENS
COURSE IN HOW TO DATE

By Kenneth Ford
 United Press Staff Correspondent
BOWLING GREEN, O. (UP)—
 The learn-as-you-go technique in
 "dating," according to Dr. Samuel
 Harman Lowrie, is all wrong. He
 says this activity demands an in-
 telligent approach.

Dr. Lowrie, chairman of the so-
 ciology department of Bowling
 Green State University here, is
 doing just that. The gray-haired
 father of two children introduced
 a sociology course at Bowling
 Green this semester devoted en-
 tirely to "dating."

The co-educational class is lim-
 ited to 30 first-year students, giv-
 ing college credit, which makes it
 the first of its kind in the country,
 the instructor believes.

"During the 25 years I have con-
 ducted marriage and family
 classes," Dr. Lowrie said, "the
 need for fundamental education
 in 'dating' before young people
 date, rather than after, has be-
 come apparent."

"In discussing marriage before
 adult groups, I have become aware
 of an almost unanimous desire for
 an intelligent approach to helping
 young people in dating," he said.

Dr. Lowrie further believes the
 course will aid students in pick-
 ing a husband or wife.

"Social mingling permits young
 people to judge and choose among
 themselves," he explained. "They
 should realize that love is not the
 only thing involved in the selec-
 tion of a life-time partner."

"Marriage for most people is the
 most important decision of their
 lives, yet they know little about it.
 Not much effort has been made to
 teach young people to choose a
 bride or bridegroom intelligently."

Dr. Lowrie is writing a textbook
 on dating problems which he hopes
 will encourage other universities
 to establish similar courses.

POCKET COMB
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CHARLESTON, W. Va. (UP)—
 Quick thinking saved the lives
 of a meat cutter and his appren-
 tice, who were trapped in a six
 by eight foot refrigerator locker
 for 10 hours.

Cecil Butler, 35, and his helper
 John Rhodes, 16, were closing
 up on a Saturday night when the
 door of the refrigerator accident-
 ally became closed and the
 inside handle sheared off.

The apprentice, realizing that
 they probably would freeze if the
 temperature was not raised,
 fashioned a point out of his pocket
 comb and manipulated the
 thermostat to 59 degrees.

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 a newsboy was delivering Sunday
 papers, the noise of the trapped
 workers pounding on the door
 was heard.

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Not Much Left



Curious spectators, some of them awakened by the blast when a dynamite truck exploded in Dallas, inspect all that was left of the truck. This piece of the motor block was the largest single piece which could be found. It was lying about a block and a half away. Three persons were injured, but no one was killed. (NEA Telephoto).

Under The Dome At Austin

By Gordon K. Shearer, United Press Staff Correspondent AUSTIN, Tex., (UP)—The 50th Texas Legislature may go down in history as "the filibustering Fiftieth."

in the U. S. House of Representatives on Jan. 3, 1853, brought the charge from a Mississippi Representative that the opposition was "filibustering."

ade. If he keeps straying from the subject, he is given three warnings. Then any member can call for a vote on a point of order that he is using dilatory tactics, he loses the floor.

That rule causes the many queer things that happen when a member is filibustering. As he tires a fellow member who opposes the measure may rush to his relief with a question.

Then it goes like this: "Will the Senator yield for a question?"

"I yield."

"Well, Senator, just how will this bill affect the tenant farmers in my district?"

With a chance to recuperate while the question is asked, the filibustering senator then is off on another long dissertation which is within the rules.

Most filibusters that have been witnessed in the Texas Senate have been two- or three-handed ones. One Senator would hold the floor while the others took turn about asking questions. A few sessions ago a two-handed filibuster lasted for 13 hours.

Another ended in the use of a companion tactic—breaking a quorum. That is the way the bill to renew expiring oil leases on submerged areas along the Gulf Coast was defeated at the last session. It had been filibustered successfully until late and then enough senators walked out to break a quorum.

It was almost dawn before the sergeants-at-arms had rounded up enough absentees to make a quorum and then there were not enough favorable votes left to pass it.

This session Sen. Jimmy Phillips of Angleton filibustered against a similar bill until the opponents had found an amendment with enough support to be tacked onto the House-passed bill. The amendment forced its return late in the session to the House. Meantime some hard-sledding in the House for the revamped measure was assured.

Strangely enough, and some might say it was retribution, Senator Phillips was on the other side when the session's second filibuster arose. Phillips was for the "Fair Trade" bill which was being blocked by the new filibuster, and Sen. Fred Harris who had accused Phillips of dilatory tactics on the lease bill was the one blocking the Senate from reaching the "Fair Trade" bill.

Probably the most famous instance of dilatory tactics and use of the "breaking a quorum" technique occurred back in the days



Heavyweight challenger Tami Mauriello, who contested referee's decision that he was technically out because of severe cuts over the eyes from Johnny Shkor in Boston, has his stiched injuries examined by Dr. Vincent Nardjello.

when prohibition was the chief dividing issue in the Texas Legislature.

On one occasion the "Wets" broke a Senate quorum by departing and hiding out in Bandera county. The "Drys" also used that method once to fight the "Wets." They broke a Senate quorum and hid for days in a house on the outskirts of Austin. More recently a House quorum was broken when the fight was over state-road-building bonds. One of the absentees was found hiding in a barn.

If Mrs. W. Lacy Stewart of Houston is elected to the Texas Senate to succeed her late husband, she will be the second wo-

man to be a member of the upper house of a Texas Legislature.

First and only Texas woman senator was Miss Margie Neal of Carthage, Miss. Neal was a member of the Senate from 1927 to 1935 and her senatorial district comprised Panola, Harrison, Gregg, Rusk and Shelby counties.

House Bill 29 of the 50th Legislature will be known informally as the "comma" bill. It was withdrawn from the Governor's office after passage to permit a correction. The correction was insertion of a comma. It sets up procedure for city-county employes retirement systems.

Children's Books Fail To Pass Readability Test

NORMAN, Okla. (UP)—Many "good" children's books go unread because they are overloaded with words far beyond the vocabulary age of the children for whom they

were intended, a survey here disclosed.

Dr. Henry D. Rinsland, director of the bureau of educational research at the University of Oklahoma, says his studies show readability of children's books, including some textbooks, might account for the offspring's turning to comic books.

Rinsland an authority on children's vocabularies, is the author of a book, "A Basic Vocabulary of Elementary School Children," which gives data on the number of times various words are used by children in the first eight grades.

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Take the Laughter

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THE STORY: Sherry is almost well. Maria returns from a business trip and helps the boys care for her. The boys are all working. Dr. Drexel tells Sherry not to worry about his bill. Peter has said something about Sherry being the only girl in the world for him and Sherry hopes he does not mean it seriously.

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IT was nearly a week later when the boys took her to Henri's one night.

Sherry had to have chocolate ice cream instead of coffee, and the boys had wine because it was a celebration.

After a while some studio people joined them and Sherry began to look a little tired. The boys decided that Tony should take her home.

When he stopped the car in front of the house Sherry hated to get out. She laid her head back and gazed up at the still treetops and the low stars and the warm pink glow that always hung over the boulevard.

"Couldn't we go for a little ride, Tony?" she wanted to know. "It's such a gorgeous night."

Tony said indeed not, that she should be in bed right then; and Sherry sighed and got out.

She could feel the heat pressing gently against her as they crossed the still court. Tony opened the door to Hidden House and felt for a light.

Sherry said, "Don't, Tony. It's nice like this."

"But you'll go right to bed?" he asked, and Sherry said she would.

"Then good night, sweet, sleep well," Tony said, and Sherry lifted her face for the usual kiss.

Their lips met and suddenly Sherry felt a queer warm surge, and her breath struck. She drew her lips away quickly because she was surprised, and buried her flushed face on Tony's shoulder.

He held her close.

Sherry thought this was too queer for words when Tony had

kissed her at least in a hundred times before. But because it had felt so nice, and because she wondered if it could possibly happen again, she lifted her face to his.

For a moment their lips clung and Sherry felt Tony's arms about her tightly.

Suddenly Tony stopped kissing her, and said, "Good night, sweet," rather huskily, and went out and closed the door.

Sherry's head whirled and she wanted to run after him and make him hold her again, but she could not move. She held to the door-knob and sank to her knees.

"Tony," she said, "Tony."

WHEN Sherry woke up the next morning she did not remember at first. She knew she was ecstatically happy, then she thought of Tony. She closed her eyes for a moment to recapture a little of last night's magic, and then she saw the time and got up.

She flew through her bathing and dressing, and hummed a little Viennese love song that Tony had taught her once. When she got to the boys' house for breakfast Tony had almost finished.

Sandro said, "But you are looking very shiny this morning," and Sherry said, "I'm happy," and looked at Tony.

Kris said, "Then don't look at him; he'd turn milk sour."

Tony said, "Hello."

Suddenly Sherry felt a little shy and self-conscious. She sat down at the table.

"Gosh knows what's eating him," Kris told her, "but he kept me awake all night smoking cigars. Then he couldn't get any hot water this morning."

Tony said, "And you've used all my razor blades. You'd think you could afford a few of your own now."

Sandro said, "It is your liver. You should drink water, Tony," and Tony said, "Oh, shut up."

Sherry was puzzled. Was it possible

that Tony was unhappy about last night? Why he couldn't be! Unless—

She felt a little stab of pain. She stole a look at his lean, handsome face and felt a small poignant thrill at the sheer perfection of line in the sweep of his jaw. Yesterday there had been Tony and Sandro and Kris. Today there was just Tony.

Now he was getting up, and something tightened around Sherry's heart. She could not let him go like this! She could not be this miserable for a whole day!

She said, "I'll walk around to the car with you."

Tony said, "All right."

THEY walked through the court in silence.

When they reached the garage Tony got in the car and started the motor. Sherry thought she could not bear it. She put her hands tightly on the car door.

"Tony! You're not angry or anything, are you? I mean—at me?"

Tony stopped fussing with things on the dashboard and looked surprised.

He said, "Why of course not, Sherry!" as though such a thing was impossible.

Sherry knew he meant it and tears of relief sprang to her eyes.

She said, "Oh, I'm glad."

Tony looked at her for a moment as though he wanted to make sure of something. Then he smiled very tenderly.

"You're sweet, Sherry," he told her. "I was afraid you might be angry at me about last night."

She looked at him very earnestly.

She said, "But why, Tony? Why never should I be?"

Tony stared back at her as if to make very sure of what she had said. Suddenly his face relaxed and he looked relieved and happy and as though something very wonderful had happened.

He smiled and said, "Never mind why, sweet. You wouldn't understand."

He leaned out of the car and kissed her lightly and drove happily away, and Sherry stood and stared after him.

(To Be Continued)

Blind GI Talks With Top Men



General of the Army Eisenhower and Fleet Admiral Nimitz take time out during the Congressional Armed Services hearing in Washington to chat with Pvt. Oliver Bacon, blind former member of the 63rd Infantry Division who is now a patient at Walter Reed Hospital.

Mediterranean are eventually in position.

The Texas Company report said:

"The 1946 prospecting effort of the petroleum industry in the United States involved the drilling of a greater number of wildcat wells than in any other year. However, based on the estimated quantity of new crude oil reserves discovered, the results were very disappointing. The new oil added to reserves during the year was the lowest of any year in the history of the industry."

"It should be remembered that most of the oil produced in 1946 was from fields that were discovered and developed at low cost in prior years," it continued. "If this oil had cost as much to find as did the oil found in 1946, the earnings on producing operations would have been considerable less."

The oldest piece of glass which has been definitely dated historically is a large bead made in the 1500's B. C., according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

—BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS—

Students Taught To Dramatize Mental Quirks

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (UP)—For almost three years, Prof. Leroy MacGowan has quietly taught high school students here to dramatize quirks of the mind.

MacGowan said he believes his

mental hygiene course for teenagers is first of its kind.

"I didn't want the spotlight turned on the experiment too soon," MacGowan said, "but now I think I've got something vital."

For a half-term, MacGowan assigns his Lee High School students experiments in adjusting themselves.

"One boy thought his parents were down on him," MacGowan said. "We (the class) suggested

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MIDDLE EAST OIL CALLED CLUE TO WORLD TENSION

By Arthur M. Goul
United Press Staff Correspondent
NEW YORK (UP)—Two significant statements which appeared in financial journals on the same day indicate the real importance of Middle East oil in the increasing tension of world politics.

The oil situation may explain part of the tension.

The statements were unrelated, but coincidental. It was by accident, no design, that they appeared at the same time.

One statement by the giant Texas Company—which has interests in the Middle East—was to the



R. L. Templeton of Wellington, Texas, a member of the House of Representatives, is the only one of the veteran legislators who receives disability pay from a foreign country. He enlisted in the RCAF in 1941 and flew for Canada in England during the crucial war years of 1942-43. In 1944 he came back to the U. S. and due to injuries suffered in numerous crashes began receiving compensation from the Canadian government. He is also the first American to get educational benefits under the Canadian bill of rights; attending the University of Texas for two years at the expense of the Canadian government. (NEA Telephone).

general effect that the search for new oil deposits in 1946 was disappointing.

The other was by Sir William Fraser, chairman of the board of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company. He said it would be no exaggeration to assert that the Middle East oil reserves compare to those of the United States.

Sir William's remarks were perhaps more pertinent to the actual situation in the Middle East, but deep in the Texas Company's reports were facts and figures which revealed the expanding importance of the Middle East production.

Sir William added that the possibilities of discovering new oil deposits in the Middle East are much greater than in the United States.

"The operating advantage which the Middle East has over us is a 10 other oil fields areas is compounded by high yield per well, large individual fields and complete freedom for unit development," Sir William told the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

Sir William explained that the proved oil reserves of the Middle East are contained in six fields in Iran, two in Iraq, one in Kuwait, three in Arabia, one in Bahrain Island, and one in the Qatar Peninsula.

"The individual fields are also of giant size," he continued. "Two of them, Masjid-i-Sulaiman and Haft Kel in Iran, have already produced about 100 million tons (approximately 700 million barrels) each, and a third, Kirkuk in Iraq, is approaching the 50 million to (350 million barrels) mark."

"In terms of current rate of output, after only the great East Texas field, Haft Kel has the distinction of being the largest producing field in the world. East Texas is producing at the rate of about 17 million tons (119 million

barrels) per year from, I am told, about 24,000 wells, whereas Haft Kel is producing nine million tons (63 million barrels) per year from 24 wells."

Sir William noted natural production advantages of the oil fields in Persian Gulf area have in the past been largely offset by certain physical drawbacks. He said:

"The long tanker haul to European markets, involving a circuit of Arabia and the passage through the Suez Canal, has been a substantial handicap."

"The geographical disadvantages still remain, but may be much reduced when the projected large diameter trunk pipe lines from the Persian Gulf area to the

Happy Rose



Houston, Texas.—Former Governor Cake Stevenson has been named honorary chairman for the financial drive of the Texas Division, American Cancer Society, by Frank C. Smith, Houston, president.

April has been officially named cancer month by an act of Congress and a drive is being conducted in 48 states to raise \$12,000,000 for education, service and research. The Texas goal is \$12,246,000.

Cancer deaths have been on the increase in recent years and it is estimated that cancer is now killing Americans at the appalling rate of one every three minutes, 21 every hour and 184,000 every year.

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that he works at home, without being prodded. He tried it for a week. Result: Dad found his son could be relied upon. So he let son use the family auto.

During the second half-term, the students learn to control other people's indirectly, MacGowan's Example:

"One girl in their club used very crude language. So they tried the experiment of using language like the other girl, and apologizing for it in front of her."

The experiment's subject confessed: "Oh, I must have that habit, too."

The rest of the cure, according to MacGowan, was just a matter of setting a good example.

Each student also discovers whether he passes the buck, or daydreams more than he ought to about impossible things.

"On a little self-testing sheet they rate themselves from one to five," MacGowan said, "and on a similar scale some 'unidentified' friend rates them, too. They are not going to agree. But this shows them where they overrate themselves."

LET SCORE GRADES
LUBBOCK, Tex. (UP)—Registrar W. P. Clement of Texas Tech College says veterans make better grades than non-veteran students. Of 274 students listed on last semester's honor roll, 189 are former servicemen. And of 33 men making all A's, only two are non-veterans.

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SOCIETY «» CLUBS «» CHURCHES

Easter Church Services To Highlight Day's Activities

Few Social Functions On Season's Calendar

Appropriately enough activities on Easter will be highlighted by special services at Ranger churches and the Easter parade will lead to church doors.

A number of the churches held services during Holy Week and social activities for the week and preceding weeks of lent have been quiet socially.

The return of the college group for the Easter holidays was the major activity during the last of the week with practically no social events scheduled. One of the few was the luncheon given Saturday by

Miss Catherine Adams at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Adams. Miss Adams is home from Texas Technological College at Lubbock for the holidays.

Julia Alexander Grove Meets Wed.

For the younger groups, Friday and Saturday were marked by Easter egg hunts, most of them sponsored by various departments of the Sunday schools of Ranger churches.

Members of Julia Alexander Grove No. 1954 of the Woodmen Circle met at the I.O.O.F. hall Wednesday afternoon for a business meeting which was presided over by the president, Mrs. Mabel Greer. Routine business was transacted and a report of the state convention held in Mineral Wells recently was given. Those attending were Mes. Thelma Bott, Bessie Harris, Mabel Greer, and Edna Williamson.

Sunrise Easter Service Will Not Be Held Sunday

It was announced Saturday that due to various circumstances the Sunrise Easter service which was contemplated will not be held. Plans for the service would have required more time than was available when the subject was first presented, it was explained.

Garden Lore

Lilies, just the word conjures up a wealth of beauty, that can be ours for a small cost, and a bit of work.

There are fifty species of lilies, all confined to the northern hemisphere. Fifteen being natives of China, and Japan, six of the mountains of India, eight of south Europe, five of the east, and nine of the west coast of North America. The spread of these lilies is lost in the mist of time.

This time of year the woods of Oregon are filled with blooming Tiger Lilies which are very beautiful. Along the ship channel in south Texas the Spider Lily is a mass of white in the low spots. One can hardly wait to pick them, but what a disappointment, a travesty, so beautiful, but such an unpleasant odor when put in a vase that soon they must be thrown away.

The Amaryllidaceae, which has blooms similar to the lily is a native of tropical and sub-tropical regions. Among them is the amaryllis, narcissus, snowdrop, and snowflake. The amaryllis grows nicely in this climate, and are to be seen in some of our gardens. Lilies were used as a decorative motif on the upper walls of Solomon's palace.

In the Bible the white lily is compared to Christ, his church and his people. Christ said, "Consider the lilies, how they grow; they toil not, they spin not, and yet I say unto you that Solomon in all of his glory was not arrayed like one of these."—Luke 12:27. "The lilies of the field" are red lilies, and the comparison of their beauty with the royal robes of Solomon, suggests the Syrian lily of Pliny. Lilies however are not a common flower in Palestine, so it is thought that Christ was thinking of the red Anemone lily which dots the hillsides of Galilee during the spring-time there.

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PERSONALS

Representative L. R. Pearson is home from Austin to spend the Easter holidays with his family. Other members of the Pearson family home for the holidays are Lynn Pearson, who is attending Texas Christian University in Ft. Worth, Electra Pearson of Dallas; and L. R. Pearson, Jr., who is attending the University of Texas in Austin.

Miss Bernice Ashcraft, a junior student of the University of Texas, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Ashcraft, over the Easter holidays.

Miss Doris Perlstein is home from the University of Texas to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Saul Perlstein.

Truman Harper has re-entered T.C.U. in Ft. Worth for the second five weeks in an insurance course.

Mrs. Mary Young left Saturday for Lubbock where she was called by the illness of her son, D. A. Young, of Big Spring, who is in a hospital in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips and daughters, Sherry and Sydra, of Amarillo are the guests of Mrs. Phillips' sister, Mrs. J. Floyd Killingsworth, and Mr. Killingsworth.

Rebekah Lodge Meets Tuesday

Members of Ranger Rebekah Lodge No. 244 met in regular session Tuesday evening at the I.O.O.F. hall with Noble Grand Lee Graham presiding.

Routine business was transacted and the degree team practised. It was announced that the new opening time will be 8:00 o'clock each meeting night until September. The treasurer gave a report of collections and expenses during the past month.

The penny prize furnished by Mattie Cox was won by Lena McDonough. Seventeen members were present.

C. F. C. Class Has Barbecue Friday

The C.F.C. Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church was entertained Friday night with a steak barbecue at the Ranger Country Club.

The following members attended the affair: Messrs. and Meses. G. B. Rush, L. L. Thomas, Derwood Gregory, Ardell Kirk, D. C. Arterburn, Walter Arterburn, Joe Weekes, R. V. Robinson, Earl Blackwell, Jr., Millard Hervey, Ross Elrod, O. C. Warden, Bob Lester, Pete Rains, Jack Myers, Sullivan Smith, and Meses. Charles Norris and Lowell Jennings.

Club Meeting Is Postponed One Week

The regular meeting of the Columbia Study Club which was scheduled for Tuesday afternoon will be postponed because of the clean-up campaign.

The meeting will be held Tuesday, April 15 in the home of Mrs. Saunders Gregg and the review for the afternoon will be given by Mrs. Stanley McAnally who will review Black Fountain by Oswald Wynn.

CHILD WELFARE CLUB TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The regular meeting of the Child Welfare Club will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. C. Borwell. All members are urged to attend.

TC LEAD REVIVAL



Wesley Mickey

Church of Christ Revival Opens 11th

Officials of the Ranger Church of Christ announced today that a revival meeting will begin at the church on Friday, April 11 and run through Sunday, April 20.

Services will be held each evening at 7:45 o'clock and Wesley Mickey, of the Odessa Church of Christ, formerly pastor of the Ranger church, will conduct the services.

The public is invited to attend the services.

Easter Egg Hunt At Church Friday

The Beginner Department of the First Baptist Church held its annual Easter egg hunt on the church lawn Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

The following children participated in the hunt: C. E. Harper, Jr., David Russell, Mike Rainbolt, Stanley Smith, Kathy Rogers, Tommy Warford, Tommy Aishman, Glenda Rains, Sammie Summers, John Tom Tibbels, Vernie Milmo, George and Bob Koenig, Nita Jo Nix, Mary Katherine Rush, Marilyn Warden, Norma Gail Enginger, Cora Ann Bargaley, Janice Burks, Jean Bankston, Janice Belknap, Phyllis Hale, Mary Nell Shockley, Barbara Craig, Jo Ann Dennis, Billy Brown, and Jack Hazard.

Refreshments were served to the group by Mrs. Frank Arrendale, superintendent of the department, who was assisted by Mrs. J. B. Brown and Mrs. T. E. Bankston.

Among those from Ranger who were to attend the Wharton-Watson wedding in Mineral Wells Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harris, Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff, Mrs. Lottie Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thomas, Jr., and C. E. May, Jr. Mr. Thomas was to be an usher in the wedding.

Miss Peggy O'Donnell paid a brief visit to her mother Saturday while enroute back to Hollywood from Mexico City.

Director Employed By Ranger Church

The Second Baptist Church at its regular monthly conference Wednesday night elected Rev. James Peck to serve as Educational Director.

Rev. Peck assisted the church in the recent revival in which ten new members were received into the congregation. At present he is a student in Southwestern Baptist Seminary and is from the state of Louisiana.

During the war he served in the Merchant Marine as a mechanical engineer. He entered the Seminary last September to begin his training for the ministry and is working toward the B. D. degree. Mrs. Peck is also in school and will major in the field of religion education.

Rev. and Mrs. Peck are trained in music and will lead the church in that department. They will be with the church Sunday for Easter Services. Rev. Massague, pastor, will speak on: "The Resurrection and Christian Faith."

Last Sunday, the Sunday School surpassed its goal of one hundred in attendance. A larger goal has been set for Easter.

Intermediates Have Easter Hunt

A group of 26 members of the Sunday School class of the Second Baptist Church enjoyed an Easter egg hunt and picnic at Haganan Lake Friday evening. Games were planned for the group by their sponsors, Mrs. Helen Landtroop and Mrs. Vera Bollinger.

Plans were announced for the organization of the GA's which will take place at a meeting Monday night at 7:00 o'clock. Others present were: Loyd Landtroop, M. H. Alexander, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Massague.

Church To Have Easter Service

Special services for Easter will be conducted at the First Christian Church Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock, it was announced today.

It was also stated that there will not be any services at the church Sunday evening.

EPISCOPAL SERVICE AT 9:30 A.M. SUNDAY

The Rev. John Quincy Martin of Mineral Wells will conduct the Easter morning prayer service for Trinity Episcopal church in Eastland Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Majestic Theatre. Holy communion will be administered and all members and others interested are invited to attend.

W.M.U. BUSINESS MEETING MONDAY

The regular business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church will be held Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the church. All members are urged to be present.

Easter Greetings

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Preaching by pastor, 10:45 a. m.
Evening worship 7:15 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
Jasper C. Massague, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., J. E. Marshall, Supt., (Classes for all ages).

Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Wednesdays 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
Officers and Teacher's meeting—
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
W. M. U. Thursday 2:30 p. m.
Weekly visitation Friday 2:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Harry Payne, Minister
Bible Class 9:45 a. m.
Worship Service 10:45 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.

Sunday evening service 7:00
Ladies Bible Class—Monday 3:00 P. M.
Wednesday prayer service 7:00

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. E. Fred Null, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Sunday Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Sunday Evening Service for young people 7:00
Sunday Evening service 7:30

THE CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. C. F. Meador, Pastor
We extend a cordial welcome to the following services.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
T. F. Hickman, Superintendent
Message by Pastor 11:00 a. m.
Evangelistic service 7:30 p. m.
Prayer service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
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The new Joseph Pulitzer 3-cent stamp, pictured above, honors the famous newspaper publisher. The purple stamp, of special delivery size, bears a portrait of Pulitzer and his well-known quotation, "Our republic and its press will rise or fall together." First sale will be in New York City on April 10.

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Here are some of the personalities who responded to Treasury Secretary John W. Snyder's appeal to participate in 15-minute weekly "Guest Star" shows. Over 1,000 local stations will schedule the transcriptions as a public service in behalf of the United States Savings Bonds Program. The first transcription will feature Henry Morgan. Among the stars will be: 1. Fibber McGee and Molly; 2. Abbott and Costello; 3. George Burns and Gracie Allen; 4. Bob Hope; 5. Bing Crosby; 6. Red Skelton; 7. Illiegarde; 8. Henry Morgan.

The Risen Lord and His Disciples

Scripture: John, Chapters 20 and 21

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.

THE Resurrection of Jesus of Nazareth is the one great ray of light, hope, faith, and inspiration in what, without that fact, would be a dark and gloomy world.

I do not mean to be pessimistic and ignore the joy and laughter, the happy relationships, the satisfactions of achievement, and all the pages of heroism and glory that mark the history of man since the human race began.

But if the grave is the end of it all, the joy and happiness are short-lived, and the glory, no matter how great, is tarnished. The greater the life and the more splendid its achievement, the more startling, and often the more tragic, is its coming to an end.

When news came to the world of the sudden death of the late President Roosevelt, the shock to the nation was more than the passing of a foremost world figure. Much of the shock was at the fact of death itself—that death could so suddenly end a career of such forcefulness and import and at the same time bring about a changed aspect of national and international affairs.

THE public was forcefully impressed with what death is and with what death can do. And as that is sensed in the passing of every great man, it is sensed also in the passing of every relative and friend.

It is in the presence of death that we seek some evidence that can assuage its sadness and create some overpowering hope and

confidence that can bring light into darkness and tragedy. And I know no evidence in nature, life, or history, except the evidence of the Resurrection of Jesus. It is the one supreme fact.

And what evidence have we of that Resurrection? The evidence of disciples whose own lives, outlook, and actions were changed by the fact that they saw Him after His crucifixion.

They were affected by His death just as we are all affected by the death of one we love. They were sad beyond measure, and they were bewildered by the blow that had been struck.

BUT beyond their sadness was the intensity of a great disappointment and discouragement, the blasting of hopes that had been great enough to induce them to leave everything and follow a Master about to establish a kingdom.

Then suddenly their complete despair was transformed into a revival of faith, but a faith that in itself was as the resurrection of something that had died. In that new-found faith their vain ambitions and their disputations about who should be first were all left behind.

Vision and courage of a new comprehension of the meaning of Christ and His Gospel inspired them to go forth to their spiritual conquest of the world.

The miracle of what happened to the disciples is the miracle of the Resurrection. And faith in the Risen Lord has been the power and inspiration of those who have followed in their footsteps to bring to men God's gift of eternal life.

Station For Increasing Milk Supply Planned

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)

Plans are moving forward for establishment of an artificial insemination station to serve the 800 dairies in the area supplying milk to Houston and vicinity.

B. E. Stallones, president of the new organization known as the Houston Dairy Breeding and Production Association, said the station would be at the service of all dairies.

Brig. Gen. R. C. Kuldell has offered the use of a farm near Bellaire, and about \$5,000 has already been obtained to finance the project.

In addition to artificial insemination, the association plans to sponsor a disease control program designed to eliminate mastitis. One herd will be selected for the purpose of study and treatment.

The association will also conduct a program of pasture improvement and production management. The extension service of Texas A. & M. College has been asked to assist the new association in securing a manager for the station.

"The dairy industry has failed to keep pace with the growth of the section it must serve," Stallones said. "The supply of milk is still far short of the demand, and the shortage can only be relieved by the application of scientific breeding and production methods."

Stallones pointed out that mastitis was taking a heavy toll of dairy herds in South Texas. He said one large Harris County dairy sacrificed almost 100 cows through infection during the past year.

Projects Bring Girl 4-H Club Gold Star Award

HILLSBORO, Tex. (UP)

Stretching \$2.00 worth of garden seed into 1091 feet of vegetable garden, redecorating a bedroom and making approximately one-half of her clothing requirements have won for 15-year-old Nita Lou Bullard, a Blum high school senior, the 4-H Club Girl Gold Star award in District 4, according to Miss Lida Cooper, of Dallas, district extension service agent.

District 4 comprises Hill, Johnson, Ellis, Somervell, Hood, Kaufman, Dallas, Collin, Grayson, Cooke, Denton and Tarrant counties.

From the garden, Nita Lou harvested 200 pounds of vegetable. She conserved 100 quarts of products for home consumption and shared the remainder with neighbors.

Nita Lou made new curtains for her bedroom, varnished a table and made five scarfs. She also refinished the floor and made improvements in clothes closets. During the year Nita Lou made two aprons, six blouses, seven skirts, five pair of play shorts, and a felt purse for her own use. The cost estimated at half the value placed on the articles when purchased.

Predicts An All Time High In Pipeline Building

DALLAS, Tex. (UP)

The magazine "Petroleum Engineer" predicts that 1947 will see an all time high in pipe line construction and expansion and says that most of the development will be in Texas.

Throughout the United States, nearly 20,000 miles of oil and gas lines are either in the planning or construction stages, the magazine says. It estimates the costs at between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000.

The Federal Power Commission has authorized pipe lines including 3,953 miles of crude oil lines proposed or being built, 1,968 miles of oil products lines and 1,779 miles of natural gas lines. The commission has before it applications for another 9,807 miles of natural gas lines.

In capital investment the petroleum industry ranks below only agriculture, railroads, and public utilities.

It is taking a heavy toll of dairy herds in South Texas. He said one large Harris County dairy sacrificed almost 100 cows through infection during the past year.

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their church building on Main street.

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