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South Turns Fire On Civil Proposals

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

Joe Don Meroney, here for a day last week before going to Austin to enter the University of Texas, had some interesting stories to tell his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meroney.

Joe Don has been with the Merchant Marine, serving as a chief purser. He was aboard the James Monroe docked in a French port when the maritime strike took place there and the ship was held up several weeks in port.

They left French waters in time to make it home for Christmas, but 1,200 miles out from Newport, the ship lost its propeller and there they were dead still in the Atlantic. They radioed for help and a ship was sent to tow them. In battling a very rough sea, a night and day fight was kept up with a constantly breaking tow line. Result was the James Monroe was at sea 32 days instead of the nine days normally required for the trip.

H. P. (Pop) Earnest taking a lot of kidding Tuesday night about always bringing his sack of popcorn to the Chamber of Commerce directors' meeting, had a ready answer for the kidding. He said that he earned his first money growing popcorn in Kansas and he's had a fondness for it ever since.

This brought out a yarn or two from Dr. G. C. Boswell. Dr. Boswell says he earned his first spending money selling apples in Tennessee.

Dr. Boswell also told this one. Years ago when gentlemen wore very stiff collars, that had to be laundry done, his collars always came back with a peculiarly designed initial, GCB, and today a copy of the stamped initial is his estate brand.

Jo Oyer in a delightful review of Fannie Loeb's book, Sweet and Sour, Tuesday afternoon at the Columbia Study Club's book shower and tea, stated that Mrs. Loeb said that she knew none of the literary critics of newspapers nor none of the radio commentators that could give her a plug on her book to help put it over.

It would just have to depend on its own merits, she said. But we might suggest to Mrs. Loeb that a few more reviews of her book by Miss Oyer would swell her royalties, we believe.

If size and weight have anything to do with it Bobby Cross of Kilgore, formerly of Ranger, who is carrying the banner for Kilgore in the Tyler Golden Gloves tournament, sure ought to win.

Having known Bobby since he was a kid, we gaped unbelievably not long ago when we were confronted with an over six-footer that must weigh over 200 pounds and realized it was Bobby. It also brought to mind when Bobby played on our daughter's neighborhood football team.

Ranger men making good time in roping contest

Ranger men taking part in the contest at the Fort Worth rodeo in connection with the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show are getting some attention with the time they are marking in the calf roping contest.

The record low time so far is 17 seconds and Phelton Herrington roped and tied his calf in 25 seconds. Dick roped and tied his in 20 seconds but was given a 10 seconds penalty for overstepping the barrier.

Both men will rope again later in the week.

Dim Your Lights and Save a Life!

The Jaycees Say, Darkness and fatigue are the allies of accidents. THE JAYCEES urge you to "DIM YOUR LIGHTS AND SAVE A LIFE!"



Patrolman Walter Fowler accompanies fuel truck driver, John Murphy, as he makes oil deliveries in New York. More than 900 policemen escorted trucks which delivered more than 3,500,000 gallons of the city's dwindling fuel oil supply under an emergency homes-first priority list. (NEA Telephoto).

Cisco Man Held On Assault To Murder Charge

Assault with intent to murder charges were filed in Justice of the Peace Henry Stubblefield's court at Cisco this morning against S. B. (Buster) Bells of Cisco. The charge was filed by Cisco Police W. A. Page and Ray Hatten. Bells is alleged to have cut Tivis Tomlin with a knife. Tomlin, according to the officers, was wounded twice and doctors pronounced his condition as critical. Later this morning, however, Tomlin was reported as getting along fairly well. He is in a Cisco hospital.

Bells, Justice Stubblefield told the Eastland Telegram, was placed under \$2,500 bond. Sheriff J. B. Williams said that Bells had not made bond this morning and was being held in the County jail at Eastland.

Scouters' Pow-Wow Held At Cisco Was Very Well Attended

North District Scouters' Pow-Wow was held at the Christian Church in Cisco Monday evening, February 2, with a dinner beginning at 7:30. Rev. Jasper Massee of Ranger gave the invocation.

Following the dinner, E. L. Jackson, district chairman of Cisco, welcomed the visiting Scouters and introduced Grady Pipkin, Comanche Trail Council's new president for 1948. Mr. Pipkin said he foresaw a full year for Scouting and promised his cooperation.

In a business meeting the administrative group planned activities for the North District for the coming months.

Bill Jessop and Homer Torikins, Jr., of Cisco, led the Scouters' round table discussion.

Attending were Messrs. Grady Pipkin, Bill Jessop, Homer Smith, J. P. Kilgore, Bill J. Collins, J. F. Collins, A. L. Murrell, all of Eastland; L. C. Russell, H. A. Shockey, F. B. Ellis, S. L. Kirkpatrick, Rev. Jasper Massee, all of Ranger; Messrs. S. E. Hixon, Jay Garrett, H. Y. Rogan, E. L. Jackson, Homer Tomkins, Jr., Art Clifton, E. P. Crawford, all of Cisco; Guy Quirk Scout executive of Brownwood, and Steve Potts, Field Scout executive of Eastland.

Feb. 6-13 Is Scout Anniversary Week; Program Planned

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Police Protection



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AMOUNT OF BUDGET CUT AGREED ON

WASHINGTON—The House and Senate budget makers agreed today on a \$2,500,000,000 cut in President Truman's budget.

That would leave a potential surplus of 10-billion 100-million dollars for debt and tax reduction. Because of the admittedly tentative nature of their estimates, however, the congressional spokesman shied away from concluding that their budget would leave room for the full 6 billion 500 million dollar tax reduction voted by the House.

The Senate intends to keep the tax reduction bill on ice until it gets a better line on whether the budget cut will stick.

An agreement on the proposed budget cut was reached at a meeting of the 20 man subcommittee of the House-Senate budget group. Its recommendations will be submitted to the full 102 member committee Friday.

New Cold Wave To Hit Nation

Another paralyzing cold wave moved slowly southward from northern Canada today, bringing with it what may be the most severe weather of the winter.

H. L. Jacobson, forecaster at the Chicago Weather Bureau, said the new cold wave will move into Minnesota and the Dakotas tonight. It will spread eastward as far as Indiana and Michigan by tomorrow night.

Jacobson said the weather bureau could not predict how long the new cold wave would last, but that the middlewestern states probably would remain cold at least for the rest of the week.

Early today, even before the new cold affected the nation, sub-zero temperatures were read from the Dakotas eastward to New England.

Deported Bund Leader Escapes

MUNICH—Fritz Kuhn, deported leader of the German-American Bund in the United States, escaped from the Dachau internment camp last night, according to American authorities.

Kuhn was awaiting trial before a German denazification court in Bavaria on the basis of documents that were sent to Germany from the United States.

Carillonic Bells Organ To Be Dedicated Tonite

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church the carillonic bells and Allen electric organ will be dedicated and the public is invited to attend.

At the service a bronze plaque will be installed in the church bearing the notation that the bells are given in "loving memory" of Amelia Walker and given to the church by Hall Walker, her father, and Wesley Walker, her brother.

N Y. Attorney In Justice Dept.

WASHINGTON—A prominent New York attorney has been added to the Justice Department staff to enforce the Taft-Hartley Law's ban on political activity by labor unions, it was disclosed today.

Jesse Climenko, young Harvard educated lawyer who maintains offices in New York, has been appointed special labor act assistant to Attorney General Clark. He took his oath of office last week.

Brownwood Scout Saves Boy's Life

Scout Weston Trawick, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Trawick, Brownwood, formerly of Stamford, rescued from drowning seven year old Dwayne Groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Groom, last Friday.

The two youngsters were playing near a water tank when the dog belonging to Dwayne ventured out on the thin ice that covered the tank. The boy being very fond of the dog, went to his rescue, and fell through the ice where the water was eight or nine feet deep.

Scout Trawick went to the boy, reaching him after he had gone under twice, and brought him safely to shore.

Mr. Groom says Weston Trawick is surely due an award for his quick thinking and bravery.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK Cattle 1,000. Generally steady. Slaughter steers and yearlings 22-27. Good beef cows 20-21.50. Canners and cutters 12-16. Sausage bulls 15.50-21. Stocker yearlings 20-25.50.

Calves 400. Mostly steady. Good and choice slaughterers 22-27. Common and medium 17-21. Stocker calves 20-25.

Ranger Police To Attend Three Week School

A three weeks police school opened in Eastland today and Chief W. G. Pounds of Ranger stated today that as many of the Ranger policemen will attend as often as they can and still keep police protection in Ranger.

The school is being conducted by A. & M. College cooperating with the State Board for Vocational Education.

The first week the policemen will hear discussions on their responsibilities and authority, their relations with the public, police methods and procedures and tactics.

The second week the law of evidence, case preparation, and traffic topics will be handled and the entire third week will be given over to the various phases of traffic laws and enforcement.

Ranger Youth Re-Enlists In U. S. Air Force

Billy J. Thomas, 18, son of Mrs. Myrtle Thomas of Ranger, was recently reenlisted in the US Air Force, it was announced today by 8-Sgt. James Hendrick of the Eastland Recruiting Station.

Pvt. Thomas attended Ranger High School prior to his first enlistment in the Air Forces in 1946 at the age of 17. After initial processing at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Thomas was assigned to a unit to serve in his military occupational specialty of cook. In all probability he will be assigned somewhere in the 8th Air Force or in the Air Training Command in this area.

Former Ranger Boy In Tyler Gloves Tourney

Word has been received that Bobby Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cross of Kilgore, formerly of Ranger and grandson of V. V. Cooper Sr. is representing Kilgore in the Tyler Golden Gloves Tournament.

Bobby is entered as a heavy weight for Kilgore and will compete against six other towns. Winners of the eight divisions in the Tyler tournament will enter in Fort Worth February 11-16.

The events in Tyler were to run through Thursday night. This is the eighth year that Tyler has held the tournament.

The famed Boston scrod is a mythical fish. Actually the name is applied to young cod and haddock which weigh from 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 pounds.

Grand Champion



Elmer Pelton, of Raymond, Kansas is shown with "TO's Target" the grand champion steer of the 1948 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Texas. Pelton's Hereford Steer weighed 1070. pounds. (NEA Telephoto).

SPEAKER FOR C. C. BANQUET IS SECURED

It was announced at the regular meeting of the directors of the Ranger Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night that Delbert Downing, secretary of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be the guest speaker at the annual chamber of commerce banquet here on March 23.

The Texas and Pacific Railway's male quartet will also appear on the program and Fred Wimple of Midland and highway commissioner of Texas, in reply to an invitation to the banquet stated that he will be here if at all possible.

Dr. G. C. Boswell appeared before the directors asking their support in an effort to re-consider the track at the athletic field in order that an invitation may be extended to the Texas Junior College Athletic Association to hold the spring track meet here. A committee of J. A. Bates, W. A. Lewis and J. A. Knox was named to work with Dr. Boswell on the project. The directors also voted to back the effort.

Dr. Boswell also reported on the plans of moving Ranger Junior College next fall outlining plans now under consideration.

C. C. McKeever, president, presided at the meeting, and stressed the fact that any person interested in attending the directors' meetings is perfectly free to do so and will be welcomed.

Coke R. Stevenson Speaks Tonight At Breckenridge

Former governor Coke R. Stevenson will speak at 8:00 o'clock this evening at the High School Auditorium in Breckenridge. His subject will be "Some of the Things That Are Good for this Section of West Texas."

Stevenson's appearance at Breckenridge, it is understood, is sponsored by the Breckenridge Chamber of Commerce.

A number of Eastland friends of Stevenson planned to hear him, in his Breckenridge talk.

Name Omitted From Honor Roll

Through oversight the name of Tommy Warford was omitted from the honor roll of Hodges Oak Park school which appeared in Tuesday's edition of the Times.

Tommy who is a first grade student made all A's for the last six weeks.

Ranger Takes Last Minute Lead To Win Game

Ranger Junior College came from behind in the closing minutes of a basketball game with Decatur Baptist College at Decatur Tuesday night to win by a score of 30 to 27.

Ranger, trailing 20 to 18 at intermission, was never able to get into the lead and hold it. Ranger had trouble closing the gap because of personal fouls.

Crawley of Ranger was high point man with 7 points. Frank Ford saw service for the first time in the tilt last night and added 5 points to Ranger's score.

Ranger Junior College leads the conference with 7 straight victories and no defeats. Their next game will be with Gainesville in Ranger Friday night at the Recreation building.

New Military Aid To Greece Turkey Studied

WASHINGTON—Secretary of State George C. Marshall disclosed today the State Department is considering the possibility of a new military aid program for both Greece and Turkey.

Marshall told his weekly news conference that specific proposals for a new program for Greece have been received from the American mission in Athens. They are being given full study.

The original Greek aid program was \$200,000,000—half of which was to be used for military purposes.

The original Turkish aid program was \$100,000,000, all of which was to be used for military purposes.

Says Romania Violated Treaty

WASHINGTON—The United States today charged the Communist-dominated government of Romania with violating the Romanian peace treaty and other international agreements by "all manner of chicanery and extreme physical violence."

In a sharply worded 2,300-word note, the United States said Romania has constantly "either ignored or sabotaged" all assurances given in the last three years that it would live up to the Yalta, Moscow, Potsdam and other agreements.

Copies were communicated to British and Soviet officials in Bucharest with a request for comment.

Britain has made a similar protest to Romania.

BOLT FROM DEMOCRATIC PARTY BEING CONSIDERED

ATLANTA, Ga.—Southern fire against so-called "northern interference," heretofore confined to scattered bursts, became a steady barrage today with President Truman's civil rights program the chief target.

Some Democratic party leaders in the South predicted that the Truman civil rights message would provide the spark necessary to inflame open revolt in the traditionally "Solid South" against the national Democratic party.

Gov. Laney of Arkansas was among the first to say he might go along with a "Disic convention" to choose a Southern presidential candidate to block the election of either the Republican or Democratic nominee.

Former Gov. Chauncey Sparks of Alabama protested Mr. Truman's message in a telegram to the president in which he charged that the chief executive had shifted his views on the poll tax and other racial questions since the 1944 Democratic convention.

Alabama state Democratic committee chairman, Gessner T. McCorvey declared the civil rights program had cost Mr. Truman "much prestige and much esteem formerly held for him by the southern people."

Chairman Herbert Holmes of the Mississippi executive committee approved the suggestion that southerners hold a separate Democratic convention. And Mississippi Gov. Wright indicated in Jackson that he would urge other southern governors to unite in action against the President's racial proposals.

Alabama's Gov. James E. Folsom has already denounced Mr. Truman's policies and declared himself a "favorite son" candidate for the presidency this year.

Whistling In Dark WASHINGTON—The Democratic high command today confidently whistled itself out of a fearful nightmare that southerners would secede from the party because President Truman proposed civil rights legislation to outlaw racial discrimination.

All hands are aware that the poll tax, anti-lynching and employment proposals submitted to Congress by Mr. Truman have less than a faint glimmer of life expectancy. Any one of them probably could be passed by the House. But determined southern Senators would filibuster them to extinction.

Two southern members of Congress yesterday proposed that Democratic governors of the solid south lead a political rebellion against the Truman administration.

Shortly thereafter Sen. J. Howard McGrath of Rhode Island, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, pledged the party's support to Mr. Truman's civil rights program. They discussed the situation in a Troy, N. Y., press conference.

"Whether it gets full support or not," said McGrath, "does not halt the Democratic party from playing its traditional role as the champion of human rights."

AFL PILOTS STRIKE MIAMI, Fla. (UP)—A strike of 145 AFL airline pilots grounded all 22 planes of National Airlines today. The pilots charged the aircraft were not maintained with proper regard to safety.

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The Weather

Mostly cloudy, slightly warmer. Temperature at 1:00 p.m. 60s. Maximum 69. Minimum 49. Hour's Reading 58. Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today. Maximum 67. Minimum 41.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—President Truman's second annual Economic Report seems headed for the same congressional oblivion and which his first report was buried a year ago. The reason is simple. The President again asks for the seven anti-inflationary powers which the special session of Congress refused to grant him last month. They include the power to limit credit, fix prices and ration scarce commodities.



In Congress, the President's Economic Report is referred to a Joint Senate-House Committee, whose chairman is Senator and GOP presidential candidate Robert A. Taft of Ohio. The so-called "full" Employment Act of 1946, which created this committee, says that it shall consider the President's Economic Report, then by Feb. 1 give Congress a report of its own on what ought to be done about the President's recommendations.

Last year, Chairman Taft used the alibi that in all the necessary confusion of getting the new Republican-controlled House and Senate organized under the Congressional Reorganization Act, there wasn't time to set up a staff to study the President's Economic Report by Feb. 1.

Now the Joint Committee has a staff and is organized to do things if it wants to. But Taft has already stated that in granting the President three out of the 10 anti-inflationary powers he requested, the Congress has already given the administration all the controls it needs to put out the inflationary fires.

ALL these economic reports, including the mid-year reports and the special reports from the Council of Economic Advisers—are soon to be published in book form.

Much of their language is the technical jargon which economists throw at each other, but they do contain abundant material on family income, the cost of living and such everyday matters as can be understood by the average citizen.

The President's newest report, for instance, makes a good inventory on where the average man is now, and which way he's headed.

It is revealed, for instance, that average per capita income at the end of 1947 was at the rate of \$1264 a year. This is \$190, or 18 per cent a year, more than it was two years ago, shortly after the end of the war. As such, it is all to the good.

The trouble is that the cost of living has been advancing faster than per capita income has been rising.

It is this more rapid increase in the cost of living than in per capita income that provides the basis for "third round" wage increases now being demanded by some labor unions.

IN terms of purchasing power, however, the President's report says wage earners may not be as well off as they appear to be. The rapid rise in prices caused the purchasing power of the consumer's dollar to decline by nearly eight per cent, says the report.

As a result of this difference between income and outgo, the President's report finds that consumers, in the lower income brackets, have been doing three things. They have been reducing the amount of money they saved. They have been spending what savings they accumulated in wartime or received as veterans' benefits. They have been going into debt by buying more goods on the installment plan.

The report says that surveys at the end of 1947 showed half the families, with incomes under \$2000 a year, now have no savings.

On the other hand, total installment credit has gone up 50 per cent in the past year, charge accounts are up 11 per cent, other consumer borrowing up 12 per cent.

All these factors combined indicate the line of argument labor unions may be expected to follow in trying to justify their third round wage increase demands for a minimum of eight to 10 per cent, or 12 cents an hour.

The only alternative is to put into effect anti-inflationary measures which would bring down the cost of living by this amount.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

CLEVELAND—(NEA)—There may be territorial rights for "frank" ebies in organized baseball, but there are no limitations in the rubber chicken circuit. So reasons Bill Vecek.

The youthful president of the Indians sets an example for all baseball drumming up customers as well as playing talent during the off-season.

Except for a conflict in dates, Vecek never rejects an invitation to speak at a dinner or gathering, regardless of whether it's a luncheon club, a stag party or a meeting of the Ladies Aid Society. His motto is: "There are 20,000. No turnout too small, no crowd too large." He sometimes makes two and three appearances in an evening.

VEECK was invited to be one of the speakers when a group of Columbus sportsmen planned to honor retiring groundskeeper Tony Aquila of Ohio State.

Realizing that the Indian chief was somewhat handicapped by the loss of a leg, amputated as the result of injuries incurred with the recoil of a gun while he was fighting with the Marines in the South Pacific, the committee offered to send an automobile to pick him up in Cleveland and return him there.

Vecek would have none of that. He drove to Columbus himself, not only refusing all expense money, but donating to the banquet fund.

Concluding, Vecek, in a soft and kindly manner, invited all his listeners to Cleveland to see the Tribe perform. He even suggested a special train. Of course, there would be the usual pause at the box office, but there would be no increase in prices for the gang from Columbus.

After the dinner, Vecek was encountered by president Frank

Lane of the American Association, who heard the Cleveland hustler issue his invitation.

"Why, Bill," said Lane, "we have an American Association club right here in Columbus."

"Yeah," countered Vecek, "but I thought they might want to see how the game really should be played."

The enterprising Vecek estimates that 75,000 persons will hear him during the off-season.

"And they're all prospective customers," he beams.

Baseball doesn't have enough of this. Branch Rickey of the Brooklyn is the only other major league official who gives sales talks to the public.

Missionary work has been grossly neglected by organized baseball.

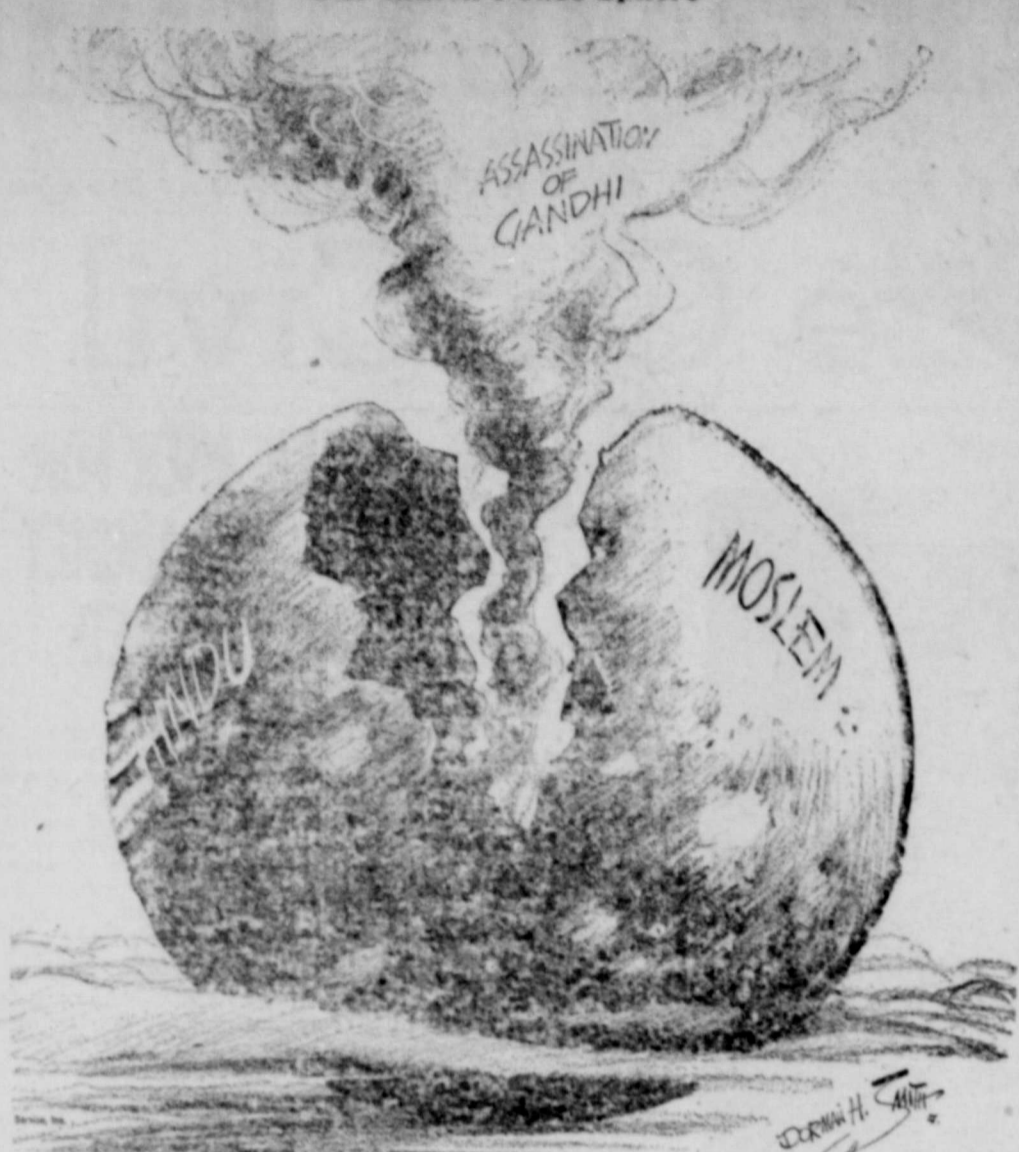
Outside of the American League side in St. Louis, everything has been hunky dory in more recent years, with the paying guests practically breaking down the doors for most anything listed as amusement.

But certain to come again is a time when baseball will require super salesmanship, and it might be well to break in a few of the boys now.

With its huge parks and what-not, professional baseball has been taken too far away from those who make it possible.

The fans like baseball in their laps. It is there they have those who speak of it in entertaining and flowery tones.

The Indian Peace Sphere



NEWS FROM STAFF ROUTE NO. 2
Mrs. M. O. Hazard, Cor.

STAFF, Feb. 2 — The people of this community were kept busy feeding stock and keeping fires burning most of the time during the past ten days.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Artist, Horizontal, and Vertical.

Alford Fox has been sick with colds and the flu. There have also been a number of others in the community ill with flu and colds.

Cecil Nelson and M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Eastland Monday.

Cecil Nelson was a Ranger business visitor Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Foreman of Ranger were guests in the home of Mr. Foreman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited in Eastland Friday afternoon with their son, Maurice and family, and with Mr. Hazard's sister, Mrs. Pearl Bourland.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alford and young son, Norman Lee, were guests Friday of Mrs. Alford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barber, in Eastland.

M. O. Hazard was transacting business in Ranger Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Little was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Winston Roles and Mr. Roles, Saturday in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pope visited Saturday in Eastland in the home of Mrs. Pope's aunt, Mrs. Mollie Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Little have bought the store building and filling station at Staff from Jesse E. Putnam of Carbon and will put in a stock of groceries in the near future and operate the station also.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard visited in the home of their son, B. H. Hazard in the Morton Valley community Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Paul Stephens of Hardin Baptist church at the Sunday evening service here Sunday.

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Office Nurse By Adelaide Humphries



There had been a scene that morning which had disrupted the ordered calm of Dr. Holbrook's offices. It was, perhaps, unfortunate that one of Dr. Holbrook's most long-standing and promptly paying clients had caused it.

"It's time we dismissed her," Janice said to Miss Willows. Dr. Holbrook's secretary. At least, Miss Willows was one of the doctor's secretaries; he had two. He also had two nurses.

It was just after lunch hour that this conversation was taking place. The four young women—Miss Willows, of course, could not properly be called young, although she strove desperately to appear so—were all engaged in it.

"Dismiss anyone as important and rich as Mrs. Stoval? That would be unheard of. Imagine the stew she would stir up over that!" exclaimed Betty Jane Cox.

"Yes, I doubt if it would be wise to go quite that far. Think of all the patients who come to Dr. Holbrook through Mrs. Stoval. I doubt, Jan, if even you can get away with that."

"Oh, no?" Janice raised her dark eyebrows, then drew them together in a determined line. "Well, that's what I intend to get away with," she declared.

"Mrs. Stoval cannot come into this office and raise merry H because she is kept waiting 20 minutes. She has to wait her turn the same as anyone else. Besides, it was only 17 minutes—17 times it—and she insisted it was a full half-hour. And she yelled at me as though I were so much dirt under her feet."

"No doubt she thinks you are darling," said Mrs. McElae, the other secretary. "When you have that much money, and your name is in the social register, you are likely to consider anyone who stays in an office from 9 till 5 as so much dirt."

"Well, we'll see," Janice said, with an automatic little smile. She slipped down from the edge of Miss Willows' desk where she had been perched. Her quick ear had caught the sound of the door that led to the inside passage to the front office, a door no one used except Dr. Holbrook and herself.

"In fact," Janice added with a little smile, "we'll see about it right now." She gave Miss Willows and Mrs. McElae another significant glance, and walked out.

BETTY JANE'S pretty mouth hung open; her wide blue eyes were incredulous. She gave a small gasping sound.

"You don't actually mean she'll try to get Dr. Holbrook not to allow Mrs. Stoval to come here ever again? One—she couldn't do that, could she?"

"Suppose we wait and see," Mrs. McElae said with a shrug of plump shoulders.

Mrs. McElae was nice. She was Irish and inclined to be jolly, only she had a husband who, Betty Jane had learned, was no good, and a little girl whom she fairly idolized and over whom she never ceased worrying, because the child

simmons University, Abilene, filled his appointment at the Baptist church here Sunday morning and evening. A good crowd was in attendance at both services.

Rev. Stephens, accompanied by Miss Jane Fields of Abilene and Jack Robinson of New Mexico, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crawley.

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Gandhi's Granddaughters Mourn Him



The body of Mohandas K. Gandhi lies in state in Birla House, New Delhi, India. His granddaughters, Avani and Mani (both wearing glasses), watch over him. (NEA Radio Telephoto).

Thieves Taking To Planes To Loot Oil Fields

Thieves are now using aerial reconnaissance methods to locate their prey in Texas oil fields.

John W. Kelly, chief investigator for the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, this week warned Texas oil men that

oil field supply thieves are stepping up their activity to take advantage of the current steel shortage and scarcity of materials.

In a recent case it was reported that tools and supplies were spotted in flights over the oil fields and confederates were tipped off on the location of the equipment. Using trucks, the thieves hauled the heavy equipment off to junk yards where 'fences' disposed of the stolen property.

Kelley praised recent action by the Wichita County grand jury which asked peace officers to be on guard against the current increase in theft of oil field equipment.

The jury report also warned that persons selling pipe and supplies at low prices would be suspected of handling stolen property. The grand jury cited the Texas law which provides that any dealer in used oil field equipment must have ample records, bills of sale and information as to place of purchase of all second-hand oil field supplies he handles.

Kelley's Association serves as a clearing house for theft reports involving stolen oil field equipment. He said operators make a prompt report of missing supplies.

When Snow Really Comes Seattle Gets Its Share

SEATTLE (UP) — Weather bureau records which go back only 55 years reveal that January is the heaviest snow month for Seattle.

The record snowfall here came in late January and early February of 1880, when the snow in downtown Seattle measured four and a half feet.

The 55 years saw an average of 11.3 inches of snow a winter. Six winters during the period showed no appreciable amount of snow.

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Zeller's Spot Victory, English bulldog owned by Jerry Parker of Overland, Mo., admires his canine beauty in a mirror just before facing the judges at the St. L. Breeders Association show.

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WORCHESTER, Mass (UP) — A man with one leg is a full-time member of the Worcester fire department.

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PALESTINE DIVISION HOLDS THREAT OF ECONOMIC RUIN

By James L. Roper
United Press Staff Correspondent
LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. (UP)
—The partition of Palestine into Jewish and Arab states probably will cause an economic as well as military crisis in the Holy Land.
The United Nations, during months of hectic debate on Palestine's future, gave little attention to economic problems, but officials are growing increasingly concerned as the hour for partition approaches.

Great Britain plans to give up control of Palestine about May 15, and have all of its troops out of the area by Aug. 1.

That will end the heavy British expenditure which began when Britain took over Palestine under a League of Nations mandate after World War I. British money has flowed steadily into Palestine without a correspondent outflow of Palestine goods.

A UN commission which studied the Palestine problem last summer estimated that British military expenditures there during the peace-time year of 1946 totaled \$94,000,000—or 20 per cent of the national income of Palestine, which is no larger than Maryland.

The loss of the British money, UN officials believe, will be a severe blow to Palestine's economy. In addition, Palestine has a distressingly unfavorable balance of trade, and is plagued by fears that world conditions may lessen the demand for Palestine goods and cause unemployment in the Holy Land.

The situation may be complicated by temporary economic dislocation caused by the partition, especially if fighting spreads. The Jewish area of partitioned Palestine will be surrounded by Arab states, and might suffer heavily if Arabs pressed a boycott against Palestine goods such as citrus fruit and light manufactured goods which Jews hope to export.

Jews expect that the above adverse factors will be offset partly by increased production and a boom in tourist trade when peaceful conditions return. Christians and Moslems all make pilgrimages to Palestine sites which they consider holy.

In the meantime, the new Jewish state must lean on gifts from world Jewry. Such gifts, plus capital owned by Jewish immigrants, long have been a major factor in Palestine's economy. With the Jewish state facing new troubles, the world Jews are conducting the greatest privately-run collection campaign in history.

The United Jewish Appeal is seeking \$250,000,000 this year. Most of it would come from American Jews. Much of it would go to finance Jewish immigration to the new Jewish state and make sure that it lives. That will not be a small task.

The Arab section of partitioned Palestine also faces difficulties. While Palestine as a whole has not been a rich country, the richest sectors will go to the Jews under the partition scheme. To offset that, the UN partition plan provides for a common taxation system that, in effect, will have the Jewish state paying for part of the upkeep of the Arab state.

The Arabs also will be less dependent upon world conditions because they produce mostly for themselves and are content with a lower standard of living.

The economically weak Arab state, however, will face the political hazard of being absorbed by the Jewish state, or by the neighboring Arab countries of Transjordan and Syria.

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Last Glimpse Of Leader



At the insistence of his multitude of followers, the body of Gandhi is propped up in chair (arrow) on floodlighted balcony of Birla House in New Delhi, India, where Hindus had their last look at their spiritual leader following his assassination. At left of Gandhi with arms folded is Indian Premier Nehru. (NEA Telephoto).

Co-Eds Overthrow Reign Of Males At Perdue U.

LAFAYETTE, Ind. (UP) — Purdue University, long a stronghold of rugged masculinity in Indiana, has succumbed to an invasion by feminine students.
Even the pool room of the Memorial Union Hall has become a hangout for co-eds, and an announcement said a woman's tournament would be held in the Billiard Room during February.

The feminine enrollment has risen from 649 to 2,077 in the last 15 years. The co-eds are enrolled in almost every division of the

university—from civil and mechanical to chemical and aeronautical engineering.



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Coach George Sauer, center, "Miracle Man" of Kansas university football, poses for first pictures after he announced in Lawrence, Kansas, that he had accepted the position of head coach of the U. S. Naval Academy...

In various branches of the oil industry in Britain early next year. Six of them are Baghdad Technical College students who will undergo training in engineering workshops in Britain.

Turkey Starts Refining - ISTANBUL (UP)—The Turkish petroleum office disclosed that the first gasoline refinery in the country has been quietly operating for several weeks refining Turkish oil.

Crude oil for the refinery—which is actually little more than a spot plant—comes from Haman Degli, about 4,200 feet deep.

Seven expensive holes were drilled through several hard strata of rocks and to a depth which requires the best drilling equipment.

Officials told United Press that the deposit tapped is not rich but geologists believe a richer deposit is nearby.

Curfew for Teen-Agers Urged on Broadway - NEW YORK (UP)—City Councilman S. Samuel Di Falco introduced a resolution calling for

Taft vs. Taft



Testifying before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the Marshall Plan, Charles P. Taft, Cincinnati, O., attorney, lashed out at Senate Republicans, including his older brother, Sen. Robert A. Taft, who seek to divorce the Marshall Plan from State Department control and cut foreign spending.

Di Falco, dubious of the plea of the teen-agers that they were "autograph hunting," said the purpose of the resolution was to protect the young against "sommeliering with persons of uncertain reputation... who may be injurious to their morals and their health."

The resolution was referred to the committee on city affairs.

MURDER AT MY HOUSE

By Rene Rycerson Mart

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IT didn't need Madge's startled "Mother!" to complete the picture. It was there for all to see as the revealing lights beat down on them—the same honey brown hair, the same light golden eyes, the same incredibly fine white skin of mother and daughter.

"No, I wouldn't want you to use a dead woman's lipstick..." Ravello was saying hoarsely.

"There were still a couple of puzzling points about the crime when we gathered in Bob Leiphon's office at headquarters and talked it over.

"I DON'T know how long Ravello had been carrying that capsule of poison with her. Maybe from the beginning for she must have known that the poisoned lipstick was a menace to her.

"MOTHER made up her mind then that I should have the chance she had missed. She spent her life and all the money she made preparing me to be a star. She even kept our relationship secret at the studio, because she didn't think it would help my chances to be known as the daughter of the head of the make-up department.

"When I told Mother that Mr. Haverson was going to take the part of the secretary away from me and have me play a double role for Avis—she acted like a crazy woman. She said it would not happen to me, the same thing that had happened to her. She said she would not let it happen!"

Madge looked blindly in my direction. "That was why I came to see you, Miss Donn. I—I thought Mother must have been there, too, that evening. I thought she must have done something to have caused what happened. It was too obvious, Avis dying immediately like that..."

"There was enough atropin sulfate in that lipstick to have killed half a dozen people," Bob Leiphon said.

"It was Jeff, of course, who persuaded Madge that she should go on as the star of my picture, regardless of what had happened. It was even her duty to go on, Jeff insisted, since her mother had literally given her own life to give Madge this chance.

"And that's the end of that," Bob Leiphon remarked when the others had left us alone.

THE END

IRAQ AWAITING BOOM AS BIG POWERS DEMAND OIL

By Jack Saul

United Press Staff Correspondent BASHRAH, Iraq (UP)—This port city of Iraq seems due to change beyond recognition within the next five years.

Basrah is many years behind Baghdad in terms of progress. Its chief activity has been dates in summer and shipping most of the year.

Oh, it is about to change all that. The great powers are interested and Basrah may flourish as no

empty stretches dotted with rush-wood and mud habitations, linking the port's "garden city" of Margi with tumbledown Asher and deserted Basrah city, will emerge as a built-up area with modern homes, business premises and hotels.

Oil also will bring prosperity to the picturesque native population of workers.

How important Basrah is destined to figure as an oil center is indicated by the fact that representatives of three well-known United States firms of oil equipment visited the place within the last month.

The Basrah Petroleum Co. Ltd. is awaiting equipment to begin drilling early next year at N.J.R. Umar, 17 miles north of Basrah, and in Zubair, below the R. A. Y. base at Shaibah, some 15 miles south of Basrah. A third rig will be put up in the Zubair region.

Under the terms of their concession with the Iraq government the British Petroleum Corp. must begin drilling at the rate of 12,000 feet annually in 1948.

Oil operations by British and American petroleum companies in Kuwait and other Persian Gulf emirates are all very hush-hush at the moment.

The government here has embarked upon a sizable scheme for the training of Iraqis in oil technology to prepare them for the country's top industry.

In Baghdad, Dr. Nadim al-Pachachi, director general of the ministry of economics, said 13 young Iraqis will begin training

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SOCIETY

Shower Nets 156 Books For Library

The Community Library was richer by 156 books Tuesday afternoon as a result of the book shower and tea given at the Community Club House at 3 o'clock. Guests attending contributed the books which were piled high on a table at the entrance. Mrs. James P. Morris, president of the club presided at a program and presented Miss Jo Oyster who gave a review of Fannie Loeb's book, Sweet ad Sour.

Following the review tea was served from a table laid with a lace cloth and lighted by yellow candles in crystal candelabra. An arrangement of daffodils, blue iris and acacia in a large silver bowl was at one side of the table and at each end were the silver tea and coffee services. Mrs. L. B. Pearson, a charter member of the club, and Mrs. David D. Pickrell, secretary, presided at the services. Ivy and yellow candles in silver candelabra were used on the piano.

DORCAS CLASS TO MEET THURSDAY

The Dorcas Class of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. Hugh Dawley, Elm St., Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock for its monthly business meeting and social. All members are urged to attend.

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Announcing The Association Of Dr. W. P. Watkins with the RANGER CLINIC In the practice of Medicine and Surgery

Famous Women Are Studied By Club

The 1947 Club met in regular session Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Community Club House. The president, Mrs. Earle Pittman, presided over the meeting and minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Willis Clarke, Jr. "Famous Women" was the subject of the program directed by Miss Celia Mae Deaton. Miss Deaton told something of the life of Charlotte Bronte. Mrs. James Townsend discussed Elizabeth Barrett Browning, and Mrs. B. B. Thomas, Jr., talked on Madame De Sevigne and Lady Mary Wortley Montague.

Personals

Mrs. George L. Davenport of Eastland was in Ranger today visiting her sister, Mrs. John M. Gholson.

Lt. and Mrs. A. N. Daskevich are parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, February 3, at the West Texas Hospital. The baby has been named Linda Louise. Mrs. Daskevich was Miss Marie Gallagher before her marriage.

FFC Charles C. Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cross of Kilgore, formerly of Ranger and grandson of V. V. Cooper Sr. of Ranger, is now stationed with Army at Arlington, Va.

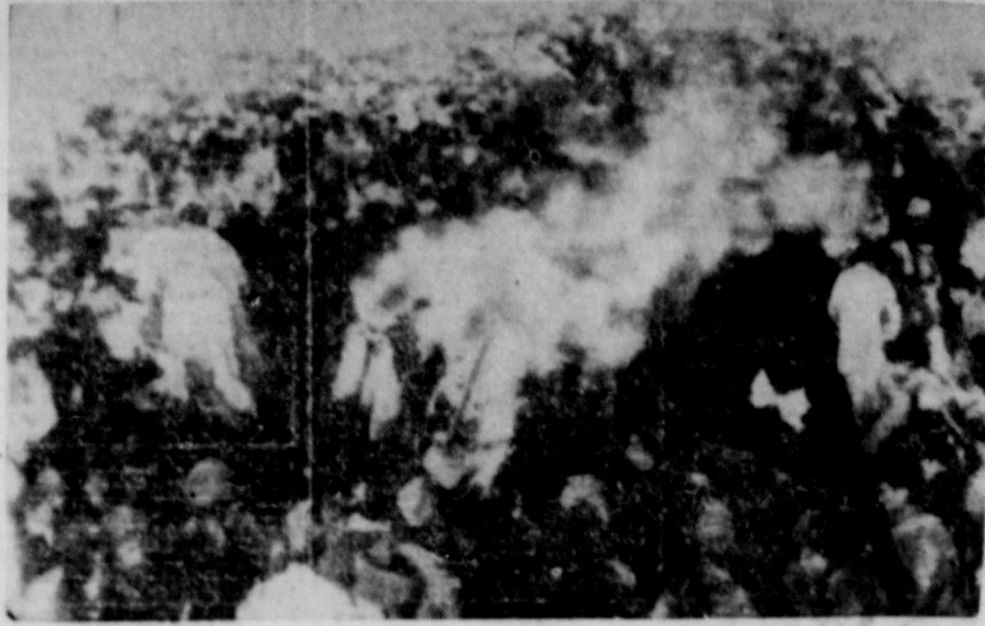
Rev. J. A. Lovell and George C. Lovell, both of Fort Worth and their sister, Mrs. B. R. Lawrence of Tulsa, Oklahoma, were the guests Tuesday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lovell.

Mrs. W. C. Gorman has returned to her home at Chapel Hill after visiting relatives here. She was accompanied home by her daughter.

GOOD NEWS

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Thousands Mourn Gandhi



Thousands of mourners gather around the flaming funeral pyre of Mohandas K. Gandhi, during the Hindu cremation. The cremation took place on the banks of holy Jumna River near New Delhi, India. (NEA Radio-Telephoto).

Invitation To Cisco Dance Given

An invitation has been extended by March of Dimes workers of Cisco, to a dance which will be given Saturday night at the Cisco Country Club. Proceeds from the dance will go to the March of Dimes fund. Music will be furnished by Leonard King and his orchestra of Brownwood.

Admission will be \$2.00 per couple or \$1.50 for stags. Dancing will begin about 9 o'clock and last through 12:30.

READ CLASSIFIEDS DAILY

Publication Of "Heartsease" Is Being Resumed

Publication of Miss Elsie Glenn's column, "Heartsease", carried in this newspaper for some time and discontinued at her request, is being resumed as of Wednesday, February 4.

Heartsease had a large list of readers, who, since its discontinuance, have clamored for its reappearance. Letters asking for this newspaper from as far away as Los Angeles. Also Miss Glenn has personally received a long list of similar requests.

Publication Of "Heartsease" Is Being Resumed

During the past three weeks, I have met many of you in person and those I have not met, some of you I have had letters from. All such kindnesses have left a warm feeling within my heart. Many of you have requested repeats of some of the articles already run. When and if you want something re-run (some of you are keeping scrapbooks) drop me a card or if you have anything in particular on your mind you would like for me to write about . . . drop me a card. I'll be seeing you . . . And thanks again . . . for listening.

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