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House Asked To Kill Peacetime Draft

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

A lot of people in Ranger are taking to the highways and byways, seeking the cooler spots and interesting things to see.

We're beginning to get cards from the vacationists and among those received to date is one from Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Boswell.

It's addressed "Ranger Daily Times, c/o editor, bus mgr., all carriers, shop men, etc." Don't know who the "etc." is unless it's the society editor, bookkeeper and advertising leg man, since there's the only ones not actually mentioned.

The Boswells are in Tennessee but the card was written from the tobacco country in Kentucky. Says they're having a delightful trip and something about 18 minutes from Ranger to Hot Springs. We're sure he didn't mean it took them no longer than that to arrive at Hot Springs, but seem' as how we remember Dr. Boswell swishing around corners in Ranger, it could be.

Anyway, we're glad they're having such a nice trip.

Now we got it. It took Dr. Boswell 7 hours and 18 minutes from Ranger to Hot Springs.

Talk about order out of chaos! Yesterday afternoon we were by the Reliable Geophysical Company's offices at the city hall. They were just moving in and things were stacked, packed and jammed all over the two offices.

Early this morning we were by there again, and the place was all set up and ready to go. Must have worked all night, or a good part of it.

People that know tell us that the wheat crop around Ranger is proving a big surprise in the face of the lack of moisture during the past months.

Not only is the yield much better than anticipated but the grade is very good. Wheat is bringing about \$2.00 per bushel and most of the wheat farmers are holding on to their crops.

It is estimated that about three fourths of the wheat crop has been harvested.

One grain dealer stated that there's hardly any oats at all being brought in.

And it hasn't been any time since the blues singers were predicting that the wheat crop would be a complete failure.

Like we said yesterday, there're a lot of new people coming to Ranger and as you recall Ranger's slogan is "No Stranger In Ranger."

It's up to you as an individual to see that that slogan holds true. Look these people up, get acquainted with them and make them feel that you're glad they're here. Ranger has a lot to offer new residents but you can help them appreciate this fact by acquainting them with the town.

Hudson Grants UAW 13-Cent Hourly Increase

DETROIT, June 15, (UP)—Hudson Motor Car Company and the CIO United Auto Workers today reached a third-round wage agreement granting 17,000 Hudson employees a flat 13-cent hourly pay boost in a two-year contract.

Announcement of the agreement came as the Ford Motor Company and the UAW opened negotiations to bring wage agreement to the last of the "big three" auto makers still to settle with the union.

Hudson officials and representatives of UAW local 154 reached agreement after an all-night bargaining session.

The agreement provides extension of the contract to Aug. 1, 1950 but allows one reopening on the wage issue by either party after June 15 of next year. The 13-cent general increase is retroactive to June 7, depending on rank-and-file ratification.

For The Last Time



Babe Ruth, one of the greatest of baseball greats, takes off his uniform, No. 3, for the last time in New York, as it is now retired, following Yankee Stadium's silver anniversary ceremonies. The uniform will be kept at Cooperstown Hall of Fame and Ruth's locker will be sealed. — (NEA Telephoto).

Bowling Alley Reopened Under New Management

Ranger's bowling alley that has had its doors closed for sometime opened again for business today and will be open six days a week from 1:00 P. M. to 11:30 P. M. It will not be open on Sundays.

The alleys will be managed by Sylvester (Pop) Marshbanks, veteran bowling alley manager and operator is William O. Breedlove, a young Brownwood attorney. Breedlove also operates alleys in Brownwood.

The alleys have been cleaned and refinished and new cooling equipment is being installed.

Hog producers are being asked by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to increase pig production this fall by at least 10 per cent.

Two Wells, Good For Approximately 1,000 Bbls. Each In Near Eastland

Two wells, each good for approximately 1,000 barrels a day, have been completed to the northwest of Eastland.

A thousand-barrel gusher, even during the days of the great oil rush of many years ago, was big enough to attract attention—and the Eastland district, with its recent revival of oil activities, has witnessed the coming in of two wells of this magnitude.

They are on the Raymond, in Stephens County, a short distance over the Eastland County line and are owned by the Sorrells Oil Company.

The company has a lease of 120 acres and is drilling another well.

There are several features in connection with these wells which give solid basis for the belief that is being more widely expressed all the time to the effect that the Eastland sector is in for a big come-back.

One of these features is of course the actual performance of the wells themselves—the first one gauged 41 barrels an hour and the second one 36 barrels an hour, which figures out at the rate of 984 barrels and 864 barrels a day, respectively. Of course, because of proration the output is restricted but this simply means that the life of the wells will be just that much longer and quite likely they will be producing for years after they would

Two From Ranger In ACC Summer Session Classes

Ablene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, opening the first semester of its 1948 summer school June 8, has enrolled 591 students from 26 states, the District of Columbia, South Africa, Australia, Mexico and India. The second summer semester will open July 20.

Included among the students in Abilene Christian College are two students from Ranger. They are Morris B. George, son of Mr. Edwin George, 31 North Marston, a senior student majoring in general business; and Mrs. Bailey Woods, route 1, a senior student.

Among ancient books in the University of Oklahoma library's "Treasure Room" is the 1483-printed "Speculations and Confessions" of John of Westphalia.

Rotarians To Hear Of New In Communications

C. A. Dueschle, Southwestern Bell Telephone manager, will present the program at the meeting of the Rotary Club Wednesday at noon at the Gholson hotel.

He will introduce George Brown of the information department of the Company with headquarters in Dallas who will present the program "Hiwaves of Communication."

Mr. Brown will give an illustrated lecture on the latest improvements in communication, including such innovations as the mobile telephone; Coaxial cable transmission, which has to do with carrying on as many as 600 conversations on the same wire at the same time; television; overseas and ship to shore communication; war developed radar; automatic range finders; hitchhiking conversations on light wires, and nationwide toll dialing.

The program will last only 30 minutes.

It was announced today that members of the Lions Club have been invited to attend the meeting. Through the Lions will attend this meeting they will not dispense with the Thursday meeting as that is the date for the annual elections of officers.

Newcomers May Secure Concert Memberships

Officials of the Eastland County Community Concert Association announced today that memberships in the association are available for newcomers to the county and the memberships may be secured by contacting any of the membership chairmen in Eastland, Ranger or Cisco.

Due to the fact that there are so many new people coming into the county, the reminder is made that memberships are available to newcomers even after the campaign for memberships has closed.

Memberhip chairman in Ranger is Mrs. David D. Pickrell and in Eastland Mrs. Clyde Grissom.

Three concerts will be brought to the county next season and are The Teleschnicks, a two piano team; John Sebastian; and the Bary ensemble. Memberships to the association are \$6 each and admit holders to all concerts. The memberships are transferable and may be used in other towns where Community Concerts, Inc., book the artists.

Important Meet Of Ministerial Alliance Wed.

Rev. David C. Ham, president of the Ministerial Alliance in Ranger, announced today that a very important meeting of the ministers of Ranger will be held Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock at the office of the First Baptist Church.

Rev. Ham urges that every minister or a representative of every church in Ranger be present as there are urgent matters to come before the Alliance.

Wednesday To Be Ladies Day At Swim Pool

City officials announced today that the concrete on the floor of the men's dressing room at the Municipal Swimming Pool will not be sufficiently dry for use tomorrow and consequently will not be opened until Thursday.

The pool will be opened Wednesday but that day has been designated as ladies day and the pool will be open to women and girls.

About one-tenth of the nearly 100,000 frozen food locker plants in the country are operated by cooperative associations.

REPUBLICANS MEETING FOR CONVENTION

PHILADELPHIA June 15, (UP)—Republican politicians were pouring into this city today for the pre-convention committee meetings which must prepare for the selection of the GOP Presidential candidate.

Today's committee on arrangements was postponed until tomorrow, whereafter there will be committees gathering all over town. The Republican National Committee will meet Thursday, and so will the temporary resolutions committee to begin work on the party platform.

The resolutions committee probably will be divided in half a dozen or more groups, each assigned a policy area about which to draft a statement of Republican principle.

Advance men for the candidates are on the ground, each claiming victory for his man and ready to take a sock at President Truman.

Funeral For Mings Resident To Be Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Areta Faye Raulston of Route 1, Mings, will be conducted at the home of the deceased's father, C. C. Cole of Gordon, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Morris Funeral Home of Ranger is in charge of arrangements and interment will be in the new cemetery at Gordon. Rev. David C. Ham, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Ranger will officiate.

Mrs. Raulston died Tuesday, June 15, 1948, in the West Texas Hospital in Ranger. She was born in Gordon on April 10, 1914, and had resided in that area all of her life. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Betty Morris of Ranger; two sisters, Mrs. Levada Baker of Big Spring; one brother, C. C. Cole, Jr., of Sheridan, Texas and her father, C. C. Cole, Sr., of Gordon.

Palbearers will be Harlan Phillips of Ranger, Claud Southard of Big Spring, and John B. Harlan, Allen Ganyea, all of Gordon, Boyd Hart and W. C. Baker of Strawn.

Box Seats For Rodeo Available For '47 Holders

Members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce announced today that box seats at the rodeo arena are now available for last year's holders and may be had by contacting some of the ticket committee.

The boxes will be held for some time for those who bought them last year and if not re-purchased by last year's holders will go up for sale to the general public on or about July 1.

The rodeo will be staged on July 28-31 and the box seats are sold for all four performances.

Former Resident Dies In California

Word has been received of the death in Redwood City, California of Dorie W. Wallace, a former resident of Ranger.

Mr. Wallace, 64, died at his home in Redwood City, on June 1. He had been in ill health for several years.

He was a native of West Liberty, W. Va. and had lived in Ranger for a number of years before going to California in 1939.

He is survived by Mrs. Wallace and the following daughters and sons: Mamie Murphy, Mrs. Mattie Conour, Miss Margaret Wallace, William Wallace, George Wallace, Earnest Wallace, John Wallace, and Dorje Wallace.

Geophysical Crew Moves Into Ranger Offices

A crew of the Reliable Geophysical Company of Corpus Christi was moving into Ranger Monday and will start work immediately in this area for exploration possibilities for oil.

The crew was setting up offices in the city hall Monday afternoon while wives of crewmen sought places to live in Ranger.

There are 16 men in the crew, about a third of them married and the others single. They came into Ranger from Haskell where they have been operating.

Ferry G. Love, party chief and one of the owners of the company, stated that they are making a survey for a major oil company. In their work they use the seismograph and will test to determine location of possible oil production looking to exploration for oil.

The 16 men compose an office crew a drilling crew, and mapping crew. Mr. Love explained that in making the seismograph tests, vibrations from shots are recorded to determine the location of oil deposits.

Co-owner of the company with Mr. Love is Glenn McGuckin of Yoakum.

Personnel of the crew and their families include, Mr. and Mrs. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fees, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Soileau and John Nell, Kenneth Mack, Jerry Mack, Dennis Novak, John Coppage, George Paola, Bobbie Fomby, Paul Hotterman, Robert Crawford, and Clarence Doucet.

British Rushing Last Troops Out Of Palestine

JERUSALEM, June 15, (UP)—British officials are jamming troops into three transports in Haifa harbor in an effort to have all British troops out of Palestine within the next 10 days, reports from Haifa said today.

Three large troopships, a r e loading men in Haifa harbor simultaneously and the 20,000-ton troopship Samaria is due tomorrow to take on more, the dispatches said.

Dispatches from Cairo said Count Folke Bernadotte, special UN mediator for Palestine, arrived in Cairo from Rhodes today to confer with Arab leaders on possibilities for a permanent place in Palestine.

400 Hear Bryan Blalock Talk On Dairy Industry At Barbecue

By T. W. WADSWORTH
The barbecue given the Eastland County Dairy Association by the Eastland Chamber of Commerce last evening at the Eastland City Park, was considered a great victory by the organization in its "Marching Forward" to the final objective of making Eastland county and vicinity a successful dairying district.

L. E. McGraw, president of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced O. D. Dillingham, who in turn, introduced Bryan Blalock, the speaker of the evening.

Approximately 400 members and interested visitors were present for the excellent feed and fine program conducted thereafter.

Mr. Blalock, one of the most prominent and successful men in the dairy business in the Southwest, stressed the importance of the Milch cow as a miniature factory and how she and her fellow factories outranked the cotton and wheat business combined, the automobile industry, or all the steel industry in the United States. He further stated "the outlook for economical feed and high milk prices are better now than they have been for sometime and they are predicted to be this way for the next 8 to 10 years at least," when he finished his talk, everyone was happy to be an

Methodist Minister



New Minister Assumes Duties At Church Here

Rev. Cecil Ellis is the newly appointed pastor of the First Methodist Church. He arrived last Thursday with his wife and two young daughters, coming to Ranger from Olney, Texas, and preached at both services Sunday.

Rev. Ellis attend McMurray College at Abilene, Texas Tech. at Lubbock, and received the B. A. degree from Panhandle A&M at Goodwell, Okla., in 1936. He received the B.D. degree from the School of Religion at S. M. U. in 1939.

He served as President of the Ministerial Association at Cleburne and Olney. At the recent session of the Annual Conference of the Central Texas Conference he was elected Chairman of the Annual Conference Board of Temperance, and Secretary Treasurer of the S. M. U. Alumni Association.

He is Director of the Cisco-Weatherford Bi-District Internediate Camp which meets at Glen Lake Methodist Camp, Glen Rose, Texas, August 2-7.

Rev. Ellis states that he and his family are glad to be associated with the people of Ranger, and invites all the Methodists and people who are not attending church to worship at the Methodist Church each Lord's Day.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK

Cattle 5000. Steady to lower. Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 25-50. Good beef cows 22-24.25, sausage bulls 17-23.50, good grade stocker and feeder steers 18-28.

Calves 2000. Strong to weak. Good and choice slaughter calves 26-31.50. Stocker steer calves 28 down.

ALLEN SAYS BRASS AND BRAID ARE PUSHING IT

WASHINGTON, June 15 (UP)—Chairman Leo E. Allen of the House Rules Committee asked the House today to kill the draft. He said nobody wants it but "the brass and braid."

But even the strongest foes of the 19-through-25 peacetime conscription bill conceded that it would pass, probably tomorrow.

Allen, an Illinois Republican, opened House debate on the measure. He said the question is not one of national defense but of saving the American way of life. We all agree that America must remain strong," Allen said. "The question is, shall we build our strength the American way, or by compulsion, coercion, regimentation and control."

The draft already has been approved by Senate House opponents doubt they can muster 100 votes against in the showdown, probably tomorrow. But Allen told the House—

"I believe that after you hear the debate on this bill, a great majority of the members of this House will be convinced it is not a good bill."

Allen said demands of the generals and admirals for a peacetime draft are supported only by a few "international newspapers and by some top American Legion officials.

"The people at home don't want this draft," he said. "Neither do the schools, the churches, the farm groups, labor organizations. Neither do the millions of young men affected. If they did, they would go join the service."

Truman Hitting At Republicans Especially Taft

Enroute With President Truman June 15, (UP)—President Truman barnstormed the southwest today, sniping at the Republicans at every "whistle stop" along the way.

His latest jibe was at Sen. Robert A. Taft, R., Ohio. It was made at San Bernardino, Cal., where a large station crowd turned out to greet the President.

Mr. Truman was presented with a dozen select eggs produced in the area. He thanked his donor saying with a smile—

"At least they don't throw them at me."

"What about Taft?" a man deep in the crowd shouted. "Take 'em to Taft."

"I wouldn't throw fresh eggs at him," the President said, emphasizing the word "fresh."

It was the second pot shot he had taken at Taft during his visit to the west coast.

Senate Group Approves U. S. Loan To U. N.

WASHINGTON, June 15 (UP)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today approved a \$65,000,000 long-term U. S. loan to the United Nations for construction of permanent UN headquarters in midtown New York.

The committee action made it probable that Congress will act on the long-pending loan before adjournment. Similar legislation is pending in the House.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy. Warmer. Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today. Maximum 85 Minimum 80 Hour's Reading 76 Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today. Maximum 97 Minimum 71

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

You Can't Enjoy the Big Game Without This GOP Scoreboard

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent



WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Six characters are in search of the Republican presidential nomination at Philadelphia this month. The seventh and leading possibility, Vandenberg, says he doesn't want the job. The favorite sons—Baldwin of Connecticut, Martin of Pennsylvania, Green of Illinois and others like them—are in the race only as stalking horses or dark-horse compromises, in case of deadlock. Sheer merit will have little to do with the convention's choice. There won't be any intelligence test, high man to get the job. Compromises by the candidates themselves, deals by the bosses and mob psychology of the delegates determine the outcome.

ANALYZING the candidates separately, each shows up with certain virtues—and certain faults. Analyzing them together, comparing them on points like stallions in a horse show, to see which should get the champ's blue ribbon, reveals some interesting data:

On the basis of age, Mac is 66, Van 64, Joe 63, Bob 59, Earl 57, Tom 46 and Harold 41.

As for families, the Warrens have three boys and three girls, which they decided was the ideal size for a family before they married. The Tafts have four grown sons. Senator Vandenberg, by his first wife, has two married daughters and a bachelor son, who is his secretary. The Stassens have a boy of 12 and a girl of 6, the Deweys two boys of 12 and 13, the MacArthurs one son, Arthur, 10.

Martin's father was a blacksmith, Stassen's a farmer, Dewey's a newspaper publisher and postmaster, Vandenberg's a harnessmaker, Warren's a railroad car repairman, MacArthur's an Army officer, Taft's a lawyer. Taft is the only one born into a well-to-do family.

Stassen, Dewey, Martin and Warren were all born to poor parents and worked their way up. Warren's parents were brought to America as children by immigrant parents, his father from Norway, his mother from Sweden. Stassen's father was born in Norway and brought to America by immigrant parents. Martin's father was Scotch, his mother Irish. Dewey's grandfather was one of the founders of the Republican Party in Michigan and he is distantly related to Admiral Dewey of Manila Bay fame. Vandenberg's father was a Democrat until he was ruined by a Democratic depression.

Martin graduated from high school, Vandenberg had one year of college, MacArthur led his class at West Point. Dewey, Warren, Taft and Stassen went to college and law school. Vandenberg was editor of the Grand Rapids Herald till he came to Washington, 1928. Martin is still owner and publisher of the North Attleboro, Mass., Evening Chronicle.

BY experience, Vandenberg has been a senator 20 years, Martin a congressman 24. Dewey, Stassen and Warren were all prosecuting attorneys and governors of their states. All three made their reputations cleaning up crime and crooked politics. All made good governors.

Vandenberg and Stassen were delegates to the UN charter conference at San Francisco in 1945. Stassen served in the Pacific as a Navy captain on Admiral Halsey's staff. After the war, Stassen went to Europe and talked with Stalin. Vandenberg has been American representative at London, Paris and Rio international conferences, and at the first United Nations sessions.

General MacArthur commanded the Rainbow division in France in World War I, was U. S. chief of staff during the bonus army march on Washington in 1932, was retired in 1935 and went to the Philippines as field marshal. He hasn't been back in the U. S. since. During the war he was Allied commander in chief in the Pacific.

Reading from left to right, the candidates would probably line up Stassen, Warren, Vandenberg, Dewey, Taft, Martin and MacArthur. Take your pick.

THE SCOREBOARD

Wakefield Has Lost His Fire But Still Has the Old Chatter

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—No young ballplayer was ever more sought after than towering Richard Cummings Wakefield.

When in 1941 Dick Wakefield decided to play for pay at the conclusion of his sophomore year at Michigan, he was so good and so confident that he gave major league managers personal demonstrations of his poking power.

After he smacked several balls out of the county in Cincinnati, Warren Giles offered the most garrulous ballplayer since Dizzy Dean \$25,000 to sign a contract. You get a rough idea of what young Wakefield looked like when Clark Griffith of the Senators went as high as \$40,000.

Daredevil Dick caught the Dodgers in Chicago, and when he belted balls into Wrigley Field's right stand and out onto Waveland Avenue, Leo Durocher advised Larry MacPhail to give the young man whatever he wanted.

But Walter O. Briggs had told Wakefield to look around, after which the Tigers would top the highest bid. They settled for \$51,000 and an automobile.

WAKEFIELD went to Winston-Salem and tore the cover off the ball. The next step was the Texas League, which he led in batting with .345, hits and doubles, and tied for the lead in total bases to help Beaumont to the pennant and be adjudged the circuit's most valuable player. That brought Wakefield and the then Beaumont manager, Steve O'Neill, to Detroit.

Wakefield's freshman year in the American League was plenty good enough with an average of .316 and 79 runs-batted-in.

Wakefield got out of the Army Air Forces in 1944 just after the All-Star Game, in time to nearly bat the Tigers into the flag. They lost it on the final day after the Michigan lad had batted .353 driving in 53 runs in 78 games. That made the front office higher than ever on Wakefield.

Although the Battling Bengals staggered to the pennant and world championship while their prize slugger was in the Navy in 1945, in Detroit the word was wait till Wakefield gets back.

Since resuming his baseball career in 1946, however, Wakefield has required excuses. The excuses piled up until Manager O'Neill benched him this spring after he had made exactly one hit in 25 times at bat. And the hitting of Wertz, Evers and Mullen kept Wakefield in the dark confines of the dugout. Specifically, it is Dick Wertz' long ball that has Owner Briggs' big boy sitting it out.

But Wakefield still talks a good game from the sidelines, contends he is as formidable a hitter as he ever was and will prove it at the first opportunity.

Steve O'Neill hasn't given up on the six-foot four-and-a-half inch, 210-pound lad who has been such a bitter disappointment, but a lot of baseball men are beginning to suspect that Wakefield is a wartime ballplayer. Dick Wakefield has yet to demonstrate that he isn't.

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The Suit He Wants To Wear To Philadelphia



Phantom Island Erased From Map of Kansas

LAWRENCE, Kan. (UP)—An "island" has been removed from the map of Kansas, after it had stood on the charts for 50 years because of a surveyor's error.

A. R. Leonard of the state geological survey, reports that the phantom island was a strip of land six miles long and a mile wide in the Prairie-Dog Creek Valley in northwestern Phillips County.

A recent mapping revealed that the "island" was nothing but a strip of land between the creek and a tributary.

Long exposure to sunshine is damaging to wool fabric.

Dog Hitch Hikes On Ferry

NEW YORK (UP)—On a trip across the Hudson River from New Jersey, a German giant Schnauzer dog broke away from its master and leaped off the ferry boat. A few minutes later another ferry spied the dog paddling for the New York shore. It was hailed aboard.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Opera Guild Founder

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| 21 Thoroughfare | 8 Partner |
| 23 Compass point | 9 Hebrew deity |
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| 26 Preparation | 12 Instruction |
| 28 Either | 13 Flowers |
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| 31 Precipitations | 21 Kind of doctor |
| 33 Work unit | 22 Harangues |
| 34 Augment | 25 Flowerless plants |
| 35 Senseless | 27 Lowest point |
| 37 Quilts | 30 Beverage |
| 40 Accomplish | 32 Heredity units |
| 41 Thus | 33 Standards |
| 42 Comparative suffix | 34 Regular |
| 43 Royal Institute (ab.) | 36 Cover |
| 44 Age | 38 Scorches |
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Answer to Previous Puzzle



Heave Ho!



Elpheth Whyte wins the shotput with a throw of 34 feet, 10 inches in the Universities Athletic Union Championships at Motspur Park, Surrey, Eng. Four of the London mist' six leaves bettered the women's previous record of 31 feet, eight.

Nobody Loves Forever

By Margaretta Brucker

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THERE is no spot in Akron where you can get a better picture of the population than at the municipal airport on Sunday afternoon. Cars of every conceivable make jam the parking places. Buses unload men with the grime of the factory still on their sagging faces. There are women carrying fretful babies and dragging by the hand small, shabbily dressed children. There are girls in smart suits, girls in cheap sweaters and shapeless slacks.

There are others. Men in uniform, and men with discharge buttons in the lapels of ill-fitting ready-made suits.

There are small boys wriggling in and out of the crowd, squealing with excitement as they walk every make of plane which wheels aloft.

Everyone is interested, thrilled, standing with upturned faces and eyes squinting against the blinding glare of the June sun. Jessica Blake wedged tightly in the crowd which pressed close against the stout iron fence surrounding the airport.

Flying was wonderful, she thought as she shielded her eyes from the glare of the sun and watching a great twin-motor plane zoom in. Imagine being able to take off and in a few minutes be up there leaving this crowded rubber town behind you!

Soberly she reminded herself: But you can't escape, so why not enjoy this short reprieve from the drab everyday existence you must lead until Tom comes home?

She moved closer, taking advantage of a break in the crowd, and saw a station wagon wheel down the field and stop beside a plane warming up to take off. Army officers and other important-looking personages got out.

"Bound for Washington," exclaimed a man just behind Jessica. "Mexican officials," said another voice. "They've been here on a tour of inspection."

"Akron can give them ideas," boasted the first. The other man laughed and the two went on to talk about the rubber center and its important position in the post-war world.

Jessica listened idly, thinking how little she really knew or cared about this town where she lived. But I won't live here always, she told herself and suddenly remembered that in her absorption in the scene before her, she had completely lost track of the time. Lucy would be angry and justly so.

AS she started to work her way back through the crowd, a huge man in a dirty sweat shirt gave her a violent shove which made her lose her balance. Another man tried to push him back and in another minute a general scuffle threatened. Then someone caught her arm in a firm, hard grasp and helped her keep her balance.

A man whose voice she recognized as one of the two who had been talking about rubber said, "Are you all right?"

He had swung her around and toward the fence and they stood close together and alone while the crowd milled about behind them.

"Yes," she said breathlessly and oddly stirred by the admiring expression in the man's bright blue eyes as he continued to hold her arm. "Thanka. I was about to leave."

"Don't go yet. Look—" He indicated the speed with which one plane with its freight or important passenger had shot down the runway.

"I explained just who the passengers were and although she knew that she should leave, Jessica lingered for a few minutes longer. For he had been kind; without his support she might have been thrown down and injured. While she listened she made excuses to herself for remaining, watching, laughing, exclaiming.



Betsy shrieked and hid her face in Jessica's skirts and cried, "Mummy! Mummy! Don't let Aunt Lucy take me." The man's expression changed. "I didn't know—" "Betsy is my little girl," said Jessica flatly.

His eyes met hers from time to time and although he talked of commonplace things like planes and factories and rubber output, there was a spark of admiration in his glance which was disquieting.

He wasn't much taller than she. He had good shoulders. Tay Hayden's type, she decided. Sophisticated. He wore clothes well, good clothes; the tie knotted expertly under his hard brown chin never came from a department store counter. His smooth brown hair was ruffled by the wind which swept across the airport.

She said, "This is almost as exciting as the Derby," and realized that just for an instant she had been that carefree Jessica Gordon who had stood in a box at the Derby thrilled by a horse race.

"Kentucky, aren't you?" he said. "I thought I was right about the accent."

Just then there was a disturbance in the crowd behind them and a voice cried, "Jessica, where are you?"

She turned and saw Lucy making her way toward them, Lucy angry and breathless and dragging Betsy by the hand. Betsy sobbing and digging her fists into her eyes, her cheeks a violent pink and her bonnet hanging by one string.

THEY stood together in a little huddle. Lucy and Jessica and the man, whose face was puzzled for a minute before he squinted down and held out his arms to Betsy. "Want to see?" he asked.

Betsy, after one glance, dimpled and ran straight to him. He lifted her high onto his shoulder.

Lucy said, "Who—?" "Just a man who was explaining the planes to me," Jessica said hurriedly.

"Well!" Lucy's voice spoke volumes. She tapped the ground impatiently with a small brown shoe. "What are you going to do now?" she demanded.

"Go home, of course," Jessica answered quietly.

The man turned and came toward them and set Betsy down. He said to Lucy, "You have a charming little girl."

Lucy brushed a speck from her immaculate blue suit coat. There was a hint of malice in her tone. "But she isn't my little girl," she explained. "She's my brother's little girl. He's overseas and Betsy and her mother live with us."

She never looked once at Jessica and Jessica felt the color rise in her cheeks. She said hurriedly, "Come, Betsy," and seized the child's hand and started to walk away without a backward glance.

She should have known he would not be easily discouraged. He followed her, with Lucy hastening ahead and Betsy dragging back until the three of them, the man and Jessica and Betsy, walked together toward the parking space.

"Sorry you must rush off. I don't suppose—" His glance was uncertain. "No," Jessica smiled but shook her head.

The man said hopefully, "Maybe some other time?"

She said, "I'm sorry," and her glance told him that she was sorry, desperately sorry to seem abrupt and ungrateful for his kindness. He had given her the happiest few minutes she had had for over two years.

"Well, that's that." His eyes met hers and he asked bluntly, "Why not?"

Which was impudent, of course and yet . . . Jessica looked up and saw Lucy coming toward them. Lucy was furious. She tried to seize Betsy's hand. The child shrieked and hid her face in Jessica's skirts and cried, "Mummy! Mummy! Don't let Aunt Lucy take me."

The man's expression changed. "I didn't know—" "Betsy is my little girl," said Jessica flatly.

There. He knew. She was a married woman with a two-year-old daughter, and not a gay young thing to be picked up for a mild flirtation. She said, "Goodby," and he bowed politely and walked away and left her. There was a note of finality about the whole affair which there shouldn't have been if Lucy had not behaved so abominably. An awkward ending to a casual meeting which had given her release from the monotony of the life she led with Lucy and her mother.

(To Be Continued)

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



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BY FRED HARMON

BY V. L. HAMLEN

GEORGE S. BERRY

J. R. GLEATON



GEORGE S. BERRY, left above, State Commander of the American Legion, and J. R. Gleaton, right above, Commander of the Fifth Division of the American Legion, will be among those attending the convention of the Fifth Division to be held at San Angelo, Saturday and Sunday, June 19 and 20.

Fifth Division Convention Meets At San Angelo

A new American Legion home will be dedicated. State Commander George S. Berry, Past State Commander Ernest S. Goens and Brig. General Aubrey L. Moore will speak at the annual two day convention of the Fifth Division of the American Legion, commander by J. R. Gleaton of Stamford, to be held here June 19 and 20. The Fifth Division, under the supervision of Commander Gleaton, is composed of 195 American Legion Posts with a membership of 25,387 as of June 10 in the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 21st congressional districts. Arthur Sitas, San Angelo, is chairman of arrangements for the convention. The host post, James J. Goodfellow, Jr. No. 32 is one of the outstanding in Texas.

Saturday will be given over to entertainment functions. From 4 to 6 p. m. there will be a stag party at the Legion Club at Lake Nasworthy. There will be two dances Saturday evening, a square dance at the Legion Club and a regular dance on the roof of the San Angelo Hotel. Sunday morning at 8 o'clock there will be a post officers' breakfast. The joint session will be held on the roof garden of the San Angelo starting at 9:30 o'clock. Invocation will be by the department chaplain, The Reverend Al-an Harvey-Brooks of Borger. An impressive memorial services will

Area News OIL

EASTLAND COUNTY

Following is the report on activities in the Gorman oil field for Monday June 14: Commercial Production No. 2 Mears Estate have set oil string. W. R. Johnson Drilling Company No. 3 Arlan Watson will activate Tuesday. W. R. Johnson No. 4 Arlan Watson rigging up. This lease is still something to watch. There will be, in all probability, 6 locations here, and each so far, is as good or better than the ones drilled before. Commercial Production No. 2 Roy Parker drilling at 1931. J. W. Baldwin No. 1 Sanders

be held at 11 o'clock with Brad Corrigan of Hamilton, the soloist. The Reverend Harvey-Brooks will deliver the memorial address. There will be a barbecue for Legionnaires, Auxiliary members and their guests at noon at the Legion Home. The home will then be dedicated. The Legion business session will follow on the roof of the San Angelo Hotel and the Auxiliary will meet at the Cactus Hotel.

The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann

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PATIENCE got out of the car she'd hired to fetch her from the station, and stood hesitating outside the garden gate. Then she braced herself. She'd got to get it over. And what was more she was going to be absolutely truthful. Yes, even if it did lead to trouble.

She heard a door opening and looked up. There was Aunt Alice coming down the path to meet her. "Dear child, how glad I am to see you!"

Patience dropped her suitcase, and ran to her aunt's arms. "Darling, I hope you weren't worried?" "Well, we've naturally been anxious."

"I'm most desperately sorry. Where's Aunt Helen?" "Indoors."

"Is she—is she awfully angry?" "Well, dearie, I'm afraid she is rather put out."

Patience, her knees shaking, retrieved her suitcase and went into the house. Miss Helen, hearing voices, had come to see what was happening. She stood there in the doorway of the sitting room looking far more forbidding than she was really feeling. For just to see the child safe and sound was even more of a relief than she'd have thought possible. All the same she was determined not to be weak with her.

"Hello, Aunt Helen," faltered Patience, "I'm home."

"So I see. I'd like to speak to you, Patience. No, Alice, I'd prefer to speak to Patience alone."

Patience followed her aunt into the sitting room and closed the door. Miss Helen sat down in her customary chair.

"Now perhaps you'll tell me just what you mean by your conduct, Patience. I called on Madame Girard yesterday afternoon, only to be told that you were not at the Academy. From there I went to

see your sister. I'd be glad of an explanation."

PATIENCE drew a swift breath. It was a shock to learn her aunt had talked to Charlotte. She herself had been unable to get in touch with her on her way through London this morning. "It's a little difficult to know where to begin," she said.

"I can well understand it." There was a pause. "I'm waiting, Patience."

Patience thought: "If only I knew what Charlotte has said!" And then knew that it would make no difference. She'd got to tell her Aunt Helen everything.

"I've been to Paris, Aunt Helen."

She was sure immediately she'd said this that Charlotte must have told her aunt something quite different. But it was too late now to change her mind about it. And anyway she didn't want to.

"Charlotte, Roger Dickson—he's a friend of Charlotte's—and I, all flew over there on Sunday morning. Dwight Breeden met up with us. I—she—we— her voice faltered. It was so difficult to go on with Aunt Helen looking at her so sternly.

"Go on, Patience."

Patience made a little gesture. "Well, that's all there is to tell you."

"But Charlotte was back in London yesterday afternoon," said Miss Helen severely. "I know. You see, Roger and I missed the plane."

"Miss Helen's face froze. She tried to fight against a dreadful fear that was slowly forming. "We traveled back by night. We came via Newhaven-Disperp. It was the most tedious and tiring journey. We had to sit up all the while."

Miss Helen breathed again. Not, of course, she told herself swiftly, that she'd been really anxious. Or

ember, was the first man to drill in this area this year. The Seay well, if pay is found, will extend the field to the north quite a distance. Luck to you, Mr. Choate.

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Oil Personnel Noted in And Around Gorman Hotel Lobby: Bud Greer, Fort Worth; Roy Gaines, Sinton; Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Barton, Wichita Falls; Mr. Langford, Wichita Falls; E. D. Glass, Jr., Austin; Tom C. Patton, Houston; A. B. Taylor, Austin; Mr. Jarman, Colorado City; T. C. Kelly, Breckenridge; (with Cent-Tex Oil Well Supplies); G. B. France, Fort Worth; F. E. Gillespie, Fort Worth; I. B. Dedeker, Boerne; W. C. Whaley, Eastland; Jack Urban, Ranger; Earl Daniels, Comanche; T. T. Carens, De

had she been, just for a brief moment? If so, it had been most unworthy of her. She must surely know Patience better than that. And now Patience was on her knees beside her, sobbing her very heart out. Saying that she was most desperately sorry. That not for worlds would she have worried either her Aunt Alice or Aunt Helen if she could possibly have helped it. That she herself had been most unhappy about it. And most bitterly regretted going. Except—except— "What, Patience?" "Well, Aunt Helen, I must be honest. I—I did rather enjoy myself."

It was astonishing, Patience thought, and marvelous that she'd got off so lightly. She'd expected to be in disgrace for days, to have her aunts keep an even stricter eye on her. Was it possible that they were relenting just a little? That it was slowly beginning to dawn on them that she was growing up at last? That it was only reasonable that she should want a little fun?

She decided this must be happening when at lunchtime on the following Saturday they said that they had a young man coming to tea that afternoon. Not that this filled her with any great enthusiasm. She could well imagine the kind of young man Aunt Helen and Aunt Alice would invite to meet her!

Nevertheless, around 4 o'clock Patience went dutifully upstairs and took the gray dress Charlotte had given her from her wardrobe. Aunt Alice had actually asked her to wear it!

As she changed, she heard a car coming up the road. The sound of its engine drew nearer. And then it stopped. There were footsteps sounding on the garden path. The front doorbell rang. Patience heard Mary go to answer it.

"Good afternoon, sir."

"Is Miss Melville at home?"

Patience started. Her hands pressed down on her dressing table. She stood, leaning heavily upon them. It couldn't be. It wasn't possible. But it was his voice, she was certain.

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Contractor: Ownby Drilling Co., Dallas.

STEPHENS COUNTY

Fred M. Manning, Inc. No. 3 -B W. T. More, 10 miles SW of Breckenridge, 467 from E and 1,400 from S line of Sec. 2256, TE&L Sur., 933 feet N of No. 1-B Moore. 4,300 R.

Operator: Fred M. Manning Inc., 1312 Electric Bldg., Fort Worth.

Contractor: Own Rig.

Reciprocal Trade Act Is Sent To White House

WASHINGTON, June 15. (UP)—The House today completed Congressional action on a bill to continue the reciprocal trade program in modified form for another year.

The measure was sent to the White House after the House accepted, by voice vote and without debate, revisions which the Senate had made in the original house bill.

The administration has vigorously objected to the restrictions which would be placed on the trade agreements program by the legislation.

But there has been no indication whether President Truman dislikes the Republican-sponsored bill enough to veto it.

As finally approved by Congress

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House Refuses Raise To Civil Service Workers

WASHINGTON, June 15. (UP)—The House Republican leadership today turned thumbs down, on pay raises for 850,000 Federal civil service workers.

It decided to go along, however, with legislation to grant postal employes an annual pay boost of \$450 but made it contingent on Congressional approval of increases in postal rates.

Race Against Progress

LAWRENCE, Kan. (UP)—A University of Kansas eight-week field trip into the watershed of the Smoky Hill River is seeking to recover archeological deposits dating from 1000 A.D. before they are flooded by waters of the new Kanopolis dam.

The Reciprocal Trade Act would be continued until June 30, 1949. The administration had pressed for three-year extension of the old act which expired last Saturday.

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SAMPLES APPROVED
MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UP)—Two boys were eating ice cream cones of different flavors. Mrs. L. B. Robinson, a bystander, said a third boy seemed undecided which flavor to order until he took a lick from the two cones held by his companions. Then he ordered two cones of the same flavor.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
The Ranger Times is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
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(Re-election)
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(Re-election)
Burette W. Patterson
(Judge 88th Court when abolished).
FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 2
Charles Bobo
FOR CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 2
M. R. (Dick) Blackwell
Ike Lee
O. E. Rose.

For Associate Justice of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals
Allen D. Dabney
Cecil C. Collins
For County Judge
P. L. (Lewis) Crowley
(Re-election).
C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge
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T. E. (Ed) Castleberry
(For re-election)
For County Clerk
W. V. (Virgil) Love.
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U. N. United For Once-It's Orange Juice, Not Hard Stuff

By Walter Logan
United Press Staff Correspondent
LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. (UP)—A survey of bar habits at the United Nations delegates' lounge disclosed that most of the delegates are not two-faced when it comes to drinking.

They drink orange juice—30 to 40 gallons of the stuff a day. One was heard to order a Shirley Temple special. Is a reasonably harmless concoction of ginger ale and enough grenadine to color it a delicate shade of pink. Alcohol content nil. After effects: nil.

Some delegates order milk, and one fairly daring bar visitor, obviously not a delegate, once ordered a mixture of milk and whiskey.

But day in and day out, orange juice is the staple drink and from morn (about 10:30 a. m. when the delegates start arriving to night (about 5:30 p. m. when they start

leaving) orange juice pours across the bar.

The bartender is Big Gus Erengeth, a giant Norwegian who left his native home in 1911 because Norway appeared to offer no future for a man of his talents. There, he said, they don't mix drinks, they just drink aquavit or brandy, in great but unmixed quantities.

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Jailing Insane Fought In Ga. By Legion Post

SAVANNAH, Ga. (UP)—A project started by a Savannah American Legion post may keep many insane persons in Georgia out of jails.
Indignant over the imprisonment of mentally sick patients because there was no place to send them, the Gannam American Legion post established a psychiatric ward in a local hospital.
Legionnaires in other cities, including Atlanta, are looking into the idea and may do the same.
Last year Chatham (Savannah) County had no place to send its mentally sick for observation except behind the barred cells of the jail. Almost every other county in Georgia is in the same fix.
The Legion post checked up and found that a mentally ill war veteran was kept behind bars ten days before Chatham County's lunacy commission could commit him to a veterans' hospital.

his credit. He's looking for some tequila now for something else he has in mind.

By far the most popular UN drink for some time was the Romulus special, made up especially for Gen. Carlos Romulos of the Philippines and taken to by the other delegates the way a duck takes to water. Very simple: tomato juice, lemon juice, celery salt and Lea & Perrin sauce, well shaken.

Gus can invent you a drink to order. When Princess Elizabeth was getting ready for her wedding a member of the British delegation asked for a Lilibet special. Gus came up with this one: Lime juice, gin, Metaxes (Greek) brandy and Drambuie to add sweetness.

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The Savannah post raised \$3,000 and turned it over to St. Joseph's Hospital.
A new psychiatric ward has been opened. It has 12 regular beds in its five rooms. Two psychiatrists two registered nurses and student nurses at St. Joseph's staff the clinic.

The place has the opposite of the jail cell atmosphere. There are no bars on the windows. Special stainless steel escape-proof screens substitute. The rooms are light and pleasant.
The average stay in the new clinic is 10 to 14 days. Psychiatrists on duty cited the cases of two veterans who were treated and sent home in a healthy condition in four days. They estimated it would have taken eight to 12 months to cure them under the old system of sending them to jail and then to an institution.

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COURTHOUSE NEWS AND RECORDS

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

INSTRUMENTS FILED

The following instruments were filed for record in the County Clerk's office last week:

Fred Brown v. Dixieland Petroleum Corporation, abstract of judgment.

O. H. Burkett to Magnolia Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.

George F. Bauerhoff to L. R. Pearson, assignment.

Claude Bell to United N & S Development Company, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Linton S. Benge to Wilburn W. Ramey, warranty deed.

E. C. Bethany to J. R. Waters, lease contract.

British American Oil Prod. Co. to Robert J. Steel, assignment.

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John L. Black to Tom B. Stark, MML.

John L. Black to The Public, affidavit.

Della Brown to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

S. J. Baine to Nettie Hickman Ellis, warranty deed.

Fannie F. Vivians to Saphronia J. Vivians Ray, warranty deed.

R. A. Bearman to Clifton H. Davis, MD.

Mabel Knight Boles to Ottillie Knight, warranty deed.

Estes C. Browning to J. Lloyd Browning, quit claim deed.

Price Crawley to Randal B. Thomas, Jr., assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Beauford Anderson, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to J. M. Nuesse, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to A. J. Urbanski, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Price Crawley to Calvin W. Harris, assignment of oil and gas lease.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to E. J. Harrison, release of vendor's lien.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to A. H. Williams, release of deed of trust.

N. B. Crenshaw to Deep Rock Oil Cor., oil and gas lease.

N. B. Crenshaw to Deep Creek Oil Corp., assignment of oil and gas lease.

Lawrence M. Coursey to G. L. Lawrence, warranty deed.

F. E. Clark to J. E. Spencer, MD.

Commercial State Bank, Ranger to A. R. Huffman, release of vendor's lien.

Price Crawley to J. A. Knox,

assignment of oil and gas lease.

Etta C. Day to R. D. McDaniel, assignment of oil and gas lease.

K. S. Dunham to Don E. Rodgers, warranty deed.

Maggie V. Dyer to McElroy Ranch Company, oil and gas lease.

Waldon H. Ezell to O. E. Sherman, assignment.

Roberts Fowler to Fred M. Manning, oil and gas lease.

Federal Land Bank of Houston to R. M. Sims, sub. oil and gas lease.

First Christian Church, Cico to Board of Church Extension, deed of trust.

T. J. Fuller to The Public, affidavit.

Delois Francis to Cora Harrell, quit claim deed.

Roberta E. Grisham to The Public, affidavit.

Flora Grisel to W. E. Lusk, rev. of power of attorney.

Marie Gilman to C. W. Blackburn, warranty deed.

H. R. Garrett to First Christian Church, warranty deed.

H. R. Garrett to James H. Snowden, oil and gas lease.

H. R. Gilbert to W. W. Gilbert, agreement and release.

Mrs. Allene Gilbert to The Public, affidavit.

Mrs. Allene Gilbert to C. C. Gilbert, correction deed.

Brooks Gilbert to C. C. Gilbert, quit claim deed.

Annie Campbell Gordon to W. K. Gordon, Jr., royalty deed.

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J. J. Hawkins to N. B. Crenshaw, oil and gas lease.

Ruby Mae Harbin to G. L. Lowrance, warranty deed.

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G. G. Haxel to Magnolia Petroleum Company, oil and gas lease.

Ola Mae Henderson to W. C. Monzingo, warranty deed.

Ola Mae Henderson to W. C. Monzingo, deed of trust.

R. H. Hicks to The Public, affidavit.

William W. Humphrey to J. E. Foster & Sons, deed of trust.

Dick A. Jones to N. B. Crenshaw, oil and gas lease.

E. H. Jones to The Public, affidavit.

S. F. Jordan to R. J. Frazier, warranty deed.

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Charles J. Kleiner to Lone Star Producing Company, oil and gas lease.

Charles J. Kleiner to Lone Star Producing Company, amendment to oil and gas lease.

Lela Moates Keiran to Luling Oil and Gas Company, oil and gas lease.

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AND now there were other voices. Aunt Alice's and then Aunt Helen's, both exceedingly jocular.

"Come in, won't you? How very nice to see you! We thought we'd have tea in the garden. Alice dear, see if you can find Patience."

Patience flew downstairs. She stopped short on the threshold of the sitting room.

"Ah, here you are, dear child," said Miss Helen. "Mr. Taylor, this is our niece Patience."

Gravely she shook hands. Gravelly Paul, unnoticed by the two ladies, winked at Patience.

"How do you do?"

"How do you do?"

"Let's go into the garden," said Miss Helen.

Tea was served on the best Staffordshire tea service. Certainly, thought Patience, her aunts were out to impress Paul favorably. But where on earth had they met him?

Still, it was enough that he was here. And that when he looked at her his eyes told her that despite all that had passed he was still in love with her. Just as hers were most likely telling him that she too was in love with him. Only how was he going to feel towards her when she told him about Roger—about Paris?

After tea, Aunt Helen suggested that Paul and she might care to take a stroll around the garden together. "Or perhaps you'd like to show Mr. Taylor that very good walk through the woods?"

Patience looked at Paul.

"Shall I?"

"Why, yes, I'd love it."

Patience smiled at her aunts.

"We won't be very long."

"That's all right, dear child," Paul said as they set off. "Just the moment were out of sight

I'm going to kiss you." Patience's heart leaped. "Oh, Paul!"

"I am, darling. We've a lot of leeway to make up, you and I." He looked back over his shoulder. "I'm afraid it's just a bit too soon yet."

"It certainly is. Don't forget that that's only just met."

"Yes, that's a point."

"PAUL, how did you get here? I simply couldn't believe it. I thought I must be dreaming when I heard your voice in the hall."

Paul grinned.

"History, my sweet, repeated itself."

Patience stopped short. "How do you mean?"

"Your estimable aunts picked me up on the train!"

"Paul, they didn't!"

"Indeed they did. And they were much quicker about it than ever you were."

Patience swallowed hard.

"That must have been then last Monday evening?"

"That's right. Last Monday as ever was. I came upon them both hurrying for the 6:30 and helped them with their suitcases. We all three went down together."

They were almost out of sight of the garden now. Paul helped her over a stile. A tree hid them completely from Miss Helen and Miss Alice, who were still sitting placidly where they had left them.

Paul put his arms around Patience, but she struggled free of them.

"Paul, I've got to talk to you."

Paul looked down at her.

"Must you? Couldn't I kiss you first, and then we'll talk after?"

"No, you see, after I've told you what I'm going to tell you, you may not want to kiss me."

Paul said it sounded ominous. And privately decided that he was glad he'd come to see Roger Dickson. Otherwise he might be

feeling decidedly uneasy.

"Fire ahead."

"I was in Paris last week-end."

"Good for you."

SHE stared at him. "Pat you don't understand. I was with Roger Dickson. Oh, Charlotte was with us as well. Charlotte by the way to tell you about her this day on the train, but after what you said I couldn't possibly. And—well—she hesitated, fearful as to how he was going to take it—"Roger and I lost the 'plane back."

Paul took her hands.

"Darling, what does Roger Dickson mean to you?"

"Nothing—at least—well, I suppose I did sort of find him attractive. I was so lonely, and so wretched without you. We—had quite a lot of fun together over there."

"Fun?" His eyes searched her face. "No, it's all right. Don't tell me," he said quickly that she'd got to. She'd not be happy in her mind otherwise.

"He kissed me," she faltered.

She waited. Her heart shook. And then miraculously his arms were tight about her, and it seemed he had forgiven her, because he was kissing her and telling her he loved her. That indeed, as she must surely know, right from the very first moment he'd seen her he loved her. And that this time, he was going to make very sure that she married him.

Back in the garden, Miss Helen and Miss Alice were chatting happily together.

"I think he's a very delightful young man," said Miss Alice. "He's got such charming manners."

"I know. I must confess I like him very much indeed. He seems so entirely suitable."

Miss Alice drew a little wistful sigh.

"I wonder what Patience and he are doing now."

Miss Helen looked at her.

"Doing, Alice? Whatever do you mean?"

"Well, dear—a young man and a young girl—he might—well, he might possibly be holding her hand."

THE END

Murray Will Decline Offer From Washington

Railroad Commissioner William J. Murray, Jr., will not accept the directorship of the oil and gas division of the Department of Interior as suggested by the present director, Max Ball, who will resign within the next few weeks.

"I deeply appreciate the confidence shown in me by suggestion that I become director of this important unit of the federal government, but my major interest is Texas," Murray declared.

"I believe I can render my state and nation a bigger service as a member of the Railroad Commission. Since appointment to the commission, I can see results already from my efforts toward conservation of our oil and gas resources. Since Texas produces more than half of the nation's oil, I had rather continue here in my chosen work," he said.

Murray, a petroleum engineer who is recognized as one of the nation's foremost oil and gas conservationists, is a candidate for the final two years of unexpired term on the Railroad Commission to which he was appointed early in 1947.

Murray's statement followed one in Washington last week when Director Ball declared he had insisted that Murray accept the position when it was offered the Texas by Interior Secretary J. A. Krug earlier in the year. Ball renewed his plea for Murray's acceptance since he, Ball, is anxious to vacate the post but will not do so until his successor is named.

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Celebrates 82nd Birthday Monday

Mrs. N. A. Crawford was honored with a party Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in celebration of her 82nd birthday.

The party was held at the home of Mrs. Elura Glen, and guests were members of the family and friends. The birthday cake was white decorated with pink and had 82 candles on it.

The following were present for the occasion: Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ratneal of McAadoo, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bradbury of Axial, T. P. Bradbury of Crosbyton, Mr. R. C. Ratneal of McAadoo, Miss Viola Stafford of Lubbock, Mrs. John Moran of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. E. Pruett, J. L. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Caraway, Vivian Glenn Virgine Mae Glenn, Floyd Smith, Mrs. D. B. Robertson, N. M. McCullum and sons, Melvon and Stanley, and Mrs. Neil Griffice all of Ranger.

W. S. C. S. Has A Meeting Monday

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church.

Mrs. Vernon Deffebach, president, presided over the meeting and gave the opening prayer. The program topic was "Christian Social Relations," and it was arranged by Mrs. A. N. Larson.

Mrs. C. E. M. y gave the devotional which was "Behold Creation Is Our Lord's." She also gave a short talk on Christian opportunities in the rural church. Mrs. Leslie Hagaman talked on "Rural Church Extension."

The closing prayer of the meeting was given by Mrs. L. E. Wote.

Effort Being Made To Organize ESA Chapter In Ranger

A new charter chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International Sorority is being organized in Ranger. Mrs. Mary Lou Gier National secretary of the sorority is here contacting girls between the ages of 18 and 36.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha is an international, educational and social sorority with headquarters at Loveland, Colorado. There are chapters throughout the United States, Japan and members living in practically every country in the world. It was organized in 1929 to serve as a medium through which American women could study together to develop such qualities as graciousness, self-expression and leadership and to put these abilities to work for the good of their respective communities.

Since its inception the sorority has grown to number hundreds of chapters and has a membership of over 15,000.

Mrs. Geer explained that only girls who exemplify the finest in American womanhood are being contacted in the various cities and towns throughout the country. She pointed out there is a national study program designed to teach young women self confidence and the ability to meet all situations whether in business or social life with poise and graciousness.

The sorority also stresses benevolence, the field executive declared. The Auricular Foundation of Los Angeles dedicated to the care of children with impaired hearing was adopted by the sorority in 1946. In addition, many chapters maintain clubs and recreation rooms for teen-agers. War orphans of France, Belgium, England, Holland and Italy are adopted by the chapters who send them regular shipments of food and clothing.

Membership in the sorority provides recreation at the national non-profit dude ranch in the Rocky Mountains of Colorado from June 15 to September 1.

Long exposure to sunshine is damaging to wool fabric.

Tickets On Sale For Tournament

Miss Jo Oyler, president of the 1947 Club, announced today that tickets are on sale for the clubs' bridge and forty-two tournament to be held June 18.

The tournament will be held in the Community Club House and will begin at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. The price of each ticket is one dollar, and the money will be turned over to the club house funds to finance improvements.

Everyone is urged to attend, and those without tickets may purchase them at the door.

Ranger Group Go To Band Clinic

Five members of the Ranger High School Band are in Fort Worth attending a two-week band clinic at Texas Christian University.

Rheta Beth Perlestein, Richard Martin, Robert Martin, Bob Crawford, and Jimmy Smith are the group from Ranger attending the clinic which is under the direction of Dr. C. J. Best.

All of the high school students attending the clinic are living in the dormitories at the school during the time they are there.

Hospital News

Mrs. J. D. Waters who has been a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital has been dismissed.

Mrs. A. A. Bowen has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she was a medical patient.

Miss Betty Jean Wooley of Gorman underwent major surgery at the West Texas Hospital Saturday.

BARBS

BY HAL COCHRAN

HURRY up and get your story in before all of the big fish have gotten away.

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A food expert declares that Americans should eat less. We'll bet every little 2-year-old agrees heartily.

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Few At Age 55 Found Willing To Quit Work

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He has reached the age of 55 and he's fairly well fixed financially. But he doesn't want to quit working and lie in the sun. He wants to keep right on the job as long as he can.

Two out of every three persons who answered a poll taken by the Northwestern Life Insurance Company said they want to keep the nose to the grindstone. The company asked more than 3,100 policyholder families the following question:

"If you knew right now that you would be financially able to retire when you reach age 55 or 60, how would you expect to spend your retirement years?"

Loath to Quit
Thirty-two per cent said they wanted to keep their present jobs and would start living off their retirement income when they

could support themselves or dependents no longer.

Another 33 per cent of the 3,100 answers said they might "ease up" a bit, but they want to throw their spare time right back into the work mill again, with emphasis on religious and community work.

The remaining 35 per cent are the ones who want to take things easy. Their main thoughts were those days of fishing and hunting, with a little gardening or golf thrown in to break up the day.

Work's a Habit

It appears that the longer one works the longer he wants to work. Only 28 per cent of those now under 40 wanted to continue age, while more than 37 per cent work after reaching retirement age, while more than 37 per cent of those past 40 wanted to keep right on going as long as they could.

A factory foreman added a little note to his answer and it showed how most people feel about retirement. He said:

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Flewellen of Austin formerly of Ranger have been visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stafford visited her parents in Rising Star Monday.

Mrs. Joe Harper left Monday for a two weeks vacation trip to Arizona.

Mrs. H. G. Adams, Miss Katherine Adams, Mrs. R. O. Bray, and daughter Barbara are spending a few days in Fort Worth.

Mrs. A. E. Crawley and Mrs. Deane Crawley are spending Tuesday in Dallas.

Miss Jody Dyer of Sweetwater visited Miss Katherine Adams Monday.

Mrs. Joe W. Robertson left Tuesday for Odessa where she will spend a few days with Mr. Robertson who is employed there by the Reed Roller Bit Company.

Growing Old Together
BROCKTON, Mass. (UP)—When Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wentworth celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, their guests included Dr. and Mrs. Eugene E. Goveil, their attendants in 1888.

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