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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Homespun Symphony Music

Where you'd least expect it, a symphony orchestra has sprung up.

It grew right out of the soil, among farmers and traveling salesmen and housewives and factory workers who thought they'd never again get around to picking up the old oboe or the dust-caked cello. The project was organized last fall in Greenfield, Mass., with 22 members from the surrounding community. There are now 46 in the orchestra. Two concerts have been held, and hundreds of folks came to hear their neighbors play the classics.

The musicians are people who like to play from sheer enjoyment, and whose composite talent is appreciated by everyone in the neighborhood. In a small way, it is a revival of a movement that lost ground when the various forms of "canned" music invaded homes.

It is the kind of project that can spring up anywhere. Big cities need have no monopoly on symphony music. Any community that wants it will find plenty of talent in all sorts of unsuspected places.

They Tell It to Diaries

It was scarcely surprising to learn that Londoners have been buying more diaries since the war began—locked ones, at that.

During the war, all citizens, even in democratic Britain, are expected to be of one mind. And, people being what they are, can never be unanimous in thought. Britons, no more than Germans, can be expected to agree with every government war policy. Many of them, perhaps, don't agree that there should even be a war. But it isn't discreet to say so out loud. Hence, the diaries.

It would be interesting to open all those diaries after the war to learn what people were really thinking. How much hating did they do, and how many sacrifices did they make and how much sorrow did they suffer?

These are things one can't learn easily from statistics. Only the people themselves, and to some extent, the diaries, hold the answer.

Sweden has honored the 200th anniversary of the birth of Carl Michael Bellman, Swedish poet, with an issue of two values, showing a plaster figure of the poet modeled by Johan Tobias Sergel.

Surinam's new set of four semi-postals shows women of the Netherlands East Indies. A Creole, a Javanese, a Hindustani and an Indian are shown in profile views. The surtax is designated for charity.

Flags of 21 American republics will be shown on the Dominican Republic's stamps honoring the 50th anniversary of the Pan American Union. The issue will be released April 14.

MAID OF ORLEANS

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Pictured soldier girl.
- 9 She was a French heroine.
- 13 Brim.
- 14 To divide into leaves.
- 16 Viscous fluid.
- 17 Circular fortification.
- 19 Right-hand page.
- 20 Laceration.
- 21 Orderliness.
- 23 Sixth of a drachma.
- 26 East Indian plant.
- 27 Rubber tree.
- 28 Vermont.
- 30 Was victorious.
- 31 Of the thing.
- 32 Month.
- 33 Coin.
- 35 Pint.
- 36 Because.
- 37 Red cosmetic.
- 39 To escape.
- 41 Practice of an ascetic philosophy.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



VERTICAL

- 43 Loves to excess.
- 44 Play on words.
- 45 Genus of herbs.
- 50 Her land was at — with England.
- 51 Courtesy title.
- 52 She was a farm or — girl.
- 54 Boy.
- 56 Half an em.
- 57 Pantries.
- 59 Toward.
- 60 Herons.
- 61 She was the — of the victorious French troops.
- 1 Junior.
- 2 Unctuous.
- 3 Improper.
- 4 Preposition.
- 5 Tone of constant pitch.
- 6 Beer.
- 7 Cereal.
- 8 Kitty.
- 9 You.
- 10 Practical.
- 11 Animal.
- 12 Grain.
- 15 Also.
- 18 To pack.
- 20 Part in a drama.
- 21 Pleasing to taste.
- 22 Runs away.
- 24 She was — at the stake in Rouen.
- 25 Point records of games.
- 29 Marching on.
- 32 Temperate.
- 34 To foreshow.
- 36 Deadly.
- 38 Cotton machine.
- 40 Promise.
- 42 Encounters.
- 46 Rodent.
- 47 Customs.
- 48 Vehicle.
- 49 Indigo shrub.
- 51 To observe.
- 52 To deposit.
- 53 Golf device.
- 54 Drone bee.
- 57 To exist.
- 58 South Africa.

C. A. A. Students Receive Solo Bracelets

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Dewey Is Reported to Be Out in Front



THE COLLEGIATE

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Reporters Charles Hicks, Edith Taylor, Muriel Wilson

Masquers Meet

The Masquers met Tuesday in the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Hal Hunter. Various business was discussed and the following program was presented.

Criticism of "Our Town," Fern Allen Meroney.
Review of "Our Town," D. A. Robertson.
Life of Wilder, author of "Our Town," Elsie Morgan.

Masquers Meet

The Masquers held their second February meeting in the college rooms February 15. The success of the production of "Our Town" was discussed and plans for the contest play were made. Try outs for the cast were to be held during the week. The play to be presented this year should be a good production with the material we have to work with.

College Chorus Is Presented

E. R. Priesting was in charge of the Junior College assembly Wednesday morning at which time he presented the College Chorus who sang three numbers, "I'll Sing Three Songs of Araby," "Cousin Jedediah," with Frances Usery as soloist, and the old English song, "Now Is the Time for Maying." D. A. Robertson, president of the organization announced that Tommy Smith would take the comic role of Koko in the forthcoming operatic production of "The Mikado." He also stated that more college male voices are needed.

Student Council Meets

The student council met last week and discussed matters concerning the betterment of this institution. A recreation room was discussed as well as methods on how to improve the study hall. More matters and the above will be discussed at a future meeting.

Language Club Hears Craik

The Soeli Linguarum Club, the language club of RJC, met in Miss Black's room at the college for its regular semi-monthly meeting. Mr. D. Warren Craik, head of the Department of Science of RJC, was presented and he gave a very interesting account of his travels in Europe.

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Little Audrey and her boyfriend. Thanks to Mr. Craik. Thousands of years before man invented the modern car, there was an animal with a streamlined body, a turret top, retractable landing gear and a portable house—the turtle.

Laugh and the world laughs with you, cry and you streak your rouge.

What often passes for woman's intuition is often nothing but man's transparency.

Mr. Craik: What is H2O4?
June Ann: For drinking, sir.

"Make money at home" is one slogan that will land you in one of Uncle Sam's dormitories at Leavenworth.

When a woman driver holds out her hand, she is about to turn right, left, stop, or is waving to a friend across the street.

I think that I shall never see a dandelion lovely as should be a mug of lipstick, and mascara. Her mother wouldn't know the wearer.

If she should wash that phony map. We'd find a Frankenstein perhaps. A dame who may in summer wear a glass eye and a wig of hair, Upon whose pan mudpucks have lain.

For beauty suffers any pain. They read about this stuff in books.

But only God can give them looks. To end this barrage of fugitives from an editor's waste basket, we'll tell this tragic story:

A Philadelphia committed suicide leaving the following note: "I married a widow with a grown daughter. My father fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her, thus becoming my son-in-law, and my stepdaughter became my mother, because she was my father's wife."

"My wife gave birth to a son, who was, of course, my father's brother-in-law, and also my uncle, for he was the brother of my step-mother."

"My father's wife became the mother of a son, who was of course, my brother, and also my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter."

"Accordingly, my wife was my grandmother, because she was my mother's mother—I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time."

college and his dad at the same time.

Sign in local "fix palace"—"In God we trust, all others pay cash." "If you refuse me," he swore, "I'll die." She refused him. Sixty years later, he died. Ain't love sad?



Fill Your Lamp Sockets with Bulbs Large Enough for EASIER SEEING!



Two out of three lamp sockets in the average home contain bulbs that are too small to give the right amount of light.

Check on the bulbs in your home and see if the lighting fixtures, the table lamps and especially the lamps used for reading or studying have large enough bulbs to provide the amount of light needed for EASIER SEEING.

Good light is one of the smallest items of expense in the average home and is easy to obtain. New screw-in light fixtures go right into present sockets. New inexpensive shades provide diffused light at low cost.

Visit a local store which sells lamps and screw-in light fixtures and see for yourself how little it costs to improve the appearance of your home and to provide better illumination for all members of the family.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY



SERIAL STORY

\$15 A WEEK BY LOUISE HOLMES

YESTERDAY: Saturday comes at last and Ann dresses in her best. Soon her loneliness will be ended. She conspires a serial story not to keep the date, plus her gardenia and her life in the story. She intends to keep him until she discovers "Lonely."

CHAPTER VI

"I see," said the foy, Ann. She glanced at the bench which faced the Blenheim painting. It was unoccupied. She went to the reading room and selected a magazine. About to sit down, she could keep an eye on the painting and bench, the foy, and the magazine. A young man was walking across the foy with a pile of books under his arm. With staring eyes, Ann watched him dump the books on the circulation desk and turn away.

There was nothing strange in this procedure. The astounding, unbelievable thing was that he wore a white gardenia and—she was the selfish young man whose window faced Ann's from across the alley.

Ann actually gasped. It couldn't be. You met this sort of thing in fiction—coincidence, they called it—but not in real life. It simply couldn't be—but it was. The young man had stopped at the Blenheim painting, he was regarding it. Ann, propelled by a delighted urge, crossed the foy and joined him.

"Hello," she said.

He jerked his head around, his eyes darkening. "Hello," he returned shortly.

A little laugh rose in Ann's throat. His evident embarrassment eased her tense nerves. It all fitted perfectly. Of course he was lonely. Hadn't she seen him find solace in books night after night? She glanced at his gardenia, almost as if she waited for it to find voice and make the introductions. The young man had returned his gaze to the canvas.

"Shall we sit down?" Ann asked.

She was not affronted by his lack of co-operation. The personal had been his idea, not hers. Now that the time had come, he was speechless with diffidence, or so she reasoned.

"I've looked at her strangely," she said.

"I haven't picked up my books and got going," he said.

Ann wanted to say, "Don't be afraid. We had to get acquainted some way, didn't we?" Instead, she smiled shyly. "We might sit down for just a little while."

"All right."

THEY sat down on the bench, both raising their faces to the painting. Ann waited for the young man to speak. She kept reminding herself that the meeting

was at his invitation. He said nothing. He turned his head and, although he frowned, she was sure that he was not disappointed in what the newspaper item had brought forth.

"Chicago is a big city," she began, "and lonely. Don't you find it so?"

"I most certainly do," he agreed brusquely. "So what?"

"Well—if some of the lonely persons could get together—then they wouldn't be lonely any more."

"Is that your game?"

She slanted a side glance at his profile and received a definite impression that he was hiding a smile with difficulty. She took heart again. He was merely trying to determine her intentions before committing himself.

"I have no game," she assured him.

His eyes slid down to her very nice little shoes. "Looks to me as if you might have the world by the tail," he said. "Are you doing a little slumming?"

"I make my own clothes," she told him patiently. "I sew evenings at the Center on Hubbard Street."

"Oh."

All at once Ann was fighting tears. He was so dreadfully standoffish. Why didn't he help her?

"I guess I'll go now," she said faintly.

"Wait a minute. You've got me confused. Do you think you know me? Do you think we've met somewhere?"

"No—I've seen you." About to tell him of his lighted window, she stopped in dismay. A man had rounded the bench. He was near-sightedly peering at the painting. He was a small, oldish man, he wore thick-lensed spectacles. He stooped as if he were bent from peering. A white gardenia blazed on his lapel.

"WHERE have you seen me?"

Ann's companion asked.

She did not reply. She was beginning to have a queer feeling in the pit of her stomach. The oldish man, obviously satisfied as to the identity of the painting, seated himself on the far end of the bench.

He removed his spectacles and polished them with a clean handkerchief. His eyes were weak and red rimmed, they squinted against the light. With the spectacles back in place, he pulled a letter from his pocket and carefully read it. Horrified, Ann recognized the letter as her own. Replacing the single sheet in its envelope, the oldish man leaned forward to peer at Ann's gardenia.

She got hastily to her feet. In

turning her back on the oldish man, she faced the foy. Her eyes drew perfectly round, an amazed exclamation came softly from her parted lips. The foy was alive with white gardenias. Backed by masculine or feminine lapels, they swarmed everywhere. To Ann's overwrought imagination the gardenias seemed to float about in a disembodied fashion. The young man had also risen and her dazzled eyes fled to the flower in his buttonhole.

"My gracious—" she murmured weakly.

He watched her, puzzled.

ANN put out a finger and gingerly touched his gardenia.

"Where did you get it?" she asked, sick with humiliation.

"I went into Ward's drugstore on the corner for a pack of cigarettes—they're having an opening—giving away gardenias—just that where you got yours?"

"No," she said blankly. "No, I bought mine."

"That's too bad. Fifty cents gone to the bow-wow."

"A dime—just a dime—" She was unable to co-ordinate her whirling senses. Her cheeks were hot, her hands cold. By this time the oldish man was wandering about the foy, peering hopefully at each gardenia. Ann saw him speak uncertainly to a girl, and the girl laugh disdainfully. Refined gentleman—lonely—for an instant Ann's sympathy went out to him.

She turned to the young man. "I owe you an apology," she said. "I've made a terrible mistake."

"You were to meet someone here," he deduced, "someone whom you did not know. He was to wear a white gardenia—"

"That's right. Please forgive me for speaking to you."

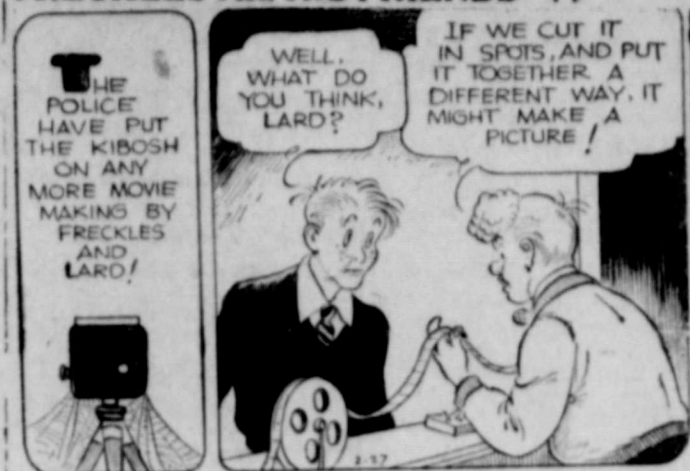
"Oh, that's all right." "Fraid you're going to have trouble. The gardenias seem to have picked on this place to hold their annual convention."

He was laughing at her and Ann turned furiously away. She almost stumbled over the oldish man who was making for her bewilderedly. Ann heard the young man chuckle as she fled from the building. At the corner she stopped to snatch the gardenia from her lapel and fling it into the gutter.

"A sap," she whispered to herself, "just a poor sap; that's all I am. He did everything he could to discourage me but I kept right on being a sap. He thought I was trying to pick him up and he didn't like it. Oh, oh!"

(To Be Continued)

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS



BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—After all that has been said about England's dire need of American munitions, export license figures show she is cutting down on her purchases.

During 1939, Britain took out licenses for American munitions (including airplanes) worth just less than \$21,000,000.

Actual exports during the year ran to \$31,000,000—much of this pre-announced, going on licenses taken in 1938. Just incidentally, licenses issued to Britain in 1938 amounted to \$26,000,000, or better than five and one-half millions above the 1939 figure.

In September and October the arms embargo was on, and no arms licenses were issued to Britain. In November, Britain got \$14,000,000 worth of them.

But in December, the total fell to \$66,840—about 1/47th of the total issued to Finland, which took \$3,136,000, and a much smaller fraction of the French December total of \$15,000,000. (For the full year, France got \$122,000,000 worth of licenses).

British purchases of American staples like cotton, tobacco, apples, and so on, have fallen heavily; common explanation is that Britain has only so much cash to spend in America, and must put it all into munitions. So far, however, it hasn't shown up in the export license tables.

OHIO'S presidential candidate, Senator Robert A. Taft, is a bit of a farmer on the side; has 60 acres near Cincinnati, and grows (among other things) prize raspberries.

Mrs. Taft is in on it; she raises prize dahlias, remarks, "Bob takes care of the farm part—my job is the flowers." Since dahlias do well in soil enriched by other crops, you're apt to find hers all

of hazing. It is meant in fun. It is executed in miserable cowardice. Think of striking a fellow when he dares not resent it! Shame on the hazer! Don't be yellow.

Remember, gamblers will and do steal. The gambling habit is easy to form and almost impossible to break. It is a consuming fire. Watch the first short steps leading that way.

Your fraternity will be well-nigh either salvation or damnation to many of you. Make it what it ought to be or get out of it.

If you are a co-ed in college, do not be familiar with friends of the opposite sex. Public exhibition of personal interest in such a friend cheapens you and makes on lookers sick. Learn to be cordial and friendly without being coarse or familiar.

Be a member of only one athletic team, or other organization that travels away from college.

Travel every day and everywhere with God. He is more companionable than most of you think.

Your roommate is by far the most important person you will

"OUT OUR WAY"

BY WILLIAMS



RED RYDER By Hamlin



Legal Records

New Cars Registered

Ford coupe, Lone Star Gas Co., Ranger.

Ford coupe, Lee Aguirre, Eastland.

Mercury sedan, Bessie Marie Hoffert, Ranger.

Ford sedan, Bobby Miller, Eastland.

Pontiac sedan, Mrs. Stella Jarrett, Olden.

Ford tudor, A. S. Whitley, Ranger.

Lincoln sedan, Pete Jensen, Ranger.

Packard sedan, Clyde Grissom, Eastland.

Chevrolet coupe, W. K. Hyer, Eastland.

Chevrolet, H. H. Thompkins, Ciano.

Buick sedan, Harry Wheelon, Dallas.

Ford sedan, Guy Patterson.

Chevrolet sedan, Floyd Maynard, Rising Star.

Ford truck, Frank Bailey, Eastland.

International truck, Arab Gasoline Corporation, Eastland.

Ford pickup, E. Dishroon, Ranger.

Chevrolet sedan, V. O. Wyatt, Olden.

The total amount spent by the oil industry in Texas from the discovery of oil through 1938 was more than seven billion dollars.

The President says he is getting tired of the third-term question. And how, Mr. Roosevelt, do you suppose we feel?

IF THROAT IS SORE

IF A COLD has given you a miserable sore throat, here's how to relieve the suffering.

DO THIS NOW—Melt a small lump of VapoRub on your tongue and feel the comforting medication slowly trickle down your throat—bathing the irritated membranes—bringing blessed relief where you want it, when you want it.

DO THIS TOMORROW—Rub chest, chest with VapoRub. Its long continued pain- and vapor action loosens phlegm, relieves irritation, eases coughing, invites healing sleep.

ALLEY OOP By Fred Harman



COLLEGIATE

(Continued from page 2.)

the county did go dry. More and I'm glad it did, but don't forget the questions.

"Oh, no, couldn't forget the questions. Say small fry, guess you're working pretty hard these days with six weeks tests coming up."

"Yeah, quite a bit of work, lots to learn in Education—English criticisms to get and math problems to work—but listen I'm getting impatient. How about the questions?"

"The questions, oh yes. Let's see in this pocket—some receipts, gum wrappers, chicken feed and oh yes, here are some of the latest Confucius sayings."

"Now look here, Mort, I asked you for some questions—how about it?"

"Oh yes, the questions—hear that, poor excuse? Those are copiers, not the kind with flat feet, but the kind you spend."

"That's very good but stop making that noise. It sounds like you're ringing bells."

"Ringing bells is right. I'm giving

ing two pictures four bells. What's Jimmie Fidler got that I haven't got?"

"A radio contract and Mrs. Fidler, but go ahead what are the two pictures?"

"The pictures are, my little interruptive friend, 'Broadway Melodies of 1940' and 'Another Thin Man.'"

"Mort, those weren't bells you were ringing, what were they?"

"Those my little squirrel fool, were several locks I've been having fun with around school you know locking people in."

"Yes I know but you didn't have so much luck did you?"

"Well no—but I noticed down in reading room the old time RJC Gazette had been published once more."

"Yeah—pretty good too—you know nothing is censored but the noise down there."

"So I hear—by the way who was the boy visiting down there Monday?"

"Oh that was one of our ex-students from Gorman, 'Peanut' Smith we called him and I'll have you know he had the nerve to come up here without any peanuts."

"Students, there are some things you must settle so definitely that

Try Our Want Ads.

Society Notes

Second Drago Musical Recital This Evening

The second of two recitals by the students of the Drago studio in Eastland will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the First Methodist church in Eastland.

Ranger students appearing on tonight's program will be Russell Fendren, Ann Matthews, Lloyd Fendren, Maxine Pearsall, Maxine Fendren, Jane Matthews, Charles Osteen, and Muri Dean Murrell. Students from Ranger who ap-

Listen, Mister!

There is a difference in hair cuts. A good one is a cut that suits the shape of your head and helps the hair lie neatly in place. Get your next one here and note the difference.

GHOLSON BARBER SHOP

Political Announcements

The newspaper is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 17th District: OTIS (OAT) MILLER of Jones County

For Assessor-Collector: CLYDE S. KARKALITS

For County Clerk: R. V. (RIP) GALLOWAY

For Sheriff: LOSS WOODS

For Criminal District Attorney: EARL CONNER, JR.

For County Judge: W. S. ADAMSON

For County Treasurer: GARLAND BRANTON

For District Clerk: JOHN WHITE

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: HENRY V. DAVENPORT

Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: J. N. McFATTER

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peared on last evening's program were Billy Ross Hodges, Jack Pearsall and Rosemary Bruce. The public is invited to attend the recital this evening.

Episcopal Guild Meets With Mrs. Palmer

The Episcopal Guild met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. C. Palmer. At the close of the study a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Harry Phillips, Miss Mable Darts, Mrs. J. E. Fletcher, Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale, and Mrs. J. H. Holt.

Child Welfare Club To Meet Wednesday

The members of the Child Welfare Club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Holt, Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock for a luncheon and business meeting.

Y. W. A. Meets at Home of Sponsor

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church met at the church at 7:30 Monday evening and from there they went to the home of their sponsor, Mrs. Elvia King on

Internal Persuader Children Take To

Next time your child is constipated and it has him headachy, bilious, upset, give him Syrup of Black-Draught. It's a tasty liquid companion to the famous powder. Most children take to it its chief ingredients help tone lax bowels muscles. Taken by simple directions Syrup of Black-Draught usually acts gently, punctually, thoroughly. Comes in 2 sizes: 50c and 25c.

PHILLIPS 66 TELEGRAM

January 17, 1940

To AL TUNE, Ranger, Texas

New Phillips 66 now Higher Anti-Knock For some time we have been delivering this New Gasoline to dealers—A Double Premium Gasoline at the price of regular.

The Octane rating of this Highest Test Gasoline has been raised so high that it practically gives the same knockless performance of gasoline formerly sold for 2 cents extra.

A. M. HUGHES, Vice President, Charge of Sales. If you are going to spend a dollar for Gasoline why not get the most for your money?

AL TUNE & SON, Ranger, Texas

H. H. VAUGHN SERVICE STATION

100% T-P Products

Distilled Water for Sale

Washing—Greasing—Storage

Washing—Greasing—Storage

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Washing—Greasing—Storage

Blundell Street for a social. Various games were enjoyed after which refreshments were served to the following members and guests:

Thelma Acuff, Thelma Comp-ton, Dorothy Neville, Lucille Blakney, Inez Harrell, Mary Jane Todd, Velma Brown, Mona Robinson, Beatrice Reagan, Fern Allen, Meroney, Juanita Usery, Pearl McAuley, Mrs. King, Sherry Ann King.

W.S.C.S. Meets for Study of Psalms

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a continuation of the study of "Songs of Zion" under the direction of Mrs. C. E. May. After the opening hymn, "Take Time to Be Holy," Mrs. Lillian Wolf led in prayer.

Mrs. O. L. Phillips, leader of the program, in introducing the Psalms of Sorrow, read the Forty-second Psalm. Mrs. Lloyd B. Cherry gave a very inspiring discussion of "Comfort in Sorrow."

Verbs from Psalms were read by various members to stress points made by Mrs. Phillips. Mrs. Vernon Deffebach led a round-table discussion on "Attitudes Towards Sorrow."

The benediction was said by Mrs. M. H. Hagaman. The next meeting will be a business, bulletin, and council program.

Mrs. Cherry to Lead New Era Program

Mrs. Lloyd Cherry will be leader of the program when the New Era club meets Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. B. S. Dudley.

A study of Colombia and Venezuela will be conducted.

Royal Neighbors in Meeting Monday Evening

Changing their date of meeting from Wednesday evening to Monday evening the Royal Neighbors held the first meeting, under the new schedule, at the L.O.O.F. hall Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Oracle Mable Southern presided over the meeting which was attended by 17 members. A number of members were reported ill.

Mrs. Fleas Moore, Mrs. F. E. Ellis and Mrs. Raymond Doss were initiated at the meeting.

At the close of the business session refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Bible Study Club Meets With Mrs. Simons

The Bible Study Club of the Christian Church met Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Glenn Simons.

The meeting was opened with a prayer offered by Mrs. J. A. Stacks.

Mrs. Simons was leader for the lesson which was taken from the book of Hosea. Others having parts in the study were Mrs. J. C. Carothers, Mrs. E. T. Matthews, Mrs. Carl Clemmer and Mrs. H. B. Johnson.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. Simons after which refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. H. A. Warner, Dick Jones, J. H. Wallace, John Mills, R. A. Jones, J. A. Stacks, Carl Clemmer, J. C. Carothers, E. T. Matthews and H. B. Johnson.

W. M. U. Has Royal Service Program

The Christiana Donath circle was hostess Monday afternoon when the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist church met at the church for a Royal Service program.

Mrs. E. F. Duncan, missionary chairman, was leader of the program and a devotional on "The Missionary Heart" was given by Mrs. Seth Mahoney. Mrs. Bob Hodges offered a prayer for world wide missionary interest.

Mrs. E. A. Steele spoke on "The Call to Witness and Mrs. J. E. Ogg told of "Some Early Witnesses" at the close of which Mrs. W. A. Renner offered a prayer for consecration to the missionary cause.

Mrs. Chester Rogers discussed "The Witness of Good Will Centers" and a closing prayer for a world revival was offered by Mrs. W. A. Walker.

In a short business session it was announced that a Workers Conference will be held in Claco Friday. This is an associational meeting and will be opened promptly at 9:30.

Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the church here there will be a review of the mission book in preparation for the Ann W. Armstrong week of prayer which will begin next Monday.

Workers Meeting To Be Held Tonight

The Monthly Workers meeting for the Training Union for all departments of the First Baptist church will be held at 7:30 at the church tonight.

With everybody announcing his presidential candidacy, there is likely to be a premium on dark horses when the conventions get under way.

The Japanese are looking for a Chinese general they reported dead a few years ago. They intend to kill him for deceiving them.

Society Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Alworth left Monday for New York and will sail from there on March 9, for Rumania, where Mr. Alworth is superintendent for the Standard Oil company at Bucharest.

Mrs. Roy Hanson and two daughters of Carlsbad, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. Betty Craver and Mrs. Julia Hanson.

Fred Waggoner of Abilene is visiting in Ranger, today.

Mrs. Grace Taylor and Miss Sally Reding were in Dallas, Monday to attend the Texas Beauty Congress.

Mrs. Mary Young and Mrs. Ruth Masick attended the Beauty Congress held Monday at the Adolphus hotel in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Drake will leave Wednesday for Gallup, New Mexico to make their home. Mr. Drake has been transferred to the management of the Montgomery Ward and Company of that city.

Mrs. Llewellyn Butler and Miss Ena Davis attended the Beauty Congress held in Dallas Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Frank Hicklin is confined to her home because of illness.

Mrs. Izzetta Smith was in Dallas, Monday to attend the Beauty Congress.

Charles Conley of Monahans is spending a few days in Ranger.

Mrs. Ray McHenry, Miss Jean Peterson and Miss Billie Nell Gordon attended the Beauty Congress in Dallas, Monday.

Mrs. M. H. Hagaman, Mrs. O. L. Phillips, Mrs. C. E. May, Mrs. James L. Turner and Mrs. Carl Hill are in Brownwood today to attend the institute of the Sixth District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haney have announced the arrival Monday of their adopted baby girl who has been named Joy Lee.

West Central Texas

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W. J. Greer, J. E. Hardy Survey, May 26, 2,660 feet, 87 barrels. Lone Star Gas Co.'s No. 1 G. P. Mitcham, Section 476, S. P. Survey, June 16, 3,590 feet, 2,300,000 cubic feet of gas.

Jack County
A. E. Sewell et al's No. 2 Geo. Edwards, BBB&C Ry. Survey A-104, February 15, 344 feet, 5 barrels.

Pitzer & West et al's No. 1 F. Warren, TE&L, Section 2784, February 26, 4,418 feet, 167 barrels.

Nelson Oil Syndicate's No. 1 O. M. Bridwell, T. B. Riddle Survey A-1647, August 16, 4,405 feet, 1,660 barrels.

R. D. Compton et al's No. 1 Robert Wilson, H. H. Fuquay Survey A-217, February 22, 386 feet, 20 barrels.

Jones County
T. D. Humphrey's No. 2 Guitar, Section 44, Block 15, T&P Survey in Guitar Pool, June 9, 2,139 feet, 40 barrels.

R. R. Carroll's No. 2 Herndon, Sub. 3, Goliad C. S. L. Survey 359, December 12, 2,895 feet, 10 barrels.

Kittery Oil Co. J. L. Douglas No. 1 J. M. Blanton, S. L. Underwood Survey 1, July 8, 1,632 feet, 53 barrels.

N. H. Martin & Son's No. 1 Wirt Daxis, Sub. 7, Mrs. F. M. Smyth Survey 3, September 11, 1,716 feet, 35 barrels.

J. H. Sprouls et al's No. 1 J. Nichols, T&P Section 47, Block 16, February 18, 1,791 feet, 15 barrels.

Nolan County
Green & Owens et al's (now Hose & Metcalfe) No. 1 S. C. Tipton, Section 43, T&P Block 19, 4,370 feet, 116 barrels.

Palo Pinto County
J. W. Lane and W. D. Dilbeck's No. 1 Dalton, Section 1789, TE&L Survey, March 2, 1,220 feet, 75 barrels.

Post Oak Oil Co.'s No. 1 R. S. Dalton, NE 1-4 Section 1789, TE&L Survey, February, 1,240 feet, 12 barrels.

Shackelford County
Jesse L. Douglas's No. 1 W. D. Baker, Section 210, E. T. Survey, January 6, 1,833 feet, 50 barrels.

Rosser & Pendleton, Inc.-Continental Oil Co.'s Cook 2-A-89, near E. T. Ry., Section 89, July 29, 1,464 feet, 3,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

B. & F. Bonded Cotton Warehouse Co.'s No. 1 E. Spell, near NW Section 14, Blind Asylum Lands, September 18, 622 feet, 5 barrels.

Fain-McGaha Oil Corp. et al's No. 1 E. S. Dawson-Conway, P. G. Holcomb Survey, September 18, 1,496 feet, 37 barrels.

Stephens County
Wittmer Oil & Gas Properties-Knight & Ewing's No. 2 B. D. Loving, C. N. W. E. Section 11, Orphan Asylum Lands, November 28, 2,263 feet, 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

1538 Participate In Activities at Community Center

The Corral Community Center reported a participation last week of 1,538, with approximately 50 spectators. The most popular activity is volleyball, with 395 participating. Pocket checkers was second with 350, and ping pong third with 325.

So great was the demand for these games that arrangements are being made to have two volleyball courts, an additional ping pong table, and another pocket checker game. A drinking fountain will be installed soon.

The Corral will allow an additional half hour for play by remaining open on week days until 6 p. m. Saturday hours are from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Tuesdays and Thursdays are high school days and Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays open to everyone.

Evening activities for the week include: Tuesday, Sports evening, 7:30 to 10:00 p. m. Everyone invited. Volley ball practice for league teams.

Thursday evening, Adults' evening. Games and folk and square dancing.

Friday evening, High School evening. Games and folk dancing. Ranger people who have not taken advantage of facilities of the Center are especially invited to come up and take part in the activities.

Wittmer Oil & Gas Properties-Knight & Ewing's No. 1 B. D. Loving Section 66, Blind Asylum Lands, September 10, 3,512 feet, 1,200 barrels.

T. G. Shaw, Tr.'s No. 1 S. P. Stroud, G. W. Newton Survey A-128, October 21, 2,602 feet, 140 barrels.

George E. Fagg's No. 1 W. B. Richardson, Section 5, Block 3, S. P. Survey, December 5, 4,028 feet, 232 barrels.

Stonewall County
Forest Development Co. and King Drilling Co.'s No. 1 Boyd, Section 45, Block D, H&C Survey, April 1, 4,690 feet, 188 barrels.

Throckmorton County
Industrial Oil Corp.-A. G. Bedner's No. 1 T. Morrison, TE&L, Section 1614, April 1, 832 feet, 12 barrels.

Payne & Patterson's No. 1 R. W. Kelly, SW 1-4 Section 2, J. B. Graham Survey A-1421, April, 778 feet, 23 barrels.

Young County
K. R. March et al's No. 1 Hunt-McClatchey, TE&L, Section 79, March, 1,134 feet, 40 barrels.

Carl Leidecker-Bryson Oil & Gas Co.'s No. 1 J. M. Nail, TE&L, Section 1997, June, 4,465 feet, 1,248 barrels.

G. A. Langlie-R. G. Plato-Geo. Haddaway's No. 1 T. F. Harmon, Susan Sallie Survey A-252, March, 590 feet, 8 barrels.

E. W. Hunt et al's No. 1 H. M. Goss, TE&L, Section 1592, October, 1,221 feet, 5 barrels.

C. W. Clark et al's No. 1 H. M. Goss, TE&L, Section 1592, February, 1,207 feet, 4 barrels.

R. R. Brader-O. Groves et al's No. 1 J. L. Clark, C. Newhaus Survey A-1814, February, 3,865 feet, 43 barrels.

Cosden Petroleum Co.'s No. 1 Stanafelt, Section 11, AB&M Survey, September 16, 2,800 feet, 283 barrels.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation's No. 16-B R. D. Owens, R. D. Owens Survey A-2245, March, 4,005 feet, 401 barrels.

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