





News Review of Current Events

C.I.O. STEEL POWER FADES

Thousands Back at Jobs as Companies Maintain Stand Congress Digs In... Hitler Warns He'll Act Alone

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Steel Furnaces Glow Again PLANTS of the independent steel corporations in Pennsylvania and Ohio were once more operating as the troops kept the peace. Violence among strikers, workers and police dwindled to a handful of hand-to-hand fights in which injuries were comparatively few.



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The Rogues' Gallery JOHN LARDNER Brings Us Up to Date



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By JOHN LARDNER THE short cut to success as a newspaper serial writer is a mastery of what we experts call the Synopsis.

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Just So You'll Know. LOVELY YSOBEL VAN PUYTEN, daughter of a ne'er-do-well plumber and a Syrian snake charmer, has fallen madly in love with JACK HACKENSCHMIDT, gay, adventurous taxidermist, whose boss, SAM PLUNK, is trying to avoid GERALDINE GRAMERCY, his third cousin by an annulled marriage which had been performed years ago by lovable old PROFESSOR KINGSLEY, lovable old justice of the peace, who is in love with YSOBEL but concealing it from

TONY STOAT, noted detective, who admires GERALDINE. Crazed by liquor, the two fight a duel in ALEX SWEENEY'S saloon, and JACK is killed. The blame for the murder falls upon WILL SCREWBALL, a good-natured stranger, who does not enter the story at all, and the next night, at the taxidermist's annual clambake and chestnut roast, SAM PLUNK demands a showdown with

HARRY MCGARY, popular steeplejack, in love with YSOBEL but concealing it from TONY STOAT, noted detective, who admires GERALDINE. Crazed by liquor, he jumps off the train and stumbles upon the guilty pair roasting chestnuts in the moonlight. The sight is more than the lovable old justice of the peace can bear, and he pulls his gun just as TONY STOAT is disembarking from a tramp steamer in far-off SINGAPORE, who is in love with YSOBEL. Now go on with the story.

Chapter 11—Stoat thrust his hands in his pockets and laughed coolly. "So," he remarked lightly, while his right hand tightened unobtrusively over the muzzle of his revolver, "so, I come halfway 'round the world, and I find this."

Harlow Sprocket looked him squarely in the eye and sneered frankly, though competently. "Yes," he responded casually, "you do."

What Happens Tomorrow. "Well," snapped the detective nonchalantly, as their eyes met, "it won't happen again."

TOMORROW—Will Helen reach her mother's side before it is too late? See tomorrow's installment of "True Love Curdles for Ysobel," or "One of Us Is Lying."

If you students of the writing game have been following me up to this point, you know more about writing serials already than most people learn in a lifetime or less. Our next synopsis, preceding Chapter 12, brings matters to a head.

THE STORY SO FAR: Glorious YSOBEL VAN PUYTEN, in love with life and not afraid to show it, is the cause of a duel between JACK HACKENSCHMIDT, unemployed taxidermist, and a couple of congressmen named CARMICHAEL. Crazed by liquor, but carrying it well, JACK enters ALEX SWEENEY'S saloon and admires GER-

ALDINE GRAMERCY, but conceals it from TONY STOAT, undefeated detective, who is in SINGAPORE doing his duty as he sees it. Entrusted with IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL DOCUMENTS, who are in love with YSOBEL, STOAT picks a fight with a former cousin of GERALDINE'S, happy-go-lucky HARLOW SPROCKET, and kills him. The blame for the murder falls upon WILL SCREWBALL, clean-living passerby, who is finding it harder and harder to keep out of the story, inasmuch as

SAM PLUNK, her father, is prepared to sell the patent for a million dollars. GERALDINE, believing JACK to be in love with YSOBEL, decides to throw herself out of the window, but the wind is against her and she lands in the private office of PETER DE PEYSTER, wealthy mussel-digger. It is love at first sight. Now go on with the story.

Now for Another Chapter. Chapter 12—Geraldine looked up at the stranger with a smile in her blue eyes, and grinned shyly. "I beg your pardon," she remarked appealingly, "but is this love at first sight?"

"No," responded the young man. "His wit charmed her as much as his obvious friendliness, and she smiled back at him with her eyes. Neither noticed the shadow that suddenly fell athwart the transom, blocking out the sunlight as well as the defensive quarterback.

TOMORROW—Who or what is the Shadow? Anyone who knows? For a thrilling answer to this cosmological problem, see tomorrow's installment of "True Love Curdles for Ysobel," or "Around the World on the Half Shell."

Doctor Gives Baby Breath of Life



His own mouth pressed against the tiny lips of a new-born baby, Dr. A. L. Gilbert of Elwood, Ill., breathed the breath of life into the tiny lungs. While the doctor kept the baby alive, an inhalator was rushed to Elwood from a nearby city. The little life was saved.

WORLD'S RECORD CATCH



Bigger than the young angler who caught it is the 60-pound white sea bass recently landed by Douglas Bombard, age eleven, off Santa Catalina island, Calif. Douglas made the catch from a little speed boat using flying fish for bait, with a light tackle with a breaking strength of 26 pounds. The young angler's record breaks the former record of E. A. Brewster.

Shriners Elect Sugden Imperial Potentate



View of part of the parade of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine in Detroit in connection with the recent convention. John W. Ashworth, eighty-seven years old, said to be the oldest noble at the convention is shown riding in the parade. Right, is Walter S. Sugden of Sistriville, W. Va., elected imperial potentate.

F. Tafford Taylor Heads Kiwanians



F. Tafford Taylor of St. Boniface, Manitoba, Canada, who was elected president of Kiwanis International for 1937-38 at the recent convention at Indianapolis. He has been a member of the club since 1924. Delegates from all parts of the United States and Canada attended the convention.

Youngest Eagle Tries His Wings



Edward Somers, twelve years old, became the country's youngest "eagle" when he took off for his solo flight at Floyd Bennett field at Long Island, N. Y. Instructor Pilot Archie Baxter wishes him luck. Eddie comes from a flying family. His father, Congressman Andrew L. Somers of Brooklyn, is a pilot.

Baseball Men Honor Memory of Frank Chance



Memories of another baseball era—Frank Chance's day—were revived recently by the Chicago Cubs at a luncheon given by P. K. Wrigley and later at the ball park where the principal ceremonial was the presentation to the present Cubs of a bronze plaque. Shown in the photograph, left to right, front row, John O. Seys, Mordecai Brown, Johnny Evers, Warren Brown; standing, left to right; Joe Tinker, Jimmy Archer, Bill Terry, Charlie Grimm and Jack McCarthy.

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now for the purpose of maintaining law and order; to protect the rights of those who want to go back to work.

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Adolf Hitler Scores Neutrals

FROM now on," Adolf Hitler told 200,000 Nazis at a party rally in Hamburg, "we will prefer . . . to have the freedom, independence, honor and security of our nation into our own hands and protect ourselves alone. Disgusted, Germany withdrew from the non-intervention patrol of Spain, as Italy did likewise. Der Fuehrer warned that the Nazis would take independent action to protect themselves from attacks by the Spanish government. He described new Germany had been condemned for shelling Almeria after a Spanish airplane had bombed the cruiser Deutschland, and how, when the cruiser Leipzig was attacked by the submarine while on patrol duty, the non-intervention committee had done nothing about it.

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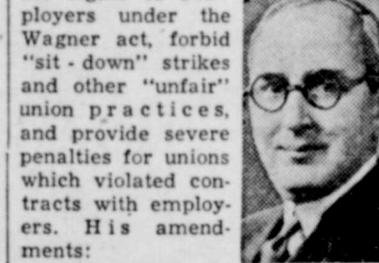
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Senator Vandenberg

Prohibit compulsory political assessments on union members. Require that all union officers, agents and representatives be United States citizens. Forbid union organization by coercion. Prohibit damage to property, strikes intended to force any person to violate a contract or federal laws, and violations of "any person's rights in real or personal property."

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Steel officials handed Taft a written resume of their stand, that they would not make any agreement with "irresponsible" C. I. O. They admitted that the Wagner act might force them to negotiate with the union, but declared another law provides that no one need make a contract he doesn't want to make. Governor Davey of Ohio revealed that after the board had given up, Secretary Perkins telephoned to ask him to subpoena steel chiefs to the state capital, Columbus, and "keep them there until they sign an agreement." Meanwhile a state troops would keep the mills closed. Perkins suggested, Governor Davey refused, saying: "Secretary Perkins' suggestion would be the exercise of the most autocratic and dictatorial power ever attempted. In private life it would be kidnapping. "Until the courts have decided that the companies have to sign contracts or agreements I have no right to take anybody and hold them. I have no right to keep plants closed except in case of riot. . . . The troops are in the steel district

# THE MESSENGER

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### OBSERVERS

Are you a close observer, as you walk or drive along the country side, or wherever you may be? Are you interested in what your neighbor may be growing in his field, or that he may have made some recent improvements? Are you interested in that our small town stores compare very favorably with those in cities, in that they have modern display windows, and carry nationally known merchandise? Do you happen to be like a clerk, who has lived and clerked in the valley for nearly a quarter of a century, and did not know what a go-devil is, or like the woman who has been going to town for twenty-odd years, and did not know that certain store had been there all that time?

It might be a wise idea to teach the children a few of these niceties, that when they come to town, there is something else intown besides candy and ice cream cones, and that out in the country real people live. That all, is a part of their education, and if you fail in that you've failed in one of the great essentials of their lives.

## Kernels From An Old Nut

Dr. John B. Angell, son of one great college president and grandson of another, himself about to retire from Yale University, recently made some observations upon our educational problems that should be given serious consideration because of their application to the every day lives of each one of us.

In the course of an interview he quoted from Lord Bryce: "Knowledge is one only among the things which go to the making of a good citizen. Public spirit and honesty are even more needful."

Commenting upon this Dr. Angell said: "The task of education today is more than ever before in the field of morals. The attitude of a man toward his job in the world is much more important than his intellectual equipment for the job. If he does not approach the world with an intelligent social altruism and with the willingness to impose upon himself a high degree of social discipline under which he will forego some of the individual prerogatives which he once could claim, then he is not yet educated."

If the task of the college today "lies more than ever in the field of morals" it is because the task of the individual lies so. This generation has made considerable advance in the field of education, as such. Have we made the same advance in the concurrent fields of honesty and public spirit? Are we learning to impose upon ourselves the high degree of social discipline of which Dr. Angell speaks?

### SIXTY WATER RIGHTS ARE TO BE RETIRED

Sixty water rights in the Hope community will be retired as rapidly as possible, it was announced at Hope last week, following word that a government loan of \$28,800 had been granted for the purchase and retirement of sixty water rights. Settlement is being effected in the transaction as rapidly as deeds and papers can be delivered.

Messenger Want Ads Get Results!

## "THAT LITTLE GAME" Inter-nat'l Cartoon Co., N.Y.—By B. Link



### A Line To You

BY E. M.

Do You Know Them:  
Where the trunk was all packed and locked for leaving, suit case and all, keys on ring, etc., and the whole procedure postponed?

The lady in Hagerman of whom it is said: "She is very much like Pearl Buck?"

The four young people who could find nothing to do the fourth except ride up and down main street and ring a cow bell?

The lady who, on a moment's notice, furnished thirty water lilies for the wedding?

The lady who was equally as generous with gorgeous "Glads" for the same affair?

That Hagerman flower growers proved to be veritable green houses last Sunday morning?

The charming new bride in town?

We've always doted on going to weddings and so we thought when we became a reporter, that sure enough "here's where we will get to go to all of them"—and we're just about to be peevish for we've sure enough been left out. Oh well! We did arouse some interest when we said Hagerman had only one church wedding in its history. Now we suggest that all who have been married in churches in Hagerman to please come to the fron, for we've discovered one or more in our unearthing.

The mother, who on a recent trip met the young gentleman of whom so much had been heard for three years?

A small town merchant, when asked why he wouldn't advertise, answered, "I advertised once last summer and the consequence was, I had so much business I didn't have time to go fishing for the whole season."—Swiped.

We don't like this hot weather. It's too much like the California climate; too monotonous.

### ALMANAC



"Cast no mud into the well from which thou hast drunk."

- 7-10-1937 - Nat. Democratic Convention nominated Horatio Seymour for Pres., 1938.
- 10-10-1937 - President Jackson vetoed the bill rechartering the United States bank, 1832.
- 11-10-1937 - The United States Senate expelled ten southern members, 1861.
- 12-10-1937 - Employees of Smith and Wesson Co. at Springfield, Mass., strike for wage increase, 1918.
- 13-10-1937 - The Great Eastern started to lay the third Atlantic cable, 1866.
- 14-10-1937 - The French Bastille stormed by revolting peasants, 1789.
- 15-10-1937 - Treaty made with western tribes at Prairie du Chien, 1830.

## THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH  
Lee Vaughn, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. F. W. Sadler, superintendent.  
Morning service each second and fourth Sundays 11:00 a. m.  
B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. R. M. Middleton, director.  
Evening service each second and fourth Sundays 7:30 p. m.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Ben F. Gehman, superintendent.  
Morning service 11:00 a. m.  
League 7:00 p. m.  
Evening service 8:00 p. m.  
Everyone is welcome to all services.

J. H. WALKER, Pastor.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

G. A. STRICKLAND, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning services, 11:00 a. m.  
Services Tuesday, 8:15 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Thursday, 8:15 p. m.  
Saturday at 8:00 p. m. we will be on the street again. Every one is welcome to these services.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Emery C. Fritz, Pastor.  
J. E. Wimberly, Sunday school superintendent.  
Sunday services:  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m.  
Monday  
Ladies Missionary society, second Monday each month, 2:30 p. m.  
Wednesday  
Ladies Aid society every month 1:00 to 5:00 p. m. Wednesday.

Dr. C. C. Hightower of Roswell will preach at the Methodist church Sunday at 8:00 p. m. At the closing of the service a business session of the third quarterly conference will be held.

### DAILY VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Mrs. J. Chalmers Ross, who is director of Children's Week Day Bible classes of Albuquerque and vicinity, and who has so very successfully conducted the Daily Vacation Bible school of the First Presbyterian church of Albuquerque for many years, has graciously come to conduct a Daily Vacation Bible school for Hagerman.

Mrs. Ross has recently been appointed director of the district embracing New Mexico, West Texas and Arizona by the National Organization of the International Movement for the Promotion of Bible Study Among the Youth. She brings with her knowledge and experience to help us make a successful Daily Vacation Bible school here in Hagerman.

The school will begin on Monday, July 12 at 8:30 o'clock and continue through Monday, July 26th. All children of Hagerman are most cordially invited to attend this Daily Vacation Bible school—no matter where they attend Sunday school or church.

The school will meet at the Presbyterian church.

Charley White: "How did you get your face scratched?"  
Duell McDuffie: "Jumping."  
Charley White: "What do you mean, jumping?"  
Duell McDuffie: "I jumped at conclusions about the date I had last night."

CARBON PAPER—The Messenger

## NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1344.  
(Change in Place of Use)  
Santa Fe, New Mexico, July 6, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of June, 1937 in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, J. V. Brown of Hagerman, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to change the place of use of 40 acre feet of shallow water appropriated from the well drilled in the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 15, T. 14 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., under authority of Permit No. RA-1344, said change to be made by applying only 2 1/2 acre feet per acre per annum upon 80 acres located in the S 1/2 NE 1/4 of said section 15 instead of 3 acre feet per annum as allowed by said permit, and by applying the one-half acre feet per acre per annum to 80 acres located in the N 1/2 NE 1/4 of said section 15.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice.

The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 14th day of August, 1937.  
THOMAS M. McCLURE,  
27-31-29 State Engineer.

## NOTICE STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of Application RA-1304  
Enlargement.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico, June 30, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that on the 18th day of Mach, 1937, in accordance with Chapter 131 of the Session Laws of 1931, Pearson Brothers of Lake Arthur, County of Chaves, State of New Mexico, made application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the shallow ground water of the Roswell Artesia Basin to extent of 240 acre feet per annum by the pumping of a 12 1/2 inch well approximately 150 feet in depth, located in the SE 1/4 NE 1/4 section 19, T. 14 S., R. 26 E., N. M. P. M., for the purpose of irrigating 80 acres of land described as being the W 1/2 NW 1/4 of section 20, T. 14 S., R. 26 E.

Any person, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application will be truly detrimental to their rights in the waters of said underground source may file a complete sworn statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and file proof of service of a copy thereof upon the applicant with the State Engineer within ten days after the date of the last publication of this notice. The date set for the State Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested is the 9th day of August, 1937.  
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## LAND OFFICE SHOWS \$36,000 JUNE GAIN

SANTA FE.—State land commissioner Frank Worden reported Friday that the state land office receipts for June were \$270,831 an increase of approximately \$36,000 over the previous month and more than \$100,000 above receipts for June, 1936.

Receipts of the office for May were \$234,394, and for June last year, were \$172,853.

## BULL ELK IS FAMILY PET



WHEN she tires of the piled-up peaks around her home and the radio fails to produce a good program, Mrs. L. A. Smith, wife of the Canadian National Railways' section foreman at Geikie station, in the heart of Jasper National Park, Alberta, can always call into the bush and hold conversation with "Beauty," her pet elk. For five years now Beauty has kept up his acquaintance with Mrs. Smith even though it is sometimes hard on the Smith larder. In addition to sundry vegetables and loaves of bread, this eight-year-old bull elk consumed two crates of apples this winter and spring. Those, Mrs. Smith explains, are his desert. From November to May, Beauty is the Smith family pet. He then becomes a travelling man. "But," says Mrs. Smith, "he doesn't fail to come at my call when his playday days are over. It will be his sixth anniversary with us next Fall."

## SEA BIRD SANCTUARY



BONAVENTURE ISLAND, just off Perce at the eastern tip of the Gaspé Peninsula on the south shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence in Quebec, is one of the greatest sea bird sanctuaries in the world. The island and the steep cliffs of the nearby mainland are protected by the government and on these hospitable shores tens of thousands of sea birds make their nests each year. The principal varieties are gulls, gannets and cormorants. Reached by rail or highway, Perce Village has, in recent years, become famous for its beauty with tourists and especially with artists. The photographs show a general view of Perce and Bonaventure Island, a cliff side loaded down with sea birds and a close-up of a few gannets nesting on the rocks.

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
Land Office at Las Cruces  
M., June 10, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that Rick E. Jernigan, of Box 42, well, N. M., who, on June 27, made homestead entry, No. 7 for N 1/4, section 13, township S., range 29 E., N. M. P. M. has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to claim to the land above described before Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, N. M. on the 29th day of July, 1937.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Frank Lively, Harry C. J. W. Morgan, W. D. Hagan of Roswell, N. M.  
PAUL A. ROACH,  
23-51-27

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior  
eral Land Office at Las Cruces  
New Mexico, June 24, 1937.

William V. Wilson, of Hagerman, New Mexico, Felix R., of June 23, 1932, made Homestead entry No. 046431, for S 1/2 Section 29, Township 14 Range 23 East, N. M. P. M. filed notice of intention to three year Proof, to establish to the land above described, Dan C. Savage, U. S. Commissioner, at Roswell, New Mexico, 12th day of August, 1937.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Jiles N. Hopkins, Edmondson, Archie D. Fidler, Thomas Bartlett, all of Hagerman, Mexico.  
PAUL A. ROACH,  
26-51-30

It seems the gate broke between Heaven and Hell. He appeared at the broken gate and called out to the "Hey, Satan. It's your job it this time."  
"Sorry," replied the man land beyond the Styx. "My too busy to worry about mere gate."  
"Well then," scowled St. "I'll have to sue you for our agreement."  
"Oh, yeah," yelled the "where are you going to lawyers?"

The Silver City Press if Doc. Brinkley is such a the human race he ought to the air and stay off and take Dawn and some of the other off with him.

The Wide-Awakes was a division of the Republican organized in 1890 to promote election of Lincoln; one of the organizations of uniformed light guard enthusiasts in lean politics.

Cannon From Old States navy frigate known as Old Ironsides, ed in the yard of a Galva vault company. The old ship served in the Boston navy.

Chinese Walking Fish Chinese walking fish (Clupea) inhabit rice fields and dry season when only shallow remain. They are said to wiggle over the ground to able pools.

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# In The WEEK'S NEWS

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WHAT THE 1937 BATHING BEAUTY WILL WEAR



FAVOR LITTLE RED SCHOOLHOUSE. Jonathan Zook, left, and Amos Fisher represented the Amish sect in East Lampeter, Pa., in Washington recently. They protested the use of WPA funds to build a consolidated school in their township, favoring the simplicity of the "little red schoolhouse."



PRIME MINISTER



STRIKE CLASH IN CHICAGO—Six were killed and scores of police and strikers injured when a riot occurred outside the gates of strike-bound Illinois steel plants. Here casualties are being picked up from the battleground.



PRIME MINISTER

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard King of Tatum made a brief call with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wiggins the latter part of last week. Mr. King is a nephew of Mr. Wiggins. They plan to return for a visit on Sunday.

The Rebecca society of the Baptist church have voted to meet only once a month during the remainder of the summer. The next meeting will be on the 4th Wednesday in July, the 28th, with Mrs. Raymond Harris at her home south of Hagerman on the highway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Curry and Miss Helen Curry returned last Friday from a delightful trip thru south Texas, where they visited a sister of Mr. Curry's in Pharr, Texas and other places of interest. Miss Helen will remain at home for several weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keeth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Davis and family and their house guest, Mrs. Cecil Tuerman of Elk City, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Andrus and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Youree of Roswell enjoyed a trip to the Bonita dam over the fourth.

Richard Lange, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lange was taken to the hospital in Roswell the latter part of last week, for an emergency operation for appendicitis. Some apprehension was felt for awhile, because of the appendix having burst, but reports are that he is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Dorman and Howard left on Tuesday for Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma for a month's visit with relatives. They plan to visit in their old homes. Mrs. Dorman was the youngest of her family and Mr. Dorman was the oldest of his family. One of Mrs. Dorman's brothers still lives in the old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nash of Morton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Menoud and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Key and children spent Saturday night and Sunday in the mountains, camping out Saturday night and visiting the different places of interest on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nash left for their home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barnett and Norman returned to their home in El Paso, Texas after a short visit here with the Levi Barnett's and Mrs. W. E. Bowen and other relatives. Levi Barnett, who was stricken ill while he, Cecil and Bernice Barnett were on a fishing trip near Las Vegas, returned to El Paso with them for medical treatment.

Monday they returned home, and with them went Mrs. Helen Reid, who has been visiting Mrs. Sweat for several weeks. Mrs. John Mann also went with them for a visit in Houston.

## Some (Nay All!) Savor Sandwiches In Case You Are in a Puzzlement

When in doubt—serve sandwiches! Wrinkles of puzzlement will disappear from your brow like mist before the sun whether these time-savers are your choice for the family, or for porch, picnic or bridge party—in the good ole summertime.

All you need is "the makin's"—and don't think you can't have a real meal, either. For family or luncheon guests your sandwiches may be as substantial as your taste desires. For teatime or bridge party, these versatile "homoids" may be dainty and delicate, simple or elaborate—just as your little heart (or large appetite) desires.

Because sandwich making is a game, as well as an art, there are a few fundamental rules to follow—and after that the best hostess win! Even the rules are as simple as this:

**"Rules of the Game"**

Don't have your bread too fresh; soften your butter before spreading it; if you're going to make a large number of sandwiches cut the crust from all four sides of the loaf before slicing—it's quicker; for the children leave crusts on, they need to chew! Shape your sandwich to please yourself—oblong or square, starshaped or round and let them be good to look at as well as good to eat.

Open-faced sandwiches must be attractively garnished—and contrasting breads make sandwiches "smart"! Butter may be flavored, dressing is important, and imagination is essential. What's new? Fruit fillings and garnishes, for those sweet sandwiches which are the "sophisticates" of the sandwich-family. Chewy golden dates, combined with cream cheese, or with celery, or smoothed to a paste with orange juice, or even baked right into your bread for a sandwich-and-filling in one are popular with children of all ages. Sliced ripe bananas are a perfect taste and color combination with raspberry jam, or with rosy devil-ham—the golden slices, placed on top; and the same luscious banana, baked right into your bread, makes another moist, taste-tempting fruit bread for any sandwich party.

Don't doubt it—"sandwich in" the recipes below—hearty and hot, dainty or sweet, they'll smooth the wrinkles from your brow.

**A "Triple-Date" Sandwich**

When you've many things to do make this Date Sandwich Loaf ahead of time—it will be all ready to go to the party!

Filling No. 1. Two-thirds cup dates, 1 or 2 pieces of candied ginger, 1/2 cup nuts, and 3 table-spoons orange juice. Put dates, nuts and ginger through food chopper and add orange juice; blend to smooth paste.

Filling No. 2. One 3-oz. package cream cheese, 1/4 cup minced celery, 1/8 teaspoon salt and 2 table-spoons cream. Blend cheese, salt and cream to a smooth paste; add celery.

Filling No. 3. One-quarter cup canned cranberry sauce. Beat with fork until smooth.

Remove crusts from 1/2 loaf white bread and 1/2 loaf brown bread; cut into 1/4 inch thick slices, lengthwise; spread one slice with butter and filling No. 1. Cover with slice of bread buttered on both sides and spread with filling No. 2. Cover with slice of bread, buttered on both sides and spread with filling No. 3. Repeat layers until 7 or 8 slices of bread have been used. Cover top and sides of sandwich loaf with cream cheese smoothed to a paste with cream. Sprinkle with chopped nuts. When ready to serve cut in thin slices. 54 sandwiches.

**A Picnic Sandwich:** Wrap two slices of bacon around each peeled banana to be served; skewer with toothpick or twigs. Stick on the end of a green branch and broil over campfire until bacon is crisp. Serve between buttered slices of bread or on buttered finger roll.

Bridge Party Treat: Mix 3 ba-

## Locals

Messers and Mmes. Jeff West, Elwood Watford and Raynal Campsten spent the fourth at Bonita dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wade, Grace, Mable Jo and Junior attended the rodeo in Carlsbad last Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Michelet and Jim Michelet and families went to Sittling Bull falls to spend the fourth.

Misses Maxine Key, Doris Key and Phyllis Andrews and Messrs. Lowell Payton of Ft. Sumner, Lloyd Jackson of Portales and Ernest Greer enjoyed a picnic at Ruidoso the fourth.

Rease Lathrop underwent a major operation at the Southwestern General hospital in El Paso last Friday. He will be there for at least four months and will undergo five or six more operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Niblo from Houston, Texas have been visiting in the Jack Sweat home. They visited the Caverns Sunday and returned home on Monday. Mrs. Johnny Mann returned to Houston with them for a visit.

Mrs. John Henry Slayter and small daughter will leave for Clovis Monday, after visiting for two weeks with Mr. Slayter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Paddock, while Mr. Slayter attended National Boy Scout camp in Washington, D. C.

Rev. Emery C. Fritz went to Roswell Tuesday afternoon to attend the regular annual picnic of the families of the Berendo Woman's club which met on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Holland. Rev. Fritz was the guest speaker for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sadler and mother and Misses Marie and Toby Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Boykin and Johnnie and Mr. and Mrs. Harris Jarnagin enjoyed a picnic supper at the Bottomless lakes Sunday night and following the supper they attended the show in Roswell.

R. W. Streeby returned home Sunday after a short stay at Hot Springs. He also went to Dallas, Oregon while he was away where he was in the hospital for several days with an infected arm that almost set up blood poison. He plans to leave within the next few days for Tyler, Texas to see about the job that has been offered him at the railroad shops there.

nanas, diced with & cup diced canned pineapple. Add 1 1/2 cups diced cooked chicken, 1/4 cup diced cucumber, 1/4 teaspoon salt and mayonnaise to moisten. Spread between buttered slices of bread.

**Here's a Hot One**

One cup bologna (ground); 1 1/2 teasp. onion, finely chopped; 1 1/2 teasp. mustard; 1 1/2 teasp. lemon juice; 1 hard cooked egg; 1/4 cup celery, finely chopped; 1/4 cup mayonnaise; 12 slices bread, 2 eggs, 2 tbsps. milk; 1/4 teasp. salt.

Mix bologna, onion, mustard, lemon juice, hard-cooked egg, celery, and mayonnaise together. Spread generously between slices of buttered bread; cut in half diagonally. Dip sandwiches in beaten egg mixed with milk and salt. Saute in hot mazola and serve at once.

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(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes)

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts	\$199,013.35
Overdrafts	104.71
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	12,303.43
Other bonds, stocks, and securities	42,650.00
Banking house, \$7,000.00. Furniture and fixtures, \$2,850.00	9,850.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	248.58
Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	37,160.59
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	41,028.05
Cash items not in process of collection	119.07
Other assets	5,300.00
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$347,702.78</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$190,391.53
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	44,435.16
State, county, and municipal deposits	50,466.81
Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	7,644.49
<b>Total of items 14 to 18, inclusive:</b>	
(a) Secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$ 30,567.65
(b) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	262,370.34
(c) Total Deposits	\$292,937.99
Rediscounts	18,440.18
Capital Account:	
Common stock, 250 shares, par \$100 per share	\$25,000.00
Surplus	11,200.00
Undivided profits—net	124.61
<b>Total Capital Account</b>	<b>36,324.61</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$347,702.78</b>

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities:

United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed	12,253.43
Other bonds, stock, and securities	20,830.00
Loans and discounts	18,440.18
<b>Total Pledged (excluding rediscounts)</b>	<b>51,523.61</b>

Pledged:

Against State, county, and municipal deposits	33,083.43
For other purposes	18,440.18
<b>Total Pledged</b>	<b>51,523.61</b>

State of New Mexico, County of Chaves, ss:  
I, R. W. Conner, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. W. CONNER, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:  
W. A. LOSEY,  
WILLIS PARDEE,  
MAYRE LOSEY  
Directors.

(SEAL)  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of July, 1937.  
R. L. HEARN, Notary Public.

My Commission expires October 3, 1940.



# Russia Tries to Explain Why Eight Generals Were Shot

### as in Case of Most Red Intrigues, Explanations Border on Fantastic.

By WILLIAM C. UTLEY

RUSSIA—land of intrigue, struggle and upheaval—is today no freer from the plots and counter-plots on the grand scale which have characterized it over the many decades than it has been in the past. And many decades are dealt with by the Communist intrigues today as much dispatch as they were in the days of the Czars, or more. Explanations today are, as they were in the past, largely a matter of conjecture, and most of them are magnificently fantastic.

In the most recent "purge" of the Red army, seven generals and a marshal who were very nearly the head of the whole Russian army, were summarily tried, and shot, and the explanation of the act was "secretly known." It was rumored that the eight had "Kremlin" that the eight had led a mass plot, in the hundreds of thousands of the coup, and Japan would be rewarded with generous oil, mineral and fishing concessions in the Far East.

There is no actual evidence that definite agreements were ever consummated between the plotters and the enemy powers. Indeed, Hitler has emphatically refused to consider the suggestion of a military alliance between the Reich and Russia, despite the fact that his high military command has assured him that such an alliance would be the most powerful in the world.

The question that now poses itself before the world outside the Soviet is: Can the semi-authoritative explanation of the "purge" be true—or is it merely a concoction brewed to fit a long series of incidents in a sordid role of terrorism under the iron hand of a vicious dictatorship?

There is no denying the fact that the conspiring generals must have been rather stupid to risk their existing positions of power in the existing regime, and their careers of brilliant promise for the future, in



The Soviet Union has vast oil resources. This well, which broke loose recently when tapped, produces 15 to 20 thousand tons daily.

at a time that no serious conspiracy to overthrow the existing system could be successful without the support of any great mass of citizens, without spreading the great net so widely that its existence would be obvious, was a poser indeed.

Russia is definitely worried over the effect of her internal military disarmament upon the outside world. Diplomatic divisions of the western European powers lost no time in taking advantage of it. Germany and Italy, particularly, acted quickly. Their dream has always been of a four-power alliance with France and Great Britain. But France, controlled by a communist party government, in sympathy with the Russians and out of sympathy with the Fascists, has been the stumbling block. Now Germany is trying to convince France that she had better forsake any alliance with Russia because it would be too unreliable. The recent resignation of the Popular Front government in France may work to the advantage of the Fascists, also.

There is no doubt that the French must be a little uneasy over this new weakness of the nation they had counted upon as their most important ally. The Red army can hardly look so powerful today as it did a few weeks ago. And the French can hardly help remembering how powerful that same army looked before the World war and how pitiful it looked once the war got under way.

Russia's importance among the powers of the world has always been limited by her difficulty in preserving her own unity. Stretching



Marshal Mikhail Tukhachevsky, most important of the eight Red army officers who were executed for treason June 12.

out 5,500 miles across Europe and Asia and from the Arctic ocean to the southern mountain ranges, the Soviet Union comprises the largest connected realm of any nation on earth. It is desert and it is verdant farm land.

Ninety per cent of the area of the union is included in the largest of the eleven constituent republics, the Russian Federative Socialist Republic, which also includes more than two-thirds of the population. The other ten are: Ukraine, White Russia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Armenia, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan, Tadzhikistan, Kazakhstan and Kirghizia. All except White Russia, Armenia, Turkmenistan and Kirghizia contain smaller republics within themselves.

Rich in Natural Resources. The 175,000,000 people are as varied as the physiography. They fall into some 180 different groups and speak 150 different languages and dialects; the government makes no attempt at establishing a national language.

There are more Russians than persons of any other nationality, the Russians composing about half the population. The other principal groups, in order of their number, are: Ukrainians, White Russians, Kazaks, Uzbeks, Tatars, Georgians, Turks, Armenians, Jews, Germans, Mordva, Shuvash, Tajiks, Poles, Turkmen, Kirghiz, Bashkirs and Votyaks.

These are some of the reasons Russia's tremendous natural resources have been little more than dipped into. She is almost completely self-sufficient, with a vast wealth of coal, iron, oil, gold and other minerals, as well as rich farm lands and wide stretches of fine virgin timber.

Josef Stalin's personal dictatorship is all-powerful. He is secretary-general of the political bureau of the central executive committee of the communist party of the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics, which is quite a mouthful any way you chew it. The party bosses the state for law has decreed that it is the only party which shall be recognized, the central executive committee bosses the party, the political bureau bosses the committee, and Stalin bosses the bureau.

By virtue of the constitution adopted in December there is a parliament—or soviet—composed of a soviet of the union and a soviet of the nationalities, and called the Supreme Soviet. Together the two bodies exert all legislative and administrative authority, through a cabinet appointed by the Supreme Soviet and known as the council of people's commissars. But through the political structure outlined in the foregoing paragraph it may be seen that what they do is dictated by Josef Stalin.

Production Speeded Up. Russia is now in the last year of its second Five-Year Plan for agricultural and industrial development by the state, under which the state controls the entire economic life of the nation. The first of these plans was started by Stalin in 1928; private trade was suppressed, landowners liquidated and agriculture collectivized.

Production under the second Five-Year Plan was speeded up greatly, for both economic and military reasons. A few facts serve to illustrate the effectiveness of the programs. Electric power production in the Soviet Union was 5,007,000,000 kilowatt hours in the year before the first Five-Year Plan; last year it was 32,600,000,000 kilowatt-hours. In steel production the Soviet Union rose to a position second only to Germany among European producers last year. In 1927 it manufactured a total of 680 automobiles; last year, 138,000. The total grain harvest was 92,010,000 metric tons in 1935, although it fell off to less than 77,000,000 metric tons last year, because of widespread droughts. The 1936 cotton crop set a new record.

Latest reports are that there will be a third Five-Year Plan started which will go into effect January 1, 1937.

## Improved Uniform SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By REV. HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, Dean of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. © Western Newspaper Union.

### Lesson for July 11

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 3:1-12. GOLDEN TEXT—Come now therefore, and I will send thee.—Exodus 3:10. PRIMARY TOPIC—How God Answered His People's Prayer. JUNIOR TOPIC—A Leader in the Making. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How to Get Ready to Work for God. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—How God Provides Leaders Today.

God calls men, commissions and uses them to carry out his plans and purposes in the earth. What a great truth that is and how it glorifies the destiny of man to know that it is divinely appointed. As Joseph Parker beautifully points out, the experience of Moses in Midian was a direct dealing with God, whereas we who may not be able to "see the fountain" must "be content to drink at the stream," but should always remember that the stream flows from that same fountain.

"Every man should put to himself the questions—What is my destiny? What does God mean to me and to do in the world? . . . It is a most pitiful thing that a man should read of Moses being divinely called . . . to a special work" and fail to realize "that God has a special work for every man to do." Let us have a care that we do not "so pervert and misinterpret circumstances as to press them into a justification of self-will," rather than recognize them as "destiny which is beckoning us to duty."

For our instruction and guidance we consider then the story of the call of this outstanding leader of Israel. It presents him as a true servant of God—one who was

I. Personally Equipped. While it is a blessed truth that God will use any man who surrenders himself to his control and guidance no matter how limited that man's ability and training may be, it is also true that, other things being equal, the man with the best equipment will be the most useful servant.

God gave Moses a unique preparation. He was first of all a Hebrew, born among the people that he was to lead. He knew the luxury and all the cultural advantages of the Egyptian court (Acts 7:22), with the safeguard of training by his own mother as his nurse. He observed at first hand the oppression of his people and made a self-willed and impulsive effort to deal with the problem. The result was that he had a "postgraduate" course of instruction and discipline in the wilderness where he spent forty years in the school of experience.

The leaders of God in our day need training. Some best receive it in schools, in Christian colleges, seminaries, and Bible schools true to the faith. Others prepare in the home, the church, and in the "universities of hard knocks"—as someone has called the school of experience. Perhaps the best preparation is a balanced combination of the two, school and experience. But the important thing is to be prepared for God's call.

II. Spiritually Qualified. Moses was a man who knew God. Had he been a worldly man he would have been but curious of the phenomenon of the burning bush. But note how alert and reverent he was and how immediately responsive to the instructions and the call of God.

All the training and preparation in the world is worse than useless in God's service apart from that spiritual qualification that comes from true regeneration and dedication to him. There is no more pathetic sight than a spiritually powerless church worker "going through the motions" of service for Christ. If we are in that condition we may be sure that we deceive no one but ourselves. Let us seek God in confession and in glad acceptance of his provision for both our redemption and our sanctification.

III. Divinely Called. Moses was called (v. 4), commissioned (vv. 6-10), and clad with divine authority (vv. 11-12) for his great task. God calls his servants to different responsibilities and in different ways, but the important thing is that we should know that we are in his will and that we are answering his call.

No man or woman has any right to choose full-time Christian service simply as a desirable vocation, for it is a divine calling. Quite unscriptural was the attitude of the man who said that in a quiet woodland nook he had faced life's realities and had decided "to bet his life" on the preaching of the gospel.

Conduct Through Life I will govern my life, and my thoughts, as if the whole world were to see the one, and to read the other; for what does it signify, to make anything a secret to my neighbor, when to God (who is the searcher of our hearts) all our privacies are open?

A Dream A shadow's dream is man. But when the splendor that God gives descends upon him, then there remains a radiant light for mortals. —Pindar.

## Judge Often Handed Down Humor "From the Bench"

### Late Lord Darling Lived Drab Scenes With Pleasantries.

Many are the stories told about Lord Darling—better known as Mr. Justice Darling, "England's wittiest judge"—who died recently. He was a poet, with several published volumes to his credit. But it was his humor "from the bench" that made his name almost a household word.

On one occasion, a salesman claimed exemption from jury duty on the ground that he was completely deaf in the left ear.

"You can go," said Judge Darling, gravely; "I cannot have anyone in the jury box who cannot hear both sides."

A lawyer who had the misfortune never to have acquired the ability to use the letter "h" (relates Silvan Mayer in his "legal" reminiscences), was engaged before Justice Darling in a case which had relation to a horse. For some time the lawyer kept referring to the animal as "an orse." After a while, Darling looked down and said: "Was the animal a large horse or a little one?" "Oh, a little one." "Then," said the judge, "may

we, for the remainder of the case, call it a pony?"

In another case before Justice Darling—in which a Cockney caterer was suing to recover the cost of a picnic luncheon he had provided for a large number of people—the plaintiff waxed highly indignant, under cross-examination, when it was suggested that his sandwiches were mostly "bread and bread," with the ham conspicuous only by its absence.

"I 'm amazed; I 'm surprised; I 'm—" he spluttered. "That will do!" interrupted Darling. "I suggest that had you been more generous with your hams on another occasion and a little less liberal with them here, you might not have found yourself in this situation!"—Kansas City Star.

### Identifying Houses

Before houses were numbered, London's business streets were lined on both sides by a succession of gay signboards exhibiting an almost infinite variety of blue boards, black swans, red lions, flying pigs and the like. Even with these signs it was often hard to find one's destination, for the signs were often so badly painted that it would have puzzled a naturalist to make out the animal meant.

### Think It Over

BY THE street of Bye-and-Bye one arrives at the house of Never.—German proverb.

People who have half an hour to spare usually spend it with somebody who hasn't.

Dignity is one thing that can't be preserved in alcohol.

Epitaph: He walked on the suicide of the road.

Many have made up their minds what they are going to do if temptation comes their way. They are going to fall.

When one is unimportant, he can attract attention in many noisy ways.

### Mongols! Madam, Barked Sir Howorth

Sir Henry Howorth was taken aback one day when introduced to a gushing lady who declared that she was so charmed to meet him because she wished to talk to him about her little dog.

"But I know nothing about dogs," he protested.

"Oh, how can you say so," she said, "when you have written books about them?"

"Never, madam, never!"

"But surely!" she persisted, "you have written a history of the mongrels?"

"Mongols, madam, mongols!" he barked. "Not mongrels!"—London Answers.

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(Items for either this column or the calendar must be turned in by not later than Wednesday noon)

The Missionary society will meet with Mrs. E. A. Paddock next week.

The Hagerman Men's club will meet at the Presbyterian church basement, Tuesday, July 13th, at 7:30.

### BRIDE COMPLIMENTED WITH SHOWER

Mrs. Lowell Price, a most recent bride, was complimented by a shower by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Leland Price, at her home Thursday evening. Lovely seasonal garden flowers were arranged in a most pleasing manner to make the charming home of the hostess one of real pleasure to see and added to the festive air of the happy occasion.

Five tables of bridge were placed in the rooms and here the guests enjoyed the game during the evening hours. At the close of this game Mrs. Harold Dunn held the high score of the evening and Miss Geneva Bailey was awarded the low score prize. The hostess served a refreshing ice course to her guests after presenting Mrs. Price with the many lovely gifts that her friends had brought for the shower. Mrs. Price has been in Artesia for some time and was formerly connected with the Artesia Beauty Service. She has a host of friends and these gifts were a small token of the regard and esteem in which she is held by these many friends.

Guests of the evening included Meses. Clyde Guy, Harold Dunn, Walter Douglas, Clarence Key, Lowell Naylor, J. O. Wood, Joe Nunn, Roy Langston, S. A. Lanning, Fred Henderson, Ethel Lewis, Misses Mary McCaw, Jimmie King, Cecelia Rehberg, Ethel Bullock, Geneva Bailey, Elaine Feenster, Kate and Ruth Womack, and the honoree.

—Artesia Advocate

### ROGER-THOMASSON WEDDING

Miss Angie Lee Rogers of Albuquerque and Mr. Murbeth Thomasson of Mountainair were united in marriage Sunday morning, June 27.

The bride wore a floor length embroidered silk dress with lovely trim of chiffon over pleated taffeta. The lace-edged veil was floor length. The bride carried a corsage of pink roses and baby breath fern. The groom wore a navy blue suit.

Mr. T. F. Thomasson, father of the groom married the couple.

Attendants of the bride were Mrs. Z. Pate of Artesia and Miss Phyllis Andrews of Hagerman. Flower girls were Peggy Louise McDaniel and Peggy Ruth Ousborn. The flower girls wore similar dresses of taffeta. The bride's attendants wore floor length dresses of pastel shades. The best man was Z. Pate from Artesia.

After the ceremony a lovely three-course dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Thomasson and Paul of Mountainair, Paul and Doyle Prestridge of McAlister, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Pate of Artesia, Mr. and Mrs. Ousborn and Peggy, Ruth and Doris of Alabama, Misses Phyllis Andrews and Mildred Perry of Hagerman, Mrs. Charlotte Casto, Zetta Jean and Peggy Louise McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and Jack, Tinnie and Milton Dick of Albuquerque and the bride and groom.

Mrs. Thomasson was reared in the Dexter community. She was an honor graduate of the Dexter class of '32. She attended college at Las Vegas and later at Eastern New Mexico Junior college at Portales.

As a graduate from Junior college she taught the kindergarten at Dexter for one year and later became secretary to the Junior college. While in college she took an active part in campus duties. She was elected to the Silver Key Honorary club of the college.

Mr. Thomasson lived near Greenfield for several years but moved to Mountainair about five years ago. He now holds a position with the State Hiway department near Albuquerque. The young couple will make their home in Albuquerque.

### FORMER HAGERMAN GIRL MARRIES CALIFORNIA MAN

Miss Ruth West, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noah H. West, was recently married to Mr. William Jung of San Jose, California. She was reared in Hagerman, attending and graduating from the local school as valedictorian of her class. She was one of the most beautiful and popular girls of her crowd and became endeared to all her associates. She was employed at the First National bank in Hagerman for one year, resigning to enter State college at San Jose, California.

Following is an account from the San Jose Mercury Herald of the wedding.

"Miss Ruth West became the bride of William Jung at an impressive and beautiful wedding held at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, June 20th, at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Jung on Ayer avenue.

Only members of the two families, numbering about thirty were present at the ceremony, which was conducted by Rev. Mark Rifenbark, pastor of Trinity Episcopal church.

The lovely bride, who was given in keeping of the bridegroom by her brother, Joseph H. West, wore a dusty pink crepe afternoon frock daintily trimmed with motifs of self material with rust colored accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of for-get-me-nots and lillies-of-the-valley.

Mrs. Joseph H. West, sister-in-law of the bride was matron of honor. Her becoming gown was of "postman" blue crepe with white marquisette embroidered trimming and navy accessories and her flowers were gardenias and lillies-of-the-valley.

Attending Mr. Jung as best man was his brother, Eugene E. JJung, a prominent young engineer of this city.

The home was beautifully decorated with roses, gladiolus and snap-dragons with maiden hair fern.

Following the ceremony a dinner was served at the Hotel Sainte Saire, the lovely table decorations being carried out in pink and white candles and flowers.

The bride, for whom several showers have been given recently, is the youngest daughter of Mr.

### BELLE BENNETTS MEET

The Belle Bennett society met at the home of Mrs. Jeff West the president, M.s. Elwood Watford in charge. After the business meeting Mrs. Raynal Cumpsten and Mrs. Marvin Menefee each gave a chapter of the study book. Refreshments of iced tea and cookies were served to Mesdames Coy Knoll, J. W. Walker, Lloyd Harshey, Howard Menefee, Lem Kemp, Elwood Watford, Jack Menoud, Marvin Menefee, Raynal Cumpsten, Misses Marion Key, Agnes McCormick and three visitors Mesdames Flora West, Carl Ridgley and Durwood Kluting.

### BUFFET SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Kern Jacobs were hosts on last Saturday evening to a delightful buffet supper complementary to the Welborne-West wedding party.

With the honorees, Miss Frances Welborne and Donald West and the host were: Mr. and Mrs. John Tolliver West, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McKinstry, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hearn, Miss Sare Beth West, Robert West and Fred Paddock.

### WELBORNE-WEST

At the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tolliver West last Sunday afternoon, a quiet home wedding was solemnized that united in matrimony two very popular young people, Miss Frances Welborne and Donald West.

A profusion of summer blossoms in pastel shades were arranged in graceful baskets and lovely crystal bowls throughout the home.

Mrs. Edmund McKinstry played preceding the ceremony. The couple entered and stood before the fireplace where an altar was arranged of baskets of beautiful gladiolus and graceful fern. Rev. J. H. Walker read the single ring service that pronounced them man and wife.

Following the service Mrs. McKinstry played softly "Because."

From a lace covered table centered with soft-hued blossoms and the three tiered brides cake, the bride cut the cake which was served with ice cream and iced punch.

The bride was becomingly attired in a handsome tailored dress of black and white sheer crepe. Her hat and shoes were turquoise and she wore white linen gloves and carried a white linen purse. Her shoulder corsage was a shower of tiny rose buds.

Her going away suit was of black tailored crepe with turquoise accessories.

Guests included only close friends and relatives, the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tolliver West, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hearn, Miss Sara Beth West, Robert West, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund McKinstry, Mrs. Elizabeth Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Kern Jacobs and Edwin Lane.

The bride, a talented musician is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamis Paul Welborne of Houston, Missouri. She graduated from Carter College at Fayetteville, Missouri and has been one of Hagerman's popular teachers for two years as music supervisor.

Mr. West grew up in this community. He is a graduate of the local school and attended the State Teacher's college in Silver City, Texas Tech and the Normal University at Las Vegas.

The happy couple left immediately for an unannounced honeymoon trip. They will return to Hobbs to make their home where Mr. West is connected with the Standard Oil Co.

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## Oil News—

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31, location.

T. D. Collins, Weiler 1, NW sec. 13-24-26, shut down for repairs at 710 feet.

Ingham, Page 1, SW sec. 15-21-28—drilling below 450 feet.

Otero county—

O. K. Hearde, Evans No. 1, sec. 22-24-21, no report.

George Muldey, State No. 1, SW sec. 11-25-8, no report.

Chaves county—

J. & L. Drilling Co., Hurd No. 1, NW sec. 14-11-36, no report.

English and Harmon, Billingslea No. 1 SE sec. 9-15-29, shut down at 2870 feet for orders.

Curry County—

Bond and Harrison, Hart—State 1, SE sec. 13-2nd-31e, shut down at 1246 feet for standard tools.

### PRESBYTERIAN AID

The Presbyterian Aid met Wednesday in the Presbyterian basement. Mrs. J. Chalmers Ross gave a very interesting talk on Vacation Bible school.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served by the hostesses Mrs. Devanport and Mrs. W. A. Losey.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere appreciation to all who so kindly assisted and for the beautiful floral offerings at the recent bereavement of our darling wife and mother.

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